

## 14 WNBA Playoff Appearances

## 3 WNBA Conference Titles

## 2 WNBA Champions (2001, 2002)

## SPARKS QUICK FACTS

Location	Los Angeles, Calif.
Founded	1997
EVP/General Manager	Penny Toler
Head Coach	Brian Agler (Wittenberg '80)
Assistant Coach	Curt Miller
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## MAY

Wed 27 @ Chicago	W, 76-67*
Thu 28 @ Connecticut	W, 64-57*

## JUNE

Sat 6 @ Seattle	L, 86-61^
Sun 14 vs Seattle	2:00 p.m.^
Tue 16 vs Minnesota	7:30 p.m.^
Sun 21 vs Connecticut	2:00 p.m.^
Tue 23 @ Washington	5:00 p.m.#
Fri 26 @ Connecticut	4:00 p.m.
Sun 28 @ New York	12:00 p.m.^

## JULY

Thu 2 vs San Antonio	7:30 p.m.^
Fri 3 vs Tulsa	7:30 p.m.^
Sun 5 vs Phoenix	2:00 p.m.^
Wed 8 @ San Antonio	5:00 p.m.^
Sat 11 @ Tulsa	5:00 p.m.^
Wed 15 @ Seattle	5:00 p.m.
Thu 16 vs Atlanta	12:30 p.m.^
Tue 21 vs Phoenix	8:00 p.m.#
Wed 22 vs New York	7:30 p.m.^
Wed 29 @ Minnesota	5:00 p.m.^
Fri 31 @ Chicago	5:30 p.m.

## AUGUST

Sun 2 @ San Antonio	1:30 p.m.^
Tue 4 vs Minnesota	7:00 p.m.#
Thu 6 vs Tulsa	7:30 p.m.^
Thu 6 vs Tulsa	4:00 p.m.
Sun 9 @ Minnesota	7:30 p.m.^
Tue 11 vs Seattle	2:00 p.m.^
Sun 16 vs Chicago	7:30 p.m.^
Tue 18 vs Indiana	7:00 p.m.^
Fri 21 @ Phoenix	1:30 p.m.
Sun 23 @ San Antonio	4:00 p.m.
Wed 26 @ Indiana	5:00 p.m.^
Fri 28 @ Tulsa	4:00 p.m.^
Sun 30 vs San Antonio	

## SEPTEMBER

Thu 3 vs Washington	7:30 p.m.^
Sun 6 vs Tulsa	2:00 p.m.^
Wed 9 @ Atlanta	4:00 p.m.^
Fri 11 @ Phoenix	7:00 p.m.^

**Note:** All times Pacific Standard Time

\* preseason

^ Televised on TWCSN

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Los Angeles Sparks (0-1)  
vs Seattle Storm (1-1)

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Los Angeles  
Sparks (0-1)Head-to-Head  
Match-upSeattle  
Storm (1-1)

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Date.....Sunday, June 14  
Time.....2:00 p.m PT  
Venue.....STAPLES Center  
TV.....TWC Sportsnet  
All-Time Series.....32-27  
Home Series.....19-9  
Road Series.....13-18  
Current Streak.....Lost 1



## PROBABLE STARTERS

42 JANTEL LAVENDER  
C 6-4 185

PTS	REB	AST	STL	BLK	MIN
10.0	12.0	2.0	0.0	0.0	36.0

**JUNE 6 @ SEA:** Grabbed a game-high 12 rebounds (3 OFF), scored 10 points and dished out two assists in a game-high 36 minutes played.

**NOTES:** Recorded first double-double (10 points, 12 rebounds) of the season in loss against Seattle on June 6. Tied a career-high nine defensive rebounds.

30 NNEKA OGWUMIKE  
F 6-2 174

PTS	REB	AST	STL	BLK	MIN
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

**JUNE 6 @ SEA:** Did not play (left ankle sprain).

**NOTES:** Averaged 15.6 points shooting .571 (32-56 FG) and .867 (13-15 FT) in five games against the Storm in 2014.

14 MARIANNA TOLO  
C 6-5 190

PTS	REB	AST	STL	BLK	MIN
3.0	3.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	21.0

**JUNE 6 @ SEA:** Recorded three points, three rebounds and one blocked shot in 21 minutes played. Made WNBA rookie debut as a starter at Seattle on June 6.

**NOTES:** Averaged 12.2 points shooting 28-of-50 (.560) from the field and grabbed 5.2 rebounds during the 2014 FIBA World Championship.

0 ALANA BEARD  
G/F 6-1 160

PTS	REB	AST	STL	BLK	MIN
20.0	4.0	3.0	0.0	0.0	33.0

**JUNE 6 @ SEA:** Scored a game-high 20 points shooting 8-of-16 (.500) from the field, 4-of-4 (1.000) from the free-throw line, pulled in four rebounds and two assists in 33 minutes played.

**NOTES:** Made a jump shot in the 4th quarter (3:41 mark) to surpass 4,000 career points total. Currently has 4,003 career points, 23rd in WNBA All-Time Scoring list.

31 ERIN PHILLIPS  
G 5-8 165

PTS	REB	AST	STL	BLK	MIN
11.0	2.0	5.0	2.0	0.0	34.0

**JUNE 6 @ SEA:** Tallied 11 points, two rebounds a team-high five assists and a game-high two steals in 34 minutes played.

**NOTES:** Has been perfect from the free-throw line shooting 11-of-11 (1.000 FT), dating back to the first 2015 preseason game (CHI 5/27).

## INJURY REPORT

- Nneka Ogwumike left ankle sprain (day-to-day)

## RECORDS

	RECORD	HOME	ROAD
OVERALL	0-1 (.000)	0-0 (.000)	0-1 (.000)
WESTERN	0-1 (.000)	0-0 (.000)	0-1 (.000)
EASTERN	0-0 (.000)	0-0 (.000)	0-0 (.000)
STREAKS	Lost 1		Lost 1

## PRONUNCIATIONS ALPHABETICAL BY LAST NAME

Farhiya Abdi – FAR-ee-uh AHB-D  
Alana Beard – Ah-LAY-nah  
Temeka Johnson – teh-MEE-kah  
Jantel Lavender – JANN-tell  
Nneka Ogwumike – NEH-kuh Oh-gwoo-MIH-kay  
Marianna Tolo - MARE-E-Ah-Na Toe – Low

## RECENT TRANSACTIONS

**JAN. 5:** Named Brian Agler Sparks Head Coach. **JAN. 28:** Waived guard Arminite Herrington. **FEB. 9:** Signed center Marianna Tolo, forward Nikki Greene. **FEB. 10:** Waived guard Lindsey Harding. **FEB. 12:** Signed guard Erin Phillips. **FEB. 18:** Signed guard Ana Dabovic. **FEB. 19:** Signed guard Elina Babkina. **FEB. 23:** Signed center Jennifer Hamson. **FEB. 26:** Re-Signed guard/forward Alana Beard. **MARCH 18:** Re-Signed forward/center Jantel Lavender. **MARCH 24:** Signed guard Temeka Johnson. **APRIL 1:** Signed forward Jennifer Lacy. **APRIL 29:** Signed forward Cierra Burdick, guard Andrea Hoover, forward Tyonna Outland. **APRIL 30:** Signed forward Annalise Pickrel. **MAY 23:** Waived Elina Babkina, Tyonna Outland. **JUNE 2:** Signed guard Blake Dietrick, guard Angel Goodrich. **JUNE 4:** Waived Cierra Burdick, Blake Dietrick, Nikki Greene, Angel Goodrich, Annalise Pickrel.

## 2015 LOS ANGELES SPARKS ROSTER

#	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Birthdate	College/From	Exp.	Hometown
13	Farhiya Abdi	F	6-2	180	5/31/92	Sweden	2	Brannkyrka, Sweden
0	Alana Beard	G/F	6-1	160	5/14/82	Duke	11	Shreveport, LA
5	Jennifer Hamson	C	6-7	210	1/23/92	BYU	R	Lindon, UT
24	Andrea Hoover	G	5-9	155	9/9/92	Dayton	R	Bellbrook, OH
2	Temeka Johnson	G	5-3	142	9/6/82	Louisiana State	10	New Orleans, LA
21	Jennifer Lacy	F	6-3	175	3/21/83	Pepperdine	9	Agoura Hills, CA
42	Jantel Lavender	C	6-4	185	11/12/88	Ohio State	4	Cleveland, OH
30	Nneka Ogumike	F	6-2	174	7/2/90	Stanford	3	Cypress, TX
31	Erin Phillips	G	5-8	165	5/19/85	Australia	7	Melbourne, Australia
14	Marianna Tolo	C	6-5	190	7/2/89	Australia	R	Mackay, Australia

**Head Coach:**  
**Assistant Coaches:**

Brian Agler (Wittenburg '80)  
Amber Stock (U of Cincinnati '99)  
Curt Miller (Baldwin-Wallace College '90)

**Athletic Trainer:** Courtney Watson

## LAST GAME RECAP: JUNE 6, 2015 @ SEATTLE

**FINAL**  
**SEATTLE**  
**LOS ANGELES**

**86**  
**61**

KeyArena,  
Seattle, WA  
Attendance: 9,686

### HIGHLIGHTS

- Field Goal Percentage: **Los Angeles:** 34.3% (23-of-67) **Seattle:** 51.6% (33-of-64)
- Three-Point Percentage: **Los Angeles:** 18.2% (4-of-22) **Seattle:** 45.0% (9-of-20)
- Free-Throw Percentage: **Los Angeles:** 84.6 % (11-of-13) **Seattle:** 57.9% (11-of-19)
- Points in the Paint: **Los Angeles:** 16 (8-of-19) **Seattle:** 34 (17-of-27)
- **Alana Beard** scored her 4,000 career point in the loss. She finished the game with 4003 career points total to rank 23<sup>rd</sup> among WNBA scoring leaders.
- **Jantel Lavender** grabbed her first double-double of the season with 10 points and a game-high 12 rebounds AND tied a career-high nine defensive rebounds.
- Storm forward **Renee Montgomery** had a team-high 19 points in the win.
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### INDIVIDUAL GAME PERFORMANCE

SEATTLE	HIGHS	LOS ANGELES
Montgomery (19)	Points	Beard (20)
Langhorne (9)	Rebounds	Lavender (12)
Bird (5)	Assists	Phillips (5)
Four Tied (1)	Steals	Phillips (2)
Tokashiki (2)	Blocks	Tolo (1)
Bird (30)	Minutes	Lavender (35)

### TEAM GAME PERFORMANCE

SEATTLE	TOTALS	LOS ANGELES
86	Points	61
36	Rebounds	34
21	Assists	17
.516 (33-64 FG)	Field Goal Pct.	.343 (23-67 FG)
.450 (9-20 3FG)	3 Field Goal Pct.	.182 (4-22 3FG)
.579 (11-19 FT)	Free Throw Pct.	.846 (11-13 FT)
40	Bench	16

## TONIGHT'S OPPONENT: SEATTLE STORM



### HEAD-TO-HEAD MATCHUP

**All-Time Series**  
**Overall** 32-27  
**Home** 19-9  
**Road** 13-18  
**Current Streak** Lost 1  
**Last Win** vs SEA (8/15/14), 77-65  
**Last Loss** @ SEA (6/6/15), 86-61

#### 2015 vs Seattle

Date	Site	Time/Result	TV
June 6	@ Seattle	L, 61-86	TWCSN
June 14	vs Seattle	2:00 p.m. PT	TWCSN
July 15	@ Seattle	12:00 p.m. PT	TWCSN
Aug 11	vs Seattle	7:30 p.m. PT	TWCSN



### SERIES NOTES:

- Seattle's win on 6/6/15 broke a five-game losing streak against Los Angeles that began in 2014.
- Los Angeles swept five-game series (5-0) against Seattle in 2014
- Nneka Ogumike averaged 15.6 points in five games against Seattle in 2014, shooting .571 (32-56 FG) and .867 (13-15 FT).
- Candace Parker recorded 12 blocked shots in five games against Seattle in 2014, four of which were in the Sparks 65-57 home win (June 24, 2014).

### LAST MEETING: JUNE 6, 2015

**FINAL**  
**SEATTLE 86**  
**LOS ANGELES 61**

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 Seattle, WA  
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Lavender - 12	REBS	Langhorne - 9
Phillips - 5	ASTS	Bird - 5

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### 2014 OVERALL RANKINGS

LAS	CATEGORY	SEA
6 <sup>th</sup>	POINTS	12 <sup>th</sup>
3 <sup>rd</sup>	FG PCT	4 <sup>th</sup>
9 <sup>th</sup>	3PT PCT	5 <sup>th</sup>
4 <sup>th</sup>	ASSISTS	7 <sup>th</sup>
9 <sup>th</sup>	REBOUNDS	12 <sup>th</sup>
2 <sup>nd</sup>	STEALS	12 <sup>th</sup>
6 <sup>th</sup>	BLOCKS	12 <sup>th</sup>

## NEXT OPPONENT: JUNE 16, 2015 vs MINNESOTA LYNX

### HEAD-2-HEAD MATCHUP

**All-Time Series**  
**Overall** 40-20  
**Home** 24-6  
**Road** 16-14  
**Current Streak** Won 1  
**Last Win** @ MIN (8/12/14), 71-63  
**Last Loss** @ MIN (7/8/14), 83-72

#### 2015 vs Minnesota

Date	Site	Time/Result
June 16	Min	7:30 p.m. PT
July 29	@Min	5:00 p.m. PT
Aug 4	Min	7:00 p.m. PT
Aug 9	@Min	4:00 p.m. PT

#### 2014 vs Minnesota

Date	Site	Time/Result
6/8	Min	L, 72-85
6/17	Min	L, 77-94
7/8	@Min	L, 72-83
8/12	@Min	W, 71-63

The Sparks continue its three-game home stand when it hosts the first meeting against the Minnesota Lynx and reigning WNBA Most Valuable Player Maya Moore on June 16 at 7:30 pm at the STAPLES Center. This is the first of four meetings between the two teams this season. Led the league in offensive rebounds (12.8) vs Minnesota in 2014. Last season, Minnesota led the series 3-1, but Los Angeles ended a four-year losing streak at the Target Center with its 71-63 win over the Lynx. The team heads into its game with a one-game win streak.

2015 SEATTLE STORM-SERIES BREAKDOWN

Los Angeles Sparks 2015 Record (W-L):(0-1) Home:(0-0) Away:(0-1)

					3-POINT					----REBOUNDS----								
NO	PLAYER	GP-GS	Min	FGM-FGA	FG%	FGM-FGA	FG%	FTM-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT/AVG	AST	PF-DQ	STL	TO	BLK	PTS/AVG
0	Beard, A	1-1	32:43	8-16	.500	0-1	.000	4-4	1.000	1	3	4/4.0	3	1-0	0	2	0	20/20.0
31	Phillips, E	1-1	33:45	3-10	.300	2-7	.286	3-3	1.000	1	1	2/2.0	5	1-0	2	2	0	11/11.0
42	Lavender, J	1-1	35:55	5-18	.278	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	3	9	12/12.0	2	3-0	0	1	0	10/10.0
21	Lacy, J	1-0	19:37	3-4	.750	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	2	4	6/6.0	2	4-0	0	0	0	7/7.0
24	Hoover, A	1-0	10:07	2-2	1.000	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0/0.0	0	0-0	0	0	0	5/5.0
5	Hamson, J	1-0	3:46	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	1	2	3/3.0	0	0-0	0	1	0	4/4.0
14	Tolo, M	1-1	20:42	1-2	.500	0-1	.000	1-2	.500	0	3	3/3.0	0	4-0	0	2	1	3/3.0
13	Abdi, F	1-1	23:01	0-8	.000	0-5	.000	1-2	.500	0	1	1/1.0	1	2-0	1	0	0	1/1.0
2	Johnson, T	1-0	20:24	0-5	.000	0-4	.000	0-0	.000	0	3	3/3.0	4	0-0	0	0	0	0/0.0
30	Ogwumike, N	0-0	00:00	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0/0.0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0/0.0
												6						
TEAM												27				5		
Los Angeles Sparks		1-5	200.00	23-67	.343	4-22	.182	11-13	.846	8	26	40/40.0	17	15-0	3	10	1	61/61.0
TEAM												9				3		
OPPONENTS		1-5	200.00	33-64	.515	9-20	.579	11-19	.579	6	30	45/45.0	21	14-0	4	6	4	86/86.0

Seattle Storm 2015 Record (W-L):(1-1) Home:(1-0) Away:(0-1)

					3-POINT					----REBOUNDS----								
NO	PLAYER	GP-GS	Min	FGM-FGA	FG%	FGM-FGA	FG%	FTM-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT/AVG	AST	PF-DQ	STL	TO	BLK	PTS/AVG
21	Montgomery, R	1-0	17:09	6-10	.600	3-6	.500	4-5	.800	0	3	3/3.0	5	0-0	0	0	0	19/19.0
1	Langhorne, C	1-1	27:41	9-12	.750	0-0	.000	0-4	.000	3	6	9/9.0	0	3-0	1	0	0	18/18.0
10	Bird, S	1-1	30:17	5-9	.556	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0	3	3/3.0	5	0-0	0	2	0	11/11.0
32	Clarke, A	1-0	18:48	4-4	1.000	3-3	1.000	0-0	.000	1	5	6/6.0	2	2-0	0	0	0	11/11.0
4	O'Hea, J	1-1	21:12	3-6	.500	2-4	.500	0-0	.000	0	3	3/3.0	3	0-0	1	1	1	8/8.0
24	Loyd, J	1-1	27:37	2-10	.200	0-4	.000	3-6	.500	1	6	7/7.0	3	2-0	1	0	0	7/7.0
7	Tokashiki, R	1-0	20:01	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	4-4	1.000	0	1	1/1.0	0	1-0	0	1	2	6/6.0
13	Hollingsworth, Q	1-0	12:19	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	0	1/1.0	0	2-0	0	2	0	4/4.0
5	Bishop, A	1-1	19:59	1-6	.167	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0	3	3/3.0	3	2-0	1	0	1	2/2.0
23	Mosqueda-Lewis, K	1-0	4:57	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0/0.0	0	2-0	0	0	0	0/0.0
9	Gatling, M	0-0	00:00	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0/0.0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0/0.0
3	Goodrich, A	0-0	00:00	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0/0.0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0/0.0
TEAM												9				3		
Seattle Storm		1-5	200:00	33-64	.516	9-20	.450	11-19	.579	6	30	45/45.0	21	14-0	4	6	4	86/86.0
TEAM												6						
OPPONENTS		1-5	200:00	23-67	.343	4-22	.182	11-13	.846	8	26	40/40.0	17	15-0	3	10	1	61/61.0

## SPARK PLUGS

### EQUITRUST THE SPARKS

On May 21, the Sparks announced EquiTrust as the marquee sponsor for the 2015 season. Under the agreement, the EquiTrust logo will appear on all Sparks home and road jerseys, throughout STAPLES Center on Sparks home game days, on the step and repeat backdrop, across all social and digital platforms and as the driving force behind the new charitable leadership youth program, Driven2Hoop.

With its announcement, the Sparks are now the eighth team in the WNBA to have a marquee partnership.

### PROTECT HOME COURT

The Sparks head into tonight's game with the league's all-time record for home opener wins and winning percentage with a 15-3 (.833) record. The Sparks have won four of its past five home openers, the one loss coming against Phoenix in 2014. The team had its best home season thru 32 total games in 2001, going 16-0 en route to the WNBA title.

### ACHIEVEMENT UNLOCKED

Veteran Sparks guard/forward Alana Beard began the 2015 season eclipsing 4,000 career points total on a jump shot against Seattle (6/6). The 11-year pro out of Duke enters her 12th WNBA season ranked 23rd among league scoring leaders with 4003 points through 292 games played. Starting her fourth season with LA, 875 of those total points were netted as a Spark. As she continues to climb the scoring charts, she will need 235 points to surpass Yolanda Griffith to move into the 22nd spot.

<u>WNBA ALL-TIME SCORING LEADERS</u>			
Ranked	Player	Games Played	PTS
20	Penny Taylor	330	4294
21	Vickie Johnson	410	4243
22	Yolanda Griffith	311	4238
<b>23</b>	<b>Alana Beard</b>	<b>291</b>	<b>4003</b>
24	Deanna Nolan	293	3971

### EASY MONEY

With all the focus this season directed to defense and three-point shooting, the Sparks happened to shine in a different stat box in the season opener. Los Angeles was near perfect from the free-throw line in Saturday's season opener against Seattle, converting 11-of-13 attempts. Last season, the Sparks shot 79.8% at the free-throw line (5th best in the league) with an average of 13.4 free-throws made per game. This season seems to be no different, as the Sparks outshot the Storm 84.6% to 57.9% from the charity stripe in the season opener (6/6).

### OPPORTUNITY KNOCKS

Marianna Tolo, Farhiya Abdi and Jennifer Lacy each made their mark in the Sparks season opener in Seattle last week. Rookie center Marianna Tolo made her WNBA debut and first career start against Seattle on 6/6, recording three points, three rebounds and one block. Her start was the first for a Sparks rookie since Nneka Ogwumike's rookie debut in the 2012 season opener against Seattle (5/18/12). Forward Farhiya Abdi earned her first career start against Seattle, recording one point, one rebound, one assist and one steal in 23 minutes. Off the bench, newcomer Jennifer Lacy led all Sparks scorers with seven points and six rebounds in 19 minutes. Through the first three quarters, she was the only player off the bench on the board with her seven points.

### FOUR-POINT PHILLIPS

Three-point specialist Erin Phillips made her Sparks regular season debut with a rare four-point play, connecting on a corner three while being fouled by Ramu Tokashiki with .48 seconds left in the 2nd quarter. The and-one conversion at the free-throw line marked the Sparks first four-point play since August of last season by Kristi Toliver at Minnesota (8/12/14). Last season, Phillips led the league in three-point percentage on 35-of-78 (.449). Phillips ended the game with 11 pts shooting 3-of-10 (.300) from the field and 2-of-7 (.286) from behind the line, dishing out a team-high five assists and grabbing a game-high two steals in 21 minutes played.

### A HINT OF LAVENDER

Jantel Lavender entered the 2015 season recording back-to-back double-doubles in the two preseason games against Chicago (5/27 – 11pts, 10rebs) and Connecticut (5/28 – 13pts, 10rebs). She continued that streak in the season opener against Seattle, notching yet another double-double with 10 points and 12 rebounds tying a career-high with nine defensive boards. The 6'4" forward was also one-shy of tying a career-high in total rebounds (13).

### IT TAKES TWO THREE

In the season opener, the Sparks featured three players who scored in double-figures (Beard 20 points, Phillips 11 points and Lavender 10 points) while playing at least 30 minutes. The scoring trio combined for 41 points shooting 16-of-44 (.363) from the field, carrying most of the load (team total 61 points, .343 from the field) in Saturday night's loss. Lavender led the team in 36 minutes played with Phillips (34) and Beard (33) following short after, Seattle had only one player (Sue Bird, 30:17) with more than 30 minutes played.

### WNBA CHAMPIONSHIP COUNTDOWN

5. WNBA Championships have been won by members of the 2015 team and head coach.
4. WNBA rings earned by current Sparks players: Erin Phillips (2), Temeka Johnson (1), Jennifer Lacy (1).
3. WNBA Champions are new to the roster: Phillips, Johnson, Lacy.
2. WNBA Titles won by the Los Angeles Sparks.
1. Goal to win a 2015 WNBA title

### AUSSIE DUO

The Sparks tipped-off the 2015 season at KeyArena, with the country of Australia cheering on Australian natives and Sparks guard Erin Phillips and rookie center Marianna Tolo. The last time two Australians started as teammates in the regular season was Phoenix Mercury's Belinda Snell and Penny Talyor on June 30, 2007 against Houston. What's remarkable about this stat is that Phillips and fellow Aussie, Penny Taylor, both played for the WNBA Champion Phoenix Mercury last season. Despite Phillips ten starts and Taylor's 24, the two NEVER started one game together. In addition to Saturday night's contest, the Storm debuted an Australian duo in Jenny O'Hea and Abby Bishop for the first time to go up against Phillips and Tolo - four Australians to start in the same WNBA game. For the Sparks, the Aussie duo can repeat history once again as the last time Australians started together in the postseason was Detroit's Carla Boyd and Sandy Brondello on August 24, 1999 against Charlotte.



**NNEKA'S RISE IN THE WNBA**

Nneka Ogwumike enters her fourth WNBA season coming off a career 2014 season where she produced stellar stats in points and defensive rebounding. Through 33 games last season, Ogwumike averaged 15.8 points per game, ranking second on the team in scoring behind forward Candace Parker (19.4). She also averaged career-highs of 5.1 defensive rebounds and 1.5 assists, a statistical jump from when she won Rookie of the Year 14.0 points, 4.5 defense rebounds, 1.2 assists shooting 73.4 percent from the free-throw line. Her free-throw accuracy has steadily increase each season since 2012.

**YEAR-BY-YEAR IMPROVEMENT**

YEAR	PTS	AST	DRB	FT%
2014	15.8 (+1.2)	1.5 (+0.2)	5.1 (+0.3)	87.3 (+4.7%)
2013	14.6 (+0.6)	1.3 (+0.1)	4.8 (+0.3)	82.6 (+9.2%)
2012*	14.0*	1.2*	4.5*	73.4*

\*Rookie Year

**WELCOME TO THE STAGE**

Tonight's game- the 2015 home opener - will be the first home welcome for head coach Brian Agler and veteran guard Temeka Johnson. Ironically, both the Sparks season and home openers are against Seattle, making back-to-back games against their former team to start the new season. In seven seasons with Seattle, Agler held a winning record of 136-102 (.571) and led his team to a WNBA Championship in 2010.

In her 2014 run with the Storm, Johnson notched a season-high three steals against the Sparks (July 3) and recorded the Storm's first triple-double (13 points, 10 rebounds and 11 assists) in franchise history against the New York Liberty (July 14); joining only four other players in WNBA history who have recorded a triple-double in the regular season (Sparks Lisa Leslie is on this list). Johnson signed on March 24, the signature on the dotted line marked the return of the guard to LA – her former WNBA stomping grounds from 2006-2008. Welcome home Meek!

**A POLISH STAR**

Jantel Lavender returns to the Sparks after dominating the Polish basketball scene. In her second year playing for Wisla Can-Pack, Lavender helped the team earn its second consecutive BLK championship while also cleaning up the individual honors before returning to join LA. Individually, she swept the competition being named 2014-2015 BLK Player of the Year, Center of the Year and Import Player of the Year. The 6'3" center averaged 16.6 points, 10.2 rebounds and 1.9 assists while ranking top five in eight different categories:

**BLK (POLAND) 2014 REGULAR SEASON**

- » Ranks #5 in Total Rebounds (10.2)
- » Ranks #2 in 2 Pts Field Goals Made (7.3)
- » Ranks #5 in Defensive Rebounds (7.0)
- » Ranks #2 in Field Goals Made (7.3)
- » Ranks #4 in Offensive Rebounds (3.2)
- » Ranks #1 in 2 Pts Field Goals Attempted (15.2)
- » Ranks #2 in Minutes (36.7)
- » Ranks #3 in Double-Doubles (8)
- » Ranks #3 in Points Per Game (16.8)
- » Ranks #2 in Field Goals Attempted (15.3)

As a Sparks, Lavender averaged career-highs of 11.9 points, 6.3 re-bounds, 1.5 assists and four double-doubles while starting a career-high 27 games last season. She currently owns a streak of 107 straight games played, and ranks second in franchise history with a .508 field goal percentage (min. 400 made).

## 2015 SPARKS SEASON STATISTICS

Player Statistics									
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Player	G	GS	MPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	APG	SPG	BPG	TO	PF	PPG
Abdi	1	1	23:01	.000	.000	.500	0.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	1.0
Beard	1	1	32:43	.500	.000	1.000	1.0	3.0	4.0	3.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	1.0	20.0
Hamson	1	0	3:46	.500	.000	1.000	1.0	2.0	3.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	4.0
Hoover	1	0	10:07	1.000	1.000	.000	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.0
Johnson	1	0	20:24	.000	.000	.000	0	3.0	3.0	4.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Lacy	1	0	19:37	.750	.500	.000	2.0	4.0	6.0	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.0	7.0
Lavender	1	1	35:55	.278	.000	.000	3	9	12.0	2.0	0.0	0.0	1	3.0	10.0
Ogwumike	0	0	00:00	.000	.000	.000	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Phillips	1	1	33:45	.300	.286	1.000	1.0	1.0	2.0	5.0	2.0	0.0	2.0	1.0	11.0
Tolo	1	1	20:42	.500	.000	.500	0.0	3.0	3.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	2.0	4.0	3.0
Team Averages	1	5	20:000	.343	.182	.846	8.0	26.0	40.0	17.0	3.0	1.0	10.0	15.0	61.0
Opponents	1	5	200:00	.516	.450	.579	6.0	30.0	45.0	21.0	4.0	4.0	6.0	14.0	86.0

**Regular Season Starters | Total: 5**

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**GAMES MISSED | Total: 1**

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## 2015 SPARKS REGULAR SEASON STATISTICS

### SPARKS ACTIVE STREAKS

#### OVERALL

Last Win  
Last Lost **6/6 @ Seattle, 86-61** Longest Overall **Won:** **Lost: 1**

#### HOME

Last Win  
Last Loss Longest Overall **Won:** **Lost:**

#### ROAD

Last Win  
Last Loss **6/6 @ Seattle, 86-61** Longest Overall **Won:** **Lost: 1**

### WIN/LOSS MARGINS

Game	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
+/-	-25																						
-----	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34												
+/-																							

LARGEST MARGIN OF VICTORY		LARGEST MARGIN OF DEFEAT	25, @ Seattle, 6/6
LARGEST LEAD	6, @ Seattle, 6/6	LARGEST BLOWN LEAD	6, @ Seattle, 6/6
LARGEST DEFICIT	25, @ Seattle, 6/6	LARGEST COMEBACK	

### SPARKS HEAD-TO-HEAD CHART 2015

	ATL	CHI	CON	IND	MIN	NYL	PHO	SAN	PHO	SAN	SEA	TUL	WAS
WON													
LOST											1		

### RECORD BY MONTH/DAY

<b>June</b> 0-1	<b>July</b> 0-0	<b>August</b> 0-0	<b>September</b> 0-0			
<b>Sun.</b> 0-0	<b>Mon.</b> 0-0	<b>Tues.</b> 0-0	<b>Wed.</b> 0-0	<b>Thurs.</b> 0-0	<b>Fri.</b> 0-0	<b>Sat.</b> 0-1



## 2015 SPARKS REGULAR SEASON STATISTICS

### Sparks Record When...

	HOME	ROAD	OVERALL		HOME	ROAD	OVERALL
Lead to start 2nd quarter	0-0	0-0	0-0	Record fewer assists than opp.	0-0	0-1	0-1
Trail to start 2nd quarter	0-0	0-1	0-1	Record same assists as opp.	0-0	0-0	0-0
Tied to start 2nd quarter	0-0	0-0	0-0	Commit more TO than opp.	0-0	0-1	0-1
Lead at half	0-0	0-0	0-0	Commit fewer TO than opp.	0-0	0-0	0-0
Trail at half	0-0	0-1	0-1	Commit same TO as opp.	0-0	0-0	0-0
Tied at half	0-0	0-0	0-0	Outrebound opponent	0-0	0-0	0-0
Lead to start 4th quarter	0-0	0-0	0-0	Outrebounded by opponent	0-0	0-1	0-1
Trail to start 4th quarter	0-0	0-1	0-1	Same rebounds as opponent	0-0	0-0	0-0
Tied to start 4th quarter	0-0	0-0	0-0	Score fewer than 70 points	0-0	0-1	0-1
In overtime	0-0	0-0	0-0	Score 70-79 points	0-0	0-0	0-0
Shoot higher FG% than opp.	0-0	0-0	0-0	Score 80-89 points	0-0	0-0	0-0
Shoot lower FG% than opp.	0-0	0-1	0-1	Score 90-99 points	0-0	0-0	0-0
Shoot same FG% as opp.	0-0	0-0	0-0	Score 100+ points	0-0	0-0	0-0
Shoot better than .500 FG%	0-0	0-0	0-0	Allow fewer than 70 points	0-0	0-0	0-0
Shoot between .400-.499%	0-0	0-0	0-0	Allow 70-79 points	0-0	0-0	0-0
Shoot lower than .400 FG%	0-0	0-1	0-1	Allow 80-89 points	0-0	0-1	0-1
Allow 50% FG or better	0-0	0-1	0-1	Allow 90-99 points	0-0	0-0	0-0
Allow less than 50% FG	0-0	0-0	0-0	Allow 100+ points	0-0	0-0	0-0
Shoot higher 3FG% than opp.	0-0	0-0	0-0	3 players score 10+ points	0-0	0-1	0-1
Shoot lower 3FG% than opp.	0-0	0-1	0-1	4 players score 10+ points	0-0	0-1	0-1
Shoot same 3FG% as opp.	0-0	0-0	0-0	5 players score 10+ points	0-0	0-0	0-0
Make more 3FG than opp.	0-0	0-0	0-0	6+ players score 10+ points	0-0	0-0	0-0
Make fewer 3FG than opp.	0-0	0-1	0-1	Outscore opp. bench	0-0	0-0	0-0
Make same 3FG as opp.	0-0	0-0	0-0	Outscored by opp. bench	0-0	0-1	0-1
Attempt more FT than opp	0-0	0-0	0-0	Same score as opp. bench	0-0	0-0	0-0
Attempt fewer FT than opp.	0-0	0-1	0-1	Play on TWC SportsNet	0-0	0-1	0-1
Attempt same FT as opp.	0-0	0-0	0-0	Play on ESPN2	0-0	0-0	0-0

### Box Breakdown

PLAYER	10+ PTS	15+ PTS	20+ PTS	30+ PTS	5+ REB	10+ REB	5+ ASTS	10+ ASTS	DBL-DBL
Abdi									
Beard	1	1	1						
Hamson									
Hoover									
Johnson									
Lacy					1				
Lavender	1				1	1			1
Ogwumike									
Phillips	1						1		
Tolo									

### Led Sparks In...

PLAYER	POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES
Abdi						
Beard	1					
Hamson						
Hoover						
Johnson						
Lacy						
Lavender		1				1
Ogwumike						
Phillips			1	1		
Tolo					1	

\* Includes Ties

## 2015 SPARKS MILESTONE WATCH

### GAMES PLAYED

PLAYER	MILESTONE	CURRENT	# AWAY
Phillips	200	186	14
Beard	300	292	8
Johnson	300	294	6

### FIELD GOALS

PLAYER	MILESTONE	CURRENT	# AWAY
Beard	1500	1492	8

### 3-POINT FIELD GOALS

PLAYER	MILESTONE	CURRENT	# AWAY
Johnson	200	180	24
Phillips	200	178	22
Lacy	150	136	14

### TOTAL REBOUNDS

PLAYER	MILESTONE	CURRENT	# AWAY
Ogwumike	800	739	61

### ASSISTS

PLAYER	MILESTONE	CURRENT	# AWAY
Phillips	400	392	8

### STEALS

PLAYER	MILESTONE	CURRENT	# AWAY
Phillips	200	166	34
Johnson	300	294	6

### BLOCKS

PLAYER	MILESTONE	CURRENT	# AWAY
Lavender	100	79	21
Ogwumike	100	78	22

### POINTS

PLAYER	MILESTONE	CURRENT	# AWAY
Ogwumike	1500	1478	22
Johnson	2500	2446	54

# 2014 SPARKS REGULAR SEASON STATISTICS (REVIEW)

## 2014 SPARKS HIGHS AND LOWS

	HIGHS		LOWS	
TOTAL POINTS (REGULATION)	102	at Chicago, 6/6	64	vs. New York, 7/23
TOTAL POINTS (OT)	92	at Tulsa, 6/28	84	at Washington, 6/1
POINTS, 1ST HALF	61*	at Chicago, 6/6	27	vs. Connecticut, 8/3
POINTS, 2ND HALF	50	at Indiana, 7/15	26	at New York, 7/11
POINTS, 1ST QUARTER	32	at Chicago, 6/6	10	at Washington, 6/1
POINTS, 2ND QUARTER	29	at Chicago, 6/6	14	vs. San Antonio, 5/25 vs. Atlanta, 8/8
POINTS, 3RD QUARTER	30	at Connecticut, 7/13	12	at Phoenix, 7/29 vs. Seattle, 8/15
POINTS, 4TH QUARTER	26	vs. Chicago, 7/1	11	vs. Minnesota, 6/8
POINTS, OVERTIME	25	at Washington, 6/1 (3OT)	11	vs. Atlanta, 8/8
FGM	43*	at Chicago, 6/6	25	vs. New York, 7/23
FGA	97*	at Washington, 6/1	57	vs. Washington, 7/17
FG%	.608	vs. Seattle, 8/15	.330	at Washington, 6/1
3 FGM	7	vs. Phoenix, 7/6	0	3 Times Most recent: at New York, 7/11
3 FGA	20	at Minnesota, 7/8	1	at Tulsa, 6/13
3 FG%	.700	vs. Phoenix, 7/6	.000	3 Times Most recent: at New York, 7/11
FTM	26	vs. Tulsa, 8/5	1	at Phoenix, 7/29
FTA	28	at Indiana, 7/13	2	at Phoenix, 7/29
FT%	1.000	at Connecticut, 7/13	.500	at Phoenix, 7/29
OFF REBOUNDS	20	at Minnesota, 7/8	3	vs. Tulsa, 8/5 vs. Seattle, 8/15
DEF REBOUNDS	33	vs. Atlanta, 8/8	12	vs. Minnesota, 6/17
TOTAL REBOUNDS	42	at Minnesota, 7/8	17	vs. Tulsa, 8/5
ASSISTS	31*	at Chicago, 6/6	10	at Tulsa, 6/13
STEALS	22*	at Washington, 6/1	2	vs. Tulsa, 8/5
TURNOVERS	22	vs. San Antonio, 6/22	7	at Minnesota, 8/12
BLOCKED SHOTS	8	at Tulsa, 6/13	1	6 Times Most recent: vs. Seattle 8/15
POINTS IN THE PAINT	56	at Chicago, 6/6	22	at Minnesota, 8/12
SECOND CHANCE POINTS	21	at Minnesota, 7/8	4	at Seattle, 7/3 vs. Connecticut, 8/3
FASTBREAK POINTS	20	vs. Chicago, 7/1	2	at Seattle, 7/3

\* Franchise Record # WNBA Record

## 2014 OPPONENTS HIGHS AND LOWS

	HIGHS		LOWS	
TOTAL POINTS (REGULATION)	101	at San Antonio, 6/14	54	at New York, 7/11
TOTAL POINTS (OT)	92	at Washington, 6/1	77	vs. Atlanta, 8/8
POINTS, 1ST HALF	61	vs. Phoenix, 7/24	22	at Seattle, 7/3
POINTS, 2ND HALF	52	at San Antonio, 6/14	21	at New York, 7/11
POINTS, 1ST QUARTER	36	vs. Phoenix, 7/24	12	at Washington, 6/1 at Seattle, 7/3
POINTS, 2ND QUARTER	28	at Atlanta, 6/3	8	vs. Indiana, 7/28
POINTS, 3RD QUARTER	32	vs. Minnesota, 6/17 at Tulsa, 6/28	8	at Minnesota, 7/8
POINTS, 4TH QUARTER	30	vs. Tulsa, 8/5	4	at New York, 7/11
POINTS, OVERTIME	33	at Washington, 6/1 (3OT)	8	vs. Atlanta, 8/8
FGM	39	at Atlanta, 6/3	21	vs. Seattle, 6/24
FGA	79	vs. Atlanta, 8/8	54	at Seattle, 5/16
FG%	.638	vs. Minnesota, 6/17	.342	at Connecticut, 7/13
3 FGM	10	at Washington, 6/1 vs. Phoenix, 7/6	0	vs. New York, 7/23
3 FGA	27	at Washington, 6/1	3	vs. New York, 7/23
3 FG%	.667	vs. Phoenix, 7/6	.000	vs. New York, 7/23
FTM	24	at Chicago, 6/6 at San Antonio, 6/14	2	vs. San Antonio, 5/25
FTA	26	3 Times Most recent: vs. Tulsa, 8/5	2	vs. San Antonio, 5/25
FT%	1.000	vs. San Antonio, 5/25 at San Antonio, 6/14	.500	at New York, 7/11
OFF REBOUNDS	16	vs. Tulsa, 8/5	1	at Minnesota, 7/8
DEF REBOUNDS	40	at Washington, 6/1	18	vs. Indiana, 7/28 vs. Seattle, 8/15
TOTAL REBOUNDS	52	at Washington, 6/1	24	vs. Seattle, 6/24
ASSISTS	27	at Minnesota, 7/8	11	at Indiana, 7/15
STEALS	16	vs. San Antonio, 6/22	3	at Minnesota, 7/8 at Minnesota, 8/12
TURNOVERS	29	at Minnesota, 7/8	6	at Minnesota, 8/12
BLOCKED SHOTS	10	at Atlanta, 6/3	0	at Minnesota, 8/12 vs. Seattle, 8/15
POINTS IN THE PAINT	68	at Atlanta, 6/3	22	at New York, 7/11
SECOND CHANCE POINTS	20	at Chicago, 6/6	2	at Minnesota, 7/8 at New York, 7/11
FASTBREAK POINTS	18	vs. Tulsa, 8/5	2	3 Times Most recent: at San Antonio, 8/10

\* Franchise Record # WNBA Record

## SPARKS 2014 REGULAR SEASON STATISTICS (REVIEW)

### 2014 TOP INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCES

	LOS ANGELES SPARKS		OPPONENTS	
<b>POINTS (REGULATION)</b>	35	Nneka Ogumike, vs. TUL, 8/5	33	Elena Delle Donne, at CHI, 6/6
<b>POINTS (OT)</b>	32	Candace Parker, at WAS, 6/1	29	Skylar Diggins, at TUL, 6/28
<b>POINTS (HALF)</b>	24	Candace Parker, at IND, 7/15 Nneka Ogumike, vs. TUL, 8/5	22	Elena Delle Donne, at CHI, 6/6
<b>MINUTES</b>	52*	Lindsey Harding, at WAS, 6/1	43	Ivory Latta, at WAS, 6/1 Sancho Lyttle, vs. ATL, 8/8
<b>FGM</b>	12	Candace Parker, at IND, 7/15 Nneka Ogumike, vs. TUL, 8/5	13	Erika DeSouza, at ATL, 6/3
<b>FGA</b>	28*	Candace Parker, at WAS, 6/1	23	Maya Moore, at MIN, 7/8
<b>3 FGM</b>	5	Kristi Toliver, vs. PHO, 7/6 Kristi Toliver, at MIN, 8/12	7	Diana Taurasi, vs. PHO, 7/6
<b>3 FGA</b>	11	Kristi Toliver, vs. ATL, 8/8	11	Ivory Latta, at WAS, 6/1
<b>FTM</b>	13	Candace Parker, vs. TUL, 8/5	16	Elena Delle Donne, at CHI, 6/6
<b>FTA</b>	14	Candace Parker, vs. TUL, 8/5	16	Elena Delle Donne, at CHI, 6/6
<b>OFF REBOUNDS</b>	6	Nneka Ogumike, vs. MIN, 6/17 Jantel Lavender, at TUL, 6/28 Nneka Ogumike, at MIN, 7/8 Jantel Lavender, at MIN, 7/8	8	Courtney Paris, at TUL, 6/13
<b>DEF REBOUNDS</b>	11	Nneka Ogumike, vs. ATL, 8/8	13	Jayne Appel, at SAN, 8/10
<b>TOTAL REBOUNDS</b>	14	Nneka Ogumike, at MIN, 7/8	20	Jayne Appel, at SAN, 8/10
<b>ASSISTS</b>	9	Lindsey Harding, at ATL, 6/3 Lindsey Harding, at SAN, 6/14 Candace Parker, vs. TUL, 8/5	10	Odyssey Sims, at TUL, 6/28
<b>STEALS</b>	7*	Armintie Herrington, at WAS, 6/1	6	Janel McCarville, vs. MIN, 6/8
<b>TURNOVERS</b>	8	Nneka Ogumike, vs. Seattle, 8/15	6	Stefanie Dolson, at WAS, 6/1 Courtney Vandersloot, at CHI, 6/6 Penny Taylor, vs. PHO, 7/6 Angel McCoughtry, vs. ATL, 8/8
<b>BLOCKS</b>	4	Candace Parker, vs. SEA, 6/24 Candace Parker, at SEA, 7/3 Jantel Lavender, at SAN, 8/10	4	Alysha Clark, at SEA, 5/16 Brittney Griner, vs. PHO, 5/18 Brittney Griner, vs. PHO, 7/6

\* Franchise Record # WNBA Record

### 2014 SPARKS SEASON HIGHLIGHTS

June 1	Armintie Herrington sets new franchise record with seven steals
June 1	22 steals set new franchise record
June 1	97 field goal attempts set new franchise record
June 6	61 first-half points set new franchise record
June 6	31 assists set new franchise record
June 6	43 field goals made set new franchise record
June 30	Nneka Ogumike named WNBA Player of the Week
July 8	Candace Parker named 2014 Boost Mobile WNBA All-Star starter
July 15	Nneka Ogumike named 2014 Boost Mobile WNBA All-Star reserve
August 18	Kristi Toliver named WNBA Player of the Week

### 2014 SPARKS MILESTONES ACHIEVED

May 16	Candace Parker converted her 1,000th career field goal
June 1	Nneka Ogumike recorded her 100th career steal
June 3	Nneka Ogumike scored her 1,000th career point
June 13	Candace Parker recorded her 200th career steal
June 13	Armintie Herrington recorded her 300th career steal
June 28	Kristi Toliver recorded her 2,000th career point
July 1	Sandrine Gruda played in her 100th career game
July 11	Lindsey Harding recorded her 1,000th career assist
July 15	Candace Parker recorded her 3,000th career point
July 17	Alana Beard recorded her 1,000th career rebound
August 8	Alana Beard recorded her 500th career steal
August 8	Jantel Lavender recorded her 1,000th career point

## **Head Coach Brian Agler 1st Season**

On January 5, 2015, Brian Agler joined the Los Angeles Sparks as the 12th head coach in franchise history, bringing with him over 30 years of head-coaching experience, including 11 in the WNBA.

Agler comes to the Sparks from Seattle, where he led the Storm to six consecutive playoff appearances (2008-2013) in seven years. He compiled a 136-102 (.571) record during his time in the Pacific Northwest, including his 212th career (WNBA and ABL) victory in 2012. The win on June 1 against the Tulsa Shock moved him past Van Chancellor (211), former coach of the Houston Comets, to become the all-time winningest coach in women's professional basketball history. Agler won 78 games in the ABL and now has 184 WNBA wins (262 total).

In 2010 the Storm captured the league's championship title, its second, with an impressive regular season record of 28-6 and an undefeated playoff record of 7-0. Additionally, Coach Agler was recognized as the WNBA's Coach of the Year. Prior to joining the Storm in 2008, Agler was the head coach and general manager of the expansion team Minnesota Lynx from 1999-2002, where he compiled a 42-54 (.438) record. Before being named the first coach of the expansion Lynx, Agler served as the head coach of the Columbus Quest of the ABL from 1996-1999, compiling an 82-22 record. He led the Quest to back-to-back ABL championships in 1997 and 1998 and was named the ABL Coach of the Year for the 1996-97 season.

Agler completed his third season as an assistant coach for the San Antonio Silver Stars in 2007. Prior to joining San Antonio, he served as an assistant coach with the Phoenix Mercury in 2004 and helped guide the team to a 17-17 record after the Mercury finished with an 8-26 record in 2003.

Agler spent 15 seasons coaching among the collegiate ranks, including 13 seasons as a head coach. He posted an impressive collegiate record of 248-135 (.648 winning percentage). From 1993-96 he served as the head women's basketball coach at Kansas State. In 1998, Agler took over as the head women's coach at the University of Missouri-Kansas City. In five seasons at UMKC, Agler was 85-54 and took the Kangaroos from a 9-16 record in 1988-89 to four straight winning seasons with 17 or more victories. Under his direction, UMKC led the NCAA in scoring defense three consecutive seasons from 1990-93. In 1991, UMKC set an NCAA record, allowing 51.8 points per game.

As the head women's basketball coach at Northeast Oklahoma A&M Junior College from 1984-88, Agler compiled a 124-42 record (.747 winning percentage). In 1985-86, NEO A&M was ranked second nationally and posted a 30-2 record.

Agler attended Wittenberg University in Springfield, Ohio, where he starred on the basketball team for four seasons. He led the Tigers to their only NCAA Division III Championship in basketball as a freshman. He started all 112 games during his college career, leaving the school as the all-time assist leader (481). Agler helped lead his team to a 91-21 record during his four years with the Tigers, and was named most valuable player in the Ohio Athletic Conference and first-team All-America as a senior. In 1995, he was inducted into the Wittenberg Hall of Honor.

In 1980, Agler graduated with a degree in special education and physical education. He received his master's degree in education from Pittsburg State University (Pittsburg, Kansas) in 1985. Agler and his wife Robin, have one son, Bryce, and one daughter, Taylor.

### **WNBA CAREER HEAD COACHING STATS**

Season	Team	Record	Pct.	Playoffs	Pct.
2014	Seattle Storm	12-22	.353		
2013	Seattle Storm	17-17	.500	0-2	.000
2012	Seattle Storm	16-18	.471	1-2	.333
2011	Seattle Storm	21-13	.636	1-2	.333
2010	Seattle Storm	28-6	.824	7-0	1.000
2009	Seattle Storm	20-14	.588	1-2	.333
2008	Seattle Storm	22-12	.647	1-2	.333
2002	Minnesota Lynx	6-13	.316		
2001	Minnesota Lynx	12-20	.375		
2000	Minnesota Lynx	15-17	.469		
1999	Minnesota Lynx	15-17	.469		
<b>WNBA TOTALS</b>		<b>184-169</b>	<b>.521</b>	<b>11-8</b>	<b>.579</b>



#13

FARHIYA ABDI

Position: F • Height: 6-2 • Born: May 31, 1992 • College: Sweden • Years Pro: 2

2015

1.0 PPG

1.0 RPG

1.0 APG

1.0 SPG

0.0 BPG

23.0 MPG

## WNBA CAPSULE

- First Somali player in league history

## QUICK NOTES

**Last Game @ Seattle (6/6)**

- Tallied one point, one rebound, one assist, and one steal in 23 minutes on the floor

**2015**

- Started her first career game on June 6, 2015 on the road in the season opener against the Storm

**2014**

- Played in 14 games and averaged 2.4 points
- Had career-highs 15 points and 25 minutes played in the season finale against the Mercury on August 6, 2014

## SEASON HIGHS

POINTS	1, @ SEA 6/6
FGM	
3 FGM	
FTM	1, @ SEA 6/6
OREB	
DREB	1, @ SEA 6/6
TOTAL REB	1, @ SEA 6/6
ASSISTS	1, @ SEA 6/6
STEALS	1, @ SEA 6/6
BLOCKS	
MINUTES	23, @ SEA 6/6

## CAREER HIGHS

POINTS	15, vs PHO 8/16/14
FGM	6, vs PHO 8/16/14
3 FGM	1, vs MIN 6/17/14
FTM	3, vs PHO 8/16/14
OREB	2, vs SAN 6/14/14
DREB	2, vs PHO 8/16/14
TOTAL REB	2, 5 Times
ASSISTS	4, vs SEA 5/26/13
STEALS	1, 4 Times
BLOCKS	1, @ TUL 6/8/13
MINUTES	25, Twice

## 2015 SEASON GAME-BY-GAME (LAST 5 GAMES)

Date	Opp	W/L	GS	MIN	FG	FGA	3FG	3FGA	FT	FTA	OFF	DEF	TOT	A	PF	ST	TO	BS	PTS
6/6	@ SEA	L	1	23:01	0	8	0	5	1	2	0	1	1	1	2	1	0	0	1
6/14	SEA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
6/16	MIN	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
6/21	CON	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
6/23	@ WAS	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
TOTAL 1	1	23:01	0	8	0.000	0	5	.000	1	2	.500	0	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	0	1	1

## 2014 SEASON AVERAGES vs SEATTLE STORM

G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
TOTAL 4	0	3:07	1	2	.500	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	1	1	0.3	2	0.5	1	0	0	2	0.5

## WNBA SEASON / CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
2015	1	1	23	0	8	.000	0	5	.000	1	2	.500	0	1	1	1.0	1	1.0	2	1	0	1	1.0
TOTAL	35	0	287	34	91	.374	1	12	.083	12	17	.705	7	15	22	0.6	15	0.4	32	4	1	81	2.3



#0

## ALANA BEARD

Position: G/F • Height: 6-1 • Born: May 14, 1982 • College: Duke • Years Pro: 11

2015

20.0 PPG

4.0 RPG

3.0 APG

0.0 SPG

0.0 BPG

32.7 MPG

## WNBA CAPSULE

- All-WNBA selection (second team, 2006)
- Five-time WNBA All-Defensive Team selection (first team - 2007, second team - 2005, 06, 09, 2012, 14)
- Four-time WNBA All-Star selection (2005-07, 09)
- Washington Mystics franchise leader in points, field goals made, three-point field goals made, assists and steals
- Five-time WNBA Player of the Week

## QUICK NOTES

## Last Game @ Seattle (6/6)

- Game-high in scoring with 20 pts on 8-of-16 shooting.
- Added four rebounds and three assists in 33 minutes of play.
- Also led the team in free throws made and attempts, as she was a perfect 4-4 from the charity stripe.
- It was her first 20-point game since June 19, 2014, where she scored 20 pts against Tulsa.
- Surpassed 4,000 career points total milestone on a jumpshot (4<sup>th</sup> Q)

## 2015

- First 20+ point performance (20 pts, 8-16 shooting) of the season earned in the season opener on the road against Seattle on June 6, 2015.

## 2014

- Started in each of 33 games played and scored in double-figures nine times, including her season-high 20 points at home against Tulsa (6/19/14).

## SEASON HIGHS

POINTS	20, @ SEA 6/6
FGM	8, @ SEA 6/6
3 FGM	
FTM	4, @ SEA 6/6
OREB	1, @ SEA 6/6
DREB	3, @ SEA 6/6
TOTAL REB	4, @ SEA 6/6
ASSISTS	3, @ SEA 6/6
STEALS	
BLOCKS	
MINUTES	33, @ SEA 6/6

## CAREER HIGHS

POINTS	33, @ PHO 6/4/08
FGM	13, vs SEA 7/23/06
3 FGM	6, @ ATL 6/3/08
FTM	11, Twice
OREB	4, @ SAC 7/18/14
DREB	9, Twice
TOTAL REB	10, Twice
ASSISTS	10, @ SAN 6/28/12
STEALS	7, 3 Times
BLOCKS	4, Twice
MINUTES	48, vs IND 6/18/05

## 2015 SEASON GAME-BY-GAME (LAST 5 GAMES)

Date	Opp	W/L	GS	MIN	FG	FGA	3FG	3FGA	FT	FTA	OFF	DEF	TOT	A	PF	ST	TO	BS	PTS			
6/6	@ SEA	L	1	32:43	8	18	0	1	4	4	1	3	4	3	1	0	2	0	20			
6/14	SEA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--			
6/16	MIN	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--			
6/21	CON	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--			
6/23	@ WAS	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--			
G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
TOTAL 1	1	1	1	32:43	8	18	.444	0	1	.000	4	4	1.000	1	3	4	4	3	3	1	0	0

## 2014 SEASON AVERAGES vs SEATTLE STORM

G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
TOTAL 5	5	28:36	14	36	.389	1	3	.333	6	6	1.000	5	8	13	2.6	21	4.2	8	7	0	35	7.0

## WNBA SEASON / CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
2015	1	1	33	8	18	0.444	0	1	0.000	4	4	1.000	1	3	4	4.0	3	3.0	1	0	0	20	20.0
TOTAL	292	291	8952	1492	3478	0.429	264	780	0.338	751	981	0.766	167	868	1031	3.5	804	2.8	840	507	167	4003	13.7



#5  
2015

## JENNIFER HAMSON

Position: C • Height: 6-7 • Born: January 23, 1992 • College: BYU • Years Pro: R

4.0 PPG

3.0 RPG

0.0 APG

0.0 SPG

0.0 BPG

3.8 MPG

## WNBA CAPSULE

- Made WNBA debut at Seattle on June 6, 2015

## QUICK NOTES

## Last Game @ Seattle (6/6)

- Recorded four points and three rebounds in four minutes off the bench

## 2015

- Played in first career game at Seattle on June 6, 2015

## SEASON HIGHS

POINTS	4, @ SEA 6/6
FGM	1, @ SEA 6/6
3 FGM	
FTM	2, @ SEA 6/6
OREB	1, @ SEA 6/6
DREB	2, @ SEA 6/6
TOTAL REB	3, @ SEA 6/6
ASSISTS	
STEALS	
BLOCKS	
MINUTES	4, @ SEA 6/6

## CAREER HIGHS

POINTS	4, @ SEA 6/6
FGM	1, @ SEA 6/6
3 FGM	
FTM	2, @ SEA 6/6
OREB	1, @ SEA 6/6
DREB	2, @ SEA 6/6
TOTAL REB	3, @ SEA 6/6
ASSISTS	
STEALS	
BLOCKS	
MINUTES	4, @ SEA 6/6

## 2015 SEASON GAME-BY-GAME (LAST 5 GAMES)

Date	Opp	W/L	GS	MIN	FG	FGA	3FG	3FGA	FT	FTA	OFF	DEF	TOT	A	PF	ST	TO	BS	PTS
6/6	@ SEA	L	0	3:46	1	2	0	0	2	2	1	2	3	0	0	0	1	0	4
6/14	SEA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
6/16	MIN	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
6/21	CON	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
6/23	@ WAS	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

	G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
TOTAL	1	0	3:46	1	2	.500	0	0	.000	2	2	1.000	1	2	3	3.0	0	0.0	0	0	0	4	4

## 2014 SEASON AVERAGES vs SEATTLE STORM

G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
TOTAL	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

## WNBA SEASON / CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
2015	1	0	3:46	1	2	.500	0	0	.000	2	2	1.000	1	2	3	3.0	0	0.0	0	0	0	4	4.0
TOTAL	1	0	3:46	1	2	.500	0	0	.000	2	2	1.000	1	2	3	3.0	0	0.0	0	0	0	4	4.0



#24

ANDREA HOOVER

Position: G • Height: 5-9 • Born: September 9, 1992 • College: Dayton • Years Pro: R

2015

5.0 PPG

0.0 RPG

0.0 APG

0.0 SPG

0.0 BPG

10.1 MPG

## WNBA CAPSULE

- Made WNBA debut at Seattle on June 6, 2015

## QUICK NOTES

## Last Game @ Seattle (6/6)

- Scored five points in 10 minutes off the bench and was perfect from the field, shooting 2-of-2, including one three-pointer

## 2015

- Played in first career game at Seattle on June 6, 2015

## SEASON HIGHS

POINTS	5, @ SEA 6/6
FGM	2, @ SEA 6/6
3 FGM	1, @ SEA 6/6
FTM	
OREB	
DREB	
TOTAL REB	
ASSISTS	
STEALS	
BLOCKS	
MINUTES	10, @ SEA 6/6

## CAREER HIGHS

POINTS	5, @ SEA 6/6
FGM	2, @ SEA 6/6
3 FGM	1, @ SEA 6/6
FTM	
OREB	
DREB	
TOTAL REB	
ASSISTS	
STEALS	
BLOCKS	
MINUTES	10, @ SEA 6/6

## 2015 SEASON GAME-BY-GAME (LAST 5 GAMES)

Date	Opp	W/L	GS	MIN	FG	FGA	3FG	3FGA	FT	FTA	OFF	DEF	TOT	A	PF	ST	TO	BS	PTS			
6/6	@ SEA	L	0	10:07	2	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5			
6/14	SEA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--			
6/16	MIN	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--			
6/21	CON	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--			
6/23	@ WAS	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--			
G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
TOTAL	1	0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	

## 2014 SEASON AVERAGES vs SEATTLE STORM

G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
TOTAL --	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

## WNBA SEASON / CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
2015	1	0	10:07	2	2	1.000	1	1	1.000	0	0	0.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0	5	5.0
TOTAL	1	0	10:07	2	2	1.000	1	1	1.000	0	0	0.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0	5	5.0

#2  
2015

## TEMEKA JOHNSON

Position: G • Height: 5-3 • Born: September 6, 1982 • College: LSU • Years Pro: 11

0.0 PPG

3.0 RPG

4.0 APG

0.0 SPG

0.0 BPG

20.4 MPG

## WNBA CAPSULE

- WNBA Champion (2009 - Phoenix Mercury)
- WNBA Rookie of the Year (2005)

## QUICK NOTES

## Last Game @ Seattle (6/6)

- Had four assists and three rebounds in 21 minutes on the court

## 2015

- Made her first return to Seattle playing against her former team in the season opener. First time in a Sparks jersey since playing for Los Angeles from 2006-08

## 2014 (SEATTLE)

- Started in 3 of 34 games played for Seattle  
- Scored a season-high 16 pts against Atlanta on August 7, 2014

## SEASON HIGHS

POINTS	
FGM	
3 FGM	
FTM	
OREB	
DREB	3, @ SEA 6/6
TOTAL REB	3, @ SEA 6/6
ASSISTS	4, @ SEA 6/6
STEALS	
BLOCKS	
MINUTES	20, @ SEA 6/6

## CAREER HIGHS

POINTS	26, vs NYL 9/20/12
FGM	10, 3 Times
3 FGM	4, Twice
FTM	8, 4 Times
OREB	3, 5 Times
DREB	10, vs NYL 7/24/14
TOTAL REB	10, vs NYL 7/24/14
ASSISTS	12, Twice
STEALS	4, 5 Times
BLOCKS	2, Twice
MINUTES	38, 3 Times

## 2015 SEASON GAME-BY-GAME (LAST 5 GAMES)

Date	Opp	W/L	GS	MIN	FG	FGA	3FG	3FGA	FT	FTA	OFF	DEF	TOT	A	PF	ST	TO	BS	PTS			
6/6	@ SEA	L	0	20:24	0	5	0	4	0	0	0	3	3	4	0	0	0	0	0			
6/14	SEA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--			
6/16	MIN	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--			
6/21	CON	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--			
6/23	@ WAS	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--			
G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
TOTAL 1	0	20:24	0	5	.000	0	4	.000	0	0	.000	0	3	3	3.0	4	4.0	0	0	0	0	0

## 2014 SEASON AVERAGES (SEATTLE) vs LOS ANGELES SPARKS

G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
TOTAL 5	1	19:43	12	28	.429	3	6	.500	12	12	1.000	3	12	15	3.0	18	3.6	7	5	0	39	7.8

## WNBA SEASON / CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
2015	1	0	20	0	5	.000	0	4	.000	0	0	.000	0	3	3	3.0	4	4.0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	294	244	7236	927	2245	.413	180	506	.356	412	500	.824	119	692	811	2.8	1264	4.3	606	294	27	2446	8.3



#22

Position: F • Height: 6-3 • Born: March 21, 1983 • College: Pepperdine • Years Pro: 9

2015

7.0 PPG

6.0 RPG

2.0 APG

0.0 SPG

0.0 BPG

19.6 MPG

## WNBA CAPSULE

- WNBA Champion (2007 - Phoenix Mercury)

## QUICK NOTES

**Last Game @ Seattle (6/6)**

- Contributed with seven points, six rebounds, and two assists in 20 minutes off the bench

**2015**

- Made Sparks debut against Seattle on June 6, 2015

**2014 (TULSA)**

- Played in 34 games with Tulsa, making one start
- Scored season-high 14 pts against San Antonio on July 17, 2014

## SEASON HIGHS

POINTS	6, @ SEA 6/6
FGM	3, @ SEA 6/6
3 FGM	1, @ SEA 6/6
FTM	
OREB	2, @ SEA 6/6
DREB	4, @ SEA 6/6
TOTAL REB	6, @ SEA 6/6
ASSISTS	2, @ SEA 6/6
STEALS	
BLOCKS	
MINUTES	20, @ SEA 6/6

## CAREER HIGHS

POINTS	21, vs SEA 9/14/13
FGM	7, 4 Times
3 FGM	4, 4 Times
FTM	7, Twice
OREB	4, 8 Times
DREB	7, vs WAS 7/3/09
TOTAL REB	10, vs CHI 6/7/08
ASSISTS	5, vs SEA 7/30/11
STEALS	4, vs NYL 9/20/12
BLOCKS	3, Twice
MINUTES	21, vs SEA 9/14/13

## 2015 SEASON GAME-BY-GAME (LAST 5 GAMES)

Date	Opp	W/L	GS	MIN	FG	FGA	3FG	3FGA	FT	FTA	OFF	DEF	TOT	A	PF	ST	TO	BS	PTS
6/6	@ SEA	L	0	19:37	3	4	1	2	0	0	2	4	6	2	4	0	0	0	7
6/14	SEA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
6/16	MIN	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
6/21	CON	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
6/23	@ WAS	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
TOTAL 1	0	19:37	3	4	.750	1	2	.500	0	0	.000	2	4	6	6.0	2	2.0	4	0	0	7	7.0

## 2014 SEASON AVERAGES (TULSA) vs SEATTLE STORM

G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
TOTAL 4	0	07:07	2	6	.333	2	4	.500	0	0	.000	3	2	5	1.3	2	0.5	2	2	0	6	1.5

## WNBA SEASON / CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
2015	1	0	20	3	4	.750	1	2	.500	0	0	.000	2	4	6	6.0	2	2.0	4	0	0	7	7.0
TOTAL	269	60	4020	484	1251	.387	136	412	.33	232	340	.682	231	378	609	2.3	161	0.6	629	110	68	1336	5.0



# #42 JANTEL LAVENDER

Position: C • Height: 6-4 • Born: November 12, 1988 • College: Ohio State • Years Pro: 4

2015

10.0 PPG

12.0 RPG

2.0 APG

0.0 SPG

0.0 BPG

35.9 MPG

## WNBA CAPSULE

- Made WNBA debut versus Minnesota Lynx on June 3, 2011
- Ninth among league leaders in field goal percentage (2014)

## QUICK NOTES

### Last Game @ Seattle (6/6)

- Scored 10 pts on 5-of-18 shooting and grabbed 12 rebs (9 defensive) and two steals in a team-high 36 minutes of action.
- Her nine defensive rebounds tied a career-high, previously done twice. Last time was against the Mercury on July, 6, 2014.

### 2015

- Recorded first double-double of 2015 (10 pts, 12 rebs) in season opener against the Storm

### 2014

- Scored in double-figures in 21 games, including three 20-plus point performances
- Had five games with 10-plus rebounds
- Recorded four double-doubles
- Scored season-high 23 points on 9-of-14 shooting against Washington on July 17, 2014.
- Recorded season-high 13 rebounds in back-to-back games against Tulsa (6/19) and San Antonio (6/22)

## SEASON HIGHS

POINTS	10, @ SEA 6/6
FGM	5, @ SEA 6/6
3 FGM	
FTM	
OREB	3, @ SEA 6/6
DREB	9, @ SEA 6/6
TOTAL REB	12, @ SEA 6/6
ASSISTS	2, @ SEA 6/6
STEALS	
BLOCKS	
MINUTES	36 @ SEA 6/6

## CAREER HIGHS

POINTS	25, vs PHO 8/12/11
FGM	11, vs PHO 8/12/11
3 FGM	1, vs WAS 7/17/14
FTM	7, vs MIN 9/12/13
OREB	7, vs PHO 8/12/11
DREB	9, 3 Times
TOTAL REB	13, Twice
ASSISTS	5, vs CHI 6/6/14
STEALS	3, vs CHI 6/6/14
BLOCKS	4, vs SAN 8/10/14
MINUTES	39, Twice

## 2015 SEASON GAME-BY-GAME (LAST 5 GAMES)

Date	Opp	W/L	GS	MIN	FG	FGA	3FG	3FGA	FT	FTA	OFF	DEF	TOT	A	PF	ST	TO	BS	PTS
6/6	@ SEA	L	0	35:55	5	18	0	1	0	0	3	9	12	2	3	0	1	0	10
6/14	SEA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
6/16	MIN	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
6/21	CON	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
6/23	@ WAS	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
TOTAL 1	1	36	5	18	.277	0	1	.000	0	0	.000	3	9	12	12.0	2	2.0	3	0	0	10	10.0

## 2014 SEASON AVERAGES vs SEATTLE STORM

G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
TOTAL 5	4	26:04	19	34	.559	0	0	.000	9	12	.750	6	20	26	5.2	5	1.0	11	2	2	47	9.4

## WNBA SEASON / CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
2015	1	1	36	5	18	.277	0	1	.000	0	0	.000	3	9	12	12.0	2	2.0	3	0	0	10	10.0
TOTAL	136	35	2547	459	903	.508	1	6	.166	146	182	.802	203	413	616	4.5	104	0.8	223	51	79	1065	7.8



#30

NNEKA OGWUMIKE

Position: F • Height: 6-2 • Born: July 2, 1990 • College: Stanford • Years Pro: 3

2015

0.0 PPG

0.0 RPG

0.0 APG

0.0 SPG

0.0 BPG

0.0 MPG

## WNBA CAPSULE

- All-WNBA selection (second team, 2014)
- Two-time WNBA All-Star selection (2013, 14)
- WNBA Player of the Week (6/24-29, 2014)
- WNBA Rookie of the Year (2012)

## QUICK NOTES

## Last Game @ Seattle (6/6)

- Did not play (left ankle sprain)

## 2015

- Day-to-day

## 2014

- Started and played in 33 games
- Had eight double-doubles
- Had double-digit scoring in 27 games, with 10 20-plus point performances
- Tallied 10-plus rebounding performances in eight games
- In a five-game span from 6/22-7/3, she scored five consecutive 20-plus point games, averaging 22.6 ppg

## SEASON HIGHS

POINTS

FGM

3 FGM

FTM

OREB

DREB

TOTAL REB

ASSISTS

STEALS

BLOCKS

MINUTES

## CAREER HIGHS

POINTS 35, vs TUL 8/5/14

FGM 12, vs TUL 8/5/14

3 FGM 2, vs CHI 7/1/14

FTM 11, vs TUL 8/5/14

OREB 12, @ IND 7/12/12

DREB 11, Twice

TOTAL REB 20, @ IND 7/12/12

ASSISTS 8, vs ATL 8/8/14

STEALS 6, vs CHI 6/1/14

BLOCKS 4, @ TUL 8/2/13

MINUTES 39, @ WAS 6/1/14

## 2015 SEASON GAME-BY-GAME (LAST 5 GAMES)

Date	Opp	W/L	GS	MIN	FG	FGA	3FG	3FGA	FT	FTA	OFF	DEF	TOT	A	PF	ST	TO	BS	PTS
6/6	@ SEA	L	0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
6/14	SEA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
6/16	MIN	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
6/21	CON	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
6/23	@ WAS	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
TOTAL 1	0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

## 2014 SEASON AVERAGES vs SEATTLE STORM

G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
TOTAL 5	5	24:26	32	56	.571	1	1	1.000	13	15	.867	6	24	30	6.0	4	0.8	9	9	3	78	15.6

## WNBA SEASON / CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
2015	0	0	0	0	0	-	0	0	-	0	0	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	100	100	270	574	1064	.539	6	22	.273	324	401	.808	259	480	739	7.4	134	1.3	278	154	78	1478	14.8



#31

ERIN PHILLIPS

Position: G • Height: 5-8 • Born: May 19, 1985 • College: Australia • Years Pro: 7

2015

11.0 PPG

2.0 RPG

5.0 APG

2.0 SPG

0.0 BPG

33.8 MPG

## WNBA CAPSULE

- Two-time WNBA Champion (2012 - Indiana Fever, 2013 - Phoenix Mercury)
- League leader in three-point shooting percentage (2014)

## QUICK NOTES

## Last Game @ Seattle (6/6)

- Scored 11 points to add on a team-high five assists and two three-pointers. Also recorded two steals in 34 minutes played
- Converted a four-point play on a corner three-pointer while being fouled (2<sup>nd</sup> Q)

## 2015

- Made Sparks debut against Seattle on June 6, 2015

## 2014 (PHOENIX)

- Started in 10 of 33 games played
- Scored a season-high 15 points against Tulsa on May 30, 2014
- Led the league in three-point shooting percentage

## SEASON HIGHS

POINTS	11, @ SEA 6/6
FGM	3, @ SEA 6/6
3 FGM	2, @ SEA 6/6
FTM	3, @ SEA 6/6
OREB	1, @ SEA 6/6
DREB	1, @ SEA 6/6
TOTAL REB	2, @ SEA 6/6
ASSISTS	5, @ SEA 6/6
STEALS	2, @ SEA 6/6
BLOCKS	
MINUTES	34, @ SEA 6/6

## CAREER HIGHS

POINTS	21, 4 Times
FGM	9, vs ATL 8/20/11
3 FGM	5, vs ATL 8/10/13
FTM	7, vs WAS 8/21/11
OREB	4, vs ATL 6/14/09
DREB	7, vs CHI 8/7/11
TOTAL REB	8, Twice
ASSISTS	7, 4 Times
STEALS	5, vs LAS 7/14/09
BLOCKS	1, 11 Times
MINUTES	39, @ TUL 9/23/12

## 2015 SEASON GAME-BY-GAME (LAST 5 GAMES)

Date	Opp	W/L	GS	MIN	FG	FGA	3FG	3FGA	FT	FTA	OFF	DEF	TOT	A	PF	ST	TO	BS	PTS
6/6	@ SEA	L	1	33.8	3	10	2	7	3	3	1	1	2	5	1	2	2	0	11
6/14	SEA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
6/16	MIN	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
6/21	CON	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
6/23	@ WAS	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

	G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
TOTAL	1	1	33.8	3	10	.300	2	7	.286	3	3	1.000	1	1	2	2.0	5	5.0	1	2	0	11	11.0

## 2014 SEASON AVERAGES (PHOENIX) vs SEATTLE STORM

	G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
TOTAL	5	2	18:15	13	24	.542	7	11	.636	6	9	.667	0	8	8	1.6	10	2.0	10	3	1	39	7.8

## WNBA SEASON / CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
2015	1	1	35	3	10	.300	2	7	.286	3	3	1.000	1	1	2	2.0	5	5.0	1	2	0	11	11.0
TOTAL	186	78	3784	412	939	.439	178	456	.390	232	277	.838	114	322	436	2.3	392	2.1	265	168	11	1234	6.6





#14

MARIANNA TOLO

Position: C • Height: 6-5 • Born: July 2, 1989 • College: Australia • Years Pro: R

2015

3.0 PPG

3.0 RPG

0.0 APG

0.0 SPG

1.0 BPG

20.7 MPG

WNBA CAPSULE	QUICK NOTES	SEASON HIGHS	CAREER HIGHS
• Made WNBA debut at Seattle on June 6, 2015	<b>Last Game @ Seattle (6/6)</b> - Tallied three points, three rebounds, and one block in 21 minutes played  <b>2015</b> - Started her first career WNBA game in the 2015 season opener at Seattle on June 6	<b>POINTS</b> 3, @ SEA 6/6 <b>FGM</b> 1, @ SEA 6/6 <b>3 FGM</b> <b>FTM</b> 1, @ SEA 6/6 <b>OREB</b> <b>DREB</b> 3, @ SEA 6/6 <b>TOTAL REB</b> 3, @ SEA 6/6 <b>ASSISTS</b> <b>STEALS</b> <b>BLOCKS</b> 1, @ SEA 6/6 <b>MINUTES</b> 21, @ SEA 6/6	<b>POINTS</b> 3, @ SEA 6/6 <b>FGM</b> 1, @ SEA 6/6 <b>3 FGM</b> <b>FTM</b> 1, @ SEA 6/6 <b>OREB</b> <b>DREB</b> 3, @ SEA 6/6 <b>TOTAL REB</b> 3, @ SEA 6/6 <b>ASSISTS</b> <b>STEALS</b> <b>BLOCKS</b> 1, @ SEA 6/6 <b>MINUTES</b> 21, @ SEA 6/6

## 2015 SEASON GAME-BY-GAME (LAST 5 GAMES)

Date	Opp	W/L	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	3FGM	3FGA	FTM	FTA	OFF	DEF	TOT	A	PF	ST	TO	BS	PTS				
6/6	@ SEA	L	1	20.7	1	2	0	1	1	2	0	3	3	0	4	0	2	1	3				
6/14	SEA	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--				
6/16	MIN	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--				
6/21	CON	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--				
6/23	@ WAS	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--				
	G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
TOTAL	1	1	20.7	1	2	.500	0	1	.000	1	1	.500	0	3	3	3.0	0	0.0	4	0	1	3	3.0

## 2014 SEASON AVERAGES vs SEATTLE STORM

G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
TOTAL	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

## WNBA SEASON / CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
2015	1	1	20.7	1	2	.500	0	1	.000	1	1	.500	0	3	3	3.0	0	0.0	4	0	1	3	3.0
TOTAL	1	1	20.7	1	2	.500	0	1	.000	1	1	.500	0	3	3	3.0	0	0.0	4	0	1	3	3.0

## 2015 SPARKS GAME-BY-GAME RESULTS

### **PRESEASON GAME #1   LOS ANGELES SPARKS @ CHICAGO SKY                      Uncasville, CT                      MAY 27, 2015**

Los Angeles Sparks **76** Chicago Sky **67**

Nneka Ogwumike and the Los Angeles Sparks opened their preseason Wednesday with a 76-67 victory over the Chicago Sky at Mohegan Sun Arena in Uncasville, Conn. Ogwumike led the way with 15 points for the Sparks. Jantel Lavender and Erin Phillips each added 11 points. Lavender grabbed 10 rebounds, while Phillips tallied eight assists.

The Sparks knocked off a Sky team that was led by Courtney Vandersloot, who scored 15 points on 5-of-6 shooting. Elena Delle Donne scored nine points on 3-of-11 shooting.

Wednesday's game was part of a preseason tournament hosted by the Connecticut Sun.

### **PRESEASON GAME #2   LOS ANGELES SPARKS @ CONNECTICUT SUN                      Uncasville, CT                      MAY 28, 2015**

Los Angeles Sparks **64** Connecticut Sun **57**

The Los Angeles Sparks followed up Wednesday's win over the Chicago Sky with a 64-57 victory over the Connecticut Sun on Thursday evening. Jantel Lavender and Nneka Ogwumike paced the Sparks throughout the game, putting in contributions they have become known for around the league. Ogwumike scored 14 points on 6-of-9 shooting and pulled down four rebounds. Lavender scored 13 points in 30 minutes on the floor, shooting 6-of-14 from the field.

The Sun were led by Alex Bentley's 22 points on 7-of-19 shooting. Bentley also recorded four steals. Forward Alyssa Thomas scored ten points and pulled down six rebounds.

The Sparks open the 2015 season on June 6 against the Seattle Storm.

### **GAME #1, AWAY #1   LOS ANGELES SPARKS @ SEATTLE STORM                      Seattle, WA                      JUNE 06, 2015**

Los Angeles Sparks **61** Seattle Storm **86**

The Los Angeles Sparks 2015 regular season tipped off with a 86-61 road loss against the Seattle Storm on June 6. Farhiya Abdi earned her first career start replacing injured starting forward Nneka Ogwumike. Even with Alana Beard's 20 points and milestone achievement of 4,000 career points total, the Sparks were unable to stop the hot shooting of the Storm in the second half (19-of-34 .559 FG, 6-of-12 .500 3FG). Renee Montgomery's two three-pointers in the fourth rounded her team-high total to 19 points.

Lavender grabbed a defensive rebound in the third quarter to earn her first double-double of the season (three straight including preseason) finishing with 10 points shooting 5-of-18 from the field and 12 rebounds (3 OFF, 9 DEF) tying a career-high in defensive boards. Beard ended with a game-high 20 points shooting 8-of-16 from the field and 4-of-4 from the free-throw line, grabbing four rebounds and three assists. Phillips led the team with five assists, scoring 11 points and two rebounds. Newcomer Jennifer Lacy came off the bench and contributed with seven points shooting 3-of-4 from the field, grabbing six rebounds and two assists in 21 minutes played.

The Sparks return to the STAPLES Center on June 14 to host the Seattle Storm in the home opener.