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37th Annual Midland Lutheran College Girls Basketball Camps



2010 Summer Camp Dates

Advanced Camp	June 6
Shooting Camp	June 11
Fundamental Camp	June 13-16
Shooting Camp	June 18
Fundamental Camp	June 20-23
Team Camp	June 26



Joanne Bracker

Joanne Bracker, head coach of the Midland Lutheran College Warriors, is camp director. While at Midland, her teams have won 12 conference championships, qualified for 19 district championships, and nine national championships. She has coached 47 All-Americans or Scholar All-Americans while compiling a .642 win percentage record. Coach Bracker was 1992 District Coach of the Year and 1985 Lincoln Journal-Star Coach of the Year, the first woman to receive this honor. In addition, she is past president of the NAIA Women's Basketball Coaches Association. She was an assistant coach at the 1989 Summer Olympic Festival, a member of the 1996 Olympic Committee, 1996 NIAC Coach of the Year and inducted into the NAIA Hall of Fame. Currently she serves as chairperson of the NAIA Kodak All-America Selection Committee. In June, 1999, Coach Bracker was an inaugural member of the Women's Basketball Hall of Fame in Knoxville, Tennessee.

CAMP STAFF



Leon Bracker

Leon Bracker, assistant coach for the Midland Lutheran College Warriors, is assistant camp director. He has become well known for stressing fundamentals and consistency in all aspects of the game, especially shooting. During camp he personally instructs and evaluates each camper and provides a personalized evaluation for continued improvement.



Riikka Lehtonen

Riikka Lehtonen begins her first season as an assistant coach for the Warriors. Lehtonen is a native of Finland and has played basketball all over the World. Lehtonen played professionally for Turun Riento in Turku, Finland and also was a member of the Finnish Women's National Team. Lehtonen also played professionally for BG 74 Gottingen in Gottingen, Germany in the 2007-08 season.

Lehtonen played collegiately at Eastern New Mexico University in Portales, New Mexico. Prior to that, she played in junior college at Kilgore College in Kilgore, Texas. She played high school basketball for Centerville High School in Centerville, Ohio.

In addition to her professional playing experience, Lehtonen has also coached on the very same levels, bringing a well-rounded knowledge of the game to Midland Lutheran.

For more information e-mail bracker@mlc.edu

(PLEASE PRINT)

Name _____ Birth Date _____ Grade (Fall '10) _____ Age _____ Height _____
 Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 E-mail Address _____ Phone _____ Emergency Phone _____
 Parents' Name _____ School _____ Coach _____
 Local Newspaper _____ Address _____

(TEAM CAMP REGISTRATION — Coach completes and returns application with highlighted information only.)

Circle a shirt size: S M L XL XXL (Adult 100% cotton pre-shrunk) Roommate Preferences _____

Check Session: June 6 Advanced Camp (\$50 fee) June 18 Shooting Camp (\$50 fee)
 June 11 Shooting Camp (\$50 fee) June 20-23 Fundamental Camp (\$50 deposit)
 June 13-16 Fundamental Camp (\$50 deposit) Resident Commuter
 June 26 Team Camp (\$50 deposit per team)

Mail applications with deposit or fee before **May 31** to: Joanne Bracker, Midland Women's Basketball Camp, 900 N. Clarkson, Fremont, NE 68025

In consideration at the acceptance of this application for registration, I (we) waive and release any and all rights and claims for damages against Joanne Bracker, Midland Lutheran College, or its representatives and/or assignees, for any and all damages which may be sustained and suffered in connection with association entry in this camp, and may arise out of traveling to, participating in, or returning from the camp. I also understand the camp retains the right to use for publicity and advertising purposes photographs of campers taken during the camp. I (we) understand any camper who does not abide by camp rules may be dismissed from camp with no refund. In the event of illness or injury, I (we) will be responsible for any medical and other charges in connection with my daughter's attendance at this camp (if there are any restrictions on her participation, please explain on separate sheet). We (I) certify that my daughter is covered by medical insurance. If medical attention is required for injury or illness while in camp, I give my permission for such medical care.

Applicant Signature _____ Date _____ Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____ Medical Insurance Company _____ Policy # _____

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY Date Received _____ Amount of Deposit _____ Balance Due _____ Method of Payment: Cash Check

MIDLAND LUTHERAN COLLEGE GIRLS BASKETBALL CAMPS

Dear players and coaches,

For 36 years Midland Lutheran College has continued to inspire athletes to excel - not only on the court, but in the classroom. We invite you to be a part of our individual and team camps this summer. Our players and coaches are dedicated professionals who provide exceptional leadership in developing and honing the skills needed to be exceptional on the basketball court. We will provide a fun, safe and exciting atmosphere for you and or your team. Dare to Discover the heart of a Warrior!

Sincerely,
Joanne Bracker, Head Women's Basketball Coach
Winningest Active NAIA Coach
Member of Women's Basketball Hall of Fame

Advanced Camp June 6

This camp is for varsity players entering 10th through 12th grades. Begin your preparation for the 2010-2011 season with shooting analysis and advanced skill drills to practice during the summer. Emphasis will be placed on shooting, advanced skills, position play, offensive/defensive strategy and game reaction. Fee includes instruction, T-shirt, snacks, dinner and secondary insurance. Final registration is 12:30 to 1:00 P.M. at Midland Lutheran College Event Center, 700 East 10th St., with the session concluding at 6:00 P.M. Pizza provided following camp session.

Camp Fee — \$50.00

Shooting Day Camp June 11, June 18

This camp is for girls entering 4th through 12th grades. Introduction on the mechanics of shooting will be provided with emphasis on the jump shot. Additional instruction will include free-throw shooting, three-point shooting and offensive moves. Suggestions for self-improvement will also be provided. Each participant receives personal instruction. Fee includes instruction, T-shirt, lunch, snacks, and secondary insurance. Final registration is 8:30 to 9:00 A.M. at Midland Lutheran College Event Center, 700 East 10th St., with the session concluding at 3:00 P.M.

Camp Fee — \$50.00

Fundamental Camps June 13-16, June 20-23

This camp is for girls entering 6th through 12th grades. All campers are grouped according to age and ability. Each day will include instruction on ALL phases of basketball. In addition, league competition, camp contests, lecture sessions, refreshments and entertainment will be provided. Fee includes instruction, meals, lodging, awards, door prizes, two T-shirts, camp photo, official basketball, secondary insurance, refreshments and entertainment (breakfast and lodging is not included in commuter fee). Final registration is 5:00 to 6:00 P.M. on Sunday of each scheduled session in the Event Center Foyer, 700 E. 10th St., with departure on Wednesday evening following the 5:00 to 6:00 P.M. demonstration and dinner.

Camp Fee — \$200.00 Commuter Camper

Camp Fee — \$250.00 Resident Camper

Team Camp June 26

This camp is for varsity and junior varsity teams. Participants are provided a one-day opportunity to compete with other teams throughout the Midwest. Teams will be placed in divisions and guaranteed a minimum of four games. Teams should forward a \$50.00 deposit with coach's registration form. Each participant must bring a completed registration form for final registration. Fee includes officiated competition, one T-shirt and secondary insurance. Final registration is 8:30 to 9:00 A.M. at Midland Lutheran Event Center, 700 E. 10th St., with departure at 6:00 P.M. (See special instructions for completion of Team Camp application.)

Camp Fee — \$300.00 per team (8-12 players)

General Information

INSURANCE and MEDICAL CARE: At final registration each camper must provide evidence of a physical examination within the last year. Secondary accident insurance is provided up to \$10,000. Expenses resulting from illness or previous injury are the responsibility of the camper. Individual care is provided by experienced athletic trainers. Hospital facilities are close to campus with a licensed physician on 24-hour call.

CAMP REGULATIONS: Girls who are admitted are expected to conform to proper behavior. Campers must remain on campus at all times unless given special permission. Campers requesting early departure or activity departure must complete a written parental sanction at the time of final registration. Visitors must obtain permission from the Camp Director to visit participants. All visitations must be in the residence hall lounge ONLY. Parents and coaches of enrolled campers are welcome to observe during day or evening sessions. The Wednesday demonstration and camper dinner is open to families. All participants are required to observe camp standards of conduct which are abstinence from use of tobacco, alcohol and drugs. Those who are unwilling to meet these standards will be IMMEDIATELY DISMISSED.

MEALS AND HOUSING: All meals are prepared by an experienced college staff and served in the air-conditioned dining hall. A policy of unlimited seconds prevails. Campers will reside in modern, air-conditioned residence halls. Each floor will be supervised by a member of the camp staff.

ENTERTAINMENT: Movies, refreshments, contests, door prizes, etc., are provided daily.

AWARDS: Trophies, certificates and medals are presented on Wednesday. A highlight of the awards is the 'Outstanding Camper' award and All-Star selections.

WHAT TO BRING: Plan to bring plenty of comfortable, casual clothes. Camp T-shirts will be worn and laundered daily. Basketball shoes and 6-8 pairs of socks, sweatshirt, drinking glass, towels, and washcloths, personal toilet articles, sleeping bag or two sheets, blanket and pillow, 5-6 pair of shorts, casual clothing for cinema, laundry detergent and alarm clock.

INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION OPPORTUNITIES: ALL-STAR TEAMS will be selected during the camp sessions and invited to participate in an 8-day trip to a foreign country to be determined as interest indicates. Selection consideration is given during ALL sessions. Additional information will be provided following your camp selection.

WHAT CAMPERS SAY ABOUT OUR PROGRAM

- "I've come here for the past six years and I've always kept learning new things. This last session is really inspiring, it really gets people pumped up. It also gave me a lot of ideas to go back and share with my team."
- "I thought it was a great camp. I've been here for three years now and it gets better every year. I always feel so at home!"
- "I have been here year after year and this camp has always been enjoyable. I have learned so much and would recommend it to anyone. The instruction by coaches and counselors is great!"
- "I could stay forever — it's the best camp I have attended. I learned much and the staff was beautiful."
- "Everything was so well organized and Coach Bracker really went to a lot of extra work to make the camp a fantastic experience."
- "Super camp — received so many extras and instruction and counselors were fantastic — super fun, but hard work, too."
- "Great counselors, super friendly and just a fantastic all-around staff. You did much more for us than I expected."
- "This camp really gives you your money's worth. I was really impressed with all the 'extras'."
- "I feel this camp was educational yet enjoyable. The staff seemed to take a personal interest in each of the girls."
- "I enjoyed the camp, learned a lot, made a lot of friends. I really enjoyed the staff and thought that they were very qualified."
- "Everything was set up beautifully. I enjoyed every minute. The coaches and assistants were great teachers. I hope to keep in touch with the people I met."
- "This has been the best week of my life. I've never been at a camp where people cared so much."
- "I like this camp and think many people should come here. I am so glad you have this camp."
- "Lots of fun — I enjoyed meeting new people and making new friends."
- "It was a good learning experience and it was fun!"
- "This is a really good camp — they explain things really well. I really liked this camp — it was lots of fun."
- "I thought this was a great camp. I have been here two years now and everyone is so friendly, especially the staff and counselors."
- "Very good camp — taught me new skills and ways to move on the court."

ADVANTAGES

- *New athletic arena
- *Air-conditioned facilities — gymnasium, residence halls, dining hall.
- *Four days of camp including meals, lodging and 32 hours of basketball activity.
- *Guaranteed individualized instruction (1-8 ratio).
- *Quality staff of outstanding coaches and collegiate players.
- *Individualized shooting evaluation.
- *Quality shooting instruction daily
- *Official camp basketball.
- *Two personalized T-shirts
- *No camp fee discrimination — all campers pay equal fees and receive equal benefits.
- *Camp photo.
- *Professional style awards and certificates.
- *Recreation, door prizes, refreshments and lecture sessions daily.
- *Evening at local cinema.
- *International competition opportunities.