



MEN'S SOCCER 2005

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CURRENT REGULAR SEASON STANDINGS (through September 18, 2005)

School	PAC Games							All Games					
	W	L	T	Pts*	Pct.	GF	GA	W	L	T	Pct.	GF	GA
Bethany College	2	0	1	7	.833	9	3	6	0	1	.929	11	3
Grove City College	2	0	1	7	.833	6	1	4	1	1	.750	10	4
Thomas More College	1	2	1	4	.375	6	8	2	2	2	.500	8	9
Waynesburg College	0	2	1	1	.167	3	7	3	4	1	.438	18	18
Washington & Jefferson College	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	2	3	0	.400	6	7
Thiel College	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1	3	0	.250	5	6
Westminster College	0	1	0	0	.000	0	2	3	3	0	.500	10	8

* - Seeding for conference tournament based on total points - 3 points for win, 1 point for tie

RECENT RESULTS

Tuesday, September 13

Grove City 1, PITT-BRADFORD 0
 THOMAS MORE 1, Transylvania 0

Wednesday, September 14

BETHANY 2, Waynesburg 0*
 Carnegie Mellon 1, WASHINGTON & JEFFERSON 0
 LAKE ERIE 2, Thiel 1

Saturday, September 17

GROVE CITY 3, Waynesburg 1*
 Thomas More 2, WESTMINSTER 0*
 Bethany 3, PITT-BRADFORD 1

UPCOMING EVENTS

Monday, September 19

Malone at Waynesburg - 4 p.m.

Tuesday, September 20

Thomas More at Ohio Northern - 3 p.m.
 Pitt-Greensburg at Westminster - 4 p.m.
 Washington & Jefferson at Penn State-Altoona - 7 p.m.

Wednesday, September 21

Grove City at Penn State-Behrend - 4 p.m.
 Thiel at Case Western Reserve - 7 p.m.

Thursday, September 22

Bethany at Frostburg State - 4 p.m.
 Washington & Jefferson at Waynesburg* - 5 p.m.

Saturday, September 24

Grove City at Westminster* - 11 a.m.
 Thiel at Waynesburg* - 1 p.m.
 Bethany at Wilmington - 7 p.m.

Sunday, September 25

Washington & Jefferson at Thomas More - 1 p.m.

PAC Men's Soccer Player of the Week

BEN GRAHAM

Thomas More College

Freshman goalkeeper
 Alexnadria, Ky./Holy Cross

Graham posted a pair of shutouts in goal for the Saints last week, as he made a combined 14 saves in TMC wins over Transylvania (1-0) and PAC foe Westminster (2-0). He held both opponents scoreless despite Thomas More being outshot by a combined 44-12 margin in the two contests.

Other nominees included senior D Lavel Williams of Bethany and junior F Bob McNees of Grove City.

PAC MEN'S SOCCER CAPSULES



Bethany Bison

The Bison continued their early season roll with two more wins ... After a scoreless first half, BC scored twice in the final 45 minutes to pull out a 2-0 victory over PAC rival Waynesburg Wednesday ... Junior **Sean Esterbauer** scored his third goal of the year off assists from **Marc Auger** and **Greg Lani** and senior **Lavel Williams** put the game away with a remarkable unassisted goal that he carried from his own side of the field with 1:30 to play ... GK **Kosta Floros** recorded his fourth consecutive shutout by making four saves ... Although the Bison finally gave up a goal Saturday, they rallied with three second-half scores to post a 3-1 win at Pitt-Bradford ... Goals by **Philip Opassinis** and **Ashkan Alavy**, as well as an own goal, gave BC the victory.



Thiel Tomcats

Thiel fell in their only match last week, a 2-1 loss at Lake Erie on Sept. 14 ... The loss was the Tomcats' third-straight 2-1 defeat ... Thiel tied the game at 1-1 in the 23rd minute on freshman **Michael Ryan's** second goal of the season ... Lake Erie's **Alex Goreta** scored the game winner in the 73rd minute on an assist from **Kevin Ankuda** ... Thiel's PAC season opens on Saturday when they head to Waynesburg to take on the Yellow Jackets (1 p.m.).



Washington & Jefferson Presidents

Washington & Jefferson battled Carnegie Mellon to a scoreless tie for 69 minutes on Wednesday, but the Tartans' **Jonathan Browne** scored with 20 minutes remaining for the 1-0 triumph ... Carnegie Mellon outshot the Presidents, 19-6, and GK **Matthew Bazin** recorded his third-straight shutout to start the season ... Freshman **Tyler Hodgins** made a career-high 12 saves in goal to lead W&J ... Washington & Jefferson plays three road contests this week, including conference games at Waynesburg (Thursday) and at Thomas More (Sunday).



Westminster Titans

Westminster outshot visiting Thomas More 24-8 but could not find the back of the net, allowing the Saints to post a 2-0 shutout win in the PAC opener for the Titans Saturday in New Wilmington ... Sophomore **Chris Passione** went the distance in goal for the Titans, making three saves in the loss ... In addition to the shot advantage, Westminster also held a 3-2 advantage in corner kicks in the contest ... The Titans look to snap their current three-game losing streak with a pair of home contests this week, as Westminster hosts Pitt-Greensburg Tuesday and PAC foe Grove City Saturday ... The Titans topped UP-G 1-0 on a goal by **Blake Ordell** in an NCAA Tournament first round game in Greensburg last season.



Grove City Wolverines

Grove City remained undefeated in PAC action with a 3-1 win over Waynesburg Saturday ... Junior **Bob McNees** scored twice and assisted on Grove City's third goal against the Yellow Jackets while sophomore **Barry Snyder** had a goal and an assist ... Senior **Nate Jones** also had an assist ... The Wolverines' shutout streak ended at 440 minutes but **Michael Manahan** earned his fourth win by stopping seven shots ... Junior **Jonathan Mahtani** scored Grove City's lone goal in a 1-0 win at Pitt-Bradford Tuesday ... It was Grove City's third straight shutout victory ... Grove City visits Penn State-Behrend Wednesday before returning to PAC action at Westminster Saturday.



Thomas More Saints

Thomas More got its first two wins of the season, both by shutout, this week – evening their record at 2-2-2 ... The Saints were outshot by a combined 44-12 in the two wins ... Freshman GK **Ben Graham** was in the pipes for all 180 minutes in both games, posting the first two shutouts of his collegiate career ... In the win over Transylvania, the Saints got an early goal and let its defense do the rest of the work ... Three different players scored goals for Thomas More last week: **Kris Weber**, **Cory Paff**, **Bryan Datillo** ... It was the first goal of the season for all three players ... Sunday's game with Washington & Jefferson starts a three-game homestand for the Saints after starting the season with road contests in six of the first seven games.



Waynesburg Yellow Jackets

Waynesburg suffered conference losses to Bethany, 2-0, and Grove City, 3-1, this week ... In the shutout loss to the Bison, the Yellow Jackets were limited to seven shot attempts ... Bethany, however, peppered the Waynesburg net with 22 shots with the bulk of the shots directed to freshman GK **Matt Lamp**, who recorded seven saves in the loss ... The game remained scoreless until the 62nd minute and stayed 1-0 until the final 90 seconds when the Bison added an insurance goal ... On Saturday, the Wolverines claimed their fourth victory over the Yellow Jackets in the last five meetings with three of the wins decided by just one goal ... Grove City took a 2-0 lead before Waynesburg MF **Todd Schollaert** scored his second goal of the season ... Lamp posted 17 saves in the losing effort.

2005 PAC PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

9/4	Luke Benton , F, Waynesburg
9/11	Kosta Floros , GK, Bethany
9/18	Ben Graham , GK, Thomas More
9/25	
10/2	
10/9	
10/16	
10/23	
10/30	