

# SOFTBALL 2008

#### Presidents' Athletic Conference

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# **CURRENT REGULAR SEASON STANDINGS (through March 30, 2008)**

	PAC Games			All Ga	All Games		
School	W	L	Pct.	$\underline{W}$	L	Pct.	
Washington & Jefferson College	2	0	1.00	13	3	.813	
Bethany College	2	0	1.00	6	8	.429	
Westminster College	0	0	.000	7	2	.778	
Waynesburg University	0	0	.000	4	6	.400	
Thiel College	0	0	.000	4	7	.364	
Grove City College	0	0	.000	1	9	.100	
Chatham University	0	2	.000	7	9	.438	
Thomas More College	0	2	.000	3	9	.250	
Saint Vincent College*				9	3	.750	
Geneva College*				8	6	.571	

\*NCAA Division III provisional member - ineligible for conference title and Player of the Week honors

#### RECENT RESULTS

Tuesday, March 25, 2008

WASH. & JEFF. 15-14, La Roche 0-4 Thiel at Hiram - ppd. Carlow at Grove City - ppd.

#### Wednesday, March 26, 2008

WASH. & JEFF. 3-9, Frostburg State 1-1 Geneva 19-14, PS-GREATER ALLEGHENY 2-1 Capital 2-6, THOMAS MORE 0-0 Chatham 12-17, FRANCISCAN 2-8 Westminster at Case Western Reserve - ppd.

# Thursday, March 27, 2008

Geneva 7-16, PENN ST.-BEAVER 3-11 St. Vincent 10-10, PS-GREATER ALLEGHENY 0-6 PENN ST.-BEHREND 8-12, Grove City 5-4 Muskingum at Bethany - ppd. Point Park at Waynesburg - ppd.

#### Saturday, March 29, 2008

Bethany 8-10, CHATHAM 0-0\* SAINT VINCENT 3-13, Thiel 0-2\* Wash. & Jeff. 3-13, THOMAS MORE 1-2\* Grove City at Geneva\* - ppd. to 4/14 Westminster at Waynesburg\* - ppd.

# Sunday, March 30, 2008

Capital 4-6, BETHANY 3-0 ALLEGHENY 1-4, Thiel 0-0 Centre at Thomas More - ppd.

#### UPCOMING SCHEDULE

Monday, March 31, 2008

Juniata at Saint Vincent - 3 p.m.
Penn St.-Behrend at Wash. & Jeff. - 3 p.m.
Geneva at Franciscan - 7 p.m.

## Tuesday, April 1, 2008

Geneva at Bethany\* - 3 p.m. Waynesburg at Carlow - 3:30 p.m. Grove City at Wash. & Jeff.\* - 4 p.m.

## Wednesday, April 2, 2008

Geneva at Thomas More\* - 2 p.m. Mount Aloysius at Saint Vincent - 3 p.m. Muskingum at Bethany - 3 p.m. Westminster at Thiel\* - 3:30 p.m.

#### Thursday, April 3, 2008

Saint Vincent at Waynesburg\* - 3 p.m. La Roche at Grove City\* - 4 p.m. Pitt-Greensburg at Westminster - 4 p.m.

#### Saturday, April 5, 2008

Bethany at Thomas More\* - 1 p.m. Chatham at Westminster\* - 1 p.m. Geneva at Thiel\* - 1 p.m. Wash. & Jeff. at Saint Vincent\* - 1 p.m. Waynesburg at Grove City\* - 1 p.m.

#### Sunday, April 6, 2008

Denison at Washington & Jefferson - 1 p.m.

# PAC Hitter of the Week

# VALERIE SCHULTZ Wash. & Jeff. Junior 1B

Junior 1B Washington, Pa. McGuffey H.S.



Schultz batted .600 (9-

for-15) with one home run, three doubles, nine runs scored and seven RBIs in six games for the Presidents last week,. She led W&J to a perfect 6-0 record (2-0 PAC). Defensively, Schultz did not commit an error in 46 chances at first base.

Also nominated was sophomore 1B Nikki Gillis of Bethany, senior SS Jennifer Quimby of Chatham, junior IF/P Amy Fisher of Grove City, and senior DH Rachael Mudd of Thomas More.

# PAC Pitcher of the Week

# REBECCA NACHREINER Wash. & Jeff.

Junior Pittsburgh, Pa. North Hills H.S.



Nachreiner dominated her opponents last week, posting a 3-0 record and 0.37 ERA. In three complete games, she allowed just one earned run in 19 innings while striking out 17 and limiting teams to a .141 average. Her pitching helped W&J post a perfect 6-0 record for the week, 2-0 vs. PAC competition.

Also nominated was senior **Heather Immesberger** of Bethany.

# PAC SOFTBALL NOTES

# Bethany Bison

Bethany opened PAC action with a sweep of Chatham, winning 8-0 and 10-0 ... A **Bridgette Fauth** home run ignited a six-run fourth inning in

the opener ... Andrea Thomas and Natalie Fisher each drove in two and Heather Immesberger allowed two hits and struck out seven for her fourth career shutout ... Game two saw Danielle Claussen give up just three hits in notching the shutout ... Ashley Marinacci and Stephanie Shafer both had two RBIs, while Brittany Leslie had two hits and scored three runs ... Bethany posted two doubles from Cortney Lax and a homer from Chelsea Butler, but it wasn't enough in a 4-3 loss to Capital Sunday.



## Geneva Golden Tornadoes

Although the weather has not yet heated up, Geneva's bats have started to get warm ... The GTs posted 59 runs in four games last week ...

Geneva's team average skyrocketed 75 points in doubleheaders against Penn State-Greater Allegheny and Penn State-Beaver ... While the offense stole the show, junior P **Ashley Archer** kept the team together with three victories ... Archer pitched 16.2 innings and went 3-0, striking out 19 while walking just three ... **Michawn Rich** had another stellar week going 7-for-13 (.538), but lowering her PAC-leading batting average to .581 ... **Amy Pearce** was 7-for-12 (.583), while freshman **Adriane Blake** was 7-for-15 (.467).



#### Saint Vincent Bearcats

The Lady Bearcats are off to their best start in school history after going 4-0 last week, improving their win streak to six games ... Junior P **Mollie Stock** had an historic week, throwing no-hitters in

wins over Penn St.- Greater Allegheny and Thiel ... She struck out 19 batters in the two games and has now fired three straight no-hitters ... **Ashley Whipkey** also had a strong week in the circle for SVC, earning a pair of wins and striking out 20 ... In Thursday's sweep over PSU-GA, Whipkey was 5-for-7 at the plate with two triples and a double, while **Jenna Bealko**, **Rachel Komarinski**, and **Courtney Buhl** each had three hits in the twinbill.



# Thomas More Saints

Thomas More returned to the field for the first time since March 7 and lost four games at home, including two to Washington &

Jefferson in the PAC opener for both schools ... Senior **Rachael Mudd** led the Saints with a .545 batting average with one RBI ... Junior **Jennifer Lang** had the lone other RBI for the Saints ... Sophomore **Stephanie Stadtmiller** hit .333 with a stolen base ... Wednesday's doubleheader with Geneva will mark the first time the two teams have met in softball ... Thomas More leads the Bethany series, 3-2, including three of four in PAC action.



## Waynesburg Yellow Jackets

Weather and field conditions forced the postponements of a pair of Waynesburg doubleheaders last week ... The Yellow Jackets are sched-

uled to play three doubleheaders this week, beginning Tuesday at Carlow ... Waynesburg has not played a game since March 6 when it concluded its week-long play in the Tucson (Ariz.) Invitational Games.

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# Chatham Cougars

Chatham swept a doubleheader at Franciscan University by game scores of 12-2 and 17-8 ... Senior **Jennifer Quimby** batted a combined 5-for-5 with

four RBIs and four runs scored in the wins ... Chatham opened PAC with two games against Bethany College ... Bethany won game 1 by holding Chatham to two hits in a 8-0 win ... Bethany topped the Cougars in the second game 10-0 and again held the Chatham bats to just 3 hits.



# **Grove City Wolverines**

Grove City opens PAC play Tuesday at W&J ... The Wolverines will then open the home schedule Thursday against La Roche ... GCC will then close its busy week with a home doubleheader

against Waynesburg Saturday in PAC play ... Grove City dropped both ends of a non-conference doubleheader at Penn State Behrend Thursday ... Junior **Amy Fisher** homered and doubled in the opener, while freshman **Lauren Pennell** doubled ... Fisher doubled, singled and drove in three runs in the second fray while Pennell also added two hits.



#### Thiel Tomcats

Thiel dropped a pair of double headers last week, suffering 3-0 and 13-2 losses at Saint Vincent Saturday before falling at Allegheny on Sunday 1-0

and 4-0  $\dots$  The Tomcats will look to host Westminster on Tuesday (3:30 p.m.) before welcoming Geneva on Saturday (1 p.m.) to Tomcat Park.



# Washington & Jefferson Presidents

W&J increased its win streak to eight games after sweeping La Roche, Frostburg State and Thomas More this past week ... The Presidents are off to their best start through 16 games in school history ... W&J hitters combined to post a .449 batting av-

erage during the six victories this week, while three President pitchers limited opponents to a .188 batting average and 0.97 runs per game ... Junior 1B **Valerie Schultz** batted .600 during the week (9-for-15) and drove in seven runs ... The Presidents had 23 extra-base hits during the six games (19 doubles, 4 home runs).



#### Westminster Titans

The Westminster softball team had both of its doubleheaders postponed last week at Case Western Reserve on Wednesday and at Waynesburg on Saturday because of weather

and poor field conditions  $\dots$  No make-up dates have been announced.