



Mike Nelson - #17

Status: Local Tryout Invitee

Position: Guard

Height/Weight: 6-4/185

Birthdate: March 18, 1986

High School: Madison Memorial HS (Madison, Wis.)

College: North Dakota State

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Season	G	FGM	FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	REB	AST	TO	STL	BL	PTS	AVG
2005-06	28	123	246	.500	54	60	.900	103	47	47	22	4	340	12.1
2006-07	28	172	327	.526	45	67	.672	89	80	59	27	7	440	15.7
2007-08	29	138	281	.491	64	85	.753	125	72	55	24	6	399	13.8
2008-09	33	144	299	.482	37	58	.638	139	82	42	25	6	383	11.6
Totals	118	577	1153	.500	200	270	.741	456	281	203	98	23	1562	13.2

Three-point field goals: 2005-06, 40-for-90 (.444); 2006-07, 51-for-114 (.447); 2007-08, 59-for-128 (.461); 2008-09, 58-for-147 (.395).

Totals: 208-for-479 (.434).

Senior (2008-09): Started all 33 games to extend his streak to 90 straight games...averaged 11.6 points, 4.2 rebounds and 2.5 assists per game...scored in double figures the first eight games and had 21 double-digit games in the season...named to the Summit League Winter/Spring All-Academic Team and Commissioner's List of Academic Excellence.

Junior (2007-08): Started all 29 games...averaged 13.8 points, 4.3 rebounds and 2.5 assists per game...the Summit League's overall leader in 3-point percentage (.461)...also ranked 11th in field goal percentage (.491) and 14th in scoring...named to the Summit League Winter/Spring All-Academic Team.

Sophomore (2006-07): Started all 28 games...fifth leading scorer in the Division I independents with 15.7 points per game and ranked second in 3-point percentage (.447)...notched his first collegiate double-double with 10 points and 10 assists in the home win over Texas Pan-American...MVP of the Marquette Pepsi Blue and Gold Classic, where he drilled 4-of-6 3-pointers and scored 19 points with five rebounds against nationally ranked Marquette...that performance capped back-to-back Division I Independent Player of the Week awards (11/28 and 12/5).

Freshman (2005-06): NDSU's leading bench scorer in the first 12 games before making 14 starts...led the team in free throw percentage (.900)...had 19 double-digit scoring games, including three of 20+ points.

Redshirt (2004-05): Sat out the entire season as a redshirt.

High School: Played at Madison Memorial High School under coach Steve Collins...team captain his senior year and winner of the Wisconsin "Mr. Basketball" award...two-time pick to the All-Area, All-Conference and All-State Teams...selected to the "Fab 50" First Team published by the Wisconsin Basketball Yearbook.

Personal: Graduated from NDSU in May of 2009 with a degree in Sport and Recreation Studies...son of Dean and Barb Nelson of Madison, Wis....has an older brother, Luke, and an older sister, Katie.