



WOMEN'S BASKETBALL 2003-04

Presidents' Athletic Conference
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CURRENT REGULAR SEASON STANDINGS (through November 23, 2003)

School	PAC Games			All Games		
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
Grove City College	0	0	.000	2	0	1.00
Bethany College	0	0	.000	1	1	.500
Thiel College	0	0	.000	1	1	.500
Washington & Jefferson College	0	0	.000	1	1	.500
Westminster College	0	0	.000	1	1	.500
Waynesburg College	0	0	.000	0	2	.000

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Friday, November 21
 Bethany 68, CAPITAL 64#
 Grove City 63, Ursinus 51@
 PENN STATE-BEHREND 51, Waynesburg 47 (OT)%

Saturday, November 22

Alma 77, Bethany 72 (OT)#
 Grove City 70, ALLEGHENY 55@
 WOOSTER 66, Thiel 49!
 Lebanon Valley 82, Washington & Jefferson 73\$
 Adrian 66, Waynesburg 44%
 Westminster 64, Manchester 56!

Sunday, November 23

Thiel 57, Manchester 51!
 Washington & Jefferson 60, FRANKLIN & MARSHALL 46\$
 WOOSTER 65, Westminster 57!

- at Capital Classic - Columbus, Ohio
 @ - at Allegheny Tip-Off Tournament - Meadville, Pa.
 ! - at Nan Nichols Classic - Wooster, Ohio
 % - at Penn State-Behrend Invitational - Erie, Pa.
 \$ - at Franklin & Marshall Invitational - Lancaster, Pa.

UPCOMING SCHEDULE

Tuesday, November 25
 Penn State-Behrend at Bethany - 6 p.m.
 Carnegie Mellon at Thiel - 7 p.m.
 La Roche at Waynesburg - 7 p.m.
 Pitt-Greensburg at Westminster - 7 p.m.
 Washington & Jefferson at Allegheny - 7 p.m.

Saturday, November 29

Westminster vs. Emory& - 1 p.m.

Otterbein at Bethany - 3 p.m.

Thiel vs. Staten Island - 6 p.m.^

Sunday, November 30

Thiel vs. St. John Fisher/D'Youville - 1 & 3 p.m.
 Westminster vs. Thomas More/Centre& - 1 & 3 p.m.

& - at Thomas More Invitational - Crestview Hills, Ky.

^ - at St. John Fisher Tournament - Rochester, N.Y.

PAC WOMEN'S BASKETBALL PLAYER OF THE WEEK

SANDY O'KEEFE

Grove City College
 6-2 Junior Center
 Perry, Ohio/Perry H.S.

O'Keefe was named Tournament MVP of the Allegheny Tip-Off Tournament after leading the Lady Wolverines to the title with wins over Ursinus (63-51) and the host Gators (70-55). She averaged 15.0 points and 6.0 rebounds in the two games, while shooting 15-of-22 (68.2%) from the field.

Also nominated was senior C Kelley Richardson of Bethany, senior G Kerry Gutherie of Thiel, senior G Shawndra McDonald of Washington & Jefferson, sophomore F Trista Murphy of Waynesburg, and junior F Erica Tallo of Westminster.

PAC WOMEN'S BASKETBALL NOTES

Bethany Bison

Bethany lost in overtime to Alma (Mich.) in the championship game of the Capital Classic in Columbus, Ohio this weekend by a 77-72 score ... Senior C Kelley Richardson scored a team-high 20 points and added 13 rebounds in the loss, followed by Jenny Place with 18 points ... The game featured 10 ties and seven lead changes ... In the opening round victory over Capital, the Bison were behind 27-26 at the half, but outscored the Crusaders 42-37 to capture the victory ... Richardson and Katie Hardie led the way with 15 points apiece.

Wash. & Jeff. Presidents

W&J opened the season as the No. 25 ranked team in the D3hoops.com preseason poll ... The Presidents lost an eight-point halftime lead in falling to Lebanon Valley, 82-73, on Saturday in the first game of the Franklin & Marshall Tournament ... Senior G Shawndra McDonald led W&J with 20 points, six assists and five rebounds ... Sophomore F Amanda Stanonik made her second career start and notched a double-double with 17 points and 10 rebounds, while sophomore preseason All-American Leigh Sulkowski added 11 points, six rebounds and four steals ... Sulkowski led the Presidents in the win over F&M with 16 points, seven rebounds and six assists ... Sophomore G Courtney Janczak helped W&J fight back from a four-point halftime deficit by scoring 11 points, including three treys.

Grove City Lady Wolverines

Grove City won the Allegheny National City Tip-Off Tournament Saturday as four players scored in double figures in the championship game ... Junior Sandy O'Keefe earned MVP honors after scoring 30 points in the two games ... Sophomore Tammy Hess tossed in a career-high 16 points in the semifinals against Ursinus ... It is Grove City's best defensive effort since holding Washington and Jefferson to 31 points Feb. 2, 1999 ... Grove City did not make a free throw in the win, going 0-for-3 at the line ... It is Grove City's first 2-0 start since the 2000-01 season ... Last year, Grove City did not pick up its second win until Jan. 8, 2003.

Waynesburg Yellow Jackets

Waynesburg tipped off its season with two losses at the Penn State-Behrend tournament over the weekend ... The Jackets lost to the host Lions, 51-47, on Friday, before Saturday's consolation loss to Adrian, 66-44 ... Against Behrend, sophomore guard Candice Eyerman sent the game to overtime on a three-pointer at the buzzer in regulation ... The Lions, however, outscored the Jackets 9-5 in the extra frame ... Sophomore forward Trista Murphy led the Jackets with 16 points, while Eyerman had nine points ... Against Adrian, Waynesburg committed 25 turnovers, while no player scored in double-figures, led by Eyerman's nine points—all on three three-pointers.

Thiel Tomcats

Thiel went 1-1 at the Nan Nichols Classic over the weekend, falling to host Wooster 66-49 before earning a 57-51 consolation victory over Manchester ... Senior G Kerry Gutherie was selected as a member of the All-Tournament team after averaging 11 points, five steals and three assists ... Freshman G Tatiana Lamon had 10 points and eight rebounds in the loss to Wooster ... Gutherie added 10 points and freshman F Fontella Jones had a game-high 11 rebounds ... Junior C Adrienne Mowry led the way vs. Manchester, posting career highs in both points (16) and rebounds (17) ... Thiel outscored Manchester 21-9 over the first 11:40 of the second half ... Jones finished with nine points and nine rebounds in the first start of her collegiate career.

Westminster Lady Titans

Westminster split a pair of games at the Nan Nichols Classic, hosted by the College of Wooster this weekend ... The Lady Titans defeated Manchester 64-56 in the opening round, before falling to the host Scots 65-57 in the title game ... Four Lady Titans scored in double-figures in the win, led by junior F Erica Tallo with game-high totals of 19 points and 11 rebounds ... Junior G Alyson Gasper posted an excellent all-round game with 11 points, 10 rebounds, seven steals and six assists ... Senior G Sarah Scott bucketed a career-high 12 points off the bench, while freshman G Rachel Eaton added 10 markers ... Tallo posted a game-high 20 points and team-high nine rebounds in the loss, while Gasper added team-best tallies of four assists and five steals ... Both Tallo and Gasper were named to the All-Tournament team.

Past PAC Women's Basketball Players of the Week

November 23: Sandy O'Keefe, C, Grove City

November 30:

December 7:

December 14:

January 4:

January 11:

January 18:

January 25:

February 1:

February 8:

February 15:

February 22:

PAC WOMEN'S BASKETBALL PREVIEWS

BETHANY BISON

(1-1 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

vs. Penn State-Behrend (11/25 - 6 p.m.)
vs. Otterbein (11/29 - 3 p.m.)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: The Bison open their home schedule with non-conference games against Penn State-Behrend on Tuesday night and Otterbein on Saturday afternoon.

GROVE CITY LADY WOLVERINES

(2-0 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

Idle

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: Grove City returns to action on Tuesday, Dec. 2 at Carnegie Mellon.

THIEL TOMCATS

(1-1 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

vs. Carnegie Mellon (11/25 - 7 p.m.)
vs. Staten Island (at St. John Fisher) (11/29 - 6 p.m.)
at St. John Fisher Tournament (11/30 - 1 & 3 p.m.)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: The Tomcats fell to CMU last season 78-39 in Pittsburgh...G Heather Abate had nine points and five rebounds in the loss ... Thiel travels to Rochester, N.Y. next weekend to compete in the St. John Fisher Ramada Inn Tournament, hosted by St. John Fisher ... They will take on the College of Staten Island on Saturday afternoon (6 p.m.) and will look to advance to the championship game Sunday (3 p.m.).

WASH. & JEFF. PRESIDENTS

(1-1 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

at Allegheny (11/25 - 7 p.m.)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: Allegheny leads the all-time series with the Presidents by a 12-5 margin ... W&J snapped a five-game losing streak to the Gators last season by posting a 64-55 victory in Washington ... Shawndra McDonald led the way for the Presidents, who ran out to a 37-23 halftime lead, with 24 points and six rebounds ... Leigh Sulkowski added 15 points and six boards ... Jamie Parone and Meredith McDonough scored 13 points apiece for Allegheny ... The Presidents have never won a game versus the Gators in Meadville as AC has won all eight meetings.

WAYNESBURG YELLOW JACKETS

(0-2 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

vs. La Roche (11/25 - 7 p.m.)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: A pair of 0-2 teams square off in non-conference action at the Marisa Fieldhouse ... Waynesburg seeks its first win after losing two games at the Penn State-Behrend tip-off tournament, while the Redhawks lost two games at the Eastern Mennonite Tip-Off Classic in Virginia, to Meredith (100-49) and to the host team (66-49) ... Waynesburg won the teams' only meeting last year, 63-49, at Pittsburgh, led by Candice Eyerma's 15 points and seven rebounds.

WESTMINSTER LADY TITANS

(1-1 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

vs. Pitt-Greensburg (11/25 - 7 p.m.)
at Thomas More Invitational (11/29-30 - 1 & 3 p.m.)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: The Lady Titans host Pitt-Greensburg in their home opener on Tuesday, before traveling to Kentucky after Thanksgiving to face Emory in the first round of the Thomas More Invitational ... Westminster will face either host Thomas More or Centre in the final game of the tournament ... Junior F Erica Tallo is averaging a "double-double" through two games with 19.5 points and 10.0 rebounds per contest.