

2004 UIC FLAMES BASEBALL

Les Miller Field - Home of the UIC Flames

UIC's baseball home, Les Miller Field, was completed in the spring of 1996 with the first official game, taking place on May 4, 1996 against the Wright State Raiders. The field is named after former baseball coach, Les Miller, who coached at UIC for 31 years, from 1949-1979, and compiled over 500 wins and numerous championships and tournament titles.

Located south of the Physical Education Building at 901 W. Roosevelt Road, Les Miller Field is the newest baseball complex in the Chicagoland area. The lighted facility, which offers a breathtaking view of the Chicago skyline, also features an enclosed, working press box, permanent seating for 1,000 spectators, an inning-by-inning scoreboard, a concession stand and heated restrooms. There is also ample parking just southeast of the field.

The dugouts have padded seating and back rests put in as well as storage under the benches and individual shelving space. A fan berm has also been installed down the right field line, for additional seating.

Recent additions to the field include an all-brick backstop, complete with a 30-foot net, which is reminiscent of Wrigley Field, home of the Chicago Cubs. The chain-link outfield fence has been replaced with a solid wood fence. The fence will be painted with the UIC school colors, which is Navy Blue and Fire Engine Red trim.

Field dimensions are 325 feet down the left and right field lines, 395 feet to straight away center field and 375 feet in the gaps.

The site of the MCC Baseball Championships in 1998, 1999 and 2001, Les Miller Field has also made a name for itself as it has hosted the National Amateur All-Star Baseball Tournament on two occasions. The field was also used for a filming of the hit



LES MILLER FIELD SINGLE-GAME RECORDS (as of 2003)

Team Hitting

Runs: 28, UIC vs. Trinity International (4/16/03)
Hits: 26, UIC vs. Wright State (4/9/00)
Home Runs: 6, UIC vs. Cleveland State (4/7/01)
Doubles: 10, UIC vs. Illinois Tech (3/29/99)
Triples: 2, three times, last by UIC vs. Lakeland (5/6/03)
Strikeouts: 17, two times, last by Viterbo vs. UIC (3/30/02)
Walks: 14, UIC vs. Trinity International (4/16/03)
Stolen Bases: 5, four, last by UIC vs. Youngstown State (4/6/03)

Individual Hitting

Hits: 7, Eric Duke (UIC) vs. Illinois Tech (3/29/99)
At-bats: 7, five times, last by Jordan DeVoir (UIC) vs. Trinity International (4/16/03)
Home Runs: 2, nine times, last by Chuck Peters (UIC) vs. IPFW (4/27/03)
RBI: 7, Chris Kerpan (UIC) vs. Trinity International (4/16/03)
Doubles: 3, four times, last by Chris Kerpan (UIC) vs. Trinity International (4/16/03)
Triples: 2, Jordan DeVoir (UIC) vs. Youngstown State (4/5/03)
Runs: 4, five times, last by Nelson Gord (UIC) vs. Trinity International (4/16/03)
Stolen Bases: 3, Todd Kein (UIC) vs. IUPUI (4/20/97)
Walks: 3, seven times, last by J.P. Carey (UIC), vs. Chicago (4/10/02)

Individual Pitching

Fewest hits allowed (must be enough to qualify for victory):
1, Ryan Gehring (UIC) vs. Viterbo (3/22/03)
Strikeouts: 15, Ryan Gehring (UIC) vs. Viterbo (3/30/02)
Walks: 9, Justin Stringer (Northern Illinois) vs. UIC (4/5/97)
Runs Allowed: 15, Jason Roth (Judson) vs. UIC (4/16/02)
HR's Allowed: 4, Gene Rausch (UIC) vs. Chicago State (4/5/00)
Hits Allowed: 15, two times, last by Daniel Soria (Chicago State) vs. UIC (3/31/03)



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2004 UIC Baseball Schedule

February

20 (Fri.)	at Arkansas State	Jonesboro, Ark.	3:00 p.m.
21 (Sat.)	at Arkansas State	Jonesboro, Ark.	2:00 p.m.
22 (Sun.)	at Arkansas State	Jonesboro, Ark.	12:00 p.m.
27 (Fri.)	vs. Michigan	Port St. Lucie, Fla.	6:00 p.m.
28 (Sat.)	vs. Michigan	Port St. Lucie, Fla.	2:00 p.m.
29 (Sun.)	vs. Michigan	Port St. Lucie, Fla.	10:00 a.m.

March

5 (Fri.)	at St. Louis	St. Louis, Mo.	2:00 p.m.
6 (Sat.)	at St. Louis	St. Louis, Mo.	1:00 p.m.
7 (Sun.)	at St. Louis	St. Louis, Mo.	1:00 p.m.
12 (Fri.)	at Arkansas	Fayetteville, Ark.	3:05 p.m.
13 (Sat.)	at Arkansas	Fayetteville, Ark.	2:05 p.m.
14 (Sun.)	at Arkansas	Fayetteville, Ark.	1:05 p.m.
19 (Fri.)	at Miami (FL)	Miami, Fla.	2:00 p.m.
20 (Sat.)	at Miami (FL)	Miami, Fla.	6:00 p.m.
21 (Sun.)	at Miami (FL)	Miami, Fla.	6:00 p.m.
23 (Tue.)	vs. Sterling	Miami, Fla.	6:00 p.m.
24 (Wed.)	vs. Lynn	Miami, Fla.	6:00 p.m.
26 (Fri.)	Chicago St.	Les Miller Field	3:05 p.m.
27 (Sat.)	at Chicago St. (DH)	Chicago, Ill.	1:00 p.m.
28 (Sun.)	Chicago State	Les Miller Field	12:05 p.m.
30 (Tue.)	W. Michigan (RAIN)	Les Miller Field	7:05 p.m.

April

2 (Fri.)	Western Illinois	Les Miller Field	8:05 p.m.
3 (Sat.)	Western Illinois (DH)	Les Miller Field	2:05 p.m.
4 (Sun.)	Western Illinois	Les Miller Field	12:05 p.m.
7 (Wed.)	at Bradley	Peoria, Ill.	3:00 p.m.
9 (Fri.)	Wright State	Les Miller Field	7:05 p.m.
10 (Sat.)	Wright State (DH)	Les Miller Field	1:05 p.m.
11 (Sun.)	Wright State	Les Miller Field	12:05 p.m.
13 (Tue.)	IPFW	Les Miller Field	7:05 p.m.
16 (Fri.)	at UW-Milwaukee	Milwaukee, Wis.	3:00 p.m.
17 (Sat.)	at UW-Milwaukee (DH)	Milwaukee, Wis.	1:00 p.m.
18 (Sun.)	at UW-Milwaukee	Milwaukee, Wis.	12:00 p.m.
20 (Tue.)	Eastern Illinois	Les Miller Field	7:05 p.m.
23 (Fri.)	Illinois State	Les Miller Field	7:05 p.m.
24 (Sat.)	Illinois State (DH)	Les Miller Field	1:05 p.m.
25 (Sun.)	Illinois State	Les Miller Field	1:05 p.m.
30 (Fri.)	Cleveland State	Les Miller Field	7:05 p.m.

May

1 (Sat.)	Cleveland State (DH)	Les Miller Field	1:05 p.m.
2 (Sun.)	Cleveland State	Les Miller Field	12:05 p.m.
7 (Fri.)	Butler	Les Miller Field	7:05 p.m.
8 (Sat.)	Butler (DH)	Les Miller Field	1:05 p.m.
9 (Sun.)	Butler	Les Miller Field	12:05 p.m.
11 (Tue.)	Northwestern	Les Miller Field	7:05 p.m.
14 (Fri.)	at Youngstown St.	Youngstown, Ohio	6:00 p.m.
15 (Sat.)	at Youngstown St. (DH)	Youngstown, Ohio	11:00 a.m.
16 (Sun.)	at Youngstown St.	Youngstown, Ohio	11:00 a.m.
18 (Tue.)	at Valparaiso	Valparaiso, Ind.	3:00 p.m.
20 (Thu.)	at Detroit	Detroit, Mich.	2:30 p.m.
21 (Fri.)	at Detroit (DH)	Detroit, Mich.	11:30 a.m.
22 (Sat.)	at Detroit	Detroit, Mich.	11:30 a.m.

at Horizon League Tournament

26-30 (Wed.-Sun)		Youngstown, Ohio	TBA
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