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[Link to Baker Wildcat's website: bakerwildcats.com](http://bakerwildcats.com)

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BAKER UNIVERSITY QUICK FACTS

**QUICK FACTS**

**Location:** Baldwin City, KS  
**Enrollment:**  
- Total University (4,000)  
- Baldwin City (893)  
**Founded:** 1858  
**Nickname:** Wildcats  
**Color(s):** Orange  
**Conference:** Heart of America Athletic Conference  
**Religious Affiliation:** Methodist  
**President:** Dr. Pat Long  
**Athletic Director:** Theresa Yetmar  
**Athletic Website:** www.bakerwildcats.com  
**Athletic Office Phone:** (785) 594-8343  
**Fax(es):**  
- Athletics: (785) 594-8377

**MAILING ADDRESS**  
Baker University  
Athletics Department  
618 8th St.  
Baldwin City, KS 66006-0065

**EMERGENCY PHONE LIST**  
**Ambulance:** 911  
**Fire:** 911  
**Medical:** 911

**NON-EMERGENCY NUMBERS**  
**Police Departments**  
Baldwin City Police: (785) 594-3850  
Non-Emergency After-Hours: (785) 843-0250  
Campus Security: (785) 594-8430

**Fire Department**  
Baldwin City Fire: (785) 594-3678

**Lawrence Memorial Hospital**  
3500 Clinton Parkway  
Lawrence, KS  
(785)-505-5000

**Olathe Medical Center**  
20333 West 151st St  
Olathe, KS  
(913) 791-4200

**INTERCOLLEGiate SPORTS**  
Baseball  
Basketball (Men & Women)  
Bowling (Women)  
Cross Country (Men & Women)  
Football  
Golf (Men & Women)  
Soccer (Men & Women)  
Softball  
Spirit Squad  
Tennis (Men & Women)  
Track & Field (Men & Women)  
Volleyball  
Wrestling

**GYMNasiUMs, FIELDs & STADIUMs**  
**Baseball**  
- Sauder Field (Grass) (500)  
**Basketball/Volleyball/Wrestling**  
- George F. Collins, Jr. Sports & Convention Center (1,200)  
**Football**  
- Emil S. Liston Stadium (2,500)  
  Surface: FieldTurf  
**Soccer**  
2 locations  
- North Park (Grass)  
- Emil S. Liston Stadium (Turf)  
**Softball**  
- Cavaness Field (Grass)  
**Tennis**  
- Laury Tennis Courts: 4 (Lighted)  
**Track, Outdoor**  
Liston Stadium  
Surface: 8-lane system polyurethane rubber

**CLIMATE (in Fahrenheit)**  
Annual Average Temperature: 65  
Annual Average High Temperature: 67  
Annual Average Low Temperature: 46  
January Average High: 39/Low: 20  
July Average High: 91/Low: 70  
Annual Average Snowfall: 17.6”  
Annual Average Precipitation: 40”
ATHLETIC DIRECTORY

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ATHLETIC FACILITIES

Emil S. Liston Stadium

Football, Men’s & Women’s Soccer, Track & Field

Just a few blocks east of Baker’s Baldwin City campus lies Liston Stadium, home for Wildcat football, track and field, and soccer. The eight-lane track has a rubber all-weather surface. The Field Turf infield simulates the playing conditions of real grass. Liston Stadium was built during the mid-1930s by a group of 30 young men trading labor for tuition money. The University planned to build a stadium in memory of 13 Baker alumni who lost their lives in World War I, but no funds were available. Legendary athletic figure Emil Liston came up with the plan to offer a college education for labor. Though many of the workers were inexperienced, they compensated with pride and the finished product was described in the Kansas City Star as one of the finest stadiums in the Midwest. Plaques honoring the 13 fallen soldiers adorn the pillars on the west side of the stadium’s stone wall.

Football Contacts
Head Coach:
Mike Grossner
(785) 594-8462

Assistant Coaches:
Jason Thoren (785) 594-8459
Miguel Regalado (785) 594-8343
Gerald Aligo (785) 594-8463
Bruce Young (785) 594-8474
Kendall Bradley (785) 594-8474

Graduate Assistant:
Caleb Blakesley

Track & Field Contacts
Head Coach:
Zach Kindler (785) 594-4580

Assistant Coaches:
Mackie Valentin (785) 594-4580

Graduate Assistants:
North Park Soccer Complex - Men’s & Women’s Soccer
In addition to the field at Liston Stadium, the soccer team also trains and hosts games on the grass field at North Park located less than a mile north of campus.

Men’s & Women’s Soccer Contacts
Head Coach:
Nate Houser (785) 594-8444

Assistant Coaches:
Davy Phillips (785) 594-8444
Sara Matthews (785) 594-8444

Charlie Richard Outdoor Sports Complex
Sauder Baseball Field - Baseball
West across Second Street from historic A.B. Cavaness Field and Emil S. Liston Stadium is Baker's versatile Charlie Richard Outdoor Sports Facility. The parcel is home to Sauder Field and the football practice field and also hosts field events during track and field season. It is named after Baker’s most successful football coach.

Baseball Contacts
Head Coach:
Phil Hannon (785) 594-8493

Assistant Coach:
Shane Miles (785) 594-8493

Cavaness Softball Field - Softball
A.B. Cavaness, one of Kansas’ outstanding poets and a member of the school's first graduating class in 1866, presented the ground where Liston Stadium and the softball field now sits in Baldwin City between First and Second streets and High and Grove streets. The softball stadium is now known as Cavaness Field. The left-field wall borders Liston Stadium and part of Liston’s historic stone wall extends down Cavaness Field's left fence.

Softball Contacts
Head Coach:
Matt Windle (785) 594-4567

Assistant Coaches:
Manny Carmona (785) 594-4567

Graduate Assistant Coach:
Jamie Stanclift
George F. Collins, Jr. Sports & Convention Center-Men’s & Women’s Basketball, Volleyball, Wrestling

The home of Baker's indoor athletic teams was completed in 1985 just in time for basketball season. The Collins Center can seat up to 1,800 spectators and is home to the Wildcat volleyball team, spirit squad, men's and women's basketball teams and wrestling team. It also houses coaching offices for football, women's soccer, volleyball and men and women's basketball, four racquetball courts, Markham Conference Room, a jogging track and the Baker Athletic Hall of Fame. It hosts several University and community events, including Baker's commencement ceremonies.

Men’s Basketball Contacts
Head Coach:
Sean Dooley (785) 594-8422

Assistant Coaches:
Terry Zerr (785) 594-8422

Graduate Assistant Coach:
Connor Bechard

Women’s Basketball Contacts
Head Coach:
Ben Lister (785) 594-8344

Assistant Coach:
Murray Knox (785) 594-8344

Volleyball Contacts
Head Coach:
Kathy Allen (785) 594-8455

Assistant Coaches:
Matt Windle (785) 594-4567

Graduate Assistant Coach:
Christina Anderson (785) 594-8455

Wrestling Contacts
Head Coach:
Pete Di Pol (785) 594-4525

Assistant Coaches:
George Roath III (785) 594-4525
Levi Calhoun (785) 594-4525
Alvamar Golf Course- Men's & Women's Golf
Baker's home course is the Alvamar Golf Club in nearby Lawrence. Noted architect, Bob Dunning, designed the course, which is characterized by large-scale greens, tees and flowing fairways.

Golf Contacts
Head Coach:
Dr. Karen Exon (785) 594-8489

Baldwin City Golf Course- Men's & Women's Cross Country
Baker holds the Maple Leaf Invitational on its home course at the Baldwin City Golf Course. The team also trains on the course, which features gently rolling hills and excellent footing.

Cross Country Contacts
Head Coach:
Zach Kindler (785) 594-4580

Assistant Coaches:
Mackie Valentin (785) 594-4580

Graduate Assistants:
Laury Tennis Courts-Men’s & Women’s Tennis
The Baker tennis teams train and host tournaments on the Laury Tennis Courts at the corner of Sixth and Grove streets.

Tennis Contacts
Head Coach: Joe Ahmadian (785) 594-8438
Assistant Coaches: Keith Pipkin (785) 594-8438

Royal Crest Lanes-Women’s Bowling
The Baker Bowling Team practices and hosts the annual Sunflower Classic at Royal Crest Lanes, located at 933 Iowa Street in Lawrence, KS.

Bowling Contacts
Head Coach: Cheryl Keslar (785) 594-4557
From Kansas City
Take I-35 south to the Gardner exit (Exit 210). Follow US-56 to Baldwin City (about 15 miles).

From Wichita
Take I-35 to the Ottawa exit (Exit 183). Proceed north on highway 59 to the junction of 59 and highway 56 (about 10 miles). Go east on 56 to Baldwin City (about 5 miles).

From Lawrence
Take highway 59 south to the junction of Highways 59 and 56 (about 10 miles). Go east on 56 to Baldwin City (about 5 miles)
## Baldwin City

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<td>516 Ames</td>
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<td>717 8th St.</td>
<td>(785) 594-3308</td>
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<td>519 Ames</td>
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<td>522 Ames</td>
<td>(785) 594-2589</td>
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<td>Mr. Goodcents Subs &amp; Pastas</td>
<td>912 Ames</td>
<td>(785) 594-2399</td>
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<td>Pizza Hut</td>
<td>130 Highway 56</td>
<td>(785) 594-3230</td>
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<td>415 Ames</td>
<td>(785) 594-7561</td>
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<td>(785) 594-2208</td>
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<td>Wooden Spoke Restaurant</td>
<td>203 1st St.</td>
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<td>Moni’s Seafood &amp; Barbecue</td>
<td>711 High Street</td>
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## Lawrence

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<td>(785) 832-8338</td>
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<td>Bigg’s BBQ</td>
<td>2429 Iowa</td>
<td>(785) 856-2550</td>
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<td>Chili’s Grill &amp; Bar</td>
<td>2319 Iowa</td>
<td>(785) 331-3700</td>
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<td>Cici’s Pizza</td>
<td>2020 W. 23rd St. #A</td>
<td>(785) 832-1110</td>
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<td>Culver’s</td>
<td>2111 W. 33rd St.</td>
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<td>3140 Iowa.</td>
<td>(785) 842-5600</td>
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<td>King Buffet- Chinese Buffet</td>
<td>1601 W. 23rd St. #104</td>
<td>(785) 749-4888</td>
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<td>IHOP</td>
<td>3102 Iowa</td>
<td>(785) 842-6462</td>
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<td>On The Border</td>
<td>3080 Iowa</td>
<td>(785) 371-4075</td>
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<td>Steak ’n Shake</td>
<td>3111 Nieder Rd.</td>
<td>(785) 865-0100</td>
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<td>Quizno’s Subs</td>
<td>2540 Iowa</td>
<td>(785) 865-4032</td>
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HOTELS

**BALDWIN CITY**

Baldwin City Lodge  
502 Ames  
(785) 594-3900

**OTTAWA**

Comfort Inn  
2335 Oak  
(785) 242-9898

Super 8  
2315 S. Oak  
(785) 242-5551

Knights Inn  
1641 S. Main St.  
(785) 242-4842

**LAWRENCE**

The Oread  
1200 Oread Avenue  
(785) 843-1200

Holiday Inn Holidome  
3411 Iowa  
(785) 749-7555

Best Western  
2309 Iowa  
(785) 749-7555

Baymont Inn and Suites  
740 Iowa  
(785) 838-4242

Quality Inn  
801 Iowa  
(785) 842-51

Econo Lodge  
2525 W. 6th St.  
(785) 841-8410

Super 8  
515 McDonald Dr.  
(785) 842-5721