



MEN'S BASKETBALL 2001

Presidents' Athletic Conference
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CURRENT STANDINGS (through November 25, 2001)

School	PAC Games			All Games		
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
Bethany College	0	0	.000	2	1	.667
Grove City College	0	0	.000	2	1	.667
Washington & Jefferson College	0	0	.000	1	2	.333
Waynesburg College	0	0	.000	0	2	.000
Thiel College	0	0	.000	0	4	.000
Westminster College*	0	0	.000	2	2	.500

* - Completing reclassification from NCAA Division II - games do not count in conference standings.

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Tuesday, November 20

Bethany 74, LA ROCHE 71
Mount Union 68, THIEL 66
WASHINGTON & JEFFERSON 121, Kenyon 120 (2ot)
PENN STATE-BEHREND 56, Grove City 53

Friday, November 23

Muskingum 66, Westminster 60@

Saturday, November 24

BALDWIN-WALLACE 86, Thiel 78
Westminster 84, Alma 77@

@ - at Dad's Holiday Classic (Meadville, PA)

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Monday, November 26

Washington & Jefferson at Pitt-Greensburg - 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, November 27

Allegheny at Thiel - 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, November 28

Baldwin-Wallace at Bethany - 7:30 p.m.
Denison at Grove City - 7:30 p.m.
Pitt-Greensburg at Waynesburg - 7:30 p.m.
Westminster at Mount Union - 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, November 29

Pitt-Bradford at Thiel - 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, December 1

Frostburg State at Washington & Jefferson - 1 p.m.
Juniata at Grove City - 3 p.m.
Tiffin at Westminster - 6 p.m.
Notre Dame (MD) at Bethany - 7:30 p.m.
Waynesburg at La Roche - 7:30 p.m.
Thiel at Pitt-Greensburg - 8 p.m.

PAC Men's Basketball Player of the Week

NOLAN LARRY

Washington & Jefferson College

6-2 Junior Guard

Greensburg, Pa./Greensburg Salem H.S.

Larry scored a team-high 34 points in helping W&J post its first win of the season with a 121-120 double-overtime win over Kenyon on Tuesday in the only game of the week for the Presidents. Larry connected on 9-of-20 shots from the floor (including three three-pointers) and was 13-of-14 from the free throw line. He scored the last four points in the second overtime period for the Presidents to clinch the win. Larry also contributed six assists, five rebounds and two steals to the victory.

Also nominated was junior guard **Mike Mazjun** of Bethany and junior forward **Durrell Hackett** of Thiel

PAC MEN'S BASKETBALL NOTES

Bethany Bison

Forward **Keith Schubert** scored 26 and guard **Mike Majzun** added 21 as Bethany erased a six-point halftime deficit and rallied for a three-point triumph at LaRoche (74-71) ... Majzun went 7-11 from the floor and added a team-high seven rebounds and three steals in the victory ... Mazjun was 2-4 from behind the three-point arc, and 5-6 from the charity stripe.

Wash. & Jeff. Presidents

W&J picked up its first victory of the season last week with a 121-120 double overtime win over Kenyon at the Henry Memorial Center ... The Presidents shot 72 percent (18-of-25) from the floor in racing out to a 51-42 halftime lead ... Five W&J players were in double figures led by junior guard **Nolan Larry**'s 34 points ... Larry connected on 13-of-14 free throw attempts ... Freshman guard **Arnell Milton** scored several key baskets down the stretch and finished with a career-high 20 points ... sophomore center **Tony Franz** added 18 markers and 12 rebounds, while senior forward **Graig Marx** chipped in with 18 points ... freshman guard **Aaron Olsham** notched 12 points, including three treys.

Grove City Wolverines

Grove City's bid to open a season 3-0 for the first time since 1982 was dashed in a three-point loss at Penn State Behrend ... Junior **Andy Vlajkovich** netted high-point honors for the second straight game, scoring 17 points ... Senior **Pat Roberts** scored 15 points and added nine rebounds and two blocks.

Waynesburg Yellow Jackets

Waynesburg was off last week ... The Jackets return home against Pitt-Greensburg on Wednesday, then travel to La Roche on Saturday.

Thiel Tomcats

Although starting 0-4 in 2001, the Tomcats have been involved in a couple close games...Thiel lost their opening game to Texas Lutheran 82-81 on Nov. 16 at the Lutheran Brotherhood Capital Classic and lost to Mount Union 68-66 on Nov. 20 at Rissell-Beeghly Gym...Junior forward **Durrell Hackett** put up 20 points and four assists in Thiel's 86-78 loss to Baldwin-Wallace on Saturday ... Hackett was 7-of-13 from the floor, including 5-of-6 from the three-point stripe.

Westminster Titans

Westminster split a pair of games over the weekend at the Dad's Holiday Classic, hosted by Allegheny College in Meadville ... The Titans dropped a 66-60 decision to Muskingum in the opening round, before topping Alma 84-77 in the consolation game ... Senior F **Ryan Oman** earned All-Tournament honors after averaging 11.0 points and 8.0 rebounds in the two wins ... Freshman F **Pat O'Connor** led the Titans against Muskingum with a career-best 18 points (on 8-of-11 shooting) ... Junior G **Rick Giordano** poured in a career-high 27 points in the Alma win, while sophomore F **Andy Podbielski** and freshman G **Chris Hatch** each added 16 markers ... Hatch's scoring total against Alma was a new career-high.

Past PAC Men's Basketball Players of the Week

November 19: K. Schubert, F, BET/A. Vlajkovich, G, GRO

November 26: Nolan Larry, G, Wash. & Jeff.

December 3:

December 10:

December 17:

January 7:

January 14:

January 21:

January 28:

February 4:

February 11:

February 18:

PAC MEN'S BASKETBALL PREVIEWS

BETHANY BISON

(2-1 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

vs. Baldwin-Wallace (11/28 - 7:30 p.m.)
vs. Notre Dame (MD) (12/1 - 7:30 p.m.)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: Baldwin-Wallace leads the series with Bethany 11-1 ... The lone Bison victory came in 1995, Rob Clune's first year at Bethany ... The Yellow Jackets have won five straight in the series, including a 90-80 victory at B-W last year ... **Keith Schubert** led four scorers in double figures with 20 markers ... The match-up with Notre Dame is the first between the schools, as the Flacons are in the first year of their program.

GROVE CITY WOLVERINES

(2-1 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

vs. Denison (11/28 - 7:30 p.m.)
vs. Juniata (12/1 - 3 p.m.)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: Grove City remains at home this week with non-conference games against Denison on Wednesday and Juniata on Saturday.

THIEL TOMCATS

(0-4 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

vs. Allegheny (11/27 - 7:30 p.m.)
vs. Pitt-Bradford (11/29 - 7:30 p.m.)
at Pitt-Greensburg (12/1 - 8 p.m.)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: Junior forward **A.H. Davis** leads the team in scoring, averaging 18.8 points per game, as well as in rebounding, averaging 5.8 boards per game...The Tomcats are averaging 75.2 points per game...Thiel is outrebounding their opponents by a +2.0 margin so far this season.

WASH. & JEFF. PRESIDENTS

(1-2 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

at Pitt-Greensburg (11/26 - 7:30 p.m.)
vs. Frostburg State (12/1 - 3 p.m.)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: W&J and Pitt-Greensburg meet for the fourth time in history with the Presidents holding a 3-1 advantage ... Washington & Jefferson defeated UPG, 81-68, at home last season ... **Graig Marx** pulled down a game-high eight rebounds for W&J in the win ... W&J and Frostburg State have met eight times in history with the Presidents assuming a 5-3 advantage ... The Bobcats defeated W&J last season by a 104-84 count on December 2nd at FSU ... **Nolan Larry** scored 23 points to lead the Presidents ... The 104 points allowed by W&J was the most points the Presidents allowed all season.

WAYNESBURG YELLOW JACKETS

(0-2 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

vs. Pitt-Greensburg (11/28 - 7:30 p.m.)
at La Roche (12/1 - 7:30 p.m.)

Radio/TV: Home games on WCYJ-FM (88.7) and on the internet at www.waynesburg.edu.

Upcoming Game Notes: Waynesburg senior guard **Rob Strcula** is closing in on the 1,000 point scoring mark ... With 22 points in the first two games, Strcula is only 63 points from the elite group ... He would become only the 25th player to score 1,000 points at Waynesburg College.

WESTMINSTER TITANS

(2-2 Overall)

at Mount Union (11/28 - 7:30 p.m.)
vs. Tiffin (12/1 - 6 p.m.)

Radio/TV: WWNW-FM (88.9), New Wilmington; WKST-AM (1200), New Castle

Upcoming Game Notes: The Purple Raiders were one of only six teams to top the Titans in 2000-01, as Mount Union posted a 77-63 in the opening round of the Dad's Holiday Classic in Meadville a year ago ... Westminster won a pair of thrillers against Tiffin last year, topping the Dragons 83-82 on the road and 98-97 in New Wilmington ... Westminster trailed by one with a second to play in the second Tiffin contest, when **Henry Klinar** tipped in a missed free throw at the buzzer for the win.