



# FOOTBALL 2004

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## CURRENT REGULAR SEASON STANDINGS (through October 16, 2004)

School	PAC Games					All Games				
	W	L	Pct.	PF	PA	W	L	Pct.	PF	PA
Washington & Jefferson College	3	0	1.00	144	38	7	0	1.00	307	88
Thiel College	3	1	.750	88	77	5	2	.714	169	150
Waynesburg College	1	1	.500	76	43	4	2	.667	275	98
Westminster College	1	1	.500	41	75	3	3	.500	119	162
Grove City College	1	2	.333	86	86	3	4	.429	172	169
Bethany College	0	4	.000	58	174	0	6	.000	79	261

### THIS WEEK'S RESULTS - October 16

WESTMINSTER 27, Bethany 21\*  
 THIEL 26, Waynesburg 20\*  
 WASHINGTON & JEFFERSON 56, Grove City 14\*

### NEXT WEEK'S SCHEDULE - October 23

Grove City at Waynesburg\* - 1:30 p.m.  
 Washington & Jefferson at Bethany\* - 1:30 p.m.  
 Westminster at Thiel\* - 1:30 p.m.

### PAC Offensive Player of the Week

**AARON KREPPS**  
**Washington & Jefferson College**  
*Junior wide receiver - 6-0, 185*  
*Belle Vernon, Pa./Belle Vernon H.S.*

Krepps caught nine passes for 144 yards and a career-high four touchdowns (37, 20, 32, 22) and finished with 149 all-purpose yards as the undefeated Presidents retained sole possession of first place in the PAC with a 56-14 home win over Grove City.

Also nominated was freshman WR **Milton Joyner** (Pittsburgh, Pa./Westinghouse H.S.), senior SE **Dave DiDonato** (Bridgeville, Pa./South Fayette H.S.) of Grove City, freshman TB **Steve Minton** (Cranberry Twp., Pa./Seneca Valley H.S.) of Thiel, senior WR **Paul D'Imperio** of Waynesburg; and senior RB **Scott Froelich** (Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio/Cuyahoga Falls H.S.) of Westminster.

### PAC Defensive Player of the Week

**DON WALDRON**  
**Westminster College**  
*Senior defensive end - 6-1, 240*  
*Cortland, Ohio/Lakeview H.S.*

Waldron recorded nine tackles (six solo, three assisted) and a career-high 4.0 quarterback sacks for minus-23 yards in the Titans' 27-21 home PAC win over Bethany. He was involved in five QB sacks on the game (three solo, two assisted). His 4.0 sacks marks a single-game high in the PAC this season.

Also nominated was senior LB **Mike Choby** (North Huntingdon, Pa./Norwin H.S.) of Grove City; sophomore CB **Zjaque Douglas** (Weirton, W.Va./Weir H.S.) of Thiel, senior LB **Andy Shook** (Louisville, Ohio/Louisville H.S.) of Washington & Jefferson; and senior LB **Ryan Seitzinger** (Bethel Park, Pa./Bethel Park H.S.) of Waynesburg.

## PAC FOOTBALL NOTES

### *Bethany Bison*

**Scott Froelich** scored with 9:32 to play to lead Westminster over Bethany 27-21 Saturday at Harold Burry Stadium ... **Nazih Banna** passed for a career-high 303 yards, along with two touchdowns and three interceptions for Bethany, while freshman WR **Milton Joyner** hauled in both of Banna's touchdown tosses ... Joyner finished with 13 receptions for 168 yards and two scores to lead the offense ... Fellow freshman **Brett Clough** led the team with 48 yards rushing ... **T.J Chambers** led the defense with nine tackles, while safety **Gary Gerba** notched seven tackles along with Bethany's only sack ... The Bison were stopped on downs following four incomplete passes at the Titan 5-yard line in the final minute.

### *Wash. & Jeff. Presidents*

Juniors QB **Chris Edwards** and WR **Aaron Krepps** both set career-highs on Saturday in the Presidents' 56-14 victory over Grove City on Homecoming Day at Cameron Stadium ... Edwards threw for 277 yards and a career-high five touchdowns, four of which went to Krepps for his new career high ... Krepps totaled nine catches for 144 yards ... W&J jumped out to a 14-0 lead in the first 8:41 and extended the lead to 35-0 midway through the third quarter ... Junior LB **Mike Sklarsky** led the defense with 11 stops, while senior LB **Andy Shook** notched seven tackles, forced a fumble and picked off one pass ... W&J racked up 484 yards of total offense, while limiting the Wolverines to just 154 ... The Presidents also posted a season-high 30 first downs.

### *Grove City Wolverines*

Grove City fell to 1-2 in the PAC Saturday, falling at W&J ... Junior **Ross Trimmer** returned a kickoff 93 yards for a touchdown in the third quarter, the first time in 11 years that Grove City has returned a kickoff for a touchdown ... It is also the longest kickoff return in Grove City history, breaking the record of 88 set by **Greg Magness** at Hobart in 1968 ... **Dave DiDonato** caught his 13<sup>th</sup> career touchdown pass, moving into second place on Grove City's all-time list ... The 56 points allowed by Grove City are the most scored against the Wolverines since W&J scored 56 in 1993 ... Senior LB **Mike Choby** has 326 career tackles after posting 19 stops Saturday.

### *Waynesburg Yellow Jackets*

Waynesburg committed four second-half turnovers, including an interception returned for a TD, in a 26-20 loss at Thiel for the Yellow Jackets first conference loss since November 2002 ... Senior WR **Paul D'Imperio** hauled in a career-high three touchdowns ... He finished the game with 129 yards on a career-high 12 receptions, including 10 in the fourth quarter ... He passed **Dan Dvorchak** (1964-67) and teammate **Ivan Hawkins** for second place in school history with 122 receptions ... Senior QB **Jeff Dumm** passed for a season-high 282 yards on 28-of-54 attempts and three scores, all to D'Imperio ... Dumm became the first QB in school history to surpass the 6,000-yard barrier and broke **Darren Elvey's** record of 5,912 passing yards.

### *Thiel Tomcats*

The Tomcats improved to 3-1 in the PAC (5-2 overall) with Saturday's 26-20 victory over Waynesburg at Alumni Stadium ... The Tomcat defensive unit limited TB **Ryan Abels** to just 30 yards rushing on 14 attempts ... Abels came into the game ranked sixth in Division III in rushing, averaging 167.8 ypg ... Senior FS **Kennard Davis** intercepted his 23rd career pass and returned it for a touchdown, the sixth time in his career he has done such ... Freshmen TBs **Steve Minton** and **Brett Helman** combined to run for 156 yards on 38 attempts ... With his 26-yard TD reception, junior WR **Brandon Chambers** upped his season total to nine, tying him for second place in school annals in TD receptions in a season.

### *Westminster Titans*

The Titans won their first PAC game of the season and knotted their record at 3-3 with a 27-21 Homecoming win over Bethany ... Senior RB **Scott Froelich** rushed for 249 yards on 34 carries (7.3 avg.) with three TDs (25,11,9), including the game-winner with 9:32 to play to break a 21-21 tie ... Sophomore QB **J.R. Barley** was 9-of-20 passing for 130 yards, with senior WR **Brian Ekis** catching three passes for 96 yards ... The WC defense recorded seven sacks and forced three turnovers ... Senior DE **Don Waldron** had nine tackles and 4.0 sacks, while DT **Tony Ventresco** led the team with 14 tackles while adding a sack ... Senior **Justin Martinchek**, junior **Chucky Cousins** and sophomore **Joey Tissler** posted pickoffs.

### Past PAC Offensive Players of the Week

September 4: **Brandon McGlothlin**, RB, Grove City  
September 11: **R. Abels**, RB, WAY/D. **Satterfield**, QB, THIEL  
September 18: **Scott Froelich**, RB, Westminster  
September 25: **Chris Edwards**, QB, Wash. & Jeff.  
October 2: **Bradford Clark**, QB, Grove City  
October 9: **Jeff Dumm**, QB, Waynesburg  
October 16: **Aaron Krepps**, WR, Wash. & Jeff.  
October 23:  
October 30:  
November 6:  
November 13:

### Past PAC Defensive Players of the Week

September 4: **Frank Pilato**, SS, Wash. & Jeff.  
September 11: **Aaron Margo**, SS, Grove City  
September 18: **Andy Shook**, LB, Wash. & Jeff.  
September 25: **Kennard Davis**, FS, Thiel  
October 2: **Ross Trimmer**, FS, Grove City  
October 9: **George Kum-Nji**, DE, Thiel  
October 16: **Don Waldron**, DE, Westminster  
October 23:  
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## PAC FOOTBALL PREVIEWS

### Grove City (3-4, 1-2 PAC) at Waynesburg (4-2, 1-1 PAC)

Saturday, Oct. 23 - 1:30 p.m.

John F. Wiley Stadium (3,000/grass) - Waynesburg, Pa.

**Radio/TV:** WSAJ-FM (91.1) in Grove City; [www.msasportsnetwork.com](http://www.msasportsnetwork.com); WCYJ-FM (88.7) in Waynesburg; WCYJ-TV Channel 12; [www.waynesburg.edu](http://www.waynesburg.edu).

**Series Record:** Waynesburg leads 22-14-5

**Game Notes:** Both Grove City and Waynesburg will be looking to rebound from PAC losses last week when the two teams clash at Wiley Stadium in Waynesburg Saturday ... Waynesburg has won the last three meetings in the series ... Grove City had won three of the previous four matchups ... The Wolverines have won only once at Wiley Stadium since Waynesburg joined the PAC in 1990 ... That came in 2000 as Grove City won the longest game in College and PAC history, 32-29, in four overtimes ... The Wolverines are 2-2 on the road this year ... A GCC win would give them their first winning road record since going 3-1 on the road in 1999 ... In last season's meeting, **Jeff Dumm** passed for 220 yards and four TDs and earned PAC Offensive Player of the Week honors ... The Jackets have had a running back rush for over 100 yards in 15 of their last 17 games, the only exceptions being against Thiel in 2003 and 2004 ... Last year against the Wolverines, **Ryan Abels** gained 139 yards on the ground on 28 carries, including a three-yard touchdown run.

### Washington & Jefferson (7-0, 3-0 PAC) at Bethany (0-6, 0-4 PAC)

Saturday, Oct. 23 - 1:30 p.m.

Rine Field (1,000/grass) - Bethany, W.Va.

**Radio/TV:** WVBC-FM (88.1) in Bethany; WJPA-AM (1450) and WNJR-FM (91.7) in Washington; [www.msasportsnetwork.com](http://www.msasportsnetwork.com); [www.washjeff.edu](http://www.washjeff.edu)

**Series Record:** Washington & Jefferson leads 60-20

**Game Notes:** Undefeated and nationally-ranked W&J travels to winless Bethany on Saturday for the 81<sup>st</sup> meeting between the two schools ... W&J leads the series, which is the longest in school history, by a 60-20 margin ... The Presidents have won 21 straight contests versus the Bison ... Since 1990, 10 of W&J's 14 wins over Bethany have been by 25 or more points ... Last season, **Chris Edwards** passed for 254 yards and three touchdowns in the Presidents' 38-3 victory at Cameron Stadium ... W&J outgained the Bison, 441-198 ... **Frank Pilato** has six tackles, three pass breakups and one INT in the win.

### Westminster (3-3, 1-1 PAC) at Thiel (5-2, 3-1 PAC)

Saturday, Oct. 23 - 1:30 p.m.

Alumni Stadium (1,400/turf) - Greenville, Pa.

**Radio/TV:** WPIC-AM (790) in Hermitage; WWNW-FM (88.9) in New Wilmington; [www.msasportsnetwork.com](http://www.msasportsnetwork.com); Westminster Cable Network (WCN)

**Series Record:** Westminster leads 42-15-8

**Game Notes:** Local PAC rivals Thiel and Westminster meet in Greenville, with the Tomcats looking to clinch a winning campaign, while at the same time break Westminster's 18-game win streak over Thiel which dates back to 1950, when the Tomcats last defeated the Titans (20-7) ... Thiel's 5-2 start this season is the best since posting a 5-4 record in 1991 ... Westminster survived last season's meeting with a 14-13 win as senior PK **Paul Stibich**'s 47-yard field goal attempt hit the crossbar and fell short with 18 seconds to play ... Thiel held Titan TB **Scott Froelich** to just 48 yards on 24 carries, but Froelich did manage to score both Westminster touchdowns in the Titan victory ... Junior DE **Jon Howson** led the Thiel defense with eight tackles, including four tackles for losses, while senior DE **George Kum-Nji** registered a pair of sacks ... In the last meeting between the two schools in 2002, Westminster rallied from a late deficit to post a 13-10 win over the Tomcats at Alumni Stadium ... A **Justin Napotnik** TD run gave the Tomcats a 10-6 lead late, but **Sean Buggiey** broke off a 61-yard return on the ensuing kickoff for the Titans ... Eight plays later, the Titans scored the game-winning points on a one-yard dive by **Ryan Mitchell** ... Froelich carries 30 times for 120 yards in the Westminster win.