

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL 2003-04

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CURRENT REGULAR SEASON STANDINGS (through December 7, 2003)

	PAC Games			All (All Games		
School	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.	
Grove City College	0	0	.000	3	1	.750	
Waynesburg College	0	0	.000	4	2	.667	
Bethany College	0	0	.000	4	3	.571	
Washington & Jefferson College	0	0	.000	3	2	.600	
Westminster College	0	0	.000	3	4	.429	
Thiel College	0	0	.000	2	3	.400	

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS Tuesday, December 2 PITT-GREESNBURG 92, Bethany 85 (OT) Grove City 61, CARNEGIE MELLON 48

Wednesday, December 3 OTTERBEIN 82, Westminster 52 Waynesburg 81, LA ROCHE 68

Thursday, December 4 Baldwin-Wallace 81, GROVE CITY 59

Friday, December 5 Washington & Jefferson 68, Thomas More 65 (20t)! Waynesburg 64, PENN STATE-ALTOONA 59 BETHANY 82, Case Western Reserve 64!

Saturday, December 6 WESTMINSTER 66, Allegheny 58 Case Western Reserve 74, Washington & Jefferson 63! Waynesburg 73, MOUNTALOYSIUS 68 BETHANY 71, Thomas More 65!

! - Bethany Holiday Invitational - Bethany, W.Va.

UPCOMING SCHEDULE Tuesday, December 9 Allegheny at Bethany - 7 p.m.

Wednesday, December 10 Geneva at Grove City - 6 p.m.

Friday, December 12 Grove City vs. Montclair State (at PS-Behrend) - 6 p.m. Saturday, December 13 Thiel at Notre Dame (Ohio) - 2 p.m. Pitt-Greensburg at Waynesburg - 5 p.m. Grove City at Penn State-Behrend Winter Classic

PAC WOMEN'S BASKETBALL PLAYER OF THE WEEK

KELLEY RICHARDSON

Bethany College 6-0 Senior Center Follansbee, W.Va./Brooke H.S.

Richardson was named MVP of the Bethany College Holiday Tournament and averaged 21.7 points, 9.0 rebounds, and 2.3 steals for the 2-1 Bison last week. She shot 77.4% from the field (24-of-31) and 71% from the line (17-of-24) for the week. Richardson posted 24 points and 13 rebounds in an overtime loss at Pitt-Greensburg and added 27 points and eight boards in a win over Case Western Reserve.

Also nominated was junior C Sandy O' Keefe of Grove City, sophomore G Leigh Sulkowski of Washington & Jefferson, junior F Michelle Collins of Waynesburg, and junior F Erica Tallo of Westminster.

PAC WOMEN'S BASKETBALL NOTES

Bethany Bison

Bethany went 2-0 in the Bethany College Holiday Invitational over the weekend, defeating Case Western Reserve and Thomas More ... Senior forward Kelley Richardson was named tournament MVP, while senior Katie Hardie was also named to the all-tournament team.

Wash. & Jeff. Presidents

W&J finished the Bethany Holiday Classic this past weekend with a 1-1 record ... W&J knocked off previously-unbeaten Thomas More on Friday night in double overtime ... Senior G Shawndra McDonald canned a three pointer with eight seconds left in the first overtime to tie the game and then sophomore G Leigh Sulkowski drilled a triple to open the scoring in the second OT ... W&J made all six of its free throws down the stretch to earn the win ... McDonald scored 25 points and dished out a career-high 11 assists ... Sulkowski netted 20 markers, while grabbing six rebounds ... The Presidents played all but 11 minutes without McDonald on Saturday as she was taking the LSAT ... Sulkowski, who was named to the all-tournament team, scored a team-high 22 points in just 24 minutes of action.

Grove City Lady Wolverines

Grove City recorded its first 3-0 start since the 1982-83 season with a win at Carnegie Mellon ... No Grove City player scored more than 10 points in the win but nine different players scored from the field ... Jocelyn Kempema had her first double-double with 10 points and 10 rebounds in the win while Sandy O'Keefe and Abby Moose each had 10 points ... O' Keefe led Grove City with 14 points against Baldwin-Wallace in a matchup of 3-0 teams Thursday night ... B-W broke the game open with a 17-0 run during the middle portion of the game ... Six Grove City players are averaging at least 24.3 minutes per game but none more than 25.8 per game.

Waynesburg Yellow Jackets

Waynesburg is on a four-game win streak after starting the season 0-2 ... The Jackets won three road games this week over La Roche (81-68), Penn State-Altoona (64-59), and Mount Aloysius (73-68) ... Against La Roche, junior F Michelle Collins had a career-high in points (19) and rebounds (17) ... Against Altoona, sophomore G/F Trista Murphy shot 5-of-12 from three-point range before finishing with a team-high 15 points ... Against Mount Aloysius, it was sophomore G Candice Eyerman's turn to show her range; she made 8-of-15 treys for a gamehigh 24 points for her fourth game of her career with eight or more three-pointers ... The Jackets four-game win streak ties the longest streak under fifth-year head coach Terry Acker.

Thiel Tomcats

After a 17-day layoff, the Thiel women's basketball squad will return to action on Saturday, traveling to Notre Dame College (OH) for a 2 p.m. contest ... The Tomcats will play four more contests before Christmas break.

Westminster Lady Titans

The Lady Titans went 1-1 last week, falling at Otterbein 82-52 on Wednesday before snapping a two-game losing streak with a come-from-behind 66-58 home win over Allegheny on Saturday ... At Otterbein, the Ione double-digit scorer was junior F Erica Tallo, who posted team-high totals of 16 points, eight rebounds and four steals ... Freshman G Desiree Sterling added nine points and tied classmate Rachel Eaton for team assist honors with three apiece ... The Lady Titans trailed Allegheny 36-29 at the half, but outscored the Gators 37-22 from there ... Sterling led the team off the bench by bucketing a career-high and team-best 15 points ... Tallo added 14 points and a game-high 14 rebounds for her third double-double of the season, while junior forward Mary Jane Eaton chipped in with 11 points.

Past PAC Women's Basketball Players of the Week

November 23: Sandy O'Keefe, C, Grove City November 30: Candice Eyerman, G, Waynesburg December 7: Kelley Richardson, C, Bethany

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

(4-3 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

vs. Allegheny (12/9 - 7 p.m.)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: The Bison host Allegheny in a non-

conference game on Tuesday.

GROVE CITY LADY WOLVERINES

(3-1 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

vs. Geneva (12/10 - 6 p.m.) vs. Montclair State (at Behrend) (12/12 - 6 p.m.) at Penn State-Behrend Invitational (12/13 - TBA)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: Grove City plays three games this week, starting at home against NAIA Geneva on Wednesday before playing in a tournament at Penn State-Behrend in Erie over the weekend.

THIEL TOMCATS (2-3 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

at Notre Dame (Ohio) (12/13 - 2 p.m.)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: Thiel junior F Adrienne Mowry has provided the Tomcats with a legitimate inside scoring option so far this season ... Mowry, who made just one start during the 2002-03 season, is third in the PAC in free throw percentage (81.6%) and third in both scoring (12.6 ppg) and rebounding (7.8 rpg) while averaging over 25 minutes a game.

WASH. & JEFF. PRESIDENTS (3-2 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

Idle

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: W&J is now off until January 3rd when it competes in the first day of action on the Villa Julie Tournament in Baltimore, Md.

WAYNESBURG YELLOW JACKETS (4-2 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

vs. Pitt-Greensburg (12/13 - 5 p.m.)

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: Waynesburg is off this week for fall semester final examinations, but will return to action at home Saturday at 5 p.m. against Pitt-Greensburg ... UP-G was one of three teams, joining Washington & Jefferson and Grove City, to defeat Waynesburg twice last year ... The Bobcats won 69-57 at Greensburg ... In the latter game, Waynesburg's Ashley Urban scored a game-high 15 points.

WESTMINSTER LADY TITANS (3-4 Overall, 0-0 PAC)

Idle

Radio/TV: none

Upcoming Game Notes: The Lady Titans are off until Thursday, Dec. 18, when they host the College of Wooster in the second game of their current three-game homestand at Buzz Ridl Gymnasium at 6 p.m.