

NOTRE DAME BASEBALL

2010 Quick Facts

GENERAL INFORMATION

Name of School (Location): University of Notre Dame (Notre Dame, IN, 46556)

Founded (Undergraduate Enrollment): 1842 (8,371)

Nickname (School Colors): Fighting Irish (Gold and Blue)

Home Field (Capacity; Year Opened): Frank Eck Stadium (2,500; 1994)

Surface, Dimensions: Grass, 330-380-400-380-330

Affiliation: NCAA Division I

Conference (Year Joined): BIG EAST Conference (1995-96)

President: Rev. John I. Jenkins, C.S.C. (Notre Dame '76)

Athletics Director: Jack Swarbrick (Notre Dame '76)

Athletics Department Phone: (574) 631-6107

Ticket Office Phone: (574) 631-7356

HISTORY

First Year of Baseball: 1892

Overall All-Time Record: 2,249 wins – 1,331 losses – 20 ties (.628)

Number of Years in College World Series: 2 (1957, 2002)

Years in NCAAs: 21 (1949, '56-'59, '60, '63, '70, '89, '92-'94, '96, '99-'06)

NCAA Tournament Record: 41-44

Previous Postseason Opponent: Louisville (L, 6-7; BIG EAST Tournament)

Regular-Season Conference Titles: 13 (MCC – '87, '88, '90, '92, '93, '94, '95; BIG EAST – '97, '99, '01, '02, '04, '06)

Conference Tournament Titles: 10 (MCC – '89, '91, '92, '93, '94; BIG EAST – '02, '03, '04, '05, '06)

Note: Notre Dame was independent of conference affiliation prior to 1984

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Dave Schrage

Alma Mater and Year: Creighton '83

Record at School (Years): 97-72-1 (3)

Career Record (Years): 573-625-1 (22)

Career Division I Record (Years): 512-559-1 (19)

Baseball Office Phone: (574) 631-6366

Associate Head Coach/Duties (Alma Mater): Scott Lawler (Simpson College '00) – hitters, recruiting coordinator

Assistant Coach/Duties (Alma Mater): Dave Dangler (Western Oregon '72) – pitchers

Volunteer Assistant Coach (Alma Mater): Graham Sikes (Liberty '02) – catchers and outfielders

Athletic Trainer: Scott Stansbury

TEAM INFORMATION

Overall Record in 2009: 36-23 (16-9 home, 6-7 away, 14-7 neutral)

Conference Record/Finish: 15-12/5th (9-6 home, 6-6 away)

BIG EAST Tournament: 3-2 (lost to Louisville twice)

Monogram Winners Returning/Lost: 16/4

Position Starters Returning/Lost: 7/2

Total Pitchers Returning/Lost (Starters R/L): 12/1 (6/0)

Total Newcomers: 5 (five freshman signees)

Captains: Ryan Connolly, Brian Dupra, Mick Doyle and Cole Johnson

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NOTRE DAME BASEBALL 2009 PLAYER INFORMATION

Returning Starters

Pos.	Player	Ht./Wt.	Cl.	B/T	GP/GS	Avg./HR/RBI	Other
C	Cameron McConnell	6-1/205	Jr.	R/R	54/50	.289, 3 HR, 37 RBI	23 R, 54 H, 7 2B, 2 3B, 74 TB, .396 SLG%, 6 BB, 4 HBP, .318 OB%, 4 SF, 6 SH, 1-2 SB
1B	David Casey	6-4/235	Jr.	L/L	37/21	.330, 3 HR, 21 RBI	16 R, 31 H, 8 2B, 48 TB, .511 SLG%, 9 BB, 4 HBP, .404 OB%, 2 SF, 2-2 SB
2B	Greg Sherry	5-10/180	Jr.	R/R	56/56	.273, 0 HR, 18 RBI	37 R, 48 H, 6 2B, 54 TB, .307 SLG%, 29 BB, 4 HBP, .384 OB%, 2 SF, 5 SH, 0-1 SB
3B	Mick Doyle	6-1/200	Jr.	R/R	49/44	.327, 3 HR, 31 RBI	29 R, 51 H, 10 2B, 70 TB, .449 SLG%, 19 BB, 1 HBP, .384 OB%, 9 SF, 3 SH, 3-5 SB
LF	Golden Tate	5-11/195	Jr.	L/L	55/54	.329, 1 HR, 21 RBI	45 R, 73 H, 8 2B, 4 3B, 92 TB, .414 SLG%, 20 BB, 6 HBP, .399 OB%, 7 SH, 13-14 SB
RF	David Mills	5-9/165	Sr.	L/L	44/41	.325, 1 HR, 28 RBI	29 R, 49 H, 6 2B, 3 3B, 64 TB, .424 SLG%, 24 BB, .408 OB%, 4 SF, 8 SH, 7-11 SB
DH	Ryan Connolly	5-11/190	Sr.	R/R	29/22	.324, 4 HR, 19 RBI	23 R, 23 H, 6 2B, 41 TB, .577 SLG%, 14 BB, 10 HBP, .490 OB%, 1 SF, 1 SH, 5-9 SB

Returning Players

Pos.	Player	Ht./Wt.	Cl.	B/T	GP/GS	Avg./HR/RBI	Other
OF	Brayden Ashdown	6-1/180	Sr.	R/R	39/21	.302, 1 HR, 13 RBI	19 R, 29 H, 2 2B, 2 3B, 38 TB, .396 SLG%, 6 BB, 3 HBP, .358 OB%, 1 SF, 1-2 SB
1B	Casey Martin	6-4/250	Sr.	R/R	49/24	.301, 2 HR, 12 RBI	13 R, 25 H, 1 2B, 32 TB, .386 SLG%, 9 BB, 4 HBP, .392 OB%, 1 SF, 1 SH, 1-1 SB
OF	Billy Boockford	6-1/195	Sr.	R/R	20/8	.290, 0 HR, 4 RBI	1 R, 9 H, 9 TB, .290 SLG%, 4 BB, .371 OB%
INF	Tommy Chase	5-10/165	So.	R/R	6/3	.286, 0 HR, 1 RBI	2 R, 2 H, 2 TB, .286 SLG%, 1 BB, 3 HBP, .545 OB%, 1 SH
C	Matt Scioscia	6-1/225	Jr.	R/R	28/19	.265, 1 HR, 15 RBI	5 R, 18 H, 2 2B, 23 TB, .338 SLG%, 3 BB, 1 HBP, .301 OB%, 1 SF
INF	Ryne Intlekofer	5-9/160	Sr.	R/R	33/15	.250, 1 HR, 10 RBI	11 R, 14 H, 1 2B, 2 3B, 22 TB, .393 SLG%, 7 BB, 2 HBP, .348 OB%, 1 SF
OF	Matt Grosso	5-10/175	Sr.	L/L	20/9	.159, 1 HR, 4 RBI	3 R, 7 H, 1 2B, 11 TB, .250 SLG%, 4 BB, .229 OB%, 1 SH
OF	Alex Robinson	6-0/170	So.	B/R	12/1	.111, 0 HR, 0 RBI	2 R, 1 H, 1 TB, .111 SLG%, .111 OB%, 1 SH, 0-2 SB
OF	Bill Warrender	6-1/190	Sr.	R/R	3/0	.000, 0 HR, 0 RBI	--

Top Position Players Lost

Pos.	Player	Ht./Wt.	Cl.	B/T	GP/GS	Avg./HR/RBI	Other
OF	A.J. Pollock	6-1/200	Jr.	R/R	59/59	.365, 10 HR, 52 RBI	69 R, 88 H, 19 2B, 5 3B, 147 TB, .610 SLG%, 30 BB, 7 HBP, .443 OB%, 4 SF, 3 SH, 21-25 SB
SS	Jeremy Barnes	5-10/190	Sr.	R/R	59/59	.353, 15 HR, 70 RBI	53 R, 82 H, 15 2B, 5 3B, 152 TB, .655 SLG%, 35 BB, 2 HBP, .438 OB%, 3 SF, 4-8 SB
1B	Evan Sharpley	6-2/210	Sr.	L/R	41/24	.223, 5 HR, 15 RBI	19 R, 21 H, 3 2B, 1 3B, 41 TB, .436 SLG%, 21 BB, 3 HBP, .381 OB%

2009 Position Player Honors

First Team All-BIG EAST: A.J. Pollock (also All-BIG EAST third team in 2007, first team in 2008)

Second Team All-BIG EAST: Jeremy Barnes (also All-BIG EAST third team in 2006), Cole Johnson

First Team ABCA All-Mideast Region: Jeremy Barnes

Second Team ABCA All-Mideast Region: A.J. Pollock

Rawlings NCAA Division I Gold Glove: A.J. Pollock

2009 Draft Picks – A.J. Pollock (Arizona Diamondbacks; 1st Round), Jeremy Barnes (Philadelphia Phillies; 11th round), Evan Sharpley (Seattle Mariners; 50th round)

Top Returning Pitchers (listed in order of top returning; stats are for 2009 season)

Pitcher	Ht./Wt.	Cl.	B/T	GP/GS	W-L (S)	IP	K / BB / H	Opp Avg.	ERA
Cole Johnson	6-3/200	Jr.	R/R	15/14	7-3 (0)	94.2	64 / 36 / 87	.249	4.47
Eric Maust	6-1/185	Sr.	R/R	14/14	6-3 (0)	85.2	26 / 28 / 104	.295	4.94
Brian Dupra	6-3/200	Jr.	R/R	14/13	6-5 (1)	82.0	48 / 16 / 116	.334	7.13
Will Hudgins	6-3/180	So.	R/R	19/0	2-0 (3)	24.2	9 / 13 / 23	.256	3.65
Steve Sabatino	6-2/200	So.	L/L	7/5	3-0 (0)	32.2	25 / 21 / 29	.254	3.86
Ryan Richter	6-3/205	So.	L/L	13/3	5-2 (0)	30.1	19 / 17 / 28	.248	3.86
Joe Spano	5-11/165	So.	L/L	13/2	1-1 (0)	19.1	12 / 16 / 17	.250	4.19
David Mills	5-9/165	Sr.	L/L	15/0	2-1 (1)	27.2	18 / 4 / 32	.296	4.55
Todd Miller	6-3/195	Jr.	R/R	19/1	1-2 (5)	36.2	21 / 8 / 46	.309	5.40
Dustin Ispas	6-1/190	So.	L/L	7/4	0-1 (0)	19.0	14 / 14 / 24	.300	6.63
Steven Mazur	6-0/195	Sr.	R/R	18/0	2-2 (2)	22.1	22 / 7 / 35	.372	10.07
Evan Danieli	6-7/230	Jr.	R/R	2/1	0-1 (0)	3.1	4 / 5 / 5	.357	10.80

Top Pitchers Lost (listed in order of top lost; stats are for 2009 season)

Pitcher	Ht./Wt.	Cl.	B/T	GP/GS	W-L (S)	IP	K / BB / H	Opp Avg.	ERA
Sam Elam (LHP)	6-3/220	Sr.	L/L	11/2	1-1 (0)	31.1	38 / 29 / 25	.219	5.74

2009 Pitcher Honors

Second Team All-BIG EAST: Cole Johnson

2009 Draft Picks (pitchers) – Sam Elam (New York Yankees; 8th round)

Key Newcomers

Player	Ht./Wt.	Pos.	B/T	Hometown	Previous School
Frank Desico	5-10/185	INF	R/R	Cleveland, Ohio	St. Ignatius H.S.
Joe Hudson	6-0/190	C/INF	R/R	Odessa, Florida	Tampa Jesuit H.S.
Charlie Markson	6-2/180	OF	L/R	Whitefish Bay, Wisconsin	Whitefish Bay H.S.
Adam Norton	6-1/175	RHP/INF	R/R	Highland, Indiana	Andean H.S.
Patrick Veerkamp	6-2/180	RHP	R/R	Fort Wayne, Indiana	Homestead H.S.

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No.	Name	Yr.	Pos.	B-T	HT.	Wt.	Birthdate	Hometown (Previous School)
1	Adam Norton	FR	RHP/INF	R/R	6-1	175	11/29/90	Highland, IN (Andrean)
2	Alex Robinson	SO	OF	B/R	6-0	170	1/25/90	Dallas, TX (First Baptist Academy)
4	Joe Hudson	FR	C/INF	R/R	6-0	190	5/21/91	Odessa, FL (Tampa Jesuit)
5	David Mills	SR	OF/LHP	L/L	5-9	165	12/16/87	Battle Creek, MI (Lakeview)
6	Brian Dupra	JR	RHP	R/R	6-3	200	12/15/88	Rochester, NY (Greece Athena)
7	Dustin Ispas	SO	LHP	L/L	6-1	190	2/10/90	Rancho Cucamonga, CA (Los Osos)
8	Matt Grosso	SR	OF	L/L	5-10	175	6/22/88	Marlborough, CT (RHAM/Maine/UConn)
10	Ryan Connolly	SR	OF/C	R/R	5-11	190	5/3/87	Binghamton, NY (Binghamton)
11	Tommy Chase	SO	INF	R/R	5-10	165	10/28/89	Cohasset, MA (Boston College HS)
12	Brayden Ashdown	SR	OF	R/R	6-1	180	4/14/88	Tucson, AZ (Catalina Foothills)
13	Herman Petzold	SR	INF	R/R	5-8	175	9/7/88	Saint Clair Shores, MI (De LaSalle)
14	Matt Scioscia	JR	C/1B	R/R	6-1	225	9/20/88	Westlake Village, CA (Encino Crespi Carmelite)
15	Greg Sherry	JR	INF	R/R	5-10	180	10/6/88	Mendham, NJ (Delbarton)
16	Eric Maust	SR	RHP	R/R	6-1	185	1/19/88	Alpharetta, GA (Blessed Trinity)
17	Billy Boockford	SR	OF/RHP	R/R	6-1	195	6/6/87	Glen Ellyn, IL (Glenbard West)
18	Steven Mazur	SR	RHP	R/R	6-0	195	1/29/88	Round Rock, TX (Stony Point)
19	Todd Miller	JR	RHP	R/R	6-3	195	8/22/88	Franklin, TN (Montgomery Bell Academy)
20	Charlie Markson	FR	OF	L/R	6-2	180	2/6/91	Whitefish Bay, WI (Whitefish Bay)
21	Joe Spano	SO	LHP	L/L	5-11	165	10/27/89	Verona, NJ (Seton Hall Prep)
22	Evan Danieli	JR	RHP	R/R	6-7	230	8/12/89	East Hanover, NJ (Seton Hall Prep)
23	Ryan Richter	SO	LHP	L/L	6-3	205	9/1/89	South Bend, IN (St. Joseph's)
24	Patrick Veerkamp	FR	RHP	R/R	6-2	180	8/18/90	Fort Wayne, IN (Homestead)
25	Matt Katich	JR	C	R/R	6-2	210	3/17/89	New Castle, PA (Mohawk)
26	Mick Doyle	JR	INF	R/R	6-1	200	2/11/89	LaGrange Park, IL (Benet Academy)
28	Cameron McConnell	JR	C	R/R	6-1	205	2/18/89	Bannockburn, IL (Deerfield)
29	Ryne Intlekofer	SR	INF	R/R	5-9	160	1/27/88	Moorpark, CA (Moorpark)
30	Will Harford	SR	INF/C	R/R	6-0	180	12/31/86	Chicago, IL (Kent School (CT))
32	Golden Tate	JR	OF	L/L	6-1	180	8/2/88	Hendersonville, TN (Pope John Paul II)
33	Ty Adams	JR	1B/OF	R/R	6-6	235	1/20/88	Indianapolis, IN (Brebeuf Jesuit)
34	Ryan Sharpley	JR	RHP	R/R	6-4	210	9/15/89	Marshall, MI (Marshall)
35	Frank Desico	FR	INF	R/R	5-10	185	12/31/90	Cleveland, OH (St. Ignatius)
37	Cole Johnson	JR	RHP	R/R	6-3	200	10/6/88	Hudson, OH (Hudson)
38	Casey Martin	SR	1B	R/R	6-4	230	6/9/86	Chesterton, IN (Chesterton)
41	Bill Warrender	SR	OF	R/R	6-1	190	1/10/88	Collegeville, PA (LaSalle Collegiate)
43	Joe Spizzirri	JR	LHP	L/L	6-2	180	3/17/88	San Juan Capistrano, CA (JSerra Catholic)
44	David Casey	JR	1B/LHP	L/L	6-4	235	2/16/89	Whitefish Bay, WI (Whitefish Bay)
45	Will Hudgins	SO	RHP	R/R	6-3	180	2/12/90	Richmond, VA (Douglas Freeman)
52	Steve Sabatino	SO	LHP/1B	L/L	6-2	200	3/8/90	Lockport, IL (Lockport Township)

Head Coach: #3 Dave Schrage (Creighton '83, 4th season at Notre Dame)

Associate Head Coach: #9 Scott Lawler (Simpson '00)

Assistant Coach: #36 Dave Dangler (Western Oregon '72)

Volunteer Assistant: #47 Graham Sikes (Liberty '02)

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2010 NOTRE DAME BASEBALL SCHEDULE

Fri.	Feb. 19	2:00 pm	at Mississippi Valley State	Delta Devils Field	Itta Bena, MS
Sat.	Feb. 20	tba	vs. Mississippi Valley State	Trustmark Park	Pearl, MS
Sun.	Feb. 21	tba	vs. Jackson State	Trustmark Park	Pearl, MS

BIG EAST/Big Ten Baseball Challenge

Fri.	Feb. 26	4:30 pm	vs. Illinois	Jack Russell Stadium	Clearwater, FL
Sat.	Feb. 27	4:00 pm	vs. Ohio State	Bright House Networks Field	Clearwater, FL
Sun.	Feb. 28	10:00 am	vs. Penn State	Naimoli Complex	St. Petersburg, FL

Stetson Tournament

Sat.	March 6	11:00 am	vs. Harvard	Melching Field at Conrad Park	DeLand, FL
Sat.	March 6	3:00 pm	vs. Kansas State	Melching Field at Conrad Park	DeLand, FL
Sun.	March 7	4:00 pm	at Stetson	Melching Field at Conrad Park	DeLand, FL

Tues.	March 9	6:00 pm	at Texas Pan-American	Edinburg Baseball Stadium	Edinburg, TX
Wed.	March 10	6:00 pm	at Texas Pan-American	Edinburg Baseball Stadium	Edinburg, TX

Irish Baseball Classic

Thurs.	March 11	tba	vs. Bradley	Wolff Stadium	San Antonio, TX
Fri.	March 12	tba	vs. Pacific	Wolff Stadium	San Antonio, TX
Sat.	March 13	tba	vs. Gonzaga	Wolff Stadium	San Antonio, TX
Sun.	March 14	tba	vs. TBA	Wolff Stadium	San Antonio, TX

Sat.	March 20	12:05 pm	Michigan State (2)	Frank Eck Stadium	Notre Dame, IN
Sun.	March 21	1:05 pm	Michigan State	Frank Eck Stadium	Notre Dame, IN
Tues.	March 23	5:05 pm	Ball State	Frank Eck Stadium	Notre Dame, IN
Wed.	March 24	5:05 pm	Illinois-Chicago	Frank Eck Stadium	Notre Dame, IN
Fri.	March 26	tba	at USF *	Red McEwen Field	Tampa, FL
Sat.	March 27	tba	at USF *	Red McEwen Field	Tampa, FL
Sun.	March 28	tba	at USF *	Red McEwen Field	Tampa, FL
Fri.	April 1	1:00 pm	at Georgetown *	Shirley Povich Field	Bethesda, MD
Sat.	April 2	3:30 pm	at Georgetown *	Shirley Povich Field	Bethesda, MD
Sun.	April 3	1:00 pm	at Georgetown *	Shirley Povich Field	Bethesda, MD
Tues.	April 6	5:05 pm	Oakland	Frank Eck Stadium	Notre Dame, IN
Wed.	April 7	5:05 pm	Western Michigan	Frank Eck Stadium	Notre Dame, IN
Fri.	April 9	5:05 pm	Rutgers *	Frank Eck Stadium	Notre Dame, IN
Sat.	April 10	1:05 pm	Rutgers *	Frank Eck Stadium	Notre Dame, IN
Sun.	April 11	12:05 pm	Rutgers *	Frank Eck Stadium	Notre Dame, IN
Tues.	April 13	6:05 pm	Chicago State	Frank Eck Stadium	Notre Dame, IN
Wed.	April 14	6:05 pm	IPFW	Frank Eck Stadium	Notre Dame, IN
Fri.	April 16	6:00 pm	at Seton Hall *	Owen T. Carroll Field	East Orange, NJ
Sat.	April 17	1:00 pm	at Seton Hall *	Owen T. Carroll Field	East Orange, NJ
Sun.	April 18	12:00 pm	at Seton Hall *	Owen T. Carroll Field	East Orange, NJ
Tues.	April 20	tba	at Michigan	Ray Fisher Stadium	Ann Arbor, MI
Wed.	April 21	6:05 pm	Michigan	Frank Eck Stadium	Notre Dame, IN
Fri.	April 23	6:05 pm	Cincinnati *	Frank Eck Stadium	Notre Dame, IN
Sat.	April 24	6:05 pm	Cincinnati *	Frank Eck Stadium	Notre Dame, IN
Sun.	April 25	1:05 pm	Cincinnati *	Frank Eck Stadium	Notre Dame, IN
Tues.	April 27	6:05 pm	Toledo	Frank Eck Stadium	Notre Dame, IN
Wed.	April 28	7:00 pm	vs. Valparaiso	U. S. Steel Yard	Gary, IN
Fri.	April 30	6:05 pm	St. John's *	Frank Eck Stadium	Notre Dame, IN
Sat.	May 1	1:05 pm	St. John's *	Frank Eck Stadium	Notre Dame, IN
Sun.	May 2	12:05 pm	St. John's *	Frank Eck Stadium	Notre Dame, IN
Sat.	May 8	tba	at West Virginia *	Hawley Field	Morgantown, WV
Sun.	May 9	tba	at West Virginia * (2)	Hawley Field	Morgantown, WV
Tues.	May 11	6:05 pm	Bowling Green	Frank Eck Stadium	Notre Dame, IN
Wed.	May 12	6:05 pm	Central Michigan	Frank Eck Stadium	Notre Dame, IN
Fri.	May 14	3:45 pm	at Villanova *	Villanova Ballpark	Plymouth Meeting, PA
Sat.	May 15	1:15 pm	at Villanova *	Villanova Ballpark	Plymouth Meeting, PA
Sun.	May 16	12:15 pm	at Villanova *	Villanova Ballpark	Plymouth Meeting, PA
Thurs.	May 20	6:05 pm	Louisville *	Frank Eck Stadium	Notre Dame, IN
Fri.	May 21	6:05 pm	Louisville *	Frank Eck Stadium	Notre Dame, IN
Sat.	May 22	1:05 pm	Louisville *	Frank Eck Stadium	Notre Dame, IN
Wed.-Sun.	May 26-30	TBA	BIG EAST Tournament	Bright House Networks Field	Clearwater, FL

* – indicates BIG EAST Conference game

all times local to the site

home games in **bold**