



WOMEN'S BASKETBALL 2006-07

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Current 2006-07 Regular Season Standings (through January 28)

School	PAC Games			All Games		
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
Westminster College	6	1	.857	14	4	.778
Thomas More College	5	1	.833	15	3	.833
Washington & Jefferson College	5	2	.714	12	7	.632
Waynesburg College	3	4	.429	8	10	.444
Thiel College	2	5	.286	7	11	.389
Bethany College	2	5	.286	6	12	.333
Grove City College	1	6	.143	4	14	.222
Saint Vincent College*	0	0	.000	6	10	.375

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

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Wednesday, January 24

Washington & Jefferson 63, GROVE CITY 51*

THOMAS MORE 73, Waynesburg 44*

SAINT VINCENT 80, Bethany 56*

Westminster 73, THIEL 41*

Saturday, January 27

THIEL 76, Bethany 73*

THOMAS MORE 63, Saint Vincent 49*

Westminster 55, WASHINGTON & JEFFERSON 48*

WAYNESBURG 57, Grove City 49*

UPCOMING SCHEDULE

Monday, January 29

Bethany at Frostburg State – 6 p.m.

Chatham at Saint Vincent – 7 p.m.

Pitt-Greensburg at Westminster – 7 p.m.

Wednesday, January 31

Thiel at Grove City* – 5:30 p.m.

Washington & Jefferson at Waynesburg* – 5:30 p.m.

Saint Vincent at Westminster* – 6 p.m.

Thomas More at Bethany* – 6 p.m.

Saturday, February 3

Bethany at Grove City* – 1 p.m.

Waynesburg at Thiel* – 1 p.m.

Westminster at Thomas More* – 1 p.m.

Washington & Jefferson at Saint Vincent* – 6 p.m.

PAC WOMEN'S BASKETBALL PLAYER OF THE WEEK

KRISTEN HUMPHREY

Thomas More College

5-10 junior forward

New Richmond, Ohio

Cincinnati Hills Christian Academy



Humphrey led the 15-3 Saints to a 2-0 week with wins over PAC rivals Waynesburg (73-44) and Saint Vincent (63-49). For the week, she averaged 16.0 points and 9.0 rebounds per game in the two wins, including her first career double-double with 16 points and a career-best 10 rebounds in the SVC victory.

Also nominated was sophomore F **Mandi Swiger** of Bethany, junior C **Rachel McCoy** of Grove City, sophomore G **Lindsey Hyre** of Washington & Jefferson, sophomore F **Michaelene Jones** of Waynesburg, and junior G/ F **Emilee Ackerman** of Westminster.

PAC WOMEN'S BASKETBALL NOTES



Bethany Bison

Bethany dropped a pair of games on the road last week and now stand at 2-5 in the PAC ... The Bison couldn't recover from a 35-9 first half deficit at Saint Vincent in falling 80-56 ... **Courtney Irwin** had 19 points and nine rebounds and **Mandi Swiger** totaled 15 points and 12 rebounds in the defeat ... BC then suffered a 76-73 loss at Thiel Saturday after nearly overcoming an eight-point deficit in the final four minutes ... Swiger had 22 points and a career-high 16 boards for Bethany, while **Lisa Mitchell** and **Renee Brandenburg** both scored 15 ... The double-double for Swiger was her third in a row and eighth on the season.



Grove City Wolverines

Grove City posted strong starts in each of its two games last week ... Against W&J Wednesday, Gcc led by as many as five in the first half, 27-22, but shot just 29 percent (7 of 24) in the second half ... **Elyse Bogusz** fired in a game-high 16 points while **Brittany Anderson** added 14 points and eight rebounds ... The Wolverines stormed to an 11-0 lead at Waynesburg Saturday, but the Jackets rallied for the win ... **Shannon Overdorff** paced GCC with 15 points while freshman **Laura Miller** added a career-high 10 points ... **Rachel McCoy** had a near triple-double with eight points, 10 rebounds and a career-best nine assists while blocking four shots ... McCoy has 51 blocks, one shy of **Sandy O'Keefe's** season record of 52 in 2003-04.



Thiel Tomcats

Thiel snapped a four-game losing streak with its 76-73 home win over Bethany Saturday ... The Tomcats suffered a 73-41 home loss to Westminster Wednesday ... After leading by four (27-23) going into the half, Westminster opened the game wide open early in the second with a 21-3 run over the first seven minutes of play ... Sophomore G **Diana Schell** paced the Tomcats with 11 points in the loss ... Sophomore F **Amber Bodrick** led the way with 20 points and seven boards in the win against Bethany ... Over four career games against the Bison (2-2), Bodrick has averaged 35.3 points and 11.5 rebounds ... Sophomore G **Jena Cook** scored 16 for the Tomcats while senior G **Nicole Valentino** scored 13 with eight rebounds.



Thomas More Saints

Junior **Kristen Humphrey** averaged 14 points and nine rebounds as Thomas More went 2-0 ... She recorded her first career double-double in Saturday's win over Saint Vincent with 16 points and a career-high 10 rebounds ... Thanks to a 50-24 advantage on the glass against Saint Vincent, Thomas More was +35 in rebounding for the week ... Senior **Megan Wood** recorded her third double figure rebounding performance with 10 boards against the Bearcats ... In the win over Waynesburg, sophomore **Alex Gee** connected on a season-high seven three-pointers for 22 points ... Humphrey and senior **Brooke Warner** also reached double figures with 12 and 14 points, respectively ... Warner needs 14 points to join the Thomas More 1,000-point club



Washington & Jefferson Presidents

Washington & Jefferson split a pair of conference games this week after defeating GCC and falling to Westminster ... The Presidents' bench led the way on Wednesday, scoring 33 of the 63 points ... Sophomore G **Lindsey Hyre** fired in a career-high 12 points (4-of-6 shooting), while junior C **Sarah Hunt** supplied 10 points and eight rebounds ... Freshman PG **Kennan Killeen** scored 14 points, while sophomore F **Emily Hays** added 10 rebounds ... The Presidents held a 13-point lead with 13 minutes remaining Saturday, but the Titans held the Presidents to one field goal over the final 5:42 ... Sophomore F **Maggie Gibson** was the only President in double figures with 11 points ... She also grabbed 12 rebounds.



Waynesburg Yellow Jackets

Waynesburg suffered a 73-44 loss to Thomas More Wednesday before bouncing back with a 57-49 victory over Grove City Saturday ... Against the Saints, sophomore G **Sarah Gossett** scored a team-high 11 points off the bench, while F **Michaelene Jones** added 10 ... Midway through the second half Wednesday, TMC mounted a 15-0 run over a six-minute span ... Saturday, the Wolverines posted an 11-0 run before the Yellow Jackets responded with a 17-4 run ... Waynesburg broke the game open in the second half and took a nine-point lead (55-46) down the stretch ... Senior G **Katie Lewandowski** led the team with 13 points and tied her season high with nine assists ... Jones had 12 points and five rebounds, while senior F **Denise Kennedy** collected 11 boards and two blocks.



Westminster Titans

With road wins over Thiel (73-41) and W&J (55-48), Westminster has moved into sole possession of first place in the PAC ... Junior G/F **Emilee Ackerman** had a game-high 22 points and a career-high 13 rebounds at Thiel ... Freshman C Rachel Martinko also had a career game with a personal-best 13 points to go with seven rebounds ... Against W&J, Westminster ended the game on a 27-7 run that included the game's final 12 points after trailing by five points with 3:51 remaining ... Senior G **Desiree Sterling** registered a double-double by scoring a game-high 17 points and grabbing a season-high 10 rebounds ... Sterling is expected to break the school record for career scoring this week, as she needs 27 points to tie **Robin Thayer's** mark of 1,287 career points.



Saint Vincent Bearcats

The Bearcats split a pair of PAC contests last week, winning 80-56 at home against Bethany Wednesday before dropping a 63-49 road decision at league co-leader Thomas More Saturday ... **Laura Klimchuck** was named the ECAC Division II Player of the Week for the week ending January 21 ... She continued her streak of scoring 20 or more points per game by tallying 20 against Bethany and 26 against Thomas More ... She has now scored at least 20 points in seven straight games ... **Janelle Reed** added 20 against Bethany ... **Caryn Glassbrenner** had six steals against TMC ... The Bearcat defense caused 36 turnovers against Bethany, with Reed earning 7 steals.

PAC WOMEN'S BASKETBALL PREVIEWS



Bethany Bison

at Frostburg State (1/29 - 6 p.m.)
vs. Thomas More* (1/31 - 6 p.m.)
at Grove City* (2/3 - 1 p.m.)

www.teamline.cc (code 3724) - Grove City only

Bethany plays its final non-conference game of the year Monday at Frostburg State before returning to PAC play ... The match-up with the Bobcats will be the 13th all-time between the teams ... BC evened the series at 6-6 last year with a 76-70 home win ... The Bison return home Wednesday for a meeting with Thomas More ... The Saints picked up a 62-44 win over the Bison in Kentucky Jan. 10, despite 12 points from **Courtney Irwin** ... Bethany will be aiming to sweep the season series from Grove City when they visit the Wolverines Saturday ... BC recorded a 61-55 victory Jan. 6.

Grove City Wolverines



vs. Thiel* (1/31 - 5:30 p.m.)
vs. Bethany* (2/3 - 1 p.m.)

Grove City begins a three-game homestand Wednesday against Thiel ... Thiel snatched a 61-56 win over the Wolverines Jan. 10 in Greenville ... Four Wolverines scored in double figures that evening, led by **Elyse Bogusz** with 16 ... Grove City will host Bethany Saturday ... The Bison earned a 61-55 win Jan. 6 at Bethany ... **Rachel McCoy** tallied a 14-point, 14-rebound double-double while Bogusz added 10 against the Bison ... Grove City shot just 29 percent (20 of 68) from the field ... GCC leads the all-time series with Bethany, 26-21 ... McCoy currently has 147 blocked shots in her career and needs four to become Grove City's all-time leading shot-blocker.



Thiel Tomcats

at Grove City* (1/31 - 5:30 p.m.)
vs. Waynesburg* (2/3 - 1 p.m.)
Both games on WPIC-AM (790) and
www.msasportsnetwork.com

The Tomcats continue PAC action this week as they travel to Grove City Wednesday before hosting Waynesburg Saturday ... The Tomcats and Wolverines have met 53 times dating back to the 1976-77 season, with Grove City holding a 38-15 edge in the series ... The Wolverines have claimed six of the last eight matchups despite the Tomcats claiming a 61-56 win on Jan. 10 ... Thiel is 14-37 all-time against Waynesburg but have won five of the last seven meetings ... The Yellow Jackets claimed a 61-58 victory in Waynesburg on Jan. 6.



Thomas More Saints

at Bethany* (1/31 - 6 p.m.)
vs. Westminster* (2/3 - 1 p.m.)
Insight Communications (TV
channels 22/6) - Saturday only

Thomas More owns a 3-0 lead over Bethany, including a 62-44 win earlier this season ... Junior **Kristen Humphrey** had a 17-point, nine-rebound effort in the last meeting ... Senior **Brooke Warner** added 12 points, six rebounds and four assists in the earlier match-up ... The Saints have a 5-0 lead against Westminster after posting a thrilling 58-57 comeback win over the Titans on a free throw by **Gabby Johnson** ... Thomas More trailed by as much as 18 in the second half for the victory ... Warner had her season-high with 15 points in the victory.



Washington & Jefferson Presidents

at Waynesburg* (1/31 - 5:30 p.m.)
at Saint Vincent* (2/3 - 6 p.m.)

Washington & Jefferson and Waynesburg will battle for the 37th time in history with W&J leading the series by a 29-7 margin ... The Presidents have earned 19 straight victories in the series dating back to the Yellow Jackets' 58-57 victory at the Henry Memorial Center on February 8, 1997 ... After the Presidents' 91-58 victory over the Lady Bearcats on Jan. 6th, the series is knotted at two wins a piece ... Saint Vincent has claimed two of the three meetings in history with Washington & Jefferson ... The lone Presidents' win in the series prior to this year came during the 1983-84 season by a 65-63 margin in Washington, Pa.



Waynesburg Yellow Jackets

vs. Wash. & Jeff.* (1/31 - 5:30 p.m.)
at Thiel* (2/3 - 1 p.m.)
WCYJ-FM (88.7); www.waynesburg.edu -
Both games; WCTV (Channel 12) -
Saturday only

The Yellow Jackets look to snap a 19-game losing streak to W&J Wednesday ... The last Waynesburg win over the Presidents came in February, 1997 ... Earlier this season, W&J registered a 64-50 victory ... Senior F **Denise Kennedy** scored 13 points and added six rebounds in the loss, while senior **Katie Lewandowski** netted 11 points ... Saturday, the Yellow Jackets travel to Thiel looking to sweep the season series with the Tomcats ... Waynesburg posted a 61-58 home victory over Thiel behind 18 points from Lewandowski and 15 rebounds from sophomore F **Michaelene Jones**.

Westminster Titans

vs. Pitt-Greensburg (1/29 - 7 p.m.)
vs. Saint Vincent* (1/31 - 6 p.m.)
at Thomas More* (2/3 - 1 p.m.)

WWNW-FM (88.9); www.titanradio.net - all games;
SVC game on Westminster Cable Network (WCN)



The Titans, in sole possession of first place in the PAC for the first time this season, enter a three-game week while riding a season-long six-game win streak ... The last time Westminster played UP-G they lost 69-61 on Dec. 10, 2005 ... Westminster beat Saint Vincent, 67-51, on the road Jan. 10 behind 18 points from **Emilee Ackerman** ... The Titans only PAC loss of the season was at home vs. Thomas More on Jan. 6 when they saw their 18-point, second-half lead erased by Thomas More's game-ending 28-9 run.



Saint Vincent Bearcats

vs. Chatham (1/29 - 7 p.m.)
at Westminster* (1/31 - 6 p.m.)
vs. Washington & Jefferson* (2/3 - 6 p.m.)
Wed/Sat. games - www.redzonemedia.com

The Saint Vincent women's basketball team will face three opponents this week ... After opening the week with a home contest against incoming PAC member Chatham on Monday, the Bearcats travel to Westminster Wednesday and host W&J Saturday ... Saint Vincent lost both of its initial matchups with this week's opponents, falling to the Titans at home 67-51 and dropping a 91-58 decision at W&J.