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2021 SCHEDULE/RESULTS (5-2, 3-2)

MAY

FRI. 14	INDIANA	W, 90-87
SUN. 16	AT INDIANA	W, 73-65
TUE. 18	MINNESOTA	W, 86-75
FRI. 21	AT WASHINGTON	L, 72-101
SUN. 23	AT CHICAGO	W, 93-85
MON. 24	DALLAS	W, 88-81
SAT. 29	ATLANTA	L, 87-90

JUNE

THU. 3	LAS VEGAS	7:00 PM
SAT. 5	AT CONNECTICUT	7:00 PM
SUN. 13	AT PHOENIX	3:00 PM
TUE. 15	AT LAS VEGAS	7:00 PM
TUE. 17	AT LAS VEGAS	7:00 PM
SUN. 20	AT LOS ANGELES	1:00 PM
TUE. 22	CHICAGO	7:00 PM
THU. 24	CHICAGO	7:00 PM
SAT. 26	AT ATLANTA	7:00 PM
TUE. 29	AT ATLANTA	7:00 PM

JULY

SAT. 3	WASHINGTON	1:00 PM
MON. 5	DALLAS	7:00 PM
FRI. 9	AT INDIANA	7:00 PM
SUN. 11	CONNECTICUT	2:00 PM

AUGUST

SUN. 15	AT MINNESOTA	6:00 PM
WED. 18	SEATTLE	7:00 PM
FRI. 20	SEATTLE	7:00 PM
SUN. 22	LOS ANGELES	2:00 PM
WED. 25	PHOENIX	7:00 PM
FRI. 27	PHOENIX	8:00 PM
TUE. 31	AT MINNESOTA	7:00 PM

SEPTEMBER

THU. 2	AT SEATTLE	7:00 PM
SAT. 11	AT DALLAS	7:00 PM
WED. 15	AT CONNECTICUT	7:00 PM
FRI. 17	WASHINGTON	7:00 PM

*COMMISSIONER'S CUP

ALL TIMES LOCAL

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

PLAYER/COACH	PRONUNCIATION/EXAMPLE
Jacki Gemelos	Gym-el-us
Sabrina Ionescu	yo-NESS-coo
Betnijah Laney	buh-NAI-juh
Leaonna Odom	Lee-AH-nah
Michaela Onyenwere	Own-yen-way-day
Kylee Shook	"We SHOOK hands ... pre-COVID"

NEXT UP

GAME #9:

AT CONNECTICUT
SUN (7-2)

SATURDAY, JUNE 7

7 PM ET

TV: YES, NESN



GAME 8: NEW YORK LIBERTY VS. LAS VEGAS ACES HOME GAME #5



NEW YORK LIBERTY (5-2)

VS.

LAS VEGAS ACES (5-3)

Thursday, June 3, 2021 • 7:00 PM ET

Barclays Center (Brooklyn, N.Y.)

YES Network

EXPLORER EDITION UNIFORMS



2020 RESULTS VS. OPPONENT (0-2)

8/9/20 at New York L, 76-78

8/29/20 at Las Vegas L, 63-80

LIBERTY INJURY REPORT

Leaonna Odom (L. Achilles) - PROBABLE Natasha Howard (L. Knee) - OUT
Jocelyn Willoughby (L. Achilles) - OUT FOR SEASON

2021	PPG	OPP. PPG	FG%	OPP FG%	3PT%	OPP 3PT%	FT%	RPG	APG	STL	TO	BLK
NY	84.1	83.4	44.3	41.2	43.2	29.9	82.5	34.7	20.9	6.3	18.3	4.3
LV	88.4	78.3	48.8	40.8	33.6	29.2	82.2	34.5	20.5	7.0	10.9	6.6

LAST GAME STARTERS

[SF] BETNIJAH LANEY #44 • RUTGERS (5th Season) • 6-0

2021 Averages	Notables	Last Game
22.3 PPG 4.0 RPG 5.0 APG	Named the Eastern Conference Player of the Week on Tuesday, June 1; first of career.	20 points 6 rebounds 11 assists

[PF] MICHAELA ONYENWERE #12 • UCLA (Rookie) • 6-0

2021 Averages	Notables	Last Game
12.1 PPG 3.3 RPG 0.6 APG	Named the Kia WNBA Rookie of the Month for May.	29 points 5 rebounds 2 assists

[C] KYLEE SHOOK #24 • LOUISVILLE (2nd Season) • 6-4

2021 Averages	Notables	Last Game
6.4 PPG 4.3 RPG 2.1 APG	Career-high 3 three-point field goal attempts in last game on May 29.	5 points 3 rebounds 3 assists

[SG] SAMI WHITCOMB #32 • WASHINGTON (5th Season) • 5-10

2021 Averages	Notables	Last Game
10.3 PPG 5.4 RPG 2.1 APG	Tied for #2 in WNBA in three-point field goals made (20) with Sabrina Ionescu.	19 points 5 rebounds 3 assists

[PG] SABRINA IONESCU #20 • OREGON (2nd Season) • 5-11

2021 Averages	Notables	Last Game
16.1 PPG 7.1 APG 6.6 RPG	Named Eastern Conference Player of the Month on Monday, May 24.	6 points 3 assists 5 rebounds

LIBERTY 2021 RECORD BREAKDOWN

2021	RECORD	HOME	AWAY	OT
OVERALL	5-2	3-1	2-1	0-0
EASTERN	3-1	1-1	2-1	0-0
WESTERN	2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0



2021 NEW YORK LIBERTY ROSTER

ALPHABETICAL

No.	Name	Pos	Ht.	Wt.	DOB	EXP	College/Country
9	Rebecca Allen	F	6-2	162	11/06/1992	5	Australia
6	Natasha Howard	F	6-2	165	09/02/1991	7	Florida State/USA
20	Sabrina Ionescu	G	5-11	165	12/06/1997	1	Oregon/USA
4	Jazmine Jones	G	6-0	160	10/16/1996	1	Louisville/USA
44	Betnijah Laney	G-F	6-0	166	10/29/1993	5	Rutgers/USA
0	Leaonna Odom	F	6-2	168	03/26/1998	1	Duke/USA
12	Michaela Onyenwere	F	6-0	164	08/10/1999	R	UCLA/USA
2	DiDi Richards	G-F	6-2	178	02/08/1999	R	Baylor/USA
24	Kylee Shook	F	6-4	200	04/18/1998	1	Louisville/USA
41	Kiah Stokes	C	6-3	191	04/30/1993	5	Connecticut/USA
32	Sami Whitcomb	G	5-10	145	07/20/1988	4	Washington/Australia
13	Jocelyn Willoughby	F-G	6-0	180	04/25/1998	1	Virginia/USA

General Manager
Head Coach
Assistant Coach
Assistant Coach
Assistant Coach
Head Athletic Trainer

Jonathan Kolb
Walt Hopkins
Dustin Gray
Shelley Patterson
Jacki Gemelos
Theresa Acosta

NUMERICAL

No.	Name	Pos	Ht.	Wt.	DOB	EXP	College/Country
0	Leaonna Odom	F	6-2	168	03/26/1998	1	Duke/USA
2	DiDi Richards	G-F	6-2	164	02/08/1999	R	Baylor/USA
4	Jazmine Jones	G	6-0	160	10/15/1996	1	Louisville /USA
6	Natasha Howard	F	6-2	165	09/02/1991	7	Florida State/USA
9	Rebecca Allen	F	6-2	162	11/06/1992	5	Australia
12	Michaela Onyenwere	F	6-0	178	08/10/1999	R	UCLA/USA
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LIBERTY PRONOUN & PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

PRONOUN GUIDE

No.	Name	Pronouns
9	Rebecca Allen	she/her/hers
6	Natasha Howard	she/her/hers
20	Sabrina Ionescu	she/her/hers
4	Jazmine Jones	she/her/hers
44	Betnijah Laney	she/her/hers
0	Leaonna Odom	she/her/hers
12	Michaela Onyenwere	she/her/hers
2	DiDi Richards	she/her/hers
24	Kylee Shook	she/her/hers
41	Kiah Stokes	she/her/hers
32	Sami Whitcomb	she/her/hers
13	Jocelyn Willoughby	she/her/hers

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Shelley Patterson (she/her/hers)

Dustin Gray (he/him/his)

Jacki Gemelos (she/her/hers)

Theresa Acosta (she/her/hers)

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Jacki Gemelos

Sabrina Ionescu

Betnijah Laney

Leaonna Odom

Michaela Onyenwere

Kylee Shook

Gym-el-us

yo-NESS-coo

buh-NAI-juh

Lee-AH-nah

Own-yen-way-day

"We **SHOOK** hands ... pre-COVID"

LIBERTY LAST GAME QUICK HITS

Despite coming back from down as many as 13 points and forcing the game into overtime, the New York Liberty (5-2) fell to the Atlanta Dream (4-2), 87-90, in the team's first home loss of the season.

After Atlanta's 14-4 run to end the first quarter, New York outscored the Dream 28-21 to cut the visiting team's 13-point lead to four before going into the locker room.

With 4:47 remaining in the third, New York climbed back to tie the game at 58. A layup by Elizabeth Williams with 10.8 seconds remaining in the game, tied the contest at 82, forcing the game into overtime.

In overtime, scoring was even until Atlanta guard Courtney Williams connected on a three-pointer with 1.5 seconds remaining to give the Dream a three-point lead, and ultimately, a victory in Brooklyn.

New York led by as many as three points and finished the game with 23 team assists. The team also totaled 9 steals and 36 rebounds.

At home, New York finished on 39.1% from the field (season-low), 41.2% (14-34) from beyond the arc and 90.5% at the free throw line.

There were four lead changes and 10 ties in Saturday's matchup.

For the seventh consecutive game, Betnijah Laney scored 20 or more points, finishing with 20 points, tied a career-high 11 assists and had a season-high six rebounds. The only Liberty player to record 20+ points in 6+ consecutive games is Tina Charles (longest streak of 9 games).

Laney is the first Liberty player to open a season with seven games of 20+ points.

Throughout the league's history, the record for the longest 20+ point streak to open a season is nine and is held by Cynthia Cooper (1999 season).

1999 Cooper, Cynthia, Hou.	9
2009 Jackson, Lauren, Sea.	8
2000 Swoopes, Sheryl, Hou.	8
2015 Delle Donne, Elena, Chi.	7
2021 Laney, Betnijah, N.Y.	7

Rookie Michaela Onyenwere broke out for a career-high 29 points, shooting 10-22 (45.5%) from the field, 6-14 from three (42.9%), and 3-3 at the line, while also grabbing 5 rebounds over 39:25 minutes. Michaela's 10 field goals, six triples, five rebounds, and 39+ minutes were also career bests.

Michaela's 14 three-pointers attempted tied the Liberty's single-game franchise record, originally set by Crystal Robinson on July 24, 1999.

For the seventh consecutive game, the Liberty's leading scorer Betnijah Laney (20) scored in double figures for New York and shot 12-12 at the charity stripe (career-high).

Liberty guard Sami Whitcomb recorded a season-high 19 points, just three points shy of her career high (22). Whitcomb shot 6-8 from the field (75.0%) and 5-7 from deep (71.4%), both of which were season-highs.

Sami also extended her streak of 3+ three-point field goals made to five games.

LIBERTY LAST GAME BOX SCORE

WOMEN'S NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

OFFICIAL SCORER'S REPORT FINAL BOX

Saturday, May 29, 2021 Barclays Center, Brooklyn, NY

Officials: #11 Randy Richardson, #76 Toni Patillo, #9 Tim Greene

Game Duration: 2:06

Attendance: 1235

VISITOR: Atlanta Dream (4-2)

	POS	MIN	FG	FGA	3P	3PA	FT	FTA	OR	DR	TOT	A	PF	ST	TO	BS	+/-	PTS
15 Tiffany Hayes	F	34:09	5	18	1	6	1	1	1	3	4	6	5	0	1	0	7	12
21 Tianna Hawkins	F	19:34	1	3	0	2	0	0	1	3	4	0	1	1	3	1	-1	2
1 Elizabeth Williams	C	29:27	5	8	0	0	2	2	4	7	11	0	1	2	1	2	-7	12
10 Courtney Williams	G	42:34	14	26	3	5	0	0	2	10	12	7	2	2	4	1	2	31
3 Chennedy Carter	G	18:46	6	12	0	2	0	0	0	1	1	2	2	1	4	0	4	12
0 Odyssey Sims		32:40	3	6	0	1	0	0	0	2	2	4	2	2	0	1	3	6
25 Monique Billings		27:03	3	6	0	0	1	3	1	7	8	1	1	1	2	2	10	7
9 Crystal Bradford		13:56	2	5	1	2	0	2	0	2	2	1	3	2	2	1	4	5
4 Aari McDonald		06:51	1	3	1	3	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	-7	3
32 Cheyenne Parker	DND - Health and Safety Protocols																	
40 Shekinna Stricklen	DNP - Coach's decision																	
		225:00	40	87	6	21	4	8	10	35	45	21	19	11	17	8	3	90
			46%		28.6%		50%		TM REB: 7		TOT TO: 17 (24 PTS)							

HOME: NEW YORK LIBERTY (5-2)

	POS	MIN	FG	FGA	3P	3PA	FT	FTA	OR	DR	TOT	A	PF	ST	TO	BS	+/-	PTS
44 Betnijah Laney	F	41:03	4	12	0	2	12	12	0	6	6	11	2	2	7	0	-2	20
12 Michaela Onyenwere	F	39:25	10	22	6	14	3	3	2	3	5	2	1	1	1	0	2	29
24 Kylee Shook	C	18:41	2	7	1	3	0	0	1	2	3	3	0	0	0	1	6	5
32 Sami Whitcomb	G	34:15	6	8	5	7	2	3	0	5	5	3	2	4	3	1	2	19
20 Sabrina Ionescu	G	39:15	2	11	2	7	0	1	1	4	5	3	2	0	2	0	4	6
41 Kiah Stokes		26:19	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	6	6	0	1	1	1	1	-9	4
4 Jazmine Jones		13:11	1	3	0	0	2	2	0	4	4	0	0	0	3	0	-5	4
9 Rebecca Allen		07:51	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	2	2	0	1	1	2	0	-7	0
2 DiDi Richards		05:00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	-6	0
6 Natasha Howard	DND - Injury/Illness - Left Knee																	
0 Leaonna Odom	DNP - Coach's decision																	
13 Jocelyn Willoughby	DND - Injury/Illness - Left Achilles																	
		225:00	27	69	14	34	19	21	4	32	36	23	9	9	20	3	-3	87
			39.1%		41.2%		90.5%		TM REB: 7		TOT TO: 21 (23 PTS)							

SCORE BY PERIOD	1	2	3	4	OT1	FINAL
Dream	28	21	16	17	8	90
LIBERTY	17	28	17	20	5	87

Inactive: Dream -

Inactive: Liberty -

Points in the Paint: Dream 38 (19/34), LIBERTY 20 (10/26) Biggest Lead: Dream 13, LIBERTY 3

2nd Chance Points: Dream 6 (3/11), LIBERTY 2 (0/4)

Lead Changes: 4

Fast Break Points: Dream 7 (3/6), LIBERTY 7 (3/3)

Times Tied: 10

Technical fouls - Individual

Dream (1): Williams 5:53 4th

LIBERTY (0): NONE

Technical fouls - Defensive Three Seconds

Dream (1): Hawkins 3:09 1st

LIBERTY (0): NONE

LIBERTY 2021 OVERALL STATISTICS



Player Averages

PLAYER	G	GS	MPG	PPG	OREB	DREB	RPG	APG	SPG	BPG	FG%	3P%	FT%	TO	PF
Betnijah Laney	7	7	35.1	22.3	0.6	3.4	4.0	5.0	0.7	0.1	51.9	48.0	82.9	4.4	3.0
Sabrina Ionescu	7	7	34.1	16.1	0.9	5.7	6.6	7.1	0.4	0.7	39.0	45.5	87.9	3.9	2.1
Natasha Howard	2	2	22.0	14.5	2.5	4.0	6.5	2.0	0.0	0.0	55.6	66.7	87.5	5.0	2.5
Michaela Onyenwere	7	7	23.9	12.1	1.0	2.3	3.3	0.6	0.4	0.3	44.3	44.1	88.9	0.7	2.3
Sami Whitcomb	7	7	29.9	10.3	0.1	5.3	5.4	2.1	1.4	0.7	47.2	46.5	66.7	1.3	1.6
Kylee Shook	7	5	22.0	6.4	0.7	3.6	4.3	2.1	0.4	0.7	44.4	45.5	0.0	1.1	1.7
Rebecca Allen	6	0	17.5	6.2	0.7	2.7	3.3	1.0	1.2	1.0	25.5	21.7	80.0	1.0	1.7
Jazmine Jones	7	0	15.3	3.9	0.3	2.0	2.3	1.1	0.6	0.6	40.0	42.9	66.7	1.9	2.0
DiDi Richards	7	0	9.6	2.0	0.4	0.9	1.3	1.0	1.0	0.1	54.5	50.0	50.0	0.9	0.6
Kiah Stokes	4	0	14.0	1.0	0.5	3.3	3.8	0.3	0.3	0.3	66.7	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.5
Leaonna Odom	0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Jocelyn Willoughby	0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Player Totals

PLAYER	G	GS	MIN	PTS	OREB	DREB	REB	AST	STL	BLK	FGM-A	3PM-A	FTM-A	TO	PF
Betnijah Laney	7	7	246	156	4	24	28	35	5	1	55 - 106	12 - 25	34 - 41	31	21
Sabrina Ionescu	7	7	239	113	6	40	46	50	3	5	32 - 82	20 - 44	29 - 33	27	15
Michaela Onyenwere	7	7	167	85	7	16	23	4	3	2	31 - 70	15 - 34	8 - 9	5	16
Sami Whitcomb	7	7	209	72	1	37	38	15	10	5	25 - 53	20 - 43	2 - 3	9	11
Kylee Shook	7	5	154	45	5	25	30	15	3	5	20 - 45	5 - 11	0 - 0	8	12
Rebecca Allen	6	0	105	37	4	16	20	6	7	6	12 - 47	5 - 23	8 - 10	6	10
Natasha Howard	2	2	44	29	5	8	13	4	0	0	10 - 18	2 - 3	7 - 8	10	5
Jazmine Jones	7	0	107	27	2	14	16	8	4	4	10 - 25	3 - 7	4 - 6	13	14
DiDi Richards	7	0	67	14	3	6	9	7	7	1	6 - 11	1 - 2	1 - 2	6	4
Kiah Stokes	4	0	56	4	2	13	15	1	1	1	2 - 3	0 - 0	0 - 0	2	2
Leaonna Odom	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 - 0	0 - 0	0 - 0	0	0
Jocelyn Willoughby	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 - 0	0 - 0	0 - 0	0	0

OPPONENT RECAP

LAS VEGAS ACES

2021 RECORD

Record.....5-3
Home.....3-1
Road.....2-2

2020 RECAP

Record.....18-4
Home.....9-2
Road.....9-2
Finish.....1st in Western Conference

2021 SCHEDULE

6/3/21.....at New York.....7:00 PM
6/15/21.....at Las Vegas.....7:00 PM
6/17/21.....at Las Vegas.....7:00 PM

2020 MATCHUPS (0-2)

8/9/20.....at New York.....L, 76-78
8/29/20.....at Las Vegas.....L, 63-80

LIBERTY HISTORY VS. ACES

All-Time Record.....26-25
Home.....16-10
Away.....10-15
Overtime.....1-1
Postseason.....0-0

LIBERTY

Most Points.....90 at San Antonio (6/11/16)
Fewest Points.....53 at San Antonio (7/25/13)
Largest Victory.....28 (73-45) at San Antonio (8/19/15)
Individual Points.....27, Rebecca Lobo at Utah (8/19/97)

ACES

Most Points.....100 at Las Vegas (6/14/19)
Fewest Points.....45 at San Antonio (8/19/15)
Largest Victory.....35 (100-65) at Las Vegas (6/14/19)
Individual Points.....31, Kayla McBride at San Antonio (8/1/17)

ROSTER

NUM	PLAYER	POS	HT	WEIGHT	DOB	EXP	FROM
8	Liz Cambage	C	6-8 ft	216 lbs	AUGUST 18, 1991	4 yrs	AUSTRALIA
12	Chelsea Gray	G	5-11 ft	170 lbs	OCTOBER 8, 1992	6 yrs	DUKE/USA
5	Dearica Hamby	F	6-3 ft	189 lbs	NOVEMBER 6, 1993	6 yrs	WAKE FOREST
4	Joyner Holmes	F	6-3 ft	200 lbs	FEBRUARY 22, 1998	1 yrs	TEXAS-AUSTIN
35	Angel McCoughtry	F-G	6-1 ft	173 lbs	SEPTEMBER 10, 1986	11 yrs	LOUISVILLE
19	JiSu Park	C	6-5 ft	206 lbs	DECEMBER 6, 1998	2 yrs	SOUTH KOREA
10	Kelsey Plum	G	5-8 ft	145 lbs	AUGUST 24, 1994	3 yrs	WASHINGTON
24	Destiny Slocum	G	5-7 ft	157 lbs	SEPTEMBER 9, 1997	R	ARKANSAS
2	Riquna Williams	G	5-7 ft	165 lbs	MAY 28, 1990	8 yrs	MIAMI
22	A'ja Wilson	F	6-4 ft	195 lbs	AUGUST 8, 1996	3 yrs	SOUTH CAROLINA
0	Jackie Young	G	6-0 ft	165 lbs	SEPTEMBER 16, 1997	2 yrs	NOTRE DAME

Head Coach

Bill Laimbeer

Assistant Coach

Tanisha Wright

Assistant Coach

Vanessa Nygaard

Assistant Coach

Sugar Rodgers

OPPONENT LAST GAME BOX SCORE

WOMEN'S NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

OFFICIAL SCORER'S REPORT FINAL BOX

Tuesday, June 1, 2021 Mohegan Sun Arena, Uncasville, CT
Officials: #39 Michael Price, #11 Randy Richardson, #76 Toni Patillo

Game Duration: 1:46
Attendance: Not Yet Counted

VISITOR: Las Vegas Aces (5-3)

	POS	MIN	FG	FGA	3P	3PA	FT	FTA	OR	DR	TOT	A	PF	ST	TO	BS	+/-	PTS
12 Chelsea Gray	F	30:19	4	12	0	1	2	2	0	5	5	4	1	0	1	0	-16	10
22 A'ja Wilson	F	37:05	6	11	0	0	2	2	1	4	5	6	4	1	3	0	-7	14
8 Liz Cambage	C	35:03	11	17	0	0	6	6	1	6	7	2	4	1	3	3	-7	28
2 Riquna Williams	G	27:44	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	2	2	3	1	1	0	0	-10	0
0 Jackie Young	G	30:25	3	11	0	0	0	0	1	3	4	2	2	2	2	0	-8	6
5 Dearica Hamby		24:28	4	9	0	2	0	0	0	4	4	3	2	1	3	0	0	8
24 Destiny Slocum		12:01	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	2	2	0	3	0	0	0	13	1
19 JiSu Park		02:55	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4 Joyner Holmes	DNP - Coach's decision																	
35 Angel McCoughtry	NWT - Injury/Illness - Right knee																	
10 Kelsey Plum	DND - Health and Safety Protocols																	
200:00			28	64	0	5	11	12	3	26	29	20	17	6	12	3	-7	67
			43.8%		0%		91.7%		TM REB: 4		TOT TO: 13 (23 PTS)							

HOME: CONNECTICUT SUN (7-2)

	POS	MIN	FG	FGA	3P	3PA	FT	FTA	OR	DR	TOT	A	PF	ST	TO	BS	+/-	PTS
24 DeWanna Bonner	F	33:13	2	7	0	2	2	2	0	8	8	5	1	3	3	0	15	6
42 Brionna Jones	F	35:46	5	13	0	0	4	4	4	4	8	2	2	2	0	1	11	14
35 Jonquel Jones	C	34:19	6	10	2	4	9	10	1	6	7	1	3	2	4	3	18	23
20 Briann January	G	28:33	4	8	1	2	2	2	2	0	2	2	0	0	2	0	15	11
5 Jasmine Thomas	G	35:47	3	13	0	4	5	5	1	3	4	6	3	1	4	0	5	11
1 Beatrice Mompremier		06:38	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	1	0	-15	2
2 Natisha Hiedeman		15:40	3	6	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	-6	7
4 Stephanie Jones		03:17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
21 DiJonai Carrington		03:54	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	3	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
3 Kaila Charles		02:53	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-8	0
25 Alyssa Thomas	DND - Injury/Illness - Achilles																	
200:00			24	60	4	17	22	23	8	26	34	16	14	8	14	5	7	74
			40%		23.5%		95.7%		TM REB: 7		TOT TO: 15 (8 PTS)							

SCORE BY PERIOD	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Aces	14	16	18	19	67
SUN	19	14	19	22	74

Inactive: Aces -
Inactive: Sun -
Points in the Paint: Aces 40 (20/41), SUN 28 (14/28) Biggest Lead: Aces 2, SUN 9
2nd Chance Points: Aces 4 (2/3), SUN 16 (5/6) Lead Changes: 7
Fast Break Points: Aces 5 (2/3), SUN 8 (3/3) Times Tied: 4

RECENT BOX SCORES VS. OPPONENT

WOMEN'S NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

OFFICIAL SCORER'S REPORT FINAL BOX

Saturday, August 29, 2020 WNBA Court 1, Bradenton, FL
Officials: #13 Cheryl Flores, #5 Tiara Cruse, #11 Randy Richardson

Game Duration: 1:49
Attendance: Not Yet Counted

VISITOR: New York Liberty (2-13)

	POS	MIN	FG	FGA	3P	3PA	FT	FTA	OR	DR	TOT	A	PF	ST	TO	BS	+/-	PTS	
0 Leaonna Odom	F	10:26	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	3	1	0	0	-2	0	
41 Kiah Stokes	F	32:57	5	12	2	7	0	0	1	8	9	1	2	0	1	3	-13	12	
17 Amanda Zahui B	C	33:35	2	11	0	5	2	2	0	21	21	0	5	2	2	2	-4	6	
5 Kia Nurse	G	23:01	3	7	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	1	0	-13	8	
7 Layshia Clarendon	G	21:01	4	10	1	1	2	2	2	2	4	4	4	1	5	0	-14	11	
4 Jazmine Jones		18:53	2	4	0	0	5	6	3	0	3	1	0	0	4	0	-8	9	
22 Paris Kea		17:41	5	7	4	6	0	0	0	1	1	3	0	1	2	0	0	14	
13 Jocelyn Willoughby		28:58	1	8	0	3	1	2	1	0	1	0	3	0	1	1	-14	3	
24 Kylee Shook		13:28	0	4	0	1	0	0	1	3	4	0	1	0	1	0	-17	0	
25 Asia Durr		NWT - Not With Team - Medical Exempt																	
10 Joyner Holmes		DND - Injury/Illness - Right Knee																	
20 Sabrina Ionescu		NWT - Not With Team - Ankle																	
3 Megan Walker		DND - Rest																	
			200:00	22	66	9	27	10	12	9	35	44	13	19	6	17	6	-17	63
			33.3%		33.3%		83.3%		TM REB: 4		TOT TO: 19 (18 PTS)								

HOME: LAS VEGAS ACES (12-3)

		POS	MIN	FG	FGA	3P	3PA	FT	FTA	OR	DR	TOT	A	PF	ST	TO	BS	+/-	PTS
35	Angel McCoughtry	F	20:13	4	11	0	2	2	2	1	5	6	2	1	0	2	1	17	10
22	A'ja Wilson	F	31:04	7	14	0	0	6	6	3	4	7	0	1	3	1	5	13	20
4	Carolyn Swords	C	16:01	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	5	7	0	1	0	3	0	2	0
21	Kayla McBride	G	21:27	4	11	0	3	2	2	0	3	3	0	1	1	0	1	2	10
15	Lindsay Allen	G	11:35	1	5	1	2	0	0	0	1	1	3	1	1	0	0	-6	3
0	Jackie Young		22:20	2	10	0	1	2	2	1	3	4	2	2	0	1	0	4	6
3	Danielle Robinson		24:39	1	4	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	6	2	2	0	0	21	2
5	Dearica Hamby		30:02	7	13	1	3	2	4	3	7	10	4	1	1	1	0	21	17
14	Sugar Rodgers		19:46	4	9	4	9	0	0	0	1	1	1	4	1	0	1	13	12
11	Cierra Burdick		02:53	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	-2	0
8	Liz Cambage	NWT - Not With Team - Medical Exempt																	
10	Kelsey Plum	NWT - Injury/Illness																	
			200:00	30	79	6	20	14	16	12	31	43	18	14	9	8	8	17	80
			38%		30%		87.5%		TM REB: 6		TOT TO: 9 (4 PTS)								

SCORE BY PERIOD	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Liberty	18	17	21	7	63
ACES	19	20	17	24	80

Inactive: Liberty -
Inactive: Aces -
Points in the Paint: Liberty 24 (12/34), ACES 34 (17/37) Biggest Lead: Liberty 3, ACES 19
2nd Chance Points: Liberty 7 (2/8), ACES 13 (6/13) Lead Changes: 8
Fast Break Points: Liberty 0 (0/1), ACES 6 (3/7) Times Tied: 9

RECENT BOX SCORES VS. OPPONENT

WOMEN'S NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

OFFICIAL SCORER'S REPORT FINAL BOX

Sunday, August 9, 2020 WNBA Court 2, Bradenton, FL
Officials: #42 Roy Gulbeyan, #5 Tiara Cruse, #43 Kevin Fahy

Game Duration: 2:08
Attendance: Not Yet Counted

VISITOR: Las Vegas Aces (5-2)

	POS	MIN	FG	FGA	3P	3PA	FT	FTA	OR	DR	TOT	A	PF	ST	TO	BS	+/-	PTS
35 Angel McCoughtry	F	19:44	3	7	0	0	0	0	2	3	5	2	3	0	2	0	-7	6
22 A'ja Wilson	F	38:52	10	17	0	0	11	12	0	5	5	2	1	1	1	3	0	31
4 Carolyn Swords	C	09:51	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	-8	0
21 Kayla McBride	G	18:40	1	7	0	4	0	0	0	2	2	1	3	1	1	0	-6	2
15 Lindsay Allen	G	10:29	2	4	0	1	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	-16	6
5 Dearica Hamby		30:26	4	4	1	1	4	4	1	4	5	1	3	1	1	0	13	13
0 Jackie Young		31:45	6	11	0	0	3	4	1	6	7	3	3	1	2	0	12	15
3 Danielle Robinson		22:35	2	8	0	1	0	0	0	2	2	2	2	1	2	0	13	4
14 Sugar Rodgers		16:47	0	1	0	1	1	2	0	2	2	3	2	0	0	0	10	1
31 Megan Huff		00:51	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-1	0
11 Cierra Burdick	DNP - Coach's decision																	
8 Liz Cambage	NWT - Not With Team - Medical Exemption																	
200:00			28	61	1	8	21	24	5	25	30	15	18	6	10	3	2	78
			45.9%		12.5%		87.5%		TM REB: 8		TOT TO: 10 (8 PTS)							

HOME: NEW YORK LIBERTY (1-6)

	POS	MIN	FG	FGA	3P	3PA	FT	FTA	OR	DR	TOT	A	PF	ST	TO	BS	+/-	PTS
0 Leaonna Odom	F	26:05	3	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	11	6
41 Kiah Stokes	F	34:29	3	9	0	5	0	0	4	8	12	3	3	1	2	2	6	6
17 Amanda Zahui B	C	25:47	6	9	6	9	2	2	1	8	9	2	4	0	0	1	3	20
5 Kia Nurse	G	26:04	2	10	1	5	2	5	0	1	1	1	2	1	1	0	14	7
7 Layshia Clarendon	G	33:56	6	11	2	2	1	2	0	5	5	8	4	2	6	0	6	15
13 Jocelyn Willoughby		10:28	1	3	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	0	-14	3
4 Jazmine Jones		13:49	1	3	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	2	4	1	2	0	-13	3
10 Joyner Holmes		19:44	4	8	1	3	2	2	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	-13	11
3 Megan Walker		09:38	2	7	0	2	1	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	-10	5
20 Sabrina Ionescu	NWT - Not With Team - Ankle Sprain																	
22 Paris Kea	DNP - Coach's decision																	
24 Kylee Shook	DNP - Coach's decision																	
200:00			28	64	10	28	10	16	6	24	30	17	23	5	14	3	-2	76
			43.8%		35.7%		62.5%		TM REB: 10		TOT TO: 16 (18 PTS)							

SCORE BY PERIOD	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Aces	20	17	21	20	78
LIBERTY	24	20	17	15	76

Inactive: Aces - Plum (Not With Team - Injury)
Inactive: Liberty - Durr (Not With Team)
Points in the Paint: Aces 34 (17/30), LIBERTY 32 (16/27)
2nd Chance Points: Aces 6 (2/3), LIBERTY 4 (1/6)
Fast Break Points: Aces 4 (2/3), LIBERTY 6 (3/6)

Biggest Lead: Aces 2, LIBERTY 12
Lead Changes: 3
Times Tied: 3

Technical fouls - Individual
Aces (1): McBride 3:22 4th
LIBERTY (0): NONE

2020 SERIES VS. LAS VEGAS (0-2)



3-POINT

----- REBOUNDS -----

NO	PLAYER	GP-GS	MIN	FGM-FGA	FG%	FGM-FGA	FG%	FTM-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT/AVG	AST	STL	TO	BLK	PTS/AVG
41	Stokes, K	2-2	67:26	8 - 21	38.1%	2-12	16.7%	0 - 0	0.0	5	16	21/10.5	4	1	2	5	18/9
4	Jones, J	2-0	32:42	3 - 7	42.9%	0-1	0.0	6 - 8	75.0%	3	0	3/1.5	3	1	6	0	12/6
13	Willoughby, J	2-0	39:26	2 - 11	18.2%	0-3	0.0	2 - 3	66.7%	1	0	1/0.5	1	0	2	1	6/3
0	Odom, L	2-2	36:31	3 - 7	42.9%	0-1	0.0	0 - 0	0.0	1	0	1/0.5	2	1	2	0	6/3
24	Shook, K	1-0	13:28	0 - 4	0.0	0-1	0.0	0 - 0	0.0	1	3	4/4	0	0	1	0	0/0



3-POINT

----- REBOUNDS -----

NO.	PLAYER	GP-GS	MIN	FGM-FGA	FG%	FGM-FGA	FG%	FTM-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT/AVG	AST	STL	TO	BLK	PTS/AVG
22	Wilson, A	2-2	69:56	17 - 31	54.8%	0-0	0.0	17 - 18	94.4%	3	9	12/6	2	4	2	8	51/25.5
5	Hamby, D	2-0	60:28	11 - 17	64.7%	2-4	50.0%	6 - 8	75.0%	4	11	15/7.5	5	2	2	0	30/15
0	Young, J	2-0	54:05	8 - 21	38.1%	0-1	0.0	5 - 6	83.3%	2	9	11/5.5	5	1	3	0	21/10.5
35	McCoughtry, A	2-2	39:57	7 - 18	38.9%	0-2	0.0	2 - 2	100%	3	8	11/5.5	4	0	4	1	16/8
14	Rodgers, S	2-0	36:33	4 - 10	40.0%	4-10	40.0%	1 - 2	50.0%	0	3	3/1.5	4	1	0	1	13/6.5
21	McBride, K	2-2	40:07	5 - 18	27.8%	0-7	0.0	2 - 2	100%	0	5	5/2.5	1	2	1	1	12/6
15	Allen, L	2-2	22:04	3 - 9	33.3%	1-3	33.3%	2 - 2	100%	0	1	1/0.5	4	2	1	0	9/4.5
3	Robinson, D	2-0	47:14	3 - 12	25.0%	0-1	0.0	0 - 0	0.0	1	3	4/2	9	3	2	0	6/3
4	Swords, C	2-2	25:52	0 - 3	0.0	0-0	0.0	0 - 0	0.0	3	6	9/4.5	0	0	3	0	0/0
11	Burdick, C	1-0	02:53	0 - 1	0.0	0-0	0.0	0 - 0	0.0	1	1	2/2	0	0	0	0	0/0
5	Huff, M	1-0	00:51	0 - 0	0.0	0-0	0.0	0 - 0	0.0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0	0	0/0

LIBERTY VS. ACES QUICK HITS

Thursday's game will mark the Liberty's 52nd all-time regular season matchup against the Las Vegas Aces franchise.

Betnijah Laney (30, 20, 20, 20, 20, 26, 20) has scored in double figures in the first seven games of the 2021 season; averaging 22.3 per game.

The New York Liberty sit atop the WNBA across all three-point shooting categories for the exception of attempts. The Liberty rank No. 1 in three-pointers made (83), three-point field goal percentage (43.7%), and percentage of points from three (43.2%). New York also ranks No. 1 in effective field goal percentage (53.2%) and true shooting percentage (T-1st, 57.2%).

Las Vegas (5-3) enters Thursday's matchup after falling to Connecticut on the road, 67-74.

Entering the contest, both teams are coming off losses, as New York fell to the Atlanta Dream on May 29, 87-90, in overtime.

For the Aces, A'ja Wilson is leading the offense with 17.6 points per game, followed by Liz Cambage (14.8 points) and Jackie Young (13.6 points). Cambage is also averaging a team-high 8.1 boards per game.

The Aces are currently leading the WNBA in fewest turnovers per game (10.9) and field goal percentage (48.8%).

The New York Liberty are currently No. 1 in the WNBA in percentage of points from three-point range at 41.3%, however, they have the lowest percentage of points from two-point territory with 41.8%. On the contrary, Vegas has the lowest percentage of points from three at 19.8%, along with the second-highest percentage of points from two-point range at 64.5%.

Dating back to 1997 with the Utah Starzz, New York holds the head-to-head regular season series lead against the Aces franchise, as the Liberty have an overall record of 26-25 (.509) against Atlanta.

The Liberty lost both games in their season series with the Aces in 2020. Las Vegas currently has an active four-game win streak against New York.

In last year's season series, Kiah Stokes was the leading scorer of current Liberty players, totaling 18 points over 67:26 minutes against Las Vegas.

For the Aces, forward A'ja Wilson, averaged a series-best 25.5 points against New York over the two games.

There will be no shortage of familiar faces in Thursday's matchup between the Liberty and Aces. The list of former Liberty staff members and players includes:

Bill Laimbeer, Liberty head coach, (2013-2017) — Las Vegas head coach

Tanisha Wright, Liberty guard, (2015-16, 2019) — Las Vegas assistant coach

Sugar Rodgers, Liberty guard, (2014-2018) — Las Vegas assistant coach

Joyner Holmes, Liberty forward, (2020-21) — Las Vegas forward

MILESTONE WATCH

Betnijah Laney: 905 career points

Kiah Stokes: 190 career blocks

2021 STORYLINES

AWARDS SZN IN BK

To begin the 2021 season, the New York Liberty have already garnered four awards, including:

WNBA Coach of the Month (May): Walt Hopkins

Kia WNBA Rookie of the Month (May): Michaela Onyenwere

Eastern Conference Player of the Week (June 1): Betnijah Laney

Eastern Conference Player of the Week (May 24): Sabrina Ionescu

“B” IS FOR BALLER

The Eastern Conference Player of the Week, Betnijah Laney, has combined for 156 points for New York in the first seven games of the season. She is shooting 51.9% from the field and 48.0% from beyond the arc. Laney currently ranks fourth in the league in points per game with 22.3.

On May 29, Betnijah Laney scored 20+ points for the seventh consecutive game, finishing with 20. The only Liberty player to record 20+ points in 7+ consecutive games is Tina Charles (longest streak of 9 games). Laney is the first Liberty player to open a season with seven games of 20+ points in franchise history. Throughout the league’s history, the record for the longest 20+ point streak to open a season is 9 and is held by Cynthia Cooper (1999 season).

1999	Cooper, Cynthia, Hou.	(9)
2009	Jackson, Lauren, Sea.	(8)
2000	Swoopes, Sheryl, Hou.	(8)
2015	Delle Donne, Elena, Chi.	(7)
2021	Laney, Betnijah, N.Y.	(7)

Betnijah is also closing in on her 1,000th-career point mark, as she currently has 905 going into Thursday’s matchup.

MICHAELA ONYENWERE LEADING ROOKIE OF THE YEAR RACE

Liberty rookie, Michaela Onyenwere, today was named the Kia WNBA Rookie of the Month for May. The No. 6 overall selection is leading all rookies with 10.2 points per game, 23:02 minutes per game, 19 field goals made, 8 three-point field goals made, a 42.1% three-point field goal percentage (min. 2+ attempts), and 17 total rebounds.

DiDi Richards is currently leading all WNBA rookies in steals (5) and ranks third in field goal percentage (55.6%).

SEAFOAM SHARPSHOOTERS

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Sabrina Ionescu (20) and Sami Whitcomb (20) are tied for third in the WNBA in three-point field goals made on the season.

2021 STORYLINES

NEW LOOK LIBERTY

Through the first three games in 2021, the Liberty surpassed their 2020 win total (2-20). New York (5-2) is currently in third place in the WNBA and second in the Eastern Conference.

TRIPLE DOUBLE HISTORY

On May 18, Sabrina Ionescu posted the first triple-double in Liberty history with 26 points, 10 rebounds and 12 assists. Ionescu recorded the 10th triple-double in the league's 25-year history (9th in regular season). She is the youngest player in WNBA history to ever do so, and just the ninth player all-time to accomplish the feat.

NATASHA HOWARD OUT 4-6 WEEKS

New York Liberty forward/center, Natasha Howard, injured her left knee in the fourth quarter of Monday night's game against the Dallas Wings. Howard underwent an MRI and clinical exam at Hospital for Special Surgery on Tuesday, May 25 which revealed the diagnosis of a medial collateral ligament (MCL) sprain. The Liberty's medical staff determined Natasha will be unavailable for 4-6 weeks.

BROOKLYN VETS

The New York Liberty highlighted the WNBA's off-season transactions with the additions of veterans Betnijah Laney, Natasha Howard and Sami Whitcomb. They have each fought hard to overcome adversity and earn their spots as 3 of 144, and now begin the next chapter of their WNBA careers with the Liberty. Each player brings unique experience, high-level character, and championship pedigree to this New York Liberty roster.

SEASON 25: #OwnTheCrown

The New York Liberty are one of the WNBA's three remaining original franchises, joined by the Los Angeles Sparks and Phoenix Mercury. This season, the Liberty and WNBA are both celebrating their historic 25-Year Anniversary. To celebrate the team's monumental milestone, the Liberty will be using #OwnTheCrown throughout the 2021:

"The campaign pays homage to women who continue to break barriers like the women of the Liberty have done for the last 25 years. From on-and off-court legends, #OwnTheCrown will celebrate the journey of women who are vital to not only the history of the organization, but the overall empowerment of women, and the diverse culture of New York City." - **Shana Stephenson, Liberty Vice President of Marketing**

2021 STORYLINES

JESS SIMS NAMED LIBERTY IN-ARENA CO-HOST

As part of the team's 25th anniversary season, the New York Liberty have named Jess Sims the official In-Arena Co-Host. The New York-based educator, fitness professional and Peloton Instructor will join co-host Jason Negron during select Liberty home games at Brooklyn's Barclays Center.

THE FLASH IN NY

On February 8, the Liberty made a blockbuster trade to bring three-time WNBA Champion, Natasha Howard to New York from the Seattle Storm in exchange for the 2021 No. 1 overall draft pick.

The WNBA's 2019 Defensive Player of the Year, Natasha Howard (29) is a 6-2 forward who is entering her eighth WNBA season. Howard was drafted by the Indiana Fever in 2014 where she spent two seasons, followed by two years with the Minnesota Lynx. Howard won her first WNBA Championship (2017) alongside Liberty Head Coach Walt Hopkins in Minnesota. During her three-year tenure with the Seattle Storm, Howard secured two additional WNBA Championships (2018, 2020).

In Seattle's 2020 Championship season, Howard averaged 9.5 points and 7.1 rebounds per game while shooting 53.0% from the field during the regular season.

SAMI IN SEAFOAM

Fifth-year WNBA veteran, Sami Whitcomb, joined the Liberty after spending the past four seasons with the Seattle Storm.

Whitcomb (32), a 5-10 guard, came to New York after helping the Storm to two WNBA titles. In Seattle's 2020 championship season, Whitcomb averaged 8.1 points, 2.3 rebounds and 2.0 assists per game while shooting 38.1% from three, 44.3% from the field and 100% at the free throw line (22-22). The Ventura, Calif. native and Australia citizen signed as a free agent with the Storm in 2017 after competing professionally overseas for several seasons, most notably in Australia's WNBL.

BEC'S BACK

Sami Whitcomb will not be the only Australian sharpshooter bringing their talents to Brooklyn, as the Liberty have re-signed veteran forward Rebecca Allen. Allen, 28, re-joins the Liberty as the team's longest-tenured member (along with Kiah Stokes) after five seasons with New York. Rebecca, whose most recent season with the Liberty was in 2019, averaged a career-high 7.2 points per game on a team-best 42.6% shooting from three-point territory.

2021 STORYLINES

SOPHOMORE SZN

Just as New York was historically rookie-heavy in 2020, the team will be returning five sophomores to their roster this season: Sabrina Ionescu, Jazmine Jones, Leaonna Odom, Kylee Shook, and Jocelyn Willoughby (out for season). Last season, Jazmine Jones was Liberty's first WNBA All-Rookie Team selection in five years (Brittany Boyd & Kiah Stokes, 2015).

2021 WNBA DRAFT

The New York Liberty enjoyed a successful 2021 WNBA Draft, as the front office was able to procure two first-round talents in Michaela Onyenwere and DiDi Richards.

Onyenwere, the Liberty's No. 6 overall pick, is a 6-0 forward. The Aurora, Colo. native averaged 19.1 points and 7.2 rebounds while shooting 42.1% in her senior campaign, leading UCLA to a Sweet Sixteen appearance. Michaela, a four-year letter winner with the Bruins, finished her collegiate career as the fourth overall leading scorer in program history (1,888 points).

Richards, New York's No. 17 overall selection, is a 6-2 guard/forward. DiDi averaged 6.3 points and 6.3 assists per game in the 2020-21 season while shooting 42.9% from the field, leading Baylor to a 28-3 finish and Final Four appearance. The Cypress, Texas native, known for her elite defensive ability, garnered the 2020 Naismith and WBCA Defensive Player of The Year Awards.

PLAYER TO COACH

On April 26, 2021, the Liberty announced the hiring of Jacki Gemelos as an assistant coach. Gemelos, 32, begins her first season as a WNBA coach after several seasons of service in the league. Jacki was a point guard for the Chicago Sky in 2015, and split time between the Connecticut Sun and Washington Mystics in 2020. Additionally, she has played six seasons overseas, and was a member of Greece's National Women's Basketball Team.

YES, PLEASE.

The Liberty's regional TV partner since 2019, will televise a record 19 New York Liberty games this season. All of YES' 19 Liberty telecasts will also be streamed live on the YES App.

DIDI'S PERSISTENCE

In October 2020, New York Liberty rookie, DiDi Richards, suffered a collision during practice at Baylor that left her temporarily paralyzed. Just 38 days later, Richards returned to the hardwood where she was able to lead the Lady Bears to an NCAA Final Four finish. In the same season, DiDi ranked second in the nation in total assists (189) while averaging 6.3 points and 6.3 assists during her senior campaign.

WITHOUT WILLOUGHBY

New York Liberty guard/forward Jocelyn Willoughby suffered a tear of her left Achilles' tendon during the team's scrimmage on May 3 at Connecticut. Willoughby underwent a successful surgical repair on May 5 at Hospital for Special Surgery (HSS). She will miss the 2021 season.

2021 STORYLINES

MADDIE PASSED THE TORCH TO ELLIE

As part of the 25th anniversary season, the New York Liberty announced a new mascot, Ellie the Elephant. Ellie, named after Ellis Island, is replacing Maddie, the team's mascot for the last 24 years.

Back story: Before the grand opening of the Brooklyn Bridge in 1883, there was speculation on the structural integrity of the bridge. To display its strength and safety, showman P.T. Barnum marched 21 elephants across the bridge. The PR stunt was a massive success, paving the way for one of New York's most iconic landmarks. Read more about Ellie [here](#).

2021 NIKE JERSEYS

The new WNBA uniform system from Nike feature three game uniform editions for each of the 12 teams in the league, bringing stories from their cities and communities to life through the muse of female archetypes in storytelling and film: the WNBA Nike Heroine Edition, the WNBA Nike Explorer Edition and the WNBA Nike Rebel Edition.

Rebel Edition (Seafoam): Inspired by the striking colors of the city's iconic monument and all that it represents, the uniform features "Equality" across the chest, framed by copper and black taping.

Explorer Edition (Black): The uniform's speckled details represent the urban pavement while jagged, graphic details embody the toughness and eccentricity that defines true New Yorkers.

LIBS ABROAD

The New York Liberty's roster enjoyed a highly successful 2020-21 WNBA Off-Season competing overseas. Bec Allen, who played for Valencia Basket in Spain, helped lead the Orange to their first-ever EuroCup Championship win in club history. Kiah Stokes (Fenerbache) took home the gold in the Turkish League championships, and Nastasha Howard secured the Serie A1 Finals Championship with Reyer Venezia in Italy.

READ WHAT YOU SOW

Before the start of the new year, Jocelyn Willoughby announced the launch of her book club, *Read What You Sow*, in partnership with Brooklyn's Cafe con Libros Feminist Book Store. Read What You Sow explored the injustices disproportionately facing Black and Brown people within healthcare, education, and other social systems fundamental to the welfare of all people through the lens of womxn of color.

The club, which was comprised of Liberty fans, advocates, and educators, met bi-weekly for three months where they explored Brit Bennet's *The Vanishing Half*, *Pushout* by Dr. Monique Morris and *You'll Never Believe What Happened to Lacey: Crazy Stories about Racism* by Amber Ruffin and Lacey Lamar. Jocelyn led and moderated each conversation, and in addition, met with the authors of all three books on the Liberty's Instagram Live for one-on-one conversations.

ON THIS DAY IN LIBERTY HISTORY



JUNE 3, 2016

The New York Liberty defeated the Indiana Fever by 32 points, 91-59, which is the largest margin of victory against the Fever in Liberty history.

Current Las Vegas Aces assistant coach, Sugar Rodgers, registered a career-high +25 along with 21 points on 5-8 (62.5%) shooting from beyond the arc for New York.

2021 GAME-BY-GAME HIGHS

NEW YORK LIBERTY

Date	Opponent	Team/Opp	Home	Road	Total	High Scoring	High Rebounds	High Assists	Opponent Scoring	Atten.
May 14	INDIANA	W 90- 87	1-0	0-0	1-0	Laney-30	Ionescu-6	Ionescu-11	K. Mitchell-23	1,139
May 16	@Indiana	W 73- 65	1-0	1-0	2-0	Laney-20	Shook-7	Whitcomb-4 Laney-4 Ionescu-4	K. Mitchell-16	
May 18	MINNESOTA	W 86- 75	2-0	1-0	3-0	Ionescu-26	Ionescu-10	Ionescu-12	Fowles-26	815
May 21	@Washington	L 72-101	2-0	1-1	3-1	Laney-20	Whitcomb-7	Laney-5 Ionescu-5	Charles-34	
May 23	@Chicago	W 93- 85	2-0	2-1	4-1	Laney-20	Howard-7	Ionescu-12	DeShields-22	1,332
May 24	DALLAS	W 88- 81	3-0	2-1	5-1	Laney-26	Ionescu-9	Richards-5	Ogunbowale-24	894
May 29	ATLANTA	L 87- 90(OT)	3-1	2-1	5-2	Onyenwere-29	Stokes-6 Laney-6	Laney-11	C. Williams-31	1,235

2021 TEAM SCORING HIGHS AND LOWS

LIBERTY SCORING	HIGH	LOW
1ST QUARTER	31 (Indiana 5/16/21)	15 (Washington 5/21/21)
2ND QUARTER	31 (Washington 5/21/21)	10 (Indiana 5/16/21)
3RD QUARTER	24 (Chicago 5/23/21)	17 (2 Times)
4TH QUARTER	27 (Dallas 5/24/21)	8 (Washington 5/21/21)
1ST HALF	52 (Chicago 5/23/21)	39 (Dallas 5/24/21)
2ND HALF	49 (Dallas 5/24/21)	26 (Washington 5/21/21)
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20T		

2021 TEAM HIGHS AND LOWS

Liberty Lows

Points	72	at Washington - 5/21
Scoring Margin	-29	at Washington - 5/21
Field Goals Made	26	at Indiana - 5/16
Field Goals Att.	65	2 Times
Field Goal Pct.	39.1	vs. Atlanta - 5/29
3-Point FGs Made	9	at Indiana - 5/16
3-Point FGs Att.	25	at Indiana - 5/16
3-Point FG Pct.	36.0	at Indiana - 5/16
Free Throws Made	5	at Washington - 5/21
Free Throws Att.	7	at Washington - 5/21
Free Throw Pct.	70.0	at Chicago - 5/23
Offensive Reb	3	3 Times
Defensive Reb	23	vs. Dallas - 5/24
Total Reb	28	2 Times
Assists	17	at Indiana - 5/16
Steals	4	vs. Minnesota - 5/18
Turnovers	14	2 Times
Blocked Shots	2	vs. Indiana - 5/14
Personal Fouls	9	vs. Atlanta - 5/29

Liberty Highs

Points	93	at Chicago - 5/23
Scoring Margin	11	vs. Minnesota - 5/18
Field Goals Made	36	at Chicago - 5/23
Field Goals Att.	73	at Chicago - 5/23
Field Goal Pct.	49.3	at Chicago - 5/23
3-Point FGs Made	14	2 Times
3-Point FGs Att.	34	vs. Atlanta - 5/29
3-Point FG Pct.	50.0	2 Times
Free Throws Made	22	vs. Dallas - 5/24
Free Throws Att.	27	vs. Dallas - 5/24
Free Throw Pct.	90.4	vs. Atlanta - 5/29
Offensive Reb	12	at Chicago - 5/23
Defensive Reb	37	vs. Minnesota - 5/18
Total Reb	40	2 Times
Assists	25	at Chicago - 5/23
Steals	9	2 Times
Turnovers	22	2 Times
Blocked Shots	10	at Chicago - 5/23
Personal Fouls	23	vs. Dallas - 5/24

2021 OPPONENT HIGHS AND LOWS

Opponent Lows

Points	65	at Indiana - 5/16
Scoring Margin	-11	vs. Minnesota - 5/18
Field Goals Made	25	at Indiana - 5/16
Field Goals Att.	74	vs. Minnesota - 5/18
Field Goal Pct.	32.4	at Indiana - 5/16
3-Point FGs Made	3	3 Times
3-Point FGs Att.	12	at Chicago - 5/23
3-Point FG Pct.	13.0	vs. Minnesota - 5/18
Free Throws Made	4	vs. Atlanta - 5/29
Free Throws Att.	8	vs. Atlanta - 5/29
Free Throw Pct.	50.0	vs. Atlanta - 5/29
Offensive Reb	8	vs. Minnesota - 5/18
Defensive Reb	23	vs. Dallas - 5/24
Total Reb	34	vs. Dallas - 5/24
Assists	14	vs. Indiana - 5/14
Steals	4	at Washington - 5/21
Turnovers	10	vs. Minnesota - 5/18
Blocked Shots	2	vs. Dallas - 5/24
Personal Fouls	15	at Washington - 5/21

Opponent Highs

Points	101	at Washington - 5/21
Scoring Margin	29	at Washington - 5/21
Field Goals Made	37	vs. Indiana - 5/14
Field Goals Att.	88	vs. Indiana - 5/14
Field Goal Pct.	47.7	at Washington - 5/21
3-Point FGs Made	16	at Washington - 5/21
3-Point FGs Att.	31	at Washington - 5/21
3-Point FG Pct.	51.6	at Washington - 5/21
Free Throws Made	16	2 Times
Free Throws Att.	22	vs. Dallas - 5/24
Free Throw Pct.	88.2	at Washington - 5/21
Offensive Reb	19	vs. Indiana - 5/14
Defensive Reb	35	vs. Atlanta - 5/29
Total Reb	45	2 Times
Assists	22	at Chicago - 5/23
Steals	11	vs. Atlanta - 5/29
Turnovers	21	at Indiana - 5/16
Blocked Shots	8	vs. Atlanta - 5/29
Personal Fouls	24	at Indiana - 5/16

LIBERTY PLAYERS IN TOP 10 STATISTICAL RANKINGS (THROUGH 6/1)

POINTS PER GAME:

4th: **Betnijah Laney (22.3)**

REBOUNDS PER GAME:

ASSISTS PER GAME:

2nd: **Sabrina Ionescu (7.1)**

FIELD GOAL %:

THREE POINT FIELD GOAL %:

T-4th: **Natasha Howard (66.7%)**

THREE POINTERS MADE:

T-3rd: **Sami Whitcomb (20)**

T-3rd: **Sabrina Ionescu (20)**

FREE THROWS MADE:

T-6th: **Betnijah Laney (34-41, 82.9%)**

10th: **Sabrina Ionescu (29-33, 87.9%)**

BLOCKS PER GAME:

STEALS PER GAME:

USAGE %:

2nd: **Natasha Howard (33.3%)**

4th: **Betnijah Laney (27.7%)**

2021 LIBERTY TEAM STATISTICAL RANKINGS (THROUGH 6/1)

TRADITIONAL

POINTS PER GAME:

3rd: 84.4

REBOUNDS PER GAME:

9th: 34.7

ASSISTS PER GAME:

2nd: 20.9

FIELD GOAL %:

4th: 44.3%

THREE POINT FIELD GOAL %:

1st: 43.2%

THREE POINT FIELD GOALS MADE:

1st: 83

THREE POINT FG MADE PER GAME:

1st: 11.9

HIGHEST % OF POINTS 3PT:

1st: 42.3%

FREE THROW %:

3rd: 82.5%

BLOCKS PER GAME:

8th: 4.3

STEALS PER GAME:

8th: 6.3

FEWEST TURNOVERS PER GAME:

11th: 18.3

PERSONAL FOULS DRAWN PER GAME:

3rd: 19.3

ADVANCED

OFFENSIVE RATING:

7th: 99.2

DEFENSIVE RATING:

5th: 98.0

NET RATING:

5th: 1.2

PACE:

1st: 100.21

ASSIST %:

1st: 70.9%

EFFECTIVE FIELD GOAL %:

1st: 53.2%

TRUE SHOOTING %:

T-1st: 57.2%

PLAYER IMPACT ESTIMATE (PIE):

4th: 53.0

LIBERTY SINGLE-GAME RECORDS

Points

40 Cappie Pondexter vs. Indiana July 18, 2010

FG Made

14 6 Times (Most Recent: Tina Charles vs. Connecticut) August 14, 2015

3PT FG Made

7 5 Times (Most Recent: Amanda Zahui B vs. Los Angeles) June 15, 2019

Assists

13 Teresa Weatherspoon vs. Los Angeles July 21, 1998

Rebounds

21 Amanda Zahui B vs. Las Vegas August 29, 2020

Blocks

8 Kiah Stokes vs. Connecticut July 16, 2015

Steals

8 Teresa Weatherspoon vs. Charlotte July 10, 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

13 Joyner Holmes vs. Phoenix September 5, 2020

Blocks

8 Kiah Stokes vs. Connecticut July 16, 2015

Steals

8 Teresa Weatherspoon vs. Charlotte July 10, 1997



WALT HOPKINS

HEAD COACH (SECOND SEASON)
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The 2021 WNBA season will be Walt Hopkins' second season as the New York Liberty's head coach.

On June 2, 2021, Hopkins was named the WNBA Coach of the Month for May. The honor is the first of Hopkins' career, after leading New York to one of its best starts in over a decade.

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.



FORWARD



#9 REBECCA ALLEN

SIXTH SEASON | WANGARETTA, AUSTRALIA | 6-2 | BORN NOV. 6, 1992 | 2019: 7.2 PPG, 2.5 RPG

- Re-signed with the New York Liberty on April 26, 2021.
- Allen, 28, re-joins the Liberty as the team's longest-tenured member (along with Kiah Stokes) after five seasons with New York. Rebecca, whose most recent season in Seafoam was in 2019, averaged a career-high 7.2 points per game on a team-best 42.6% shooting from three-point territory.

REBECCA'S 2021 GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	MIN	FGM-A	3PM-A	FTM-A	OREB	DREB	REB	AST	STL	BLK	TO	PF	PTS
MAY 14	INDIANA	W	NWT	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
MAY 16	AT INDIANA	W	15	1 - 6	1 - 5	0 - 0	0	5	5	2	0	0	1	0	3
MAY 18	MINNESOTA	W	12	1 - 6	0 - 2	4 - 5	1	2	3	2	1	1	0	2	6
MAY 21	AT WASHINGTON	L	25	3 - 9	3 - 8	0 - 0	0	4	4	0	0	1	2	2	9
MAY 23	AT CHICAGO	W	25	5 - 13	1 - 4	2 - 3	3	1	4	1	2	3	1	2	13
MAY 25	DALLAS	W	21	2 - 9	0 - 3	2 - 2	0	2	2	1	3	1	0	3	6
MAY 29	ATLANTA	L	8	0 - 4	0 - 1	0 - 0	0	2	2	0	1	0	2	1	0
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JUNE 5	AT CONNECTICUT														
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SEPT 11	AT PHOENIX														
SEPT 15	AT DALLAS														
SEPT 17	AT CONNECTICUT														
SEPT 17	AT WASHINGTON														

CAREER REGULAR SEASON HIGHS

Per Game Highs

Points	13 (Chicago - 5/23/2021)
Rebounds	5 (Indiana - 5/16/2021)
Defensive Rebounds	5 (Indiana - 5/16/2021)
Offensive Rebounds	3 (Chicago - 5/23/2021)
Assists	2 (2 Times)
Blocks	3 (Chicago - 5/23/2021)
Steals	3 (Dallas - 5/24/2021)
Field Goals Made	5 (Chicago - 5/23/2021)
Field Goals Attempted	13 (Chicago - 5/23/2021)
Three Point Field Goals Made	3 (Washington - 5/21/2021)
Three Point Field Goals Attempted	8 (Washington - 5/21/2021)
Minutes Played	25 (2 Times)

Season

Career

28 (Minnesota - 8/13/2019)
9 (Seattle - 5/26/2017)
7 (Seattle - 5/26/2017)
3 (2 Times)
4 (Chicago - 8/7/2019)
4 (Chicago - 8/7/2019)
3 (5 Times)
11 (Minnesota - 8/13/2019)
15 (Minnesota - 8/13/2019)
6 (2 Times)
11 (Chicago - 8/7/2019)
35 (Chicago - 9/16/2016)

CAREER REGULAR SEASON AVERAGES

YEAR	TEAM	G	GS	MPG	FG%	3P%	FT%	OREB	DREB	RPG	APG	SPG	BPG	TO	PF	PPG
2015	NYL	2	0	17.0	30.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	3.5	4.5	0.0	1.5	1.0	1.5	0.5	3.0
2016	NYL	21	6	13.3	45.9	56.7	86.7	0.6	1.1	1.7	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.6	1.7	5.7
2017	NYL	33	0	9.2	37.6	34.1	33.3	0.4	1.6	2.0	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.5	1.1	2.8
2018	NYL	28	0	10.4	37.6	26.3	84.0	0.5	1.3	1.7	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.5	1.3	3.8
2019	NYL	24	2	17.2	41.7	42.6	81.3	0.5	2.0	2.5	0.7	0.5	0.7	0.7	2.1	7.2
2021	NYL	6	0	17.5	25.5	21.7	80.0	0.7	2.7	3.3	1.0	1.2	1.0	1.0	1.7	6.2
Career		114	8	12.5	39.2	36.7	79.2	0.5	1.6	2.1	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	1.5	4.7



FORWARD

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#6 NATASHA HOWARD

EIGHTH SEASON | FLORIDA STATE '14 | TOLEDO, OH. | 6-2 | BORN SEPT. 2, 1991 | 2020: 9.5 PPG, 7.1 RPG

• On February 8, the Liberty made a blockbuster trade to bring three-time WNBA Champion, Natasha Howard, to New York from the Seattle Storm in exchange for the 2021 No. 1 overall draft pick.

• In Seattle's 2020 Championship season, Howard averaged 9.5 points and 7.1 rebounds per game while shooting 53.0% from the field during the regular season.

NATASHA'S 2021 GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	MIN	FGM-A	3PM-A	FTM-A	OREB	DREB	REB	AST	STL	BLK	TO	PF	PTS
MAY 14	INDIANA	W	NWT	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
MAY 16	AT INDIANA	W	NWT	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
MAY 18	MINNESOTA	W	NWT	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
MAY 21	AT WASHINGTON	L	NWT	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
MAY 23	AT CHICAGO	W	22	5 - 10	0 - 1	2 - 2	2	5	7	1	0	0	6	3	12
MAY 25	DALLAS	W	22	5 - 8	2 - 2	5 - 6	3	3	6	3	0	0	4	2	17
MAY 29	ATLANTA	L	DNP	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
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SEPT 15	AT DALLAS														
SEPT 17	AT CONNECTICUT														
SEPT 17	AT WASHINGTON														

CAREER REGULAR SEASON HIGHS

Per Game Highs

Points	Season
Rebounds	17 (Dallas - 5/24/2021)
Defensive Rebounds	7 (Chicago - 5/23/2021)
Offensive Rebounds	5 (Chicago - 5/23/2021)
Assists	3 (Dallas - 5/24/2021)
Blocks	3 (Dallas - 5/24/2021)
Steals	
Field Goals Made	5 (2 Times)
Field Goals Attempted	10 (Chicago - 5/23/2021)
Three Point Field Goals Made	2 (Dallas - 5/24/2021)
Three Point Field Goals Attempted	2 (Dallas - 5/24/2021)
Minutes Played	22 (2 Times)

Career

33 (Minnesota - 7/17/2019)
16 (Phoenix - 5/25/2019)
11 (3 Times)
7 (Phoenix - 5/25/2019)
5 (2 Times)
6 (2 Times)
6 (Dallas - 8/8/2019)
12 (Minnesota - 7/17/2019)
21 (2 Times)
4 (Washington - 8/14/2019)
9 (Washington - 8/14/2019)
41 (Atlanta - 5/17/2014)

CAREER REGULAR SEASON AVERAGES

YEAR	TEAM	G	GS	MPG	FG%	3P%	FT%	OREB	DREB	RPG	APG	SPG	BPG	TO	PF	PPG
2014	IND	34	15	16.9	44.3	0.0	59.4	1.5	1.5	3.1	0.6	0.8	0.7	1.5	2.6	7.0
2015	IND	30	2	11.4	37.9	0.0	72.1	0.9	1.7	2.6	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.9	2.0	4.2
2016	MIN	34	1	14.6	57.4	20.0	67.7	1.2	2.4	3.6	0.8	0.7	0.8	1.1	2.9	6.7
2017	MIN	34	0	11.7	48.4	21.4	73.3	0.9	1.5	2.4	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.8	1.7	4.3
2018	SEA	34	33	25.6	54.7	32.7	79.8	2.4	4.1	6.4	1.0	1.3	2.0	1.9	3.7	13.2
2019	SEA	34	34	31.4	43.9	30.8	81.0	2.7	5.5	8.2	2.1	2.2	1.7	2.9	2.9	18.1
2021	NYL	2	2	22.0	55.6	66.7	87.5	2.5	4.0	6.5	2.0	0.0	0.0	5.0	2.5	14.5
Career		224	109	19.0	48.3	30.8	74.9	1.7	3.0	4.7	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.6	2.7	9.1



GUARD



#20 SABRINA IONESCU

SECOND SEASON | OREGON '20 | WALNUT CREEK, CALIF. | 5-11 | BORN DEC. 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.
- In her three-game rookie season, Sabrina averaged 18.3 points, 4.7 rebounds and 4.0 assists while shooting 45.2% from the floor; including a 33-point breakout performance against Dallas.

SABRINA'S 2021 GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	MIN	FGM-A	3PM-A	FTM-A	OREB	DREB	REB	AST	STL	BLK	TO	PF	PTS
MAY 14	INDIANA	W	37	7 - 18	4 - 8	7 - 7	0	6	6	11	1	0	2	3	25
MAY 16	AT INDIANA	W	31	3 - 9	2 - 4	4 - 5	0	5	5	4	0	0	8	4	12
MAY 18	MINNESOTA	W	37	7 - 16	4 - 7	8 - 9	0	10	10	12	0	1	3	0	26
MAY 21	AT WASHINGTON	L	31	3 - 9	1 - 4	3 - 3	2	4	6	5	0	0	4	2	10
MAY 23	AT CHICAGO	W	36	7 - 13	5 - 10	0 - 0	0	5	5	12	1	3	4	2	19
MAY 25	DALLAS	W	27	3 - 6	2 - 4	7 - 8	3	6	9	3	1	1	4	2	15
MAY 29	ATLANTA	L	39	2 - 11	2 - 7	0 - 1	1	4	5	3	0	0	2	2	6
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CAREER REGULAR SEASON HIGHS

Per Game Highs

Points	26 (Minnesota - 5/18/2021)
Rebounds	10 (Minnesota - 5/18/2021)
Defensive Rebounds	10 (Minnesota - 5/18/2021)
Offensive Rebounds	3 (Dallas - 5/24/2021)
Assists	12 (2 Times)
Blocks	3 (Chicago - 5/23/2021)
Steals	1 (3 Times)
Field Goals Made	7 (3 Times)
Field Goals Attempted	18 (Indiana - 5/14/2021)
Three Point Field Goals Made	5 (Chicago - 5/23/2021)
Three Point Field Goals Attempted	10 (Chicago - 5/23/2021)
Minutes Played	39 (Atlanta - 5/29/2021)

Career

Points	33 (Dallas - 7/29/2020)
Rebounds	10 (Minnesota - 5/18/2021)
Defensive Rebounds	10 (Minnesota - 5/18/2021)
Offensive Rebounds	3 (Dallas - 5/24/2021)
Assists	12 (2 Times)
Blocks	3 (Chicago - 5/23/2021)
Steals	1 (5 Times)
Field Goals Made	11 (Dallas - 7/29/2020)
Field Goals Attempted	20 (Dallas - 7/29/2020)
Three Point Field Goals Made	6 (Dallas - 7/29/2020)
Three Point Field Goals Attempted	10 (2 Times)
Minutes Played	39 (Atlanta - 5/29/2021)

CAREER REGULAR SEASON AVERAGES

YEAR	TEAM	G	GS	MPG	FG%	3P%	FT%	OREB	DREB	RPG	APG	SPG	BPG	TO	PF	PPG
2020	NYL	3	3	26.7	45.2	35.0	100	0.7	4.0	4.7	4.0	0.7	0.0	4.3	1.3	18.3
2021	NYL	7	7	34.1	39.0	45.5	87.9	0.9	5.7	6.6	7.1	0.4	0.7	3.9	2.1	16.1
Career		10	10	31.9	41.1	42.2	90.7	0.8	5.2	6.0	6.2	0.5	0.5	4.0	1.9	16.8



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#4 JAZMINE JONES

SECOND SEASON | LOUISVILLE '20 | TALLAHASSEE, FLA. | 6-0 | BORN OCT. 15, 1996 | 2020: 10.8 PPG, 4.1 RPG, 2.3 APG

- Named to the 2020 WNBA All-Rookie Team, becoming the first Liberty selection since 2015.
- Ranked fourth among rookies in scoring (10.8 PPG), third in rebounding (4.1 RPG) and first in steals (1.4 SPG).

JAZMINE'S 2021 GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	MIN	FGM-A	3PM-A	FTM-A	OREB	DREB	REB	AST	STL	BLK	TO	PF	PTS
MAY 14	INDIANA	W	14	0 - 1	0 - 1	0 - 0	0	1	1	0	0	1	2	3	0
MAY 16	AT INDIANA	W	16	4 - 7	2 - 2	0 - 0	1	1	2	2	2	1	1	3	10
MAY 18	MINNESOTA	W	11	1 - 4	0 - 1	0 - 0	0	2	2	1	0	1	2	2	2
MAY 21	AT WASHINGTON	L	24	1 - 5	0 - 1	1 - 2	0	1	1	3	1	1	2	1	3
MAY 23	AT CHICAGO	W	10	1 - 1	1 - 1	0 - 0	0	3	3	1	0	0	2	2	3
MAY 25	DALLAS	W	18	2 - 4	0 - 1	1 - 2	1	2	3	1	1	0	1	3	5
MAY 29	ATLANTA	L	13	1 - 3	0 - 0	2 - 2	0	4	4	0	0	0	3	0	4
JUNE 3	LAS VEGAS														
JUNE 5	AT CONNECTICUT														
JUNE 13	AT PHOENIX														
JUNE 15	AT LAS VEGAS														
JUNE 17	AT LAS VEGAS														
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SEPT 15	AT DALLAS														
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SEPT 17	AT WASHINGTON														

CAREER REGULAR SEASON HIGHS

Per Game Highs

Points	10 (Indiana - 5/16/2021)
Rebounds	4 (Atlanta - 5/29/2021)
Defensive Rebounds	4 (Atlanta - 5/29/2021)
Offensive Rebounds	1 (2 Times)
Assists	3 (Washington - 5/21/2021)
Blocks	1 (4 Times)
Steals	2 (Indiana - 5/16/2021)
Field Goals Made	4 (Indiana - 5/16/2021)
Field Goals Attempted	7 (Indiana - 5/16/2021)
Three Point Field Goals Made	2 (Indiana - 5/16/2021)
Three Point Field Goals Attempted	2 (Indiana - 5/16/2021)
Minutes Played	24 (Washington - 5/21/2021)

Career

24 (Los Angeles - 8/11/2020)
10 (Indiana - 9/10/2020)
9 (Indiana - 9/10/2020)
3 (Las Vegas - 8/29/2020)
6 (Washington - 9/12/2020)
2 (3 Times)
5 (Los Angeles - 8/11/2020)
8 (2 Times)
16 (Los Angeles - 8/11/2020)
2 (5 Times)
4 (4 Times)
33 (Washington - 9/12/2020)

CAREER REGULAR SEASON AVERAGES

YEAR	TEAM	G	GS	MPG	FG%	3P%	FT%	OREB	DREB	RPG	APG	SPG	BPG	TO	PF	PPG
2020	NYL	19	1	20.8	38.9	31.0	77.9	0.8	3.1	3.9	2.2	1.5	0.5	2.7	3.0	10.3
2021	NYL	7	0	15.3	40.0	42.9	66.7	0.3	2.0	2.3	1.1	0.6	0.6	1.9	2.0	3.9
Career		27	2	19.8	40.3	34.6	77.9	0.7	2.9	3.6	2.0	1.2	0.5	2.6	2.7	9.0



GUARD/FORWARD



#44 BETNIJAH LANEY

FIFTH SEASON | RUTGERS '15 | CLAYTON, DEL. | 6-0 | BORN OCT. 29, 1993 | 2020: 17.2 PPG, 3.0 RPG, 3.7 APG

• Laney, the WNBA's 2020 Most Improved Player, joins New York after a career-best season with Atlanta, where she averaged 17.2 points, 4.9 rebounds, and 4.0 assists per contest, while shooting 48.1% from the field and 40.5% from beyond the arc.

• Laney's 2020 performance also garnered her a spot on the WNBA All-Defensive First Team.

BETNIJAH'S 2021 GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	MIN	FGM-A	3PM-A	FTM-A	OREB	DREB	REB	AST	STL	BLK	TO	PF	PTS
MAY 14	INDIANA	W	38	11 - 18	4 - 5	4 - 6	0	5	5	2	0	0	2	3	30
MAY 16	AT INDIANA	W	33	6 - 17	2 - 7	6 - 7	0	2	2	4	1	0	6	4	20
MAY 18	MINNESOTA	W	32	8 - 12	2 - 2	2 - 2	0	2	2	5	0	0	4	3	20
MAY 21	AT WASHINGTON	L	34	9 - 18	2 - 4	0 - 0	1	4	5	5	2	1	4	2	20
MAY 23	AT CHICAGO	W	34	8 - 14	1 - 2	3 - 5	3	3	6	5	0	0	7	3	20
MAY 25	DALLAS	W	35	9 - 15	1 - 3	7 - 9	0	2	2	3	0	0	1	4	26
MAY 29	ATLANTA	L	41	4 - 12	0 - 2	12 - 12	0	6	6	11	2	0	7	2	20
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JUNE 5	AT CONNECTICUT														
JUNE 13	AT PHOENIX														
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JUNE 20	AT LOS ANGELES														
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SEPT 17	AT WASHINGTON														

CAREER REGULAR SEASON HIGHS

Per Game Highs

Points	30 (Indiana - 5/14/2021)
Rebounds	6 (2 Times)
Defensive Rebounds	6 (Atlanta - 5/29/2021)
Offensive Rebounds	3 (Chicago - 5/23/2021)
Assists	11 (Atlanta - 5/29/2021)
Blocks	1 (Washington - 5/21/2021)
Steals	2 (2 Times)
Field Goals Made	11 (Indiana - 5/14/2021)
Field Goals Attempted	18 (2 Times)
Three Point Field Goals Made	4 (Indiana - 5/14/2021)
Three Point Field Goals Attempted	7 (Indiana - 5/16/2021)
Minutes Played	41 (Atlanta - 5/29/2021)

Career

35 (Washington - 8/19/2020)
11 (Dallas - 6/13/2019)
9 (Las Vegas - 7/10/2019)
6 (Dallas - 6/13/2019)
11 (2 Times)
2 (Atlanta - 6/19/2015)
4 (5 Times)
14 (Washington - 8/19/2020)
24 (Washington - 8/19/2020)
4 (2 Times)
7 (4 Times)
43 (Los Angeles - 8/21/2020)

CAREER REGULAR SEASON AVERAGES

YEAR	TEAM	G	GS	MPG	FG%	3P%	FT%	OREB	DREB	RPG	APG	SPG	BPG	TO	PF	PPG
2015	CHI	32	2	12.8	39.4	0.0	69.6	0.6	1.6	2.1	0.6	0.5	0.2	0.6	1.3	2.9
2016	CHI	8	1	5.3	16.7	0.0	100	0.1	0.5	0.6	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.3	0.8	1.0
2018	CON	29	0	9.3	47.1	11.1	90.9	0.7	1.0	1.7	0.7	0.4	0.0	0.6	0.7	2.7
2019	IND	34	27	25.8	36.2	30.3	58.1	0.9	3.3	4.2	1.7	1.4	0.1	1.4	1.6	5.6
2020	ATL	22	22	33.3	48.1	40.5	82.7	1.1	3.8	4.9	4.0	1.6	0.1	3.0	2.6	17.2
2021	NYL	7	7	35.1	51.9	48.0	82.9	0.6	3.4	4.0	5.0	0.7	0.1	4.4	3.0	22.3
Career		132	59	19.6	43.8	34.8	77.8	0.8	2.3	3.0	1.7	0.9	0.1	1.4	1.5	6.9

**FORWARD**

#0 LEIONNA ODOM

SECOND SEASON | DUKE '20 | LOMPOC, CALIF. | 6-2 | BORN APRIL 5, 1997 | 2020: 5.5 PPG, 2.3 RPG

- Odom appeared in all 22 games in 2020, starting in 16, which was the most of any Liberty rookie.
- Neah averaged 5.5 points and 2.3 rebounds in 20.6 minutes per contest; also led the Liberty with a team-best 49.0% field goal percentage last season.

LEIONNA'S 2021 GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	MIN	FGM-A	3PM-A	FTM-A	OREB	DREB	REB	AST	STL	BLK	TO	PF	PTS
MAY 14	INDIANA	W	DND	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
MAY 16	AT INDIANA	W	DND	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
MAY 18	MINNESOTA	W	DND	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
MAY 21	AT WASHINGTON	L	DNP	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
MAY 23	AT CHICAGO	W	DNP	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
MAY 25	DALLAS	W	DNP	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
MAY 29	ATLANTA	L	DNP	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
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JUNE 5	AT CONNECTICUT														
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CAREER REGULAR SEASON HIGHS

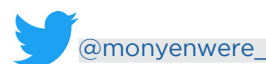
Per Game Highs	Season	Career
Points		20 (Dallas - 9/13/2020)
Rebounds		7 (Phoenix - 9/5/2020)
Defensive Rebounds		3 (2 Times)
Offensive Rebounds		4 (3 Times)
Assists		3 (Chicago - 8/20/2020)
Blocks		1 (8 Times)
Steals		3 (Dallas - 9/13/2020)
Field Goals Made		10 (Dallas - 9/13/2020)
Field Goals Attempted		12 (Dallas - 9/13/2020)
Three Point Field Goals Made		1 (5 Times)
Three Point Field Goals Attempted		4 (Atlanta - 9/3/2020)
Minutes Played		33 (Phoenix - 9/5/2020)

CAREER REGULAR SEASON AVERAGES

YEAR	TEAM	G	GS	MPG	FG%	3P%	FT%	OREB	DREB	RPG	APG	SPG	BPG	TO	PF	PPG
2020	NYL	21	15	20.1	44.2	26.3	87.0	1.6	0.8	2.3	0.7	0.6	0.3	0.7	1.7	4.8
Career		21	15	20.1	44.2	26.3	87.0	1.6	0.8	2.3	0.7	0.6	0.3	0.7	1.7	4.8



FORWARD



#21 MICHAELA ONYENWERE

ROOKIE SEASON | UCLA '21 | AURORA, COLO. | 6-0 | BORN AUG. 10, 1999 | 2021 DRAFT: 6TH OVERALL

- At UCLA, Onyenwere averaged 19.1 points and 7.2 rebounds while shooting 42.1% in her senior campaign, leading the Bruins to a Sweet Sixteen appearance.
- A four-year letter winner, she finished her collegiate career as the fourth overall leading scorer in program history (1,888 points).

MICHAELA'S 2021 GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	MIN	FGM-A	3PM-A	FTM-A	OREB	DREB	REB	AST	STL	BLK	TO	PF	PTS
MAY 14	INDIANA	W	29	6 - 12	3 - 6	3 - 3	1	4	5	1	1	0	0	3	18
MAY 16	AT INDIANA	W	25	4 - 7	1 - 2	2 - 3	1	4	5	0	1	0	2	2	11
MAY 18	MINNESOTA	W	30	3 - 11	1 - 4	0 - 0	0	2	2	1	0	1	1	3	7
MAY 21	AT WASHINGTON	L	10	2 - 7	1 - 3	0 - 0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	5
MAY 23	AT CHICAGO	W	21	4 - 9	2 - 4	0 - 0	2	2	4	0	0	1	0	1	10
MAY 25	DALLAS	W	13	2 - 2	1 - 1	0 - 0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	4	5
MAY 29	ATLANTA	L	39	10 - 22	6 - 14	3 - 3	2	3	5	2	1	0	1	1	29
JUNE 3	LAS VEGAS														
JUNE 5	AT CONNECTICUT														
JUNE 13	AT PHOENIX														
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SEPT 15	AT DALLAS														
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SEPT 17	AT WASHINGTON														

CAREER REGULAR SEASON HIGHS

Per Game Highs

Points
Rebounds
Defensive Rebounds
Offensive Rebounds
Assists
Blocks
Steals
Field Goals Made
Field Goals Attempted
Three Point Field Goals Made
Three Point Field Goals Attempted
Minutes Played

Season/Career

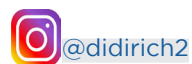
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1 (2 Times)
1 (3 Times)
10 (Atlanta - 5/29/2021)
22 (Atlanta - 5/29/2021)
6 (Atlanta - 5/29/2021)
14 (Atlanta - 5/29/2021)
39 (Atlanta - 5/29/2021)

CAREER REGULAR SEASON AVERAGES

YEAR	TEAM	G	GS	MPG	FG%	3P%	FT%	OREB	DREB	RPG	APG	SPG	BPG	TO	PF	PPG
2021	NYL	7	7	23.9	44.3	44.1	88.9	1.0	2.3	3.3	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.7	2.3	12.1
Career		7	7	23.9	44.3	44.1	88.9	1.0	2.3	3.3	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.7	2.3	12.1



GUARD/FORWARD



#2 DIDI RICHARDS

ROOKIE SEASON | BAYLOR '21 | CYPRESS, TEXAS | 6-2 | BORN FEB. 8, 1999 | 2021 DRAFT: 17TH OVERALL

- Richards, averaged 6.3 points and 6.3 assists per game in the 2020-21 season while shooting 42.9% from the field, leading Baylor to a 28-3 finish and Final Four appearance. Her 189 assists ranked No. 2 in the nation.
- DiDi garnered the 2020 Naismith and WBCA Defensive Player of The Year Awards.
- Helped Baylor secure its third-ever NCAA Championship in 2019.

DIDI'S 2021 GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	MIN	FGM-A	3PM-A	FTM-A	OREB	DREB	REB	AST	STL	BLK	TO	PF	PTS
MAY 14	INDIANA	W	9	1-1	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	0	1	0	1	0	2
MAY 16	AT INDIANA	W	17	1-3	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	0	2	0	1	0	2
MAY 18	MINNESOTA	W	4	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	2
MAY 21	AT WASHINGTON	L	9	2-4	0-0	1-2	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	2	5
MAY 23	AT CHICAGO	W	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
MAY 25	DALLAS	W	19	1-2	1-2	0-0	1	2	3	5	2	1	1	1	3
MAY 29	ATLANTA	L	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
JUNE 3	LAS VEGAS														
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SEPT 17	AT CONNECTICUT														
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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
Three Point Field Goals Made
Three Point Field Goals Attempted
Minutes Played

Season/Career

5 (Washington - 5/21/2021)
3 (Dallas - 5/24/2021)
2 (2 Times)
1 (3 Times)
5 (Dallas - 5/24/2021)
1 (Dallas - 5/24/2021)
2 (3 Times)
2 (Washington - 5/21/2021)
4 (Washington - 5/21/2021)
1 (Dallas - 5/24/2021)
2 (Dallas - 5/24/2021)
19 (Dallas - 5/24/2021)

CAREER REGULAR SEASON AVERAGES

YEAR	TEAM	G	GS	MPG	FG%	3P%	FT%	OREB	DREB	RPG	APG	SPG	BPG	TO	PF	PPG
2021	NYL	7	0	9.6	54.5	50.0	50.0	0.4	0.9	1.3	1.0	1.0	0.1	0.9	0.6	2.0
Career		7	0	9.6	54.5	50.0	50.0	0.4	0.9	1.3	1.0	1.0	0.1	0.9	0.6	2.0



FORWARD



#24 KYLEE SHOOK

SECOND SEASON | LOUISVILLE '20 | COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO. | 6-4 | BORN MARCH 18, 1998 | 2020: 4.1 PPG, 2.8 RPG

- Shook saw action in 20 of 22 games of her rookie campaign averaging 4.1 points and 2.8 rebounds in 14.5 minutes per game.
- Recorded a season-high 9 points on four occasions and 6 rebounds in two contests.

KYLEE'S 2021 GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	MIN	FGM-A	3PM-A	FTM-A	OREB	DREB	REB	AST	STL	BLK	TO	PF	PTS
MAY 14	INDIANA	W	26	3 - 8	0 - 1	0 - 0	0	3	3	3	1	1	2	2	6
MAY 16	AT INDIANA	W	28	3 - 7	0 - 1	0 - 0	2	5	7	1	1	0	0	3	6
MAY 18	MINNESOTA	W	28	4 - 5	2 - 2	0 - 0	0	6	6	3	0	0	3	3	10
MAY 21	AT WASHINGTON	L	22	5 - 7	1 - 2	0 - 0	0	2	2	3	0	1	1	1	11
MAY 23	AT CHICAGO	W	18	2 - 6	1 - 1	0 - 0	1	5	6	1	1	2	1	1	5
MAY 25	DALLAS	W	13	1 - 5	0 - 1	0 - 0	1	2	3	1	0	0	1	2	2
MAY 29	ATLANTA	L	19	2 - 7	1 - 3	0 - 0	1	2	3	3	0	1	0	0	5
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CAREER REGULAR SEASON HIGHS

Per Game Highs

Points	11 (Washington - 5/21/2021)
Rebounds	7 (Indiana - 5/16/2021)
Defensive Rebounds	6 (Minnesota - 5/18/2021)
Offensive Rebounds	2 (Indiana - 5/16/2021)
Assists	3 (4 Times)
Blocks	2 (Chicago - 5/23/2021)
Steals	1 (3 Times)
Field Goals Made	5 (Washington - 5/21/2021)
Field Goals Attempted	8 (Indiana - 5/14/2021)
Three Point Field Goals Made	2 (Minnesota - 5/18/2021)
Three Point Field Goals Attempted	3 (Atlanta - 5/29/2021)
Minutes Played	28 (2 Times)

Season

11 (Washington - 5/21/2021)
7 (Indiana - 5/16/2021)
6 (Minnesota - 5/18/2021)
2 (Indiana - 5/16/2021)
3 (4 Times)
2 (Chicago - 5/23/2021)
1 (3 Times)
5 (Washington - 5/21/2021)
8 (Indiana - 5/14/2021)
2 (Minnesota - 5/18/2021)
3 (Atlanta - 5/29/2021)
28 (2 Times)

Career

11 (Washington - 5/21/2021)
7 (Indiana - 5/16/2021)
6 (2 Times)
3 (Phoenix - 8/2/2020)
3 (3 Times)
2 (4 Times)
2 (Indiana - 8/13/2020)
5 (Washington - 5/21/2021)
9 (Minnesota - 8/15/2020)
2 (Minnesota - 5/18/2021)
3 (Atlanta - 5/29/2021)
28 (2 Times)

CAREER REGULAR SEASON AVERAGES

YEAR	TEAM	G	GS	MPG	FG%	3P%	FT%	OREB	DREB	RPG	APG	SPG	BPG	TO	PF	PPG
2020	NYL	19	0	14.7	41.0	18.8	82.4	0.8	2.2	3.0	0.6	0.4	0.5	1.1	1.3	4.3
2021	NYL	7	5	22.0	44.4	45.5	0.0	0.7	3.6	4.3	2.1	0.4	0.7	1.1	1.7	6.4
Career		27	5	16.4	41.9	28.6	82.4	0.7	2.4	3.2	1.0	0.4	0.6	1.0	1.4	4.7



CENTER



#41 KIAH STOKES

SIXTH SEASON | CONNECTICUT '15 | CEDAR RAPIDS, IA | 6-3 | BORN MARCH 30, 1993 | 2020: 5.8 PPG, 6.7 RPG, 1.2 APG

- Kiah Stokes was the only Liberty player to appear and start in each contest during the 2020 season. In 2020, she averaged 5.7 points and 6.7 rebounds over a career-high 27.3 minutes per game; including 20 three-point field goals after four seasons without a single 3 pointer made.
- Kiah 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 2021 GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	MIN	FGM-A	3PM-A	FTM-A	OREB	DREB	REB	AST	STL	BLK	TO	PF	PTS
MAY 14	INDIANA	W	NWT	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
MAY 16	AT INDIANA	W	NWT	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
MAY 18	MINNESOTA	W	11	0 - 1	0 - 0	0 - 0	2	4	6	0	0	0	1	1	0
MAY 21	AT WASHINGTON	L	13	0 - 0	0 - 0	0 - 0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
MAY 23	AT CHICAGO	W	DNP	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
MAY 25	DALLAS	W	5	0 - 0	0 - 0	0 - 0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
MAY 29	ATLANTA	L	26	2 - 2	0 - 0	0 - 0	0	6	6	0	1	1	1	1	4
JUNE 3	LAS VEGAS														
JUNE 5	AT CONNECTICUT														
JUNE 13	AT PHOENIX														
JUNE 15	AT LAS VEGAS														
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SEPT 15	AT DALLAS														
SEPT 17	AT CONNECTICUT														
SEPT 17	AT WASHINGTON														

CAREER REGULAR SEASON HIGHS

Per Game Highs

Points	4 (Atlanta - 5/29/2021)
Rebounds	6 (2 Times)
Defensive Rebounds	6 (Atlanta - 5/29/2021)
Offensive Rebounds	2 (Minnesota - 5/18/2021)
Assists	1 (Dallas - 5/24/2021)
Blocks	1 (Atlanta - 5/29/2021)
Steals	1 (Atlanta - 5/29/2021)
Field Goals Made	2 (Atlanta - 5/29/2021)
Field Goals Attempted	2 (Atlanta - 5/29/2021)
Three Point Field Goals Made	
Three Point Field Goals Attempted	
Minutes Played	26 (Atlanta - 5/29/2021)

Career

23 (Phoenix - 6/4/2017)
17 (Atlanta - 6/7/2017)
14 (Atlanta - 6/7/2017)
7 (2 Times)
4 (3 Times)
8 (Connecticut - 7/16/2015)
4 (Atlanta - 9/1/2015)
6 (7 Times)
12 (2 Times)
5 (Washington - 9/12/2020)
8 (Washington - 9/12/2020)
38 (Atlanta - 6/22/2016)

CAREER REGULAR SEASON AVERAGES

YEAR	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
2020	NYL	21	21	27.2	37.7	24.1	57.1	1.3	5.4	6.7	1.2	0.5	1.1	1.3	2.0	5.8
2021	NYL	4	0	14.0	66.7	0.0	0.0	0.5	3.3	3.8	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.5	1.0
Career		151	44	21.6	52.3	22.7	68.3	1.8	4.4	6.2	0.8	0.5	1.3	1.1	2.3	5.1



GUARD



#32 SAMI WHITCOMB

FIFTH SEASON | WASHINGTON '10 | VENTURA, CALIF. | 5-10 | BORN JULY 20, 1988 | 2020: 8.1 PPG, 2.3 RPG, 2.0 APG

- Fifth-year WNBA veteran, Sami Whitcomb, will be making her debut in Seafoam after spending the past four seasons with the Seattle Storm where she won two WNBA Championships (2018, 2020).

- In Seattle's 2020 championship season, Whitcomb averaged 8.1 points, 2.3 rebounds and 2.0 assists per game while shooting 38.1% from three, 44.3% from the field and 100% at the free throw line (22-22).

SAMI'S 2021 GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	MIN	FGM-A	3PM-A	FTM-A	OREB	DREB	REB	AST	STL	BLK	TO	PF	PTS
MAY 14	INDIANA	W	27	2 - 6	2 - 5	0 - 0	1	4	5	2	1	0	1	1	6
MAY 16	AT INDIANA	W	23	2 - 6	1 - 4	0 - 0	0	6	6	4	1	2	0	1	5
MAY 18	MINNESOTA	W	35	5 - 11	3 - 9	0 - 0	0	8	8	0	3	0	1	3	13
MAY 21	AT WASHINGTON	L	32	3 - 6	3 - 5	0 - 0	0	7	7	1	1	1	2	0	9
MAY 23	AT CHICAGO	W	31	4 - 7	3 - 5	0 - 0	0	4	4	4	0	1	1	2	11
MAY 25	DALLAS	W	27	3 - 9	3 - 8	0 - 0	0	3	3	1	0	0	1	2	9
MAY 29	ATLANTA	L	34	6 - 8	5 - 7	2 - 3	0	5	5	3	4	1	3	2	19
JUNE 3	LAS VEGAS														
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SEPT 17	AT CONNECTICUT														
SEPT 17	AT WASHINGTON														

CAREER REGULAR SEASON HIGHS

Per Game Highs

Points	19 (Atlanta - 5/29/2021)
Rebounds	8 (Minnesota - 5/18/2021)
Defensive Rebounds	8 (Minnesota - 5/18/2021)
Offensive Rebounds	1 (Indiana - 5/14/2021)
Assists	4 (2 Times)
Blocks	2 (Indiana - 5/16/2021)
Steals	4 (Atlanta - 5/29/2021)
Field Goals Made	6 (Atlanta - 5/29/2021)
Field Goals Attempted	11 (Minnesota - 5/18/2021)
Three Point Field Goals Made	5 (Atlanta - 5/29/2021)
Three Point Field Goals Attempted	9 (Minnesota - 5/18/2021)
Minutes Played	35 (Minnesota - 5/18/2021)

Career

Points	22 (New York - 5/26/2017)
Rebounds	8 (Minnesota - 5/18/2021)
Defensive Rebounds	8 (Minnesota - 5/18/2021)
Offensive Rebounds	3 (Washington - 6/27/2017)
Assists	8 (Minnesota - 7/17/2019)
Blocks	2 (2 Times)
Steals	4 (5 Times)
Field Goals Made	7 (New York - 8/11/2019)
Field Goals Attempted	14 (2 Times)
Three Point Field Goals Made	6 (2 Times)
Three Point Field Goals Attempted	11 (3 Times)
Minutes Played	35 (2 Times)

CAREER REGULAR SEASON AVERAGES

YEAR	TEAM	G	GS	MPG	FG%	3P%	FT%	OREB	DREB	RPG	APG	SPG	BPG	TO	PF	PPG
2017	SEA	33	0	12.2	36.1	33.3	81.0	0.4	1.3	1.7	1.0	0.7	0.0	0.9	1.5	4.5
2018	SEA	31	0	8.5	34.9	36.2	100	0.2	0.8	0.9	0.5	0.5	0.1	0.5	0.7	2.9
2019	SEA	33	13	20.4	36.8	34.2	100	0.5	1.2	1.7	2.4	1.1	0.1	1.6	1.5	7.2
2020	SEA	22	0	16.5	44.3	38.1	100	0.2	2.1	2.3	2.0	0.7	0.1	1.0	1.4	8.1
2021	NYL	7	7	29.9	47.2	46.5	66.7	0.1	5.3	5.4	2.1	1.4	0.7	1.3	1.6	10.3
Career		126	20	15.2	38.9	36.1	92.1	0.3	1.5	1.8	1.5	0.8	0.1	1.0	1.3	5.8

2021 NEW YORK LIBERTY SPOTTER'S CHART



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6TH SEASON
AUSTRALIA



NATASHA HOWARD
FORWARD | 6-2
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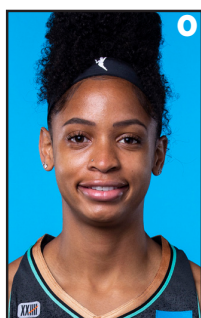
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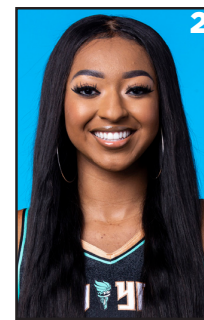
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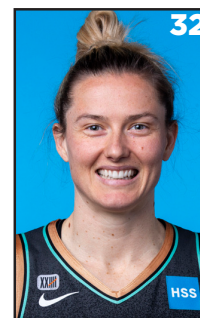
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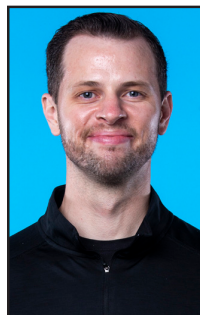
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FORWARD/GUARD | 6-0
2ND SEASON
VIRGINIA



WALT HOPKINS
HEAD COACH
2ND SEASON



SHELLEY PATTERSON
ASSISTANT COACH
23RD SEASON



DUSTIN GRAY
ASSISTANT COACH
2ND SEASON



JACKI GEMELOS
ASSISTANT COACH
1ST SEASON



THERESA ACOSTA
HEAD ATHLETIC
TRAINER



2021 TV SCHEDULE



FRIDAY MAY 14^{CC}**
7PM ET
HOME



SUNDAY MAY 16^{^CC}
2PM ET
AWAY



TUESDAY MAY 18^{*}
7PM ET
HOME



FRIDAY MAY 21^{CC}**
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AWAY



SUNDAY MAY 23^{+CC}
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MONDAY MAY 24**
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SATURDAY MAY 29*^{CC}
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THURSDAY JUNE 3**
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TUESDAY JUNE 22*^{CC}
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THURSDAY JUNE 24**
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MONDAY JULY 5**
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SUNDAY AUGUST 15**
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WEDNESDAY AUGUST 18[^]
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FRIDAY AUGUST 20^{*}
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SUNDAY AUGUST 22**
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WEDNESDAY AUGUST 25[°]**
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FRIDAY AUGUST 27[^]
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TUESDAY AUGUST 31
8PM ET
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THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 2**
10PM ET
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SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 11[°]
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WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 15[^]
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FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 17**
7PM ET
HOME

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2021 THEME NIGHTS

OPENING NIGHT	FRIDAY MAY 14 TH	7PM	INDIANA FEVER
JUNETEENTH	TUESDAY JUNE 22 ND	7PM	CHICAGO SKY
PRIDE	THURSDAY JUNE 24 TH	7PM	CHICAGO SKY
MILITARY APPRECIATION NIGHT	SATURDAY JULY 3 RD	1PM	WASHINGTON MYSTICS
UNITY/WOMEN'S HEALTH	SUNDAY JULY 11 TH	2PM	CONNECTICUT SUN
BACK TO SCHOOL	FRIDAY AUGUST 20 TH	7PM	SEATTLE STORM
25 TH ANNIVERSARY /WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT	SUNDAY AUGUST 22 ND	2PM	LA SPARKS
25 TH ANNIVERSARY	WEDNESDAY AUGUST 25 TH	7PM	PHOENIX MERCURY
25 TH ANNIVERSARY	FRIDAY AUGUST 27 TH	8PM	PHOENIX MERCURY
FAN APPRECIATION	FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 17 TH	7PM	WASHINGTON MYSTICS