

MEN'S SOCCER 2003

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CURRENT 2003 REGULAR SEASON STANDINGS (through September 14)

	PAC Games						All Games					
School	W	L	Τ	Pct.	GF	GA	W	L	Τ	Pct.	GF	GΑ
Washington & Jefferson College	2	0	0	1.00	4	1	3	2	0	.600	8	8
Grove City College	1	0	0	1.00	2	1	2	2	1	.500	10	9
Bethany College	0	1	1	.250	1	3	0	5	1	.083	1	15
Thiel College	0	1	1	.250	2	3	0	5	1	.083	5	17
Westminster College	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1	5	0	.167	9	17
Waynesburg College	0	1	0	.000	1	2	2	3	0	.400	11	13

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS Wednesday, September 10 BETHANY 1, Thiel 1 (2OT) GROVE CITY 2, Waynesburg 1* Pitt-Greensburg 2, WESTMINSTER 0

Saturday, September 13 Washington & Jefferson 2, THIEL 1* Mount Union 2, GROVE CITY 0 PENN STATE-BEHREND 3, Westminster 0 PENN STATE-ALTOONA 6, Waynesburg 0

UPCOMING GAMES Monday, September 15 Hiram at Thiel - 4 p.m.

Tuesday, September 16 Waynesburg at Ohio Valley - 4 p.m.

Wednesday, September 17
Bethany at Grove City* - 4 p.m.
Westminster at Washington & Jefferson* - 5 p.m.

Thursday, September 18 Waynesburg at Thiel* - 4:30 p.m.

Friday, September 19 Westminster at Penn State-Altoona - 8 p.m. Saturday, September 20 Grove City at Bethany* - 1 p.m. Westminster at Frostburg State - 1 p.m. Pitt-Bradford at Waynesburg - 3:30 p.m. Penn State-Behrend at Washington & Jefferson - 7 p.m.

Sunday, September 21 Pitt-Bradford at Thiel - 3:30 p.m.

PAC Men's Soccer Player of the Week

BRANDON BERTOVICH
Washington & Jefferson College
Freshman forward
Weirton, W.Va./Weir H.S.

Bertovich scored the first goal for W&J in their only game of the week, a 2-1 PAC win over Thiel in Greenville which kept the Presidents atop the PAC standings. It was his second goal of the season.

Other nominees included freshman F Michael Sankey of Bethany, senior forward Dustin King of Grove City, freshman MF Colin Sears of Thiel, and senior goalkeeper Kevin Humberston of Westminster.

PAC MEN'S SOCCER NOTES

Bethany Bison

Bethany remained winless but scored its first goal of the season in Wednesday's 1-1 tie with Thiel... The Bison oushot the visitors 20-5 in the game but could muster just the one score... Freshman Michael Sankey scored off a rebound in the 64th minute to tie the game and give the Green and White their first score in over 510 minutes of action...GK Patrick Raney made one save in the game in his first collegiate start... The Bison will have two cracks at Grove City this week to try to get their first win of the season, including a road game Wednesday and a 1 p.m. home kickoff on Saturday.

Wash. & Jeff. Presidents

W&J picked up its second conference victory in as many tires after topping Thiel, 2-1, in Greenville on Saturday ... Freshmen Brandon Bertovich and Brian Witkovitz scored the W&J goals, while junior Mike Chiodo and sophomore Jim Christiana posted assists ... Senior goalie Brad Guinn was awarded the win after blanking the Tomcats for 58 minutes ... With his assist on Saturday, Chiodo moved into second place on the all-time assist list at the College with 18 ... He is also second all-time in scoring (76 points) and goals (29), trailing recent W&J Athletic Hall of Fame inductee Chris Rihn '96, who finished his career with 33 goals and 22 assists for 88 points ... Guinn is also just nine saves away from moving into fourth place on the all-time saves list.

Grove City Wolverines

Grove City opened PAC play with a 2-1 home victory over Waynesburg ... The Wolverines played the final 28 minutes with only 10 players but broke a 1-1 tie on Nathaniel Jones' second goal of the season ... Senior Dustin King gave Grove City a 1-0 lead in the first half with a header ... Peter Williams had the assist while goalkeeper Joel Gladfelter picked up his first conference win ... Mount Union out-shot Grove City 12-7 and scored once in each half ... Gladfelter and freshman Dave Mahtani split time in goal for Grove City ... Seven different players have scored goals for Grove City while six players have at least one assist ... Grove City plays Bethany in back-to-back matches this week.

Waynesburg Yellow Jackets

After a 2-0 start, Waynesburg has now lost three-straight games, including its PAC opener on Wednesday at Grove City, 2-1, when Luke Benton scored the lone goal of the week on a penalty kick to tie the game, 1-1 ... Grove City's Nathaniel Jones would score the game-winner in the 55th minute, just three minutes after Benton's goal ... Waynesburg lost 6-0 on the road at Penn State-Altoona Saturday ... Senior goalkeeper Justin Fee faced 23 shots, 17 of which in the first half, making 16 saves for Waynesburg ... The Jackets return to action this week at Ohio Valley and Thiel for the last of sevenstraight road games to start the season, before their home-opener with Pitt-Bradford on Saturday.

Thiel Tomcats

The Thiel men's soccer team opened up PAC play last week, going 0-1-1... The Tomcats battled Bethany to a 1-1 double overtime tie, the program's first non-loss to Bethany in nine attempts (0-8-1) ... Junior Evan Knox tallied the lone Tomcat goal, while senior GK David Visnicky recorded ten saves in the tie ... Freshman Steven Haylett scored his third goal of the season in the 77th minute against W&J to pull the Tomcats to within one, 2-1, but the Presidents' defense was successful in keeping Thiel from mounting a comeback ... Junior John Bobanick had an assist on the Haylett goal and Visnicky came up with 14 saves in defeat ... The Presidents outshot the Tomcats by a 27-12 margin.

Westminster Titans

The Titan booters saw their loss streak extend to four games with a pair of nonconference shutout losses this week, 2-0 at home to Pitt-Greensburg on Wednesday and 3-0 at Penn State-Behrend on Saturday ... Senior goalkeeper Kevin Humberston posted five saves against UP-G and eight versus PS-B ... The Titans continue their current five-game road swing with three contests, including their PAC opener at W&J on Wednesday.

Past PAC Men's Soccer Players of the Week

August 31: Luke Benton, MF, Waynesburg

September 7: Mike Chiodo, F, Washington & Jefferson

September 14: Brandon Bertovich, F, Washington & Jefferson

September 21:

September 28:

October 5:

October 12:

October 19:

October 26:

November 2: