

## 2006 Roster

<u>#</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>CLASS</u>	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>HOMETOWN</u>
7	Rachel Austin	SO	P / OF	Atlanta, GA
9	Dana Bartolomei	SO	P / SS	Des Moines, IA
2	Julie Carter	FY	OF	Cairo, Egypt
14	Erin Chlum	SR	C	Tinley Park, IL
1	Savannah Deaton	SO	OF	Memphis, TN
10	Lori Dowell	JR	C/OF	Carthage, TN
11	Jennifer Gaffney	FY	SS/2B	Austin, TX
16	Hayley Hill	SO	3B/1B	Taylorville, MS
13	Amanda Lutzy	SO	2B/SS	Saranac, NY
5	Jessika Morris	JR	CF	Midland, TX
8	Cianna Pender	JR	OF	Marianna, FL
15	Jessica Stepp	JR	3B / 1B	Wynne, AR

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### Seven Lynx Named to Student-Athlete Academic Honor Roll

**06/15/06**---Seven players from the Lynx Softball team have been named to the SCAC Student-Athlete Academic Honor Roll for 2005-2006. Sophomores Rachel Austin, Dana Bartolomei, Hayley Hill and Amanda Lutzy join Juniors Lori Dowell, Cianna Pender, and Jessika Morris on the team. To qualify, student-athletes must earn a GPA of 3.25 or higher for the term in which they compete. Collectively, the Lynx Softball team earned a 3.37 team GPA for the 2005-2006 academic year. Overall, 79 Lynx student-athletes earned spots on the Honor Roll.

### Harper, Cassidy Named SCAC 15th Anniversery Softball Team

**06/8/06**---Emily Cassidy '01 and Becky Harper '01 were both recently named to the SCAC 15th Anniversery Softball Team. Harper and Cassidy anchored the Lynx from the inception of the softball program at Rhodes in 1998 through the 2001 season, a period in which the Lynx amassed 56 victories and finished in the Top 3 in the SCAC 3 times, including a second place finish in 2001. Both were 3-time 1st Team All-SCAC selections, with Harper earning SCAC Player of the Year Honors in 1999.

Morris Named to All-SCAC team

**05/22/06**---Junior Outfielder Jessika Morris has been named to the All-SCAC Softball Team for 2006. Morris led the Lynx in hitting (.313), on base percentage (.321), slugging percentage (.410), doubles (6) and runs scored (8). She also pitched 23 innings late in the season due to injuries to the Lynx top 2 pitchers.



Chlum Selected to Rhodes Hall of Fame



**05/08/06**---Senior softball player Erin Chlum (Tinley Park, IL) closed out her academic career at Rhodes by being selected to the Rhodes Hall of Fame. She is one of 6 members of the Class of 2006 selected for this honor, which is one of the highest and most distinguished honors a Rhodes student can receive. In her final weeks at Rhodes, Erin also received Admission into the United States Coast Guard Officer Candidate School, and was voted MVP of the Softball team by her teammates.

Hendrix Sweeps Lynx in Season Finale

**4/15/06**- The Hendrix Warriors swept 4 games from the Lynx this weekend by scores of 11-0, 18-4, 18-2, and 7-5. In Saturday's second game, the Lynx scored 3 runs in the bottom of the 6th to make it 7-5, and Erin Chlum and Dana Bartolomei each hit deep flies to the wall in the 7th, but the Lynx rally fell short. Jessika Morris was 3-4 with 3 doubles and Jessica Stepp was 2-4 to lead the Lynx offensively.



Lynx Drop Season Series to Majors

**4/8/06**- SCAC foe Millsaps came to Memphis this weekend and took 4 games from the Lynx by scores of 8-3, 10-1, 10-3, and 9-0. Rhodes was plagued by injuries to key players all weekend, starting Sunday's second game with only 9 healthy players. The Lynx return to action Tuesday against NAIA Lambuth University. Gametime is set for 3:15pm at Rhodes.

Lynx Fall to CBU

**03/29/06**- Division II Christian Brothers University took advantage of Lynx mistakes on Wednesday, downing the Lynx by a score of 9-2. With the game tied at 2-2 in the third, the Lynx made back to back errors, and CBU catcher Michelle Paul made the Lynx pay by smashing a home run over the centerfield fence. The score remained 5-2 until the 7th, when CBU pushed across 4 runs to put the game out of reach.





#### Westminster Sweeps DH From Lynx

**03/29/06**- The Westminster Blue Jays took a pair of games from the Lynx on Tuesday by scores of 2-1 and 8-4. Rachel Austin took the loss in both games. In game one, she surrendered just 5 hits and no earned runs, but the Lynx could not push any runners across the plate, stranding 7 runners on base. In game two, a 2-run double by Jessika Morris capped off a 4-run second inning as the Lynx jumped out to an early lead, but Westminster scored 5 in the 5th inning for the come from behind win.

#### SAAC Announces Student-Athletes of the Month

**03/28/06**---The Student-Athlete Advisory Committee has named Sophomores Rachel Austin (Atlanta, GA) and Daniel Vanaman (Memphis, TN) as the Student-Athletes of the Month for March.



#### Lynx Drop Game to Ozarks

**3/21/06**--- The University of the Ozarks traveled to Memphis on Tuesday, and took advantage of the opportunity, handing the Lynx a 9-1 loss. The Eagles scored three runs in the 1st inning on a pair of infield singles, 2 stolen bases and a single to take a 3-0 lead. An RBI double by Jessica Stepp in the 2nd inning brought the score to 3-1, where it would remain until the 5th. The Eagles again proved very opportunistic on the bases, scoring a pair of runs on one hit, then added 4 runs in the 6th on 3 hits and 2 Lynx errors. Rachel Austin pitched well but took the loss, striking out 5 and giving up 10 hits. Only 3 of the Eagles 9 runs were earned. The Lynx travel to San Antonio this weekend for a 4 game series against SCAC foe Trinity.



#### Slow Start Proves Costly in Loss to Centre

**3/19/06**--- Centre College jumped on the Lynx early, scoring 6 runs in the first two innings on 4 hits, combined with 3 Lynx errors, then held on for a 9-4 win on a cold and wet Sunday afternoon. Rhodes collected 6 hits and scored 4 runs over the last 4 innings, but could not overcome the slow start. Junior Lori Dowell was 2-4 on the day, while Sophomore Rachel Austin was 1-3 with a double and 2 RBI.



#### Lynx Drop Two on Saturday

**3/18/06**--- Division I University of Arkansas-Pine Bluff handed the Lynx a 4-2 loss Saturday morning, despite another strong pitching effort by Sophomore Rachel Austin. Trailing 2-1 in the 4th, UAPB took advantage of 2 Lynx errors to score 3 unearned runs and take a 4-2 lead. In the afternoon game, SCAC foe Depauw University pounded out 10 hits to down the Lynx by a score of 9-1.



### Lynx Down Sewanee in Extra Innings

**3/17/06**--- Rhodes opened the SCAC Crossover with 5-4 win over Sewanee in 8 innings on Friday. After the Lynx scored 2 runs in the bottom of the 6th to tie the game at 4-4, Sophomore Amanda Lutzy scored the game-winning run on an infield single by sophomore Rachel Austin in the bottom of the 8th. Sophomore Dana Bartolomei picked up the win in relief, retiring all 5 batters she faced in the 7th and 8th innings. The Lynx were led offensively by Lutzy (2-4, 1 run scored), Austin (2-4, 1 run scored, RBI) and Freshman Jen Gaffney (2-3, 1 run scored).

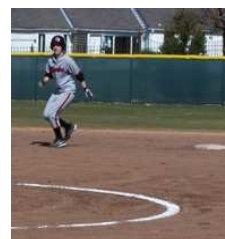


### Eagles Score Late to Down Lynx

**3/5/06**--- The Lambuth Eagles scored 2 runs in each of the 5th and 6th innings to come from behind and defeat the Lynx by a score of 4-3 in the second game of Sunday's double header in Jackson, TN. Sophomore Dana Bartolomei pitched a complete game in the loss, striking out 5 and giving up only 4 hits, with all 4 runs being unearned. Bartolomei was also 3-3 in the game with a triple and 2 RBI.

### Lynx Fall to CBU

**3/4/06**--- The Lynx fell to Division II Christian Brothers University this afternoon by scores of 7-0 and 10-0. In game 1, the Lynx failed to take advantage of some early hitting, stranding 4 runners on base in the first two innings. CBU then capitalized on a pair of Lynx errors in the 2nd and 3rd innings to open up a 5-0 lead. The Lynx return to action tomorrow at Lambuth University in Jackson, TN.



### Lynx Drop Two at Williams Baptist

**2/27/06**--- The Lynx dropped a pair of games to NAIA Williams Baptist College on Monday, 9-0 and 10-3. Rhodes jumped out to an early 3-0 lead in game 2, but Williams Baptist took advantage of 3 Lynx errors in the bottom of the 5th to blow the game open. The Lynx (2-2) return to action Saturday against cross-town rival Christian Brothers University. Gametime is set for 1pm at CBU.

### Lynx Open Season With Sweep of Rust

**2/26/06**--- Led by sophomore pitchers Dana Bartolomei (Des Moines, IA) and Rachel Austin (Atlanta, GA), the Lynx swept a pair of games from Rust on Sunday by scores of 9-0 and 12-0. In game 1, Bartolomei no-hit the Bearcats, striking out 14 of 16 batters she faced. Austin was equally impressive in game 2, striking out 11 batters while holding the Bearcats to 1 hit. The Lynx return to action Monday when they travel to Walnut Ridge, AR to battle Williams Baptist.



