



## TONIGHT'S GAME

MESSIAH UNIVERSITY  
FALCONS

6-0, 6-0

VS.

ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY  
PRIDE

(CHESTER, PA)

6-0, 6-0

HITCHCOCK ARENA  
7:00 PM



## FALCON FACTS

- The 2021 Falcons have been playing top-notch defense, leading team defense (46.2) while allowing the least amount of points (27.7).
- Last weekend, **Jayneisha Davis** combined for 39 points in Messiah's two victories over Alvernia. The senior guard also recorded four steals in each win, upping her season total to a conference-leading 30 steals.
- Throughout Messiah's undefeated start, **Megan Zimmerman** has led the conference in fg% (.629), connecting on 22 of her 35 total attempts from the floor.



Sophomore  
Sidhey Stutzman

## GAME NOTES

- Widener and Messiah, the last remaining undefeated teams in the MAC Commonwealth, enter tonight's matchup leading the conference in scoring. The Pride's 69.8 average points/game leads the conference, while the Falcons sit in second with 68.5.
- Widener is coming off a successful 2019-20 campaign, winning its second-most games in program history, garnering the school's first-ever in-season top-25 ranking. The Pride their head coach, Alisa Kintner, for her 18th season.

## MAC COMMONWEALTH STANDINGS

|   | Team           | Conf. | Record |
|---|----------------|-------|--------|
| 1 | Messiah        | 6-0   | 6-0    |
| 2 | Widener        | 6-0   | 6-0    |
| 3 | Albright       | 2-2   | 2-2    |
| 4 | Lebanon Valley | 2-4   | 2-4    |
| 5 | Stevenson      | 2-4   | 2-4    |
| 6 | Alvernia       | 0-2   | 0-2    |
| 7 | Eastern        | 0-6   | 0-6    |

## FALCONS' SCHEDULE

|      |                            |                |
|------|----------------------------|----------------|
| 2/11 | Lebanon Valley College*    | 73-38 W        |
| 2/12 | at Lebanon Valley College* | 68-47 W        |
| 2/19 | Stevenson University*      | 49-45 W        |
| 2/20 | at Stevenson University*   | 78-48 W        |
| 2/25 | Alvernia University*       | 78-52 W        |
| 2/26 | at Alvernia University*    | 65-47 W        |
| 3/4  | <b>Widener University*</b> | <b>7:00 PM</b> |
| 3/5  | at Widener University*     | 7:00 PM        |
| 3/11 | at Eastern University*     | 7:00 PM        |
| 3/12 | Eastern University*        | 7:00 PM        |

\* Indicates MAC Commonwealth contest

## PRIDES' SCHEDULE

|      |                               |                |
|------|-------------------------------|----------------|
| 2/11 | Stevenson University*         | 66-55 W        |
| 2/12 | at Stevenson*                 | 62-53 W        |
| 2/19 | at Albright*                  | 78-69 W        |
| 2/20 | Albright*                     | 90-69 W        |
| 2/25 | Lebanon Valley College*       | 66-50 W        |
| 2/26 | at Lebanon Valley College*    | 57-48 W        |
| 3/4  | <b>at Messiah University*</b> | <b>7:00 PM</b> |
| 3/5  | Messiah University*           | 7:00 PM        |
| 3/11 | at Arcadia University*        | 7:00 PM        |
| 3/12 | Arcadia University*           | 7:00 PM        |

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## UPCOMING ATHLETIC SCHEDULE

### Thursday, Mar. 4, 2021

7:00 p.m. - Men's Basketball at Widener University

### Friday, Mar. 5, 2021

7:00 p.m. - Men's Basketball vs. Widener University

7:00 p.m. - Women's Basketball at Widener University

### Saturday, Mar. 6, 2021

11:00 a.m. - Wrestling at Alvernia University (Round Robin)

12:00 p.m. - Baseball vs. Albright College (DH)

12:00 p.m. - Softball vs. DeSales University (DH)

1:00 p.m. - Men's Volleyball vs. Widener University (DH)

1:00 p.m. - Women's Lacrosse vs. Lycoming College

1:00 p.m. - Men's & Women's Swimming MAC Virtual Meet

### Sunday, Mar. 7, 2021

12:00 p.m. - Baseball at Albright College (DH)



## MESSIAH UNIVERSITY FALCONS - 6-0, 6-0

| No. | Name            | Ht.  | Yr. | Pos. | Hometown                | Previous School            |
|-----|-----------------|------|-----|------|-------------------------|----------------------------|
| 2   | Sydney Sevrain  | 5-8  | Fr. | G    | New Tripoli, Pa.        | Northwestern Lehigh        |
| 3   | Eleana Eckley   | 5-7  | Jr. | G    | Lewistown, Pa.          | Mifflin County             |
| 5   | Logan Plosker   | 5-7  | So. | G    | Wenham, Mass.           | Covenant Christian Academy |
| 10  | Sidney Stutzman | 5-9  | So. | G    | Shanksville, Pa.        | Shanksville-Stony Creek    |
| 11  | Haley Wagman    | 5-5  | Fr. | G    | Spring Grove, Pa.       | Spring Grove               |
| 12  | Amber High      | 5-10 | So. | G    | Lancaster, Pa.          | Lancaster Mennonite        |
| 13  | Brooke Breinich | 5-11 | Jr. | F/G  | Lititz, Pa.             | Manheim Central            |
| 20  | Chloe Milanesi  | 5-9  | Fr. | G    | Morristown, N.J.        | Veritas Christian Academy  |
| 21  | Sasha McMonigle | 5-7  | So. | G    | Muncy, Pa.              | Muncy                      |
| 22  | Jayneisha Davis | 5-7  | Sr. | G    | Harrisburg, Pa.         | Belmont Abbey College      |
| 23  | Liv Monturo     | 5-10 | Fr. | F    | Bayport, N.Y.           | Bayport                    |
| 24  | Faith Gula      | 5-11 | Fr. | F    | Sugarloaf, Pa.          | Hazeltown                  |
| 25  | Reese Harden    | 5-8  | Fr. | G    | Upperco, Md.            | Hereford                   |
| 30  | Bre Jantz       | 5-10 | So. | F    | Colorado Springs, Colo. | The Vanguard School        |
| 32  | Madison Eich    | 5-10 | Jr. | G    | Elkridge, Md.           | Howard                     |
| 33  | Leah Springer   | 6-0  | Gr. | F    | Camp Hill, Pa.          | Camp Hill                  |
| 34  | Megan Zimmerman | 6-1  | Jr. | F    | Watson, Pa.             | Warrior Run                |

**Head Coach:** Mike Miller (35th season)**Assistant Coaches:** Jodi Noble, Taylor Keener, Kel Brown

## RETURNING STAT LEADERS

| No. | Player     | PPG  | AST | FG%  | 3FG% | FT%   |
|-----|------------|------|-----|------|------|-------|
| 15  | D. Jordan  | 14.8 | 25  | .583 | .375 | .789  |
| 10  | K. Schenk  | 14.6 | 14  | .527 | ---  | .833  |
| 21  | G. Samuels | 12.6 | 14  | .548 | .565 | (4-4) |
| 20  | E. Phelan  | 10.4 | 2   | .469 | ---  | .600  |

| No. | Player        | RPG  | BLK | STL |
|-----|---------------|------|-----|-----|
| 10  | K. Schenk     | 10.0 | 7   | 7   |
| 23  | N. Barnes     | 5.2  | 2   | 13  |
| 20  | A. Orban      | 5.0  | 1   | 2   |
| 15  | J. D'Ambrosio | 4.4  | 3   | 6   |

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## KNOW YOUR OPPONENT

**Location:** Chester, Pa.**Mascot:** Pride**Founded:** 1972**Enrollment:** 3,200**Athletic Conference:** MAC Commonwealth**Athletic Programs:** 16 (8 men - 8 women)**Athletic Department Twitter:** @WidenerSports**Athletic Department Instagram:** @WidenerSports

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## STAT LEADERS

| No. | Player       | PPG  | AST | FG%  | 3FG% | FT%  |
|-----|--------------|------|-----|------|------|------|
| 22  | J. Davis     | 14.5 | 22  | .395 | .182 | .655 |
| 33  | L. Springer  | 13.8 | 8   | .472 | .400 | .688 |
| 34  | M. Zimmerman | 9.0  | 1   | .594 | ---  | .636 |
| 03  | E. Eckley    | 8.0  | 13  | .298 | .320 | .857 |

| No. | Player       | RPG | BLK | STL |
|-----|--------------|-----|-----|-----|
| 33  | L. Springer  | 8.7 | 13  | 10  |
| 22  | J. Davis     | 6.8 | 0   | 26  |
| 34  | M. Zimmerman | 5.8 | 6   | 4   |
| 03  | E. Eckley    | 3.7 | 3   | 10  |

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## WIDENER UNIVERSITY PRIDE - 6-0, 6-0

| No. | Player              | Ht.  | Year | Pos. | Hometown             | Previous School    |
|-----|---------------------|------|------|------|----------------------|--------------------|
| 3   | Brooke Bachtle      | 5-6  | Jr.  | G    | Perkasie, Pa.        | Pennridge          |
| 4   | Mary Tolentino      | 5-4  | Fr.  | G    | White Marsh, Md.     | Perry Hall         |
| 5   | Mikayla Nicolini    | 5-9  | Jr.  | G/F  | Manahawkin, N.J.     | Southern Regional  |
| 10  | Kyra Schenk         | 6-0  | Sr.  | C    | Pottsville, Pa.      | Pottsville Area    |
| 11  | Marlia Matters      | 5-5  | Fr.  | G    | Lancaster, Pa.       | Lancaster Catholic |
| 12  | Mackenzie McCracken | 5-8  | Sr.  | G    | North Wildwood, N.J. | Wildwood           |
| 14  | Sami Randazzo       | 5-7  | Fr.  | G/F  | Media, Pa.           | Cardinal O'Hara    |
| 15  | Jordan D'Ambrosio   | 5-7  | So.  | G    | Springfield, Pa.     | Springfield        |
| 20  | Erin Phelan         | 5-9  | Jr.  | F    | Downingtown, Pa.     | Downingtown East   |
| 21  | Gianna Samuels      | 5-4  | Fr.  | G    | Staten Island, N.Y.  | Notre Dame Academy |
| 23  | Nicole Barnes       | 5-5  | Jr.  | G    | Garnet Valley, Pa.   | Garnet Valley      |
| 24  | Charlotte Stern     | 6-0  | Jr.  | G/F  | Voorhees, N.J.       | Moorestown Friends |
| 25  | Olivia Pennypacker  | 6-0  | Jr.  | F    | Eagleville, Pa.      | Methacton          |
| 31  | Helena Salmon       | 5-4  | Jr.  | G    | Massapequa, N.Y.     | Massapequa         |
| 32  | Donya Moore         | 5-10 | Fr.  | F    | Hershey, Pa.         | Hershey            |
| 33  | Jasmine Franklin    | 5-11 | Jr.  | G/F  | Baltimore, Md.       | Mercy              |
| 44  | Izzy Hamlin         | 5-10 | Sr.  | C/F  | Ridley, Pa.          | Ridley             |

**Head Coach:** Alisa Kinter (18th season)**Assistant Coaches:** Lindsey Amadio, Brianne Comden, Pat Gallagher, Devan Rimmer