

# FERRIS STATE DIAMOND DAWGS

## THE 2002 DIAMOND DAWGS

STEFANIE KEENAN



### 5-8 \* FRESHMAN \* PITCHER/OUTFIELD \*

**BATS: RIGHT \* THROWS: RIGHT**

**ALAMEDA, CALIFORNIA**

**COLLEGE: 2002:** Talented player who has a promising future . . . Hardest thrower on the squad . . . Will spend this season acquiring experience at the collegiate level . . . Should also see extensive action in the outfield during the course of the season . . . Has team's best outfield arm in terms of strength and accuracy . . . Good fielder with a quick release. **HIGH SCHOOL:** A 2001 graduate of Alameda High School . . . Coached by Linda Brown . . . Honored as first-team all-conference and was recognized as the Alameda Newspaper Group "Best of the Best" First Team for second consecutive season in final prep campaign . . . Three-time team Most Valuable Player . . . Served as team captain in senior season . . . Received all-league kudos as a junior . . . Registered team's highest batting average in both junior and sophomore years . . . Competed one year each in volleyball and powder puff football.

**PERSONAL:** Daughter of Pete and Lillian Keenan . . . Born 7/5/83 in Oakland, Calif. . . Her father is a carpenter and mother works in the business/human resources field . . . Youngest of four children - has two older sisters . . . Hobbies include drag racing, writing, fishing and camping . . . Major in marketing.



KRISTA MARTELLI



### 5-4 \* FRESHMAN \* INFIELD \*

**BATS: RIGHT \* THROWS: RIGHT**

**MIDLAND, MICHIGAN**

**COLLEGE: 2002:** Battling for starting berth at second base and will receive ample playing time during the season . . . Versatile player who can play at a number of positions . . . Exceptional bat . . . Supplies power to the hitting lineup . . . Dedicated performer . . . Has an outstanding glove . . . Strives to improve overall game on a daily basis. **HIGH SCHOOL:** A 2001 graduate of Midland High School . . . Coached by Michelle Ignatowski . . . Gamed all-valley, all-district and all-region accolades during senior campaign . . . Served as team co-captain in final prep season . . . Honored with the Pawlak I.C.E. Award for integrity, commitment, and excellence . . . Recipient of team's Coaches Award as a senior . . . Posted a .368 batting average during senior year to go along with 33 runs, 42 hits, eight doubles, three triples and 29 RBI in 38 contests . . . Recorded a .491 slugging percentage and a .914 fielding percentage as a senior . . . Competed two seasons in volleyball.

**PERSONAL:** Daughter of Bob and Cathy Martelli . . . Born 5/12/83 in Midland, Mich. . . Her father is a chemical engineer and her mother is employed as a general contractor . . . Her mother attended and played softball at Ferris State . . . Has a younger brother . . . Majoring in psychology.



DANIELLE MAXWELL



### 5-4 \* FRESHMAN \* FIRST BASE \*

**BATS: LEFT \* THROWS: LEFT**

**BAY CITY, MICHIGAN (WESTERN)**

**COLLEGE: 2002:** Has a bright future . . . Will be redshirted this season and spend the season honing defensive skills . . . Swings with a lot of power to the opposite field . . . Can hit the long ball . . . **2000-2001:** Played at Delta College in University Center, Mich. . . Coached by Lisa Hillman and Mike Wiltse . . . Achieved all-america and all-state accolades in 2001 . . . Two-time all-region and All-Eastern Michigan Conference honoree . . . Member of 2001 district all-tournament team . . . Team's top hitter in both seasons . . . Received second-team all-america laurels in initial collegiate campaign.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** A 1999 graduate of Bay City Western High School in Auburn, Mich. . . Coached by Bob Scheerer . . . Attained all-state recognition as a senior . . . Twice honored as team's offensive player of the year . . . Received all-district accolades in both junior and senior campaigns . . . Recipient of team's Scholar-Athlete Award as a junior . . . Selected WHS's Defensive Player of the Year in junior season . . . Four-year swim team participant . . . Member of National Honor Society. **PERSONAL:** Daughter of Pete and Debbie Maxwell . . . Born 9/13/81 in Midland, Mich. . . One of four children . . . One brother, Jed, plays baseball at Northwood University . . . Interests include swimming and traveling . . . Major is applied biology.



### KEENAN FILE

**Nickname**

Monster and Stef

**If I could meet anyone in history**

James Dean

**Pregame Ritual**

Not stepping on chalk lines and never sit on the bench until the game starts

**The thing I like most about FSU Softball**

The friendly players and staff

**Favorite music group**

Hank Williams Sr.

**The motto I live by**

Don't put limits on yourself or what you can accomplish

**Worst fear**

Line drives hit toward my face when I'm pitching

**My role model**

Shirley Muldowney

**Something unusual about me is that**

I drag race

### MARTELLI FILE

**Nickname**

K-Mar

**The thing I like the most about FSU Softball**

The "team" concept

**Why I chose Ferris State**

The location and how well the university was organized

**My role model**

My mom

**Pregame Ritual**

I never take off my lucky necklace until right before I go on the field,

then I stuff it in my sock for good luck

**Worst fear**

Cats

**If I could meet anyone in history**

The inventor of high-platform shoes

**My first or favorite softball memory is**

Being the only girl on the boy's t-ball team

### MAXWELL FILE

**Pregame Ritual**

Relax and think about the upcoming game

**The motto I live by**

Don't take life too seriously

**Why I chose Ferris State**

I heard it was a great program and that I would have a lot of fun playing softball there

**The thing I like most about FSU Softball**

Hitting and the people, but not hitting the people

**Advice to youngsters**

NEVER run with scissors unless they're safety scissors and even then only a light jog

**If I could change one thing about softball**

Make batting helmets more comfortable

**If I could meet anyone in history**

The inventor of pancakes

**My favorite movie**

Clear and Present Danger/Full Metal Jacket

**Worst fear**

Disappointing people I care about and spiders

