



VOLLEYBALL 2003

Presidents' Athletic Conference
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CURRENT 2003 REGULAR SEASON STANDINGS (through October 26)

School	PAC Matches			All Matches		
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
Waynesburg College	9	0	1.00	31	4	.886
Washington & Jefferson College	6	3	.667	14	13	.519
Westminster College	5	4	.556	10	19	.345
Grove City College	4	5	.444	9	20	.310
Thiel College	2	7	.222	8	18	.308
Bethany College	1	8	.111	12	15	.444

THIS WEEK'S RESULTS

Tuesday, October 21

GROVE CITY 3, Thiel 1* (30-23, 30-28, 26-30, 32-30)

Wash. & Jeff. 3, WESTMINSTER 1* (28-30, 30-22, 30-26, 30-26)

Wednesday, October 22

Waynesburg 3, BETHANY 1* (30-26, 30-14, 28-30, 30-28)

Thursday, October 23

WAYNESBURG 3, Thiel 0* (30-19, 30-22, 30-20)

Westminster 3, GROVE CITY 0* (30-21, 30-27, 30-27)

Friday, October 24

KENYON 3, Thiel 0#

Bluffton 3, Thiel 1#

CARNEGIE MELLON 3, Washington & Jefferson 0

Saturday, October 25

WAYNESBURG 3, Fairmont State 1

WASH. & JEFF. 3, Bethany 1* (30-26, 30-24, 24-30, 30-26)

Denison 3, Thiel 1#

WAYNESBURG 3, Penn State-Behrend 0

Case Western Reserve 3, Thiel 1#

WAYNESBURG 3, Molloy 0

- at Kenyon College Tournament - Gambier, Ohio

UPCOMING MATCHES

Tuesday, October 28

Bethany at Thiel* - 7 p.m.

Washington & Jefferson at Grove City* - 7 p.m.

Waynesburg at Westminster* - 7 p.m.

Wednesday, October 29

Allegheny at Thiel - 7 p.m.

Friday-Saturday, October 31-November 1

2003 PAC Volleyball Championship Tournament

Hosted by Waynesburg College - Waynesburg, Pa.

Friday, October 31

6 p.m. - #3 Westminster vs. #6 Bethany/Thiel

8 p.m. - #4 Grove City vs. #5 Bethany/Thiel

Saturday, November 1

10 a.m. - #1 Waynesburg vs. lowest remaining seed

noon - #2 Washington & Jefferson vs. highest remaining seed

3 p.m. - Championship match

PAC Volleyball Player of the Week

REBECCA FLETCHER

Washington & Jefferson College

5-11 sophomore middle hitter

Indiana, Pa./Penns Manor H.S.

Fletcher posted 18.0 kills and 5.0 blocks per match as W&J clinched the #2 seed and a first-round bye for the PAC Tournament with league wins over Westminster and Bethany. She posted a match-high 22 kills against the Bison on Saturday.

Also nominated was senior MH Abbey Otto of Bethany, freshman MH Kelly Tinney of Grove City, senior OH Ronnie Jo Meyers of Washington & Jefferson, and senior OH Diana Barnes of Westminster.

PAC VOLLEYBALL NOTES

Bethany Bison

Bethany dropped two PAC matches last week and have lost eight consecutive in the conference ... MH Abbey Otto had 12 kills and Shae Baxter and Katie Critchfield recorded nine kills each as the Bison took PAC leading Waynesburg to four games before falling ... Lindsay Cowser posted 36 assists in the loss, which was the last home match for six BC seniors, including Baxter, Critchfield, Otto, Leah Brock, Jennifer Matovich and Alecia Tomlan ... Bethany dropped a tough one in four games at W&J Saturday... Otto and Baxter totaled 12 kills apiece, while Brittany Vavrek dished out 37 assists ... The Green and White will be no higher than the fifth seed at this weekend's PAC Tournament in Waynesburg.

Wash. & Jeff. Presidents

Washington & Jefferson clinched the No. 2 seed for this weekend's PAC Tournament by posting victories over Westminster and Bethany last week ... Junior OH Jerica Lamens paced the Presidents in the win at Westminster with 22 kills and 12 digs ... Sophomore MH Rebecca Fletcher added 14 kills and five blocks, while fellow sophomore MH Ashley Savage recorded 10 kills, four blocks and four digs ... Lamens led the team with six kills in the loss to the Tartans on Friday in Pittsburgh ... Fletcher then spearheaded the W&J effort against Bethany with 22 kills and five blocks ... Junior OH Mari Lynne Starr added 10 kills, five digs, four blocks and three assists ... W&J, which finished with a 4-4 home record in 2003, heads to Grove City on Tuesday holding a 5-1 road record.

Grove City Wolverines

Grove City fell out of contention for a bye in this weekend's PAC Tournament by losing to Westminster ... Freshman Kelly Tinney posted a career-high 24 kills and six blocks against Thiel while senior Pam Herr collected a career-high 23 digs in the victory ... Sophomore Carly Denniston dished out 46 assists while freshman Carlie Roberts had eight blocks against Thiel ... Westminster picked up its 13th straight win over Grove City Thursday, sweeping the Lady Wolverines ... Grove City has not defeated Westminster since 1996 ... Grove City will honor seniors Renee Allen, Lisa Bodi and Herr prior to Tuesday's match with Washington and Jefferson ... The Lady Wolverines have never finished below .500 in conference play in their 20 seasons of PAC membership.

Waynesburg Yellow Jackets

Waynesburg won five matches this week extending its school-record win streak to 23 matches ... The Jackets began the week with PAC wins at Bethany and home with Thiel on Wednesday and Thursday, before sweeping a home quad match with Fairmont State, PSU-Behrend, and Molloy ... Waynesburg lost only two sets during the week against Bethany and Fairmont State ... Senior OH Ronnie Jo Meyers led the team with 4.47 kills per game during the week, including a 26-kill outing in the win over Bethany ... Meyers also registered 2.53 digs per game this week, which including 11 versus Fairmont ... Sophomore MH Brittany Morrow led the Jackets with 17 kills against Thiel, while for the week she averaged 3.11 kills ... Waynesburg will host the PAC Tournament as the No. 1 seed this weekend.

Thiel Tomcats

The Tomcats dropped all six of their matches last week and have fallen in eight of their last 10 ... Before going 0-4 at the Kenyon College Tournament over the weekend, Thiel fell at PAC rival Grove City 1-3 on Tuesday and lost in straight sets at Waynesburg on Thursday ... Junior MH Jessica Erickson had 20 kills and six blocks at Grove City, while senior S Tiffany Snyder totaled 41 assists ... Senior OH Jan Willman totaled 11 kills and 10 digs in Thiel's straight-set loss at Waynesburg, while senior OH Erin Orahod added 17 digs ... At the four-match Kenyon Tournament, Snyder totaled 184 assists (46 a/match) and 28 digs (7 d/match) and Erickson finished with 36 kills (9 k/match), 24 digs (6 d/match) and 20 blocks (5 b/match).

Westminster Titans

Westminster split a pair of PAC contests last week, falling at home to W&J in four sets before recorded a road sweep of Grove City ... Against W&J, senior OH Diana Barnes posted 12 kills, while sophomore OH Erin Hinks added 10 ... Freshman Rachael Cooper and junior Lauren Lalama set up 21 and 19 assists, respectively ... Barnes added three aces, while senior McKenzie Crowell posted 17 digs and junior Sarah McKain posted six total blocks (two solo, four assisted) ... At GCC, Cooper led the way offensively with 15 kills, followed by Barnes with 11 ... Sophomore Candice Anderson set up a team-high 21 assists ... Junior Sara Miller added a team-high 15 digs, while freshmen Heidi Kracker and Kate McDermott added team-best totals of six service aces and three solo blocks, respectively.

Past PAC Volleyball Players of the Week

August 31: Brittany Morrow, MH, Waynesburg
September 7: Kaci Hlad, MH, Waynesburg
September 14: Brittany Vavrek, S, Bethany
September 21: Shae Baxter, OH, Bethany
September 28: Jerica Lamens, OH, Wash. & Jeff.
October 5: Ronnie Jo Meyers, OH, Waynesburg
October 12: Ronnie Jo Meyers, OH, Waynesburg
October 19: Brittany Morrow, MH, Waynesburg
October 26: Rebecca Fletcher, MH, Wash. & Jeff.