



# 2018 SEC Gymnastics

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## 2018 SEC Gymnastics Awards

**Gymnast of the Year:** Sarah Finnegan, LSU  
**Event Specialist of the Year:** Alex McMurtry, Florida  
**Freshman of the Year:** Sarah Shaffer, Arkansas  
**Scholar-Athlete of the Year:** Alex McMurtry, Florida  
**Coach of the Year:** Mark Cook, Arkansas

### All-SEC Team

Ariana Guerra	Alabama
Nickie Guerrero	Alabama
Kiana Winston	Alabama
Sophia Carter	Arkansas
Hailey Garner	Arkansas
Sydney Laird	Arkansas
Sarah Shaffer	Arkansas
Braie Speed	Arkansas
Amanda Wellick	Arkansas
Samantha Cerio	Auburn
Gracie Day	Auburn
Drew Watson	Auburn
Alyssa Baumann	Florida
Alicia Boren	Florida
Rachel Gowey	Florida
Amelia Hundley	Florida
Alex McMurtry	Florida
Rachel Slocum	Florida
Rachel Dickson	Georgia
Marissa Oakley	Georgia
Sydney Snead	Georgia
Sidney Dukes	Kentucky
Alex Hyland	Kentucky
Mollie Korth	Kentucky
Christina Desiderio	LSU
Kennedi Edney	LSU
Sarah Edwards	LSU
Sarah Finnegan	LSU
Myia Hambrick	LSU
Lexie Priessman	LSU
Shauna Miller	Missouri
Morgan Porter	Missouri
Aspen Tucker	Missouri
Britney Ward	Missouri

### All-Freshman Team

Lexi Graber	Alabama
Sophia Carter	Arkansas
Sydney Laird	Arkansas
Sarah Shaffer	Arkansas
Drew Watson	Auburn
Alyssa Baumann	Florida
Megan Skaggs	Florida
Marissa Oakley	Georgia
Christina Desiderio	LSU
Sami Durante	LSU
Sarah Edwards	LSU

## NCAA Regionals Schedule

### *Semifinal I - Noon CT - ESPN2*

<u>Rotation</u>	<u>Vault</u>	<u>Bars</u>	<u>Beam</u>	<u>Floor</u>
1	UCLA	<b>Alabama</b>	<b>LSU</b>	<b>Georgia</b>
2	<b>Georgia</b>	Nebraska	<b>Alabama</b>	<b>Arkansas</b>
3	<b>Arkansas</b>	UCLA	Nebraska	<b>LSU</b>
4	<b>LSU</b>	<b>Georgia</b>	UCLA	<b>Alabama</b>
5	<b>Alabama</b>	<b>Arkansas</b>	<b>Georgia</b>	Nebraska
6	Nebraska	<b>LSU</b>	<b>Arkansas</b>	UCLA

All-Around Qualifier: Drew Watson, Auburn (*paired with Alabama*)  
Individual Event Qualifiers: Samantha Cerio, Auburn (*Bars - Rotation 3*)  
Abby Milliet, Auburn (*Beam - Rotation 3*)

### *Semifinal II - 6 p.m. CT - ESPN2*

<u>Rotation</u>	<u>Vault</u>	<u>Bars</u>	<u>Beam</u>	<u>Floor</u>
1	Utah	<b>Florida</b>	Oklahoma	Washington
2	Washington	<b>Kentucky</b>	<b>Florida</b>	California
3	California	Utah	<b>Kentucky</b>	Oklahoma
4	Oklahoma	Washington	Utah	<b>Florida</b>
5	<b>Florida</b>	California	Washington	<b>Kentucky</b>
6	<b>Kentucky</b>	Oklahoma	California	Utah

### *Super Six - 6 p.m. CT - ESPN2*

<u>Rotation</u>	<u>Vault</u>	<u>Bars</u>	<u>Beam</u>	<u>Floor</u>
1	Semi II, Team 2	Semi I, Team 3	Semi II, Team 1	Semi II, Team 3
2	Semi II, Team 3	Semi I, Team 2	Semi I, Team 3	Semi I, Team 1
3	Semi I, Team 1	Semi II, Team 2	Semi I, Team 2	Semi II, Team 1
4	Semi II, Team 1	Semi II, Team 3	Semi II, Team 2	Semi I, Team 3
5	Semi I, Team 3	Semi I, Team 1	Semi II, Team 3	Semi I, Team 2
6	Semi I, Team 2	Semi II, Team 1	Semi I, Team 1	Semi II, Team 2

## Media Services

### 2018 SEC Gymnastics Championship

The 2018 SEC Gymnastics Championship will be held March 24 at the Chaifetz Arena in St. Louis, Mo. Media representatives wishing to cover this event should contact Jill Skotarczak (jskotarczak@sec.org) in the SEC Communications Office.



### Gymnasts of the Week

The SEC will announce a Gymnast of the Week, Specialist of the Week and Freshman of the Week each Tuesday beginning Jan. 9. Members of the media wishing to receive these announcements should e-mail Jill Skotarczak (jskotarczak@sec.org).

### SEC Gymnastics on the Internet

Information about Southeastern Conference gymnastics is available on the Internet via the SEC's web site – www.secsports.com. The site will be updated each week, following the completion of the weekly release.

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### SEC Network / SEC Network +

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## SEC Gymnastics Fast Facts

- Southeastern Conference teams have won 10 of the last 13 NCAA Championships and 19 NCAA titles all-time. Three different SEC teams - Alabama, Florida and Georgia - have won NCAA Gymnastics Championships.
- In 2017, four SEC teams advanced to the semifinals of the NCAA Championships. Three of those teams advanced to the Super Six.
- In 1998, the SEC entered the record books as the only conference ever to sweep the top three spots at the NCAA meet (Georgia, Florida and Alabama).
- The SEC has placed at least two teams among the top six in 35 of the possible 36 NCAA Championship events. A record five SEC teams advanced to the NCAA Super Six team final in 2009.
- The SEC leads all conferences in NCAA individual titles (111).
- SEC student-athletes earned 12 first-team and 13 second-team All-America honors in 2017.

## SEC Gymnastics Weekly Honors

### Jan. 9

Gymnast of the Week: Sarah Finnegan, LSU  
Specialist of the Week: Kiana Winston, Alabama  
Freshman of the Week: Jazmyn Foberg, Florida

### Jan. 16

Gymnast of the Week: Myia Hambrick, LSU  
Specialist of the Week: Kiana Winston, Alabama  
Freshman of the Week: Sarah Shaffer, Arkansas and Ella Winston, Kentucky

### Jan. 23

Gymnast of the Week: Sarah Finnegan, LSU  
Specialist of the Week: Sabrina Vega, Georgia  
Freshman of the Week: Sami Durante, LSU

### Jan. 30

Gymnast of the Week: Alex McMurtry, Florida  
Specialist of the Week: Sophia Carter, Arkansas  
Freshman of the Week: Alyssa Baumann, Florida

### Feb. 6

Gymnast of the Week: Myia Hambrick, LSU  
Specialist of the Week: Kiana Winston, Alabama  
Freshman of the Week: Sarah Shaffer, Arkansas

### Feb. 13

Gymnast of the Week: Myia Hambrick, LSU  
Specialist of the Week: Kennedy Baker, Florida  
Freshman of the Week: Alyssa Baumann, Florida

### Feb. 20

Gymnast of the Week: Sarah Finnegan, LSU  
Specialist of the Week: Lexie Priessman, LSU  
Freshman of the Week: Christina Desiderio, LSU

### Feb. 27

Gymnast of the Week: Sarah Finnegan, LSU  
Specialist of the Week: Nickie Guerrero, Alabama  
Freshman of the Week: Megan Skaggs, Florida

### Mar. 6

Gymnast of the Week: Kennedi Edney, LSU  
Specialist of the Week: Erin Macadaeg, LSU  
Freshman of the Week: Lexi Graber, Alabama

### Mar. 13

Gymnast of the Week: Alex McMurtry, Florida  
Specialist of the Week: Lexie Priessman, LSU  
Freshman of the Week: Jazmyn Foberg, Florida

### Mar. 20

Gymnast of the Week: Sarah Finnegan, LSU  
Specialist of the Week: Braie Speed, Arkansas  
Freshman of the Week: Sarah Shaffer, Arkansas

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## 2018 SEC Gymnastics Broadcast Schedule

Date	Time (ET)	Meet	Network
Fri., Jan. 5	5:30 p.m.	Alabama at Michigan	ESPNU
	8:00 p.m.	Arkansas at LSU	SEC Network
Fri., Jan. 12	7:00 p.m.	LSU at Florida	SEC Network
	8:00 p.m.	Kentucky at Arkansas	SEC Network+
	8:30 p.m.	Georgia at Alabama	SEC Network
Sun., Jan. 14	1:00 p.m.	LSU at Florida*	ESPN
Fri., Jan. 19	7:00 p.m.	Florida at Kentucky	SEC Network
	8:30 p.m.	Alabama at LSU	SEC Network
Sun., Jan. 21	7:30 p.m.	Alabama at LSU*	ESPN2
Fri., Jan. 26	7:00 p.m.	Georgia at Arkansas	SEC Network
	7:00 p.m.	Oklahoma at Florida	SEC Network +
	8:30 p.m.	Kentucky at Auburn	SEC Network
	8:30 p.m.	Missouri at Alabama	SEC Network +
	10:00 p.m.	Oklahoma at Florida**	SEC Network
Sun., Jan. 28	10:00 p.m.	Missouri at Alabama**	ESPNU
Fri., Feb. 2	7:00 p.m.	Florida at Auburn	SEC Network
	8:30 p.m.	Arkansas at Alabama	SEC Network +
	8:30 p.m.	Kentucky at LSU	SEC Network
Sat., Feb. 3	2:00 p.m.	Missouri at Georgia	SEC Network
Sun., Feb. 4	6:00 p.m.	Missouri at Georgia*	ESPNU
Fri., Feb. 9	7:00 p.m.	Alabama at Florida	SEC Network
	8:30 p.m.	LSU at Missouri	SEC Network
Sun., Feb. 11	8:00 p.m.	Alabama at Florida*	ESPN2
Fri., Feb. 16	7:00 p.m.	Florida at Georgia	SEC Network
	8:30 p.m.	Kentucky at Alabama	SEC Network
Sun., Feb. 18	3:30 p.m.	Texas Woman's at LSU	SEC Network +
Fri., Feb. 23	7:00 p.m.	Arkansas at Florida	SEC Network +
	7:00 p.m.	LSU at Georgia	SEC Network
	8:30 p.m.	Alabama at Auburn	SEC Network
Sun., Feb. 25	8:00 p.m.	Arkansas at Florida**	ESPNU
Fri., Mar. 2	8:30 p.m.	North Carolina at Alabama	SEC Network +
Sun., Mar. 4	3:30 p.m.	Auburn at LSU	SEC Network
Fri., Mar. 9	7:00 p.m.	Nebraska at Florida	SEC Network +
	7:00 p.m.	LSU at N.C. State	ESPN3
Sat., Mar. 17	TBA	Arizona at LSU	SEC Network +
Sat., Mar. 24	3:00 p.m.	SEC Championship	SEC Network
	7:00 p.m.	SEC Championship	ESPN2

\*Re-air  
\*\* Tape Delay

## 2018 Road to Nationals Rankings (Final)

Rank	Team	Team RQS
1.	Oklahoma	198.120
2.	<b>LSU</b>	<b>197.890</b>
3.	UCLA	197.840
4.	Utah	197.540
5.	<b>Florida</b>	<b>197.390</b>
6.	<b>Alabama</b>	<b>197.165</b>
7.	Michigan	197.160
8.	Washington	196.960
9.	California	196.890
10.	<b>Arkansas</b>	<b>196.820</b>
11.	Nebraska	196.815
12.	<b>Kentucky</b>	<b>196.800</b>
13.	Denver	196.785
14.	Oregon State	196.780
15.	Boise State	196.745
16.	<b>Auburn</b>	<b>196.595</b>
17.	Arizona State	196.545
18.	<b>Georgia</b>	<b>196.515</b>
19.	George Washington	196.460
20.	North Carolina State	196.440
21.	BYU	196.430
22.	<b>Missouri</b>	<b>196.390</b>
23.	Illinois-Champaign	196.265
24.	Minnesota	196.250
25.	Ohio State	196.215

## 2018 SEC Championship Team Results

1.	LSU.....	197.400
2.	Alabama.....	196.975
3.	Florida.....	196.825
4.	Kentucky.....	196.550
5.	Arkansas.....	196.425
6.	Georgia.....	196.350
7.	Missouri.....	196.100
8.	Auburn.....	195.650

**Alabama Crimson Tide**

18-5, 5-2 SEC  
(10-1 Home, 1-3 Away, 7-1 Neutral)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Time (CT)/Score</u>
Jan. 5	at Michigan (ESPNU) .....	L, 195.675-196.200
Jan. 12	Georgia (SEC Network).....	W, 196.525-194.525
Jan. 19	at LSU (SEC Network).....	L, 196.725-197.450
Jan. 26	Missouri (SEC Network+) .....	W, 195.850-194.525
Feb. 2	Arkansas (SEC Network+).....	W, 197.000-196.350
Feb. 9	at Florida (SEC Network).....	L, 197.075-197.850
Feb. 16	Kentucky (SEC Network) .....	W, 196.925-196.375
Feb. 23	at Auburn (SEC Network).....	W, 197.300-195.400
Mar. 2	North Carolina (SEC Network+).....	W, 197.525-194.975
Mar. 9	vs. Auburn (Huntsville, Ala.).....	W, 197.300-196.900
Mar. 16	Oklahoma (SEC Network+).....	L, 197.125-197.925
Mar. 24	SEC Championship (ESPN2).....	2nd, 196.975
Apr. 7	NCAA Tuscaloosa Regional.....	1st, 197.225
Apr. 20-21	NCAA Championships .....	All Day

**Team Notes**

The Alabama gymnastics team used a 197.225 to win its NCAA-best 32nd regional championship to advance to the NCAA Championships for the 36th year in a row in front of 5,302 fans. The Crimson Tide finished nearly a three-quarters of a point ahead of second-place Georgia (196.500). The Bulldogs were the second team out of the Tuscaloosa regional to advance to St. Louis and NCAAs. While the margin between first and second was fairly wide, the difference between second and fourth was less than two-tenths of a point. Illinois (196.425) was third, while Michigan (196.350) was fourth. Missouri (196.100) and Central Michigan (195.825) rounded out the regional. Alabama freshman Lexi Graber earned a career-best score of 39.575 to win the all-around. She also took first off the vault with a career-best 9.950. Senior Kiana Winston won the balance beam in the last Coleman Coliseum routine of her illustrious career. In addition to winning the meet, Alabama posted the highest score on all four events. The Tide opened on the floor exercise with a 49.200 led by Graber's 9.875 and 9.850s from sophomore Maddie Desch and Guerrero. Alabama posted a season-best 49.350 on the vault, paced by Graber's 9.95 and 9.9s from junior Ari Guerra and Guerrero. After sitting out the third rotation on a bye, Alabama posted a 49.400 on the uneven bars after a trio of 9.9s from Graber, freshman Kylie Dickson and Winston. With a trip to nationals on the line, the Tide closed things out on the balance beam, where Winston's 9.925 and a 9.875 from Guerrero in the anchor spot pushed Alabama to a 49.275.

**Arkansas Razorbacks**

12-15-1, 2-5 SEC  
(5-1 Home, 1-5 Away, 6-9-1 Neutral)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Time (CT)/Score</u>
Jan. 5	at LSU (SEC Network).....	L, 195.350-197.150
Jan. 12	Kentucky (SEC Network+) .....	L, 196.525-196.950
Jan. 19	at Missouri (SEC Network+) .....	L, 196.150-196.325
Jan. 26	Georgia (SEC Network).....	W, 197.175-196.125
Feb. 2	at Alabama (SEC Network+).....	L, 196.350-197.000
Feb. 9	Auburn (SEC Network+) .....	W, 196.750-194.875
Feb. 16	Mardi Gras Invitational (St. Charles, Mo.)	
	LSU .....	198.075
	Missouri .....	196.025
	George Washington .....	195.650
	Arkansas.....	195.575
Feb. 23	at Florida (SEC Network+).....	L, 196.875-197.725
Mar. 2	Arizona.....	W, 197.275-196.125
Mar. 9	at Oklahoma .....	198.100
	Denver .....	196.525
	Arizona State.....	195.700
	Arkansas.....	195.700
Mar. 16	Arkansas.....	197.300
	Denver .....	196.725
	Iowa State .....	196.075
Mar. 24	SEC Championship (SEC Network) .....	5th, 196.425
Apr. 7	NCAA Columbus Regional .....	2nd, 196.775
Apr. 20-21	NCAA Championships .....	All Day

**Team Notes**

The 10th-ranked Arkansas gymnastics team placed second at the NCAA Columbus Regional with a score of 196.775. It will mark the program's eighth trip to the National Championships and first since 2013. Sophomore Jessica Yamzon gave the Razorbacks a solid start on beam with a 9.825 to begin the rotation. After a fall in the second spot by sophomore Hailey Garner, the Razorbacks recovered with three scores over 9.800 including a pair of 9.900s from senior Amanda Wellick and sophomore Michaela Burton. The two 9.900s tied for the second-highest scores on beam at an NCAA Regional by a Razorback. Arkansas has now posted beam scores of 49.000 or higher in 12 of 13 meets this season. Following a bye before floor, the Razorbacks started the rotation with a 9.800 from senior Mia Bargiacchi. Wellick followed that up with a 9.850. Yamzon and Burton each posted a 9.850 in the three and four spots before freshman Sarah Shaffer recorded a 9.900. Yamzon led off the Razorbacks on vault with a career high 9.850, while Wellick and Shaffer posted 9.850s of their own. Speed anchored the rotation with a 9.900. Arkansas posted a 49.175 on the event, despite competing just five athletes, en route to its second-highest vault score of the season. Arkansas' last scorer in Garner tallied a 9.725 in the second spot. Speed's 9.900 was good enough to take the Columbus Regional vault title, her second-consecutive regional vault title after taking first at the NCAA Fayetteville Regional a year ago. The title is Arkansas' 15th individual event regional title and the fifth on vault. After a 9.775 from Yamzon in the lead-off spot on bars, the Razorbacks posted five-straight scores over 9.800. The Razorbacks led by just 0.05 points at one point in the rotation and had little room for error. Four-straight scores of 9.825 from Wellick, Speed, Shaffer and freshman Sydney Laird gave way to Garner who anchored the rotation with a 9.875 to secure Arkansas' second-place finish. Wellick took the all-around title with a score of 39.425, while Yamzon posted a 39.300. The individual all-around title by Wellick is Arkansas' first all-around title at a regional since Katherine Grable's in 2013.

**Auburn Tigers**

9-18, 1-6 SEC  
(2-3 Home, 1-5 Away, 6-10 Neutral)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Time (CT)/Score</u>
Jan. 6	Iowa State .....	195.125
	at Arizona State.....	194.675
	Auburn .....	193.950
	Iowa .....	193.000
Jan. 12	Missouri (SEC Network+) .....	W, 196.625-194.875
Jan. 19	at Georgia (SEC Network+) .....	L, 196.375-196.725
Jan. 26	Kentucky (SEC Network) .....	L, 196.250-196.700
Feb. 2	Florida (SEC Network) .....	L, 197.000-197.400
Feb. 9	at Arkansas (SEC Network+).....	L, 194.875-196.750
Feb. 11	Auburn .....	196.500
	Pittsburgh.....	196.100
	N.C. State .....	195.925
	at Texas Woman's.....	195.200
Feb. 16	Rutgers (SEC Network+) .....	W, 196.575-194.225
Feb. 23	Alabama (SEC Network).....	L, 195.400-197.300
Mar. 4	at LSU (SEC Network).....	L, 195.625-198.100
Mar. 9	vs. Alabama (Huntsville, Ala.) .....	L, 196.900-197.300
Mar. 24	SEC Championship (SEC Network) .....	8th, 195.650
Apr. 7	NCAA Salt Lake City Regional .....	3rd, 196.525
Apr. 20-21	NCAA Championships .....	All Day

**Team Notes**

The No. 16 Auburn gymnastics team faced a tough test at the NCAA Salt Lake City Regional, finishing third overall with a 196.525 in the Huntsman Center on the campus of the University of Utah. The Tigers were just .200 out of second as California edged Auburn with a 196.725. Utah won the meet with a 197.475. BYU finished in fourth (196.3), Stanford fifth (195.6), and Southern Utah was sixth (194.625). Three Tigers advanced to the NCAA Championship in St. Louis (April 20-21) as individuals in redshirt junior Abby Milliet, junior Samantha Cerio, and freshman Drew Watson. Milliet came in a tie for first on beam, Cerio a tie for first on bars, and Watson captured the overall vault title. The Tyler, Texas, product also advanced in the all-around as Watson finished fourth with a career-best 39.425. Auburn opened the meet with a solid performance on floor, scoring a 49.325. That total was the second-highest by an Auburn floor squad at the regional meet in program history. Milliet and sophomore Gracie Day led the team with a pair of 9.9s. Redshirt sophomore Emma Slappey added a 9.875, while Watson put together a 9.85. Freshman Ashley Smith led off with a 9.8. Watson guided the Tigers in the third rotation as the team earned a 49.025 on vault. Watson's 9.925 came in first overall and tied her career high. Classmate Jada Glenn finished with 9.825, while sophomore A'Miracal Phillips had a 9.775. Sophomore Katie Becker and Day each added a 9.75. After a bye, the Tigers moved on to bars and finished with a 49.075. Cerio led the team with a 9.9, tying a season best. Watson and Day followed with a pair of 9.85s, while sophomore Kendal Moss opened up with a 9.75. Junior Taylor Krippner added a 9.725 for the team. Auburn capped the meet on beam with a 49.1. Milliet's 9.925 came in a tie for first and tied her career best, earning a 10.0 from one judge. Freshman Meredith Sylvia tied her career high with a 9.85, while Watson set a career best with a 9.8. Freshman Allie Riddle led off with a 9.775 and Slappey chipped in a 9.75.

**Florida Gators**

18-4, 5-2 SEC  
(4-1 Home, 5-1 Away, 9-2 Neutral)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Time (ET)/Score</u>
Jan. 5	at West Virginia.....	W, 195.900-194.425
Jan. 12	LSU (SEC Network) .....	L, 197.125-197.250
Jan. 19	at Kentucky (SEC Network) .....	W, 196.325-195.950
Jan. 26	Oklahoma (SEC Network+).....	W, 198.150-198.125
Feb. 2	at Auburn (SEC Network).....	W, 197.400-197.000
Feb. 9	Alabama (SEC Network).....	W, 197.850-197.075
Feb. 16	at Georgia (SEC Network) .....	W, 196.950-196.125
Feb. 23	Arkansas (SEC Network+).....	W, 197.725-196.875
Mar. 2	at Missouri (SEC Network+) .....	L, 196.700-196.925
Mar. 9	Nebraska (SEC Network+) .....	W, 197.925-196.700
Mar. 18	SEC Championship (ESPN2).....	3rd, 196.825
Apr. 7	NCAA University Park Regional .....	1st, 197.725
Apr. 20-21	NCAA Championships .....	All Day

**Team Notes**

The Florida gymnastics team is off to the NCAA Championships after winning the University Park Regional title in front of 2,755 at Penn State's Rec Hall. The Gators turned in a 197.725 for the team's seventh consecutive NCAA Regional title. Washington claimed the other berth at 196.275. Arizona State was third at 195.75, followed by New Hampshire (194.95), Penn State (194.900) and West Virginia (194.40). Senior Alex McMurtry won three event titles, including her second all-around title of 2018. Her winning all-around total of 39.725 is just a tenth away from the school record (39.825) she shares with Bridget Sloan and Alaina Johnson. The Gators put together a complete meet, with the top Gator score on each event taking the regional title. Florida opened the meet on the two power events – floor exercise and vault. A solid floor set led by All-Americans Alicia Boren and Rachel Slocum's 9.90 gave the Gators a 49.325 for their opening event. The Gators looked sharp on vault, with the final three posting marks of 9.90 or better – Boren (9.90), Alex McMurtry (9.925) and Rachel Slocum (9.95). Florida's 49.50 equals the team's third-highest uneven bars total this season. Three turned in marks of 9.90 or better – Megan Skaggs (9.90), Rachel Gowey (9.90) and McMurtry (9.975). The Gators closed the meet on balance beam, again turning in a 49.50. A trio of Gators earned scores of 9.90 or better – Boren (9.90), Gowey (9.925) and McMurtry (9.95).

**Georgia Gym Dogs**

10-15, 3-4 SEC  
(3-3 Home, 1-4 Away, 6-8 Neutral)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Time (ET)/Score</u>
Jan. 12	at Alabama (SEC Network).....	L, 194.525-196.525
Jan. 15	Oklahoma (SEC Network+).....	L, 196.600-197.550
Jan. 19	Auburn (SEC Network+).....	W, 196.725-196.375
Jan. 26	at Arkansas (SEC Network).....	L, 196.125-197.175
Feb. 3	Missouri (SEC Network).....	W, 197.000-195.850
Feb. 9	at Kentucky (SEC Network+).....	W, 196.150-195.550
Feb. 16	Florida (SEC Network).....	L, 196.125-196.950
Feb. 23	LSU (SEC Network).....	L, 196.725-197.575
Mar. 2	Elevate the Stage (Augusta, Ga.)	
	Nebraska.....	196.700
	Stanford.....	195.925
	Illinois.....	195.900
	Georgia.....	195.825
Mar. 10	Boise State (SEC Network+).....	W, 197.525-196.625
Mar. 16	at Utah.....	L, 196.350-198.150
Mar. 24	SEC Championship (SEC Network).....	6th, 196.350
Apr. 7	NCAA Tuscaloosa Regional.....	2nd, 196.500
Apr. 20-21	NCAA Championships.....	All Day

**Team Notes**

The Georgia gymnastics team claimed a spot in the NCAA Gymnastics Championship with a second-place finish in the Tuscaloosa regional. The 18th-ranked GymDogs finished with a 196.500 score, trailing only No. 6 Alabama with 197.225. Georgia defeated No. 7 Michigan, No. 22 Missouri, No. 23 Illinois and No. 36 Central Michigan in the six-team meet. Sophomore Sabrina Vega led the charge, tying for first place on floor with a 9.90. On the final performance of the night, her fourth-best score of the meet on beam (9.875) moved the GymDogs into second place to seal the berth to the championship. Junior Sydney Snead finished second in the All-Around competition with a score of 39.475. Joined by freshman Marissa Oakley, Snead also tied for second on bars with a 9.925. After a bye in the first rotation, the GymDogs posted a 48.950 on floor, highlighted by Vega's 9.90. Georgia continued into vault, posting a 49.025 for a total of 97.975, before heading into the GymDogs' second bye. Then, the Georgia scores exploded on bars. The 49.350 total was propelled by a 9.850 from freshman Emily Schild and a 9.875 senior Natalie Vaculik before Snead and Oakley lifted the GymDogs into the final rotation with top scores of 9.925. To secure a spot in the NCAA Championships, the GymDogs used consistent performances on beam, led by Snead (9.85), Dickson (9.85) and Schild (9.825). Before a 9.775 from Oakley, Vega saved the best for last, posting a 9.875 to advance Georgia and surpass Illinois and Michigan.

**Kentucky Wildcats**

19-8, 3-4 SEC  
(5-2 Home, 5-2 Away, 9-4 Neutral)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Time (ET)/Score</u>
Jan. 5	Kentucky (SEC Network+).....	196.075
	Ball State.....	194.475
	George Washington.....	193.775
	Southeast Missouri.....	189.675
Jan. 12	at Arkansas (SEC Network+).....	W, 196.950-196.525
Jan. 19	Florida (SEC Network).....	L, 195.950-196.325
Jan. 26	at Auburn (SEC Network).....	W, 196.700-196.250
Feb. 2	at LSU (SEC Network).....	L, 196.700-197.225
Feb. 9	Georgia (SEC Network+).....	L, 195.550-196.150
Feb. 16	at Alabama (SEC Network).....	L, 196.375-196.925
Feb. 23	Missouri (SEC Network+).....	W, 197.100-195.125
Mar. 2	Ohio State (SEC Network+).....	W, 196.850-195.725
Mar. 11	New Hampshire Quad Meet (Durham, N.H.)	
	Kentucky.....	196.800
	New Hampshire.....	196.425
	Yale.....	194.675
	Brown.....	193.525
Mar. 14	at Illinois State.....	W, 196.025-193.100
Mar. 24	SEC Championship (ESPN2).....	4th, 196.550
Apr. 7	NCAA Minneapolis Regional.....	2nd, 197.050
Apr. 20-21	NCAA Championships.....	All Day

**Team Notes**

After scoring above 197 for the fourth time ever, the Kentucky gymnastics team made history. UK posted a 197.050, sending them to the National Semifinals for the first time in program history. Oklahoma finished first in the regional, while UK defeated Denver, Iowa, Iowa State and Minnesota. The Wildcats went into the final rotation down .150 to Denver. UK responded with a 49.400 on the bars, pushing past the Pioneers to send UK to St. Louis. Kentucky started the six team event on the beam and went 49.025. Junior Sidney Dukes led the way on the beam with a 9.9, good for a third place finish in the event. Junior Alex Hyland followed with a 9.875, finishing sixth. Mollie Korth went 9.8, while senior Cori Rechenmacher and sophomore Hailey Poland rounded out the scoring with 9.725s. Katie Stuart started things off for the Wildcats and posted a 9.65. Kentucky had a bye before heading to the floor. UK tied its postseason high floor score with a 49.400. Hyland scored a 9.9, good for fourth, while Poland, Cori Rechenmacher, Dukes and Korth finished off the scoring with 9.875s. Rechenmacher and Poland both tied their career highs in that event. UK moved to the vault, where they scored a 49.225. Korth and Hyland paced the Cats with scores of 9.9s. Junior Danaea Davis went 9.85, and sophomore Alaina Kwan posted a 9.825 in her second competitive vault of the season. Dukes rounded out the scoring with a 9.75. With their backs against the walls, UK went to the bars, and pulled out an impressive 49.400. Korth, Coca and Warren all pulled out 9.9s, with Warren's being a career high. Hyland went 9.875, and Stuart rounded out the scoring. Kentucky had two in the all-around competition. Alex Hyland tied for second with a 39.550. Mollie Korth finished sixth with a 39.475.

**LSU Tigers**

27-1, 7-0 SEC  
(6-0 Home, 5-0 Away, 16-1 Neutral)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Time (CT)/Score</u>
Jan. 5	Arkansas (SEC Network).....	W, 197.250-197.125
Jan. 12	at Florida (SEC Network).....	W, 197.250-197.125
Jan. 19	Alabama (SEC Network).....	W, 197.450-196.725
Jan. 27	Metroplex Challenge (Fort Worth, Texas)	
	UCLA .....	197.625
	LSU .....	197.375
	Washington.....	196.525
	vs. N.C. State .....	195.825
Feb. 2	Kentucky (SEC Network).....	W, 197.225-196.700
Feb. 9	at Missouri (SEC Network).....	W, 197.150-196.375
Feb. 16	Mardi Gras Invitational (St. Charles, Mo.)	
	LSU .....	198.075
	Missouri .....	196.025
	George Washington .....	195.650
	Arkansas.....	195.575
Feb. 18	Texas Woman's (SEC Network+).....	W, 198.175-194.200
Feb. 23	at Georgia (SEC Network).....	W, 197.575-196.725
Mar. 4	Auburn (SEC Network).....	W, 198.100-195.625
Mar. 9	at N.C. State (ESPN3).....	W, 197.575-196.100
Mar. 17	Arizona (SEC Network+).....	W, 198.125-195.525
Mar. 24	SEC Championship (ESPN2).....	1st, 197.400
Apr. 7	NCAA Raleigh Regional .....	1st, 197.675
Apr. 20-21	NCAA Championships .....	All Day

**Team Notes**

The second-ranked LSU gymnastics team took down five teams and posted a team score of 197.675 to capture the NCAA Raleigh Regional and secure the program's 29th NCAA Championships appearance. The Tigers moved to 27-1 overall after posting the highest road score in a regional in school history. The regional win marked the 17th overall for LSU and sixth-straight NCAA Regional title. Senior Myia Hambrick and junior Sarah Finnegan won the all-around title with score of 39.625. LSU's Hambrick and Edney took home the vault title, Hambrick won the beam title, and Finnegan secured the floor title. The Tigers opened with a strong showing on floor with Finnegan leading the way for LSU's 49.350 with a 9.95 of her own. Freshman Christina Desiderio scored a 9.80 in her first NCAA appearance. Lexie Priessman and Edney each followed with a 9.85. Finnegan 9.95 and Hambrick's 9.90 closed out the opening rotation. LSU moved on to vault and put up the second-highest score of the season with a 49.450. Finnegan opened with a 9.85 and the Tigers counted a 9.80 from Ruby Harrold in the third spot. The lineup then closed out the second rotation with three stone-cold sticks in a row. Julianna Cannamela matched her career high with a 9.90 and Hambrick and Edney each followed with 9.95s on their Yurchenko 1 ½ vault. LSU followed after the bye and continued its strong afternoon with a 49.375 on bars. In the opening three performances, freshman Sami Durante posted a 9.80, Hambrick added a 9.85 and Harrold scored a 9.825. Edney also posted a 9.825 and Priessman put up an outstanding 9.95. Finnegan closed out the rotation with a 9.295. With Nebraska square on its heels, LSU's beam lineup left no doubt with a 49.500 for the program's highest NCAA Regional beam score away from Baton Rouge ever. Seniors Erin Macadaeg and Hambrick set the pace with scores of 9.875 and 9.925. Edney and Desiderio followed with scores of 9.90 and freshman Regan Campbell also earned a 9.85. Finnegan sealed the win for the Tigers with a 9.90.

**Missouri Tigers**

11-17, 2-5 SEC  
(4-1 Home, 1-6 Away, 6-10 Neutral)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Time (CT)/Score</u>
Jan. 12	at Auburn (SEC Network+).....	L, 194.875-196.625
Jan. 19	Arkansas (SEC Network+).....	W, 196.325-196.150
Jan. 26	at Alabama (SEC Network+).....	L, 194.525-195.850
Feb. 3	at Georgia (SEC Network).....	L, 195.850-197.000
Feb. 9	LSU (SEC Network).....	L, 196.375-197.150
Feb. 16	Mardi Gras Invitational (St. Charles, Mo.)	
	LSU .....	198.075
	Missouri .....	196.025
	George Washington .....	195.650
	Arkansas.....	195.575
Feb. 23	at Kentucky (SEC Network+).....	L, 195.125-197.100
Feb. 25	Missouri .....	196.625
	at Illinois.....	195.400
	Illinois-Chicago.....	194.100
Mar. 2	Florida (SEC Network+).....	W, 196.925-196.700
Mar. 9	at Iowa State .....	196.700
	Missouri .....	196.050
	Iowa .....	195.600
Mar. 16	State of Missouri Meet (Columbia, Mo.)	
	Missouri .....	196.800
	Lindenwood .....	195.200
	Southeast Missouri State .....	192.500
Mar. 24	SEC Championship (SEC Network).....	7th, 196.100
Apr. 7	NCAA Tuscaloosa Regional.....	5th, 196.100

**Team Notes**

The Missouri gymnastics team scored a 196.100 to finish fifth at the 2018 NCAA Tuscaloosa Regional. Alabama (197.225) and Georgia (196.500) claimed the top two spots to earn trips to the 2018 NCAA Women's Gymnastics National Championships. Illinois (196.425) placed third, followed by Michigan (196.350) in fourth and Central Michigan (195.825) finished sixth. Junior Britney Ward placed second overall on balance beam with a 9.900, only a quarter of a tenth away from the event title and an individual spot at the NCAA Championships. The 196.100 tied for the second-highest regional score in program history, joining totals from the 2017 and 2015 squads. After opening the meet on a bye, the Tigers put up a 49.075 on bars in the second rotation. Junior Madeleine Huber hit for a team-high 9.900 in the anchor position, while three other Tigers scored 9.800s, seniors Tia Allbritten and Shauna Miller and sophomore Aspen Tucker. Allbritten's score marked a career-high. A 9.900 led the way again for Mizzou in the third rotation on beam, this time from Ward. Including Ward, four Tigers went 9.800 or higher on the event. Junior Brooke Kelly scored a 9.850, Allbritten went 9.825 and Bower posted a 9.800. In the fifth rotation, Missouri totaled a 49.000 on the floor exercise. Senior Kennedy Harris and Tucker both scored 9.850s, which were team-highs. Bower added a 9.800 from the leadoff position. Mizzou closed the meet with a 48.975 on vault. Ward again led the way with a 9.875, just off her season-best score. Redshirt junior Morgan Porter posted a 9.800, and Harris and Tucker added 9.775s.

**2018 Team Statistics**

<b>Team Totals</b>				
<u>Rank</u>	<u>Team</u>	<u>Team RQS</u>	<u>Avg.</u>	<u>High</u>
1.	LSU.....	197.890.....	197.587.....	198.175
2.	Florida.....	197.390.....	197.170.....	198.150
3.	Alabama.....	197.165.....	196.835.....	197.525
4.	Arkansas.....	196.820.....	196.454.....	197.300
5.	Kentucky.....	196.800.....	196.469.....	197.100
6.	Auburn.....	196.595.....	195.977.....	197.000
7.	Georgia.....	196.515.....	196.335.....	197.525
8.	Missouri.....	196.390.....	195.967.....	196.925

<b>Balance Beam</b>				
<u>Rank</u>	<u>Team</u>	<u>Team RQS</u>	<u>Avg.</u>	<u>High</u>
1.	LSU.....	49.475.....	49.354.....	49.725
2.	Florida.....	49.440.....	49.291.....	49.675
3.	Alabama.....	49.360.....	49.169.....	49.450
4.	Kentucky.....	49.295.....	49.046.....	49.350
5.	Arkansas.....	49.285.....	49.167.....	49.425
6.	Georgia.....	49.210.....	49.071.....	49.375
7.	Auburn.....	49.200.....	48.969.....	49.300
8.	Missouri.....	49.155.....	48.946.....	49.375

<b>Vault</b>				
<u>Rank</u>	<u>Team</u>	<u>Team RQS</u>	<u>Avg.</u>	<u>High</u>
1.	Florida.....	49.445.....	49.345.....	49.525
2.	LSU.....	49.400.....	49.337.....	49.525
3.	Alabama.....	49.285.....	49.129.....	49.300
4.	Kentucky.....	49.200.....	49.121.....	49.300
5.	Auburn.....	49.155.....	49.052.....	49.350
6.	Georgia.....	49.125.....	48.998.....	49.350
7.	Missouri.....	49.090.....	49.000.....	49.250
8.	Arkansas.....	49.055.....	49.002.....	49.200

<b>Floor Exercise</b>				
<u>Rank</u>	<u>Team</u>	<u>Team RQS</u>	<u>Avg.</u>	<u>High</u>
1.	LSU.....	49.540.....	49.429.....	49.700
2.	Florida.....	49.420.....	49.173.....	49.625
T3.	Alabama.....	49.315.....	49.238.....	49.575
T3.	Kentucky.....	49.315.....	49.238.....	49.425
5.	Georgia.....	49.290.....	49.175.....	49.525
6.	Arkansas.....	49.265.....	49.092.....	49.475
7.	Missouri.....	49.240.....	49.038.....	49.375
8.	Auburn.....	49.215.....	49.002.....	49.375

<b>Uneven Bars</b>				
<u>Rank</u>	<u>Team</u>	<u>Team RQS</u>	<u>Avg.</u>	<u>High</u>
1.	LSU.....	49.580.....	49.467.....	49.750
2.	Florida.....	49.470.....	49.361.....	49.575
3.	Alabama.....	49.415.....	49.300.....	49.550
4.	Arkansas.....	49.340.....	49.194.....	49.575
5.	Kentucky.....	49.245.....	49.065.....	49.300
6.	Georgia.....	49.215.....	49.092.....	49.425
7.	Auburn.....	49.205.....	48.954.....	49.400
8.	Missouri.....	49.140.....	48.983.....	49.275



**2018 Individual Statistics**

**All Around**

<u>Rank</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>RQS</u>	<u>Avg.</u>	<u>High</u>
1.	Sarah Finnegan, LSU	39.645	39.593	39.775
2.	Myia Hambrick, LSU	39.615	39.491	39.725
3.	Alicia Boren, UF	39.535	39.491	39.600
4.	Kennedi Edney, LSU	39.530	39.320	39.775
5.	Mollie Korth, UK	39.475	39.225	39.625
6.	Sydney Snead, UG	39.465	39.277	39.525
7.	Rachel Dickson, UG	39.435	39.152	39.625
8.	Alex Hyland, UK	39.425	39.367	39.575
9.	Sarah Shaffer, ARK	39.310	38.975	39.500
10.	Jessica Yamzon, ARK	39.255	39.148	39.425
11.	Aspen Tucker, MO	39.240	39.060	39.350

**Vault**

<u>Rank</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>RQS</u>	<u>Avg.</u>	<u>High</u>
1.	Alex McMurtry, UF	9.955	9.941	10.000
2.	Rachel Slocum, UF	9.910	9.730	9.950
T3.	Myia Hambrick, LSU	9.905	9.833	9.950
T3.	Nickie Guerrero, UA	9.905	9.881	9.950
T5.	Mollie Korth, UK	9.900	9.865	9.950
T5.	Kennedi Edney, LSU	9.900	9.875	9.950
T7.	Gracie Day, AU	9.890	9.856	9.925
T7.	Braie Speed, ARK	9.890	9.875	9.925
T9.	Drew Watson, AU	9.885	9.812	9.925
T9.	Sarah Finnegan, LSU	9.885	9.862	9.900

**Uneven Bars**

<u>Rank</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>RQS</u>	<u>Avg.</u>	<u>High</u>
T1.	Sarah Finnegan, LSU	9.960	9.923	10.000
T1.	Alex McMurtry, UF	9.960	9.930	9.975
3.	Lexie Priessman, LSU	9.950	9.912	9.975
4.	Kiana Winston, UA	9.920	9.890	9.925
T5.	Kennedi Edney, LSU	9.915	9.865	9.975
T5.	Myia Hambrick, LSU	9.915	9.900	9.975
T7.	Mollie Korth, UK	9.905	9.694	9.925
T7.	Amelia Hundley, UF	9.905	9.873	9.925
9.	Braie Speed, Arkansas	9.900	9.862	9.950
10.	Samantha Cerio, AU	9.890	9.850	9.900

**Balance Beam**

<u>Rank</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>RQS</u>	<u>Avg.</u>	<u>High</u>
1.	Sarah Finnegan, LSU	9.940	9.906	10.000
2.	Nickie Guerrero, UA	9.930	9.883	9.950
T3.	Alex McMurtry, UF	9.925	9.766	10.000
T3.	Myia Hambrick, LSU	9.925	9.894	9.950
T5.	Alicia Boren, UF	9.920	9.886	9.925
T5.	Alyssa Baumann, UF	9.920	9.870	9.975
7.	Rachel Govey, UF	9.915	9.832	9.950
8.	Britney Ward, MO	9.910	9.804	9.950
T9.	Abby Milliet, AU	9.900	9.760	9.925
T9.	Sophia Carter, ARK	9.900	9.823	9.975
T9.	Kiana Winston, UA	9.900	9.871	9.950
T9.	Christina Desiderio, LSU	9.900	9.871	9.950

**Floor Exercise**

<u>Rank</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>RQS</u>	<u>Avg.</u>	<u>High</u>
1.	Myia Hambrick, LSU	9.970	9.873	10.000
2.	Sarah Finnegan, LSU	9.935	9.909	10.000
T3.	Alicia Boren, UF	9.930	9.907	9.950
T3.	Kennedi Edney, LSU	9.930	9.834	9.975
5.	Nickie Guerrero, UA	9.915	9.881	9.950
6.	Sabrina Vega, UG	9.910	9.892	9.975
T7.	Kiana Winston, UA	9.905	9.843	9.950
T7.	Sidney Dukes, UK	9.905	9.871	9.925
T7.	Sarah Shaffer, ARK	9.905	9.860	9.950
T10.	Sydney Snead, UG	9.900	9.756	10.000
T10.	Alyssa Baumann, UF	9.900	9.861	9.925