

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL 2004-05

Presidents' Athletic Conference

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CURRENT 2004-05 REGULAR SEASON STANDINGS (through Dec. 5, 2004)

	PAC Games			All Games		
School	<u>W</u>	L	Pct.	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	Pct.
Washington & Jefferson College	0	0	.000	5	1	.833
Westminster College	0	0	.000	4	2	.667
Grove City College	0	0	.000	3	2	.600
Waynesburg College	0	0	.000	3	4	.429
Bethany College	0	0	.000	2	4	.333
Thiel College	0	0	.000	1	6	.143

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Monday, November 29

Washington & Jefferson 75, OHIO WESLEYAN 68 MOUNT UNION 69, Westminster 67

Tuesday, November 30

PITT-GREENSBURG 65, Waynesburg 48 Thiel 75, CARNEGIE MELLON 70

Wednesday, December 1

BALDWIN-WALLACE 84, Grove City 60 WAYNESBURG 49, La Roche 46 WASHINGTON & JEFFERSON 74, John Carroll 64

Friday, December 3

SALISBURY 78, Waynesburg 63!
Daemen 83, Thiel 47\$
Point Park 50, Westminster 48%
WASHINGTON & JEFFERSON 75, Seton Hill 73 (OT)
Mount St. Joseph 69, BETHANY 62%

Saturday, December 4

Grove City 84, WALSH 73 Westminster 58, Mount St. Joseph 53% BETHANY 70, Point Park 67 (OT)% Houghton 65, Thiel 50\$ Waynesburg 77, Christopher Newport 56!

! - at Salisbury Optimist Classic - Salisbury, Md. \$ - at Houghton College Tournament - Houghton, N.Y. % - at Bethany Holiday Classic - Bethany, W.Va.

UPCOMING SCHEDULE

Monday, December 6
Thiel at Chatham - 7 p.m.
Westminster at Wooster - 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, December 7

Penn State-Altoona at Waynesburg - 7 p.m. Bethany at Wittenberg - 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, December 8

Wooster at Grove City - 5:30 p.m. Thiel at Medaille - 7 p.m.

Thursday, December 9

Grove City at Pitt-Bradford - 6 p.m. Waynesburg at Mount Aloysius - 6 p.m.

Friday, December 10

Ursuline at Thiel - 6 p.m.
Westminster vs. Fredonia State - 6 p.m.!

Saturday, December 11

Washington & Jefferson at Carnegie Mellon - 1 p.m. Westminster vs. RIT/Penn State-Behrend - 1 & 3 p.m.! Pitt-Greensburg at Bethany - 2 p.m.

! - at Penn State-Behrend Invitational - Erie, Pa.

PAC WOMEN'S BASKETBALL PLAYER OF THE WEEK

LEIGH SULKOWSKI

Washington & Jefferson College

6-0 Junior Guard

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

Sulkowski earned PAC Player of the Week honors for the second staright week after leading W&J to a 3-0 record last week, averaging 19.3 points, 10.0 rebounds, 2.3 steals, 1.6 blocks and 1.3 assists per game. She scored her 1,000th career point Wednesday, reaching the plateau faster (54 games) than any player in school history.

Also nominated was sophomore F Nicole Vlajkovich of Bethany, senior G Abby Moose of Grove City, sophomore G Nicole Valentino of Thiel, junior G Candice Eyerman of Waynesburg, and senior F Erica Tallo of Westminster.

PAC WOMEN'S BASKETBALL NOTES

Bethany Bison

The Bison went 1-1 last week, winning its game in overtime against Point Park during the Annual Bethany Holiday Classic Saturday ... The loss came against Mount St. Joseph, 69-62, also during the Classic ... Bethany got the win against Point Park after going on an 11-0 run during overtime to turn a five-point deficit (64-59) into a six-point lead (70-64) ... Sophomore Nicole Vlajkovich started and ended the run with free throws, as she finished with 13 points and 14 rebounds in the game ... Vlajkovich was named to the All-Tournament team after averaging 13.0 points and 16.5 rebounds per game in the two contests ... She recorded 13 points and 19 rebounds against Mount St. Joseph.

Wash. & Jeff. Presidents

W&J increased its win streak to five with wins over Ohio Wesleyan, John Carroll and Seton Hill last week ... Junior G Leigh Sulkowski posted a doubledouble with 20 points and 11 rebounds in a 75-68 victory over OWU Monday ... Junior PG Dayna Greenfield netted 15 points and added five assists and two steals ... Greenfield set new career highs with 20 points and 10 assists in the win over JCU ... Sulkowski also added 13 points for the Presidents, including the 1,000th in her career ... Sulkowski became the fastest President to reach 1,000 points (54 games) in school history ... Sulkowski scored 25 points, including the four in the last minute of overtime to lead W&J past Seton Hill in OT on Friday ... She added 12 rebounds and four steals.

Grove City Lady Wolverines

Grove City ventured to Northeast Ohio twice last week, going 1-1 ... Senior Sandy O'Keefe fired in 27 points Saturday as Grove City downed NAIA Walsh, 84-73, avenging a 16-point loss to Walsh Nov. 20 ... Senior Abby Moose added 22 points and seven assists while freshman F Rachel McCoy posted 18 points and nine rebounds ... The Wolverines pumped in 46 first-half points, their largest single-half output since scoring 47 in the second half against Waynesburg Jan. 28, 2004 ... The 84 points are the most for Grove City since defeating Pitt-Bradford, 84-47, Dec. 6, 2000 ... Moose vaulted into 9th place on Grove City's alltime scoring list with 19 points at Baldwin-Wallace Wednesday night.

Waynesburg Yellow Jackets

Waynesburg broke even with a 2-2 mark for the week ... After committing 25 turnovers against Pitt-Greensburg, the Yellow Jackets beat La Roche despite shooting below 30 percent from the field ... Against the Bobcats, senior C Lila St. Denis led the Jackets with 10 points and six rebounds ... In the final seconds of UPG game, senior Ashley Urban sustained an injury that kept her out of the Salisbury Classic ... In her place stepped sophomore G Katie Lewandowski, who in her first two collegiate starts scored 21 and 16 points respectively ... Junior Candice Everman scored a combined 45 points at the Salisbury tournament, including a season-high 27 points (4th highest of her career) in the win over Christopher Newport.

Thiel Tomcats

The Tomcats picked up their first victory of the season Tuesday with a 75-70 win at Carnegie Mellon ... Four players finished in double figures against the Tartans, led by sophomore G Nicole Valentino's game-high 19 points ... Senior F Kristen Benjamin added 15 points and six rebounds ... The squad shot a season-best 48.4% from the field...Thiel went 0-2 at the Houghton College Tournament over the weekend, falling to Daemen 83-47 Friday and Houghton 65-50 Saturday ... Sophomore F Fontella Jones went for 12 points and six rebounds against Daemen while Valentino tallied 13 points in the Houghton loss.

Westminster Lady Titans

The Lady Titans went 1-2 last week, dropping two-point games at Mount Union (69-67) and in the opening round of the Bethany Holiday Classic vs. NAIA Point Park (50-48) before defeating Mount St. Joseph (58-53) at Bethany ... At Mount Union, senior F Erica Tallo posted a team-high 14 points, followed by sophomore G Nicole Fee who tied her careerhigh with 13 points off the bench ... Against Point Park, the Lady Titans rallied from a 15-point deficit to tie the game in the final minute, only the see the Pioneers hit the game-winning layup with five seconds left ... Tallo was named to the all-tournament team at Bethany after posting 14 points and 12 boards vs. PCC and 16 points against Mount St. Joseph.

Past PAC Women's Basketball Players of the Week

November 21: Alyson Gasper, G, Westminster

November 28: Leigh Sulkowski, G, Wash. & Jeff.

December 5: Leigh Sulkowski, G, Wash. & Jeff.

December 12:

January 2:

January 9:

January 16:

January 23:

January 30:

February 6:

February 13:

February 20:

PAC WOMEN'S BASKETBALL PREVIEWS

BETHANY BISON

(2-4 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

at Wittenberg (12/7 - 7:30 p.m.) vs. Pitt-Greensburg (12/11 - 2 p.m.)

Radio/TV: WVBC-FM (88.1)

Upcoming Game Notes: The Bison will take to the road for the first of its two games this week at Wittenberg ... The Bison are 0-2 all-time against Wittenberg ... The Bison will follow with a game at home against Pitt-Greensburg Saturday at 2 p.m. ... Last season, Pitt-Greensburg defeated the Bison in overtime 92-85 ... Greensburg shot 49.3-percent from the field and went 10-for-18 from three-point range to earn the victory ... BC shot 38-percent from the field, including just 1-for-10 in the overtime session.

THIEL TOMCATS (1-6 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

at Chatham (12/6 - 7 p.m.) at Medaille (12/8 - 7 p.m.) vs. Ursuline (12/10 - 6 p.m.)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: The Tomcats have a busy week with three more games, starting on the road against Chatham College Monday ... Thiel will return to the road on Wednesday to take on Medaille College before returning to Beeghly Gymnasium for its 2004-05 home opener on Friday against Ursuline College.

GROVE CITY LADY WOLVERINES (3-2 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

vs. Wooster (12/8 - 5:30 p.m.) at Pitt-Bradford (12/9 - 6 p.m.)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: Grove City plays back-to-back days for the second time this season after the Wolverines' game at Pitt-Bradford was moved from Saturday to Thursday ... **Abby Moose** needs two points to move past **Monica Yustak** for eighth place on Grove City's all-time scoring list ... Yustak scored 960 points from 1984-87 ... Wooster has beat Grove City each of the past two years ... Grove City led by 13 in the second half last year but fell, 77-67 ... Moose led Grove City with 17 points ... Wooster out-rebounded GCC, 54-28 ... Moose scored 18 in Grove City's 61-41 win over Pitt-Bradford last season.

WASH. & JEFF. PRESIDENTS (5-1 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

at Carnegie Mellon (12/11 - 1 p.m.)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: Washington & Jefferson and Carnegie Mellon will meet for the 39th time in history on Saturday at Skibo Gymnasium in Pittsburgh ... The Presidents defeated the Tartans twice last season ... **Leigh Sulkowski** scored 17 points in the 56-44 victory at the Villa Julie Legg Mason Classic, while **Amanda Stanonik** recorded a double-double with 19 points and 10 boards in a 55-46 win in Washington.

WAYNESBURG YELLOW JACKETS (3-4 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

vs. Penn State-Altoona (12/7 - 7 p.m.) at Mount Aloysius (12/9 - 6 p.m.)

Radio/TV: WCYJ-FM (88.7), www.waynesburg.edu
Upcoming Game Notes: Waynesburg won against Penn
State-Altoona 88-83 in double-overtime in the 2002-03
season ... The Yellow Jackets recorded a 64-59 victory
last season, in which a trio of players reached doublefigures led by Trista Murphy with 15 ... Also in doublefigures was point guard Rachel Dillon, who had 11 points
and eight assists in the win ... This will be the second
meeting for Waynesburg against Mt. Aloysius this season
after winning handily 74-52 at home ... Candice Eyerman
led the Jackets with 15 points on 5-of-11 shooting from
beyond the arc.

WESTMINSTER LADY TITANS (4-2 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

at Wooster (12/6 - 7:30 p.m.) vs. Fredonia State (at PS-Behrend) (12/10 - 6 p.m.) vs. RIT/PS-Behrend (at Behrend) (12/11 - 1/3 p.m.)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: The Lady Titans hit the road for three games this week, traveling to face Wooster Monday before competing at the Penn State-Behrend Invitational in Erie this weekend ... Westminster split two games with the Scots a year ago, falling at Wooster 65-57 in the championship of the Nan Nichols Classic before posting a 73-62 home win ... **Erica Tallo** had 20 points and nine rebounds in the first Wooster game, while **Desiree Sterling** scored 17 in the second ... Tallo has 979 career points and needs 21 to reach 1,000 in her Lady Titan career.