



WOMEN'S BASKETBALL 2002-03

Presidents' Athletic Conference

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CURRENT REGULAR SEASON STANDINGS (through November 24, 2002)

School	PAC Games			All Games		
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
Washington & Jefferson College	0	0	.000	2	0	1.00
Westminster College	0	0	.000	2	0	1.00
Bethany College	0	0	.000	1	1	.500
Waynesburg College	0	0	.000	1	1	.500
Grove City College	0	0	.625	0	2	.000
Thiel College	0	0	.000	0	2	.000

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Friday, November 22

WILMINGTON 89, Bethany 73#

Walsh 53, GROVE CITY 47\$

Misericordia 63, Thiel 56!

Washington & Jefferson 74, Daemen 63%

ALLEGHENY 79, Waynesburg 54!

Westminster 65, Alfred 53@

Saturday, November 23

Bethany 93, Guilford 68#

Cedarville 64, GROVE CITY 37\$

Waynesburg 50, Thiel 43!

Washington & Jefferson 69, WOOSTER 46%

Westminster 69, PENN STATE-BEHREND 41@

- Wilmington Tournament - Wilmington, Ohio

\$ - Howard Johnson Tipoff Classic - Grove City, Pa.

! - National City Tipoff Tournament - Meadville, Pa.

% - Nan Nichols Classic - Wooster, Ohio

@ - Penn State-Behrend Tipoff Tournament - Erie, Pa.

NEXT WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Monday, November 25

Waynesburg at La Roche - 6 p.m.

Grove City at Geneva - 7 p.m.

Tuesday, November 26

Westminster at Pitt-Greensburg - 6:30 p.m.

Allegheny at Washington & Jefferson - 7 p.m.

Bethany at Penn State-Behrend - 7 p.m.

Thiel at Carnegie Mellon - 7 p.m.

Saturday, November 30

Carnegie Mellon at Grove City - 2 p.m.

Pitt-Greensburg at Bethany - 2 p.m.

PAC WOMEN'S BASKETBALL PLAYER OF THE WEEK

LEIGH SULKOWSKI

Washington & Jefferson College

5-11 Freshman Guard

Upper St. Clair, Pa./Upper St. Clair H.S.

Sulkowski earned the first PAC Women's Basketball Player of the Week award of the 2002-03 season after averaging 23.5 points, 6.5 rebounds and 3.5 steals en route to Tournament MVP honors at the Nan Nichols Classic this weekend. She scored 27 points on 10-of-13 shooting in a 74-63 first round win over Daemen on Friday, then notched 20 points and seven boards in a 69-46 title game win over host Wooster on Saturday. She shot 68% from the field for the weekend (19-of-28).

Also nominated was sophomore guard **Nikki Babik** of Bethany, senior forward **Christy Faller** of Grove City, junior forward **Amanda Swanson** of Thiel, freshman guard **Candice Eyeran** of Waynesburg, and senior guard **Jennifer Petures** of Westminster.

PAC WOMEN'S BASKETBALL NOTES

Bethany Bison

The 24th-ranked Bison split a pair of games at the Wilmington Tournament ... In Friday's opener, #3 Wilmington shot 54 percent from the floor and outrebounded the Bison 43-25 en route to an 89-73 victory over the Bison ... **C Kelley Richardson** totaled 19 points, while G **Nikki Babik** hit five of 10 three-point attempts and scored 15 ... In the consolation game, Bethany rebounded in a big way with a 93-68 drubbing of Guilford ... A 7-7 effort from the foul line helped Babik post a game-high 18 and also help her earn All-Tournament team honors ... F **Katie Hardie** totaled a double-double with 17 points and 12 rebounds, while G **Kiki Cohen** fired in 16 and C **Katie Resanovich** tallied 11 off the bench.

Wash. & Jeff. Presidents

Freshman G **Leigh Sulkowski** led the Presidents to the championship of the Nan Nichols Classic this past weekend ... Sulkowski was named tournament MVP after scoring 23.5 points and adding 6.5 rebounds and 3.5 steals per game ... She notched a game-high 27 points and six boards in Saturday's win, while senior F **Amy Strosnider** notched a double-double with 14 points and 10 caroms ... Junior G **Shawndra McDonald** added 11 points and three assists ... Sulkowski once again led the way in the championship game against Wooster with 20 points, seven rebounds and four steals, while Strosnider, who was named the tournament's defensive MVP added 18 points ... The Presidents opened the season with two victories for the first time since 1993-94.

Grove City Lady Wolverines

Grove City dropped both games at its Howard Johnson Tip-Off Classic last weekend ... Both setbacks came against NAIA schools ... All-Classic selection **Christy Faller** recorded 11 points and seven boards in a 53-47 loss to Walsh Friday night, while no Grove City player reached double-figures in a 64-37 loss to 7-1 Cedarville Saturday ... **Abby Moose** currently leads the team in scoring at 9.5 points per game ... It is Grove City's first 0-2 start since the 1994-95 season when two season-opening losses capped a 28-game skid.

Waynesburg Yellow Jackets

Waynesburg opened the new season by splitting two games at the National City Bank Tournament hosted by Allegheny College over the weekend ... Waynesburg lost to the host Gators, 79-54, as freshmen **Candice Eyerman** scored 16 points in her college debut, while senior **Kyana Bradley** grabbed nine boards to go with her eight points ... In the consolation game, Waynesburg topped PAC foe Thiel, 50-43, in non-conference action behind Eyerman's 18 points and eight rebounds, while fellow freshman **Rachel Dillon** netted 12 points.

Thiel Tomcats

Thiel went 0-2 at the National City Tipoff Tournament, hosted by Allegheny this weekend ... The Tomcats fell to College Misericordia 63-56 in the opener and lost to Waynesburg 50-43 in the consolation game ... Senior G **Mayumi Sasaki** had 13 points and three assists against Misericordia ... Junior F **Amanda Swanson** finished with six points and a game-high 14 rebounds against Misericordia and had game highs in points (20) and rebounds (14) versus Waynesburg ... Junior F **Danielle Mezzullo** scored eight points and grabbed four rebounds in the Waynesburg loss...Swanson was the lone Tomcat to be named to the All-Tournament Team.

Westminster Lady Titans

Westminster captured the 2002 Penn State-Behrend Tipoff Tournament with wins over Alfred (65-53) and the host school (69-41) this weekend ... The Alfred win was the first collegiate head coaching win for new Lady Titan mentor **Rosanne Scott** ... Senior G **Jennifer Petures** had a game-high 16 points against Alfred, while sophomore F **Erica Tallo** and senior F **Samor Himes** each added "double-doubles" ... Petures was named Tournament MVP after recording 16 points, eight rebounds and team-high totals of five assists and five steals in the title game ... She was joined on the all-tournament team by senior G **Ashley Kenney** and Tallo ... Kenney bucketed a game-high 23 points on 11-of-17 shooting against PS-B.

Past PAC Women's Basketball Players of the Week

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

December 2:

December 9:

December 16:

January 6:

January 13:

January 20:

January 27:

February 3:

February 10:

February 17:

February 24:

PAC WOMEN'S BASKETBALL PREVIEWS

#24 BETHANY BISON

(1-1 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

at Penn State-Behrend (11/26 - 7 p.m.)
vs. Pitt-Greensburg (11/30 - 2 p.m.)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: Bethany leads the series with Behrend 11-6, which includes an 82-75 victory in Bethany last season ... **Katie Hardie** delivered 23 points and 12 boards in the victory, which was Bethany's eighth consecutive over the Lions ... The Green and White are unbeaten in five games against Pitt-Greensburg, which includes a 61-54 win last year ... **Kelley Richardson** and **Hardie** finished with 17 points, while **Richardson** grabbed 15 rebounds.

GROVE CITY LADY WOLVERINES

(0-2 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

at Geneva (11/25 - 7 p.m.)
vs. Carnegie Mellon (11/30 - 2 p.m.)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: Grove City is looking to avoid its first 0-3 start since 1993.

THIEL TOMCATS

(0-2 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

at Carnegie Mellon (11/26 - 7 p.m.)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: Carnegie Mellon defeated Thiel 51-49 last season in Greenville ... Junior G **Kerry Guthrie** led the Tomcats with 12 points while junior F **Amanda Swanson** racked up eight points and nine rebounds.

WASH. & JEFF. PRESIDENTS

(2-0 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

vs. Allegheny (11/26 - 7 p.m.)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: Allegheny and W&J meet for the 17th time in history on Tuesday evening with the Gators holding a 12-4 lead in the all-time series ... AC took an 88-85 decision from the Presidents last season in Meadville ... **Rachel Armitage** and **Amy Strosnider** each scored 28 points in the loss.

WAYNESBURG YELLOW JACKETS

(1-1 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

at La Roche (11/25 - 6 p.m.)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: Waynesburg will look for its second consecutive win when the Jackets travel to La Roche for a non-conference contest on Monday night.

WESTMINSTER LADY TITANS

(2-0 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

at Pitt-Greensburg (11/26 - 6:30 p.m.)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: The Lady Titans will try to improve to 3-0 with a road non-conference contest at Pitt-Greensburg of the Allegheny Mountain Collegiate Conference (AMCC) on Tuesday ... The two teams met in the 2000-01 season at Westminster, with the Lady Titans posting a 64-41 victory behind **Samor Himes'** double-double of 11 points and 11 rebounds.