



FOOTBALL 2006

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CURRENT 2006 REGULAR SEASON STANDINGS (through September 30)

School	PAC Games					All Games				
	W	L	Pct.	PF	PA	W	L	Pct.	PF	PA
Thiel College	2	0	1.00	66	21	3	2	.600	93	59
Waynesburg College	2	0	1.00	52	34	2	3	.400	86	126
Thomas More College	1	2	.333	51	60	2	2	.500	76	83
Grove City College	1	2	.333	59	70	1	3	.250	59	98
Washington & Jefferson College	0	0	.000	0	0	3	1	.750	104	55
Bethany College	0	1	.000	7	49	2	2	.500	103	129
Westminster College	0	1	.000	20	21	1	3	.250	63	113

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS (September 30)

Thiel 49, BETHANY 7*
 WAYNESBURG 23, Thomas More 16*
 GROVE CITY 21, Westminster 20*
 Washington & Jefferson - off

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE (October 7)

Thomas More at Westminster* - 1:30 p.m.
 Washington & Jefferson at Thiel* - 1:30 p.m.
 Grove City at Bethany* - 2 p.m.
 Waynesburg - off

PAC Offensive Player of the Week

DAN HESS
 Thiel
 Sophomore RB
 5-6, 185
 Apollo, Pa.
 Kiski Area H.S.



Hess rushed 14 times for 121 yards (8.6 avg.) and two touchdowns (63, 1) as Thiel remained unbeaten in PAC play with a 49-7 road win at Bethany. His 63-yard TD run early in the second quarter was the longest rush of his career.

Also nominated was freshman WB **Matt Weaver** of Grove City, senior RB **Eric Daniels** of Waynesburg, and junior WR **Brett Ziegler** of Westminster.

PAC Defensive Player of the Week

MIKE CZERWEIN
 Waynesburg
 Junior DE
 5-8, 225
 Pittsburgh, Pa.
 North Hills H.S.



Czerwein posted seven tackles, including three tackles for losses, along with a sack and a fumble recovery for the Yellow Jackets in their 23-16 home PAC win over Thomas More. His fumble recovery came in the first quarter to set up the first Waynesburg touchdown of the game.

Also nominated was junior WLB **Bill Waugh** of Grove City, senior DB **Steve Boyle** of Thiel, and sophomore DB **Jake Wilczynski** of Westminster.

PAC Special Teams Player of the Week

HENRY JOHNSTON
 Grove City
 Senior P
 5-10, 155
 Chapel Hill, N.C.
 Chapel Hill H.S.



Johnston placed all four of his punts inside the Titan 20-yard line as Grove City posted a 21-20 PAC home win over Westminster. He posted a 38.0 gross and net average on the four punts.

Also nominated was senior P **Mike Elias** of Bethany, and senior DT **Logan Malie** of Thiel.

PAC FOOTBALL CAPSULES



Bethany Bison

The Bison saw their two-game winning streak come to an end with a 49-7 loss to visiting Thiel on Saturday ... Bethany fell behind 23-0 but a 25-yard TD pass from **Brent Owens** to **Matt Cruse** put the Bison on the board with just under seven minutes to go before halftime ... BC looked like they might get back into the game after recovering a fumble at the TC 26, but Thiel picked off a pass to end that threat, then scored on each of their first two possessions to put the game away ... Senior WR **T.J. Parker** made nine catches for 73 yards in the contest, while Cruse grabbed three aerials for 50 yards and the score ... Owens hit on 16-of-27 passes for 153 yards but had three passes picked off ... Defensively, LB **Cliff Anderson** made 10 tackles and recovered a fumble.



Thiel Tomcats

Thiel rolled up 494 yards of total offense in its 49-7 PAC win at Bethany Saturday ... Sophomore TB **Dan Hess** paced the Tomcats offensively, rushing for a season-high 121 yards and two touchdowns ... The Tomcat defense limited the Bison to 204 total yards while holding Bethany to just one net rushing yard on 21 attempts ... Senior CB **Steve Boyle** finished with five tackles and a pair of interceptions while junior DE **Chris Lorber** added four tackles and two sacks ... Senior OLB **Chris Hlinka** had a team-high six stops, 1.5 for losses ... With his two interceptions Boyle has 10 in his career, tying him with **Maurice Simpson** for fifth on the school's all-time list ... Junior TB **Steve Minton** rolled up 85 yards and a pair of scores.



Grove City Wolverines

Grove City earned its first win over Westminster in 27 years Saturday, securing a 21-20 victory ... Grove City had not beaten the Titans on the GCC campus since 1949 ... QB **Andrew DiDonato** raced in from the 2 with 2:42 left, giving the Wolverines the lead ... DiDonato also threw two TD passes... Sophomore K **Greg Collins** went 3-for-3 on extra points ... Grove City had not made an extra point all season until Saturday ... Freshman **Matt Weaver** accumulated 164 all-purpose yards ... He had a team-leading six catches for 75 yards ... Junior SE **Jay Yanak** caught a TD pass in the second quarter ... **Matt Weil** ran for 70 yards on 19 carries ... Punter **Henry Johnston** placed all four of his punts inside the 20 ... **Bill Waugh** and **Ian Minster** each had eight tackles for the Wolverines.



Thomas More Saints

Two early turnovers put Thomas More in a 13-0 hole that it couldn't dig out in losing its second straight PAC game, 23-16, at Waynesburg ... The Saints' rushing attack – missing **Lawrence Colbert** – gained 30 yards, its lowest output of the season ... Sophomore QB **Trevor Stelman** was the team's leading rusher with 19 yards ... Stelman threw for 188 yards on 15-of-23 passing and two touchdowns ... Senior LB **Mark Carlisle** moved into third place on the school's all-time tackles list, 80 tackles shy of the school record.



Washington & Jefferson Presidents

Washington & Jefferson had its first mid-season bye week since 2002 this past weekend ... Coming off their last bye week in 2002, the Presidents defeated Thiel in Greenville by a 21-17 margin.



Waynesburg Yellow Jackets

The Yellow Jackets took advantage of two first quarter turnovers by Thomas More, scoring 13 points before holding on for a 23-16 victory over the Saints ... DL **LaDrekus Burford** forced a fumble which was recovered at the Thomas More 25-yard line, then QB **Tres Cobb** put Waynesburg on the scoreboard with a one-yard TD run ... The Yellow Jackets then recovered a fumble on the TMC 8-yard line before RB **Ryan Abels** increased the lead to 13-0 with a 1-yard scoring plunge ... Cobb found Shields with a 21-yard TD pass, for a 23-6 lead ... The Yellow Jacket defense held onto the lead behind the play of DL **Mike Czerwien** and LB **Brendon Steele**, who led all players with nine tackles ... Czerwien added seven stops, including 3.0 tackles for loss, a sack and a fumble recovery.



Westminster Titans

For the second consecutive week the outcome of the Westminster's game was decided by place-kicking ... The Titans fell to Grove City, 21-20, in their first PAC game ... Westminster drew within one point of the Wolverines with an 11-play, 68-yard TD drive capped off by freshman RB **Brian Becker** scoring on a 5-yard pass reception from freshman QB **Kevin Franz** with just 24 seconds remaining ... However, freshman K **Fred Romeo** missed the would-be tying extra point ... Romeo kicked the game-winning 21-yard field in last week's 27-24 double-overtime win over Adrian ... Franz led the Titans with 295 passing yards on 28-of-36 passing, including three touchdowns ... The other two were a pair of 26 yards passes to **Brett Ziegler**, who snared a game-high seven balls for 93 yards.

2006 PAC Football Players of the Week

	Offense	Defense	Special Teams
9/2	T. Stillman, TMC	M. Carlisle, TMC	T. McNeil, BET
9/9	T.J. Parker, BET	C. Walsh, W&J	T. McNeil, BET
9/16	B. Swallow, W&J	B. Steinmetz, TMC	C. Anderson, BET
9/23	R. Abels, WAY	R. Hughes, THI	F. Romeo, WES
9/30	D. Hess, THI	M. Czerwien, WAY	H. Johnston, GRO
10/7			
10/14			
10/21			
10/28			
11/4			
11/11			

WEEK 5 PAC FOOTBALL PREVIEWS



Thomas More (2-2, 1-2 PAC) at Westminster (1-3, 0-1 PAC)
Saturday, Oct. 7 - 1:30 p.m.
Harold Burry Stadium (4,500/grass) - New Wilmington, Pa.



Radio/TV: www.northernkentuckysports.com; WNNW-FM (88.9) in New Wilmington; www.titanradio.net; Westminster Cable Network (WCN) live and tape delay Sunday at 7:30 p.m.

All-Time Series Record: Thomas More leads 3-1

Game Notes: Thomas More is one of two teams on Westminster's schedule this year that the Titans trail in the all-time series (3-1) – the other team is W&J ... Westminster's only win in the five-year series with the Saints is a 23-13 on the road in 2004 ... The Saints are making their second straight trip to New Wilmington as the teams have alternated home games the previous three years ... Kicker **Jason Lundmark**, now exclusively a member of the Titan soccer team, scored Westminster's lone points in last year's 17-3 loss on a game-tying 21-yard field goal in the third quarter ... The Saints scored 14 unanswered fourth-quarter points to break a 3-3 fourth quarter tie ... Thomas More racked up 350 yards of total offense in the win ... The game also features the PAC's top two tacklers this year in TMC's **Mark Carlisle** (11.2 tackles per game) and Westminster's **Jordan Blinn** (10.2 stops per game).



Washington & Jefferson (3-1, 0-0 PAC) at Thiel (3-2, 2-0 PAC)
Saturday, Oct. 7 - 1:30 p.m.
Alumni Stadium (1,400/turf) - Greenville, Pa.



Radio/TV: WJPA-AM (1450), WNJR-FM (91.7) in Washington; www.wjpa.com; WPIC-AM (790) and WLLF-FM (96.7) in Hermitage; www.msasportsnetwork.com;

All-Time Series Record: Washington & Jefferson leads 35-22-2

Game Notes: A match-up of 2005 Division III playoff squads will be the featured event in Greenville for Homecoming 2006 on Saturday as the Presidents of Washington & Jefferson come to town to battle the Tomcats ... Last season, on its way to its first PAC title since 1972, Thiel posted a 38-35 overtime win at Cameron Stadium behind a 22-yard field goal from **Sammy Koyl** to defeat the Presidents for the first time since 1981...The Presidents are 2-0 at Alumni Stadium, outscoring the Tomcats 55-27 in those two games ... Junior TB **Steve Minton** rushed for 136 yards on 30 carries with a pair of touchdowns in last season's Tomcat win ... The Tomcats snapped a 23-game losing streak to the Presidents in 2005 ... W&J held a 395-368 edge in total yards, but five President turnovers proved to be the difference ... W&J posted a 34-10 victory the last time the two schools met in Greenville in 2003 ... The last time Thiel defeated W&J at home was in 1981 as the Tomcats blew out the Presidents, 35-3.



Grove City (1-3, 1-2 PAC) at Bethany (2-2, 0-1 PAC)
Saturday, Oct. 7 - 2 p.m.
Bethany Field (1,000/grass) - Bethany, W.Va.



Radio/TV: WSAJ-FM (91.1) in Grove City; www.gcc.edu/sports; WVBC-FM (88.1) in Bethany; www.teamline.cc (code 3724)

All-Time Series Record: Grove City leads 36-19-3

Game Notes: Saturday is Homecoming at Bethany and will be the 59th time the Bison and Grove City have squared off on the gridiron ... The Wolverines hold a 36-19-3 advantage and have won nine consecutive games over BC, including a 21-12 triumph last year ... The Bison's last win over GCC was a 17-13 triumph in Bethany back in 1996 ... In last year's match-up, Grove City took a 14-0 lead but two **T.J. Parker** touchdown receptions made it 14-12 early in the fourth quarter ... GCC would put the game away with a 63-yard scoring drive that took more than six minutes off the clock ... Parker caught six balls for 86 yards and the two scores last year and in his last two games against the Wolverines, has 11 receptions for 161 yards ... Grove City won the last meeting at Bethany, 63-6, in 2004 ... Current junior **Matt Weil** ran for 162 yards for the Wolverines last year ... His effort earned him the College's Jim Cross Trophy, awarded to the most outstanding Wolverine player in the Homecoming game ... The teams first met in 1913 ... It is Grove City's only game on grass this year.