



SOFTBALL 2002

Presidents' Athletic Conference
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CURRENT STANDINGS (through April 7, 2002)

School	PAC Games			All Games		
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
Bethany College	2	0	1.00	12	7	.632
Thiel College	2	0	1.00	10	6	.625
Grove City College	0	0	.000	1	8	.111
Waynesburg College	0	2	.000	3	10	.231
Washington & Jefferson College	0	2	.000	0	12	.000
Westminster College*	0	0	.000	9	7	.563

* - Completing reclassification from NCAA Division II - games do not count in conference standings.

THIS WEEK'S RESULTS

Monday, April 1

Thiel 7-4, MOUNT UNION 4-7
Seton Hill 7-6, WASHINGTON & JEFFERSON 3-3

Tuesday, April 2

WESTMINSTER 1-8, Allegheny 0-0

Wednesday, April 3

Carlow at Waynesburg - ppd
Wooster 5, GROVE CITY 3

Thursday, April 4

BETHANY 8-14, Washington & Jefferson 0-0* (both games 5 inns)
Thiel 4-5, WAYNESBURG 1-4*
WESTMINSTER 3-7, Grove City 0-0

Friday, April 5

Slippery Rock at Grove City - ppd.

Saturday, April 6

Bethany at Waynesburg* - ppd.
Pitt-Bradford at Washington & Jefferson - ppd.

Sunday, April 7

Thiel 8-0, ALLEGHENY 6-4
Waynesburg 9-10, PITT-GREENSBURG 6-0
BETHANY 5-5, Muskingum 2-4

NEXT WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Monday, April 8

Waynesburg at Washington & Jefferson* - 3:30 p.m.

Tuesday, April 9

Thiel at Grove City* - 3 p.m.
Bethany at Westminster - 3 p.m.

Wednesday, April 10

Penn State-Behrend at Thiel - 3 p.m.

Thursday, April 11

Grove City at Washington & Jefferson* - 3 p.m.
West Liberty State at Bethany - 3 p.m.
Carnegie Mellon at Westminster - 3 p.m.

Friday, April 12

Slippery Rock at Grove City - 3 p.m.
Washington & Jefferson at Marietta - 4 p.m.

Saturday, April 13

Westminster at Thiel - 1 p.m.
Waynesburg at Bethany* - 3 p.m.

All dates doubleheaders unless noted

PAC SOFTBALL PLAYER OF THE WEEK

RACHAEL SCHAFER

Bethany College
5-8 Junior Pitcher
Pittsburgh, Pa./Perry H.S.

Schafer earned PAC Player of the Week honors for the second straight week after leading the Bison to a 4-0 week, including two wins over defending national champion Muskingum. She posted a 3-0 pitching mark including both Muskingum wins and a five-inning no-hitter versus PAC rival W&J. For the week, she allowed two runs on seven hits in 14 innings with 13 strikeouts, while going 4-of-6 at the plate with a home run, three runs scored and three RBIs.

Also nominated was sophomore pitcher **Allison Atwood** of Grove City, senior pitcher **Melissa Mosco** of Thiel, and freshman catcher **Jill Shields** of Washington & Jefferson.

PAC SOFTBALL NOTES

Bethany Bison

The Bison opened up PAC play with a sweep of W&J and then took a pair from the defending national champ and current #1 team in the country Muskingum ... In the W&J sweep, **Rachael Schafer** tossed a five-inning no-hitter (the first of her career), while **Nicole Serene** blanked the Presidents on four hits in the second game ... 1B **Jen Kearney** was 4-8 with five RBIs and C **Amy Schafer** was 5-7 in the twinbill ... Rachael Schafer led the sweep of the Lady Muskies, tossing a complete game in the opener and going 2-3 at the plate with a solo homer that tied the game in the fifth and an RBI single in the sixth that finished the scoring ... Schafer came in relief of game two and tossed two scoreless innings for the win.

Wash. & Jeff. Presidents

W&J will be looking for its first victory of the season this week as it plays three doubleheaders, two of which will be at home ... The Presidents dropped four contests last week, including an extra-inning game vs. Seton Hill ... Freshman catcher **Jill Shields** improved her batting average to .435 on the season with a 4-for-8 week at the plate ... She also drove in two runs.

Grove City Wolverines

The Lady Wolverines fell to 1-8 overall with three losses last week ... Sophomore P **Allison Atwood** struck out seven over six innings in a 3-0 loss at Westminster, surrendering just six hits and one earned run ... Atwood, senior P **Laura LeVake** and freshman RF **Stephanie Briggs** each had three hits last week ... Two of Briggs' three hits were doubles, giving the lefty seven total bases this spring.

Waynesburg Yellow Jackets

The Jackets look to capture their first PAC win when they travel to Washington today to play the Presidents.

Thiel Tomcats

After a 27-day layoff due to inclement weather, the Thiel softball team was able to get back into action last week, finishing the week with a 4-2 record ... In their first PAC action of the season, the Tomcats swept a doubleheader at Waynesburg (4-1, 5-4) on April 4 ... Freshman **Nicholette Lucas** went 7-for-8 with three RBI against the Yellow Jackets, while senior pitcher **Melissa Mosco** earned both victories, improving to 8-3 on the year.

Westminster Titans

The Westminster College softball team went 4-0 on the week, as junior pitcher **Darcy Sutton** fired four consecutive shutouts in doubleheader sweeps of Allegheny (1-0 (eight innings) and 8-0 (six innings)) on Tuesday and PAC rival Grove City (3-0, 7-0) on Thursday ... Sutton now has five shutouts on the season and has not been scored against in her last 28.0 innings of work ... Senior OF **Kristie Perrotte** was 3-for-3 with five RBIs in the 8-0 win over Allegheny on Tuesday ... Junior SS **Laura Raible** cracked a grand slam home run in the 7-0 win over Grove City on Thursday ... Freshman 1B **Heidi Kimmel** was 3-for-3 in the 3-0 win over Grove City.

Past PAC Softball Players of the Week

March 11: Laura LeVake, P, Grove City

March 18: Raquel Burns, DH, Bethany

March 25: Amy Schafer, C, Bethany

April 1: Rachael Schafer, P, Bethany

April 8: Rachael Schafer, P, Bethany

April 15:

April 22:

April 29: