

# MEN'S SOCCER 2007

#### Presidents' Athletic Conference

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# **CURRENT REGULAR SEASON STANDINGS (through August 28, 2007)**

	PAC Contests							All (	All Contests					
<u>School</u>	W	L	T	Pts^	Pct.	<u>GF</u>	<u>GA</u>	W	<u>L</u>	I	Pct.	<u>GF</u>	<u>GA</u>	
Bethany College	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	
Grove City College	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	
Thiel College	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	
Thomas More College	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	
Washington & Jefferson College	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	
Waynesburg University	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	
Westminster College	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	
Geneva College*								0	0	0	.000	0	0	
Saint Vincent College*								0	0	0	.000	0	0	

<sup>\* -</sup> NCAA Division III provisional member - not eligible for 2007 PAC championship or player of the week honors

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

#### Friday, August 31, 2007

Mount Union at Westminster - 4 p.m. Geneva at Buffalo State - 5:30 p.m. Penn State-Altoona at Grove City - 5:30 p.m.

#### Saturday, September 1, 2007

Franciscan at Waynesburg - 9 a.m.
Geneva vs. Hilbert (at Buffalo State) - noon
Saint Vincent vs. Baldwin-Wallace (at PS-Behrend) - noon
Point Park at Westminster - 2 p.m.
Susquehanna at Washington & Jefferson - 2 p.m.
Bethany vs. Medaille (at Defiance) - 3 p.m.
Thiel at Mount Aloysius - 3 p.m.
Union at Thomas More (Xavier) - 4 p.m.

### Sunday, September 2, 2007

Bethany at Defiance - 3 p.m. Saint Vincent at Penn State-Behrend Invit. - TBA

#### Monday, September 3, 2007

Penn State-Altoona at Waynesburg - noon

# PAC MEN'S SOCCER CAPSULES

#### Bethany Bison



Bethany, under seventh-year head coach Kosmas Mouratidis, will begin the 2007 campaign this weekend at the Defiance Tourna-

ment ... The season starts Saturday with a stiff test against #24 Medaille, who went 20-1-1 and reached the second round of the NCAA Tournament last year ... On Sunday, BC will play Defiance, who finished 6-12-1 a year ago ... The Bison return 10 lettermen from last year's team that went 14-4-3 and earned a bid to the NCAA Tournament for the first time since 2001 ... The leading returning scorer is junior F Andrew McPherson, while the defense will be led by seniors John Zervos, a three-time All-PAC pick, and Telly Mantziouras, a two-time all-conference selection.

#### Saint Vincent Bearcats



Saint Vincent opens the 2007 season this weekend with a pair of contests at the Penn State-Behrend Invitational in Erie ... The Bearcats lost several key starters to

graduation and have several holes to fill this year ... Brandon Bower will take over as the team's starting keeper ... The team returns its four leading scorers from last year - Ben Fecik, Jason Zielinski, Sean Molyneaux and Dave Lauteri - along with Luis Rodriguez, who missed six games last year with an injury ... The defense, however, lost three starters and will look for younger players to emerge this season.

## Geneva Golden Tornadoes



Todd Beall begins his second year as Geneva's head coach after watching the Golden Tornadoes struggle to a 3-12-3

record in 2006 ... Geneva will field the largest team in school history with a total of 39 players reporting for pre-season camp ... The GTs open the 2007 campaign with a pair of contests at Buffalo State this weekend.

#### **Thiel Tomcats**



The Thiel men's soccer squad and first-year head coach Andy Hoggarth open their 2007 season Saturday at Mt. Aloysius ... Thiel returns six starters

and eight letter winners from last season's team, led by senior MF **Frank Ily** ... Ily has been a staple of the Tomcat program since arriving in 2004, starting every game of his career (52-52) ... Junior B **Nate Knox** has started all 35 games of his career while fellow junior B **Mike Ryan** has appeared in 33 career contests (30 starts).

# **Grove City Wolverines**



After back-to-back ECAC appearances, Grove City is poised to challenge for the PAC title and a berth in the NCAA Division III tournament in 2007 ...

The Wolverines return six starters, including the core of their defense ... D Tom Bresson is a three-year starter while junior Jack Adams is also back at defender ... GK Michael Manahan is back for his third year as starter ... Also back are senior W Chad Ashby, senior MF Barry Snyder and junior Matt Sol ... Ashby led the team with five assists in 2006 ... Junior F Tyler Ferrier ranked second on the team with four goals and 11 points ... GCC graduated all-time leading scorer, Bob McNees (63 goals) ... Grove City opens the season Friday against Penn State-Altoona.

#### Thomas More Saints



Thomas More opens the 2007 season this weekend with a home contest against Union on Saturday at 4 p.m. at Xavier University.

# Washington & Jefferson Presidents



The Presidents open their 2007 season on Saturday when hosting Susquehanna at Alexandre Stadium at 2 p.m. ... Susquehanna opens its season Friday by hosting Pitt-Bradford

... The Crusaders must replace two all-conference performers, a starting goalkeeper and eight letterwinners from last year's 10-8-2 squad ... The 2007 season marks the first for Susquehanna in the Landmark Conference ... W&J will be led by a six-member senior class, which includes all-region defenders senior **Travis Brown** and junior **Ryan McDonald**.

# Waynesburg Yellow Jackets



The Yellow Jackets open the 2007 season with a pair of home contests under head coach Carl Dei Cas ... Waynesburg hosts

Franciscan-Steubenville on Saturday at 9 a.m. in the season opener, followed by a Labor Day noon home contest vs. Penn State-Altoona.

# Westminster Titans



Westminster opens its 2007 season just as it did in 2006 by hosting two games of the Westminster / Grove City Soccer Invitational ... The Titans host Mount Union Friday at 4 p.m., then host Point Park Saturday at 2 p.m. ... Last year, the Titans defeated Pitt-Bradford, 4-3, and lost to

Medaille, 6-1, in the same invitational en route to a 12-7-2 season and a PAC championship ... Westminster returns six starters and 12 lettermen, including team MVP and second-team all-PAC selection **Andrew Saporito**, who led the PAC with 11 assists and tied for the league lead with 35 points.