



# MEN'S BASKETBALL 2006-07

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## Current 2006-07 Regular Season Standings (through December 3)

School	PAC Games			All Games		
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
Bethany College	0	0	.000	4	2	.667
Grove City College	0	0	.000	2	2	.500
Thiel College	0	0	.000	2	3	.400
Waynesburg College	0	0	.000	1	2	.333
Westminster College	0	0	.000	1	4	.200
Thomas More College	0	0	.000	0	6	.000
Washington & Jefferson College	0	0	.000	0	7	.000
Saint Vincent College*	0	0	.000	4	2	.667

\* - NCAA Division III provisional member - ineligible for PAC title and Player of the Week honors

### LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

#### Monday, November 27

SAINT VINCENT 65, Penn State-DuBois 56

#### Tuesday, November 28

WEST LIBERTY STATE 110, Bethany 87#

#### Wednesday, November 29

Bethany 109, Ohio-Eastern 80#  
 Grove City 74, GENEVA 64  
 MUSKINGUM 67, Thiel 43  
 Kenyon 69, WASHINGTON & JEFFERSON 58

#### Thursday, November 30

Wilmington 77, THOMAS MORE 57  
 BETHANY 98, Franciscan-Steubenville 62

#### Saturday, December 2

Thiel 77, LANCASTER BIBLE 66  
 TRANSYLVANIA 100, Thomas More 64  
 SAINT VINCENT 98, Franciscan-Steubenville 47  
 GENEVA 83, Westminster 80  
 CASE WESTERN RESERVE 76, Washington & Jefferson 66

# - at West Liberty State Wendy's Classic - West Liberty, W.Va.

### UPCOMING SCHEDULE

#### Monday, December 4

Grove City at Juniata - 7 p.m.  
 Penn State-Beaver at Saint Vincent - 7 p.m.  
 Waynesburg at Franciscan-Steubenville - 7:30 p.m.

#### Wednesday, December 6

Carnegie Mellon at Bethany - 7 p.m.  
 Allegheny at Westminster - 7:30 p.m.  
 Denison at Washington & Jefferson - 7:30 p.m.  
 Juniata at Waynesburg - 7:30 p.m.

#### Saturday, December 9

Waynesburg at Grove City\* - 3 p.m.  
 Thiel at Bethany\* - 4 p.m.  
 Thomas More at Saint Vincent - 4 p.m.  
 Washington & Jefferson at Westminster\* - 6 p.m.

## PAC MEN'S BASKETBALL PLAYER OF THE WEEK

### JOE HERRMANN

#### Thiel College

6-5 Junior Forward  
 Hartstown, Pa./Jamestown H.S.



Herrmann led the Tomcats to a 1-1 week by averaging 18.5 points, 8.5 rebounds, 3.0 assists and 2.5 blocked shots per game last week. He scored a season-high 30 points and added 15 rebounds, five assists and a career-high five blocks in a 77-66 non-conference win at Lancaster Bible on Saturday.

Also nominated was senior G **Marc Palermo** of Bethany, senior C **Craig Hallman** of Grove City, and junior G **Craig Hannon** of Westminster.

# PAC MEN'S BASKETBALL NOTES



## Bethany Bison

The Bison won two of their three games last week and now stand at 4-2 ... BC opened the week with a 110-87 defeat at D-II West Liberty State ... Five Bison hit for double figures, led by **Chris Stephens'** 16 and **Joe Testa's** first career double-double (13 pts., 13 rebs.) ... Bethany bounced back with a 109-80 trouncing of Ohio-Eastern the next night, as all 14 players who saw time scored ... Marc Palermo led the way with a career-best 16 points, while **Marcus Adams** totaled 13 points, four assists and four steals ... BC completed their three games in three days swing with a 98-62 win over Franciscan ... Palermo led the team with 15 markers and added a career-high eight boards, four assists and four steals, while Stephens had a career-high 13 assists.



## Grove City Wolverines

Grove City improved to 2-2 with a 74-64 win over longtime rival Geneva Wednesday night ... Sophomore G **Ryan Gibson** fired in a career-high 20 points while senior C **Craig Hallman** added 16 points on 8-of-11 accuracy ... Hallman attended his grandmother's funeral that morning ... Freshman C **Andy O'Keefe** went 5-for-5 from the floor for a career-high 10 points ... He and Hallman also helped neutralize Geneva's height advantage inside ... The Wolverines limited Geneva to just 18 percent (5-of-29) shooting in the second half ... GCC committed a season-low eight turnovers ... Grove City had not won in Beaver Falls since January 9, 1999 ... The Wolverines now lead the all-time series with Geneva, 80-69.



## Thiel Tomcats

Thiel went 1-1 last week, falling at Muskingum 67-43 Wednesday before recording a 77-66 win at Lancaster Bible Saturday ... Junior F **Ross Watson** led the Tomcats at Muskingum with 13 points and eight rebounds, while junior F **Sharron Summerville** added nine points ... Junior F **Joe Herrmann** scored a season-high 30 points to go along with 15 rebounds, five assists and a career-high five blocks in the win at Lancaster Bible ... Thiel converted 72.7 percent (32-of-44) of its field goal attempts and held Lancaster Bible to just 32.1 percent shooting ... Thiel also finished with a 39-20 advantage on the glass ... Summerville posted 15 points, seven rebounds and five assists while Watson added 12 points, five rebounds and three steals.



## Thomas More Saints

Thomas More has a tough week dropping two non-conference games to Wilmington (77-57) and Transylvania (100-64) ... In the loss to Wilmington, three players – **Ed Thornton**, **Michael Selm** and **Erik Marting** – all scored eight points to lead the Saints ... Despite the defeats, TMC was able to outrebound both its opponents – Wilmington by two and Transy by 10 ... Junior **Brad Buckner** led the Saints with 11 points and six rebounds in the loss to the Pioneers.



## Washington & Jefferson Presidents

W&J dropped a pair of non-league contests last week ... Kenyon used a nine-point run late in the first half Wednesday to post an 11-point victory in Washington ... Senior G **Brandon Studer** pumped in 18 points to pace the Presidents on 8-of-16 shooting ... Classmate **Jon Koch** netted 13 points while adding three assists, and sophomore C **Josip Lucic-Jozak** finished with 10 points and five rebounds ... The Presidents were limited to 37 percent (23-of-63) shooting, but committed only 11 turnovers ... W&J held a seven-point lead in the first half Saturday in Cleveland, but CWRU finished with 46 percent shooting and drained 27 free throws to earn the win ... Koch was the only W&J player in double figures with 13 points ... Eight different Presidents scored, including six with 7+ points.



## Waynesburg Yellow Jackets

The Yellow Jackets enjoyed a week off last week before returning to the courts three times this week.



## Westminster Titans

Westminster lost 83-80 at Geneva Saturday ... The Titans (1-4) had five players score in double figures, but the Golden Tornadoes (6-3) held a 40-23 rebound advantage ... Junior G **Craig Hannon** led all scorers with 22 points on 8-of-17 shooting from the floor, including 6-of-13 from 3-point range ... The Golden Tornadoes shot 58.3 percent (28-48) from the field, while holding the Titans to 41.5 percent (27-65) ... Senior G **Greg Rosatelli** finished with 14 points, as did freshman F **Ryne Murray** ... Senior G/F **Dom Joseph** bucketed 13 points and senior G **Nick Adams** netted 10 ... Westminster led 52-46 with 15:13 remaining when Geneva went on a 17-0 run for a 63-52 lead with 6:38 to go ... Westminster surged back and tied the game 76-76 with 1:14 left, but could not re-take the lead.



## Saint Vincent Bearcats

The Bearcats spread the minutes and the points this week in two home victories, as Saint Vincent topped Penn State-DuBois (65-56) on Monday and Franciscan-Steubenville (98-47) Saturday ... On Saturday night against Franciscan, all five starters scored in double figures, led by **Tre'sor Kalambay's** 21 ... **Javille Brooks** had a double-double with 19 points and 11 rebounds, while SG **Marc Duncan** had a career-high 11 rebounds.

# PAC MEN'S BASKETBALL PREVIEWS



## Bethany Bison

vs. Carnegie Mellon (12/6 - 7 p.m.)  
vs. Thiel\* (12/9 - 4 p.m.)

The Bison have two home games this week, including match-ups with an NCAA Tournament team from last year and their PAC opener ... BC hosts Carnegie Mellon Wednesday ... Despite losing four starters from last year's 20-6 UAA championship team, CMU is off to a 3-2 start ... Last year, the Tartans, who lead the series 29-24, pulled out an 87-85 victory in Pittsburgh ... **Marc Palermo** had 12 and **James Wallace** scored 10 in the loss ... Bethany begins defense of its two consecutive PAC titles Saturday when they host Thiel ... BC will put their record 24-game PAC winning streak on the line ... The Bison won all three meetings with the Tomcats last season and lead the series 97-41.

## Grove City Wolverines

at Juniata (12/4 - 7 p.m.)  
vs. Waynesburg\* (12/9 - 3 p.m.)



Grove City visits Juniata Monday in a final tune-up for the start of PAC play ... The Wolverines have won three straight against Juniata, including a 63-60 home win Dec. 5, 2005 ... **Shawn Carr** fired in a career-high 25 points to pace GCC, which leads the all-time series with Juniata, 15-12 ... Grove City opens league play with Waynesburg Saturday ... Waynesburg swept the Wolverines last year, including a 67-60 win in the PAC Tournament quarterfinals ... Grove City did not score a field goal over the final 7:29 ... The Wolverines had won seven straight at home against Waynesburg until a 70-60 loss to the Jackets Jan. 14, 2006.



## Thiel Tomcats

at Bethany\* (12/9 - 4 p.m.)

The Tomcats open their PAC schedule Saturday at Bethany ... The Bison hold a 97-43 lead in the all-time series, which dates back to the 1922-23 season, and are winners of the last six straight contests against the Tomcats ... Thiel's last win against Bethany was a 64-63 home victory on Feb. 2, 2004.



## Thomas More Saints

at Saint Vincent (12/9 - 4 p.m.)

Thomas More opens PAC action in its only game of the week Saturday at Saint Vincent ... It will be the first game between the two schools.



## Washington & Jefferson Presidents

vs. Denison (12/6 - 7:30 p.m.)  
at Westminster\* (12/9 - 6 p.m.)  
(Westminster game on WNJR-FM (91.7);  
mms://media.washjeff.edu/WNJR)

W&J and Denison will meet for the 18<sup>th</sup> time on Wednesday, with the Big Red holding a 10-7 edge in the all-time series ... The schools have not met since the 1991-92 season when Denison earned a 70-62 decision in Granville, Ohio ... W&J recorded a 77-74 victory in the last meeting in Washington, Pa., during the 1990-91 season ... Westminster leads the all-time series with W&J by a 45-19 margin ... Since Westminster joined the PAC, W&J has lost all seven games at Buzz Ridl Gymnasium ... The last W&J team to win in at Buzz Ridl Gymnasium was the 1939-40 Presidents, who earned a 58-57 victory.



## Waynesburg Yellow Jackets

at Franciscan-Steubenville (12/4 - 7:30 p.m.)  
vs. Juniata (12/6 - 7:30 p.m.)  
at Grove City\* - (12/9 - 3 p.m.)

After a 12-day layoff, the Yellow Jackets return to the courts three times, including their home opener against Juniata and their PAC opener at Grove City ... Waynesburg opens the week at Franciscan-Steubenville ... The Jackets then host Juniata for a 7:30 p.m. home-opening contest at the Marisa Fieldhouse ... Waynesburg suffered a 67-61 setback against the Eagles in the 2004-05 season ... The Yellow Jackets return to the road Saturday at Grove City ... Waynesburg won all three of its meetings against the Wolverines last season, including a 67-60 victory in the opening round of the PAC Tournament.

## Westminster Titans

vs. Allegheny (12/6 - 7:30 p.m.)  
vs. Washington & Jefferson\* (12/9 - 6 p.m.)  
(Both on WWNW-FM (88.9) - www.titanradio.net)

The Titans lost at Allegheny, 100-98, in their last meeting a year ago ... **Craig Hannon** scored 24 points and **Steve Bielich** grabbed 15 rebounds in the losing effort ... The Titans split last year with W&J, beating the Presidents at home, 107-103, on Feb. 4 thanks to a career-high 28 points from **Chauncey Whitlow** ... Hannon scored 24 points in a 108-86 loss at W&J on



## Saint Vincent Bearcats

vs. Penn St.-Beaver (12/4 - 7 p.m.)  
vs. Thomas More (12/9 - 4 p.m.)  
(Thomas More game webcast -  
www.redzonemedia.com)

Saturday's game against Thomas More will be SVC's first against a PAC opponent this year ... It will also be SVC's first afternoon home game in several years ... Bearcat senior **G Ian McCollough** may be lost for the season with a knee injury ... He has not played since the second game of the year.