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CAPITAL AND MOUNT UNION ADVANCE TO THE NCAA FOOTBALL SECOND ROUND

Austintown, OH-- Capital and Mount Union have advanced to the second round of the NCAA Division III Football Championship on Saturday, November 25. Capital won 32-14 over Wittenberg, while Mount Union defeated Hope 49-0.

Capital earned one of seven national at-large bids to the 2006 NCAA Division III Football Championship. Senior quarterback **Rocky Pentello (Columbus/Westerville South)** and senior wide receiver **Mike Niedzwiecki (Norwalk/Norwalk St. Paul)** each had career-high days as the Crusaders posted their 32-14 victory over Wittenberg University in the first round of the NCAA Division III Football Championship Saturday in Columbus. Pentello, is now fourth all-time in NCAA Division III history with 11,815 passing yards, had his first-ever 400-plus yard passing game with 423 yards, while Niedzwiecki was his favorite target with a career-best 12 catches for 232 yards receiving. Senior tight end **Dylan Kelly (Hilliard/Hilliard Darby)** had 101 yards receiving and running back **Charlie Smith (Westerville/Big Walnut)** had a game-high 103 yards rushing for a Capital offense that had a season-high 566 total yards.

The Capital defense was also impressive after Wittenberg's opening drive of 80 yards and punched in a one-yard touchdown run to take a 7-0 lead. The Crusaders allowed only 64 more yards the rest of the first half and Wittenberg only advanced inside the Capital 20 yard one other time on the final drive of the game. Senior **Marty O'Malley (North Olmsted/North Olmsted)** led Capital with nine tackles and 1.5 sacks.

Trailing 7-0, Capital tied the game on the first play of the second quarter when Pentello and Niedzwiecki connected on a 29-yard scoring pass. Just three minutes later they hooked up again, this time from 33 yards out to give the Crusaders their first lead of the game, 14-7, with 11:43 left in the half. Smith then tacked on an 11-yard touchdown run, but the extra point was missed, to make it 20-7 with four minutes before halftime. Capital was on the drive just before halftime when it was stalled at the two-yard line setting up a 19-yard field-goal attempt. The snap was botched and Wittenberg's Joe Brumfield recovered the football on the Capital 35-yard line and scampered 65 yards to bring the Tigers to within six points at the half, 20-14.

Pentello then found Kelly from nine yards out for his third touchdown pass of the game and pushed the score to 26-14 with just over four minutes to go in the third quarter. Smith darted for a four-yard touchdown run midway through the fourth quarter for the 32-14 final.

Mount Union, who won its 15th straight OAC Regular-Season title in 2006, is making its 15th consecutive stop in the NCAA Playoffs. Overall, the Purple Raiders have made 17 trips to the NCAA Championship since 1985, resulting in eight national championships (1993, 1996-98, 2000-02, 2005). The Raiders are looking for their 12th straight appearance in the Division III Playoff Final Four. Mount Union scored on three of its first four possessions in the first quarter, which included a seven-yard touchdown run by tailback **Nate Kmic (Delta)**, a 14-yard touchdown scamper by quarterback **Greg Micheli (Upper Sandusky)**, and a 64-yard touchdown pass from quarterback **Mike Jorris (Sedona, AZ)** to wideout **Pierre Garcon (West Palm Beach, FL)**. The Flying Dutchmen defense stopped the Raiders on downs at the one-yard line on the Raiders' second possession. The Purple & White led 21-0 at the end of the first period.

The Raiders tacked on another score at 14:02 of the second quarter when tailback **Justin Wray (Vandergrift, PA)** caught a 27-yard strike from Micheli, and again when tailback **Terrance Moring (Sanford, FL)** took it in from the two-yard line at 7:16 of the period. Jorris took a broken play 15 yards for a touchdown late in the quarter as the Raiders took a 42-0 lead into the break.

At the half, Mount Union had 432 yards of offense compared to 37 yards for Hope. The lone second-half score came at 2:45 of the third quarter when Raider tight end **Chad Reynolds (Elmwood)** hauled in his first career touchdown with a 19-yard pass by Micheli, making it 49-0 Raiders.

Capital will face-off against the North Central, while the Mount Union will face Wheaton on Saturday, November 25.

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Mount Union College * Muskingum College * Ohio Northern University * Otterbein College * Wilmington College



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Ohio Northern's Trusnik and Muskingum's Junker Will Represent OAC in the Aztec Bowl

Austintown, OH- Ohio Northern senior defensive end **Jason Trusnik (Macedonia/Nordonia)** and Muskingum senior linebacker **Jack Junker (Parma/Valley Forge)** have accepted bids to represent their institutions and Team USA in the 2006 Aztec Bowl on December, 16 in Aguascalientes, Mexico.

Trusnik ended the season with 60 tackles and team-highs of 11 sacks and 19.5 TFL. In his career, he is ONU's all-time career leader with 277 tackles and school records of 43 sacks and 85 TFL. Trusnik is the sixth Polar Bear to receive a bid to compete in the game and will be the fifth to participate in the 10-year history of the event in its current format.

Junker led the Muskies in tackles with 84 and garnered National Team of the Week honors for his career-high 22-tackle performance against Otterbein earlier this year. Junker is the third Muskie to be awarded this honor.

The Aztec Bowl pits a team of 48 NCAA Division III seniors from 48 different schools against a team of Mexican Collegiate all-stars at various sites throughout Mexico. Team USA has won eight of the nine games played in the current format, including a 53-15 victory last year in Toluca.

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OAC PLAYERS-OF-THE-WEEK



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MEN'S BASKETBALL

Ohio Northern senior wing **Bart Hostetler (Strasburg/Strasburg-Franklin)** tallied 32 points, 17 rebounds, four assists, two blocks and nine steals in just two games to earn the Elizabethtown Classic Tournament MVP. Hostetler was a perfect nine-of-nine from the floor and was 14-of-18 from the foul line.

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

Muskingum sophomore forward **Jessica McKenzie (Hopewell/West Muskingum)** recorded a double-double with 18 points-per-game and 10.5 rebounds-per-game. McKenzie scored a career-high 24 points and 14 rebounds in a game during the Muskingum Memorial Tournament. McKenzie was name to the all-tournament team.

WRESTLING

Baldwin-Wallace sophomore **Mo Salem (Westlake)** was 4-0 at the Olivet Duals. Salem won by major decision over Boyles (Tri-State) 14-5, defeated Spelt (University of Wisconsin) 9-6, won by forfeit vs. Olivet and won by technical fall over vs. Finnegan (Rose-Hulman).

MEN'S SWIMMING

Mount Union sophomore **Kevin Klein (Oswego, NY)** took first in the 100 backstroke (55.75), the 200 backstroke (2:01.58) and the 100 butterfly (55.54) in the Raiders' win over St. Vincent's last weekend.

WOMEN'S SWIMMING

Ohio Northern senior **Jessica Ewald (Tiffin/Tiffin Calvert)** led the way in the Polar Bears' victory over Wittenberg as a four-time winner taking first in the 200 medley (1:54.91), the 100 breast (1:09.47), the 400 medley (4:20.17) and the 200 breast (2:33.79). Ewald also placed third in the 200 IM.



CROSS COUNTRY NATIONAL MEET NOTES



Hosted by Wilmington College at the Voice of America Park, November 18, 2006

Baldwin-Wallace's Scullion Placed 144th of 279 Runners

Season is complete; Last Week: Division III Ntl. Meet at Wilmington; Notes: Sophomore **Ashley Scullion (Kentwood, Mich. / East Kentwood)** finished 144th of 279 runners at the NCAA Division III National Meet at Wilmington College in Wilmington, Ohio. It capped an outstanding season for Scullion. She also placed ninth at the NCAA Division III Great Lakes Region meet and was second individually at the OAC Championship Meet...She earned All-OAC and All-Region honors for the second straight year. The national meet appearance was her first-ever ...She led B-W in seven of eight team meets.

Heidelberg-Men 20th of 32 teams

Paced by an All-American performance from newcomer **Scott Lasch (Huron, Ohio / Huron)** the **Heidelberg College** men's cross country team finished 20th at the 2006 NCAA Division III Cross Country Championships. The Berg entered the contest standing in 25th position and overcame a wet and muddy course to improve on its ranking...The Ohio Athletic Conference had three teams represented at the championships. Heidelberg led all OAC schools with its 20th place finish...Overall it was Heidelberg's fourth appearance at the national meet, joining the 1997, 1998 and 1999 teams and first under the guidance of third-year head coach **Kevin Lucas**. Lasch joins former 'Berg runner **Dustin Lamvermeyer** as cross country All-Americans in the 35 year history of the program. Lamvermeyer earned All-American status at the 1997 championships...Lasch crossed the finish line 33rd in a time of 27:37 followed by **Dan Simpson (Leetonia, Ohio / Leetonia)** in 69th (28:12). Senior **Jeremy Wysocki (Toledo, Ohio / Central Catholic)** stood 139th with a time of 28:53, while **Devin Butcher (Bowling Green, Ohio / Bowling Green)** was the fourth 'Berg runner to cross the finish line. Butcher finished the 8k course in 29:32, which stood 195th in the final standings...Rounding out Heidelberg's top seven runners was **Jarrold Saling (Caldwell, Ohio / Caldwell)** who finished 199th with a time of 29:34 followed by **Damien Potter (Ashtabula, Ohio / Lakeside)** (30:08) and **Jacob Lemon (Oak Harbor, Ohio / Oak Harbor)** (30:27).

Mount Union-Men 24th of 32

Mount Union College's men's cross country team finished 24th (581 points) of 32 teams competing at the 2006 NCAA Division III Men & Women's Cross Country Championships hosted by Wilmington College at the Voice of America Park in West Chester, Ohio on Saturday, November 18. Leading the way for the Purple & White was senior **Jeremy Velliquette (Fremont/St. Joseph)** who placed 115th with a time of 28:39...Also competing for the Raiders were freshman **Brice Basista (North Ridgeville/Elyria Catholic)** who finished 117th at 28:41, junior **Brian Bernard (Stow)** who finished 131st at 28:50, sophomore **Dustin Ford (Canton/Perry)** who placed 176th at 29:19, and senior **Ryan Garro (Mogadore/Lake)** who finished 222nd at 29:53...This was Mount Union's fourth trip to the NCAA Men's Division III Cross Country Championships in the previous six seasons. The Purple Raiders finished 17th in 2001, 14th in 2002, and 18th in 2005.

Ohio Northern-Men 32nd of 32 Teams...Women 30th of 32 Teams

Men: The Ohio Northern men's cross country team finished 32nd at the NCAA Cross Country Championships at Voice of America Park in Mason, Ohio, Saturday. The Polar Bear men (107-52) struggled in sloppy conditions, finishing 32nd in the 32 team field with 787 points...Sophomore Thomas Adam (Cuyahoga Falls/Walsh Jesuit) led the way for the Polar Bears, finishing 175th in an 8,000-meter time of 29:19...Sophomore Paul Lewis (Medina) was ONU's second man, finishing 182nd in 29:23...Senior Kevin Heckman (Decatur, Ind./Belmont) and sophomore Eric Porter (Wauseon) were next across the line for the Polar Bears, finishing 213th and 217th, in 29:44 and 29:47 respectively...Senior Mark Bierkan (Cincinnati/Colerain) was the fifth scorer, finishing 236th in 30:04...Sophomores Aaron Stiger (Wapakoneta) and Jimmy O'Brien (Pemberville/Eastwood) also competed for the Polar Bears, finishing 249th and 257th in 30:21 and 30:30 respectively. This was the second NCAA championships appearance in school history for the ONU men's team and the first since 1977.

Women: The Ohio Northern women's cross country team finished 30th at the NCAA Cross Country Championships at Voice of America Park in Mason, Ohio, Saturday. The Lady Polar Bears (107-51) were led by senior **Darci Walthew (East Bethany, N.Y./Notre Dame)**, who covered the sloppy 6,000-course in 24:58 to finish 105th overall...Seniors **Elizabeth DiNino (Beavercreek/Carroll)** and **Jackie Kessler (Attica/Seneca East)** crossed the line next for the Polar Bears, finishing 131st and 171st in 25:12 and 25:39 respectively...Senior **Karen Miller (Montpelier)** and sophomore **Regina Bresson (Canfield)** rounded out the scoring for the Polar Bears. Miller was 250th in 26:50, followed closely by Bresson, who finished 253rd in 26:56...Seniors **Dana Pitzulo (Canfield)** and **Lauren Crook (Edgewood, Ky./Scott)** also competed for the Polar Bears, finishing 275th and 277th in times of 28:06 and 28:21 respectively. This was the first NCAA championships appearance in school history for the ONU women's team.

Otterbein's Keesee Placed 86th of 279 Runners

Otterbein senior **Melinda Keesee (Dublin/Scioto)** finishes 86th at the NCAA Division III Cross Country Championships held Saturday at the Voice of America Park.



MEN'S BASKETBALL



2006 OAC Men's Basketball Standings

School	OAC Games					All Games				
	Wins	Losses	Pct.	Pts.	Opp.	Wins	Losses	Pct.	Pts.	Opp.
Ohio Northern	0	0	#####	0	0	2	0	1.000	150	117
Heidelberg	0	0	#####	0	0	2	0	1.000	148	120
Marietta	0	0	#####	0	0	2	0	1.000	156	118
Baldwin-Wallace	0	0	#####	0	0	1	1	0.500	172	141
Wilmington	0	0	#####	0	0	1	1	0.500	141	139
Otterbein	0	0	#####	0	0	1	1	0.500	113	119
Mount Union	0	0	#####	0	0	1	1	0.500	163	168
John Carroll	0	0	#####	0	0	1	1	0.500	156	158
Muskingum	0	0	#####	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0
Capital	0	0	#####	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0



Tuesday, November 21

Baldwin Wallace, Oberlin- 8p.m.
 Heidelberg, Defiance- 7:30 p.m.
 John Carroll, Albion- 7p.m.
 Muskingum at Franciscan University -7p.m.
 Wilmington, UC Clermont-7:30p.m.

Wednesday, November 22

Capital, Wittenberg- 7p.m.

Saturday, November 25

OAC-NCAC Challenge at Denison- Capital- 2p.m. /
 Muskingum-TBA
 Heidelberg at Bluffton-4 p.m.
 John Carroll at Emory & Henry College (VA) - 5&7p.m.
 Northwood Florida Tournament, Ohio Northern-TBA
 Olivet at Baldwin Wallace-3 p.m.

Sunday, November 26

King Center (VA), John Carroll- 1&3p.m.
 OAC-NCAC Challenge at Denison-Capital-2p.m./Muskingum-
 TBA
 Northwood Florida Tournament, Ohio Northern-TBA

Monday, November 27

Mount Union at Franciscan-7:30p.m.

Tuesday, November 28

Myers at Heidelberg- 7:30p.m.

Wednesday, November 29

Ohio Wesleyan at Capital-7p.m.
 Thiel College at Muskingum-7:30p.m.
 Otterbein at Maryville (TN)-7:30p.m.

Thursday, November 30

Otterbein at Fisk (TN)-7p.m.
 Wilmington at Thomas More College-7:30p.m.

Saturday, December 2

Baldwin Wallace at Capital-2p.m.
 Heidelberg at Wilmington-3p.m.
 Otterbein at John Carroll-3p.m.
 Marietta at Ohio Northern-3p.m.
 Muskingum at Mount Union-3p.m.

OAC WEEKLY MEN'S BASKETBALL NOTES

According to the November 20th D3fhoops.com poll, Ohio Northern was ranked fifth and Baldwin-Wallace was sixth.

Baldwin-Wallace-vs. Curry: W 110-70...vs. Alvernia: L 71-62

Records: 1-0 overall; This Week: Host Oberlin on Nov. 21 in Berea at 8:00 p.m.; Host Olivet (Mich.) in on Nov. 25 in Berea at 3:00 p.m.; Last Week: Placed second at the 9th Annual Tom Masano/ Sheraton Reading Tournament at Alvernia College in Reading, Pennsylvania: Beat Curry (Mass.) College, 110-70, in its first game on Nov. 17; Lost to Alvernia, 71-62, in the championship game on No. 18; Notes: Sophomore forward **Andrew Bene (Hinckley/ Medina Highland)** earned all-tournament team honors for scoring 30 total points, including a career-high 18 in the championship game. He also had a career-high 14 rebounds in the title contest...Senior All-American forward **Tori Davis (Elyria/ Open Door Christian School)** scored 30 points, grabbed 15 rebounds and had three blocked shots. Davis now has 1,656 career points and is sixth on the all-time scoring list and needs 184 more to move into the top five. He also has 186 career rebounds and is four shy of tying his older brother, Thad Davis' (1999-2004) school-record of 190...Sophomore guard **Dennis Santiago (Brook Park/ Midpark)** scored a career-high 19 points in the tourney opener.

Capital-Did not compete this week

Heidelberg-vs. Kalamazoo: W 69-44...vs. Mount St. Joseph: W 79-76

Heidelberg opened 2006-07 2-0 following its championship at the Franklin Savings Tip-Off Tournament hosted by Mount St. Joseph ... It is the second-straight season that the Berg has started out with two-straight wins ... Junior center **Brain Schmidt (Hinckley, Ohio / Brunswick)** was named the tournament's Most Valuable Player after finishing the four-team tournament with 30 points and 14 rebounds, which included a 20 point and eight rebound outburst in the championship game ... Joining Schmidt on the all-tournament team was junior forward **Andrew Lemmon (Port Clinton, Ohio / Port Clinton)** ... Lemmon led the Berg with a team-high 13 points and eight rebounds in the win over Kalamazoo on Friday night and added 16 points and four boards against Mount St. Joseph's ... Junior guard **Greg Tyson (Lima, Ohio / Lima Senior)** led the way on the glass over the two games, pulling down 8.0 boards a game.

John Carroll-vs. Loyola Chicago: L 96-74...vs. Albion: W 82-68

John Carroll faced Division I Loyola Chicago Friday night – a team picked to win the Horizon League and one of Sports Illustrated's selections to earn a berth in the 2007 NCAA Division I Championship Tournament ... JCU led for the first five-and-a-half minutes of the game before Loyola pulled away. Loyola still led by only six points (35-29) with 2:25 to play before closing the first half with the game's most decisive run. Keyed by NBA prospect Blake Schilb, the home team would score 13 of the final 17 points of the half to take a 48-33 advantage into intermission ... Against the Ramblers, JCU was led by 20 points from **Brandon Mimes (Euclid, OH/Euclid)**, who was playing in his first game since March of 2005. **Pete Moran (Russell Township, OH/West Geauga)** with 13 and **Terry Walsh (Lakewood, OH/Cleveland St. Ignatius)** with 12 also scored in double figures ... On Sunday, the Blue Streaks rallied from a 14-point second half deficit to post an 82-68 road victory over Albion College. It was the first meeting between these two teams since Albion eliminated John Carroll from the "Sweet 16" of the 2005 NCAA Division III Tournament on a 35-foot buzzer beater ... JCU scored 16 of the final 22 points of the contest to snap an eight-game losing streak that dated back to last season ... Mimes scored 23 of his game-high 28 points in the second half. He also grabbed 11 of his 13 rebounds over the final 20 minutes ... Moran added 14 points, freshman **T.J. DiSanto (Willoughby Hills, OH/Cleveland St. Ignatius)** chipped in 12 and senior **Chris Day (Newbury, OH/Newbury)** contributed 11 for the Blue Streaks, who shot 16-29 (.552) in the decisive second half.

Marietta-vs. Thiel: W 75-59...vs. Medaille: W 81-59

The Pioneers (2-0) opened the year by winning the Case Alumni Association Tip-off Tournament with victories over Thiel (Pa.), 75-59, and Medaille (N.Y.), 81-59. It was the first time Marietta won back-to-back games since 2003-04. Senior center **Matt Rucker (Proctorville/Chesapeake)** was named the Tournament MVP after averaging 14.5 points, 8.5 rebounds, 4.0 assists, 1.5 blocks and 1.5 steals. Junior forward **Matt Phillips (Williamson, W.Va./Tug Valley)** added 16.5 points and 8.0 rebounds on the weekend. Sophomore guards **Tyler Morando (Wheeling, W.Va./Central Catholic)** and **Isaiah Creasap (Wooster/Northwestern)** averaged 16.0 and 15.0 points, respectively, and accounted for all 14 of the Pioneers' three-point field goals. Marietta is off until Saturday (Dec. 2) when it will open up Ohio Athletic Conference play at Ohio Northern. Tip-off is 3 p.m.

Mount Union-vs. Emory & Henry: W 103-83...vs. Wooster: L 85-60

Mount Union College's men's basketball team opened the 2006-07 campaign with a 103-83 victory over Emory & Henry (VA) in the opening round of the Al Van Wie/Rotary Tournament hosted by Wooster on Friday, November 17 in Wooster, Ohio. The Raiders jumped out to an early 27-11 lead when **Luke Conley (Louisville)** capped off a 15-0 run by connecting on a three pointer at the 10:56 mark of the first period. Mount Union would push its lead to 23 on Anglum's three pointer with 6:11 left in the half giving the Raiders a 41-18 lead. The Purple Raiders would take a 53-34 lead into the locker room at the break. The Wasps would pull within 12 at the 13:47 mark of the second half when Josh Brown hit on a pair of free throws. However, the Raiders would pull away late in the contest for a 103-83 win. Mount Union was led by Anglum who scored game-high 29 points, Chris Crawford (Painesville/Harvey) who scored 22 while leading Mount Union with game-high eight boards, and Chris Switzer (Stow) who scored 15. King led the Raiders with a game-high nine assists. The Raiders shot .623 from the field compared to .295 for Emory & Henry while the Wasps held a rebounding edge at 50-

49...Mount Union College's men's basketball team (1-1) fell to Wooster, who is ranked #2 in the country according to D3hoops.com, in the finals of the Al Van Wie/Rotary Tournament hosted by Wooster on Saturday, November 18 in Wooster, Ohio. Although the Raiders never led, they kept the deficit within six points until the 10:45 mark when Wooster went on a 17-10 run to end the first half. The Scots took a 38-28 lead into the intermission. Early in the second period, the Raiders would pull within eight when **Justin Francis (Port Clinton)** scored on a layup with 17:49 remaining in the contest. Wooster would pull away late in the game leading by as many as 25. Mount Union was led by **Stu Anglum (Glenshaw, PA/Shaler)** who scored 13 points and a game-high 10 boards. **Sam King (Masury/Brookfield)** paced the Raiders with 5 assists. The Raiders shot .400 from the field compared to .462 by Wooster, while the Scots also held the rebound advantage at 38-31.

Muskingum-Did not compete this week

Ohio Northern-vs. DeSales: W 75-58...Elizabethtown: 76-60

The No. 5-ranked Ohio Northern men's basketball team (2-0) opened its 2006-07 season by winning the Elizabethtown (Pa.) Blue Jay Classic. The Polar Bears defeated DeSales (Pa.) 75-58 in the semifinals on Fri. and topped Elizabethtown (Pa.) 76-60 in the championship match on Sat...Senior **Bart Hostetler (Strasburg/Strasburg-Franklin)** was named the Tournament MVP. In the two games, he averaged 16.0 points, 8.5 rebounds and 4.5 steals while shooting a perfect 9-for-9 from the floor. In the Championship Game, he scored 15 points, grabbed eight rebounds and had a career-high eight steals...Senior **Greg Badenhop (Liberty Center)** was also named to the All-Tournament Team. He scored 46 points and shot 93.3 percent from the foul line (14-of-15) in the two games...Junior **Kyle Gehle (Versailles)** averaged 14.0 points and 5.5 rebounds per game in the two victories...The Polar Bears will return to action Nov. 25-26 at the Northwood (Fla.) Thanksgiving Tournament in West Palm Beach, Fla.

Otterbein-vs. Gettysburg: W 56-55 (1OT)...vs. Richard Stockton: L 64-57

Otterbein defeated Gettysburg, 56-55, in single-overtime in the first round of the Days Inn Gettysburg Tip-Off Tournament held last Friday and Saturday in Gettysburg, Pa. ...The Cardinals lost to Richard Stockton, 64-57, in the championship game ... Continuing studies center **Tyler Ousley (Butler/Clear Fork)** and freshman forward **Cory Ratai (Johnstown/Johnstown-Monroe)** were named to the all-tournament team ... Ousley collected 32 points and 22 rebounds over the two games ... Ratai tallied 19 points and 16 rebounds ... Junior point guard **Ross Banaszak (Delaware/Rutherford B. Hayes)** scored 24 points in the championship game ... Banaszak hit all eight of his free throws and made four of seven three-point attempts ... Head coach Dick Reynolds moves to 596 wins in his career.

Wilmington-vs. Anderson: L 69-66...vs. Defiance: W 75-65

Junior point guard **Zach Broermann (Brookville, Ind./Franklin County)** scored 19 points to lead Wilmington in its season-opening loss to Anderson. Junior guard **Fred Harrison (Cleveland/East)** added 13 points for the Quakers. Wilmington bounced back to post a win over host Defiance. Sophomore guard **Kerry Wilkinson (Wilmington/Clinton-Massie/Mercyhurst)** led three Quakers in double figures with 13 points. Junior guard **Nick Berter (Cincinnati/Reading)** scored 11 and sophomore post **Sam Lahmers (Malta/Morgan)** added 10. Wilmington connected on 52 percent of its field goal attempts and shot 64 percent from beyond the three-point line. Broermann was named the classic's most valuable player and Harrison was named to the all-tournament team.



WOMEN'S BASKETBALL



2006 OAC Women's Basketball Standings

School	OAC Games					All Games				
	Wins	Losses	Pct.	Pts.	Opp.	Wins	Losses	Pct.	Pts.	Opp.
Wilmington	0	0	#####	0	0	2	0	1.000	139	124
Mount Union	0	0	#####	0	0	2	0	1.000	118	90
Ohio Northern	0	0	#####	0	0	2	0	1.000	167	106
Heidelberg	0	0	#####	0	0	2	0	1.000	135	67
Baldwin-Wallace	0	0	#####	0	0	1	1	0.500	134	118
Capital	0	0	#####	0	0	1	1	0.500	145	124
John Carroll	0	0	#####	0	0	1	1	0.500	146	130
Muskingum	0	0	#####	0	0	1	1	0.500	155	134
Otterbein	0	0	#####	0	0	0	2	0.000	161	175
Marietta	0	0	#####	0	0	0	2	0.000	125	159



Tuesday, November 21

Case at Baldwin Wallace, 6p.m.
 Heidelberg at Lake Erie, 7p.m.
 John Carroll at Albion, 7p.m.
 Marietta at Theil, 7p.m.
 Grove City at Mount Union, 7p.m.
 Kenyon, Ohio Northern, 7p.m.

Friday, November 24

University of Eau-Claire Tournament-Otterbein

Saturday, November 25

Capital at Wittenberg, 3p.m.
 21st Annual Jim Meagle Turkey Shoot Classic (Marietta)-
 Marietta
 Mount Union at Allegheny, 2p.m.
 Muskingum at Bluffton, TBA
 University of Eau-Claire Tournament-Otterbein
 Wilmington Inn-Damon Fred Raizk Classic-Wilmington

Sunday November 26

21st Annual Jim Meagle Turkey Shoot Classic (Marietta)-
 Marietta

Muskingum at Manchester -TBA

Wilmington Inn-Damon Fred Raizk Classic-Wilmington

Monday, November 27

Heidelberg at Ohio Wesleyan, 7p.m.

Tuesday, November 28

Capital at Bethany (WV), 6p.m.

Wednesday, November 29

Oberlin College at Baldwin Wallace, 7:30p.m.
 John Carroll at Washington & Jefferson, 6p.m.
 Westminster at Mount Union, 7p.m.
 Muskingum at Kenyon, 7:30p.m.
 Ohio Northern at Adrian, 7:30p.m.

Saturday, December 2

Capital at Baldwin Wallace, 3p.m.
 Wilmington at Heidelberg, 3p.m.
 John Carroll at Otterbein, 3p.m.
 Ohio Northern at Marietta, 3p.m.
 Muskingum at Westminster, TBA

OAC WEEKLY WOMEN'S BASKETBALL NOTES

According to the November 20th D3hoops.com poll Baldwin-Wallace was ranked ninth and Capital received votes.

Baldwin-Wallace-vs. Univ. of Wisconsin-Eau Claire: W 68-50...vs. Hope: L 68-66

Records: 1-1 overall; This Week: Host Case on Nov. 21 in Berea at 6:00 p.m.; Last Week: Placed second at the Hope College Tip-off Tournament in Holland, Michigan: Defeated the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire, 68-50, on Nov. 17; Lost to Hope, 68-66, in the championship game on Nov. 18; Notes: Junior transfer and former Academic All-Atlantic Coast Conference guard **Selena E-Budge (Beachwood)**, who attended Miami of Florida before coming home to Cleveland and B-W, scored 22 points in 21 minutes of playing time in her B-W debut in a 68-50 win versus Wisconsin-Eau Claire and managed 15 more in 25 minutes in a two-point, buzzer-beating, 68-66 championship game to No.2-ranked Hope (Mich.). Budge also had 15 rebounds, three assists, one blocked shot and five steals and canned 15-of-28 shots from the floor (.536)...Junior forward **Stacia Shrider (Marietta/ Warren Local)** had a career-high 13 rebounds in the UWEC win...Junior forward **Carly Flowers (North Baltimore)** scored 26 points, including 16 against Hope...B-W entered the Hope tourney ranked ninth in the preseason d3hoops.com national poll.

Capital-vs. Transylvania: L 68-60...vs. Kenyon: W 85-56

Capital opened its women's basketball season Friday with a 68-60 loss against Transylvania (Ky.) College in the first round of the Capital Classic, but the Crusaders responded with an 85-56 victory in the consolation round over Kenyon College...Capital went scoreless over the first three and a half minutes and trailed 19-6 in the opening minutes of Friday's contest. The Crusaders cut the deficit to five on several occasions, but the Pioneers answered every Capital run...Freshman **Kristen Richardson (Oxford/Talawanda)** scored 20 points in her debut, and sophomore **Heather McAlpin (Cincinnati/Colerain)** added 14 points, six rebounds and six steals...Saturday's victory over Kenyon saw the Crusaders nearly set a school-record with 11 made three-pointers, which is one off the single-game mark... Freshman **Mackenzi Thompson (Bluffton/Bluffton)** finished 6-for-6 from the three-point line and had 18 points, while sophomore **Caitlin Elsass (Batavia/Clearmont Northeastern)** had career-highs with 20 points and eight rebounds...Capital used a 24-7 run to take a 40-27 lead at halftime, and shot over 50 percent from the field and 61 percent from beyond the arc for the contest...The Crusaders return to action at 3 p.m. Saturday at Wittenberg University.

Heidelberg-vs. Medgar Evers: W 72-31...vs. Ramapo: W 63-36

Heidelberg opened its 2006-07 campaign with a 2-0 record following its championship at the Roadrunner Tip-Off Tournament hosted by Ramapo College ... It is the second-straight season that the Berg has opened up with two-straight victories ... Junior guard **Amanda Campbell (Pataskala, Ohio / Watkins Memorial)** led recorded 30 points, 16 rebounds, seven steals and two assists over the two games, including a 16 points, seven rebound, two steal outburst in the championship game to earn Most Valuable Player honors for the four-team tournament Joining Campbell on the all-tournament team was sophomore guard **Brittany Skolnick (Lorain, Ohio / Clearview)** ... Skolnick led the Berg with 16 points and five rebounds in its win over Medgar Evers and tallied 12 points and five rebounds in the win over Ramapo ... Skolnick has reached double-figures in the scoring column for 10-straight games dating back to Jan. 28, 2006 ... Sophomore forward **Sarah Kesse (Cincinnati, Ohio / Colerain)** pulled down a career-high eight rebounds against Medgar Evers.

John Carroll-vs. Univ. of the Ozarks: W 80-64...vs. Hamilton: L 72-66

John Carroll opened its season with an 80-64 victory over the University of the Ozarks in the opening round of the North Central College Holiday Inn Select Tournament. JCU led by as many as 15 points in the first half, but had its lead cut to 46-41 early in the second half. 46-41 early in the second half, The Blue Streaks responded by scoring the next 16 points -- six of which were courtesy of **Allison Kern (Englewood, OH/Chaminade-Julienne)** -- to put the game out of reach ... In the championship game, John Carroll fell to Hamilton College, 72-66, despite scoring 20 of the final 30 points of the contest ... **Tracey Prosinski (Parma, OH/Holy Name)** was named to the all-tournament team. She was 14-20 (.700) from the field, 5-8 (.625) from three-point range, and 11-13 (.846) from the free throw line. In addition to her 44 points (scored a career-high 20 points Friday, then followed that with a career-high 24 against Hamilton Saturday), Prosinski also tallied 16 rebounds, two assists and two steals ... Kern was also named to the all-tournament team. In logging a team-high 61 minutes, Kern amassed 27 points and 16 rebounds (11 offensive) in the two games.

Marietta-vs. SUNY Fredonia: L 70-83...Waynesburg: L 55-67

The Pioneers (0-2) went 0-2 at the season-opening Penn State-Behrend Tip-off Tournament, falling to SUNY-Fredonia, 83-70, and Waynesburg, 67-55. Marietta shot just .336 from the field this past weekend. Junior guard **Justine Pagenhardt (Oakland, Md. /Southern Garrett)** earned All-Tournament Team honors after averaging 21.0 points and 5.0 rebounds. Pagenhardt, the OAC's leading scorer in 2005-06, had 28 points in the opener. Junior forward **Abby Hess (Stow/Stow-Munroe Falls)** averaged 8.0 points and 9.5 boards in the two games. Sophomore guard **Amanda Carraher (Hilliard/Hilliard Davidson)** contributed 12.5 points, while freshman **Jamie Beckett (Wooster/Triway)** pitched in with 10.5 points and 5.5 rebounds. Beckett led the team in scoring on Sunday with a career-high 19 points. Marietta has a busy week ahead, visiting Thiel (Pa.) on Tuesday at 7 p.m. and then hosting the 21st annual Jim Meagle Turkey Shoot Classic Saturday and Sunday. Joining the Pioneers this season will be Marion (Ind.), Myers and Washington & Jefferson (Pa.).

Mount Union-vs. Washington and Jefferson: W 46-41...vs. Pitt-Bradford: W 72-49

Mount Union's women's basketball team (2-0) earned a 46-41 victory over Washington & Jefferson (1-1) in the championship game of the Holiday Inn Tip-Off Classic in Washington, PA on Saturday, November 18. The Raiders defeated Pitt-Bradford on Friday by a score of 72-49...Senior/guard Lauren Friedrich (Sharon, PA/Kennedy Catholic) and junior/forward Ashley Ross (Canal Fulton) were named to the All-Tournament Team. Friedrich scored 16 points against W & J while Ross averaged 9.5 points and 6.0 rebounds per game. Against Bradford, freshman/guard Meghan Simons scored a team-high 13 points.

Muskingum-vs. Ohio Dominican: L 95-80...vs. St. Joseph's College: W 75-39

Sophomore forward **Jessica McKenzie (Hopewell/West Muskingum)** averaged 18 points and 10.5 rebounds to pace Muskingum during its annual Memorial Tournament...McKenzie connected on 14-of-22 from the field and logged six assists and five steals en route to being named to the all-tournament team...Sophomore guard **Renee Metzger (Lakeview/Indian Lake)** averaged 15 points and connected on five three-pointers, while senior forward **Leah Miller (Findlay)** and sophomore guard **Elizabeth Guinsler (Zanesville/John Glenn)** each averaged 10 points...Sophomore guard **Tiffany Youel (Byesville/Meadowbrook)** tallied a team-high 14 assists on the weekend...

Ohio Northern-vs. Bethany: W 82-48...vs. Allegheny: W 85-58

The Ohio Northern women's basketball team took the Allegheny Tip-Off Classic Title over the weekend with wins over Bethany (W.Va) and Allegheny (Pa.)...Senior forward **Danielle Andreasen (Wadsworth)** was named the Tournament MVP, as she scored 27 points and grabbed 12 rebounds in the two games. Andreasen scored 14 points in the win Friday night and went over 500 points in her career. She now has 515 career points...Sophomore guard **Alisha Rinehart (Lima/Perry)** earned All-Tournament Team honors by amassing 31 points and seven assists...Junior guard **Jenny Markle (Fairlawn/Copley)** scored a game-high 18 points in the championship game and 27 points for the weekend. She was 7-of-17 from behind the three-point arc and had five steals in the two games...Junior Center **Erin Brand (Yorkshire/Marion Local)**, coming off an injury plagued 2005-06 season, scored 22 points and grabbed nine rebounds in her first two games this season...The Polar Bears will be back in action Tuesday, Nov. 21, when they travel to Kenyon for a non-conference match up.

Otterbein-vs. Denison: L 83-74...vs. Mount St. Joseph: L 92-87 (2OT)

Junior guard **Sara Fee (Bryan)** led the Cardinals in scoring, rebounding and assists with 28 points, 14 boards and nine assists...Junior guard **Ana Gamble (Pickerington/North)** logged in 25 points over the weekend, including a career-high 16 points against Mount St. Joseph...Junior guard **Britni Lakas (Charleston, WV/Mason)** registered 24 points this weekend

Wilmington-vs. Wisconsin-Whitewater: W 71-65...vs. Wheaton: W 68-59

Senior All-American post **Kelly Peters (Spencerville)** led four Lady Quakers in double figures with 15 points in Wilmington's win over Whitewater. Senior wing **Erica Smith (Union/Northmont)** scored 14 points and junior guard **Jackie Hauke (Sardinia/Whiteoak)** and junior post **Katie Streck (Dayton/Carroll)** scored 13 each. Peters led Wilmington with eight rebounds while freshman post **Kortney Kin (Upper Sandusky/Riverdale)** scored seven points and pulled down five rebounds in her collegiate debut. Streck scored 19 of her career-high 25 points in the second half as Wilmington upset No. 5 Wheaton on the Thunder's home court. Peters poured in 20 points and collected eight rebounds. Hauke led Wilmington with 10 boards. Senior point guard **Sam Hood (Lockbourne/Teays Valley)** scored eight points and handed out four assists. Peters was named the classic's most valuable player and Streck was named to the all-tournament team.

OAC Swimming Up and Coming... OAC

Thursday, November 30-Saturday December 2

Wooster Invitational-Ohio Northern, John Carroll

Friday, December 1-2

Mount Union at Grove City Invitational, 5:00

Friday, December 1-Sunday, December 3

Baldwin-Wallace at Fredonia International (NY), 10:00am & 6:00

Saturday, December 9

Wilmington at Ohio Wesleyan, 1:00 p.m.

OAC WEEKLY SWIMMING & DIVING NOTES

Baldwin-Wallace- Idle

Women: Records: 5-3 overall, 2-0 OAC; This Week: Idle until Dec. 1-3; Last Week: Idle; Notes: The B-W men's and women's swim teams travel to Florida just after Christmas and are there for two weeks to train, have fun and compete...B-W leaves on Dec. 27 to train at Florida International University, competes in the One-Mile Ocean Swim on Dec. 29 and against FIU on Jan. 6 and leaves for Ohio later than evening. Winter/ Spring semester classes begin on Jan. 8

Men: Records: 5-3 overall, 2-0 OAC; This Week: Idle until December 1-3; Last Week: Idle; Notes: Senior D.J. Mosiniak (Toledo/ St. Francis de Sales), last week's OAC Swimmer of the Week, has left the team due to an injury that might require additional attention. His return status is uncertain at present.

John Carroll-Idle

Men:
Women:

Mount Union-Women vs. Washington & Jefferson: L 132-84...vs. Hiram: L 124-85...Men: Washington & Jefferson: L 133-86...vs. Hiram: W138-98

Women: On the women's side against Washington & Jefferson first place went to freshman **Samantha Tecca (Northfield/Nordonia)** in the one meter dive (128.30), senior **Athena Miller (Wadsworth)** in the 200 yard back (2:31.90), freshman **Jamie Wright (Stow/Munroe Falls)** in the 500 yard free (6:05.59) and the 400 yard free relay team (4:00.28) of senior **Erin Schwing (Greensburg, PA/Greensburg-Salem)**, senior **Lisa Sanniti (Cleveland/St. Joseph Academy)**, freshman **Kelly McMahon (Solon)** and Wright...Against Hiram Mount Union's women's team had firsts from freshman Jamie Wright in the 50 free (29.95), senior Athena Miller in the 400 meter free (5:19.94), junior **Danielle Boyer (Salina, KS)** in the 100 breaststroke (1:39.40) and freshman Samantha Tecca in the 3 meter dive (154.90). The top spot also went to the 200 meter free relay squad (1:59.95) of Wright, senior Erin Schwing, freshman **Kelly McMahon (Solon)** and senior Lisa Sanniti (Cleveland/St. Joseph Academy).

Men: On the men's side, the Raiders had several first place finishes against Washington & Jefferson, including sophomore **Dan Hamp (Alliance/Hawken)** in the 200 yard fly (2:15.24), junior **Jon Billak (Brunswick)** in the 200 yard back (2:18.30), freshman **Corey Bostick (Glendale, AZ/Moon Valley)** in the 500 yard free (5:16.74) and the 400 yard free relay squad (3:35.24) of Bostick, sophomore **Jeff Budzowski, (Independence)**, freshman **Erik Newman (Akron/Green)** and senior **Mark Rogers (Malvern/Central Catholic)**...The Raider men's team had several first place finishers against Hiram, including double-winners freshman Cory Bostick in the 800 meter free (9:40.55) and 400 free (4:39.55), sophomore **Kevin Klein (Oswego, NY)** in the 200 meter free (2:08.22) and 100 fly (1:02.87) and senior Mark Rogers in the 50 free (26:42) and 100 free (50.13). Sophomore **Donald Maclary (Virginia Beach, VA/Landstown)** took the top spot in the 100 back (1:03.52)...The Purple Raiders also won a pair of relays, including the 200 meter relay (2:02.45) with junior Jon Billak, sophomore Jeff Budzowski, sophomore Dan Hamp and freshman **Andy Neimes (Brecksville/Broadview Heights)**, and the 200 meter free (1:42.64) with Maclary, Bostick, Klein and Rogers.

Ohio Northern-Women vs. Notre Dame: W 150-68...vs. Wittenberg: L 149-92...Men vs. Wittenberg: L 158-83

Women: The Ohio Northern women's swimming & diving team (3-3) defeated non-conference foe Notre Dame College 150-68 Saturday and fell to Wittenberg 149-92 on Friday at the ONU Sports Center. Senior **Jessica Ewald (Tiffin/Columbian)** won four events over the weekend to lead ONU. Against Wittenberg on Friday, she won the 100

breast in 1:04.97 and was on the winning 200 medley relay team (1:54.91). On Saturday against Notre Dame, she won the 200 breast in 2:33.79 and was on the winning 400 medley relay team (4:20.17)...Freshman **Lacey Shumate (Bucyrus/Colonel Crawford)** took top honors in the 200 backstroke in 2:20.01 against NDC and was on the winning 200 medley relay team against WU...Freshman **Kim Randall (Milford)** took first place in the 200 freestyle in 2:05.00 against NDC and was on the winning 200 medley relay team against WU...Freshman **Katherine Moore (Chicago, Ill./Marion Catholic)** won the 50 freestyle against NDC in 26.09 and was on the winning 200 medley relay team against WU...Freshman **Jillian Huber (Glandorf/Ottawa-Glandorf)** won the 200 individual medley in 2:22.18 against NDC...Junior **Samantha Ruffing (Republic/Seneca East)** won the 100 freestyle in 58.71 on Fri.

Men: The Ohio Northern men's swimming and diving team (2-2) was topped by Wittenberg 158-83, in non-conference action Friday night at the ONU Sports Center. Sophomore **Brett Kuhn (Tiffin/Columbian)** led the way for the Polar Bears winning two events and placing second in another. Kuhn took first-place in the 50 freestyle in 22.13, was a member of the winning 200 medley relay team in 1:41.88 and took second in the 100 freestyle in 49.78...Also part of the winning 200 medley relay team were senior **Erik Lange (Bainbridge Township/Kenston)**, sophomore **Nathaniel Peyton (Tinley Park, Ill.)** and freshman **Bill Neidinger (Broadview Heights/Brecksville-Broadview Heights)**. Peyton also took second-place in the 200 freestyle in 1:53.14 and the 100 backstroke in 57.23. Lange was runner-up in the 100 breaststroke in 1:04.03 and Neidinger placed second in the 100 butterfly in 56.99...Freshman **George Chesney (North Olmsted)** took second-place in both the 1-meter and 3-meter dive with scores of 212.8 and 226.75, respectively.

Wilmington –Men vs. Wittenberg: L 107-66...Women vs. Wittenberg: L 112-79

Men: Sophomore **Chris Lamb (Wilmington/Clinton-Massie)** had a solid meet against Wittenberg that included a win in the 100-yard butterfly, one of three race wins for the Quakers. Freshman **John Creech (Centerville)** and freshman **Ron Cerny (North Olmsted)** went 1-2 in the 500-yard freestyle, and sophomore **Travis Goodspeed (Celina)** and senior **Tim Chesney (North Olmsted)** finished 1-2 in the 100-yard breaststroke.

Women: Sophomore **Carolyn Shinsato (Batavia)** won the 100-yard butterfly while classmate **Kacie Otting (Minster)** touched first in the 100-yard breaststroke. Wilmington also won the 200-yard freestyle relay as junior **Laura Conner (Canton/Jackson)**, sophomore **Erica Anderson (Wapakoneta)**, freshman **Carissa Macella (Wilmington)** and senior **Dierdra Robison (Wilmington)** teamed for a victory.

OAC Wrestling Up and Coming... OAC

Tuesday, November 21

Cleveland State at John Carroll, 7:00p.m.

Tuesday, November 28, 2006

Ohio Northern at Muskingum
Wilmington at John Carroll
Heidelberg at Baldwin-Wallace
Bye: Mount Union

Friday, December 1-Saturday, December 2

Mount Union, Heidelberg at Petrofes Tournament, Messiah College, 9:00a.m.
Muskingum at Indiana Little States Tournament, 9:00a.m.

Saturday, December 2

John Carroll, Baldwin-Wallace at Rochester Institute of Technology Tournament, 9:00am.

OAC WEEKLY WRESTLING NOTES

Note: OAC Top Wrestlers List will begin Monday, December 4.

Baldwin-Wallace-vs. Tri-State : W 25-13...vs. Univ. of Wisconsin-LaCrosse: L 24-12...vs. Olivet: L 34-6...vs. Rose-Hulman: W 37-9

Records: 4-3 overall, 0-0 OAC; This Week: Idle until Nov. 28 dual match versus Heidelberg in Berea at 7:30 p.m.; Last Week: Had a 2-2 record at the Annual Olivet College Comet Duals in Olivet, Michigan on Nov. 18: Beat Tri-State (Ind.) University, 25-13; Lost to the University of Wisconsin-LaCrosse, 24-12; Lost to Olivet (Mich.) College, 34-6; Beat Rose-Hulman (Ind.) Institute of Technology, 37-9; Notes: Sophomore 149-pounder **Mo Salem (Westlake)** highlighted the weekend with a perfect 4-0 record as he won by decision, by forfeit, by major decision and by technical fall to improve to 6-1 overall...In addition, junior All-OAC 165-pounder **Gino Russo (Northfield Center/ Nordonia)** was 3-0 and sophomore 133-pounder **Brian Bucher (Ottawa Hills/ Avon Lake)** was 3-1...Bucher ties Salem for the best record at 6-1, Russo is 5-1 and junior 174-pounder **Jeremy Feador (North Olmsted)** is 4-1 overall...The Nov. 28 dual match between B-W and Heidelberg features the top two teams as picked in this year's OAC Coaches poll...B-W is at the Rochester (N.Y.) Institute of Technology Tournament on Dec. 1-2...The 21st Annual John Summa Invitational Tournament at B-W is scheduled for February 3.

Heidelberg-

John Carroll-at National Catholic Invitational: 4th of 7 teams...at Case: W 28-14

The John Carroll wrestling team, competing as the only Division III school in the field, placed fourth out of seven teams on November 11 at the National Catholic Invitational, hosted by Mercyhurst College at the Mercyhurst Athletic Center in Erie, Pennsylvania. The host Mercyhurst Lakers tallied 144 team points to win the tournament, 11 ahead of Division I foe Sacred Heart, who finished second. Duquesne, another Division I school, finished third with 107.5 points. John Carroll placed fourth with 103 points, followed by NAIA newcomer Notre Dame (78.5), Division II Gannon (74.5) and Mercyhurst-North East (16) ... 2005 NCAA Division III national runner-up Ryan Summers made his first competitive appearance since December 29, 2005, when an injury sidelined him for the remainder of last season. In his first action back, Summers finished as the 184-pound runner-up, posting two major decisions before losing in the final to Duquesne's Jared Ricotta ... Other place winners at the tournament were sophomore Elie Naoum, who went 4-2 and placed fourth at 125 pounds; Junior Adam Pizzurro, who was 3-2 and finished fourth at 133 pounds; Sophomore Dan Mizener, who went 2-2 and placed fourth at 149; and freshman Tim Lambert, who was 4-2 in placing fourth at heavyweight ... Using a line-up that featured six returning full-time starters, all six produced victories for John Carroll in a 28-14 victory over the Case Reserve Spartans Tuesday evening in a non-conference dual meet in Cleveland, Ohio. the Blue Streaks won the first four bouts – which included pins by Naoum at 125 (in a time of 1:38) and Dominic Spitalieri at 141 (in a time of 1:42) – to take a commanding 21-0 lead ... Also collecting points for John Carroll against Case were Chris Branchen by a decision at 174,

and Summers by a major decision at 184 ... JCU was ranked #27 in the preseason Brute/NWCA Division III Coaches Poll

Mount Union-vs.

Mount Union College's wrestling team (1-3) traveled to Olivet, MI on Saturday, November 18 to compete in the Comet Duals hosted by Olivet. In the opening round the Raiders fell to Wisconsin-LaCrosse who is ranked #3 in the nation according to the Brute-Adidas NWCA Team Rankings. The lone victor for the Raiders was **Sean Dreger (Alliance)** who won by technical fall (19-4) at 141 lbs...In the second round the Raiders competed against another nationally ranked opponent in #9 North Central (IL). Once again Dreger won for the Raiders with a 12-1 major decision while **Chad Ellis (Vermilion)** earned his first career victory with a pin at 285...In third round action Mount Union picked up its first win of the day with a 36-6 win over Rose-Hulman (IN). The Purple Raiders opened the match with five straight victories to build a 24-0 lead. At 125, **Ryan Peacock (Cleveland/Trinity)** earned his first win as a Raider with a 6-0 decision. **Reggie Bathurst (Euclid)**, Dreger, and **Billy Loeffler (Oakdale, PA/Pittsburgh Central Catholic)** would all register pins in the next three weight classes for Mount Union. **George Comer (Montville/Ledgemont)** won by decision at 157. The Raiders would close out the match with victories in three of the final four weight classes as **Nick Allarding (Loudonville)** won by decision at 174, **John Howell (Akron/Ellet)** won by decision at 184, and **Jake Jahnke (Mars Area, PA)** won by pin at 285...In their final match of the day the Raiders fell to 15th ranked Wisconsin-Stevens Point. UW-Stevens Point would win at 125, but the Raiders would pick up forfeits at 133 and 141 and Loeffler would win by major decision at 149 to give the Raiders a 16-3 lead. UW-Stevens Point would earn victories in the next five weight classes before Ellis would earn a 7-6 win at 285 for the Raiders

Muskingum-Idle

Ohio Northern: vs. Rose-Hulman: W 38-13...vs. Mt. St. Joseph: W 28-16...vs. Wisconsin Stevens Point: L 15-28

The Ohio Northern wrestling team started the season 3-1 at the Olivet Comet Duals on Saturday...Freshman 133-pounder **Jeff Penny (West Milton/Milton-Union)** went 4-0 on Saturday with a pin, two decisions and a forfeit...Junior heavyweight **Adam Kosch (Oakwood/Paulding)** also went undefeated with a 3-0 record. Kosch recorded a pin, a decision and a forfeit...Senior 184-pounder **Dusty Poore (Dayton/Walter E. Stebbins)** had a 3-1 record with two decisions and a forfeit...Junior 174-pounder **Ben Plowman (Maumee)** won two decisions and recorded a pin in going 3-1 on Saturday.