



WOMEN'S BASKETBALL 2002-03

Presidents' Athletic Conference

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CURRENT REGULAR SEASON STANDINGS (through January 5, 2003)

School	PAC Games			All Games		
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
Washington & Jefferson College	0	0	.000	7	1	.875
Bethany College	0	0	.000	11	2	.846
Waynesburg College	0	0	.000	6	4	.600
Thiel College	0	0	.000	5	6	.455
Westminster College	0	0	.000	3	7	.300
Grove City College	0	0	.000	1	9	.100

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Monday, December 16

MOUNT UNION 73, Thiel 51

Tuesday, December 17

BETHANY 84, Muskingum 81

Wednesday, December 18

Thiel 82, LA ROCHE 62

Friday, December 20

THIEL 82, Hiram 48
Ohio Dominican 76, Westminster 65#

Saturday, December 21

Westminster 73, York 36#

Monday, December 30

Wooster 80, GROVE CITY 77 (OT)
BETHANY 83, Ohio-Eastern 40

Friday, January 3

Bethany 77, CATHOLIC 59
Messiah 71, Grove City 42@
GETTYSBURG 84, Westminster 71@
Waynesburg 60, VILLA JULIE 28%

Saturday, January 4

Bethany 83, MARY WASHINGTON 63
PITT-GREENSBURG 62, Thiel 57
Washington & Jefferson 57, ELIZABETHTOWN 45^
Messiah 68, Westminster 56@
GETTYSBURG 85, Grove City 70@
Clarkson 62, Waynesburg 50%

Sunday, January 5

New Jersey 73, Washington & Jefferson 47^

- at Roberts Wesleyan Invitational - Rochester, NY
@ - at Gettysburg Invitational - Gettysburg, PA
% - at Villa Julie Legg Mason Classic - Stevenson, MD
^ - at Elizabethtown Blue Jay Classic - Elizabethtown, PA

UPCOMING SCHEDULE

Monday, January 6

Pitt-Greensburg at Waynesburg - 5:30 p.m.
Westminster at Mount Union - 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, January 7

Frostburg State at Waynesburg - 5:30 p.m.

La Roche at Thiel - 7 p.m.

Wednesday, January 8

Penn State-Altoona at Grove City - 5 p.m.
Bethany at Pitt-Bradford - 6 p.m.

Thursday, January 9

Westminster at Allegheny - 7 p.m.

Saturday, January 11

Juniata at Grove City - 2 p.m.
Mount Aloysius at Waynesburg - 2 p.m.
Thiel at Penn State-Behrend - 6 p.m.

PAC WOMEN'S BASKETBALL PLAYER OF THE WEEK

KELLEY RICHARDSON

Bethany College

6-0 Junior Center

Follansbee, W.Va./Brooke H.S.

Richardson averaged 17.8 points and 6.7 rebounds in four games, leading the Bison to a 4-0 mark over the holidays and the program's first 11-2 record since 1996-97. She also became just the 11th 1,000-point scorer at Bethany with a 28-point performance in an 83-63 win at Mary Washington.

Also nominated was sophomore C **Sandy O'Keefe** of Grove City, junior G **Amanda Swanson** of Thiel, junior G **Shawndra McDonald** of Washington & Jefferson, senior F **Kyana Bradley** of Waynesburg, and senior G **Ashley Kenney** of Westminster.

PAC WOMEN'S BASKETBALL NOTES

Bethany Bison

Four wins over the holidays gave Bethany an 11-2 record, its best start since 19-2 in 1996-97 ... **Kiki Cohen** drilled five triples and scored 19 in the win over Muskingum, which was the 100th in the career of **Jina DeRubbo**, who now has a 103-44 record in six years ... 11 different Bison hit the scorebooks in the rout over Ohio-Eastern ... **C Kelley Richardson** scored 24 and 28 points respectively in the wins at Catholic and Mary Washington and in the process went over 1,000 for her career (1,007) ... She is the 11th player in Bethany history to reach that plateau ... Cohen added 15 points, six assists and five steals against Catholic, while **Stefanie Panas** had a career-high 11 markers against MWC.

Wash. & Jeff. Presidents

W&J dropped its first contest of the season, falling to New Jersey, 73-47, on Sunday in the championship game of the Blue Jay Classic ... The Presidents played both games in the tournament without leading scorer **Leigh Sulkowski** due to injury ... Freshman forward **Amanda Stanonik** led W&J with 15 points on 5-of-10 shooting, adding three rebounds, two blocks and one steal ... Junior G **Shawndra McDonald** netted 10 markers and added seven boards, five assists and three steals ... McDonald led the way in the win over E-town with a 13-point, 10-rebound effort ... Stanonik chipped in with 12 points of 4-of-5 shooting, seven boards and four steals ... W&J outrebounded E-town, 47-35, and shot 38 percent from the floor (22-of-58).

Grove City Lady Wolverines

Grove City opened the new year with a pair of setbacks at Gettysburg College last weekend ... **Abby Moose** earned All-Tournament honors, scoring 17 points against Gettysburg, including three three-point goals ... **Sandy O'Keefe** tossed in 14 points and grabbed 10 boards against the Bullets ... Freshmen **Kellie Kepple** and **Tammy Hess** each set career highs with 11 points ... Hess added five assists while Kepple made her first two career starts over the weekend ... O'Keefe closed 2002 with a breakout game against Wooster, pouring in 28 points and grabbing 11 rebounds ... **Leigh LeGare** tallied a game-high 14 boards against Wooster ... Three of Grove City's next four games are at home.

Waynesburg Yellow Jackets

As the defending champions of the Legg Mason Classic at Villa Julie College, the Waynesburg cruised to a first-round win by topping the host Mustangs, 60-28, Friday night ... The Jackets could not hang on to their title with a 62-50 loss to Clarkson Saturday night ... Senior forward **Kyana Bradley** led the Jackets with 14 points, seven rebounds and seven steals in the opener, while freshman point guard **Rachel Dillon** netted 11 points to go with her four assists ... **Candice Eyerman** scored a team-high 14 points, including two three-pointers, while Bradley recorded 13 points, four steals, and seven rebounds against Clarkson ... The Jackets secured last year's crown with wins over Villa Julie (53-28) and Gallaudet (70-63).

Thiel Tomcats

The Thiel women went 2-2 over the holiday break ... The Tomcats shot 31.6% in their 73-51 loss at Mt. Union on Dec. 16 led by junior G **Amanda Swanson's** 18 points and nine rebounds ... Swanson was one of four player in double digits in the Tomcats 82-62 victory over La Roche on Dec. 18, finishing with a game-high 24 points, eight rebounds and seven steals ... In their 82-48 win over Hiram on Dec. 20, Swanson tallied 19 points and six rebounds while senior G **Mayumi Sasaki** added 14 points, five assists and a career-high nine steals ... Thiel struggled from the field in the first game back after the break, shooting just 31.3% in their 62-57 loss at Pitt-Greensburg on Jan. 4.

Westminster Lady Titans

Westminster went 1-3 in a pair of tournaments over the Holidays ... The Lady Titans split a pair of games at the Roberts Wesleyan Invitational, falling to Ohio Dominican 76-65 before topping York 73-36 ... At the Gettysburg Invitational, WC fell to the host school (84-71) and nationally-ranked Messiah (68-56) ... Senior G **Ashley Kenney** led the team against ODC, tying her season-high with a game-high 23 points, including five treys ... Versus York, sophomore F **Erica Tallo** posted game-high totals of 18 points and 15 rebounds, setting a new career-high in points and falling one short of her career-high in rebounds ... Kenney made the all-tournament team at Gettysburg after averaging 15.0 ppg in two losses.

Past PAC Women's Basketball Players of the Week

November 25: Leigh Sulkowski, G, Wash. & Jeff.

December 2: Katie Hardie, F, Bethany

December 9: Leigh Sulkowski, G, Wash. & Jeff.

December 16: Abby Moose, G, Grove City

January 6: Kelley Richardson, C, Bethany

January 13:

January 20:

January 27:

February 3:

February 10:

February 17:

February 24:

PAC WOMEN'S BASKETBALL PREVIEWS

BETHANY BISON (11-2 Overall, 0-0 PAC) at Pitt-Bradford (1/8 - 6 p.m.)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: Bethany leads the series with Pitt-Bradford 2-0... In last year's meeting in Bethany, **Kelley Richardson** tallied 20 points and nine rebounds in a 69-43 Bison win... This will be Bethany's fourth game this year against AMCC competition... The Green and White has a 3-0 record and have won by an average of 14 points in games against PSU-Behrend, Pitt-Greensburg and Frostburg State.

GROVE CITY LADY WOLVERINES (1-9 Overall, 0-0 PAC) vs. Penn State-Altoona (1/8 - 5 p.m.) vs. Juniata (1/11 - 2 p.m.)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: Grove City, which is still seeking its first home win of the 2002-03 season, hosts non-conference opponents Penn State-Altoona and Juniata this week.

THIEL TOMCATS (5-6 Overall, 0-0 PAC) vs. La Roche (1/7 - 7 p.m.) at Penn State-Behrend (1/11 - 6 p.m.)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: Thiel hosts LaRoche on Tuesday, Jan. 7 for the two schools second meeting of the season ... The Tomcats earned an 82-62 win in Pittsburgh on Dec. 12, led by junior G **Amanda Swanson's** game-high 24 points, eight rebounds and seven steals ... Thiel has not played Penn State Behrend since the 1998-99 season, falling 59-50 at Rissell-Beeghly Gymnasia and 52-40 in Erie.

WASH. & JEFF. PRESIDENTS (7-1 Overall, 0-0 PAC) No Games Scheduled

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: W&J is off this week.

WAYNESBURG YELLOW JACKETS (6-4 Overall, 0-0 PAC) vs. Pitt-Greensburg (1/6 - 5:30 p.m.) vs. Frostburg State (1/7 - 5:30 p.m.) vs. Mount Aloysius (1/11 - 2 p.m.)

Radio/TV: WCYJ-FM (88.7), www.waynesburg.edu; WCYJ-TV (14) - *Tuesday only*

Upcoming Game Notes: Waynesburg looks to avenge 68-57 loss to Pitt-Greensburg on Dec. 14 when it hosts the Bobcats at Marisa Fieldhouse Monday ... The Bobcats are coming off a 62-57 win over Thiel Saturday, which improved their record to 6-3 ... Waynesburg hosts two more games this week including Frostburg State (5-5) on Tuesday and Mt. Aloysius on Saturday ... Frostburg lost to Mt. Aloysius on Dec. 10, 64-60.

WESTMINSTER LADY TITANS (3-7 Overall, 0-0 PAC) at Mount Union (1/6 - 7:30 p.m.) at Allegheny (1/9 - 7 p.m.)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: The Lady Titans play a pair of non-conference road games this week, facing Mount Union of the OAC and Allegheny of the NCAC ... Last season, Westminster dropped a 64-55 home contest to Mount Union, despite 12 points by **Robin Thayer** and a career-high 16 rebounds from **Erica Tallo** ... The Lady Titans defeated Allegheny in New Wilmington last season 65-62, with Thayer leading the way with 14 points.