



MEN'S BASKETBALL

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CURRENT REGULAR SEASON STANDINGS (as of December 15, 2002)

School	PAC Games			All Games		
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
Grove City College	0	0	.000	6	0	1.00
Westminster College	0	0	.000	3	4	.429
Waynesburg College	0	0	.000	2	4	.333
Thiel College	0	0	.000	2	5	.286
Bethany College	0	0	.000	2	6	.250
Washington & Jefferson College	0	0	.000	1	5	.167

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Monday, December 9

WESTMINSTER 54, Penn State-Behrend 40

Tuesday, December 10

BETHANY 91, Kenyon 90 (OT)

Wednesday, December 11

GROVE CITY 77, La Roche 57

Thursday, December 12

BETHANY 85, Penn State-Altoona 74

Saturday, December 14

Grove City 83, DENISON 66
FRANKLIN & MARSHALL 108, Bethany 43
PITT-BRADFORD 85, Thiel 72
La Roche at Waynesburg - 7:30 p.m.

UPCOMING SCHEDULE

Monday, December 16

Thiel at Gannon - 8 p.m.

Tuesday, December 17

Westminster at Mount Aloysius - 7 p.m.
Hiram at Bethany - 8 p.m.

Friday, December 20

Allegheny at Westminster - 7 p.m.

Saturday, December 21

Washington & Jefferson at Davidson - 1 p.m.

Friday, December 27

Grove City at Otterbein "O" Club Classic- TBA

Saturday, December 28

Bethany vs. Elmira (at Staten Island), 5 p.m.
Grove City at Otterbein "O" Club Classic- TBA

Sunday, December 29

Bethany at Staten Island Tournament, 1 & 3 p.m.
Thiel at Randolph-Macon Tournament, 1 & 3 p.m.

Monday, December 30

Thiel at Randolph-Macon Tournament, 5&7 p.m.
Westminster at Geneva, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, January 3

Grove City at DeSales Tournament, TBA

Saturday, January 4

La Roche at Bethany, 2 p.m.
Waynesburg at Mount Aloysius, 3 p.m.
Pitt-Greensburg at Thiel, 4 p.m.
Washington & Jefferson at Catholic Tournament, 4 p.m.
Grove City at DeSales Tournament, TBA

Sunday, January 5

Washington & Jefferson at Catholic Tournament, TBA

PAC MEN'S BASKETBALL PLAYER OF THE WEEK

MIKE MAJZUN

Bethany College

6-3 Senior Guard

Youngstown, Ohio/Struthers H.S.

Majzun led the Bison to a 2-1 week, with the lone loss coming at #25 ranked Franklin & Marshall, averaging 24.6 points per game in the three contests. He had a career-high 32 points, including six three-pointers, in a win over Kenyon and had 24 points (including the 1,000th-point of his career) in a win over Penn State-Altoona. Majzun closed the week with 18 points against F&M. He shot 60 percent (15-of-25) from 3-point range for the week.

Also nominated was sophomore G/F **Nate Maurer** of Grove City, senior C **Aaron Ankrom** of Waynesburg, and senior C **Greg Foster** of Westminster.

PAC MEN'S BASKETBALL NOTES

Bethany Bison

The Bison picked up their first two wins of the year this week before suffering a historic loss at #25 F&M Saturday ... **Mike Majzun** had a career-high 32 points, while **Derek Hoffman** (22 points, 14 rebounds) and **Josh Polantz** (11 points, 11 assists) recorded double-doubles in the Kenyon win, which was Head Coach **Aaron Huffman**'s first at Bethany ... With 24 points in the PSU-Altoona win, Majzun became the 16th Bethany player to score 1,000 for his career ... Hoffman (19 points, 10 rebounds), Polantz (13 points, 10 assists) and **Matt Drahos** (17 points, 10 rebounds) posted double-doubles ... The loss to #25 F&M was the worst in Bethany history, replacing a 60-point loss against **David Robinson** and Navy in 1985.

Wash. & Jeff. Presidents

Washington & Jefferson was off last week ... The Presidents return to action on Sat., Dec. 21 at NCAA Division I Davidson.

Grove City Wolverines

The Wolverines improved to 6-0 with two double-digit victories last week ... Sophomore **Nate Maurer** fired in a career-high 32 points Saturday as Grove City won at Denison ... Maurer also led Grove City with 14 points against La Roche ... In both games, four Wolverines scored in double figures ... **Tanner Prosser** collected 13 points, eight rebounds and four assists against La Roche, while point guard **Mike Lukcic** had 10 points and a season-high seven assists at Denison ... Currently, five Wolverine regulars have more assists than turnovers ... Grove City will be tested when the Wolverines face defending national champion Otterbein on Dec. 27.

Waynesburg Yellow Jackets

A desperation three-pointer by **Ray Robinson** sailed wide left as Waynesburg could not come back to beat La Roche ... The Redhawks escaped with an 84-83 non-conference win at the Marisa Fieldhouse ... **Aaron Ankrom** scored 26, which included his 1,000th career points, and a jumper with 28 seconds remaining to pull the Jackets within one point ... The Jackets retained possession with 15 seconds remaining, but could not advance the ball past the three-point line, as Robinson tracked down a loose ball and attempted a last-second heave ... Robinson scored a game-high 28 points, while teammate **Mike King** tallied 17 and four assists ... **Dom Joseph** led the Redhawks (3-3) with 16 rebounds and 17 points.

Thiel Tomcats

Thiel fell Saturday at Pitt-Bradford 85-77 in the only contest of the week for the Tomcats ... The Cats held a two-point lead (40-38) at the half but were outscored in the second half by the Panthers 47-32 ... Senior F **A.H. Davis** finished with 21 points and five rebounds while senior G **Shane Manley** scored 19, connecting on 6-of-8 three-pointers ... Junior F **Mike Banach** added 11 points, eight rebounds and a career-high eight assists.

Westminster Titans

The Titans won their second straight game on Monday, as Westminster defeated Penn State-Behrend 54-40 in a non-conference contest at Buzz Ridl Gymnasium ... The Titans led by as many as 14 points in the first half and continued to build the lead early in the second period, leading by as many as 20 points on two occasions ... Leading the way was the duo of senior C **Greg Foster** and sophomore G **Justin Crum** with a game-high 12 points apiece ... Foster added a game-high 12 rebounds and three blocked shots, giving him his fifth "double-double" in points and rebounds in seven games this season ... Sophomore G **Chris Hatch** added eight points, while senior G/F **Jeff Simmons** dished out a team-best three assists.

Past PAC Men's Basketball Players of the Week

November 25: Phil Bushre, C, Grove City
December 2: Nate Maurer, G/F, Grove City
December 9: Mike Pamepinto, G, Waynesburg
December 16: Mike Majzun, G, Bethany
January 6:
January 13:
January 20:
January 27:
February 3:
February 10:
February 17:
February 24:

PAC MEN'S BASKETBALL PREVIEWS

BETHANY BISON (2-6 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

vs. Hiram (12/17 - 8 p.m.)
at Staten Island Tournament (12/28-29)
vs. La Roche (1/4 - 2 p.m.)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: Bethany leads the all-time series against Hiram, a former PAC school, 29-22 ... The teams have not met since 1991, a 97-89 Bethany victory.

GROVE CITY WOLVERINES (6-0 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

at Otterbein "O" Club Classic (12/27-28)
at DeSales Tournament (1/3-4)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: The Wolverines are idle for 13 days before visiting Otterbein Dec. 27-28 for the "O" Club Classic in Westerville, Ohio.

THIEL TOMCATS (2-5 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

at Gannon (12/16 - 8 p.m.)
at Randolph-Macon Tournament (12/29-30)
at Pitt-Greensburg (1/4 - 4 p.m.)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: The Tomcats will travel the Hammermill Center in Erie to face Gannon University, currently ranked 25th in Division II ... The Golden Knights suffered their first loss of the season on Saturday, falling at Kentucky Wesleyan 85-64 ... Gannon holds a commanding 18-2 edge in the all-time series against the Tomcats, winning the last six meetings ... This will be the first meeting between the two schools since the 1961-62 season.

WASH. & JEFF. PRESIDENTS (1-5 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

at Davidson (12/21 - 1 p.m.)
at Catholic Tournament (1/4-5)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: W&J travels to Division I Davidson for the third consecutive season to play the Wildcats ... DC picked up a 91-47 win last season despite leading by just six points (36-30) at halftime ... Senior guard **Nolan Larry** scored a game-high 22 points, including 15 of the Presidents' 30 halftime points ... Davidson pulled away in the second half as it limited W&J to 21 percent shooting, while hitting 66 percent of its shots.

WAYNESBURG YELLOW JACKETS (2-4 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

at Pitt-Greensburg (12/16 - 7:30 p.m.)
at Mount Aloysius (1/4 - 3 p.m.)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: Waynesburg plays Monday before a long holiday break ... The Jackets will travel to Pitt-Greensburg for a 7:30 p.m. tip off, and will not return to action until Jan. 4 at Mount Aloysius ... Last year, Waynesburg's 91-79 win over the Bobcats spurred a season-high seven-game win streak ... The Bobcats are led by **Kevin Conlon's** 17 points per game ... The Jackets are led by **Ray Robinson's** 18.5 points per game ... Robinson will be playing against two of his former Uniontown High School teammates, UPG guards **David** and **Scott Winfrey**.

WESTMINSTER TITANS (3-4 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

at Mount Aloysius (12/17 - 7 p.m.)
vs. Allegheny (12/20 - 7 p.m.)
at Geneva (12/30 - 7:30 p.m.)

Radio/TV: WWNW-FM (88.9), WKST-AM (1200),
www.nsnsports.com.

Upcoming Game Notes: The Titans play three non-conference games over the holidays ... Westminster posted a pair of wins over Mount Aloysius last year, winning 82-67 at home as **Greg Foster** posted 14 points and nine boards, then winning on the road 71-68 behind a career-best 19 points by **Craig Bohyer** ... Westminster played in the Dad's Holiday Classic at Allegheny last season, but the two teams did not meet ... The Titans lost to Geneva 70-66 on Nov. 23, despite 17 points by **Justin Crum**.