

# NEW YORK LIBERTY GAME NOTES

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## 2020 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

### JULY

#### REGULAR SEASON

SAT. 25 SEATTLE L, 87-71  
WED. 29 AT DALLAS L, 93-80  
FRI. 31 AT ATLANTA L, 84-78

### AUGUST

SUN. 2 PHOENIX L, 96-67  
WED. 5 MINNESOTA L, 92-66  
FRI. 7 AT WASHINGTON W, 74-66  
SUN. 9 LAS VEGAS L, 78-76  
TUE. 11 AT LOS ANGELES L, 93-78  
THU. 13 INDIANA L, 86-76  
SAT. 15 AT MINNESOTA L, 94-64  
TUE. 18 AT SEATTLE 10:00 PM  
THU. 20 CHICAGO 7:00 PM  
SAT. 22 AT CONNECTICUT 7:00 PM  
TUE. 25 AT CHICAGO 7:00 PM  
THU. 27 DALLAS 8:00 PM  
SAT. 29 AT LAS VEGAS 4:00 PM

### SEPTEMBER

TUE. 1 CONNECTICUT 7:00 PM  
THU. 3 ATLANTA 7:00 PM  
SAT. 5 AT PHOENIX 8:00 PM  
TUE. 8 LOS ANGELES 7:00 PM  
THU. 10 AT INDIANA 7:00 PM  
SAT. 12 WASHINGTON 4:00 PM

ALL TIMES LOCAL

## PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

PLAYER	PRONUNCIATION/EXAMPLE
Layshia Clarendon	LAY-shuh CLAIR-en-dun
Sabrina Ionescu	yo-NESS-coo
Paris Kea	KEY
Kia Nurse	KEY-uh
Leaonna Odom	Lee-AH-nah
Kylee Shook	"We SHOOK hands ... pre-COVID"
Kiah Stokes	KEY-uh
Amanda Zahui B	Zow-eee

## RECENT TRANSACTIONS

### Paris Kea, Signed

(August 8, 2020)

### Asia Durr, Opt Out, Medical Exemption

(July 7, 2020)

### Joyner Holmes, Signed

(June 26, 2020)

### Rebecca Allen, Opt Out

(June 25, 2020)

### Han Xu, Marine Johannes, Opt Out

(May 26, 2020)

## WHO'S NEXT? >>>

## GAME 11: NEW YORK LIBERTY VS. SEATTLE STORM AWAY GAME #6



NEW YORK LIBERTY (1-9)

VS.

SEATTLE STORM (10-1)

Tuesday, August 18 • 10 PM ET

Bradenton, Fla., Home of IMG Academy



## 2019 RESULTS VS. OPPONENT (1-2)

7/3/19.....at Seattle.....W, 84-83  
7/14/19.....at Seattle.....L, 69-78  
8/11/19.....at New York.....L, 69-84

## INJURY REPORT:

Sabrina Ionescu - OUT (Left Ankle Sprain)

2020	PPG	OPP. PPG	FG%	OPP FG%	3PT%	OPP 3PT%	FT%	RPG	APG	STL	TO	BLK
NY	73.3	86.9	36.7	46.1	29.6	38.0	82.2	34.7	14.3	6.1	18.3	4.1
MIN	86.4	73.3	47.6	38.7	42.0	30.0	78.3	34.8	16.6	8.1	16.4	4.2

## PROBABLE STARTERS

NO.	NAME	MIN	PPG	FG%	3PT%	RPG	APG
0	Leaonna Odom, 6-2, SF DUKE, Rookie Season	21.2	5.2	55.9	40.40	2.2	0.4
41	Kiah Stokes, 6-3, PF UCONN, 5th Season	27.8	4.6	34.6	25.7	7.1	1.4
17	Amanda Zahui B, 6-5, C MINNESOTA, 6th Season	25.5	10.1	39.3	43.1	8.5	1.5
5	Kia Nurse, 6-0, SG UCONN, 3rd Season	23.8	9.9	19.6	20.0	1.9	1.7
7	Layshia Clarendon, 5-9, PG CALIFORNIA, 7th Season	29.0	13.3	47.9	39.1	2.8	4.5

## LIBERTY RESERVES

NO.	NAME	POS	HT	COLLEGE	PPG	MPG
10	Joyner Holmes	Forward	6-3	TEXAS	3.0	9.4
20	Sabrina Ionescu	Guard	5-11	OREGON	26.7	18.3
4	Jazmine Jones	Guard	6-0	LOUISVILLE	9.8	19.0
24	Kylee Shook	Forward	6-4	LOUISVILLE	4.8	15.3
3	Megan Walker	Forward	6-1	UCONN	4.2	11.8
13	Jocelyn Willoughby	Forward/Guard	6-0	VIRGINIA	5.4	16.5
22	Paris Kea	Guard	5-9	NORTH CAROLINA	---	---

## LIBERTY 2020 RECORD BREAKDOWN

2020	RECORD	HOME	AWAY	OT
OVERALL	1-9	0-5	1-4	0-0
EASTERN	1-2	0-1	1-1	0-0
WESTERN	0-7	0-4	0-3	0-0

## New York Liberty vs. Chicago Sky

Thursday, August 20, 7 PM ET (CBSSN, YES, Fox Sports Go)

## 2020 NEW YORK LIBERTY ROSTER

### ALPHABETICAL

No.	Name	Pos	Ht.	Wt.	DOB	EXP	College/Country
7	Layshia Clarendon	G	5-9	158	05/02/1991	7	California
10	Joyner Holmes	F	6-3	200	02/22/1998	R	Texas
20	Sabrina Ionescu	G	5-11	165	12/06/1997	R	Oregon
4	Jazmine Jones	G	6-0	160	10/15/1996	R	Louisville
22	Paris Kea	G	5-9	142	04/07/1996	1	North Carolina
5	Kia Nurse	G	6-0	168	02/22/1996	2	Connecticut/Canada
0	Leaonna Odom	F	6-2	168	03/26/1998	R	Duke
21	Kylee Shook	F	6-4	200	03/18/1998	R	Louisville
41	Kiah Stokes	C	6-3	191	03/30/1993	4	Connecticut
3	Megan Walker	F	6-1	175	11/23/1998	R	Connecticut
13	Jocelyn Willoughby	F-G	6-0	180	03/25/1998	R	Virginia
17	Amanda Zahui B.	C	6-5	184	09/08/1993	5	Minnesota/Sweden

**General Manager**

Jonathan Kolb

**Head Coach**

Walt Hopkins

**Assistant Coach**

Shelley Patterson

**Assistant Coach**

Kelly Raimon

**Assistant Coach**

Dustin Gray

**Head Athletic Trainer**

Theresa Acosta

### NUMERICAL

No.	Name	Pos	Ht.	Wt.	DOB	EXP	College/Country
0	Leaonna Odom	F	6-2	168	03/26/1998	R	Duke
3	Megan Walker	F	6-1	175	11/23/1998	R	Connecticut
4	Jazmine Jones	G	6-0	160	10/15/1996	R	Louisville
5	Kia Nurse	G	6-0	168	02/22/1996	2	Connecticut/Canada
7	Layshia Clarendon	G	5-9	158	05/02/1991	7	California
10	Joyner Holmes	F	6-3	200	02/22/1998	R	Texas
13	Jocelyn Willoughby	F-G	6-0	180	03/25/1998	R	Virginia
17	Amanda Zahui B.	C	6-5	184	09/08/1993	5	Minnesota/Sweden
20	Sabrina Ionescu	G	5-11	165	12/06/1997	R	Oregon
22	Paris Kea	G	5-9	142	04/07/1996	1	North Carolina
24	Kylee Shook	F	6-4	200	03/18/1998	R	Louisville
41	Kiah Stokes	C	6-3	191	03/30/1993	4	Connecticut

**ROSTER BREAKDOWN:** The Liberty ranks as the 2nd-youngest team in the league (behind only Dallas) in terms of the average age of its current 12-player roster and is 1st in average years of WNBA experience with seven rookies. New York return two of 12 players from last year's final roster giving the team the lowest retention rate of 2020.

Team	Return	Age	Exp	Team	Avg Age
Seattle	7	29.16	5.92	Seattle Storm	29.17
Washington	7	28.45	4.82	Washington Mystics	28.72
Los Angeles	6	28.27	5.42	Las Vegas Aces	28.59
Las Vegas	7	28.16	5.27	Phoenix Mercury	28.52
Phoenix	5	28.14	5.30	Los Angeles Sparks	28.29
Connecticut	6	27.73	4.58	Connecticut Sun	27.74
Chicago	8	27.39	4.67	Chicago Sky	27.4
Minnesota	5	26.23	3.50	Minnesota Lynx	27.28
Indiana	8	25.85	2.92	Indiana Fever	25.86
Atlanta	2	25.69	3.08	Atlanta Dream	25.7
Dallas	5	24.4	1.75	<b>New York Liberty</b>	<b>24.47</b>
<b>New York</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>24.47</b>	<b>1.64</b>	Dallas Wings	24.44
WNBA Avg	5.67	26.95	4.06		

# LIBERTY LAST TIME OUT

## WOMEN'S NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

## OFFICIAL SCORER'S REPORT FINAL BOX

Saturday, August 15, 2020 WNBA Court 2, Bradenton, FL  
 Officials: #2 Tiffany Bird, #23 Jeff Wooten, #45 Tom Mauer

Game Duration: 1:59  
 Attendance: Not Yet Counted

### VISITOR: New York Liberty (1-9)

	POS	MIN	FG	FGA	3P	3PA	FT	FTA	OR	DR	TOT	A	PF	ST	TO	BS	+/-	PTS	
0 Leonna Odom	F	18:19	3	7	0	0	2	2	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	-14	8	
41 Kiah Stokes	F	16:01	1	2	1	2	0	0	0	3	3	0	1	0	1	0	-16	3	
17 Amanda Zahui B	C	22:42	2	7	1	3	0	0	1	7	8	1	4	1	4	3	-16	5	
5 Kia Nurse	G	23:28	0	9	0	3	4	6	1	2	3	3	1	1	2	0	-21	4	
7 Layshia Clarendon	G	21:11	1	3	0	1	6	6	0	2	2	2	3	2	2	0	-13	8	
4 Jazmine Jones		21:05	4	12	1	3	4	6	2	2	4	2	5	0	0	0	-17	13	
24 Kylee Shook		23:59	4	9	1	2	0	0	1	2	3	0	2	0	2	1	-14	9	
3 Megan Walker		19:25	2	5	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	-16	6	
10 Joyner Holmes		17:18	1	6	0	2	0	0	3	2	5	2	0	1	3	0	-14	2	
13 Jocelyn Willoughby		16:32	2	6	0	2	2	2	0	2	2	1	2	1	2	0	-9	6	
25 Asia Durr	NWT - Not With Team - Medical Exemption																		
20 Sabrina Ionescu	NWT - Not With Team - Ankle sprain																		
22 Paris Kea	NWT - Not With Team																		
			200:00	20	66	6	22	18	22	9	22	31	12	20	6	19	4	-30	64
				30.3%		27.3%		81.8%											
										TM REB: 12	TOT TO: 20 (25 PTS)								

### HOME: MINNESOTA LYNX (7-3)

	POS	MIN	FG	FGA	3P	3PA	FT	FTA	OR	DR	TOT	A	PF	ST	TO	BS	+/-	PTS	
6 Bridget Carleton	F	28:49	1	4	0	1	3	4	1	3	4	1	2	1	3	0	19	5	
24 Napheesa Collier	F	30:36	8	15	2	3	8	9	1	12	13	5	2	2	4	2	20	26	
12 Damiris Dantas	C	22:58	4	7	1	2	1	1	1	2	3	4	3	1	1	2	12	10	
4 Lexie Brown	G	37:29	5	11	1	3	0	0	0	4	4	4	3	5	2	0	23	11	
2 Crystal Dangerfield	G	28:45	9	12	1	2	3	3	0	1	1	4	1	0	1	0	28	22	
1 Odyssey Sims		13:46	1	10	0	0	1	1	2	2	4	5	4	0	2	0	9	3	
40 Kayla Alexander		09:49	2	3	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	1	2	0	2	0	6	4	
42 Shenise Johnson		06:02	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	1	0	0	0	4	0	
22 Erica McCall		10:28	1	3	0	0	0	0	1	2	3	0	4	3	1	0	16	2	
21 Mikiah Herbert Harrigan		11:18	5	6	1	2	0	0	1	1	2	0	2	0	0	0	13	11	
15 Rachel Banham	DND - Injury/Illness - Hamstring																		
34 Sylvia Fowles	DND - Injury/Illness - Calf																		
			200:00	36	71	6	13	16	18	8	31	39	24	24	12	16	4	30	94
				50.7%		46.2%		88.9%											
										TM REB: 5	TOT TO: 16 (5 PTS)								

SCORE BY PERIOD	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Liberty	20	13	16	15	64
LYNX	25	17	26	26	94

Inactive: Liberty -  
 Inactive: Lynx -  
 Points in the Paint: Liberty 22 (11/33), LYNX 40 (20/41) Biggest Lead: Liberty 2, LYNX 30  
 2nd Chance Points: Liberty 4 (1/9), LYNX 4 (1/7) Lead Changes: 4  
 Fast Break Points: Liberty 4 (2/3), LYNX 3 (1/3) Times Tied: 4

Technical fouls - Individual  
 Liberty (1): Jones 3:27 2nd  
 LYNX (0): NONE

## OPPONENT RECAP

# SEATTLE STORM

### 2019 RECAP

Record.....18-16  
 Home.....11-6  
 Road.....7-10  
 Finish.....3rd in the West  
 Playoffs.....Lost in 2nd round to LA

### RECENT MATCHUPS

7/3/19.....at Seattle.....W, 84-83  
 7/14/19.....at Seattle.....L, 69-78  
 8/11/19.....at New York.....L, 69-84

### 2020 SCHEDULE

7/25/20.....at New York.....L, 87-71  
 8/4/19.....at Seattle.....10 PM

### LIBERTY HISTORY VS. STORM

All-Time Record.....20-22  
 Home.....11-10  
 Away.....9-12  
 Overtime.....1-0  
 Postseason.....0-0

### LIBERTY

Most Points.....94 at New York (6/11/17)  
 Fewest Points.....53 at Seattle (7/1/07)  
 Largest Victory.....23 (78-55) at Seattle (7/19/00)  
 Individual Points.....30, Tina Charles at Seattle (7/21/15)

### STORM

Most Points.....102 at New York (9/7/16)  
 Fewest Points.....53 at New York (7/11/01)  
 Largest Victory.....37 (91-54) at New York (7/22/06)  
 Individual Points.....33, Lauren Jackson at Seattle (7/3/08)

## ROSTER

NUM	PLAYER	POS	HT	WEIGHT	DOB	EXP	FROM
10	Sue Bird	G	5-9 ft	150 lbs	OCTOBER 16, 1980	16 yrs	CONNECTICUT/USA
21	Jordin Canada	G	5-6 ft	135 lbs	AUGUST 11, 1995	2 yrs	UCLA/USA
32	Alysha Clark	F	5-11 ft	167 lbs	JULY 7, 1987	8 yrs	MID. TENN. ST./USA
6	Natasha Howard	F	6-2 ft	165 lbs	SEPTEMBER 2, 1991	6 yrs	FLORIDA STATE/USA
1	Crystal Langhorne	F-C	6-2 ft	185 lbs	OCTOBER 27, 1986	12 yrs	MARYLAND/USA
24	Jewell Loyd	G	5-10 ft	148 lbs	OCTOBER 5, 1993	5 yrs	NOTRE DAME/USA
0	Ezi Magbegor	C	6-4 ft	176 lbs	AUGUST 13, 1999	R	AUSTRALIA
11	Epiphanny Prince	G	5-9 ft	179 lbs	JANUARY 11, 1988	10 yrs	RUTGERS/USA
2	Mercedes Russell	C	6-6 ft	195 lbs	JULY 27, 1995	2 yrs	TENNESSEE/USA
30	Breanna Stewart	F	6-4 ft	170 lbs	AUGUST 27, 1994	3 yrs	CONNECTICUT/USA
3	Morgan Tuck	F	6-2 ft	207 lbs	APRIL 30, 1994	4 yrs	CONNECTICUT/USA
33	Sami Whitcomb	G	5-10 ft	145 lbs	JULY 20, 1988	3 yrs	WASHINGTON/USA

**Head Coach:** Gary Kloppenburg

**Associate Head Coach:** Noelle Quinn

**Assistant Coach:** Ryan Webb

# OPPONENT LAST TIME OUT

## WOMEN'S NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

## OFFICIAL SCORER'S REPORT FINAL BOX

Sunday, August 16, 2020 WNBA Court 2, Bradenton, FL

Officials: #55 Eric Brewton, #9 Tim Greene, #15 Fatou Cissoko-Stephens

Game Duration: 1:49  
Attendance: Not Yet Counted

### VISITOR: Seattle Storm (10-1)

	POS	MIN	FG	FGA	3P	3PA	FT	FTA	OR	DR	TOT	A	PF	ST	TO	BS	+/-	PTS	
32 Alysha Clark	F	24:54	2	5	2	3	0	0	0	1	1	4	1	0	0	0	17	6	
30 Breanna Stewart	F	26:07	7	9	3	5	2	2	0	5	5	3	2	0	2	2	20	19	
6 Natasha Howard	C	22:10	5	5	0	0	2	3	4	7	11	2	1	3	3	2	15	12	
24 Jewell Loyd	G	25:11	5	11	1	3	0	1	0	2	2	5	1	0	1	0	10	11	
10 Sue Bird	G	27:43	5	11	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	2	0	17	13	
13 Ezi Magbegor		12:08	3	7	0	0	2	2	1	2	3	0	3	0	0	0	3	8	
2 Mercedes Russell		14:31	2	4	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	6	4	
21 Jordin Canada		19:58	4	7	0	1	0	0	0	4	4	4	2	1	1	0	16	8	
33 Sami Whitcomb		19:21	4	6	4	5	2	2	0	3	3	3	1	0	2	0	9	14	
1 Crystal Langhorne		07:57	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	
11 Epiphanny Prince		DNP - Coach's decision																	
3 Morgan Tuck		DND - Injury/Illness - Right Knee																	
			200:00	37	65	13	23	8	12	5	27	32	25	12	5	11	5	23	95
				56.9%		56.5%		66.7%		TM REB: 4		TOT TO: 12 (10 PTS)							

### HOME: CONNECTICUT SUN (4-7)

	POS	MIN	FG	FGA	3P	3PA	FT	FTA	OR	DR	TOT	A	PF	ST	TO	BS	+/-	PTS	
24 DeWanna Bonner	F	26:01	4	13	0	3	5	6	1	7	8	2	0	0	1	0	-17	13	
25 Alyssa Thomas	F	22:48	2	7	0	0	1	4	0	4	4	6	1	0	2	0	-7	5	
42 Brianna Jones	C	22:34	5	11	0	0	2	2	7	4	11	0	1	1	3	0	-10	12	
3 Kaila Charles	G	16:01	0	3	0	1	0	0	4	0	4	2	1	2	1	0	-8	0	
5 Jasmine Thomas	G	22:23	8	13	0	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	-6	17	
20 Briann January		18:22	1	4	1	2	0	0	0	1	1	3	3	1	1	0	-10	3	
1 Beatrice Mompremier		17:26	0	4	0	0	0	0	2	2	4	0	2	0	1	2	-13	0	
2 Natisha Hiedeman		17:37	1	5	0	3	4	4	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	-17	6	
32 Bria Holmes		17:48	3	8	0	3	0	0	2	3	5	1	0	0	1	0	-15	6	
23 Kaleena Mosqueda-Lewis		10:00	2	6	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-8	5	
55 Theresa Plaisance		05:37	1	2	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	-5	3	
88 Jacki Gemelos		03:23	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	2	
			200:00	28	77	3	20	13	17	16	23	39	15	11	6	11	2	-23	72
				36.4%		15%		76.5%		TM REB: 10		TOT TO: 12 (18 PTS)							

SCORE BY PERIOD	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Storm	21	21	27	26	95
SUN	16	17	21	18	72

Inactive: Storm -

Inactive: Sun -

Points in the Paint: Storm 38 (19/27), SUN 30 (15/39) Biggest Lead: Storm 27, SUN 0

2nd Chance Points: Storm 6 (3/5), SUN 17 (6/17) Lead Changes: 0

Fast Break Points: Storm 2 (1/1), SUN 6 (3/5) Times Tied: 2

Technical fouls - Individual

Storm (0): NONE

SUN (1): Bonner 7:42 3rd

# RECENT BOX SCORES VS. SEATTLE

## WOMEN'S NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

## OFFICIAL SCORER'S REPORT FINAL BOX

Saturday, July 25, 2020 WNBA Court 2, Bradenton, FL  
 Officials: #13 Cheryl Flores, #16 Isaac Barnett, #10 Ashley Gilpin

Game Duration: 1:53  
 Attendance: Not Yet Counted

### VISITOR: Seattle Storm (1-0)

	POS	MIN	FG	FGA	3P	3PA	FT	FTA	OR	DR	TOT	A	PF	ST	TO	BS	+/-	PTS	
32 Alysha Clark	F	26:52	2	5	0	1	0	0	1	5	6	4	2	3	0	1	13	4	
6 Natasha Howard	F	19:39	3	7	0	0	0	0	3	4	7	0	2	2	3	1	12	6	
30 Breanna Stewart	C	28:05	6	12	2	4	4	5	1	7	8	2	2	4	5	0	17	18	
24 Jewell Loyd	G	23:02	5	9	1	4	3	3	0	2	2	2	0	0	3	1	0	20	14
10 Sue Bird	G	19:27	4	11	3	5	0	0	0	2	2	5	3	1	0	0	10	11	
2 Mercedes Russell		13:22	3	7	0	0	0	0	1	2	3	1	1	1	0	1	7	6	
21 Jordin Canada		20:33	4	9	0	1	2	4	0	4	4	4	3	1	1	0	6	10	
11 Ekiphanny Prince		16:58	2	7	1	4	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	-4	5	
33 Sami Whitcomb		13:08	2	6	0	4	2	2	0	2	2	2	0	4	0	1	0	3	6
1 Crystal Langhorne		07:04	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	3	0	2	0	-10	0	
13 Ezi Magbegor		11:50	3	4	0	0	1	1	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	6	7	
3 Morgan Tuck		DNP - Coach's decision																	
			200:00	34	77	7	23	12	15	8	32	40	16	21	15	13	3	16	87
				44.2%		30.4%		80%				TM REB: 4						TOT TO: 14 (13 PTS)	

### HOME: NEW YORK LIBERTY (0-1)

	POS	MIN	FG	FGA	3P	3PA	FT	FTA	OR	DR	TOT	A	PF	ST	TO	BS	+/-	PTS	
5 Kia Nurse	F	09:31	1	4	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	2	2	
41 Kiah Stokes	F	27:33	2	4	1	3	0	0	1	8	9	2	4	1	2	2	-6	5	
17 Amanda Zahui B	C	23:48	4	11	2	7	0	0	0	8	8	2	1	0	4	2	-4	10	
20 Sabrina Ionescu	G	33:56	4	17	0	8	4	4	1	5	6	4	2	1	4	0	-15	12	
7 Layshia Clarendon	G	31:42	5	9	0	2	10	12	0	2	2	3	2	2	3	0	-8	20	
13 Jocelyn Willoughby		23:35	2	7	2	3	3	4	0	4	4	0	2	0	2	1	-14	9	
0 Leaonna Odom		27:46	4	6	1	2	0	0	2	1	3	0	1	0	3	0	-18	9	
24 Kylee Shook		11:42	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	-10	2	
10 Joyner Holmes		10:27	0	4	0	2	2	2	1	2	3	3	0	0	1	0	-7	2	
25 Asia Durr		DNP - Coach's decision																	
4 Jazmine Jones		DNP - Coach's decision																	
			200:00	23	66	6	28	19	22	5	32	37	14	15	5	19	5	-16	71
				34.8%		21.4%		86.4%				TM REB: 11						TOT TO: 20 (16 PTS)	

SCORE BY PERIOD	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Storm	24	18	24	21	87
LIBERTY	16	19	22	14	71

Inactive: Storm -  
 Inactive: Liberty - Walker (Injury/Illness - Illness)  
 Points in the Paint: Storm 26 (13/25), LIBERTY 26 (13/22)  
 2nd Chance Points: Storm 13 (4/8), LIBERTY 7 (3/9)  
 Fast Break Points: Storm 0 (0/0), LIBERTY 2 (1/1)  
 Biggest Lead: Storm 19, LIBERTY 2  
 Lead Changes: 4  
 Times Tied: 6

## WOMEN'S NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

## OFFICIAL SCORER'S REPORT FINAL BOX

Sunday, August 11, 2019 Barclays Center, Brooklyn, NY  
 Officials: #21 Byron Jarrett, #35 John Butler, #43 Kevin Fahy

Game Duration: 1:47  
 Attendance: Not Yet Counted

### VISITOR: Seattle Storm (14-11)

	POS	MIN	FG	FGA	3P	3PA	FT	FTA	OR	DR	TOT	A	PF	ST	TO	BS	+/-	PTS	
6 Natasha Howard	F	34:19	7	16	0	2	3	6	4	4	8	2	2	2	0	2	21	17	
32 Alysha Clark	F	27:46	7	7	2	2	5	6	0	2	2	0	1	0	2	1	8	21	
2 Mercedes Russell	C	26:42	2	4	0	0	5	9	4	4	8	6	4	3	0	0	13	9	
21 Jordin Canada	G	27:10	2	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	1	0	3	0	14	4	
33 Sami Whitcomb	G	25:59	7	11	4	6	0	0	2	0	2	4	1	3	1	0	15	18	
1 Crystal Langhorne		14:52	1	4	0	1	0	0	2	2	4	2	0	1	1	0	-4	2	
24 Jewell Loyd		16:27	4	11	0	1	0	0	0	4	4	1	2	1	1	0	2	8	
23 Kaleena Mosqueda-Lewis		12:14	2	3	1	2	0	0	0	2	2	0	1	0	2	0	7	5	
3 Courtney Paris		04:07	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
11 Shavonte Zellous		10:24	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	1	0	-1	0	
10 Sue Bird		DND - Injury/Illness - Knee																	
12 Blake Dietrick		DNP - Coach's decision																	
			200:00	32	67	7	14	13	21	12	20	32	24	13	10	11	3	15	84
				47.8%		50%		61.9%				TM REB: 11						TOT TO: 12 (16 PTS)	

### HOME: NEW YORK LIBERTY (8-15)

	POS	MIN	FG	FGA	3P	3PA	FT	FTA	OR	DR	TOT	A	PF	ST	TO	BS	+/-	PTS	
14 Bria Hartley	F	32:40	5	11	4	8	3	4	2	4	6	4	3	1	3	0	-11	17	
31 Tina Charles	F	33:53	10	16	0	1	2	2	1	7	8	2	5	0	5	2	-15	22	
12 Reshanda Gray	C	13:40	2	4	0	0	4	6	3	1	4	0	4	0	2	0	-19	8	
5 Kia Nurse	G	27:22	1	8	1	6	0	0	1	1	1	3	0	1	0	0	-5	3	
30 Tanisha Wright	G	22:50	1	4	1	2	0	0	2	2	4	7	0	1	2	0	-1	3	
4 Nayo Raincock-Ekunwe		19:40	2	4	0	1	0	0	2	2	4	1	3	2	1	0	0	4	
9 Rebecca Allen		19:18	4	9	0	2	0	0	0	4	4	1	0	5	1	1	0	-6	8
23 Marine Johannes		07:57	0	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-5	0	
15 Brittany Boyd		16:33	2	3	0	0	0	0	1	2	3	3	1	2	3	0	-13	4	
21 Han Xu		06:07	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
25 Asia Durr		DND - Injury/Illness - Minor Groin Strain																	
17 Amanda Zahui B		DND - Injury/Illness - Concussion																	
			200:00	27	64	6	24	9	12	11	20	31	18	24	7	18	2	-15	69
				42.2%		25%		75%				TM REB: 9						TOT TO: 19 (26 PTS)	

SCORE BY PERIOD	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Storm	23	20	27	14	84
LIBERTY	17	28	12	12	69

Inactive: Storm -  
 Inactive: Liberty -  
 Points in the Paint: Storm 38 (19/35), LIBERTY 32 (16/27)  
 2nd Chance Points: Storm 12 (4/9), LIBERTY 14 (5/12)  
 Fast Break Points: Storm 7 (3/4), LIBERTY 9 (4/6)  
 Biggest Lead: Storm 17, LIBERTY 2  
 Lead Changes: 13  
 Times Tied: 6

# 2019 SERIES VS. SEATTLE (1-2)

2019 SEASON SERIES (1-2)

NEW YORK LIBERTY

VS. SEATTLE

PLAYER	G	GS	MIN	-FIELD GOALS-			-3-POINT FG--			-FREE THROWS-			--REBOUNDS--			AST	PF	DQ	STL	TO	BLK	PTS	AVG
				FG	FGA	PCT	FG	FGA	PCT	FT	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT								
Charles	3	3	95	23	53	.434	1	5	.200	10	12	.833	2	13	15	7	10	0	3	10	3	57	19.0
Nurse	3	3	94	15	30	.500	8	20	.400	8	9	.889	0	3	3	2	6	0	3	6	1	46	15.3
Hartley	2	2	61	7	17	.412	4	9	.444	6	8	.750	2	8	10	9	5	0	3	4	0	24	12.0
Wright	3	1	66	6	18	.333	3	6	.500	4	6	.667	6	4	10	15	2	0	6	7	0	19	6.3
Raincock-Ekunwe	3	0	41	7	9	.778	0	1	.000	3	4	.750	6	5	11	2	4	0	2	4	0	17	5.7
Gray	3	2	49	5	11	.455	0	0	---	6	8	.750	7	7	14	0	12	0	3	4	0	16	5.3
Allen	2	0	36	5	12	.417	0	3	.000	0	0	---	2	2	4	2	6	0	1	1	1	10	5.0
Durr	1	1	20	2	5	.400	0	3	.000	1	2	.500	0	4	4	0	1	0	0	3	0	5	5.0
Boyd	3	2	63	6	14	.429	1	1	1.000	0	0	---	2	8	10	14	3	0	5	10	0	13	4.3
Zahui B.	1	1	21	2	7	.286	0	3	.000	0	0	---	1	7	8	0	3	0	1	2	1	4	4.0
Johannes	2	0	22	2	6	.333	1	5	.200	2	2	1.000	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	2	0	7	3.5
Xu	2	0	16	2	6	.333	0	1	.000	0	0	---	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	2.0
Bias	1	0	8	0	2	.000	0	2	.000	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0.0
Warley-Talbert	1	0	7	0	0	---	0	0	---	0	0	---	0	3	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
LIBERTY	3	-	600	82	190	.432	18	59	.305	40	51	.784	28	65	93	53	54	0	29	55	6	222	74.0
STORM	3	-	600	92	208	.442	28	72	.389	33	47	.702	35	65	100	63	51	0	31	45	11	245	81.7

PLAYER	-- SINGLE-GAME HIGHS --											----- AVERAGE PER GAME -----											-CAREER HIGHS (C=SET, T=TIED THIS SEASON)-										
	MIN	REB	AST	ST	TO	BL	PTS	MIN	REB	AST	STL	TO	BLK	PTS	FG	FGA	FT	FTA	REB	AST	PTS												
Charles	34	8	4	2	5	2	26	31.6	5.0	2.3	1.00	3.3	1.00	19.0	14	25	9	11	14	7	30												
Nurse	37	2	1	2	3	1	24	31.5	1.0	0.7	1.00	2.0	0.33	15.3	9C	12T	6C	7C	5	3	24C												
Hartley	33	6	5	2	3	0	17	30.4	5.0	4.5	1.50	2.0	0.00	12.0	11	16	4	5	6C	5T	26												
Wright	25	4	7	3	4	0	10	22.1	3.3	5.0	2.00	2.3	0.00	6.3	7	13	4T	4T	6	7C	18												
Raincock-Ekunwe	20	5	1	2	2	0	8	13.8	3.7	0.7	0.67	1.3	0.00	5.7	3T	4T	4	6	6	1C	10												
Gray	27	8	0	3	2	0	8	16.5	4.7	0.0	1.00	1.3	0.00	5.3	2T	5C	4C	6C	8C	0T	8C												
Allen	19	3	2	1	1	1	8	18.1	2.0	1.0	0.50	0.5	0.50	5.0	4T	9C	2	3	9	2C	10												
Durr	20	4	0	0	3	0	5	19.5	4.0	0.0	0.00	3.0	0.00	5.0	2C	5C	1C	2C	4C	0C	5C												
Boyd	31	4	10	3	4	0	7	21.1	3.3	4.7	1.67	3.3	0.00	4.3	5	10	2	3	7	10C	11												
Zahui B.	21	8	0	1	2	1	4	21.4	8.0	0.0	1.00	2.0	1.00	4.0	8	13	2	4	11	1	17												
Johannes	14	0	2	1	2	0	7	10.8	0.0	1.0	0.50	1.0	0.00	3.5	2C	3C	2C	2C	0C	2C	7C												
Xu	10	1	0	0	0	0	4	8.1	0.5	0.0	0.00	0.0	0.00	2.0	2C	4C	0C	0C	1C	0C	4C												
Bias	8	0	0	1	0	0	0	7.6	0.0	0.0	1.00	0.0	0.00	0.0	1	2T	2	2	1	3	2												
Warley-Talbert	7	3	0	0	0	0	0	7.1	3.0	0.0	0.00	0.0	0.00	0.0	2	6	4	4	13	1	8												
LIBERTY	200	34	20	12	20	2	84	200.0	31.0	17.7	9.67	18.3	2.00	74.0	35	78	23C	29	46	23	94												
STORM	200	34	24	12	18	4	84	200.0	33.3	21.0	10.33	15.0	3.67	81.7	40	80	26	32	48	25	102												

2019 SEASON SERIES (2-1)

SEATTLE STORM

VS. NEW YORK

PLAYER	G	GS	MIN	-FIELD GOALS-			-3-POINT FG--			-FREE THROWS-			--REBOUNDS--			AST	PF	DQ	STL	TO	BLK	PTS	AVG
				FG	FGA	PCT	FG	FGA	PCT	FT	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT								
N. Howard	3	3	90	19	44	.432	4	10	.400	4	8	.500	8	9	17	7	10	0	9	7	3	46	15.3
Whitcomb	3	3	78	15	30	.500	10	23	.435	2	2	1.000	3	7	10	8	6	0	5	4	0	42	14.0
Clark	3	3	87	13	23	.565	6	12	.500	6	7	.857	4	10	14	9	6	0	0	9	2	38	12.7
Russell	3	3	75	11	16	.688	0	0	---	10	18	.556	10	8	18	7	8	0	5	2	2	32	10.7
Loyd	1	0	16	4	11	.364	0	1	.000	0	0	---	0	4	4	1	2	0	1	1	0	8	8.0
Canada	3	3	88	10	30	.333	1	5	.200	2	2	1.000	2	8	10	20	4	0	6	8	0	23	7.7
Langhorne	3	0	52	6	15	.400	4	8	.500	5	6	.833	4	4	8	3	2	0	2	4	1	21	7.0
Mosqueda-Lewis	3	0	46	7	20	.350	3	8	.375	0	0	---	1	5	6	1	4	0	1	5	1	17	5.7
Zellous	3	0	40	5	15	.333	0	4	.000	4	4	1.000	2	4	6	6	7	0	2	1	2	14	4.7
Paris	3	0	23	2	3	.667	0	0	---	0	0	---	1	6	7	0	1	0	0	1	0	4	1.3
Dietrick (TOT)	2	0	5	0	1	.000	0	1	.000	0	0	---	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Dietrick (SEA)	2	0	5	0	1	.000	0	1	.000	0	0	---	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
STORM	3	-	600	92	208	.442	28	72	.389	33	47	.702	35	65	100	63	51	0	31	45	11	245	81.7
LIBERTY	3	-	600	82	190	.432	18	59	.305	40	51	.784	28	65	93	53	54	0	29	55	6	222	74.0

PLAYER	-- SINGLE-GAME HIGHS --											----- AVERAGE PER GAME -----											-CAREER HIGHS (C=SET, T=TIED THIS SEASON)-										
	MIN	REB	AST	ST	TO	BL	PTS	MIN	REB	AST	STL	TO	BLK	PTS	FG	FGA	FT	FTA	REB	AST	PTS												
N. Howard	34	8	3	4	4	2	17	30.1	5.7	2.3	3.00	2.3	1.00	15.3	7C	16C	6	7	10	3T	17C												
Whitcomb	29	4	4	3	2	0	18	26.0	3.3	2.7	1.67	1.3	0.00	14.0	7C	11C	4	4	4T	4C	22												
Clark	30	9	6	0	5	1	21	28.9	4.7	3.0	0.00	3.0	0.67	12.7	7T	11C	7	8	9C	6C	23												
Russell	33	8	6	3	2	1	19	25.1	6.0	2.3	1.67	0.7	0.67	10.7	7C	8C	5C	9C	8C	6C	19C												
Loyd	16	4	1	1	1	0	8	16.5	4.0	1.0	1.00	1.0	0.00	8.0	9	18	7	9	6	7	25												
Canada	31	9	8	3	3	0	10	29.3	3.3	6.7	2.00	2.7	0.00	7.7	4C	11C	3	5	9C	8C	10C												
Langhorne	28	4	2	1	3	1	19	17.2	2.7	1.0	0.67	1.3	0.33	7.0	10	16	9	11	15	3	25												
Mosqueda-Lewis	21	3	1	1	3	1	7	15.4	2.0	0.3	0.33	1.7	0.33	5.7	4	11C	0T	0T	3T	2	10												
Zellous	17	4	4	1	1	2	8	13.2	2.0	2.0	0.67	0.3	0.67	4.7	8	13	10	12	7	5	23												
Paris	12	3	0	0	1	0	2	7.7	2.3	0.0	0.00	0.3	0.00	1.3	8	11	4	6	16	4	19												
Dietrick (TOT)	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	2.4	0.0	0.5	0.00	0.0	0.00	0.0	1	6	0T	0T	1	1T	3												
Dietrick (SEA)	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	2.4	0.0	0.5	0.00	0.0	0.00	0.0	1	6	0T	0T	1	1T	3												
STORM	200	34	24	12	18	4	84	200.0	33.3	21.0	10.33	15.0	3.67	81.7	40	80	26	32	48	25	102												
LIBERTY	200	34	20	12	20	2	84	200.0	31.0	17.7	9.67	18.3	2.00	74.0	35	78	23C	29	46	23	94												

# NEW YORK LIBERTY GAME NOTES

*As of 8/17...*

The Liberty are coming off a 94-64 loss to the Minnesota Lynx on Saturday, August 15.

**Jazmine Jones** was New York's top scorer with 13 points, her third consecutive game in double-digit scoring figures.

Fellow rookie **Kylee Shook** tied her career-best scoring performance with 9 points over 24 minutes, also a career-high.

**Neah Odom** recorded 8 points, 6 of which came during an early Liberty run in the first quarter.

**Layshia Clarendon** also added 8 points along with 2 assists and boards for New York.

**Amanda Zahui B** totaled 5 points, 8 rebounds and 3 blocks tonight.

The Seattle Storm are currently the WNBA's top team with an overall record of 10-1, along with an eight game winning streak. Seattle's only loss of the season came to the Washington Mystics, the only team that New York has defeated this season.

Seattle's last game was a 95-72 victory over the Connecticut Sun on August 16.

**Breanna Stewart** led the Storm offense with 19 points, followed by **Sami Whitcomb** with 14 (4-5 3PT) and Sue Bird who finished with 13 on the night.

The Storm shot 56.5% (13-23) from beyond the arc against the Sun, which maintained their position as the WNBA's No.1 three-point shooting team in 2020 at 42.0% .

In their first meeting of the season on July 25, New York fell to Seattle 87-71.

**Layshia Clarendon** scored a game-high 20 points in their Liberty debut, and **Breanna Stewart** totaled 18 points in her return to the hardwood.

New York will aim to even the season series on Tuesday, however, if Seattle wins, this will be their third consecutive year winning the season series against the Liberty.

In the overall series between the Liberty and Storm, Seattle holds a slight advantage with a record of 22-20 (.524).

## MILESTONES TO WATCH FOR IN 2020

**Amanda Zahui B** - Currently has **865** career points, and **244** two-point field goals made.

**Layshia Clarendon** - Needs 5 two-point field goals made to eclipse 500 total (**495**).

**Kia Nurse** - Currently sits at **864** total career points.

## WNBA LEADERS IN THIS MATCHUP

Points	
4. Breanna Stewart.....	18.9

Assists	
4. Jordin Canada.....	5.3
7. Layshia Clarendon.....	4.5

Rebounds	
T5. Amanda Zahui B.....	8.5

## NEW YORK VS. SEATTLE STORYLINES

### OPENING DAY AGAINST SEATTLE

The New York Liberty and Seattle Storm tipped off the 2020 season as the WNBA's first game on July 25. The Storm came out on top 87-71, however, there were several bright spots for the Liberty. **Layshia Clarendon** scored a game-high 20 points in their debut for New York, while the team grabbed a season-high 32 defensive rebounds.

Both teams, in conjunction with the WNBA and #SayHerName Campaign, held a pregame ceremony where **Layshia Clarendon** and **Breanna Stewart** spoke about the league's commitment to demanding justice for Breonna Taylor and the other women who have lost their lives to police brutality. The Liberty and Storm then observed a 26-second moment of silence to honor Taylor, who was murdered at 26 years old.

### NEW YORK'S DEFENSE

The Liberty's defense ranks amongst the top teams in the WNBA across multiple defensive categories. New York is currently second in opponent fast break points per game (3.3), third in blocks per game (4.1), fourth in defensive rebounds per game (26.0) and fifth in opponent points in the paint (34.2).

### JAZMINE JONES HEATING UP

**Jazmine Jones** has now scored in double-digit scoring figures in three consecutive contests (24, 11, 13).

Through her first 9 WNBA games, Jones is averaging 9.8 points, 3.0 rebounds, 1.9 assists and 1.1 steals per game. If she keeps up her consistent play on both sides of the floor, she could see herself tabbed to the WNBA's All-Rookie Team, which would be the first time a Liberty rookie has garnered the honor since 2015 (Kiah Stokes, Brittany Boyd, Ramu Tokashiki).

Additionally, if Jazmine surpasses the 10.0 PPG mark coming off the bench each game this season, she will make WNBA history as only seven other players have done so since 1997.

### SHOOTERS SHOOT

Currently, the New York Liberty rank No. 1 overall in WNBA history with a three-point attempt rate of 44.0%. This stat is the ratio of field goal attempts from three divided by the total number of field goal attempts. Second to the Liberty are this year's Dallas Wings team with a rate of 36.5%, followed by the 2019 WNBA Champion Washington Mystics with a percentage of 36.4%.

### RELYING ON REBOUNDS

The Liberty's frontcourt tandem of **Amanda Zahui B** and **Kiah Stokes**, who are averaging 8.5 and 7.1 rebounds per game apiece, has kept New York amongst the league's leaders in rebounds per game (34.3 - No. 3 overall).

### ODOM'S MINUTES INCREASING

**Leaonna Odom** has now started three consecutive games for the Liberty, and has totaled 209 minutes through her first 10 contests, which is the most of any New York rookie in 2020. Odom's addition to the starting lineup began on August 7 against the Washington Mystics, where she helped the Liberty to their first win of the season.

### PARIS IN NEW YORK

On August 8, 2020, the New York Liberty signed free agent guard **Paris Kea**. Kea, a graduate of North Carolina, was drafted in the third round (25th overall) of the 2019 draft by the Indiana Fever. The 5-9 guard saw game action 11 times where she shot 55.6% from three and 40.7% from the field overall.

Paris should be eligible to join the Liberty for practices and games after completing the league's quarantine protocol.

### LIBERTY WITHOUT SABRINA IONESCU

**Sabrina Ionescu** suffered an ankle sprain in the game against Atlanta on July 31. A timeline for her return has not yet been determined by physicians.

### LAYSHIA'S CONSISTENCY

Eight year veteran guard, **Layshia Clarendon**, has provided both leadership and consistency for this young Liberty lineup. Through the first ten games of the 2020 season, Clarendon is averaging 13.4 points and 4.6 assists per contest, eight of which they scored in double-digit figures.

### FOCUS ON FREE THROWS

With an average of 20.2 attempts per game, New York is third in the league in free throw percentage with an average of 82.2. The Liberty have not finished a regular season averaging more than 80% from the charity stripe since 2005 (81.9%).

## 2020 STORYLINES

### AMANDA ZAHUI B'S BOOK CLUB

This season, Liberty center Amanda Zahui B created a virtual book club for 13 and 14-year-old girls from New Heights Youth Inc. to explore the work of Black authors. The group is currently reading "I Know Why The Caged Bird Sings" by Maya Angelou, and meets virtually on a bi-weekly basis.

**New Heights Youth, Inc.** is a non-profit sports-based youth development and education organization based in New York City.

### NY LIBERTY X AFRICAN AMERICAN POLICY FORUM

To aid in the fight for Breonna Taylor and the several other black women victims of police violence, the New York Liberty donated \$25,000 to the **African American Policy Forum** and the #SayHerName campaign. Launched in 2014, the #SayHerName campaign aims to "bring awareness to the often invisible names and stories of Black women and girls who have been victimized by racist police violence, and provides support to their families."

Please visit <https://aapf.org/sayhername> to learn more.

### LIBERTY TEAM UP WITH LI NETS, ST. JOHN'S UNIVERSITY TO CREATE SPORTS LAW AND CIVIL RIGHTS PROGRAM FOR HIGH SCHOOLERS

In addition to the team's \$25,000 donation to the African American Policy Forum and the #SayHerName campaign, the Liberty organization is also teaming up with the LI Nets and Ronald H. Brown Center for Civil Rights at St. John's University School of Law to create an inaugural program for high school students focused primarily on sports law and civil rights.

The two-week program began on August 3 with the goal of educating a group of 20 students from Long Island and New York City on both sports law and their civil rights. Lesson plans focus on the business-side of the sports industry, and identify the synergies between sports law, entertainment law, labor and employment law, trademark law, and social justice. At the end of the program, the students will participate in a mock trial/arbitration experience.

The program is free to students, and will be an important alternative summer opportunity for those who are unable to work, participate in camps, sports, and other extracurricular activities due to COVID-19 this summer.

### JUSTICE FOR BREONNA TAYLOR T-SHIRT CAMPAIGN

On August 10, the New York Liberty players, along with the rest of the WNBA, unveiled a new t-shirt during warmups from the **Phenomenal Woman Action Campaign**. The front of the shirt demands that the police officers who murdered Breonna Taylor be arrested, while the back of the shirt reads "Say Her Name," along with a portrait of Taylor.

All proceeds from sales will be donated to the Breonna Taylor Foundation. To purchase a t-shirt and read more on the campaign, please visit the hyperlink above.

### THE THREE AMIGAS

Liberty veterans Kiah Stokes, Amanda Zahui B, as well as a "baby vet" Kia Nurse, are roommates in the IMG Villas inside the Wubble. The three players recently launched a new video segment, "The Lounge," which will document their experience as roommates throughout the 2020 season, as well as their time in Florida. The segment is entirely produced and edited by the group, and can be found across the Liberty's social channels.

## 2020 STORYLINES

### **A NEW LOOK FOR THE FRANCHISE**

Not only have the New York Liberty began to plant its roots in Brooklyn, but they will also have a new look doing it. On April 14, the organization released its new logo, signifying a new era in Liberty basketball. Prior to the release, the only logos to remained unchanged in professional basketball since 1996 were the Chicago Bulls, Los Angeles Sparks, Boston Celtics and New York Liberty.

### **A HISTORICAL 2020 WNBA DRAFT**

For the first time in franchise history, New York held the No. 1 pick in the WNBA Draft. The team selected college basketball's most decorated player, Sabrina Ionescu. In trading Tina Charles, the team's franchise player of the last six seasons, New York acquired a franchise-record amount of draft picks in a three-team deal with the Washington Mystics and Dallas Wings. Going into draft night, the Liberty held the 1, 9, 12, 13, 15 and 26 picks.

After selecting Ionescu, the Liberty continued to win big in the 2020 WNBA Draft. In all, the Liberty snagged 4 of the top 12 draft picks, made six selections overall, and will open training camp with seven rookies on its 12-player roster. Joining Ionescu in New York's rookie revival are first-round selections Megan Walker (No. 9 pick), Jocelyn Willoughby (the No. 10 pick by Phoenix, who was then obtained by New York in a draft day trade), and Louisville's Jazmine Jones (No. 12). The Liberty also opens training camp with two rookies they snagged in the second-round - Kylee Shook (No. 13) and Leaonna Odom (No. 15) - and Joyner Holmes, the No. 19 pick by Seattle who was later waived and signed by the New York.

### **SABRINA IONESCU, FIRST OVERALL SELECTION**

With its first-ever No.1 overall pick in the WNBA Draft, the New York Liberty selected Oregon guard, Sabrina Ionescu, on April 17. Ionescu will make the move from Eugene to Brooklyn after putting together one of the most decorated careers in college basketball history. The Walnut Creek, Calif. product finished her Oregon career with 2,562 points, 1,040 rebounds and 1,091 assists, making her the only player in NCAA history—male or female—with 2,000 points, 1,000 rebounds, and 1,000 assists.

### **HISTORY TO BE MADE**

Through 23 seasons and 827 total games of franchise history, the New York Liberty has not seen a player record a triple-double. There have only been nine recorded throughout WNBA history, one of which occurred in the playoffs. Could Sabrina Ionescu, the NCAA all-time career leaders in triple-doubles with 26, be the first to do so for the Liberty?

### **WALT HOPKINS' HEAD COACHING DEBUT**

First-year head coach, Walt Hopkins, will begin his journey not only with the New York Liberty, but also a WNBA head coach in 2020. Hopkins, who is the 8th coach in franchise history, will lead the Liberty into its new era after serving as an assistant coach for the Minnesota Lynx since 2017. During his three-year tenure with the Lynx, they made three-straight WNBA Playoff appearances, won the WNBA Championship in 2017, and had a combined overall record, including playoffs, of 69-43 (.616).

### **NEW BENCH**

The Liberty will be under the direction of an entirely new coaching staff. Joining Hopkins is a strategic trio of assistant coaches who each bring unique skills and experiences to the Liberty. This includes 30-year coaching veteran Shelley Patterson, former WNBA champion and coach Kelly Raimon and player development specialist Dustin Gray.

## 2020 STORYLINES

### **NEW ERA, NEW YORK**

While New York, one of only three remaining WNBA original teams, remains in search of its first championship, 2020 marks the beginning of a new era in Liberty history, one that will be highlighted by a new coach (Walt Hopkins), a new, potentially transcendent star (No. 1 overall draft pick Sabrina Ionescu), and a new logo/brand.

The Liberty were also set to move into a new home, The Barclays Center in Brooklyn, but that move will be put on hold as the entire WNBA convenes in Florida for the 2020 season. The new era actually tipped off last September when New York, after falling short of the playoffs for the second straight season, won the WNBA's Draft Lottery and the right to make the first selection in the 2020 draft.

### **LIBERTY FOR LIBERATION**

New York Liberty players are no strangers to speaking out against injustice. In 2015, the team (Amanda Zahui B, Kiah Stokes, Rebecca Allen) staged a post-game media blackout and proclaimed that Black Lives Matter on their warm-up shirts in response to the killing of unarmed Black men and women at the hands of police. For the past four seasons, the team has created and activated a UNITY platform to provide solution based conversations around inequality.

This year is no different. The Liberty hosted a star-studded Juneteenth panel on freedom and the power of our vote featuring Breakfast Club host Angela Yee, Liberty guard and activist Layshia Clarendon, Nets swingman Garrett Temple, Grammy nominated artist Rapsody and social activist Topeka K Sam.

For Pride Month, the team activated virtually for a full week of events and celebrations with a focus on the intersectional experiences of the LGBTQIA+ community. With the league dedicating the 2020 season to social justice and Clarendon at the helm of the newly formed Social Justice Council, New York will continue in its fight for equality, freedom and justice.

### **ROSTER CHESS**

Led by second-year general manager Jonathan Kolb, the Liberty's offseason involved a franchise reset highlighted by the addition of first-time head coach Walt Hopkins in January, the trade of franchise great Tina Charles to the Washington Mystics on April 15, and the selection of Sabrina Ionescu with the No. 1 overall pick.

### **SABRINA IONESCU. THAT'S THE TITLE.**

The 2020 University of Oregon grad and commencement speaker was the NCAA's unanimous 2020 National Player of the Year and three-time Nancy Lieberman Award winner as nation's top point guard (2018-20). Ionescu is the NCAA's leader in career triple-doubles (26) and has a highly-decorated resume that also includes the 2020 Naismith Citizen Trophy, 2020 Associated Press Women's Basketball Player of the Year, Two-time Wade Trophy winner, Two-time Wooden Award winner, and Three-time Pac-12 Player of the Year.

### **UNCONVENTIONAL TIMES**

Guards Rebecca Allen, Marine Johannés, forward Stephanie Talbot and center Han Xu will not join the team at the single-site at IMG Academy, due to the uncertain times currently facing the world.

## 2020 STORYLINES

### **STOKED TO BE BACK IN SEAFOAM**

After missing the 2019 WNBA season, 6-3 center, Kiah Stokes, makes her return to the New York Liberty frontcourt. Drafted in the 1st Round of the 2015 WNBA Draft (11th overall), Stokes has averaged 20.8 minutes, 5.1 points, 6.1 rebounds and 1.3 blocks per game through four seasons with the Liberty. She also holds several franchise records including most blocks in Liberty history (163), blocks in a game (8), blocks in a season (67), the second-most rookie average rebounds per game (6.4), and is tied for the third-most rebounds in a single-game (17).

### **KIA NURSE, FROM ROOKIE TO VET IN A NEW YORK MINUTE**

After a breakout second-season in 2019, where she ranked 16th in the league in points per game (13.6), as well as being named an AT&T WNBA All-Star starter, Kia Nurse quickly finds herself with the most experience in the Liberty's backcourt. Nurse, 24, made her WNBA debut just two short seasons ago, and will now be looked upon as a veteran presence on both sides of the ball for this young New York lineup.

This past March, Kia was named the WNBL MVP after she led the Canberra Capitals to the 2020 championship in Australia, while averaging 21.3 points per game plus 4.1 rebounds and 2.9 assists.

### **STYLE OF PLAY**

Over the past few months, both Walt Hopkins and general manager Jonathan Kolb, have been interviewed at length regarding how the 2020 New York Liberty team will play. Stylistically, both of them share a vision for the Liberty that entails speed, versatility, efficient decision-making, high-percentage attempts, and stretching the floor with long-range shooting.

Throughout the draft process, Hopkins and Kolb addressed selecting prospects who are not only talented, but are also high-character people who possess a team-first mentality. They believe that they now have the right pieces in place to establish a winning culture that reintroduces the Liberty as contenders for years to come.

### **FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH**

The New York Liberty's average player age is currently 24.45 years old (without Asia Durr), which is the second- youngest in the WNBA. Between the young core of returners and the addition of seven rookies, the Liberty are poised to grow and develop as a cohesive unit.

### **WELCOME TO THE LIBERTY, LAYSHIA!**

New York signed guard Layshia Clarendon at the start of the WNBA open free agency period. Clarendon, a seven-year WNBA veteran, was drafted 9th overall by the Indiana Fever in 2013 where they spent three seasons. The 5-9 guard then logged over two years in the Atlanta Dream's backcourt where she led the WNBA in assists in 2017. In the second-half of 2018, Layshia was traded to the Connecticut Sun where they spent the rest of the season, as well as 2019 where the Sun reached the WNBA Finals. Over the course of her career, Clarendon has averaged 6.9 points, 2.9 assists and 2.7 rebounds per game over 198 total regular-season contests, also seeing action in 21 playoff games.

Their valuable leadership is not limited to the hardwood, as Layshia is an active member and advocate for the LGBTQIA+ community, and continues to shed light on social issues in our society. They embody the very meaning of #BrooklynLoud, and was one of the key figures in shaping the league's new collective bargaining agreement as First Vice President of the WNBA Player's Association. Clarendon is also a member of the recently formed WNBA Social Justice Council.

## 2020 STORYLINES

### **NEW YORK LIBERTY X FANDUEL**

On April 9, 2020, The New York Liberty and FanDuel Group announced a partnership designating FanDuel as an “Official Partner” of the New York Liberty.

The deal, which marks the Liberty’s first marquee partnership since 2018, includes marquee placement of the FanDuel logo on the team’s home and away jerseys.

FanDuel Group was the first gaming company to offer an official one-day fantasy offering for the WNBA in 2017, which also marked the company’s first partnership with a women’s professional sports league.

### **A TRUE BROOKLYN FAMILY**

With Joe Tsai now the total owner of both the New York Liberty and Brooklyn Nets, both teams are operating under one roof at Barclays Center and BSE Global.

In less than a year, there has already been great collaboration between the teams and front offices. The Nets have embraced the Liberty as a part of their family, and their talented roster of players are committed to supporting the Liberty’s reemergence into the New York City professional basketball landscape. As the Notorious B.I.G said, “the sky’s the limit,” for the future of both organizations.

### **KICKIN’ IT WITH KIA NURSE**

In addition to her broadcasting work with TSN, Toronto’s leading sports network, Kia Nurse has been actively building her future career within the sports media industry.

On April 29, 2020, the New York Liberty announced the start of a new, weekly Instagram Live series— “Kickin’ It with Kia Nurse.” The series featured conversations between Liberty All-Star guard, Kia Nurse, with current players, recent draftees, Liberty executives, and more!

The episodes received great engagement during the quarantine, and provided Liberty fans with a unique opportunity to get to know Kia Nurse and their other favorite players better.

### **LUCKY NO. 7**

2020 may be the year of 7’s for the New York Liberty. Layshia Clarendon, who is sporting the No. 7 for the first time in her WNBA career, is also entering her 7th season in the league. The Liberty also have seven total rookies on the roster. In addition, the coaching staff has a total of seven WNBA championships combined between their coaching and playing careers

Shelley Patterson (Minnesota)- 4

Kelly Raimon (Phoenix, Detroit)- 2

Walt Hopkins (Minnesota)- 1

### **THERE’S ONLY ONE ‘I’ IN THE W**

Random Fact: Sabrina Ionescu is the only active WNBA player with a last name starting with the letter ‘I’.

## 2020 STORYLINES

### LOUISVILLE OF THE NORTH

After selecting former Louisville guard, Asia Durr, second overall in the 2019 WNBA Draft, the Liberty continued to add more Cardinals to their roster in 2020. With the 12th and 13th overall picks, the Liberty drafted guard Jazmine Jones and forward Kylee Shook from U of L. Durr logged three years with both Jones and Shook, and all three players graduated as a part of the winningest class in program history at the end of their respective collegiate careers.

Jones, a 6-0 guard, totaled 1,178 points on 477 field goals (52.4%), 559 rebounds and 314 assists during her four years under head coach Jeff Walz. She finished as the program's all-time leader in games played with 144.

Shook, a 6-4 forward, totaled 948 points on 393 field goals (47.6%), 89 three-pointers (38.2%), 724 rebounds and 223 blocks over her four-year career. She was named the 2019-2020 ACC Defensive Player of the Year and finished her career as Louisville's all-time leader in blocked shots.

Asia Durr, will not be suiting up for the New York Liberty in 2020 as she was medically excused for this season. However, this Cardinal trio will be reunited in 2021.

## QUOTE OF THE WEEK



“We just have to get better together in practice and translate it over to the game.”

-Jazmine Jones

# ROOKIE RECORDS

## Rookie Scoring Avg.

### WNBA

PPG	G	PLAYER	YEAR
22.2	28	Cynthia Cooper, HOU	1997
21.9	34	Seimone Augustus, MIN	2006
20.7	33	A'ja Wilson, LV	2018

### NYL

14.5	28	Sophia Witherspoon	1997
12.4	28	Rebecca Lobo	1997
11.7	32	Crystal Robinson	1999

## Rookie Assists Per Game

### WNBA

APG	G	PLAYER	YEAR
7.3	29	Ticha Penicheiro, SAC	1998
6.4	28	Suzie McConnell Serio, CLE	1998
<b>6.1</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>Teresa Weatherspoon, NY</b>	<b>1997</b>

### NYL

6.1	28	Teresa Weatherspoon	1997
3.5	34	Anna Cruz	2014
2.8	34	Leilani Mitchell	2008

## Rookie Rebounds Per Game

### WNBA

RPG	G	PLAYER	YEAR
11.7	34	Tina Charles, CT	2010
11.3	29	Yolanda Griffith, SAC	1999
10.4	32	Cheryl Ford, DET	2003

### NYL

7.3	28	Rebecca Lobo	1997
6.4	34	Kiah Stokes	2015
5.8	28	Kym Hampton	1997

## Liberty Single-Game Rookie Records

### Points

34                      Kia Nurse vs. Indiana                      June 2, 2018

### FG Made

12                      Sophia Witherspoon                      August 20, 1997

### 3PT FG Made

7                      Crystal Robinson                      July 24, 1999

### Assists

12                      Teresa Weatherspoon vs. Los Angeles                      August 20, 1997

### Rebounds

13                      DeTrina White vs. Indiana                      May 21, 2004

### Blocks

8                      Kiah Stokes vs. Connecticut                      July 16, 2015

### Steals

8                      Teresa Weatherspoon vs. Charlotte                      July 10, 1997

## 2020 TEAM HIGHS AND LOWS

### Liberty Lows

Points	64	vs. Minnesota - 8/15
Field Goals Made	18	vs. Phoenix - 8/2
Field Goals Att.	56	at Washington - 8/7
Field Goal Pct.	24.7	vs. Phoenix - 8/2
3-Point FGs Made	5	vs. Phoenix - 8/2
3-Point FGs Att.	23	at LA - 8/11
3-Point FG Pct.	14.3	vs. Phoenix - 8/2
Free Throws Made	8	vs. Minnesota - 8/5
Free Throws Att.	11	vs. Minnesota - 8/5
Free Throw Pct.	62.5	vs. Las Vegas - 8/9
Offensive Reb	5	vs. Seattle - 7/25
Defensive Reb	21	vs. Minnesota - 8/5
Total Reb	30	2 Times
Assists	12	3 Times
Steals	4	2 Times
Turnovers	7	vs. Indiana - 8/13
Blocked Shots	2	3 Times
Personal Fouls	15	2 Times

### Liberty Highs

Points	80	at Dallas - 7/29
Field Goals Made	31	at Dallas - 7/29
Field Goals Att.	73	2 Times
Field Goal Pct.	43.75	vs. Las Vegas - 8/9
3-Point FGs Made	12	at Washington - 8/7
3-Point FGs Att.	35	vs. Phoenix - 8/2
3-Point FG Pct.	38.5	vs. Indiana - 8/13
Free Throws Made	26	vs. Phoenix - 8/2
Free Throws Att.	29	vs. Phoenix - 8/2
Free Throw Pct.	95.7	at LA - 8/11
Offensive Reb	13	at Dallas - 7/29
Defensive Reb	32	vs. Seattle - 7/25
Total Reb	44	at Dallas - 7/29
Assists	18	vs. Minnesota - 8/5
Steals	10	at LA - 8/11
Turnovers	26	at LA - 8/11
Blocked Shots	11	at Atlanta - 7/31
Personal Fouls	30	vs. Phoenix - 8/2

## 2020 OPPONENT HIGHS AND LOWS

### Opponent Lows

Points	66	at Washington - 8/7
Scoring Margin	-8	at Washington - 8/7
Field Goals Made	23	at Washington - 8/7
Field Goals Att.	61	2 Times
Field Goal Pct.	37.3	at Atlanta - 7/31
3-Point FGs Made	1	vs. Las Vegas - 8/9
3-Point FGs Att.	8	vs. Las Vegas - 8/9
3-Point FG Pct.	25	at Washington - 8/7
Free Throws Made	10	vs. Minnesota - 8/5
Free Throws Att.	13	vs. Minnesota - 8/5
Free Throw Pct.	64.7	at Dallas - 7/29
Offensive Reb	1	at Washington - 8/7
Defensive Reb	22	at LA - 8/11
Total Reb	26	2 Times
Assists	11	at Phoenix - 8/18
Steals	6	vs. Las Vegas - 8/9
Turnovers	9	vs. Indiana - 8/13
Blocked Shots	2	2 Times
Personal Fouls	11	vs. Minnesota - 8/5

### Opponent Highs

Points	96	vs. Phoenix - 8/2
Scoring Margin	30	vs. Minnesota - 8/15
Field Goals Made	36	3 Times
Field Goals Att.	77	vs. Seattle - 7/25
Field Goal Pct.	50.7	2 Times
3-Point FGs Made	11	at LA - 8/11
3-Point FGs Att.	23	vs. Seattle - 7/25
3-Point FG Pct.	64.7	at LA - 8/11
Free Throws Made	27	vs. Phoenix - 8/2
Free Throws Att.	33	vs. Phoenix - 8/2
Free Throw Pct.	88.9	vs. Minnesota - 8/15
Offensive Reb	17	at Atlanta - 7/31
Defensive Reb	38	vs. Phoenix - 8/2
Total Reb	47	vs. Phoenix - 8/2
Assists	24	vs. Minnesota - 8/15
Steals	15	vs. Seattle - 7/25
Turnovers	16	at LA - 8/11
Blocked Shots	9	vs. Phoenix - 8/2
Personal Fouls	29	vs. Phoenix - 8/2

## 2020 GAME BY GAME HIGHS

NEW YORK LIBERTY									
Date	Opponent	Team/Opp	Home	Road	Total	High Scoring	High Rebounds	High Assists	Opponent Scoring
Jul 25	SEATTLE	L 71- 87	0-1	0-0	0-1	Clarendon-20	Stokes-9	Ionescu-4	Stewart-18
Jul 29	@Dallas	L 80- 93	0-1	0-1	0-2	Ionescu-33	Zahui B-11	Ionescu-7	Ogunbowale-20
Jul 31	@Atlanta	L 78- 84	0-1	0-2	0-3	Jones-20	Stokes-7	Clarendon-5	Laney-30
Aug 2	PHOENIX	L 67- 96	0-2	0-2	0-4	Nurse-17	Zahui B-9	Clarendon-4 Jones-4	Hartley-27
Aug 5	MINNESOTA	L 66- 92	0-3	0-2	0-5	Zahui B-13	Stokes-8	Clarendon-6	Carleton-25
Aug 7	@Washington	W 74- 66	0-3	1-2	1-5	Nurse-17	Zahui B-14	Clarendon-6	Powers-20
Aug 9	LAS VEGAS	L 76- 78	0-4	1-2	1-6	Zahui B-20	Stokes-12	Clarendon-8	Wilson-31
Aug 11	@Los Angeles	L 78- 93	0-4	1-3	1-7	Jones-24	Zahui B-10	Clarendon-5	Williams-17 Wiese-17
Aug 13	INDIANA	L 79- 86	0-5	1-3	1-8	Nurse-21	Stokes-8	Nurse-3 Jones-3	T. Mitchell-19
Aug 15	@Minnesota	L 64- 94	0-5	1-4	1-9	Jones-13	Zahui B-8	Nurse-3	Collier-26

## 2020 TEAM SCORING HIGHS AND LOWS

LIBERTY SCORING	HIGH	LOW
<b>1ST QUARTER</b>	24 (Las Vegas 8/9/20)	12 (Phoenix, 8/2/20)
<b>2ND QUARTER</b>	27 (Atlanta 7/31/20)	13 (Minnesota, 8/15/20)
<b>3RD QUARTER</b>	29 (Phoenix, 8/2/20)	6 (Minnesota 8/5/20)
<b>4TH QUARTER</b>	22 (Atlanta 7/31/20)	11 (Phoenix, 8/2/20)
<b>1ST HALF</b>	44 (Las Vegas 8/9/20)	27 (Phoenix, 8/2/20)
<b>2ND HALF</b>	44 (LA, 8/11/20)	27 (Minnesota 8/5/20)
<b>10T</b>		
<b>20T</b>		

## 2020 INDIVIDUAL HIGHS

PLAYER	MINS	FGM	FTM	OFF REB	DEF REB	TOT REB	AS	ST	BS	PTS
LAYSHIA CLARENDON	37	8	11	1 (2)	5	5	8	2 (4)	0	20 (2)
JOYNER HOLMES	20	4	2 (2)	3	3 (2)	4	3	1 (2)	1	11
SABRINA IONESCU	34	11	5	1	6	7	7	1	0	33
JAZMINE JONES	26	8	7	2 (2)	5	7	4	5	2 (2)	24
PARIS KEA										
KIA NURSE	32	4 (2)	11	1	6	6	3 (3)	1 (4)	1	21
LEAONNA ODOM	28	4 (2)	2	3 (2)	3	4 (2)	1 (2)	1 (2)	1 (2)	10
KYLEE SHOOK	24	3 (2)	3 (2)	3	4	6	2	2	2 (2)	9 (2)
KIAH STOKES	36	3 (2)	1	4	8 (2)	12	3	1	2 (3)	9
MEGAN WALKER	21	3 (2)	1	2	3	3 (2)	1 (3)	1 (3)	0	8
JOCELYN WILLOUGHBY	26	5	7	2 (2)	4	4	2	3	2	14
AMANDA ZAHUI B	34	6	6	4	14	14	3 (2)	4 (2)	3	20

## 2020 WNBA TEAM STATISTICAL RANKINGS (AS OF 8/17)

### POINTS PER GAME

1.	Las Vegas Aces	88.0
2.	Phoenix Mercury	87.8
3.	Seattle Storm	86.4
4.	Los Angeles Sparks	86.2
5.	Chicago Sky	86.1

### REBOUNDS PER GAME

1.	Las Vegas Aces	36.9
2.	Minnesota Lynx	35.3
3.	Seattle Storm	34.8
<b>4.</b>	<b>New York Liberty</b>	<b>34.3</b>
5.	Chicago Sky	34.2

### BLOCKS PER GAME

1.	Phoenix Mercury	4.7
<b>2.</b>	<b>New York Liberty</b>	<b>4.2</b>
3.	Seattle Storm	4.1
4.	Dallas Wings	3.8
5.	Minnesota Lynx	3.7

### FREE THROW PERCENTAGE

1.	Indiana Fever	83.2
2.	<b>New York Liberty</b>	82.2
3.	Chicago Sky	81.3
4.	Washington Mystics	80.6
5.	Minnesota Lynx	80.3

### % OF POINTS THREE POINTERS

<b>1.</b>	<b>New York Liberty</b>	<b>33.2</b>
1.	Seattle Storm	33.2
2.	Dallas Wings	31.3
4.	Washington Mystics	29.5
5.	Chicago Sky	28.2

### MOST REBOUNDS IN A GAME

1.	Las Vegas Aces	47
1.	Phoenix Mercury	47
3.	Seattle Storm	46
4.	Connecticut Sun	45
<b>5.</b>	<b>New York Liberty</b>	<b>44</b>



# WALT HOPKINS

HEAD COACH | UNIVERSITY OF NEVADA-RENO

The 2020 WNBA season will be Walt Hopkins' first season as the New York Liberty's head coach, the youngest in franchise history at 34.

Prior to joining the Liberty, Hopkins served as an assistant coach for the Minnesota Lynx since 2017, where he helped accumulate a 63-39 record, three consecutive trips to the WNBA Playoffs and one WNBA Championship.

Hopkins has over a decade of experience as a basketball coach at the professional, collegiate, and high school levels. He specializes in: relationship building; providing nuanced individual skill development at every position, improving footwork and shot mechanics, creating and maintaining positive team culture via specific framing and communication strategies, and cultivating positive mindsets in players and coaches.

Prior to joining the Lynx staff, Hopkins served as Academic Coach at the University of California, Berkeley (2014-2016). He also served as the assistant women's basketball coach at Utah Valley University (2013-2014) and Director of Basketball Operations and Player Development Coach for the Tulsa Shock (2013).

Originally from Sparks, Nevada, Hopkins received his bachelor's degree at the University of Nevada-Reno. He also holds master's degrees from Harvard and UC Berkeley, where his studies focused primarily on applying findings from Social, Developmental and Educational Psychology to coaching settings.



**GUARD**



# #7 LAYSHIA CLARENDON

EIGHTH SEASON | CALIFORNIA | SAN BERNADINO, CALIF. | 5-9 | BORN MAY 2, 1991 | 2020: 13.4 PPG, 4.5 APG, 2.8 RPG

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The 5-9 guard then logged over two years in the Atlanta Dream's backcourt where she led the WNBA in assists in 2017. In the second-half of 2018, Layshia was traded to the Connecticut Sun where she spent the rest of the season, as well as 2019 where the Sun reached the WNBA Finals. Over the course of her career, Clarendon has averaged 6.9 points, 2.9 assists and 2.7 rebounds per game over 198 total regular-season contests, also seeing action in 21 playoff games.

## LAYSHIA'S 2020 GAME BY GAME STATS

DATE	OPP	RESULT	MIN	FGM-A	3PM-A	FTM-A	OREB	DREB	REBAST	STL	BLK	TO	PF	PTS
JULY 25	SEATTLE	L	32	5-9	0-2	10-12	0	2	2 3	2	0	3	2	20
JULY 29	AT DALLAS	L	25	5-8	0-1	1-1	1	3	4 4	2	0	3	2	11
JULY 31	AT ATLANTA	L	32	7-19	1-6	1-1	1	3	4 5	1	0	6	6	16
AUG 2	PHOENIX	L	25	3-10	0-2	6-6	0	1	2 4	0	0	2	2	12
AUG 5	MINNESOTA	L	26	3-7	0-1	1-1	0	2	2 6	0	0	7	0	7
AUG 7	AT WASHINGTON	W	32	5-7	4-5	0-0	0	4	4 6	2	0	7	5	14
AUG 9	LAS VEGAS	L	34	6-11	2-2	1-2	0	5	5 8	2	0	6	4	15
AUG 11	AT LOS ANGELES	L	27	3-5	1-1	4-4	0	1	1 5	0	0	3	3	11
AUG 13	INDIANA	L	37	8-17	1-2	3-6	0	2	2 2	1	0	2	2	20
AUG 15	AT MINNESOTA	L	21	1-3	0-1	6-6	0	2	2 2	2	0	2	3	8
AUG 18	AT SEATTLE													
AUG 20	CHICAGO													
AUG 22	AT CONNECTICUT													
AUG 25	AT CHICAGO													
AUG 27	DALLAS													
AUG 29	AT LAS VEGAS													
SEPT 1	CONNECTICUT													
SEPT 3	ATLANTA													
SEPT 5	AT PHOENIX													
SEPT 8	LOS ANGELES													
SEPT 10	AT INDIANA													
SEPT 12	WASHINGTON													

## CAREER REGULAR SEASON HIGHS

### Per Game Highs

Points  
Rebounds  
Defensive Rebounds  
Offensive Rebounds  
Assists  
Blocks  
Steals  
FGs Made  
FGs Attempted  
3PT FGs Made  
3PT FGs Attempted  
Minutes Played

### Season

20 (2 Times)  
4 (2 Times)  
5 (Las Vegas - 8/9/20)  
5 (Las Vegas - 8/9/20)  
8 (Las Vegas - 8/9/20)  
2 (2 Times)  
8 (Indiana - 8/11/20)  
19 (Atlanta - 7/31/20)  
4 (Washington - 8/7/20)  
6 (Atlanta - 7/31/20)  
37 (Indiana - 8/11/20)

### Career

27 (Indiana - 7/7/2017)  
10 (Phoenix - 7/25/2017)  
8 (2 Times)  
4 (3 Times)  
14 (Seattle - 8/23/2017)  
1 (6 Times)  
4 (Minnesota - 8/3/2017)  
11 (Indiana - 7/7/2017)  
19 (Atlanta - 7/31/20)  
4 (Washington - 8/7/20)  
6 (Atlanta - 7/31/20)  
41 (Dallas - 7/8/2016)

## CAREER REGULAR SEASON AVERAGES

SEASON	TEAM	G	GS	MPG	FG%	3P%	FT%	OREB	DREB	RPG	APG	SPG	BPG	TO	PF	PPG
2013	IND	30	4	19.4	33.1	25.9	40.9	0.6	1.2	1.8	1.8	0.5	0.0	1.3	2.2	4.2
2014	IND	29	3	13.7	40.2	31.6	70.8	0.4	1.0	1.4	1.2	0.3	0.0	0.9	1.1	4.2
2015	IND	29	12	20.8	44.5	40.6	76.5	1.0	1.7	2.7	2.0	0.6	0.0	1.6	2.0	6.7
2016	ATL	34	32	28.2	46.6	34.6	76.5	1.3	3.1	4.3	3.5	0.7	0.0	2.2	2.3	10.4
2017	ATL	34	33	29.8	37.8	18.0	87.9	0.9	2.9	3.8	6.6	0.9	0.0	2.6	2.9	10.7
2018	TOT	33	4	16.6	40.1	10.0	81.1	0.5	1.3	1.8	2.2	0.4	0.0	1.1	1.5	4.8
2019	CON	9	0	15.3	41.9	100	85.7	0.8	1.7	2.4	2.1	0.3	0.0	0.8	0.8	6.2
<b>Career</b>		<b>198</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>21.4</b>	<b>40.6</b>	<b>27.7</b>	<b>78.1</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>6.9</b>





**GUARD**



# #20 SABRINA IONESCU

ROOKIE SEASON | OREGON '20 | WALNUT CREEK, CALIF. | 5-11 | BORN DECEMBER 6, 1997 | 2020: 18.3 PPG, 4.7 RPG, 4.0 APG

Sabrina Ionescu was selected 1st overall in the 2020 WNBA Draft by the New York Liberty, which was the team's first overall selection in franchise history.

At Oregon, she amassed 2,562 points, 1,040 rebounds and 1,091 assists during her collegiate career, making her the only player in NCAA history—male or female—with 2,000 points, 1,000 rebounds, and 1,000 assists. In her senior season, Ionescu averaged 17.5 points, 9.1 assists and 8.6 rebounds per game. She also shot 45.5 percent from the field, 42.2 percent from three-point range, and 85.1 percent from the free-throw line during her career at Oregon.

She is the program's all-time leader in points, three-pointers, assists, triple-doubles and double-figure scoring games.

## SABRINA'S 2020 GAME BY GAME STATS

DATE	OPP	RESULT	MIN	FGM-A	3PM-A	FTM-A	OREB	DREB	REB	AST	STL	BLK	TO	PF	PTS
JULY 25	SEATTLE	L	34	4 - 17	0 - 8	4 - 4	1	5	6	4	1	0	4	2	12
JULY 29	AT DALLAS	L	34	11 - 20	6 - 10	5 - 5	1	6	7	7	0	0	5	1	33
JULY 31	AT ATLANTA	L	12	4 - 5	1 - 2	1 - 1	0	1	1	1	1	0	4	1	10
AUG 2	PHOENIX	L	DNP	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
AUG 5	MINNESOTA	L	DNP	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
AUG 7	AT WASHINGTON	W	DNP	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
AUG 9	LAS VEGAS	L	DNP	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
AUG 11	AT LOS ANGELES	L	DNP	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
AUG 13	INDIANA	L	DNP	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
AUG 15	AT MINNESOTA	L	DNP	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
AUG 18	AT SEATTLE														
AUG 20	CHICAGO														
AUG 22	AT CONNECTICUT														
AUG 25	AT CHICAGO														
AUG 27	DALLAS														
AUG 29	AT LAS VEGAS														
SEPT 1	CONNECTICUT														
SEPT 3	ATLANTA														
SEPT 5	AT PHOENIX														
SEPT 8	LOS ANGELES														
SEPT 10	AT INDIANA														
SEPT 12	WASHINGTON														

## CAREER REGULAR SEASON HIGHS

### Per Game Highs

- Points
- Rebounds
- Defensive Rebounds
- Offensive Rebounds
- Assists
- Blocks
- Steals
- Field Goals Made
- Field Goals Attempted
- 3PT FGs Made
- 3PT FGs Attempted
- Minutes Played

### Career

- 33 (Dallas - 7/29/20)
- 7 (Dallas - 7/29/20)
- 6 (Dallas - 7/29/20)
- 1 (2 Times)
- 7 (Dallas - 7/29/20)
- 1 (2 Times)
- 11 (Dallas - 7/29/20)
- 20 (Dallas - 7/29/20)
- 6 (Dallas - 7/29/20)
- 10 (Dallas - 7/29/20)
- 34 (2 Times)

## CAREER REGULAR SEASON AVERAGES

SEASON	TEAM	G	GS	MPG	FG%	3P%	FT%	OREB	DREB	RPG	APG	SPG	BPG	TO	PF	PPG
2020	NYL															
Career																



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# #4 JAZMINE JONES

ROOKIE SEASON | LOUISVILLE '20 | TALLAHASSEE, FLA. | 6-0 | BORN OCTOBER 15, 1996 | 2020: 9.8 PPG, 3.0 RPG, 1.9 APG

The New York Liberty selected University of Louisville guard Jazmine Jones with the 12th overall pick in the 2020 WNBA Draft, which was acquired via trade from the Washington Mystics.

Jones, a 6-0 guard from Louisville, is reunited with former teammate Asia Durr, after the duo spent three seasons together in the Cardinals' backcourt. Over her four-year career, the Tallahassee, Fla. native totaled 1,178 points on 477 field goals (52.4%), 559 rebounds and 314 assists. She was recently named to the All-ACC First Team, Defensive Team and All-Tournament Team as well as a WBCA All-American honorable mention.

Jazmine and Kylee Shook spent all four years together as teammates at U of L under Jeff Walz.

## JAZMINE'S 2020 GAME BY GAME STATS

DATE	OPP	RESULT	MIN	FGM-A	3PM-A	FTM-A	OREB	DREB	REB	AST	STL	BLK	TO	PF	PTS
JULY 25	SEATTLE	L	DNP	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
JULY 29	AT DALLAS	L	12	3 - 10	1 - 2	1 - 1	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	2	8
JULY 31	AT ATLANTA	L	21	6 - 10	2 - 4	6 - 7	0	1	1	1	2	2	2	5	20
AUG 2	PHOENIX	L	21	1 - 6	0 - 0	1 - 2	2	5	7	4	0	0	3	3	3
AUG 5	MINNESOTA	L	22	1 - 6	0 - 1	1 - 2	1	3	4	3	0	2	4	2	3
AUG 7	AT WASHINGTON	W	10	1 - 4	0 - 1	1 - 1	0	4	4	1	0	0	2	2	3
AUG 9	LAS VEGAS	L	14	1 - 3	0 - 1	1 - 2	0	0	0	2	1	0	2	4	3
AUG 11	AT LOS ANGELES	L	26	8 - 16	1 - 2	7 - 7	1	1	2	1	5	0	5	3	24
AUG 13	INDIANA	L	24	4 - 11	2 - 2	1 - 2	2	2	4	3	1	0	1	3	11
AUG 15	AT MINNESOTA	L	21	4 - 12	1 - 3	4 - 6	2	2	4	2	0	0	0	5	13
AUG 18	AT SEATTLE														
AUG 20	CHICAGO														
AUG 22	AT CONNECTICUT														
AUG 25	AT CHICAGO														
AUG 27	DALLAS														
AUG 29	AT LAS VEGAS														
SEPT 1	CONNECTICUT														
SEPT 3	ATLANTA														
SEPT 5	AT PHOENIX														
SEPT 8	LOS ANGELES														
SEPT 10	AT INDIANA														
SEPT 12	WASHINGTON														

## CAREER REGULAR SEASON HIGHS

### Per Game Highs

Points  
Rebounds  
Defensive Rebounds  
Offensive Rebounds  
Assists  
Blocks  
Steals  
FGs Made  
FGs Attempted  
3 PT FGs Made  
3 PT FGs Attempted  
Minutes Played

### Career

24 (LA - 8/11/20)  
7 (Phoenix - 8/2/2020)  
5 (Phoenix - 8/2/2020)  
2 (Phoenix - 8/2/2020)  
4 (Phoenix - 8/2/2020)  
2 (2 Times)  
5 (LA - 8/11/20)  
8 (LA - 8/11/20)  
16 (LA - 8/11/20)  
2 (2 Times)  
4 (Atlanta - 7/31/20)  
26 (LA - 8/11/20)

## CAREER REGULAR SEASON AVERAGES

SEASON	TEAM	G	GS	MPG	FG%	3P%	FT%	OREB	DREB	RPG	APG	SPG	BPG	TO	PF	PPG
2020	NYL															
Career																





**GUARD**

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# #5 KIA NURSE

THIRD SEASON | CONNECTICUT '18 | HAMILTON, CANADA | 6-0 | BORN FEB. 22, 1996 | 2020: 10.6 PPG, 1.8 RPG, 1.5 APG

Third-year guard and first time WNBA All-Star starter, Kia Nurse was the Liberty's second-leading scorer with 13.7 points per game.

In addition to being voted to start in the 2019 WNBA All Star game and scoring 15 points, Nurse was also selected to compete in the 3-point contest.

The Canadian guard had a career season in 2019 improving in nearly every statistical category since her rookie season. She is also the only New York Liberty player to start in each of the team's 34 games. She scored a season-high 26 points on three different occasions. On August 25, Nurse connected on a career-high six three-point shots against the Washington Mystics.

## KIA'S 2020 GAME BY GAME STATS

DATE	OPP	RESULT	MIN	FGM-A	3PM-A	FTM-A	OREB	DREB	REB	AST	STL	BLK	TO	PF	PTS
JULY 25	SEATTLE	L	10	1-4	0-1	0-0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	2
JULY 29	AT DALLAS	L	22	1-6	0-4	0-0	0	2	2	2	0	0	2	1	2
JULY 31	AT ATLANTA	L	DNP	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
AUG 2	PHOENIX	L	27	3-17	3-11	8-8	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	17
AUG 5	MINNESOTA	L	25	3-16	2-8	2-2	0	0	0	3	0	1	3	2	10
AUG 7	AT WASHINGTON	W	29	4-11	2-7	7-8	1	1	2	2	1	0	3	3	17
AUG 9	LAS VEGAS	L	26	2-10	1-5	2-5	0	1	1	1	1	0	1	2	7
AUG 11	AT LOS ANGELES	L	20	1-9	1-6	6-6	0	2	2	0	0	0	3	1	9
AUG 13	INDIANA	L	32	4-15	2-10	11-12	0	6	6	3	0	0	0	2	21
AUG 15	AT MINNESOTA	L	23	0-9	0-3	4-6	1	2	3	3	1	0	2	1	4
AUG 18	AT SEATTLE														
AUG 20	CHICAGO														
AUG 22	AT CONNECTICUT														
AUG 25	AT CHICAGO														
AUG 27	DALLAS														
AUG 29	AT LAS VEGAS														
SEPT 1	CONNECTICUT														
SEPT 3	ATLANTA														
SEPT 5	AT PHOENIX														
SEPT 8	LOS ANGELES														
SEPT 10	AT INDIANA														
SEPT 12	WASHINGTON														

## CAREER REGULAR SEASON HIGHS

Per Game Highs	Season	Career
Points	21 (Indiana - 8/13/20)	34 (Indiana - 6/2/2018)
Rebounds	6 (Indiana - 8/13/20)	9 (Indiana - 6/2/2018)
Defensive Rebounds	6 (Indiana - 8/13/20)	7 (Phoenix - 8/18/2019)
Offensive Rebounds	1 (Washington- 8/7/2020)	3 (6 Times)
Assists	3 (2 Times)	6 (Phoenix - 8/27/2019)
Blocks		2 (Phoenix - 7/5/2019)
Steals	1 (Seattle - 7/25/20)	4 (Los Angeles - 6/15/19)
Field Goals Made	4 (2 Times)	9 (3 Times)
Field Goals Attempted	17 (Phoenix - 8/2/2020)	20 (Washington - 8/25/2019)
3PT FGs Made	3 (Phoenix - 8/2/2020)	6 (Washington - 8/25/2019)
3PT FGs Attempted	11 (Phoenix - 8/2/2020)	11 (2 Times)
Minutes Played	32 (Indiana - 8/13/20)	40 (4 Times)

## CAREER REGULAR SEASON AVERAGES

SEASON	TEAM	G	GS	MPG	FG%	3P%	FT%	OREB	DREB	RPG	APG	SPG	BPG	TO	PF	PPG
2018	NYL	34	7	22.8	40.2	29.4	87.0	0.7	1.7	2.4	1.6	0.6	0.1	0.8	2.1	9.1
2019	NYL	34	34	29.4	39.3	35.3	87.2	0.6	1.9	2.5	2.3	0.7	0.1	1.6	1.8	13.7
Career		68	41	26.1	39.7	32.9	87.1	0.6	1.8	2.5	1.9	0.7	0.1	1.3	1.9	11.4



GUARD

# #0 LEONNA ODOM

ROOKIE SEASON | DUKE '20 | LOMPOC, CALIF. | 6-2 | BORN APRIL 5, 1997 | 2020: 5.5 PPG, 2.1 RPG

The New York Liberty selected Duke forward, Leonna Odom, with the 15th overall pick in the 2020 WNBA Draft.

Odom, a product of Duke, joins New York after playing four seasons for Joanne McCallie for the Blue Devils. Over that span, the Lompoc, Calif. native totaled 1,387 points, 599 field goals, 729 rebounds and 201 assists. Odom was named Second Team All-ACC in her senior season.

Odom is described by the coaching staff as one of the most versatile players on the roster, with the ability to play any position on the floor.

## LEONNA'S 2020 GAME BY GAME STATS

DATE	OPP	RESULT	MIN	FGM-A	3PM-A	FTM-A	OREB	DREB	REBAST	STL	BLK	TO	PF	PTS
JULY 25	SEATTLE	L	28	4-6	1-2	0-0	2	1	3	0	0	3	1	9
JULY 29	AT DALLAS	L	13	0-1	0-0	0-0	3	1	4	0	1	0	0	0
JULY 31	AT ATLANTA	L	21	1-3	1-2	0-0	2	0	2	1	0	1	0	3
AUG 2	PHOENIX	L	16	2-4	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	4
AUG 5	MINNESOTA	L	28	4-6	1-2	1-1	2	0	2	1	1	0	1	10
AUG 7	AT WASHINGTON	W	27	3-6	1-2	2-2	3	1	4	1	0	0	4	9
AUG 9	LAS VEGAS	L	26	3-4	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	6
AUG 11	AT LOS ANGELES	L	21	2-2	0-0	0-0	1	3	4	0	0	1	1	4
AUG 13	INDIANA	L	10	0-2	0-1	2-2	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	2
AUG 15	AT MINNESOTA	L	18	3-7	0-0	2-2	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	8
AUG 18	AT SEATTLE													
AUG 20	CHICAGO													
AUG 22	AT CONNECTICUT													
AUG 25	AT CHICAGO													
AUG 27	DALLAS													
AUG 29	AT LAS VEGAS													
SEPT 1	CONNECTICUT													
SEPT 3	ATLANTA													
SEPT 5	AT PHOENIX													
SEPT 8	LOS ANGELES													
SEPT 10	AT INDIANA													
SEPT 12	WASHINGTON													

## CAREER REGULAR SEASON HIGHS

### Per Game Highs

Points  
Rebounds  
Defensive Rebounds  
Offensive Rebounds  
Assists  
Blocks  
Steals  
FGs Made  
FGs Attempted  
3 PT FGs Made  
3 PT FGs Attempted  
Minutes Played

### Career

10 (Minnesota - 8/5/20)  
4 (2 Times)  
3 (LA - 8/11/20)  
3 (2 Times)  
1 (2 Times)  
1 (Atlanta - 7/31/20)  
1 (2 Times)  
4 (2 Times)  
6 (3 Times)  
1 (4 Times)  
2 (4 Times)  
28 (2 Times)

## CAREER REGULAR SEASON AVERAGES

SEASON	TEAM	G	GS	MPG	FG%	3P%	FT%	OREB	DREB	RPG	APG	SPG	BPG	TO	PF	PPG
2020	NYL															
Career																



**FORWARD**

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# #24 KYLEE SHOOK

ROOKIE SEASON | LOUISVILLE '20 | COLORADO SPRINGS, CO. | 6-4 | BORN MARCH 18, 1998 | 2020: 4.8 PPG, 3.0 RPG

With the 13th overall pick in the 2020 WNBA Draft, the New York Liberty kept their sights on Louisville's talented roster, selecting Kylee Shook.

Shook, a 6-4 forward, is also reunited with former teammate Asia Durr. Over her four-year career, the Colorado Springs native totaled 948 points on 393 field goals (47.6%), 89 three-pointers (38.2%), 724 rebounds and 223 blocks. She was named the 2019-2020 ACC Defensive Player of the Year and finished her career as Louisville's all-time leader in blocked shots.

Kylee and Jazmine Jones spent all four years together as teammates at U of L under Jeff Walz.

## KYLEE'S 2020 GAME BY GAME STATS

DATE	OPP	RESULT	MIN	FGM-A	3PM-A	FTM-A	OREB	DREB	REBAST	STL	BLK	TO	PF	PTS
JULY 25	SEATTLE	L	12	1-4	0-0	0-0	0	1	1 0 0	0	0	0	2	2
JULY 29	AT DALLAS	L	9	0-2	0-0	0-0	1	1	2 0 0	0	0	1	0	0
JULY 31	AT ATLANTA	L	23	3-5	0-0	3-4	1	3	4 2 1	2	0	2	2	9
AUG 2	PHOENIX	L	14	3-6	0-2	1-1	3	2	5 1 0	0	0	2	3	7
AUG 5	MINNESOTA	L	18	3-5	1-2	2-2	2	4	6 0 0	0	0	0	1	9
AUG 7	AT WASHINGTON	W	9	0-3	0-1	0-0	0	0	0 0 0	0	0	0	0	0
AUG 9	LAS VEGAS	L	DNP	--	--	--	--	--	-- -- --	--	--	--	--	--
AUG 11	AT LOS ANGELES	L	13	1-1	0-0	3-4	1	2	3 1 1	1	1	1	1	5
AUG 13	INDIANA	L	17	1-5	0-1	0-0	1	2	3 0 2	2	0	2	2	2
AUG 15	AT MINNESOTA	L	24	4-9	1-2	0-0	1	2	3 0 0	1	2	2	2	9
AUG 18	AT SEATTLE													
AUG 20	CHICAGO													
AUG 22	AT CONNECTICUT													
AUG 25	AT CHICAGO													
AUG 27	DALLAS													
AUG 29	AT LAS VEGAS													
SEPT 1	CONNECTICUT													
SEPT 3	ATLANTA													
SEPT 5	AT PHOENIX													
SEPT 8	LOS ANGELES													
SEPT 10	AT INDIANA													
SEPT 12	WASHINGTON													

## CAREER REGULAR SEASON HIGHS

### Per Game Highs

- Points
- Rebounds
- Defensive Rebounds
- Offensive Rebounds
- Assists
- Blocks
- Steals
- FGs Made
- FGs Attempted
- 3 PT FGs Made
- 3 PT FGs Attempted
- Minutes Played

### Career

- 9 (3 Times)
- 6 (Minnesota - 8/5/20)
- 3 (Atlanta - 7/31/20)
- 3 (Phoenix - 8/2/2020)
- 2 (Atlanta - 7/31/20)
- 2 (2 Times)
- 2 (Indiana - 8/13/20)
- 3 (3 Times)
- 6 (Phoenix - 8/2/2020)
- 1 (Minnesota - 8/5/20)
- 2 (2 Times)
- 24 (Minnesota - 8/15/20)

## CAREER REGULAR SEASON AVERAGES

SEASON	TEAM	G	GS	MPG	FG%	3P%	FT%	OREB	DREB	RPG	APG	SPG	BPG	TO	PF	PPG
2020	NYL															
Career																



CENTER



# #41 KIAH STOKES

5TH SEASON | CONNECTICUT '15 | CEDAR RAPIDS, IA | 6-3 | BORN MARCH 30, 1993 | 2020: 4.6 PPG, 7.1 RPG, 1.4 APG

After missing the 2019 WNBA season, Kiah Stokes is returning to the Liberty frontcourt for her 5th season with the team.

A 1st round selection (11th overall) of New York in 2015, Stokes has averaged 20.8 minutes, 5.1 points, 6.1 rebounds and 1.3 blocks per game through four seasons with the Liberty.

She also holds several franchise records including most blocks in Liberty history (163), blocks in a game (8), blocks in a season (67), the second-most rookie average rebounds per game (6.4), and is tied for the third-most rebounds in a single-game (17).

## KIAH'S 2020 GAME BY GAME STATS

DATE	OPP	RESULT	MIN	FGM-A	3PM-A	FTM-A	OREB	DREB	REBAST	STL	BLK	TO	PF	PTS	
JULY 25	SEATTLE	L	27	2 - 4	1 - 3	0 - 0	1	8	9	2	1	2	2	4	5
JULY 29	AT DALLAS	L	29	2 - 4	1 - 3	0 - 0	2	4	6	1	0	0	0	2	5
JULY 31	AT ATLANTA	L	20	0 - 6	0 - 5	0 - 0	1	6	7	1	0	2	2	0	0
AUG 2	PHOENIX	L	27	2 - 7	1 - 5	1 - 2	2	3	5	0	0	0	2	2	6
AUG 5	MINNESOTA	L	22	2 - 3	0 - 1	0 - 0	1	7	8	2	1	0	1	1	4
AUG 7	AT WASHINGTON	W	33	1 - 4	1 - 3	0 - 0	1	3	4	1	0	0	4	3	3
AUG 9	LAS VEGAS	L	34	3 - 9	0 - 5	0 - 0	4	8	12	3	1	2	2	3	6
AUG 11	AT LOS ANGELES	L	31	2 - 7	1 - 3	0 - 0	3	6	9	2	1	1	3	3	5
AUG 13	INDIANA	L	36	3 - 6	3 - 5	0 - 0	2	6	8	2	0	1	1	3	9
AUG 15	AT MINNESOTA	L	16	1 - 2	1 - 2	0 - 0	0	3	3	0	0	0	1	1	3
AUG 18	AT SEATTLE														
AUG 20	CHICAGO														
AUG 22	AT CONNECTICUT														
AUG 25	AT CHICAGO														
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## CAREER REGULAR SEASON HIGHS

### Per Game Highs

Points  
Rebounds  
Defensive Rebounds  
Offensive Rebounds  
Assists  
Blocks  
Steals  
Field Goals Made  
Field Goals Attempted  
3PT FGs Made  
3PT FGs Attempted  
Minutes Played

### Season

6 (2 Times)  
12 (Las Vegas - 8/9/20)  
8 (2 Times)  
4 (Las Vegas - 8/9/20)  
3 (Las Vegas - 8/9/20)  
2 (3 Times)  
1 (2 Times)  
3 (Las Vegas - 8/9/20)  
9 (Las Vegas - 8/9/20)  
3 (Indiana - 8/13/20)  
5 (3 Times)  
36 (Indiana - 8/13/20)

### Career

25 (2 Times)  
17 (Atlanta - 6/7/2017)  
14 (Atlanta - 6/7/2017)  
7 (2 Times)  
4 (2 Times)  
8 (Connecticut - 7/16/2015)  
4 (Atlanta - 9/1/2015)  
6 (5 Times)  
10 (Phoenix - 6/4/2017)  
3 (Indiana - 8/13/20)  
5 (3 Times)  
38 (Atlanta - 6/22/2016)

## CAREER REGULAR SEASON AVERAGES

SEASON	TEAM	G	GS	MPG	FG%	3P%	FT%	OREB	DREB	RPG	APG	SPG	BPG	TO	PF	PPG
2015	NYL	34	6	25.4	54.7	0.0	68.8	1.8	4.7	6.4	0.8	0.7	1.9	1.0	2.2	5.8
2016	NYL	27	0	24.1	64.1	0.0	62.7	2.3	5.1	7.4	0.7	0.6	1.4	1.1	2.9	6.9
2017	NYL	34	12	19.6	53.1	0.0	79.6	2.3	4.0	6.3	0.9	0.3	1.1	1.1	2.8	4.8
2018	NYL	30	4	14.2	54.5	0.0	53.3	1.4	3.0	4.5	0.4	0.3	0.6	0.7	1.9	3.1
<b>Career</b>		<b>125</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>20.8</b>	<b>56.7</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>68.8</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>0.7</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>5.1</b>





FORWARD/GUARD

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# #13 JOCELYN WILLOUGHBY

ROOKIE SEASON | VIRGINIA '20 | EAST ORANGE, N.J. | 6-0 | BORN APRIL 5, 1997 | 2020: 5.4 PPG, 2.2 RPG

Willoughby was selected 10th overall in the first round of the 2020 WNBA Draft by the Phoenix Mercury and traded to New York in exchange for the rights to Shatori Walker-Kimbrough.

Willoughby, a versatile forward/guard, grew up just 16 miles from the Barclays Center in East Orange, N.J. She'll soon return to the Tri-State area after playing four seasons for the Cavaliers. Over that span, she totaled 1,622 points on 566 field goals, 119 three-pointers (38.8%) and 868 rebounds. After a breakout campaign in 2020 where she averaged 19.2 points per game, Willoughby was named All-ACC First Team. Jocelyn also garnered an impressive list of academic awards including the Kay Yow Award winner.

## JOCELYN'S 2020 GAME BY GAME STATS

DATE	OPP	RESULT	MIN	FGM-A	3PM-A	FTM-A	OREB	DREB	REBAST	STL	BLK	TO	PF	PTS	
JULY 25	SEATTLE	L	24	2 - 7	2 - 3	3 - 4	0	4	4	0	0	1	2	2	9
JULY 29	AT DALLAS	L	18	1 - 4	1 - 1	0 - 0	0	3	3	2	1	0	1	1	3
JULY 31	AT ATLANTA	L	26	5 - 10	2 - 3	2 - 2	1	2	3	1	3	2	0	3	14
AUG 2	PHOENIX	L	18	0 - 5	0 - 2	2 - 2	2	1	3	0	0	0	2	5	2
AUG 5	MINNESOTA	L	14	1 - 3	0 - 1	0 - 0	0	1	1	1	1	0	1	5	2
AUG 7	AT WASHINGTON	W	14	1 - 4	0 - 1	7 - 9	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	3	9
AUG 9	LAS VEGAS	L	10	1 - 3	0 - 0	1 - 1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	3
AUG 11	AT LOS ANGELES	L	16	1 - 5	0 - 2	2 - 2	0	2	2	0	2	0	3	1	4
AUG 13	INDIANA	L	9	0 - 1	0 - 0	2 - 2	2	1	3	0	0	0	1	0	2
AUG 15	AT MINNESOTA	L	17	2 - 6	0 - 2	2 - 2	0	2	2	1	1	0	2	2	6
AUG 18	AT SEATTLE														
AUG 20	CHICAGO														
AUG 22	AT CONNECTICUT														
AUG 25	AT CHICAGO														
AUG 27	DALLAS														
AUG 29	AT LAS VEGAS														
SEPT 1	CONNECTICUT														
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SEPT 8	LOS ANGELES														
SEPT 10	AT INDIANA														
SEPT 12	WASHINGTON														

## CAREER REGULAR SEASON HIGHS

### Per Game Highs

- Points
- Rebounds
- Defensive Rebounds
- Offensive Rebounds
- Assists
- Blocks
- Steals
- FGs Made
- FGs Attempted
- 3 PT FGs Made
- 3 PT FGs Attempted
- Minutes Played

### Career

- 14 (Atlanta - 7/31/20)
- 4 (Seattle - 7/25/20)
- 4 (Seattle - 7/25/20)
- 2 (Phoenix - 8/2/2020)
- 2 (Dallas - 7/29/20)
- 2 (Atlanta - 7/31/20)
- 3 (Atlanta - 7/31/20)
- 5 (Atlanta - 7/31/20)
- 10 (Atlanta - 7/31/20)
- 2 (2 Times)
- 3 (2 Times)
- 26 (Atlanta - 7/31/20)

## CAREER REGULAR SEASON AVERAGES

SEASON	TEAM	G	GS	MPG	FG%	3P%	FT%	OREB	DREB	RPG	APG	SPG	BPG	TO	PF	PPG
2020	NYL															
Career																



# CENTER

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# #17 AMANDA ZAHUI B.

SIXTH SEASON | MINNESOTA '15 | STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN | 6-5 | BORN SEPTEMBER 8, 1993 | 2020: 11.0 PPG, 9.0 RPG, 1.8 APG

New York center/forward Amanda Zahui B finished her 2019 season and fifth WNBA season averaging 8.6 points and 6.3 rebounds.

Despite leaving mid-season for overseas commitments and suffering from a concussion which caused her to miss several games, Zahui B started in 23 of the 24 games that she played in this season, averaging 23.2 minutes per game.

In her best performance of the season, the native of Sweden scored a career-high 37 points in the Liberty's road victory against the Los Angeles Sparks on June 15. Zahui B shot an impressive 13-16 from the field, 7-8 from beyond the arc and 4-4 from the charity stripe.

## AMANDA'S 2020 GAME BY GAME STATS

DATE	OPP	RESULT	MIN	FGM-A	3PM-A	FTM-A	OREB	DREB	REB	AST	STL	BLK	TO	PF	PTS
JULY 25	SEATTLE	L	23	4 - 11	2 - 7	0 - 0	0	8	8	2	0	2	4	1	10
JULY 29	AT DALLAS	L	25	4 - 12	0 - 3	1 - 4	4	7	11	0	0	2	4	3	9
JULY 31	AT ATLANTA	L	19	0 - 4	0 - 1	2 - 2	1	4	5	1	0	2	1	4	2
AUG 2	PHOENIX	L	23	2 - 6	1 - 4	6 - 6	1	8	9	2	1	0	1	6	11
AUG 5	MINNESOTA	L	24	5 - 10	3 - 5	0 - 2	2	4	6	1	4	0	4	2	13
AUG 7	AT WASHINGTON	W	34	5 - 10	4 - 9	0 - 2	0	14	14	3	0	2	1	3	14
AUG 9	LAS VEGAS	L	26	6 - 9	6 - 9	2 - 2	1	8	9	2	0	1	0	4	20
AUG 11	AT LOS ANGELES	L	34	3 - 7	3 - 5	0 - 0	1	9	10	3	1	2	6	3	9
AUG 13	INDIANA	L	25	2 - 8	2 - 5	2 - 2	1	4	5	0	1	0	2	2	8
AUG 15	AT MINNESOTA	L	23	2 - 7	1 - 3	0 - 0	1	7	8	1	1	3	4	4	5
AUG 18	AT SEATTLE														
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SEPT 1	CONNECTICUT														
SEPT 3	ATLANTA														
SEPT 5	AT PHOENIX														
SEPT 8	LOS ANGELES														
SEPT 10	AT INDIANA														
SEPT 12	WASHINGTON														

## CAREER REGULAR SEASON HIGHS

Per Game Highs	Season	Career
Points	20 (Las Vegas - 8/9/20)	37 (Los Angeles - 6/15/19)
Rebounds	14 (Washington - 8/7/20)	14 (Washington - 8/7/20)
Defensive Rebounds	8 (2 Times)	10 (3 Times)
Offensive Rebounds	4 (Dallas - 7/29/20)	6 (2 Times)
Assists	3 (2 Times)	5 (Connecticut - 8/4/2019)
Blocks	2 (3 Times)	6 (Los Angeles - 6/4/2019)
Steals	4 (Minnesota - 8/5/20)	4 (Minnesota - 8/5/20)
Field Goals Made	5 (2 Times)	13 (Los Angeles - 6/15/19)
Field Goals Attempted	12 (Dallas - 7/29/20)	16 (Los Angeles - 6/15/19)
3PT FGs Made	6 (Las Vegas - 8/9/20)	7 (Los Angeles - 6/15/19)
3PT FGs Attempted	9 (2 Times)	8 (Los Angeles - 6/15/19)
Minutes Played	34 (Washington - 8/7/20)	35 (Los Angeles - 6/15/19)

## CAREER REGULAR SEASON AVERAGES

SEASON	TEAM	G	GS	MPG	FG%	3P%	FT%	OREB	DREB	RPG	APG	SPG	BPG	TO	PF	PPG
2015	TUL	31	0	9.7	36.1	33.3	75.0	0.8	1.6	2.4	0.3	0.2	0.6	0.6	1.9	3.4
2016	NYL	33	1	11.3	44.9	18.8	78.7	1.3	1.9	3.2	0.4	0.3	0.6	1.1	2.1	5.0
2017	NYL	29	0	5.3	40.0	25.0	75.0	0.3	0.8	1.1	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.5	1.2	2.2
2018	NYL	29	0	15.9	50.0	34.4	60.5	1.3	1.7	3.0	0.7	0.3	0.4	1.5	2.8	7.7
2019	NYL	24	23	23.2	46.8	31.9	85.2	1.1	5.3	6.3	0.9	1.0	1.3	1.3	3.3	8.6
<b>Career</b>		<b>146</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>12.7</b>	<b>44.9</b>	<b>31.6</b>	<b>74.7</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>5.2</b>

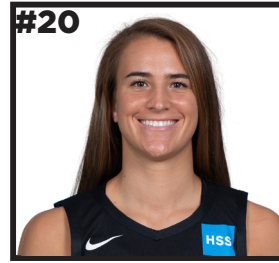
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CALIFORNIA



**JOYNER HOLMES**  
FORWARD  
TEXAS



**SABRINA IONESCU**  
GUARD  
OREGON



**JAZMINE JONES**  
GUARD  
LOUISVILLE



**KIA NURSE**  
GUARD  
CONNECTICUT



**LEAONNA ODOM**  
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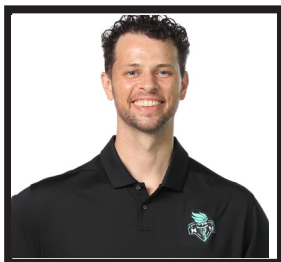
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FORWARD  
CONNECTICUT



**JOCELYN WILLOUGHBY**  
FORWARD/GUARD  
VIRGINIA



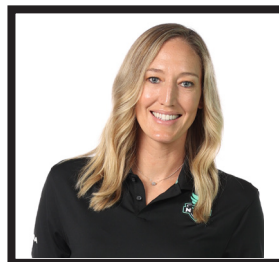
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MINNESOTA



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1ST SEASON



**SHELLEY PATTERSON**  
ASSISTANT COACH  
1ST SEASON



**KELLY RAIMON**  
ASSISTANT COACH  
1ST SEASON



**DUSTIN GRAY**  
ASSISTANT COACH  
1ST SEASON

LIBERTY

# LOUD



## 2020 SEASON



<b>SAT. 7/25 • 12PM SEATTLE STORM</b>	<b>ESPN</b>
WED. 7/29 • 8PM @ DALLAS WINGS	CBSSN / YES* / FSGO
FRI. 7/31 • 7PM @ ATLANTA DREAM	YES* / FSGO
<b>SUN. 8/2 • 1PM PHOENIX MERCURY</b>	<b>ESPN</b>
<b>WED. 8/5 • 7PM MINNESOTA LYNX</b>	<b>CBSSN / YES* / FSGO</b>
FRI. 8/7 • 7PM @ WASHINGTON MYSTICS	ESPN2
<b>SUN. 8/9 • 5PM LAS VEGAS ACES</b>	<b>YES / FSGO</b>
TUES. 8/11 • 10PM @ LOS ANGELES SPARKS	YES* / FSGO
<b>THURS. 8/13 • 6PM INDIANA FEVER</b>	<b>YES / FSGO</b>
SAT. 8/15 • 6PM @ MINNESOTA LYNX	CBSSN / YES* / FSGO
TUES. 8/18 • 10PM @ SEATTLE STORM	YES* / FSGO
<b>THURS. 8/20 • 7PM CHICAGO SKY</b>	<b>CBSSN / YES / FSGO</b>
SAT. 8/22 • 7PM @ CONNECTICUT SUN	CBSSN / YES* / FSGO
TUES. 8/25 • 7PM @ CHICAGO SKY	CBSSN / YES* / FSGO
<b>THURS. 8/27 • 8PM DALLAS WINGS</b>	<b>CBSSN / YES / FSGO</b>
SAT. 8/29 • 4PM @ LAS VEGAS ACES	CBS
<b>TUES. 9/1 • 7PM CONNECTICUT SUN</b>	<b>CBSSN / YES* / FSGO</b>
<b>THURS. 9/3 • 7PM ATLANTA DREAM</b>	<b>YES / FSGO</b>
SAT. 9/5 • 8PM @ PHOENIX MERCURY	<b>YES* / FSGO</b>
<b>TUES. 9/8 • 7PM LOS ANGELES SPARKS</b>	<b>CBSSN / YES* / FSGO</b>
THURS. 9/10 • 7PM @ INDIANA FEVER	CBSSN / YES* / FSGO
<b>SAT. 9/12 • 4PM WASHINGTON MYSTICS</b>	<b>YES* / FSGO</b>

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