

# VOLLEYBALL 2007

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# **CURRENT REGULAR SEASON STANDINGS (through October 7, 2007)**

	PAC Matches			All Matches		
<u>School</u>	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
Thomas More College	8	1	.889	15	7	.682
Westminster College	7	1	.875	11	11	.500
Grove City College	5	1	.833	15	5	.750
Washington & Jefferson College	2	3	.400	11	5	.688
Thiel College	3	5	.375	7	14	.333
Waynesburg University	2	4	.333	6	15	.286
Bethany College	1	6	.143	5	14	.263
Chatham University	0	7	.000	1	16	.059
Saint Vincent College*				17	6	.739
Geneva College*				6	14	.300

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

#### RECENT RESULTS

Tuesday, October 2, 2007

SAINT VINCENT 3, Grove City 0\* (30-23, 30-28, 30-24) WESTMINSTER 3, W&J 2\* (27-30, 30-27, 28-30, 30-16, 15-13) THIEL 3, Waynesburg 1\* (21-30, 30-22, 30-27, 30-27)

Thursday, October 4, 2007 Grove City 3, WASH. & JEFF. 1\* (30-18, 27-30, 33-31, 30-20)

Friday, October 5, 2007 WAYNESBURG 3, La Roche 0 WESTMINSTER 3, Thomas More 1\* (30-25, 30-24, 25-30, 30-19)

#### Saturday, October 6, 2007

Thomas More 3, BETHANY 0\* (30-22, 30-19, 30-18) Geneva 3, BETHANY 1\* (28-30, 30-19, 30-20, 30-26) Saint Vincent 3, BETHANY 0\* (30-17, 30-22, 30-15) Saint Vincent 3, Thomas More 1\*^ (22-30, 30-21, 30-26, 30-24) Geneva 3, Thomas More 0\*^ (30-18, 30-22, 30-25) Saint Vincent 3, Geneva 2\*^ (19-30, 26-30, 30-18, 30-27, 15-5) Thiel 3, CHATHAM 0\* (30-15, 30-19, 30-5) Westminster 3, Thiel 0 *(at Chatham)*\* (30-25, 30-23, 30-19) Westminster 3, CHATHAM 0\* (30-11, 30-7, 30-28)

^ - at Bethany quadrangular - Bethany, W.Va.

#### UPCOMING SCHEDULE

Monday, October 8, 2007 Bethany at Chatham\* - 7 p.m. Washington & Jefferson at Waynesburg\* - 7 p.m.

Tuesday, October 9, 2007 Mount Aloysius at Saint Vincent - 7 p.m.

#### Wednesday, October 10, 2007

Bethany at Westminster\* - 7 p.m. Washington & Jefferson at Geneva\* - 7 p.m. Mount St. Joseph at Thomas More - 7 p.m.

## Thursday, October 11, 2007

Saint Vincent at Thiel\* - 7 p.m. Chatham at Grove City\* - 7:30 p.m.

Friday, October 12, 2007

La Roche at Bethany - 7 p.m.

#### Saturday, October 13, 2007

Waynesburg at Washington & Jefferson\* - noon Chatham at Washington & Jefferson\* - 2 p.m. Chatham vs. Waynesburg (*at W&J*)\* - 4 p.m. Grove City at Westminster\* - 4 p.m. Grove City vs. Geneva (*at Westminster*)\* - 6 p.m. Geneva at Westminster\* - 8 p.m.

#### Saturday-Sunday, October 14, 2007

Thiel at Thomas More Invitational

# PAC Volleyball Player of the Week

#### JESS COOPER Westminster College

5-10 senior middle hitter New Castle, Pa./Laurel H.S.

Cooper led the Titans to a perfect 4-0 week against PAC competition, including a 3-1 win over Thomas More, which was previously unbeaten in conference



play. For the week, she totaled 51 kills (3.92 kpg) and 12 blocks (0.92 bpg). Cooper recorded a team-high 20 kills in the win over Thomas More.

Also nominated was senior OH Lauren Spegal of Bethany, junior MH Natalie Liberati of Grove City, freshman OH Brooke Zeigler of Thiel, senior LIB/S Jenny Schutte of Thomas More, sophomore OH Monika Linden of Washington & Jefferson, and junior MH Amanda Jo Morgan of Waynesburg.

# PAC VOLLEYBALL CAPSULES



#### **Bethany Bison**

The Bison dropped three matches at their quad match Saturday, which featured Thomas More, Geneva and Saint Vincent ... BC fell to Thomas

More in the opening match of the day 3-0, despite nine kills from both Lauren Spegal and Emily Stewart ... Bethany would capture the first game against Geneva but drop the next three ... Spegal totaled 15 kills and Rachael Dunham set a career-high with 28 digs ... The long day ended with a 3-0 loss to Saint Vincent, as Spegal again led the way with nine kills and Kim McKay, who had 85 assists on the day, gave out 24 in the loss ... Spegal's 33 kills during the day brings her up to 1,144 for her career.



## Geneva Golden Tornadoes

Geneva won two out of three at the Bethany guadmatch on Saturday ... After watching a 2-0 lead get erased in a five-game loss to Saint Vincent

in the first match of the day, Geneva quickly rebounded for victories over Bethany and Thomas More ... Sarah Bruck led the offense with 44 kills on the day and posted a .371 hitting percentage ... Along with Adriane Blake, the dynamic duo at the net combined for 81 kills in three matches.



# Saint Vincent Bearcats

The Bearcats enjoyed a perfect 4-0 week, with wins over PAC foes Grove City, Bethany, Thomas More, and Geneva ... In the three-game win over the Wolverines, Jaime Kelly led the way with 15 kills while

Natalie Hozak posted 23 digs ... In SVC's three wins on Saturday, Kelly posted 50 kills and 55 digs while Diana Petrovich added 42 kills ... Lauren Paddick had 16 blocks in the three victories, while Kristin Hozak added 146 assists and eight aces on the day.



# Thomas More Saints

Thomas More had its 11-match overall and 10-match PAC win streaks come to an end as the Saints dropped a four-set match to Westminster ... TMC rebounded to defeat Bethany in three games

Saturday in their only other PAC match, then fell in non-conference action to PAC members Saint Vincent and Geneva ... Senior Jenny Schutte led Thomas More with 109 assists ... Freshman Lindsay Svec recorded a team-high 49 kills, while sophomore Leslie Hoelscher added 46 kills with six blocks ... Freshman Karley Riffe had a team-high 73 digs



# Waynesburg Yellow Jackets

The Yellow Jackets opened the week with a tough 3-1 loss to Thiel before snapping their four-match losing streak Friday with a 3-0 win vs. La Roche

... Playing without All-PAC junior Laurie Lindner, senior Ashley Kreinbrook and junior Amanda Jo Morgan led the offense at Thiel with 16 kills each ... Kreinbrook added 16 digs to register her third kill/dig double-double of the season and eighth of her career ... Against the Redhawks, Morgan registered 12 kills and junior Lindsey Garrison set a career-high with 10 kills and .529 attack % ... Freshman L Rachell Storm had 18 digs, while Lindner had three kills and seven digs in her first match since late September.



# Chatham Cougars

Chatham dropped two PAC matches this week extending its losing streak to 10 contests ... Junior Camille Herby led the defensive effort in a loss to

Westminster by recording 16 digs and 4 blocks ... The Cougars have a busy week with three PAC opponents this week: home vs. Bethany on Monday, at Grove City Thursday, and at Washington & Jefferson Saturday.,



# Grove City Wolverines

Grove City split a pair of road matches last week against PAC opponents ... Thursday, GCC remained in contention for the top seed in the PAC Tournament by earning a 3-1 victory at W&J ...

Natalie Liberati posted 18 kills and six blocks while senior Kate Skinner added 17 kills ... Freshman Kim Budd played libero for the first time this year and racked up 24 digs ... Jen Plyler had 35 digs in Grove City's third straight regular-season win over W&J ... Tuesday . Saint Vincent completed a season sweep of Grove City. 3-0 ... Skinner had 13 kills against the Bearcats ... S Kim Walsh had 30 assists ... Wednesday, Grove City hosts Chatham.



## Thiel Tomcats

The Tomcats went 2-1 in PAC action last week, posting a 3-1 home win against Waynesburg Tuesday before splitting at Chatham's Tri-Match Saturday ...

The Tomcats earned a 3-0 win against the host Cougars before falling to Westminster 3-0 ... Freshman OH Brooke Zeigler registered a career-high 25 kills to go along with 10 digs and three blocks in the win against Waynesburg, its first over the Jackets since Nov. 11, 2001 -- a span of 12 matches ... In the win over Chatham, Zeigler and sophomore OH Cyndi Metzler each finished with nine kills while Zeigler added 10 digs ... Against Westminster Zeigler posted 11 kills and 15 digs.



# Washington & Jefferson Presidents

The Presidents dropped a pair of PAC matches this week to fall under .500 in the league this late in the season for the first time since 2001 ... In the loss to Grove City, W&J was led by sophomore OH Monika Linden with a team-high 13 kills ... Senior OH Gabby

Zagari added 12 kills, 12 digs, four blocks and two service aces, while classmate Emily Yaros amassed 40 assists, nine digs, four blocks and three aces ... Sophomore MH Samantha Butler picked up seven blocks ... Linden notched 17 kills at Westminster on Tuesday ... Zagari and junior OH Summer Baumgard both contributed 12 kills.

# Westminster Titans



Westminster has won six of its last seven matches with four PAC wins last week, including a 3-1 win over Thomas More Friday as the Titans snapped the Saints' 11match win streak ... The Titans also defeated W&J, 3-2 at home Tuesday and Chatham and Thiel, each by 3-0 scores Saturday at Chatham ... Senior MH Jess Cooper led the Titans with 51 kills (3.92/game), 12 blocks

(0.92/game) and a .389 hitting percentage, including 20 kills in the win over Thomas More and 16 in the win over Thiel ... Sophomore OH Sam Botzum led the Titans with 21 kills to go with 19 digs vs. W&J, while junior S Traci Hassell dished out 50 assists.