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2005 Armstrong Atlantic State University
Pirate Women’s Soccer Roster

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Head Coach: Eric Faulconer (Florida State, ‘92)  
Assistant Coach: Alison Clarke (Thomas University, ‘05)

Pronunciation Guide

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#10 - SHAY-nuh NEH-vehss  
#16 - Emily LATT-neh

#21 - Holly GROOL-it  
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AASU begins its inaugural women's soccer season in 2005

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### Quick Facts

- **Location**: Savannah, Ga. 31419
- **Founded**: 1935
- **Enrollment**: 7,000
- **Nickname**: Pirates
- **Colors**: Maroon and Gold
- **Athletics Webpage**: [www.athletics.armstrong.edu](http://www.athletics.armstrong.edu)
- **Conference**: Peach Belt
- **Home Field**: AASU Soccer Field
- **Capacity**: 250
- **President**: Dr. Thomas Z. Jones
- **Athletic Director**: Dr. Eddie Aenchbacher
- **Women’s Soccer Head Coach**: Eric Faulconer
- **Record at AASU (Years)**: First Season
- **Overall Coaching Record (Years)**: 68-44-6 (6)
- **Assistant Coach**: Alison Clarke

### On the Cover

The 2005 AASU women’s soccer squad poses in front of the Armstrong Atlantic State University sign that welcomes students and visitors to the Abercorn Street entrance. The inaugural AASU women’s soccer squad consists of 22 players, including 10 from the state of Georgia and four from the immediate Savannah area. This is head coach Eric Faulconer’s second collegiate program he has started from scratch - he developed the Thomas University women’s soccer program beginning in 1999.

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Since its founding in 1935, Armstrong Atlantic State University has continued to develop to meet the Savannah community’s educational needs. From its first location in Armstrong House in downtown Savannah to its current home on a scenic 250-acre lot off of Abercorn, the university has become one of the finest educational institutions in the Southeastern United States.

Armstrong Junior College was established by the Mayor of Savannah and other public officials in 1935. Housed in the beautiful and historic Armstrong House, a gift to the city from the family of George F. Armstrong, Armstrong Junior College grew over the years to occupy eight additional buildings in the Forsyth Park and Monterey Square areas.

In 1959, as Armstrong College of Savannah, it became a two-year unit of the University System.

The Board of Regents conferred four-year status on Armstrong in 1964 and the college moved to its present 250-acre location, a gift from Donald Livingston and the Mills B. Lane Foundation, in December of 1965. Additional buildings joined the eight original structures as Armstrong added professional and graduate programs and tripled in size.

In July of 1996, the Board of Regents voted to rename the college to Armstrong Atlantic State University to reflect its mission and identity. The university’s reputation of excellence is still evident in its dedication to students, with a supportive environment.

Armstrong Atlantic State University was fully accredited as a senior institution by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools in December, 1968, with accreditation retroactive to January 1, 1968, and was last reaccredited in December, 2001.

The university offers more than seventy-five academic programs and majors in its School of Arts and Sciences, School of Health Professions and School of Education.

The academic community includes approximately 7,000 students and more than 250 faculty members. Enrollment has nearly doubled in the last 15 years, from 3,700 students in 1990 to its current number.

Across campus, evidence of the university’s growth can be found in its facilities. Recently completed buildings include a 115,000 square foot, $28 million dollar science building opened in 2002; the brand new Student Recreation Facility, which is the temporary home of the Lane Library while the Library undergoes an 11-month renovation project and phases one and two of Compass Point, the school’s first dormitory buildings which opened in 2003. Phase two provides an additional 300 beds to the already existing 275 beds from phase one and campus leaders are in talks for a planned phase three addition to Compass Point.

The athletic department of Armstrong Atlantic State University is housed in the Armstrong Sports Center, completed in 1995. The Sports Center includes offices for the physical education department, training room and weight room areas, basketball courts, indoor track and offices for coaches and athletic department personnel. The building played host to the Peach Belt Conference’s basketball tournament in 1998 and 1999 and hosts several in-season tournaments each year. In 2004-05, Armstrong Atlantic State hosted Peach Belt Conference Championships in volleyball and golf, while also hosting the 2005 NCAA Division II Men’s Golf National Championships.

AASU sponsors ten intercollegiate sports and is a charter member of the Peach Belt Conference, formed in 1991. Women’s soccer and women’s golf debut in 2004-05, joining men’s and women’s basketball, volleyball, baseball, men’s and women’s tennis, men’s golf and softball as sports that AASU sponsors.

Continuing a mission begun in 1935, Armstrong Atlantic State University today serves a rich gamut of traditional and non-traditional students. Sixty percent of AASU’s student body are from the Savannah-Chatham area, while others come from around the state, nation and world. All have come to Savannah to experience and thrive on the campus of one of the fastest developing higher learning institutions in the nation - to be a part of Armstrong Atlantic State University.
Dr. Thomas Z. Jones
University President

Thomas Z. Jones, the sixth president to serve at Armstrong Atlantic State University, begins his fifth year at AASU. Hired on August 1, 2000, Jones was selected by the Board of Regents and University System of Georgia Chancellor Stephen R. Portch after an exhaustive national search.

Dr. Jones served on the faculty and administration at Columbus State University, as its vice president for academic affairs from 1988-2000, prior to coming to Armstrong Atlantic State. A 30-year veteran of university teaching and administration, Dr. Jones has taught at Indiana State University, Emory and Henry College and the West Virginia Institute of Technology. While at West Virginia Tech, Dr. Jones served as the Westmoreland Professor of Mining, an endowed professorship, and vice president of academic affairs.

Dr. Jones received his bachelor’s degree in physics from Fairmont State College, his master of arts degree in geology from West Virginia University and his Ph.D in Geology from Miami (Ohio) University.

From 1980-1988, he owned and served as president of Technical Evaluation Consultants, Inc., a privately owned business specializing in providing science, technical and engineering services for business, industry, government agencies and the legal community.

Dr. Jones and his wife, Joyce, have two sons, Matthew and Michael.

Dr. Eddie Aenchbacher
Athletic Director

Dr. Eddie Aenchbacher begins his tenth full year as the athletic director for Armstrong Atlantic State University.

Dr. Aenchbacher’s responsibilities include overseeing the entire athletic department and promoting Armstrong Atlantic State athletics in the community of Savannah.

Dr. Aenchbacher received his bachelor's degree in physical education from Armstrong Atlantic State in 1979, where he was a standout student-athlete for the baseball team as a pitcher. He received his Master's degree and Doctorate of Education from the University of Georgia.

Along with his student-athlete experience at AASU, Dr. Aenchbacher also coached the Pirate cross country teams for five years and started the first AASU men's soccer team, which he coached for seven years.

During Dr. Aenchbacher's tenure as athletic director, AASU's athletic programs have had tremendous success in the classroom and on the playing field. Student-athletes at AASU have excelled in academics with 51 percent earning a 3.0 grade point average or better. The overall grade point average of AASU student-athletes is 2.83, higher than the overall institutional GPA. In 2004-05, the AASU athletic department captured the school’s third NCAA Division II National Championship in women’s tennis and successfully hosted the 2005 NCAA Division II Men’s Golf Championships, the first NCAA national championship event ever hosted in Savannah. The Pirates also collected the fifth-most points per sport sponsored in the annual NACDA Director’s Cup competition, which tracks the performance of Division II schools in all sports.

Dr. Aenchbacher has been married for 13 years to Michele and together they are the proud parents of two children, Jesse and Lainey.

AASU hosted Savannah’s first-ever NCAA National Championship in 2005
Eric Faulconer
Head Women’s Soccer Coach

Eric Faulconer begins his first season as the head coach of the fledgling Armstrong Atlantic State women’s soccer program. The former head coach at Thomas University, Faulconer started the Lady Night Hawks program in 1999 and compiled a 68-44-6 record in six seasons at the NAIA institution.

"We are thrilled to have Eric Faulconer come in and hit the ground running in building our women’s soccer program at Armstrong Atlantic," Athletic Director Dr. Eddie Aenchbacher said. "His track record in not only starting Thomas University’s program from scratch but doing it by utilizing a successful mix of in-state Georgia kids and out-of-state talent impressed us greatly, and we are confident he can bring similar success to AASU and the Peach Belt Conference right away."

True to those words, Faulconer assembled a roster of 22 players for the inaugural AASU women’s soccer program that included four of his former Thomas University players, three transfers from Division I institutions and nine players from the state of Georgia, including four from the immediate Savannah area.

Faulconer was the NSCAA/adidas 2003 South Region Coach of the Year as well as the NAIA Region 13 Coach of the Year for leading Thomas to a 15-6-2 mark and a berth in the NAIA National Championships in Santa Barbara, Calif., where the Lady Night Hawks advanced to the second round. In 2004, Thomas was ranked as high as No. 10 in the NAIA National rankings and finished with a 11-5-2 record and a third straight berth in the NAIA Region 13 tournament.

"I’m very excited to head up the first women’s soccer program at Armstrong Atlantic State," Faulconer said. "I’m also looking forward to continue the fine athletic traditions that Armstrong has developed recently in Savannah. While at Thomas, we competed against many teams from the Peach Belt and I feel that familiarity will help us be instantly competitive in the conference. There is a wealth of talent in the Coastal Empire area as well as the state of Georgia, which should provide us with a rich recruiting base."

In Faulconer’s second season at Thomas in 2000, he led the Lady Night Hawks to a 12-9 overall record and an undefeated 9-0 home campaign. In 2002, his fourth season, Thomas went 12-6-1 and earned the program’s first NAIA national ranking (18th) and advanced to the NAIA Region 13 Championship game. His 68-44-6 record ranks as the 16th-best career winning percentage in NAIA.

Prior to starting the Thomas University women’s soccer program, Faulconer was an assistant coach with the Thomas University men’s soccer program during the 1998-99 season. He also served as Deputy Commissioner of the professional Eastern Indoor Soccer League from 1996-98. In addition to his duties with Thomas University, Faulconer also served as the Director of Girls Player Development for the Tallahassee United Futbol Club and on the staff with Tallahassee-based Warner Soccer. Faulconer holds a USSF National B License and is a member of the Florida Youth Soccer Association Olympic Development coaching staff.

Born in New Jersey, Faulconer’s family moved to Naples, Florida in 1979. He graduated from the Florida State University with a bachelor’s degree in political science in 1992 and a master’s degree in public administration in 1996, with additional graduate course work in sport administration. Eric and his wife Ginger have one son, Zachary Collin Faulconer.

The Eric Faulconer Ledger

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Faulconer was the NSCAA/adidas 2003 NAIA South Region Coach of the Year
Assistant Coach Alison Clarke

Alison Clarke
Assistant Women’s Soccer Coach

Alison Clarke, a Drogheda, Ireland native, will be assisting coach Eric Faulconer this inaugural season. A 2005 graduate from Thomas University with her bachelor’s degree in history, she played and started all 84 games during her four-year career under the guidance of coach Faulconer. Alison is the all-time Thomas University record holder in games played and started.

She served as team captain and was a NAIA Academic All-American graduating with Magna Cum Laude honors. Clarke was selected as the team MVP in 2000 and won the Coaches Award in 2001 and 2004. Captained and helped lead the 2003 NAIA Region 13 championship team. She served as a student assistant at Thomas in 2005, helping the team achieve a program best national ranking of tenth.

“I am very excited that Alison is joining our soccer program at Armstrong Atlantic,” coach Eric Faulconer said. “During her four-year playing career she was instrumental in leading Thomas University from a fledgling program to a national power. She knows what it takes to be successful and I believe she will have a positive impact on our program.”

AASU Women’s Soccer Live On The Web!

The Armstrong Atlantic State athletic department will bring you every shot of the inaugural AASU women’s soccer home schedule right to your computer in 2005 as the Pirates stream live audio and video of all seven home matches over the Internet.

Fans will be able to catch all of the action from the official Website of AASU Athletics, www.athletics.armstrong.edu, using the power of Windows Media Player.

AASU debuted its Internet broadcasting system in 2001 with incredible success as every home men’s and women’s basketball game, volleyball match, the majority of the Pirates’ baseball and softball games and the NCAA Mid-Atlantic Women’s Tennis Regional were available last season.

For more information about the AASU Web broadcast, visit the AASU Athletics Web Site or contact Director of Sports Communications Chad Jackson at jacksoch@mail.armstrong.edu

AASU will be the first team in the Peach Belt to webcast its soccer matches
AASU Begins Inaugural Women’s

Head coach Eric Faulconer has been here before. The former head coach at Thomas University in Thomasville, Georgia, Faulconer has been asked to build a women’s soccer program from scratch for the second time in his coaching career.

In six seasons, Faulconer built Thomas into one of NAIA’s most respected programs. Now he turns his attention to the Coastal Empire as he builds the Armstrong Atlantic State University program.

So what kind of expectations do the Pirates have in this, their first year of competition?

Fellow Peach Belt Conference coaches see talent from the Pirates, placing them sixth in the nine-team league in a preseason poll. Coach Faulconer’s squad even earned a third- and a fourth-place vote from his colleagues, hinting that the Pirates won’t be able to sneak up on anybody this season.

In building the Armstrong Atlantic squad, coach Faulconer made an easy decision to stay with what was familiar, bringing four of his Nighthawk players over from Thomas University to play for the Pirates. All four are expected to start and form a solid core for AASU in 2005.

Senior midfielder Donna Cheyne (5-6, Jr., Lanarkshire, Scotland) each have experience in coach Faulconer’s system and against top competition, whether it’s playing for the Nighthawks or back home in the Scottish Women’s League. McCombe is a three-time NAIA All-Region player and a two-time All-America player who possesses excellent skills distributing and scoring, while Cheyne will serve as the team captain at AASU.

Junior defender Jessica Chipple (5-11, Jr., Hinesville, Ga.) and sophomore defender Emily Latner (5-9, Soph., Pensacola, Fla.) bring experience to the back as Chipple was an NAIA All-America honoree in 2003 and Latner started all 16 games as a freshman for Thomas.

More experience to the youthful Pirate squad comes in the form of junior goalkeeper Tarra Kohler (5-6, Jr., Panama City, Fla.), who was the starting keeper for Birmingham Southern last year. The Panthers captured the Big South Conference title and advanced to the NCAA Championships.

Beyond those five, however, the rest of the AASU squad consists of all players in their first years of collegiate action - a number that includes 14 freshmen.

Up front, the Pirates will look to a trio of forwards to help generate offense. Freshman Shana Neves (5-7, Fr., Milton, Fla.) has the distinction of being the first official signee in the history of AASU women’s soccer.
AASU was picked sixth in a preseason poll of the league’s coaches.
#8 Claire McCombe  
**Senior Midfielder / Forward**  
5-5 • Cumnock, Scotland • Thomas University

**PREVIOUS COLLEGE**

Played for three seasons at Thomas University for head coach Eric Faulconer ... Three-time NAIA All-Region XIII and two-time NAIA All-America honoree for the Night Hawks ... Earned NAIA Region XIII Player of the Week honors in 2002 ... Scored 26 goals and recorded 13 assists during her three-year career.

**CLUB**

Played with teammate Donna Cheyne for Kilmarnock FC in the Scottish Women’s League.

**PERSONAL**

Born Claire McCombe on July 20, 1981 ... Her hometown is Cumnock, Scotland ... Daughter of Jean and Matthew McCombe ... Majoring in criminal justice ... Would like to continue playing soccer in the U.S. after college ... Enjoys soccer, swimming and socializing among friends ... Lists Oprah Winfrey as an influential personality.

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#3 Candice Modlinski  
**Senior Defender**  
6-0 • St. Charles, Ill. • St. Charles East HS

**AT AASU - VOLLEYBALL**

Played four years at AASU and is the school’s all-time leader in blocks as well as ranking fourth in kills and sixth in digs ... 2004 AVCA All-South Region honoree and 2003 AVCA All-South Region honorable mention honoree.

**HIGH SCHOOL**

Started for four years at four-time Illinois state champion St. Charles East HS ... St. Charles East was ranked in the top 10 nationally ... Also played in the Illinois Olympic Development program for two years ... Played club for Saint Charles Soccer Club, two-time Illinois State Cup champions.

**PERSONAL**

Born Candice Ann Modlinski on January 16, 1983, in Skokie, Ill. ... Hometown is St. Charles, Ill. ... Daughter of Cheryl and Dan Modlinski ... Majoring in health science and would like to work with professional athletes after college ... Enjoys playing volleyball and listening to classic rock ... Kristine Lilly and Shannon MacMillan are favorite sports personalities.
Juniors Donna Cheyne and Jessica Chipple

**#2 Donna Cheyne**

*Junior Midfielder*

5-6 • Lanarkshire, Scotland • Thomas University

**PREVIOUS COLLEGE**

Started for two seasons for head coach Eric Faulconer at Thomas University ... Team captain at Thomas in 2003 and will serve as the team captain at AASU in 2005 ... Named team’s most valuable player in 2003 and received the Coaches Award in 2004 ... Scored seven goals and recorded 17 assists in two seasons at Thomas.

**CLUB**

Played with teammate Claire McCombe for Kilmarnock FC in the Scottish Women’s League.

**PERSONAL**

Born Donna Cheyne on September 23, 1977, in Edinburgh, Scotland ... Hometown is Lanarkshire, Scotland ... Daughter of Jane and Gerard Cheyne ... Majoring in physical education and health science ... Would like to become a Division I soccer coach ... Enjoys watching movies, cooking and hanging out with friends ... Lists David Beckham and Steffi Graff as favorite sports personalities ... Lists Whoopi Goldberg as an influential personality.

**#11 Jessica Chipple**

*Junior Defender*

5-11 • Hinesville, Ga. • Thomas University

**PREVIOUS COLLEGE**

Played two seasons at Thomas University ... Earned NAIA All-Region XIII and honorable mention All-America honors as a freshman in 2003 ... Scored two goals and two assists in her freshman season ... Scored one goal and added one assist as a sophomore.

**HIGH SCHOOL**

Played for four years at Liberty County HS in Hinesville, Ga. ... Named one of the top 15 players in the Coastal Empire area by the Savannah Morning News in 2003 ... Scored 19 goals in her career as a midfielder ... Two-time All-Region 2-AAA selection ... High school basketball teammate of current AASU player Kaneetha Gordon at Liberty County.

**PERSONAL**

Born Jessica Chipple on December 5, 1984, in Hinesville, Ga., her hometown ... Daughter of Susan Chipple ... Majoring in physical therapy ... Would like to coach soccer after college ... Enjoys watching movies, eating and going to the beach ... David Beckham is a favorite sports personality.

*Chipple was an NAIA All-America selection in 2003 for Thomas*
Junior Tarra Kohler and sophomore Tana Griffiths

#33 Tarra Kohler  
Junior Goalkeeper  
5-6 • Panama City, Fla. • Birmingham Southern

PREVIOUS COLLEGE
Played two seasons at Division I Birmingham Southern College ... Led the Panthers to the 2004 Big South Conference championship and an NCAA Championship appearance ... Started 16 games in 2004 and recorded a 1.38 goals against average, recording 44 saves ... Played in two games as a freshman, tallying 135 minutes of action and making six saves.

HIGH SCHOOL
Played and started all four years at AC Mosley High School in Lynn Haven, Fla. ... Earned All-District honors twice and also earned All-County honors four times ... A two year Captain ... Also lettered in cross country and weightlifting ... Played club soccer in Alabama for the American Soccer Club Lady Jets and captured the 2004 Alabama State Cup.

PERSONAL
Born Tarra Lynn Kohler on September 17, 1985, in Del Rio, Texas ... Hometown is Panama City, Fla. ... Daughter of Geri and Matt Kohler ... Majoring in criminal justice ... Enjoys horses and drawing ... Mary Harvey, goalkeeper for the first US Olympic Gold Medal team, is her favorite sports personality.

#4 Tana Griffiths  
Sophomore Forward/Midfielder  
5-5 • Eltham, Australia • Royal Melbourne Institute

AUSTRALIA
Member of the Eltham Wildcats basketball squad who will be a two-sport athlete at Armstrong Atlantic, playing point guard for the Lady Pirate hoops squad and forward/midfielder for the soccer squad ... Attended the Royal Melbourne Institute for one year.

HIGH SCHOOL
Attended Warrandyte High School in Victoria, Australia.

PERSONAL
Born Tana Marree Griffiths on December 5, 1985, in Melbourne, Australia ... Hometown is Eltham, Australia ... Majoring in Health and Physical Education ... Would like to be a P.E teacher after college ... Enjoys all sports and music ... Australian swimmer Grant Hackett is her favorite sports personality ... Lists Australian actress Lisa McCune as an influential personality.
## Sophomore Emily Latner and Danielle Pickell

### #16 Emily Latner
**Sophomore Defender/Midfielder**  
5-9 • Pensacola, Fla. • Thomas University

**PREVIOUS COLLEGE**  
Played in all 16 games as a freshman for Thomas University in 2004 ... Named team’s defensive Player of the Year ... Tallied one assist and three shots.

**HIGH SCHOOL**  
Played for three seasons at Booker T. Washington HS, earning All-Region honors each year by the Pensacola News-Journal ... Named team MVP and led team in goals and assists as a senior ... Played club soccer with Pensacola Futbol Club.

**PERSONAL**  
Born Emily Veronica Latner on June 25, 1986, in Jacksonville, Fla. ... Hometown is Pensacola, Fla. ... Daughter of Evelyn and Ralph Latner ... Majoring in Psychology ... Enjoys hanging out with friends and going to church.

### #25 Danielle Pickell
**Sophomore Forward/Midfielder**  
5-6 • Savannah, Ga. • Johnson HS

**HIGH SCHOOL**  
Played for four seasons at Johnson HS in Savannah ... Named team’s offensive MVP for two seasons and earned the Coaches Award for the Atomsmashers ... Also played softball while at Johnson HS ... Walk-on for the Pirates in 2005.

**PERSONAL**  
Born Kymberly Danielle Pickell on March 26, 1986, in Savannah, Ga., her hometown ... Daughter of Danny and Jeannette Pickell ... Father, Danny, was a first baseman on the Armstrong Atlantic baseball squad from 1977-80 ... Undecided in major ... Enjoys hanging out with friends and going to church ... Derek Jeter and Brandi Chastain are favorite sports personalities.
Jennifer Brian
Freshman Defender
5-7 • St. Simons Island, Ga. • Frederica Academy

HIGH SCHOOL
Four-year starter for the Frederica Academy Knights in St. Simons Island, Ga. ... Played for two-time State Championship winner Frederica Academy (2003 & 2005) ... Named to the All-Region team three times ... Served as co-captain her junior and senior years ... Also earned two letters in softball and served as team captain ... High school teammate of fellow Pirate Chelsea Kaiser.

PERSONAL
Born Jennifer Lauren Brian on September 14, 1987, in Johnson City, NY. ... Hometown is St. Simons Island, Ga. ... Daughter of Vickie and Steve Brian ... Undecided in major ... Enjoys watching movies, shopping and playing softball ... Brandi Chastain is a favorite sports personality ... Lists Jessica Simpson as a favorite entertainer.

Ashley Brown
Freshman Midfielder/Forward
5-7 • Niceville, Fla. • Niceville HS

HIGH SCHOOL
Played for three seasons at Niceville HS in Niceville, Fla. ... Earned All-District and All-County honors twice ... Also won the President’s Academic Award all four years in high school.

PERSONAL
Born Ashley Allene Brown on December 9, 1986, in Yokota AFB, Japan ... Hometown is Niceville, Fla. ... Daughter of Pattie and Tim Brown ... Undecided in major ... Enjoys going to the beach and hanging out with friends ... Mia Hamm is a favorite sports personality ... Lists her mother as an influential personality.
Freshmen Jamie Craine and Anna Goolsby

**#18 Jamie Craine**  
*Freshman Defender*  
5-7 • Port Orange, Fla. • Spruce Creek HS

**HIGH SCHOOL**

Played and lettered for four seasons at Spruce Creek HS in Port Orange, Fla. ... Earned All-State second team ... Named Player of the Year for the Volusia/Flagler counties by the Orlando Sentinel ... Also named First Team for the Volusia/Flagler counties by the Daytona Beach News-Journal.

**PERSONAL**

Born Jamie Lee Craine on April 27, 1987, in Melbourne, Fla. ... Hometown is Port Orange, Fla. ... Daughter of Debra and Paul Craine ... Majoring in nursing ... Enjoys animals, working with children, and photography ... Dwayne Wade and Terrell Owens are favorite sports personalities.

**#24 Anna Goolsby**  
*Freshman Defender/Midfielder*  
5-7 • Evans, Ga. • Evans HS

**HIGH SCHOOL**

Played and started for four seasons at Evans HS in Evans, Ga. ... Awarded the offensive MVP in 2002 & 2003 for the two-time region runner-up Knights.

**PERSONAL**

Born Anna Marie Goolsby on March 30, 1986, in Augusta, Ga. ... Hometown is Evans, Ga. ... Daughter of Terri and Kenneth Goolsby ... Majoring in Education ... Would like to become a teacher after college ... Brother, Justin, played soccer at Mars Hill College ... Enjoys going to the beach or lake, shopping and watching movies ... David Beckham is a favorite sports personality.
Lisa Gray
Freshman Goalkeeper
5-11 • Savannah, Ga. • St. Vincent’s Academy

HIGH SCHOOL
Played and started for four seasons at St. Vincent’s Academy in Savannah, Ga. ... Earned first-team All-Area and All-Region four times as a goalkeeper ... Played for the three-time region champion Saints (2002/2003/2004) ... Earned All-Region basketball honors twice ... Lettered in both softball and cross country ... Hollis Stacy Award Recipient for 2005, awarded to the most versatile high school athlete in the Savannah area.

PERSONAL
Born Lisa Christine Gray on July 27, 1987, in Savannah, Ga. her hometown ... Undecided in major ... Daughter of Kelly and Stephen Gray ... Her brother, Bryan plays for the Morehead State University football team ... Enjoys running, playing basketball, going to the beach and loves making pottery and art ... Michael Jordan is a favorite sports personality.

Holly Grulich
Freshman Midfielder/Defender
5-6 • Tallahassee, Fla. • Auburn University

PREVIOUS COLLEGE
Attended Auburn University for one year and played on the Auburn women’s club soccer team ... Made the Dean’s List at Auburn as a freshman.

HIGH SCHOOL
Played for four seasons at Lawton Chiles HS in Tallahassee, Fla. ... Led the Timberwolves to a region championship as a senior ... Team Captain who was nominated for the Wendy’s High School Heisman award in 2003.

PERSONAL
Born Holly Renee Gruclich on September 23, 1985, in College Station, Texas ... Hometown is Tallahassee, Fl. ... Daughter of Lisa and John Chason ... Majoring in elementary education ... Would like to pursue a career as a child guidance counselor ... Enjoys church, running, tennis and playing the guitar ... Michelle Akers is a favorite sports personality ... Lists current President George W. Bush as an influential personality.
#7 Chelsea Kaiser  
**Freshman Defender**  
5-8 • Brunswick, Ga. • Frederica Academy

### HIGH SCHOOL
Played soccer for four seasons at Frederica Academy in St. Simons Island, Ga. ... Earned GISA All-Region honors all four years ... Named All-State her junior and senior years ... Also named to the All-Tournament team twice ... Played club soccer with AFC Lightning out of Atlanta ... High school teammate of fellow Pirate Jennifer Brian.

### PERSONAL
Born Chelsea Lynn Kaiser on May 11, 1987, in Northampton, Mass. ... Hometown is Brunswick, Ga. ... Daughter of Tracy and Ward Kaiser ... Majoring in art education ... Enjoys being involved with her church ... Trevor Hoffman, relief pitcher for the San Diego Padres is a favorite sports personality.

#15 Maggie Kennedy  
**Freshman Midfielder**  
5-5 • Abita Springs, La. • St. Scholastica

### HIGH SCHOOL
Played and started for four seasons at St. Scholastica Academy in Abita Springs, La. ... Earned honorable mention All-State honors in 2003 ... Two-time All-District player for the Louisiana state finalist Doves (2004/2005) ... Played club soccer for Mandeville and Baton Rouge, helping Mandeville win the Louisiana state cup in 2002 and Baton Rouge in 2005 ... Former member of the Louisiana Olympic Developmental Program state team.

### PERSONAL
Born Margaret Ashley Kennedy on November 23, 1986, in Monroe, La. ... Hometown is Abita Springs, La. ... Daughter of Robyn and Ben Kennedy ... Majoring in communications ... Would like to pursue a career in public relations or become a TV personality ... Enjoys being with friends, sleeping, eating and going to concerts ... Lists David Beckham, Michelle Akers and Tom Brady as favorite sports personalities.
Erin Lariscy

**#22**  
*Freshman Midfielder/Forward*  
5-3 • Savannah, Ga. • Calvary Baptist

**HIGH SCHOOL**

Played four seasons for Calvary Baptist in Savannah, Ga. ... Named Most Outstanding Player in 2004 ... Holds school record for most goals in career and season ... Also participated in volleyball for the Cavaliers ... Named All-Coastal Empire by the *Savannah Morning News* in 2003 and 2004 ... Served as co-captain in 2003 and 2004 ... Nominated for the Wendy’s High School Heisman award in 2004.

**PERSONAL**

Born Erin Lariscy on October 17, 1986, in Athens, Ga. ... Hometown is Savannah, Ga. ... Daughter of Barbara and Michael Lariscy ... Her father, Michael coached tennis at Armstrong Atlantic State for seven years and is the department head for Health and P.E. ... Undecided in major ... Enjoys drawing and reading.

Shana Neves

**#10**  
*Freshman Forward/Midfielder*  
5-7 • Milton, Fla. • Pace HS

**HIGH SCHOOL**

Played for four seasons at Pace HS in Pensacola, Fla. ... Was the area’s leading goal scorer as a junior and senior and scored 81 goals in her four-year career for the Patriots ... Two-time All-Region selection by the *Pensacola News-Journal* ... Played club soccer for Pensacola Futbol Club and Niceville Force ... Helped Niceville win the U19 Orange Classic championship in 2005.

**PERSONAL**

Born Shana Renee Neves on December 5, 1986, in Pace, Fla. ... Hometown is Milton, Fla. ... Daughter of Beth and Frank Neves ... Majoring in education ... Enjoys reading and watching movies ... Lists Ronaldo as a favorite sports personality.
## Nyisha Nelson

### Freshman Defender

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### High School

Played for four seasons at Luella HS ... Named Athlete of the Year in 2005 ... Earned All-Conference honors in 2005 ... Two-time All-County player as well for the Lions.

### Personal

Born Nyisha Judith Amanda Nelson on October 19, 1987, in St. Christiansted, St. Croix in the U.S. Virgin Islands ... Hometown is McDonough, Ga. ... Daughter of Ivy and Lindon Wilson ... Majoring in criminal justice ... Would like to pursue a career with the FBI after college ... Enjoys poetry, photography, music, cooking, shopping and reading ... Lists Ronaldinho, Maron Jones and Mia Hamm as favorite sports personalities.

## Aubrie Roberts

### Freshman Forward/Midfielder

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### High School

Played for four seasons at St. Vincent’s Academy in Savannah ... Captained the Saints to a semifinal appearance in 2005 ... Named to the Savannah Morning News All-Coastal Empire second team in 2005 ... Played club soccer with the Coastal Georgia Soccer Association ... High school teammate of current Pirate Lisa Gray.

### Personal

Born Aubrie Frances Roberts on August 11, 1987, in Savannah, Ga., her hometown. ... Daughter of Tom and Tiffany Roberts ... Majoring in physical therapy ... Would like to pursue a career in the travel industry after college ... Enjoys the outdoors ... David Beckham is a favorite sports personality.
Stricklen ranks ninth in Florida high school history with 113 goals scored
AASU Media Services

The Office of Sports Communications at Armstrong Atlantic State University thank you for your interest in AASU women’s soccer. Should you need any further assistance in covering the Pirates during the 2005 season, please do not hesitate to contact us:

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email: jacksoch@mail.armstrong.edu

Thanks again for your coverage of the Pirates throughout the season.

Chad Jackson
Director of Sports Communications

Press Area

There is no designated press area at the AASU Soccer Field, however arrangements can be made for working space for media in advance. Please contact Chad Jackson prior to a contest if you wish to utilise work space at the field during and after each game.

Photographers can not enter the field of play at any time during a competition, but are free to take shots up to ten minutes prior to game time. We ask that photographers stay at least three feet behind the end line and from directly behind the goals, but any other part of the AASU Soccer Field can be accessed for photographs during play.

Post-Game Interviews

The Armstrong Atlantic State women’s soccer players will be made available on the field at the conclusion of each match. Please remember that media members are not allowed on the field during play.

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WTOC-TV 11 (CBS)
Sports Director: Rick Snow
Phone: (912) 234-1111

WJCL-TV 22 (ABC) / WTGS-TV 28 (Fox)
Sports Director: Brady Pocsik
Phone: (912) 921-2222

Media Credentials

Media credentials for photo and press are not needed and seating for media members can be arranged in advance at center field. Requests for seating must be made in advance to Director of Sports Communications Chad Jackson via fax, email or phone at least two (2) days prior to each contest.

Pre-Game Interviews

Requests for interviews with Armstrong Atlantic State players and coaches should be directed to Director of Sports Communications Chad Jackson. Arrangements will be made for players to call media members if a phone interview is requested - it is the AASU Athletic Department policy not to publicize student-athlete’s home phone numbers.

Game Services

The Office of Sports Communications staff will furnish media representatives with game programs, pregame notes and statistics, in addition to final game statistics after the conclusion of each match.
2004 Peach Belt Conference In Review

2004 Peach Belt Conference Standings

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2004 PBC Statistical Leaders

- **Goals Scored**
  - Olaitan Yusuf, Clayton State: 35 (1st NCAA)
  - Nkiru Okosieme, Clayton State: 17 (22nd NCAA)
  - Ashley Fortune, Francis Marion: 15 (26th NCAA)
  - Janrica Finnberg, Lander: 13 (19th NCAA)
  - Katie Riley, Francis Marion: 13

- **Assists**
  - Jennifer Winslett, Clayton State: 13 (8th NCAA)
  - Ashley Fortune, Clayton State: 10 (14th NCAA)
  - Mollie Jones, Francis Marion: 9
  - Katie Riley, Francis Marion: 9

- **Points Scored**
  - Olaitan Yusuf, Clayton State: 74 (1st NCAA)
  - Nkiru Okosieme, Clayton State: 51 (2nd NCAA)
  - Ashley Fortune, Francis Marion: 40 (26th NCAA)
  - Katie Riley, Francis Marion: 35 (19th NCAA)
  - Janrica Finnberg, Lander: 32 (North Florida)

- **Shots**
  - Olaitan Yusuf, Clayton State: 35
  - Nkiru Okosieme, Clayton State: 75
  - Katie Riley, Francis Marion: 66
  - Ashley Fortune, Francis Marion: 58
  - Dawn Soule, USC Upstate: 51

- **Saves**
  - Michelle Parr, GC&SU: 127 (12th NCAA)
  - Katherine Duncan, Lander: 125 (7.35 (15th NCAA)
  - Shannon Hobbs, USC Aiken: 104
  - Judith Chime, Clayton State: 103
  - Megan Robey, Columbus State: 97

- **Goals Against Average**
  - Hillary Helms, UNC Pembroke: 0.45 (5th NCAA)
  - Heather Goossin, North Florida: 0.61 (9th NCAA)
  - Diana Wabnitz, USC Upstate: 0.73 (19th NCAA)
  - Jackie Bateman, Francis Marion: 1.07
  - Judith Chime, Clayton State: 1.28

2004 PBC Tournament Team

- Tessa Heer, North Florida: Katie Riley, Francis Marion
- Heather Goossin, North Florida: Dawn Soule, USC Upstate
- Courtney Forson, North Florida: Brittanee Gourinde, USC Upstate
- Judith Chime, Clayton State: Jamie Clarke, UNC Pembroke
- Olaitan Yusuf, Clayton State: Katherine Duncan, Lander
- Nkiru Okosieme, Clayton State: Amy Summerlin, Columbus State
- Cyprian Gillingham, Francis Marion: Michelle Parr, GC&SU

Most Valuable Player: Nicole Handy, North Florida

2004 PBC Player of the Week

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2005 PBC Composite Schedule

**AUGUST**

25 Armstrong Atlantic State at West Georgia 5:00
26 North Georgia vs. Lenoir-Rhyne 2:00
Columbus State at Eckerd 7:00
Belmont Abbey at GCSU 7:00
USC Upstate at Metro State 7:00
27 Armstrong Atlantic vs. Christian Bros. Clayton State at Newberry 2:00
Lander at Anderson 2:00
Pfeiffer at UNC Pembroke 4:00
28 Columbus State at Tampa 1:00
USC Upstate at Colorado School of Mines 2:00
GC&SU at Montevallo 2:00
North Georgia at Mars Hill 7:00
30 Armstrong Atlantic State at Presbyterian 7:00
Lenoir-Rhyne at USC Upstate 7:00
31 Erskine at Lander 5:00

**SEPTEMBER**

1 Anderson at USC Aiken 5:00
2 West Georgia at Columbus State 5:00
USC Upstate vs. Angelo State 6:00
Clayton State at Presbyterian 2:00
Limestone at Lander 5:00
4 USC Upstate vs Barry 12:00
Lincoln Memorial at Columbus State 2:00
6 USC Aiken at St. Andrews 2:00
SCAD at Armstrong Atlantic State 5:00
Catawba at UNC Pembroke 7:00
7 Columbus State at Thomas 4:00
9 Alabama-Huntsville at Columbus State 3:00
Armstrong Atlantic State at Saint Leo 4:00
Clayton State at Tusculum 8:00
10 GC&SU at Newberry 2:00
Lander at Wingate 2:00
Limestone at UNC Pembroke 3:30
North Georgia at USC Upstate 4:00
11 Armstrong Atlantic State at Rollins 1:00
Carson-Newman at Clayton State 2:00
12 McMurry at USC Aiken 7:00
13 UNC Pembroke at Coker 5:00
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**OCTOBER**

1 USC Aiken at Columbus State 1:00
Lander at Francis Marion 1:00
North Georgia at UNC Pembroke 1:00
Armstrong Atlantic State at Clayton State 7:00
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Erskine at Armstrong Atlantic State 4:00
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**NOVEMBER**

Peach Belt Tournament
Nov. 1 First Round (at higher seed) TBA
Nov. 4-5 Finals (hosted by highest remaining seed) TBA
Nov. 11 NCAA Regionals - First Round TBA
Nov. 13 NCAA Regionals - Second Round TBA

AASU hosts Lander in its first PBC match on Sat., Sept. 17 at 4:00 p.m.
AASU has seven home games in its inaugural season in 2005.

**2005 West Georgia Invitational**

**Thursday, August 25**
3 p.m. Florida Southern vs. Christian Brothers
5 p.m. AASU vs. West Georgia

**Saturday, August 27**
1 p.m. AASU vs. Christian Brothers
3 p.m. Florida Southern vs. West Georgia
**Clayton State**

@ Sat., Oct. 1 7:00 p.m.

**Location:** Morrow, GA  
**Enrollment:** 6,000  
**Nickname:** Lakers  
**Colors:** Blue and Orange  
**2004 Record:** 13-6-1  
**Peach Belt:** 4-3-1 / 4th  
**Starters Returning/Lost:** 9/2  
**Letterwinners Ret/Lost:** 11/7  
**Top Returners:**  
  F Olaitan Yusuf  
  M/F Jennifer Winslett  
  GK Judith Chime  
**Head Coach:** Totty Totty  
**Overall Record:** 60-60-9 (7)  
**Record at CSU:** 60-60-9 (7)  
**Assistant Coaches:** John Hemphill, Jenny Gilmore, Jocelyn Okoro  
**Phone:** (770) 960-4261  
**SID:** Gid Rowell  
**Phone:** (770) 960-4319  
**Fax:** (770) 960-5127  
**Web:** [athletics.clayton.edu](http://www.athletics.clayton.edu)

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**Columbus State**

Fri., Oct. 21 4:00 p.m.

**Location:** Columbus, GA  
**Enrollment:** 7,000  
**Nickname:** Cougars  
**Colors:** Red, White & Blue  
**2004 Record:** 3-9-5  
**Peach Belt:** 1-4-3 / 7th  
**Starters Returning/Lost:** 6/5  
**Letterwinners Ret/Lost:** 12/10  
**Top Returners:**  
  F Alison Riley  
  D Megan Honig  
  M Hannah Ospina  
**Head Coach:** Jay Entlich  
**Overall Record:** 26-24-5 (3)  
**Record at CSU:** 3-9-5 (1)  
**Assistant Coach:** Ryan Crabbe  
**Phone:** (706) 568-2446  
**SID:** Mike Peacock  
**Phone:** (706) 569-3434  
**Fax:** (706) 569-2594  
**Web:** [cougarsports.colstate.edu](http://www.cougarsports.colstate.edu)

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**Lander**

Sat., Sept. 17 4:00 p.m.

**Location:** Greenwood, SC  
**Enrollment:** 2,900  
**Nickname:** Lady Bearcats  
**Colors:** Royal Blue and Gold  
**2004 Record:** 6-7-4  
**Peach Belt:** 1-4-3 / 7th  
**Starters Returning/Lost:** 10/1  
**Letterwinners Ret/Lost:** 12/3  
**Top Returners:**  
  F Jennica Finberg  
  M Ali Linnemann  
  M Elise Goldy  
**Head Coach:** Van Taylor  
**Overall Record:** 6-7-4 (1)  
**Record at LU:** 6-7-4 (1)  
**Assistant Coach:** Paul Dodd  
**Phone:** (864) 388-8921  
**SID:** Bob Stoner  
**Phone:** (864) 388-8962  
**Fax:** (864) 388-8999  
**Web:** [www.landerbearcats.com](http://www.landerbearcats.com)

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**GC&SU**

@ Sat., Oct. 29 7:00 p.m.

**Location:** Milledgeville, GA  
**Enrollment:** 5,100  
**Nickname:** Bobcats  
**Colors:** Green and Blue  
**2004 Record:** 5-10-2  
**Peach Belt:** 1-5-2 / 8th  
**Starters Returning/Lost:** 10/1  
**Letterwinners Ret/Lost:** 16/6  
**Top Returners:**  
  F Britni Emerson  
  D/F Tami Pissott  
  GK Michelle Parr  
**Head Coach:** Robert Parr  
**Overall Record:** 5-10-2 (1)  
**Record at GSU:** 5-10-2 (1)  
**Assistant Coaches:** None  
**Phone:** (478) 445-4011  
**SID:** Brad Muller  
**Phone:** (478) 445-1779  
**Fax:** (478) 445-1790  
**Web:** [www.gcsu.edu](http://www.gcsu.edu)

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**UNC Pembroke**

@ Wed, Oct. 12 5:00 p.m.

**Location:** Pembroke, NC  
**Enrollment:** 5,000  
**Nickname:** Braves  
**Colors:** Black and Gold  
**2004 Record:** 12-5-2  
**Peach Belt:** 3-3-2 / 5th  
**Starters Returning/Lost:** 7/4  
**Letterwinners Ret/Lost:** 14/8  
**Top Returners:**  
  M Jamie Clarke  
  F Katie Stokes  
  M/F Yasemin Sunbul  
**Head Coach:** Lars Andersson  
**Overall Record:** 36-30-4 (4)  
**Record at UNCP:** 36-30-4 (4)  
**Assistant Coach:** Anna Baker  
**Phone:** (910) 521-6442  
**SID:** Kevin Rhodes  
**Phone:** (910) 521-6371  
**Fax:** (910) 521-6551  
**Web:** [www.uncp.edu](http://www.uncp.edu)

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**North Georgia**

@ Sat., Oct. 8 7:00 p.m.

**Location:** Dahlonega, GA  
**Enrollment:** 4,600  
**Nickname:** Lady Saints  
**Colors:** Blue and White  
**2004 Record:** 12-8-2  
**Peach Belt:** Did Not Compete  
**Starters Returning/Lost:** 8/3  
**Letterwinners Ret/Lost:** 10/9  
**Top Returners:**  
  M Brittany Bruher  
  M Brittany Peck  
  D Sarah Hales  
**Head Coach:** Chris Adams  
**Overall Record:** 20-16-4 (2)  
**Record at NGA:** 20-16-4 (2)  
**Assistant Coaches:**  
  Ceilidh Beck  
**Phone:** (706) 867-2849  
**SID:** Chris Busby  
**Phone:** (706) 867-3250  
**Fax:** (706) 867-2865  
**Web:** [www.ngcsu.edu](http://www.ngcsu.edu)

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**USC Aiken**

Sat., Oct. 8 7:00 p.m.

**Location:** Aiken, SC  
**Enrollment:** 3,390  
**Nickname:** Lady Pacers  
**Colors:** Cardinal, Navy & White  
**2004 Record:** 2-12-2  
**Peach Belt:** 1-7 / 9th  
**Starters Returning/Lost:** 7/4  
**Letterwinners Ret/Lost:** 10/7  
**Top Returners:**  
  M Natasha DaCosta  
  F Melanie Byars  
  M Melissa Schnoering  
**Head Coach:** Susan Vodicka  
**Overall Record:** 20-16-4 (2)  
**Record at USC:** 20-16-4 (2)  
**Assistant Coaches:** Anya Heminger  
**Phone:** (803) 641-2651  
**SID:** Brad Fields  
**Phone:** (803) 641-3252  
**Fax:** (803) 641-3759  
**Web:** [www.pacersports.com](http://www.pacersports.com)

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**USC Upstate**

@ Tues., Oct. 18 7:00 p.m.

**Location:** Spartanburg, SC  
**Enrollment:** 4,500  
**Nickname:** Spartans  
**Colors:** Green, White & Black  
**2004 Record:** 12-2-3  
**Peach Belt:** 6-1-1 / 2nd  
**Starters Returning/Lost:** 6/5  
**Letterwinners Ret/Lost:** 8/9  
**Top Returners:**  
  D Veronica Lewis  
  F Brittany Gourdine  
  GK Diana Wabnitz  
**Head Coach:** Kendall Reyes  
**Overall Record:** 68-53-11 (7)  
**Record at SCU:** 53-33-9 (5)  
**Assistant Coach:** Solomon Nakom  
**Phone:** (864) 503-5128  
**SID:** Bill English  
**Phone:** (864) 503-5129  
**Fax:** (864) 503-5127  
**Web:** [www.uscupstate.edu](http://www.uscupstate.edu)

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**The Peach Belt has nine schools that compete in DII women’s soccer**
AASU athletic teams benefit from the fine athletic training staff, headed by medical director Dr. Spencer Wheeler and head athletic trainer Stacey Foust. AASU’s training room, part of the Armstrong Sports Center, sits adjacent to the fitness center and across the hall from the Pirate locker rooms. The room offers the most modern and advanced equipment to help players deal with injuries and rehabilitation.

Training Center Administration

**Dr. Spencer Wheeler**
*Team Physician*

Dr. Spencer Wheeler is the medical director and team physician for Armstrong Atlantic’s athletic teams. Dr. Wheeler completed his medical school training at the Medical College of Georgia in 1985, and his orthopaedic training at the University of Florida. Wheeler served two sports medicine fellowships; one at Johns Hopkins Institute and one in Sydney, Australia. Dr. Wheeler served as the head of athletic care in Atlanta for the 1996 Summer Olympics.

**Stacey Foust, ATC, MMSM**
*Head Athletic Trainer*

Stacey Foust begins her second season as the head athletic trainer at AASU. A member of the National Athletic Trainer's Association and the Pennsylvania Athletic Trainers Society, Foust graduated from Messiah College with her bachelor's of arts degree in athletic training in May of 2003 and completed her master's degree in sports medicine from Armstrong Atlantic State in 2005.

Foust worked on the AASU staff in 2003-04 as a graduate assistant and has also worked at the Penn State Milton S. Hershey Medical Center in Hershey, Pa., as well as her work as a student assistant at Messiah College in Grantham, Pa. She has also assisted at the Boston Marathon and at the Special Olympics.

**Rusty White**
*Graduate Assistant Athletic Trainer*

Rusty White is in his second season as a Graduate Assistant in the AASU Athletic Training Department. A member of the National Athletic Trainer's Association and the National Strength and Conditioning Association, White graduated from Wingate University with his bachelor's of science degree in athletic training in May of 2003. He is currently pursuing his his master's degree in sports medicine, as well as his graduate certificate in strength and conditioning. White also spent the summer of 2005 interning for the Savannah Sand Gnats, the local "A" affiliate of the Washington Nationals.
Historic Savannah, Georgia, is located on the Atlantic Coast, at the confluence of the Savannah River and the Atlantic Ocean. Throughout its history, there has been one adjective consistently used to describe Savannah: beautiful.

The reason? There’s something about the unique beauty of Savannah that cannot be forgotten. Streets with canopies of moss-laden trees are honored venues for scores of historic homes. The town squares that Savannah’s founding father, James Oglethorpe, laid out as public meeting places are now treasured “pocket parks” located throughout the downtown area.

A renovated waterfront area serves as the hub for shopping and entertainment. Nearby sandy beaches draw streams of visitors with persistent cool breezes and the endless lure of the rolling sea. Finally, there’s an indescribable - but readily discernible - feeling in the air that pervades Savannah, a kind of “laid back” approach to the world, a “rootedness” that makes living or working in Savannah an experience second to none.

By way of affirmation, Le Monde, the leading French newspaper, called Savannah “the most beautiful city in North America.”

Savannah has recently captured the imagination of a nation through its history and its appearance in several feature films, including “Glory,” “Forrest Gump,” “Something to Talk About,” “Midnight In The Garden of Good and Evil” and the 2000 hit film “The Legend of Bagger Vance,” starring Will Smith and Matt Damon. Also, Savannah hosted the yachting events of the 1996 Summer Olympics and most recently served as the media home for the G-8 Summit. As a result, tourism has become one of the leading industries in the area.

Savannah hosts over six million tourists each year. Tourism impacts the Savannah area by more than $634 million. The city boasts over 7,000 rooms and more than 100 restaurants as folks have learned that Savannah is more than just a convenient rest stop on the interstate to Florida.

The climate of Savannah features warm, and sometimes hot, weather for most of the year. There are seven months in which the average temperature is 70 degrees or higher. The lowest average high is in January at 60.3 degrees.

The population in Savannah is roughly 130,000 and Chatham County is the fifth most populous county in the state of Georgia.

Savannah also sits centrally located to some of the Southeast’s finest beaches. Tybee Island, located less than 30 minutes from Armstrong Atlantic State’s campus, offers six miles of unspoiled sands, tempting seafood and gracious accommodations. Resort areas such as Hilton Head, South Carolina, are less than one hour away and provide even more relaxing getaway options.

Whether it’s the lure of historic settings, the friendliness of a Southern community or the beautiful climate of southeast Georgia, Savannah is the place for you.
## 2005 Armstrong Atlantic State University
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