

MEN'S SOCCER 2003

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CURRENT 2003 REGULAR SEASON STANDINGS (through September 1)

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Grove City College	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	1	.500	3	3
Washington & Jefferson College	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1	1	0	.500	4	4
Westminster College	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1	1	0	.500	6	6
Thiel College	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	1	0	.000	1	3
Bethany College	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	2	0	.000	0	5

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS Friday, August 29 Keene State 6, Westminster 2 (at RIT)

Saturday, August 30 Grove City 3, GENEVA3 - 2OT MARIETTA 3, Washington & Jefferson 2 - OT North Park 1, Bethany 0 (at Ohio Wesleyan) Penn State-Altoona 3, THIEL 1 Waynesburg 4, HILBERT 2 Westminster 4, Scranton 0 (at RIT)

Sunday, August 31 Capital 4, Bethany 0 (at Ohio Wesleyan) Washington & Jefferson 2, Wooster 1 - OT (at Marietta) Waynesburg 5, D'YOUVILLE 0

UPCOMING GAMES
Wednesday, September 3
Pitt-Greensburg at Thiel - 3 p.m.
Grove City at Pitt-Bradford - 4 p.m.
Washington & Jefferson at Bethany* - 5 p.m.
Westminster at Mount Union - 9 p.m.

Friday, September 5 Thiel vs. SUNY-Oswego (at Dickinson) - 7 p.m. Saturday, September 6 Thomas More at Westminster - noon Allegheny at Washington & Jefferson - 1 p.m. Grove City at Pitt-Greensburg - 1 p.m. Waynesburg at Malone - 1 p.m. Thiel at Dickinson College Tournament - 5 & 7 p.m.

PAC Men's Soccer Player of the Week

LUKE BENTON
Waynesburg College
Sophomore midfielder
Somerset, Pa./Somerset H.S.

Benton led Waynesburg to a 2-0 record over the weekend, posting two goals and one assist on 10 shots in non-conference road wins at Hilbert (4-2) and D'Youville (5-0) in New York. He scored the goaheaqd goal in the Hilbert win, then added the first goal of the game against D'Youville.

Other nominees included senior MF Dave Weibe of Bethany, senior F Dustin King of Grove City, freshman F Steven Haylett of Thiel, freshman MF John Mele of Washington & Jefferson, and junior defender Chris Castillo of Westminster.

PAC MEN'S SOCCER NOTES

Bethany Bison

Bethany was blanked in their first two games of the year and finished fourth at the OWU Tournament ... The Bison were a tough-luck loser against North Park, as the Vikings only goal came on a free kick that deflected off a BC defender in the 33rd minute ... Bethany outshot North Park 11-8 but could not find the equalizer ... In the consolation game, Capital scored three times in a 16-minute span in the second half to pull away for a 4-0 triumph ... Midfielder Dave Weibe and defender Lavel Williams were named to the All-Tournament Team.

Wash. & Jeff. Presidents

W&J opened the season at the Marietta Tournament with both games going into overtime ... The Presidents dropped a 3-2 decision to Marietta on Saturday afternoon ... Washington & Jefferson fought back from two one-goal deficits, but the Pioneers won the contest in overtime ... Junior forwards Andy Komar and Mike Chiodo both notched goals for the Presidents ... Freshmen Brandon Bertovich and John Mele scored the W&J goals in a 2-1 overtime win over Juniata on Sunday ... Mele scored his goal one minute into overtime to give W&J its first win of 2003 ... Chiodo is now just seven goals shy of become the all-time leading goal scorer in W&J history.

Grove City Wolverines

The Wolverines opened the 2003 season with a draw at NAIA foe Geneva ... Each team held the lead at one point before settling for the 3-3 tie ... Grove City scored three second-half goals, one each by senior Dustin King, and freshmen Steve Smith and Bob McNees ... King also had an assist, as did junior Peter Williams and sophomore Nathaniel Jones ... In goal, sophomore Joel Gladfelter made 10 saves ... The match was originally scheduled for Grove City but was played in Beaver Falls due to field construction at Grove City ... Grove City's home opener is now set for Sept. 10 against Waynesburg.

Waynesburg Yellow Jackets

After an 0-2 start last year, Waynesburg is off to a 2-0 start this year after the Jackets notched wins over Hilbert (4-2) and D'Youville (5-0) over the weekend ... Midfielders Luke Benton and David Peters compiled two goals and one assist apiece in the two games ... Benton scored a go-ahead goal in Waynesburg's win over Hilbert Saturday giving the Jackets a 2-1 lead ... Waynesburg never trailed after his goal ... In the win over D' Youville on Sunday, Benton scored the first goal of the game before adding an assist ... Senior goalkeeper Justin Fee recorded two saves in each game, as the Jackets outshot their opponents 63-13 in the two games combined.

Thiel Tomcats

The Thiel men's soccer squad opened the 2003 season with a 3-1 loss to Penn State Altoona ... Tomcat freshman and Greenville native Steven Haylett buried a header past PSA keeper Kurtis Wagner on an assist from junior Jason Kolos to pull Thiel to within a goal, 2-1, at the 37:22 mark of the second period ... PS-A freshman David Garcia put the Lions up for good 3-1 at 40:30 in the second half ... Senior goalkeeper David Visnicky had 11 saves in the loss ... PS-A held a commanding 27-7 shot advantage in the match.

Westminster Titans

Westminster split a pair of games to open the 2003 season at the Rochester Institute of Technology Invitational in Rochester, N.Y. ... The Titan booters dropped a 6-2 first-round game to national power Keene State on Friday, but rallied for a 4-0 shutout over Scranton in the consolation game on Saturday ... Senior forwards Matt Roser and Todd Fisher scored in the loss to Keene ... Junior defender Chris Castillo scored a pair of goals against Scranton, while junior Zach Saxman and freshman Blake Ordell also tallied goals in the win ... Junior midfielder Sebastian Driver-Salazar had three assists in the Scranton game ... Senior Kevin Humberston played 75 minutes in goal with eight saves, while frosh Tom Hansen had one save in 15 minutes.

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August 31: Luke Benton, MF, Waynesburg

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