



# VOLLEYBALL 2002

## Presidents' Athletic Conference

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## CURRENT REGULAR SEASON STANDINGS (through September 1, 2002)

School	PAC Matches			All Matches		
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
Waynesburg College	0	0	.000	5	1	.833
Westminster College	0	0	.000	2	2	.500
Bethany College	0	0	.000	1	3	.250
Washington & Jefferson College	0	0	.000	1	3	.250
Grove City College	0	0	.000	0	0	.000
Thiel College	0	0	.000	0	4	.000

### THIS WEEK'S RESULTS

#### **Friday, August 30**

Messiah 3, Bethany 0@  
 Case Western Reserve 3, Bethany 1 @  
 Bethany 3, Pitt-Greensburg 0@  
 Mount Union 3, Thiel 0!  
 Siena Heights 3, Washington & Jefferson 0!  
 Washington & Jefferson 3, Thiel 2!  
 Westminster 3, Allegheny 0!  
 Muskingum 3, Westminster 0!  
 Waynesburg 3, Lebanon Valley 2#

#### **Saturday, August 31**

Penn State-Behrend 3, Bethany @  
 Siena Heights 3, Thiel 0!  
 Allegheny 3, Thiel 0!  
 Mount Union 3, Washington & Jefferson!  
 Carnegie Mellon 3, Westminster 0!  
 Westminster 3, Washington & Jefferson 1!  
 Waynesburg 3, Notre Dame (Md.) 0#  
 Waynesburg 3, Philadelphia Bible 0#  
 Waynesburg 3, Washington 0#  
 Waynesburg 3, DICKINSON 0#  
 Lebanon Valley 3, Waynesburg 2#

@ - at Oberlin College Tournament  
 ! - at Mount Union College Tournament  
 # - at Dickinson College Tournament

### NEXT WEEK'S SCHEDULE

#### **Tuesday, September 3**

Bethany at La Roche - 6:30 p.m.  
 Penn State-Behrend at Thiel - 6:30 p.m.  
 Grove City at Mount Union - 7 p.m.  
 Washington & Jefferson at Marietta - 7 p.m.  
 Waynesburg at Fairmont State - 7 p.m.  
 Allegheny at Westminster - 7:15 p.m.

#### **Thursday, September 5**

Carlow at Waynesburg - 6:30 p.m.

#### **Friday, September 6**

Grove City at Baldwin-Wallace Tournament  
 Thiel, Washington & Jefferson at Allegheny Invitational  
 Waynesburg at St. Vincent Invitational  
 Westminster at Wooster Invitational

#### **Saturday, September 7**

Grove City at Baldwin-Wallace Tournament  
 Thiel, Washington & Jefferson at Allegheny Invitational  
 Waynesburg at St. Vincent Invitational  
 Westminster at Wooster Invitational

### **PAC Volleyball Player of the Week**

**KATHY TWADDLE**

**Waynesburg College**

5-11 Senior middle hitter

Cranberry Township, Pa./Seneca Valley H.S.

Twaddle earned the first PAC Player of the Week honor of 2002 after leading Waynesburg to a 5-1 mark and runner-up finish at the Dickinson Red Devil Invitational. In 22 games, she posted 85 kills (3.86 kpg) and 38 blocks (24 solo, 14 assisted) with an attack percentage of .394.

Also nominated was junior OH **Katie Critchfield** of Bethany, sophomore MH **Jessica Erickson** of Thiel, senior S **Andrea Motta** of Washington & Jefferson, and senior MH **Katie Spehar** of Westminster.

## PAC VOLLEYBALL NOTES

### ***Bethany Bison***

The Bison opened the season with a 1-3 mark at the Oberlin Tournament ... Junior **Katie Critchfield** was third on the team with 22 kills and led in hitting percentage (.258) ... Junior **Shae Baxter**, who led the team with 28 kills over the weekend, and Critchfield each posted nine kills in the Pitt-Greensburg win ... Freshman setter **Brittany Vavrek** totaled 99 assists (7.6) in her first collegiate action, including 38 against Case Western.

### ***Wash. & Jeff. Presidents***

The Presidents opened the 2002 season with a 1-3 showing at the Mount Union Tournament this past weekend ... Senior setter **Andrea Motta** was named to the All-Tournament Team after totaling 95 assists, 62 digs, 15 kills and 10 aces in the four games ... Sophomore middle hitter **Jerica Lamens** posted an average of 8.0 kills per game, including an 18-kill performance in the win over Thiel ... Senior outside hitter **Jessica Dott** notched 26 kills in the four games, while freshman middle hitter **Becky Fletcher** amassed 25.

### ***Grove City Wolverines***

The Lady Wolverines begin their quest for their third straight PAC championship ... Grove City returns four starters from ECAC championship team of 2001 ... **Susan Roberts** begins her 18<sup>th</sup> year as the Lady Wolverines' head coach.

### ***Waynesburg Yellow Jackets***

Waynesburg started the 2002 season in full stride over the weekend at the Dickinson College Red Devil Invitational ... The Jackets run of five straight match wins, four of which in 3-0 shutouts, ended in the championship match against defending champion Lebanon Valley, 3-2, Saturday night ... Waynesburg defeated Lebanon Valley in the opening match of pool play on Friday night, 3-2 ... The Jackets recorded four shutout wins over Notre Dame (Md.), Philadelphia Bible, Washington (Md.), and host-team Dickinson in the semifinals, before losing to the Dutchwomen in the finals ... Senior middle hitter **Kathy Twaddle** was named to the All-Tournament team.

### ***Thiel Tomcats***

The Tomcats volleyball squad opened up the 2002 season at Mount Union's Purple Raider Volleyball Tournament ... The Tomcats fell to Mt. Union in their opening match 3-0 and battled PAC rival W&J to a five set, 3-2 loss in Friday's nightcap ... On day two Thiel was defeated by Siena Heights 3-0 and Allegheny 3-0 ... Junior **Jan Willman** led the Tomcats with 31 kills (2.21 K/G) and seven service aces (0.50 SA/G) during the two-day event ... Senior **Tami Hassell** totaled 120 digs (8.57 D/G) in the four-game tourney ... Junior **Tiffany Snyder** tallied 86 assists (6.14 A/G) while sophomore **Jessica Erickson** recorded seven solo blocks and 14 assists.

### ***Westminster Titans***

Westminster went 2-2 at the Mount Union College tournament over the weekend, sandwiching a three-set sweep of Allegheny and a four-set win over PAC rival Washington & Jefferson around three-set losses to Muskingum and Carnegie Mellon ... Senior MH **Katie Spehar** was named to the All-Tournament team ... Spehar had a team-high 11 kills against Allegheny, while senior S **Carolee Reed** set up 39 assists in the win ... Senior MH **Suzanne Fitz** tallied a team-best 19 kills in the win over W&J ... Juniors **Diana Barnes** and **Lindsay Simmons** each posted eight kills against Allegheny and had 13 and 11 kills, respectively, versus W&J ... Westminster hosts Allegheny in its home opener on Tuesday.

### **Past PAC Volleyball Players of the Week**

September 1: Kathy Twaddle, MH, Waynesburg

September 8:

September 15:

September 22:

September 29:

October 6:

October 13:

October 20:

October 27: