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Tonight's the night to snap the skid. Penn State comes to Ann Arbor with just one win under their Big Ten belt. It would only be fitting that this would be the team that Michigan picks up another win against, considering that the Wolverines' last win came on a cool January Saturday in the middle of Pennsylvania against these very Nittany Lions. Oh, the good old days. They'll be back; don't worry about that, Rage. Let's get behind our team tonight, and this game just might be the first of 13 in a row (3 regular season, 4 Big Ten tournament, 6 NCAA tournament) that could bring us the national championship hardware. We can dream, right?

Here is the starting lineup for the Penn State Nittany Lions (7-18, 1-11 Big Ten Conference):

0	Aaron Johnson	6'9"	С	Greet "Hojo" with a "Rec Specs" (clap clap) chant at the free throw line this evening
3	Ben Luber	6'0"	G	This sophomore resident of Nittany Apartments scored a hot two points against Northwestern in his last game
5	Geary Claxton	6'5"	G/F	This freshman's mom usually sits with the Nittwits, Penn State's wild student section of approximately 38 members
11	Travis Parker	6'5"	F	A junior college transfer who averages 11.8 points for the Nittany Lions
25	Danny Morrissey	6'3"	G	The "Zack Mills lookalike" won the Yale Book Award in high school and enjoys caddying and golfing; looks forward to "rebuilding" PSU basketball
Coach	Ed DeChellis			Was immortalized last season with his very own bobblehead

**The Boss Man:** Senior Jamaal Tate (#1) professes on his website that "there should be a scheduled nap in the middle of every day." Additionally, he says, "If eating were in the job market, I would definitely be the CEO of a company." Well, at least he's got that "job" going for him.

**Dan's Playhouse:** Dan Adler (#10) has played in just six games this year, but it's because he's preparing as his alter ego, P.W. Herman, for a new movie entitled "Pee Wee Does Pennsylvania," slated to hit theaters in time for the 2005 Christmas season.

**Super Rook:** Brandon Hassell (#23), a 6'9" freshman, was listed as a "fan favorite" at the beginning of the season by Penn State's newspaper, the Collegian. If the fans favor 1.5 points and 2.1 fouls a game, then he's doing his job.

The real story: Kevin Fellows (#24), a senior center from Meridian, Idaho, said the central Pennsylvania region's great resources for fly-fishing really influenced his decision to come to Penn State. Looking at the Penn State program, that's probably not a joke.

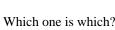
The rest of the roster: 4 – Mike Walker, 20 – Marlon Smith, 45 – Jason McDougald

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Honorary Captain: Tonight, the Rage wishes to honor Penn State cheerleader Chelsey Crocker as its Honorary Captain of the Game. Chelsey is a junior criminal justice major, a member of Kappa Delta, and the Rage's favorite Nittany Lion. Chelsey, congratulations on being the Rage Captain of the Game!

**Northwestern Road Trip:** Some spots are still available for this Saturday's free road trip to Northwestern. Sign up on the concourse today or e-mail <a href="mailto:ghickman@umich.edu">ghickman@umich.edu</a>. The bus will leave the Crisler parking lot at about 1:45 PM on Saturday.

Histo's Corner: Michigan is 17-8 all-time against Penn State.

Michigan has 7 straight wins against Penn State.

Michigan is 10-1 at home against Penn State.

Michigan is 10-3 on odd-numbered days against Penn State.

Michigan has won its last four home games against Penn State by an average margin of 11.25 points.