

# 2009 PAC Women's Soccer Release

## Week 9 - October 26



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### 2009 PAC WOMEN'S SOCCER STANDINGS (as of Oct. 25)

School	PAC Contests					All Contests							
	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts!	GF	GA	W	L	T	Pct.	GF	GA
Grove City	5	0	0	1.00	15	16	4	8	5	3	.594	34	25
Thomas More	5	1	0	.833	15	9	3	14	2	0	.875	28	10
Westminster	3	2	0	.600	9	12	6	12	5	1	.694	38	18
Bethany	3	2	0	.600	9	10	4	9	6	2	.588	34	20
Washington & Jefferson	3	2	0	.600	9	13	6	8	6	2	.562	30	16
Waynesburg	2	4	0	.333	6	6	10	6	10	0	.375	19	25
Chatham	1	5	0	.167	3	4	26	5	9	0	.357	30	46
Thiel	0	6	0	.000	0	0	11	2	13	2	.176	5	32
Geneva*								7	8	0	.467	27	22
Saint Vincent*								4	13	0	.235	19	41

! - Point total determines seed for PAC Tournament - 3 points for win, 1 point for tie

\* - NCAA Division III provisional member - not eligible for 2009 PAC championship or player of the week honors

#### LAST WEEK

Tuesday, October 20, 2009

Westminster 1, THIEL 0\*

Bethany 1, WAYNESBURG 0\*

Wednesday, October 21, 2009

GROVE CITY 6, Saint Vincent 0\*

CHATHAM 2, Geneva 1\*

Thomas More 1, WASH. & JEFF. 0\*

Friday, October 23, 2009

WAYNESBURG 1, Thiel 0\*

Saturday, October 24, 2009

BETHANY 6, Chatham 0\*

SAINT VINCENT 3, Geneva 2\*

WASH. & JEFF. 3, Westminster 1\*

Grove City 2, THOMAS MORE 0\*

#### THIS WEEK

Tuesday, October 27, 2009

Bethany at Westminster\* - 3 p.m.

Wednesday, October 28, 2009

Thomas More at Saint Vincent\* - 3 p.m.

Grove City at Chatham\* - 3:30 p.m.

Thiel at Washington & Jefferson\* - 5 p.m.

Waynesburg at Geneva\* - 5 p.m.

Friday, October 30, 2009

Geneva at Thiel\* - 1 p.m.

Saturday, October 31, 2009

Waynesburg at Thomas More\* - noon

Saint Vincent at Chatham\* - 1 p.m.

Grove City at Westminster\* - 3 p.m.

Wash. & Jeff. at Bethany\* - 3 p.m.

#### Offensive Player of the Week

##### CASSIE SPALDING

##### Bethany

Sophomore F

Claysville, Pa.

McGuffey H.S.



Spalding had 3 goals and 3 assists to lead Bethany to a pair of victories last week. She notched the only goal in the Bison's 1-0 win at Waynesburg. In a 6-0 win over Chatham, Spalding accounted for 7 points (2 g, 3 a), the biggest output by a Bethany player since Missy Gibson had 7 points in 2000.

Also nominated was Chatham D **Courtney Korzeniowski**, Grove City M **Emily Ostlund**, Thoams More F **Deanna Goshdigian**, Wash. & Jeff. M **Tiffany Sherred**, Waynesburg F **Courtney Ebersole** and Westminster M **Samantha Killmeyer**.

#### Def./Goalkeeper of the Week

##### BETHANY PRESTON

##### Grove City

Senior GK

Elma, N.Y.

Iroquois H.S.



Preston made six saves in 135 minutes of shutout play last week. She made three saves in the second half of a 6-0 win over Saint Vincent. Preston stopped three shots in 90 minutes in a 2-0 win at Thomas More that gave the Wolverines sole possession of first place in the PAC.

Also nominated was Bethany D **Jen Gallo**, Chatham D **Jen Mullen**, Thomas More GK **Jenna Kramer**, Wash. & Jeff. GK **Stephanie Saussol**, Waynesburg GK **Katrina Kelly** and Westminster GK **Jenn Cantella**.

### PAC WOMEN'S SOCCER 2009 - Week 9 Conference Notes

**PAC PLAYOFFS:** The top of the standings were shook up when Grove City gave Thomas More its first conference loss ... Heading into the final week of the regular season, Grove City looks to defend its current hold on the PAC title and home-field advantage for the conference tournament ... Though it dropped two matches last week, Geneva must gain at least a win and a tie in the final two games of the season to qualify for NCCAA post-season.

**NEWS & NOTES:** By splitting games last week, the Presidents sit in a three-way tie for third place in the conference standings with Bethany and Westminster; however, a victory over the Bison would clinch a spot in the conference tournament and give W&J the tiebreaker against both squads ... The Bison climbed right into the thick of the PAC playoffs chase with a pair of shutouts last week ... Grove City's six-match win streak is its longest since the Wolverines won seven straight Sept. 15-Oct. 5, 2007.

**AROUND THE LEAGUE:** Freshman GK **Jenn Cantella** made 12 saves, 11 vs. W&J and one vs. Thiel, in net for the Titans as her shutout vs. Thiel was her fourth of the season ... Thomas More's GK **Jenna Kramer** has played 1463:57 in goal and has allowed 10 goals and recorded 77 saves as she has a 14-2 record and a 10 shutouts ... Bethany, which was allowed just 5 shots in the last 3 matches, earned its third straight shutout, the most since posting a BC-record 4 clean sheets in 1992.

**Bethany Bison**  
(9-6-2, 3-2 PAC)



The Bison climbed right into the thick of the PAC playoffs chase with a pair of shutouts last week ... Bethany outshot Waynesburg 25-2, but only needed an unassisted goal from **Cassie Spalding** in the 33<sup>rd</sup> minute and one save from **Brittany Sadler** for a 1-0 triumph over the Yellow Jackets ... The Bison exploded for five goals in a span of 16 minutes in the first half against Chatham and coasted to a 6-0 win Saturday ... **Suzy Ruckel** celebrated Senior Day with two goals and Spalding, the PAC leader in goals and points, scored twice and assisted on 3 others for 7 points, the most by a Bison in a match since 2000.

**Chatham Cougars**  
(5-9, 1-5 PAC)



The Cougars ended a four-game Presidents' Athletic Conference (PAC) losing streak this week as they defeated host Geneva in the closing minutes of the match for the first time in school history ... First-year **Maddy Kelly** scored the winning goal for the Cougars on a cross from fellow first-year **Ashley Kostial** ... Geneva is an NCAA Division III provisional member whose results do not count towards overall PAC standings ... Following the victory, Chatham was defeated by Bethany by a score of 6-0 in PAC action.

**Geneva Golden Tornadoes**  
(7-8)



A pair of one-goal losses highlighted a frustrating week for the Geneva women's soccer team ... Close losses to Chatham and Saint Vincent pushed its season long losing streak to five straight games ... **Rebecca Shaw** scored Geneva's lone goal in a 2-1 loss to Chatham and Shaw opened the scoring at Saint Vincent ... **Maura Allen** gave Geneva some life with the game tying goal in the final five minutes at Saint Vincent, but a ricochet shot bounced into the Geneva net with just over one minute remaining in regulation ... Geneva has suffered five one-goal losses this year, including the last three matches.

**Grove City Wolverines**  
(8-5-3, 5-0 PAC)



Saturday, Grove City took control of the race for home-field advantage in the conference tournament by winning at Thomas More, 2-0 ... **Michelle Peck** scored on a penalty kick to break a scoreless tie while **Emily Ostlund** added an insurance goal later in the first half ... **Bethany Preston** stopped three shots to preserve Grove City's fifth shutout of the season ... Wednesday, six different players scored in a 6-0 win over Saint Vincent ... **Elise Bender**, **Cara Colley**, **Arielle Goyzueta**, **Ostlund**, **Peck** and **Grace Rieman** all scored ... Ostlund also had two assists while Bender and Rieman each had assists ... **Keri Ketcham** played the first half in goal while Preston made three saves in the second half.

**Saint Vincent Bearcats**  
(4-13)



The Bearcats split a pair of games on the week ... After falling 6-0 at Grove City on Wednesday, SVC recovered with a dramatic 3-2 win over Geneva on Saturday afternoon, when **Leanna Seminsky** broke a 2-2 tie by deflecting an **Alex Shasko** pass into the net with just 1:02 left in regulation ... Shasko had a big day for the Bearcats in the win, figuring in on all three goals, scoring once while assisting on two others ... **Carly Duffy** also scored her first career goal in the Geneva contest, while **Kirstie Mills** made seven saves for the win in goal.

**Thiel Tomcats**  
(2-13-2, 0-6 PAC)



The women of Thiel were downed by PAC-foe Westminster on Tuesday afternoon at Alumni Stadium ... The final score was 1-0, with the lone goal coming just minutes into the game ... On Friday, Waynesburg scored a 1-0, Presidents' Athletic Conference victory over Thiel at a rainy John F. Wiley Stadium ... next week, Thiel visits Washington & Jefferson on Wednesday, before closing its season by hosting Geneva at 1 p.m. on Friday.

**Thomas More Saints**  
(14-2, 5-1 PAC)



The Saints went 1-1 last week as they split a pair of PAC matches, defeating Wash. & Jeff., 1-0, in overtime, but falling, 2-0 to Grove City ... Senior F **Deanna Gosdigian** scored the Saints' game-winning goal over the Presidents in the eighth minute of overtime ... Senior GK **Jenna Kramer** played all 187:06 in goal last week and allowed two goals and recording 13 saves ... On the season, sophomore F **Lauren Wietmarschen** leads the team in scoring with 16 points on a team-high-tying six goals and a team-high four assists ... Kramer has played 1463:57 in goal and has allowed 10 goals and recorded 77 saves as she has a 14-2 record and a 10 shutouts.

**Washington & Jefferson Presidents**  
(8-6-2, 3-2 PAC)



The Washington & Jefferson women's soccer team split a pair of key home PAC matches last week, falling to Thomas More 1-0 in overtime Wednesday, before defeating Westminster 3-1 Saturday afternoon ... With the split, the Presidents sit in a three-way tie for third place in the conference standings with Bethany and Westminster; however, a victory over the Bison would clinch a spot in the conference tournament and give W&J the tiebreaker against both squads ... The Presidents have defeated Bethany ten consecutive times and have not allowed a Bison to score since 2006.

**Waynesburg Yellow Jackets**  
(6-10, 2-4 PAC)



The Waynesburg women's kickers split a pair of 1-0 home matches this past week, beating Thiel after falling to Bethany ... The Jackets' victory, which came on senior night, was sealed by sophomore F **Courtney Ebersole**, who recorded her team-leading ninth goal of the season against the Tomcats ... Sophomore GK **Katrina Kelly** picked up her second complete-game shutout of the season.

**Westminster Titans**  
(12-5-1, 3-2 PAC)



Westminster split a pair of PAC road games last week, including a 1-0 win at Thiel on Wednesday and a 3-1 loss at Washington & Jefferson on Saturday ... Junior **Kristin Kajari** scored her second goal of the season on a corner kick from sophomore **Samantha Killmeyer** in the 17<sup>th</sup> minute for the lone goal in the Thiel game ... Junior **Sarah Nee** tied the W&J game at 1-1 on an assist from Killmeyer before the Presidents' **Tiffany Sherrerd** scored two goals to seal the win ... Freshman GK **Jenn Cantella** made 12 saves, 11 vs. W&J and one vs. Thiel, in net for the Titans as her shutout vs. Thiel was her fourth of the season.

## Bethany Bison 9-6-2, 3-2 PAC

Sept. 1	at Pitt-Greensburg	W, 2-0
Sept. 3	at La Roche	L, 1-2
Sept. 5	MOUNT ALOYSIUS	W, 6-0
Sept. 9	FRANCISCAN	W, 3-1
Sept. 12	WOOSTER	L, 1-3
Sept. 15	at Seton Hill	W, 2-1
Sept. 20	HILBERT	T, 0-0 (2ot)
Sept. 23	at Muskingum	W, 5-1
Sept. 26	at Hiram	L, 0-4
Sept. 30	MARIETTA	T, 1-1 (2ot)
Oct. 3	ST. VINCENT*	W, 3-1
Oct. 7	at Geneva*	L, 0-2
Oct. 9	THOMAS MORE*	L, 0-1
Oct. 13	GROVE CITY*	L, 2-3
Oct. 17	at Thiel*	W, 1-0
Oct. 20	at Waynesburg*	W, 1-0
Oct. 24	CHATHAM*	W, 6-0
Oct. 27	at Westminster*	3 p.m.
Oct. 31	WASH. & JEFF.*	3 p.m.
Nov. 3-7	PAC Tournament	TBA

## Chatham Cougars 5-9, 1-5 PAC

Sept. 1	at Carlow	L, 0-4
Sept. 5	PENN STATE-DUBOIS	W, 10-2
Sept. 8	PITT-BRADFORD	L, 2-3 (ot)
Sept. 11	at La Roche	L, 0-7
Sept. 14	at Mount Aloysius	W, 3-0
Sept. 23	at Wilson	W, 9-0
Sept. 26	at Hood	L, 0-3
Oct. 1	at Thiel*	W, 2-0
Oct. 5	WASH. & JEFF.*	L, 0-6
Oct. 10	at Westminster*	L, 1-6
Oct. 13	at Waynesburg*	L, 1-4
Oct. 18	THOMAS MORE*	L, 0-4
Oct. 21	GENEVA*	W, 2-1
Oct. 24	at Bethany*	L, 0-6
Oct. 28	GROVE CITY*	3:30 p.m.
Oct. 31	ST. VINCENT*	1 p.m.
Nov. 3-7	PAC Tournament	TBA

## Geneva Golden Tornadoes 7-8

Sept. 2	MARIETTA	L, 1-2
Sept. 5	at Pitt-Bradford	W, 2-1
Sept. 9	LA ROCHE	W, 1-0
Sept. 12	MEDAILLE	L, 2-4
Sept. 16	FRANCISCAN	W, 3-2
Sept. 19	at Point Park	W, 3-0
Sept. 23	MOUNT ALOYSIUS	W, 7-0
Sept. 26	HEIDELBERG	W, 2-0
Oct. 2	at Thomas More*	L, 0-2
Oct. 7	BETHANY*	W, 2-0
Oct. 10	GROVE CITY*	L, 0-1
Oct. 13	WASH. & JEFF.*	L, 0-3
Oct. 16	WESTMINSTER*	L, 1-2 (ot)
Oct. 21	at Chatham*	L, 1-2
Oct. 24	at St. Vincent*	L, 2-3
Oct. 28	WAYNESBURG*	5 p.m.
Oct. 30	at Thiel*	1 p.m.

### 2009 PAC WOMEN'S SOCCER PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

	<u>Offense</u>	<u>Defense/GK</u>
September 7:	<b>Courtney Ebersole</b> , F, WAY	<b>Katrina Kelly</b> , GK, WAY
September 14:	<b>Danielle Struble</b> , F, WES	<b>Kaitlyn Cohen</b> , D, TMC
September 21:	<b>Ashley Kostial</b> , F, CHA	<b>Brittany Sadler</b> , GK, BET
September 28:	<b>Sarah Nee</b> , F, WES	<b>Jenna Kramer</b> , GK, TMC
October 5:	<b>Julie Lindenfelser</b> , F, BET	<b>Kristie Brannon</b> , GK, CHA
October 12:	<b>Chrissy Marcus</b> , M, W&J	<b>Hannah Hertweck</b> , D, GRO
October 19:	<b>Michelle Peck</b> , F, GRO	<b>Stephanie Saussol</b> , GK, W&J
October 26:	<b>Cassie Spalding</b> , F, BET	<b>Bethany Preston</b> , GK, GRO
November 2:		

## Grove City Wolverines 8-5-3, 5-0 PAC

Sept. 4	DAEMEN	W, 4-3
Sept. 5	MOUNT UNION	T, 0-0 (2ot)
Sept. 11	at John Carroll	L, 0-5
Sept. 12	Olivet (at JCU)	T, 1-1 (2ot)
Sept. 16	at Allegheny	L, 0-1
Sept. 19	BALD.-WALLACE	T, 1-1 (2ot)
Sept. 23	at Penn State-Behrend	L, 0-1
Sept. 26	WASH. & JEFF.*	W, 3-2
Sept. 29	CARNEGIE MELLON	L, 3-2 (ot)
Oct. 1	at Penn State-Altoona	L, 3-6
Oct. 5	at Thiel*	W, 5-0
Oct. 10	at Geneva*	W, 1-0
Oct. 13	at Bethany*	W, 3-2
Oct. 17	WAYNESBURG*	W, 3-0
Oct. 21	ST. VINCENT*	W, 6-0
Oct. 24	at Thomas More*	W, 2-0
Oct. 28	at Chatham*	3:30 p.m.
Oct. 31	at Westminster*	3 p.m.
Nov. 3-7	PAC Tournament	TBA

### PAC WOMEN'S SOCCER IN THE NCAA DIVISION III NATIONAL STATISTICS (through October 18, 2009)

<u>TEAM</u>	<u>Category</u>	<u>Nat. Rank</u>	<u>Stats</u>
Thomas More	W-L-T percentage	7th	0.929
	Save percentage	12th	0.893
	Goals-against average	32nd	0.57
<u>INDIVIDUAL</u>	<u>Category</u>	<u>Nat. Rank</u>	<u>Stats</u>
Jill Harry, THI	Save percentage	13th	0.903
Jenna Kramer, TMC	Save percentage	23rd	0.889
	Goals against average	34th	0.576

## Saint Vincent Bearcats 4-13

Sept. 2	SETON HALL	L, 0-1
Sept. 5	Wooster (at Marietta)	L, 2-8
Sept. 6	Bluffton (at Marietta)	L, 1-2 (OT)
Sept. 8	at Juniata	L, 1-2 (ot)
Sept. 12	FRANCISCAN	W, 3-0
Sept. 16	FROSTBURG	L, 0-3
Sept. 19	at Mount Union	L, 0-3
Sept. 22	PITT-JOHNSTOWN	L, 0-2
Sept. 26	at Lycoming	L, 0-2
Sept. 29	at Baldwin-Wallace	L, 0-3
Oct. 3	at Bethany*	L, 1-3
Oct. 7	at Waynesburg*	W, 2-1
Oct. 9	THIEL*	W, 6-0
Oct. 12	at Westminster*	L, 0-2
Oct. 18	WASH. & JEFF.*	L, 0-1
Oct. 21	at Grove City*	L, 0-6
Oct. 24	GENEVA*	W, 3-2
Oct. 28	THOMAS MORE*	3 p.m.
Oct. 31	at Chatham*	1 p.m.

## Thiel Tomcats 2-13-2, 0-6 PAC

Sept. 1	at Mount Aloysius	W, 2-1
Sept. 3	at Franciscan	L, 0-2
Sept. 5	at Alfred	T, 0-0 (2OT)
Sept. 6	Hilbert (at Alfred)	L, 0-1
Sept. 9	PITT-GREENSBURG	W, 1-0
Sept. 12	at Muskingum	L, 0-2
Sept. 16	at Carlow	L, 0-3
Sept. 19	at Bluffton	L, 0-3
Sept. 22	PITT-BRADFORD	L, 0-1
Sept. 24	HILBERT	T, 2-2 (2ot)
Oct. 1	CHATHAM*	L, 0-2
Oct. 5	GROVE CITY*	L, 0-5
Oct. 9	at St. Vincent*	L, 0-6
Oct. 13	at Thomas More*	L, 0-1 (ot)
Oct. 17	BETHANY*	L, 0-1
Oct. 20	WESTMINSTER*	L, 0-1
Oct. 23	at Waynesburg*	L, 0-1
Oct. 28	at Wash. & Jeff.*	5 p.m.
Oct. 30	GENEVA*	1 p.m.
Nov. 3-7	PAC Tournament	TBA

## Thomas More Saints 14-2, 5-1 PAC

Sept. 1	ANDERSON	W, 2-0
Sept. 5	at Mount Saint Joseph	W, 2-1
Sept. 11	EARLHAM	W, 5-0
Sept. 13	MARIETTA	W, 1-0
Sept. 18	MILIKIN	W, 3-1
Sept. 19	at Defiance	W, 2-0
Sept. 22	at Hanover	W, 1-0
Sept. 27	at Capital	W, 1-0
Oct. 2	GENEVA*	W, 2-0
Oct. 4	at Westminster*	W, 2-1
Oct. 9	at Bethany*	W, 1-0
Oct. 14	THIEL*	W, 1-0 (ot)
Oct. 17	at Denison	L, 0-5
Oct. 18	at Chatham*	W, 4-0
Oct. 21	at Wash. & Jeff.*	W, 1-0 (ot)
Oct. 24	GROVE CITY*	L, 0-2
Oct. 28	at St. Vincent*	3 p.m.
Oct. 31	WAYNESBURG*	12 p.m.
Nov. 3-7	PAC Tournament	TBA

## Wash. & Jeff. Presidents 8-6-2, 3-2 PAC

Sept. 2	at Penn St.-Behrend	L, 0-2
Sept. 6	at Penn St.-Altoona	L, 1-3
Sept. 9	WOOSTER	L, 0-1
Sept. 12	SHENANDOAH	T, 1-1 (2ot)
Sept. 13	MEDAILLE	W, 3-1
Sept. 15	PITT-GREENSBURG	W, 3-0
Sept. 18	MUSKINGUM	W, 5-0
Sept. 23	at Marietta	L, 0-2
Sept. 26	at Grove City*	L, 2-3
Sept. 30	at Franciscan	T, 0-0 (2ot)
Oct. 5	at Chatham*	W, 6-0
Oct. 10	WAYNESBURG*	W, 2-1
Oct. 13	at Geneva*	W, 3-0
Oct. 18	at St. Vincent*	W, 1-0
Oct. 21	THOMAS MORE*	L, 0-1 (ot)
Oct. 24	WESTMINSTER*	W, 3-1
Oct. 28	THIEL*	5 p.m.
Oct. 31	at Bethany*	3 p.m.
Nov. 3-7	PAC Tournament	TBA

## Waynesburg Yellow Jackets 6-10, 2-4 PAC

Sept. 1	FRANCISCAN	W, 1-0
Sept. 5	PITT-GREENSBURG	W, 3-0
Sept. 8	at Point Park	L, 1-2
Sept. 10	at Carlow	L, 0-1
Sept. 16	at Mount Aloysius	W, 3-0
Sept. 22	at Penn St.-Altoona	L, 0-5
Sept. 26	at Muskingum	L, 2-3
Sept. 30	LAKE ERIE	L, 1-2
Oct. 3	WESTMINSTER*	L, 0-3
Oct. 7	SAINT VINCENT*	L, 1-2
Oct. 9	LA ROCHE	W, 1-0
Oct. 10	WASH. & JEFF.*	L, 1-2
Oct. 13	CHATHAM*	W, 4-1
Oct. 17	at Grove City*	L, 0-3
Oct. 20	BETHANY*	L, 0-1
Oct. 23	THIEL*	W, 1-0
Oct. 28	at Geneva*	5 p.m.
Oct. 31	at Thomas More*	12 p.m.
Nov. 3-7	PAC Tournament	TBA

## Westminster Titans 12-5-1, 3-2 PAC

Sept. 2	ALLEGHENY	L, 0-1
Sept. 4	MOUNT UNION	L, 1-2
Sept. 5	DAEMEN	W, 1-0
Sept. 11	SHENANDOAH	W, 3-2 (2ot)
Sept. 12	at Pitt-Johnstown	W, 2-1 (ot)
Sept. 15	at John Carroll	W, 2-1
Sept. 19	JUNIATA	W, 1-0
Sept. 23	PITT-GREENSBURG	W, 7-0
Sept. 26	BALDWIN-WALLACE	W, 3-0
Sept. 30	at Fredonia State	L, 1-3
Oct. 3	at Waynesburg*	W, 3-0
Oct. 4	THOMAS MORE*	L, 1-2
Oct. 6	P.S.-BEHREND	T, 1-1 (2ot)
Oct. 10	CHATHAM*	W, 6-1
Oct. 12	ST. VINCENT*	W, 2-0
Oct. 16	at Geneva*	W, 2-1 (ot)
Oct. 21	at Thiel*	W, 1-0
Oct. 24	at Wash. & Jeff.*	L, 1-3
Oct. 27	BETHANY*	3 p.m.
Oct. 31	GROVE CITY*	3 p.m.
Nov. 3-7	PAC Tournament	TBA