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OAC PLAYERS-OF-THE-WEEK



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Baseball

Hitter- Wilmington senior centerfielder **Taylor Clark (McCallie, TN/Marrow)** batted .462 in 39 at bats with eight runs, 4 RBI, three doubles and one triple to help the Quakers post a 8-1 record last.

Pitcher-Wilmington freshman pitcher **Bryce DeWeese (Jeffersonville/Miami Trace)** threw a complete six-hit shutout against Albion and gave up only four hits in seven innings in the Quakers victory over Illinois College. On the week, DeWeese went 2-0, giving up only 10 hits, no earned runs and totaling 15 strikeouts.

Softball

Hitter- Ohio Northern sophomore first baseman **Matti McFarlin (Cranberry/Ashland)** batted .571 as she went 4-for-7 with a double, two triples, four RBI and two runs scored in a double header against Findlay last week.

Pitcher- Marietta senior pitcher **Kristen Quintana (Denver, Co./Littleton)** went 6-1 last week. In 42 innings, she allowed only five earned runs, and tallied 66 strikeouts. Quintana broke the school's career win record (41) and now has collected 45 in her career. She also matched the school's single-game strikeout record with 15 during Marietta's win over Rhode Island last week.

Women's Tennis

Baldwin-Wallace junior **Meggie Glassburn (Canton/Jackson)** was 2-0 in singles and 2-0 in doubles as B-W beat Malone College (9-0) but lost to Walsh (5-4). Glassburn is 12-2 in singles this season with nine straight wins and now has 47 career singles wins. Glassburn and Isaac has been a doubles tandem the past three years and have combined to win 71 matches.

Men's Tennis

Muskingum junior **AJ Wilson (Wooster)** finished the week 3-1 combined at first singles and second doubles after picking up wins versus Waynesburg and Malone. He improved his overall record at first singles to 7-0 on the year

Men's Golf-will begin Monday March 26

Women's Golf-will begin Monday March 26

Men's Track & Field-will begin Monday March 26

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Five OAC Basketball Players Earn All-America Honors

B-W's Davis Named DIII News Player-of-the-Year

Austintown, OH—Baldwin-Wallace senior Tori Davis (Elyria), Otterbein senior Tyler Ousley (Butler), John Carroll senior Brandon Mimes (Euclid) and Wilmington senior Kelly Peters (Spencerville) and junior Katie Streck (Dayton) have all earned All-America honors for their play this season.



Peters and Streck were both selected as Women's Basketball Coaches Association (WBCA)/Kodak All-America honorable mention picks. Peters was also named D3hoops.com All-America honorable mention. Peters averaged 16 points and 8.8 rebounds-per-game this season, to rank first and second among the Conference. Her 54-percent field goal shooting ranked second in the OAC. Streck also scored 16 points-per-game and pulled down 7.2 rebounds. At 84 percent, she was the second-leading free throw shooter in the league.



Davis earned DIII News and D3hoops.com first team All-America honors and was named the 2007 DIII News Player-of-the-Year for the second straight time. Davis averaged 22.4 points and 9.1 rebounds-per-game. He ended his career seventh on the all-time OAC scoring list with 2,232 points. He also had 950 career rebounds and 242 blocked shots and shot 62.2 percent from the floor and 71 percent from the foul line.

Ousley was named D3hoops.com fourth team All-America as well as DIII News All-America honorable mention. Mimes was also selected as a DIII News honorable mention selection. Ousley finished the season at the top of the OAC in rebounding with 10.8 rebounds-per-game and third in scoring with 19.7 points-per-game. Mimes was second in the OAC in scoring with 20.6 points-per-game and in rebounding with 10.5 per game.



BASEBALL



2007 Baseball Standings (ties are disregarded in figuring winning %)								
School	OAC Games				All Games			
	Wins	Losses	Ties	Pct.	Wins	Losses	Ties	Pct.
Muskingum	0	0	0	#####	10	1	0	0.909
Wilmington	0	0	0	#####	8	1	0	0.889
Heidelberg	0	0	0	#####	9	3	0	0.750
Otterbein	0	0	0	#####	5	2	0	0.714
Marietta	0	0	0	#####	7	3	0	0.700
John Carroll	0	0	0	#####	8	4	0	0.667
Baldwin-Wallace	0	0	0	#####	5	6	0	0.455
Capital	0	0	0	#####	4	5	0	0.444
Ohio Northern	0	0	0	#####	5	8	0	0.385
Mount Union	0	0	0	#####	4	8	0	0.333

****Note: Stats will begin Monday, March 26****

Up and Coming...

Tuesday, March 20

Bluffton at Ohio Northern-Postponed
Thomas Moore at Muskingum-3:00p.m.

Wednesday, March 21

Wilmington at Mt. St. Joseph-6:30p.m.
Hiram at Mount Union-3:30p.m.
Waynesburg at Marietta-5:00p.m.

Thursday, March 22

Case at John Carroll-3:00p.m.
Notre Dame at Baldwin-Wallace-1:00p.m.

Friday, March 23

Tiffin at Heidelberg-3:00p.m.

Saturday, March 24

Temple Baptist at Wilmington-1:00p.m. DH
Mount Union at John Carroll-1:00p.m. DH**
Heidelberg at Tiffin-1:00p.m. DH
Sunny Brockport at Marietta-5:00p.m.

Sunday, March 25

Notre Dame at Wilmington-1:00p.m. DH
Ohio Northern at St. Francis-1:00p.m. DH
Walsh at Baldwin-Wallace-1:00p.m.
Brockport State at Mount Union-1:00p.m. DH

OAC WEEKLY BASEBALL NOTES

The Collegiate Baseball Newspaper poll will being at the end of March

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Baldwin-Wallace-vs. Urbana L 14-1/L 4-3

THIS WEEK: HOSTS Notre Dame College (Ohio) on March 22 at 1:00 p.m.; HOSTS Walsh University on March 25 at 1:00 p.m.; LAST WEEK: Lost twice at Urbana University, 14-1 and 4-3, on March 18; NOTES: Junior outfielder Mike Brisky (Berea) continued his hot hitting at Urbana with a pair of safeties, including a double and a run batted-in despite a 4-3 second game loss...Next week, B-W plays No.6-ranked Wooster on Thursday, March 29 and opens its OAC schedule on Saturday, March 31 by hosting Capital in a doubleheader at 1:00 p.m.

Capital-vs. Adrian, W 8-2/L 7-4

Capital University junior Marc St. John (Perrysburg/Perrysburg) went 3-for-4 and scored three runs, while four pitchers held Adrian (Mich.) College to two runs in an 8-2 win at VA Memorial Stadium in Chillicothe, Ohio...St. John led off the game with a single and scored from first base as the very next batter, senior Ryan Hutchison (Columbus/Whitehall) drove a ball to the right field right field wall. Hutchison would then score later in the inning on a Nick Snider (Granville/Granville) groundout to give Capital a 2-0 lead...St. John then led off the third inning with a single that started a four-run inning to give Capital a 6-0 lead. The big hit of the inning came with two outs and bases loaded as senior Bryan White (Newark/Licking Valley) lined to right field to drive in two runs...Capital took a commanding 8-0 lead with two more runs in the fourth as senior Jake Butler (Newark/Licking Valley) led off the inning with his first home run of the season and then St. John would double and come around to score on a sacrifice fly from Tom Stevison (Mount Vernon/Mount Vernon)...All of this was more than enough offense for Crusader pitchers Michael Graffin (Bowling Green/Bowling Green), Jon Wing (Marysville/Marysville), Graham Holmberg (Newark/Newark) and Justin Stegman (Wheelersburg/Wheelersburg) as the quartet combined to strikeout six, walk none and hold Adrian to just two runs. Graffin (2-1) started the game and went four innings to pick up his second win of the season...Bobby Rickstad (2-2) allowed eight runs over the first four innings to take the loss for Adrian (4-7).

Heidelberg- vs. Franklin & Marshall, W 7-6/W 19-4...vs. Oglethorpe, W 15-6/W14-7

Heidelberg finished a perfect 4-0 on the week in Atlanta, Ga. ... Through four games, Heidelberg recorded 73 hits, including 23 in a 19-4 win over Franklin & Marshall ... For the year Heidelberg stands at 9-3 overall ... Sophomore outfielder Jack Bault (Randolph, Ohio / Waterloo) led the way on the week hitting .556 with a team-high 10 hits ... Bault scored seven runs, while knocking in six ... Sophomore third baseman Tony Pawlowicz (Montpelier, Ohio / Montpelier) finished with seven hits on the week, including three home runs ... Pawlowicz knocked in a team-high 10 runs for the week ... Senior first baseman Alex Rutter (Bowling Green, Ohio / Bowling Green) and sophomore outfielder Jeremy Wentworth (Johnstown, Ohio / St. Charles) each scored nine runs ... Junior designated hitter Cody James (Belle Center, Ohio / Benjamin Logan) hit .600 (6-for-10) with seven RBI, including a three-run double in the 19-4 win over F&M ... Junior Steve Calevro (Perrysburg, Ohio / Perrysburg) improved to 3-0 on the year after earning the 14-7 win over Oglethorpe ... Calevro posted an 1.69 ERA in 5.1 innings of work ... Sophomore left-hander David Paddock (Westerville, Ohio / North) pitched 7.0 innings against F&M, striking out three and gave up five hits and just three earned runs in the 19-4 win over F&M ... Junior Andrew McFarland (Mansfield, Ohio / Madison) earned the start against the first game with Franklin & Marshall ... McFarland pitched 6.0 innings, striking out 10 batters

John Carroll-vs. Hiram, W 19-8/W4-3...vs. Wittenberg, W 14-2

In going 3-0 at the Wittenberg Baseball Classic, John Carroll scored 37 runs in a period of roughly 28 hours. JCU batted .358 with 14 doubles, one triple and two home runs among its 44 hits ... Since dropping its first two games of the season in Florida, John Carroll has reeled off eight wins in its last ten games ... Michael Krainz (Walton Hills, OH/Cleveland St. Ignatius) tied a program record when he stole four bases Saturday against Hiram. Only two other Blue Streak players had accomplished that feat prior to March 17 ... Sophomore Adam Milanovich (Rimersburg, PA/Union) had a career day as he went 4-5 with five RBI in a 19-8 win over Hiram. The four hits and five RBI were both single game career highs for Milanovich, whose four hits included a home run and two doubles ... John Carroll trailed 3-0 entering the bottom of the eighth inning Sunday against Hiram, but came back with two runs in the eighth and one in the ninth to send the contest to extra innings. Sophomore catcher Russell Toth (Lorain, OH/Admiral King) tied the game at 3-3 with a one-out solo home run. The Blue Streaks would go on to win, 4-3 ... Against host Wittenberg Sunday, Adam Sockel (Lorain, OH/Lorain Catholic) and Matthew Pangallo (Crystal Lake, IL/Prairie Ridge) both collected three RBI and junior Sean McCarthy (Milton, MA/Boston College High School) scored a season-high four runs as the Blue Streaks routed the Tigers, 14-2. Matt Fort (Garfield Heights, OH/Trinity) pitched six innings to pick up his second consecutive win, allowing two unearned runs on just four hits. In his last 13 innings, Fort has struck out 18 while walking just one ... Four Blue Streaks have current hitting streaks of seven games or better – McCarthy has a team-leading 12, followed by Sockel with 10, Krainz with eight, and freshman Mike Carbo (Coral Springs, FL/J.P. Taravella) with seven. Carbo is the team's leading hitter this season, as he is 20-40 (.500) in his first 11 games as a collegian.

Marietta-vs. Texas-Dallas W, 8-1...vs. McMurry W, 7-5...vs. Southwest L, 4-5...vs. Southwestern W, 13-7...vs. Hardin-Simmons L, 4-10...vs. Texas Wesleyan L, 1-3/W, 2-1 (9 innings)

The 2006 National Champion Etta Express (7-3) went 4-3 on its spring trip to Texas with only one loss coming against a NCAA Division III school. Marietta, ranked No. 7 in the preseason poll, batted .254 and had a 3.68 earned run average over the seven games. Junior designated hitter Tom Doty (Mentor) led the team in hitting, going 6-for-17 (.353), while sophomore outfielder Don Pugliese (Coraopolis, Pa./West Allegheny) batted .348 (8-for-23). Pugliese currently leads the team with a .382 (13-for-34) batting average through 10 games. Sophomore ace Jason Baumler (Crownsville, Md./Old Mill) went 1-1 in Texas and is now 2-1 with a 1.93 ERA on the year. Freshman Nate Eschabaugh (Marietta) threw eight 2/3 scoreless innings on the trip. The Etta Express are slated to take on LaRoche (Pa.) for a doubleheader in its home opener Tuesday (March 20) at 2 p.m. Marietta will then play host to Waynesburg (Pa.) Wednesday (March 21) at 5 p.m. and SUNY-Brockport Saturday (March 24) at 5 p.m. All of the action can be heard online at <http://pioneers.marietta.edu/onlinebroadcasts.html>.

Mount Union-vs. Rose-Hulman, W 6-4/W14-2...vs. Edgewood, L 10-3...vs. Concordia, L 10-6

In the Raiders' first contest with Rose-Hulman, senior Shawn Kerek (Stow) picked up the victory for the Purple Raiders going 6.1

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innings, allowing three earned runs and fanning five in the process. He is now 3-0 on the young season. Senior Tommy Kerr (Pickerington/Central) went the final 2.2 innings, picking up his first save of the season....Against Concordia, junior/second baseman Michael Almasy (Canton/McKinley) led the attack with a 3-for-3 day and two RBI at the plate while junior/outfielder Andy Warner (North Canton/Hoover) finished 3-for-4...In Mount Union's second meeting with Rose-Hulman, senior Mike Reynolds (Akron/Hoban) tossed seven shutout innings, allowing five hits and no walks to pick up the victory...Offensively, senior/first baseman Thomas Pfaus (Massillon/Perry) was 2-for-2 with three RBI, junior/catcher Jon Schulz (Chardon/Notre Dame-Cathedral Latin) was 3-for-4 with two runs scored, and senior/rightfielder Jon Suntala (Columbia Station) drew four walks and scored twice. Sophomore Kyle Green (Alliance) replaced Schulz behind the plate in the seventh inning and finished the contest 2-for-2 with his first career homerun.

Muskingum-vs. Lake Erie , W 6-0

Muskingum College won their home-opener 6-0, as senior hurler Jason Tomlinson (Heath), along with sophomores Karl Stevens (Granville), Aubrey Neuhart (Meadowbrook/Lore City), and Levi Shaw (Jacksontown/Lakewood) combined for a three-hit shutout against Lake Erie College last Wednesday to extend their win streak to a school-record tying 10 games. Tomlinson earned the win to improve to 2-0 on the season...Along with the outstanding pitching showcase, the Black & Magenta displayed a balanced offensive attack led by junior first baseman Seth Sibert (Massillon/Washington) who cranked his second home run of the year to right center in the bottom of the fifth inning. He ended the game with two hits and two runs scored...The Muskies next host Thomas More College on Tuesday, January 20. A win by the Fish, will set the school record for most consecutive victories.

Ohio Northern-vs DePauw, L 4-2/L 3-4...vs. Franklin, L 5-1

The Ohio Northern baseball team lost 4-2 and 4-3 to DePauw on Saturday and fell 5-1 to Franklin on Sunday. Offensively, freshman CF Brandon Hubbard (Ashley/Buckeye Valley) led the Polar Bears, batting .385 (5-for-13) with three doubles, two RBIs and a run scored in the three games. Hubbard leads the team in batting at .417 (20-for-48), doubles (4), triples (2), RBIs (10), runs scored (12) and stolen bases (9-of-12). Freshman IF Matt Roberts (Troy/Piqua), playing in just his second game, swatted a home run for his first collegiate hit in the second game with DePauw. Senior 1B Phil Bruns (St. Henry) batted .333 (3-for-9) with a run scored over the weekend. On the mound, Bruns is second on the team in batting at .345 (10-for-29) and six runs scored. On the mound, sophomore Brian Hill (Fairborn/Dayton Carroll) threw his second complete game of the season in the first game against DePauw. Hill is now 1-3 with a 4.72 ERA in 26 2/3 innings. He has struck out a team-leading 29 batters. Senior Scott Bruckman (Huber Heights/Chaminade-Julienne) pitched 2 2/3 innings of scoreless relief in game two against DePauw. On the year, Bruckman has a 4.05 ERA in 13 1/3 innings of work with 11 strikeouts. The Polar Bears return to action next Sunday when they travel to St. Francis (Ind.) for a doubleheader starting at 1 p.m.

Otterbein- Fontbonne, W 17-13...vs. Anderson W 7-5...vs. Manchester W 3-1/W 4-2

Junior SS Ben Titus (Bowling Green) hit .643 (9-for-14) with three doubles, six runs, three RBIs and a stolen base on the week ... Junior 3B Brandon Mauck (Reynoldsburg) scored two run going 3-for-7 with a double this week ... Sophomore DH Dan Lassak (Sunbury/Big Walnut) went 5-for-13 with a double, six RBIs, three runs and three stolen bases on the week ... Sophomore 1B/DH Kyle Dyar (Newark) went a perfect 2-for-2 with a double, an RBI and a run in the win over Fontbonne ... Sophomore 2B Tyler Rudman (Grove City/Bishop Ready) knocked in an RBI and scored three runs going 2-for-4 against Fontbonne ... Senior 1B/P Bobby Wright (Grove City/Westland) struck out four batters in five scoreless innings of work in the game one win over 24th-ranked Manchester ... Junior pitcher Dan Remenowsky (Cincinnati/Moeller) made two appearance giving up seven hits, one earned run and striking out seven batters ... Junior pitcher Doug Stevens (Newark/Newark Catholic) picked up his first win of the season going the distance against Manchester giving up six hits and striking out three ... Sophomore pitcher Jeremy Williams (Grove City) struck out six in six innings of work in the win over Fontbonne.

Wilmington- Fort Myers, FL...vs. Albion, W 3-9/W 7-2...vs. Nichols, W 12-1/W 1-0 (14)...vs. Lakeland, L 6-5/W 10-3...vs. Illinois College, W 7-1

Freshman left-hander Bryce DeWeese (Jeffersonville/Miami Trace) won two games as Wilmington completed its best season start since 2004 by winning eight of nine games at the Gene Cusic Classic in Fort Myers, Fla. DeWeese struck out 15 and did not allow an earned run in 14 innings of work. At the plate, junior center fielder Taylor Clark (Morrow/McCallie, Tenn.) scorched opposing pitchers for a .462 average (18-for-39). Senior first baseman Mike Kroeger (Cincinnati/Elder) pounded seven extra-base hits, including two home runs for the Quakers. Seniors Ronnie Campbell (Lynchburg/Lynchburg-Clay) and Jamison George (Mount Sterling/Miami Trace), sophomore Chris Lewis (Ostrander/Buckeye Valley) and DeWeese all threw complete games as Wilmington's pitching staff equaled its entire 2006 complete game total (four) during the season's first week.



SOFTBALL



2007 Softball Standings

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School	OAC Games				All Games			
	Wins	Losses	Ties	Pct.	Wins	Losses	Ties	Pct.
Marietta	0	0	0	#####	9	1	0	0.900
Mount Union	0	0	0	#####	11	3	0	0.786
Otterbein	0	0	0	#####	6	2	0	0.750
Ohio Northern	0	0	0	#####	8	4	0	0.667
Muskingum	0	0	0	#####	7	5	0	0.583
Capital	0	0	0	#####	7	7	0	0.500
John Carroll	0	0	0	#####	6	6	0	0.500
Baldwin-Wallace	0	0	0	#####	5	7	0	0.417
Heidelberg	0	0	0	#####	3	7	0	0.300
Wilmington	0	0	0	#####	3	8	0	0.273

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Up and Coming...

Tuesday, March 20

John Carroll at Lake Erie-2:30p.m.
Ohio Wesleyan at Muskingum-2:30p.m.

Wednesday, March 21

Denison at Marietta-3:30p.m.
Defiance at Ohio Northern-TBA
Notre Dame at Wilmington-3:00p.m.

Thursday, March 22

Mt. St. Joseph at Capital-3:30p.m.
Heidelberg at Oberlin-3:30p.m.
John Carroll at Norte Dame-2:30p.m.
Mount Union at Case Western-3:30p.m.

Saturday, March 24

Heidelberg at Wittenberg-1:00p.m.
Bethany at Marietta-1:00p.m.
Albion at Mount Union-1:00p.m.
Muskingum at Thomas More-1:00p.m.
Wilmington at Denison-1:00p.m.

Sunday, March 25

Kenyon College at Baldwin-Wallace-Noon
Bethany at Capital-1:00p.m.
Rio Grande at Marietta- 1:00p.m.

OAC WEEKLY SOFTBALL NOTES

According to the March 14 National Fastpitch Coach Association (NFCA) poll (top 25), Mount Union was 14th and Muskingum was 17th.

Baldwin-Wallace- vs. Wittenberg, L 8-0/L 11-9

THIS WEEK: HOSTS Kenyon College on March 25 in a doubleheader at 12:00 p.m. at the Cuyahoga County Fairgrounds

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Field; LAST WEEK: Lost at Wittenberg University, 8-0 and 11-9, on March 17 in Springfield; NOTES: B-W opened its northern schedule with a pair of losses and have unfortunately dropped seven of their last nine games since beginning the season at 3-0... Despite the losses, senior All-OAC catcher/ DH Molly Sersig (West Salem/ Northwestern) had three hits in the two games...In the second game, junior centerfielder Carrie Hoffer (Galion) had two hits, scored three runs and had two runs batted-in. Sophomore catcher Shae Monschein (Wellington), Sersig and sophomore leftfielder Rachel Krause (Parma/ Valley Forge) also each had two hits...B-W opens its OAC season on March 31 when it hosts Mt. Union College in a doubleheader at 1:00 p.m.

Capital-vs. Salisbury L, 11-2...vs. St. Elizabeth W, 17-0...Salisbury L, 8-0/L, 8-4

Capital lost three of four games at Salisbury (Md.) University this past weekend. The Crusaders dropped three to the host Sea Gulls and posted a 17-0 win over the College of St. Elizabeth (N.J.). The 17 runs were a season-high and the most in a game by Capital since a 21-1 win over Wisconsin Lutheran on Mar. 17, 2000 ... Senior Jen Heidenreich (Xenia) got the win and fellow senior Jackie Burris (Beach Park, Ill./Warren Township) hit a home run in the win. The Crusaders are slated to begin a season-long six-game home stand against Mt. St. Joseph Thursday at 3:30 p.m. at Clowson Field.

Heidelberg-Did not compete

John Carroll- vs. Wittenberg, L 7-6/W 7-4

Freshman Laura Boselovic (Wexford, PA/North Allegheny) went 4-4 with a home run and three RBI in the second game of a doubleheader Sunday afternoon at Wittenberg, aiding her own cause as a starting pitcher to help the Blue Streaks gain a split with the Tigers ... Boselovic's home run proved to be the game winner, as she broke a 4-4 tie by leaving the yard to lead off the top of the fifth inning. JCU added two more runs in the sixth to secure a 7-4 victory ... JCU junior hurler Ashley Lippert (Pittsburgh, PA/Avonworth) relieved Boselovic and worked a scoreless fifth, sixth and seventh inning to post her first save of the season ... Boselovic, Jamie Smrdel (Kirtland, OH/Beaumont) and Senior Alisha Zapor (Wintersville, OH/Steubenville Catholic Central) all scored two runs in the second game ... JCU had a first game victory in its grasp, but Wittenberg scored twice in the bottom of the seventh for a 7-6 victory. The Tigers scored the winning runs on a two-out two-run double ... The host Tigers opened up a 5-1 lead in the opening game after just four innings, but junior Bethany Bachman (Spinnerstown, PA/Bethlehem Catholic) jump started a four-run rally with a lead-off home run in the top of the fifth frame ... Bachman's home run was the first by a John Carroll player this season ... Junior Kelly D'Amato (Solon, OH/Solon) had a hit in both games and now has a six-game hitting streak – the longest of her career and the longest current streak on the team ... Zapor played in her 100th game Sunday.

Marietta-vs. US Coast Guard W, 11-3...vs. Anderson W, 9-1...vs. Simpson L, 0-2...vs. Fontbonne W, 4-0...vs. Benedictine W, 1-0...vs. SUNY-Geneseo W, 4-3...vs. Carthage W, 8-4...vs. Rowan W, 6-2

Marietta softball went 9-1 at the Rebel Spring Games for the second straight year. Its lone loss came to Simpson (Iowa). The Lady Pioneers batted .344 and posted a 2.45 earned run average during the 10-game stretch. Senior ace Kristen Quintana (Denver Colo./Littleton) went 6-1 with 66 strikeouts and just six walks in 42 2/3 innings of work. Her ERA is 1.05. The right-hander became the winningest pitcher in Marietta history during the week. She broke Candice Miller's school record of 41 wins and has now collected 45 in her career. Quintana has also accumulated 459 career strikeouts; the school record, also held by Miller, is 591. Sophomore Nikki Driscoll (Bellaire) is the team's leading hitter, batting .458 (11-for-24), while classmate Christine DeMoss (Bellville/Clear Fork) is hitting .455 (10-for-22) with a team-high 10 RBI. Three others—senior Lindsey Romick (Hannibal/River) (.433), junior Brandy Jacob (Wellington/Keystone) (.417) and senior Jenny Carroll (Lisbon/Beaver Local) (.406)—are also hitting over .400. Romick leads the team in runs scored (13) and doubles (6). Jacob has scored 12 runs and hit three triples.

Mount Union- vs. Walsh, W 3-2/W 6-1

In game one versus Walsh, junior Lindsey Royer (Louisville/Marlinton) pitched all eight innings to pick up the win, pushing her record to 8-3 on the year. She allowed only two earned runs and struck out five...At the plate, senior/first baseman Amanda Yackmack (Mantua/Twinsburg) was 2-for-4, sophomore/second baseman Katie Harmon (Berlin Center/Western Reserve) was 2-for-3 with an RBI double, and senior/catcher Crystal Thomas (Cuyahoga Falls/Walsh Jesuit) was 1-for-3 with a double and a run scored...Harmon (2-0) took the mound in game two and tossed five innings of shutout baseball, allowing only four hits...Royer and Thomas led the Raider offense, each going 2-for-3. Senior/centerfielder Cortney Frederick (Vermilion) was 2-for-4...According to the Thursday, March 15 National Fastpitch Coaches Association (NFCA) Poll, Mount Union College's softball team (11-3) is ranked seventh in all of Division III. Prior to this release, the Raiders' highest previous national ranking was at #5 in the country during the 1990 season.

Muskingum-Did not compete

Otterbein-vs. Concordia, W 7-0...vs. Manhattanville, L 9-1...vs. Wisconsin –La Crosse, W 6-4/W2-0...vs. Simpson, L 9-1...vs. Colorado, W 5-1...vs. Allegheny W 14-11...vs. Smith W 10-2

Sophomore OF Kelsey Beers (Springfield/Kenton Ridge) led the Cardinals to a 6-2 finish last week at the Rebel Spring Games in Kissimmee, Fla. ... For the week, Beers competed in all eight games, notching a .407 batting average and .444 slugging percentage ... The sophomore also turned in 11 hits, six runs and three RBI ... Senior P Megan Siebel (Johnstown) leads the pitching staff, winning all four of her contests ... Siebel tossed 20 strikeouts in her 19 innings

pitched, allowing only 14 hits so far this season ... Sophomore 1B Erica Walter (Piqua) collected a total of 50 put outs during the eight games, including 10 in a 14-11 victory over Allegheny College ... Senior SS Beth Rowland (Champion) also helped the Cardinal effort last week, turning in seven hits, including two triples, six runs, eight RBI and adding up a .632 slugging percentage.

Ohio Northern-vs. Findlay, W 9-0/L 7-8

The Ohio Northern softball team (8-4 overall, 0-0 OAC) traveled to area-rival Findlay and came away with a split against their NCAA Division II foes Wednesday afternoon at Riverside Park. The Polar Bears (8-4) got a 2-hit shutout by junior Erin Kenny (Rocky River) and two triples from sophomore Matti McFarlin (Ashland) to win the opener 9-0. The host Oilers (2-12) used a 6-run third frame to take the nightcap 8-7. McFarlin continued her hot hitting, going 2-for-3 with two triples and four RBI in the opener. She was 4-for-7 with a double, two triples and four RBI in the two games. This season, she is leading ONU with a .595 batting average (25-of-42) with 24 RBI. She has hit safely in all 12 games this season and in 16 consecutive games over the past two seasons. Northern batted around in the top of the first to take a 5-0 lead, powered by back-to-back triples by McFarlin and freshman Liz Decima (Freedon, Pa./Ambridge). Kenny (5-1) threw her second shutout of the season, allowing just two hits and only two balls to be hit out of the infield. In the nightcap, Findlay scored six runs in the third frame and got two more in the bottom of the sixth to win the nightcap. Northern battled back from a 6-2 deficit with four runs in the top of the fifth to tie the score at 6-6. Freshman Mandi Fought (Toledo/Whitmer) led off the game with an inside-the-park home run, the first home run of her young career. Northern had 23 hits in the double header, 10 of which went for extra bases. ONU has outscored its first 12 opponents 126-55, an average of 10.5-4.6 per game. The Polar Bears are scheduled to play again on Mar. 21 in their home opener against Defiance

Wilmington- Fort Myers, FL...vs. Eastern Nazarene, W 9-0...vs. North Park, L 10-0...vs. Illinois College, L 2-0...vs. Albion, L 10-2...vs. Blackburn, L 5-4 (9)...vs. Lesley, W 1-0

Sophomore Amanda Smith (Delaware/Hayes) fired her first collegiate shutout as Wilmington blanked Eastern Nazarene, and then tossed a three-hit shutout as Wilmington closed play in the Gene Cusic Classic with a win over Lesley College. Smith has notched three wins for Wilmington. Sophomore Katie Singleton (Lebanon) spent time at shortstop and pitcher and led Wilmington's offensive attack. Sophomore outfielder/infielder Jena Suffel (Bryan/Fairview) belted the team's first homer of the season in Wilmington's loss to Blackburn.

Track & Field Up and Coming...

March 23-24

Wake Forest Invitational, NC-Marietta, Ohio Northern

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March 24

Muskingum Invitational/Tiffin Invitational, 11a.m.-Baldwin-Wallace
Tiffin Open, 3:00p.m.-Heidelberg
Muskingum Invitational
Lynchburg Invitational, VA-Capital

March 31

OAC *Gold Meet* at Marietta, 11a.m.-Baldwin-Wallace, Capital, John Carroll, Mount Union, Muskingum, Marietta
OAC *Black Meet* at Wilmington, 11a.m.-Heidelberg, Muskingum, Ohio Northern, Otterbein

OAC WEEKLY OUTDOOR TRACK & FIELD NOTES

Baldwin-Wallace- Schedule Change

In a late schedule change, B-W will host the 2007 OAC Outdoor Track & Field Championship Meet on Friday and Saturday, March 11-12 but has cancelled its annual B-W Twilight Meet for the following weekend.

Heidelberg-at Tiffin/Berg Invitational, GA: UNSCORED

MEN: Heidelberg opened its 2007 outdoor season with the Tiffin/Berg Invitational in Brunswick, Ga. Dan Simpson finished first in the 1600-meter run and placed second behind Scott Lasch in the 3200-meter run. Mike Fallon and Shawn Shriver won the shot put and long jump, respectively, to lead the way in the field.

WOMEN: Heidelberg opened its 2007 outdoor season with the Tiffin/Berg Invitational in Brunswick, Ga. Nikki Jones won the 800-meter run to lead the Berg, while Tabitha Grim finished second in both the 800-meter run and the 1600-meter run.

John Carroll-at UNC-Wilmington Seahawk Invitational: Men 6th of 9...Women 5th of 9

MEN: Four different athletes scored individual points for the men's team which was led by senior Chris Kempf (Fort Wayne, IN/Carroll). In the 5,000-meter run, Kempf claimed second place in a time of 15:31.92 ... Also placing were Danny DiRuzza (Alliance, OH/Marlington), Kevin McPeek (Mentor, OH/Mentor) and Stephen Branch (Millers Creek, NC/West Wilkes). DiRuzza was fifth in the 1,500-meter run (4:13.28), McPeek was sixth in the shot put (14.51 meters) and seventh in the discus (41.02 meters), and Branch -- competing in his home state -- cleared 3.99 in the pole vault which was good for seventh place ... John Carroll finished in sixth place out of nine schools competing in the men's competition. UNC-Wilmington won the team title with 196 points.

WOMEN: Senior Tricia Stege (Springboro, OH/Springboro) won the 5,000-meter run and 3,000-meter steeplechase to help the John Carroll women's track & field squad place fifth of nine schools at the 2007 UNCW Seahawk Invitational in Wilmington, North Carolina ... John Carroll scored 44 points to finish in fifth place, well off the pace of champion UNC-Wilmington (199) and runner-up University of Buffalo (123) ... Stege was clocked in at 18:29.93 in her win in the 5,000-meter run, which was almost 15 full seconds ahead of the second place finisher ... In the 3,000-meter steeplechase, Stege and teammate Mary Gilloon (Steubenville, OH/Central Catholic) had a 1-2 finish in the event. Stege placed first in 11:35.94, while Gilloon -- in her first career competitive attempt in this event -- was second in 11:50.23 ... Gilloon also finished second in the 1,500-meter run (4:51.89).

Marietta-at Washington & Lee Invitational: Men 4th of 7...Women 5th of 6

MEN: Sophomore Jered Mitchem (Marietta/Warren Local) took first place in the 800m run, crossing the line in 1:59.47. Freshman Zach Gay (Elyria/Oberlin) won the high jump, clearing 6-04.00 (1.93m). Sophomore Brian Pallini (Belpre) placed first in the shot put after a throw of 42-00.50 (12.81m). Junior Dan DeZordo (Louisville/Marlington) captured the discus title with a mark of 151-04 (46.14m). The Distance Medley Relay, which featured junior Harrison Potter (Rochester, N.Y./Gate Chili), senior Tim Roberts (Worthington/Thomas Worthington), Mitchem and freshman Josh Mickle (Madison), also won its event, combining to run a time of 10:58.69. Marietta returns to action Friday (March 23), when it travels to Winston-Salem, N.C., for the two-day Wake Forest Invitational.

WOMEN: Junior Joanna Ferrell (Mineral Wells, W.Va./Parkersburg South) took second place in the 100m dash, finishing in a time of 13.54 seconds. Sophomore Tiffany Kovacevich (Strongsville) finished second in the shot put with a mark of 102-10 (31.34m). Senior Rachelle Cole (Sherrodsville/Conotton Valley) placed second in the javelin with a throw of 94-05 (28.79m). In addition, Ferrell along with teammates junior Mallory Sinoski (Fairpoint/St. Clairsville), freshman Jennifer Valentic (Medina/Highland) and sophomore Leslie Pyle (Kansas City, MO/Pembroke Hill) took second place in the 4x100m Relay, crossing the line in a time of 54.82 seconds. Marietta returns to action Friday (March 23), when it travels to Winston-Salem, N.C., for the two-day Wake Forest Invitational.

Muskingum-Did not compete

Otterbein-at Early Bird Invitational: UNSCORED

MEN: The Otterbein men's track and field team opened its outdoor season at the Early Bird Invitational hosted by Radford University in Radford, VA. Despite the adverse weather conditions of 30° temperatures and 20 mph winds the competed

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well; led by sophomore Mike Lash (Ashland/Ashland High School) who placed third in the 110 meter high hurdles in a time of 15.9. Fourth places finishes were turned in by senior Jon Ross (Doylestown/Wadsworth) in 400 meter dash with a time of 54.1 and sophomore Tom Brumlik (Wadsworth, IL/Warren Township) in the 1500 meter run in a time of 4:30.4. The Cardinals will be back in action March 31 at the OAC South meet hosted by Wilmington College.

WOMEN: The Cardinals competed at the Early Bird Invitational at Radford University on Saturday in Radford, Virginia, the following athletes finished in the top 4 ... Sophomores Lauren Rauch (Edison/Mt Gilead) and Stacey Schall (Lancaster/Bloom Carroll) went 1-2 in the 100 meter hurdles in 15.4 and 15.5; freshman Natalie Yost (Newark/Newark) took 4th in the 100 meter dash; sophomore Anna Yonker (Lancaster/Bloom Carroll) won the 400 meter dash in 1:01.3 followed by freshman Danielle Vickers (Cincinnati/Scamore) who took 4th in 107.2; junior Ashely Suffel (Defiance/Defiance) won the 800 meter run in 2:30.6; senior Melinda Keesee (Dublin/ Scioto) won the 5,000 meter run in 18:28.1, followed by senior Megan Randolph (Pickerington/ Pickerington) and freshman Niki Reese (Columbus/ Centennial) followed finishing 2nd and 3rd in the 5,000 meter run in 19:10.9 and 19:27.5; sophomore Kyra Smith (Galena/ Big Walnut) finished 1st in the high jump in 5-01.00; and Amber Gresham took 3rd in the long jump in 15-00.00.

Ohio Northern- Did not compete

Wilmington- at Coastal Carolina Shamrock Invitational: UNSCORED

MEN: Wilmington's men turned in seven Ohio Athletic Conference Championships qualifying performances as the outdoor track and field season opened over the weekend at Coastal Carolina University's Shamrock Invitational. The meet was unscored. Freshman Brad Orr (Johnstown/Johnstown-Monroe) provided a highlight, finishing his first-ever steeplechase in 10:16. Freshman Austin Stiles (Johnstown/Johnstown-Monroe) finished fifth overall at 3,000 meters in 9:18.92, knocking 40 seconds off his best 3,000 time from the indoor season. Stiles also ran a PR 4:12.54 at 1,500 meters. Senior Randy Frame (Blue Rock/Philo) improved his 10,000 meter best time by more than a minute, finishing in 34:18.22. Sophomore Nick Strata (Defiance/Ayersville) continued to make progress from an injury that swiped his indoor season, winning his 400-meter heat in 53.42. In the field, senior Rob Castle (Ansonia) added 25 feet to his career-best hammer throw, winning his flight with a 150-1 effort. Freshman Brian Dressback (Wapakoneta/Graham) fired the javelin 131-11 in his lifetime debut in the event, and senior Nick Davey (Williamsport/Westfall) and freshman C.J. Potter (Covington) qualified for OAC Championships with 135-6 and 131-2 throws, respectively, in the discus.

WOMEN: Senior Ashley Johnson defeated a predominantly Division I field to win the pole vault Saturday at Coastal Carolina University's Shamrock Invitational. As a team, Wilmington turned in six Ohio Athletic Conference Championships qualifying performances at the unscored meet. Johnson (Wilmington) cleared the bar at 11-11.75 to finish a foot ahead of her closest challenger. Freshman Callen Martin (Cincinnati/Finneytown) finished eighth in the 100-meter dash with a time of 12.41 and won her 200-meter heat in 26.18. Also qualifying for OAC Championships were junior Erica Fawley, senior Tiffani Shoop and freshman Betsy Pratt. Fawley (Xenia) had a 36-8.25 best effort in the shot put. Shoop (Centerburg) finished eighth overall at 10,000 meters with a PR 42:26.83, and Pratt (Wilmington) finished ninth overall in the javelin with a top throw of 111-5.

MEN'S & WOMEN'S TENNIS

****NOTE: Stats will begin Monday, March 26****

2007 Men's Tennis Standings						
School	OAC Matches			All Matches		
	Wins	Losses	Pct.	Wins	Losses	Pct.
Baldwin-Wallace	0	0	0.000	12	0	1.000

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Heidelberg	0	0	0.000	3	1	0.750
Mount Union	0	0	0.000	8	3	0.727
Muskingum	0	0	0.000	5	2	0.714
Ohio Northern	0	0	0.000	2	3	0.400
John Carroll	0	0	0.000	2	4	0.333
Capital	0	0	0.000	1	2	0.333
Otterbein	0	0	0.000	2	5	0.286
Wilmington	0	0	0.000	0	3	0.000
Marietta	0	0	0.000	0	0	0.000

2007 Women's Tennis Standings

School	OAC Matches			All Matches		
	Wins	Losses	Pct.	Wins	Losses	Pct.
Baldwin-Wallace	0	0	0.000	9	0	1.000
Mount Union	0	0	0.000	7	2	0.778
Ohio Northern	0	0	0.000	10	3	0.769
Heidelberg	0	0	0.000	2	1	0.667
John Carroll	0	0	0.000	3	2	0.600
Wilmington	0	0	0.000	3	3	0.500
Otterbein	0	0	0.000	3	4	0.429
Muskingum	0	0	0.000	1	4	0.200
Marietta	0	0	0.000	0	0	0.000
Capital	0	0	0.000	0	3	0.000

Up and Coming...

Tuesday, March 20

Mount St. Joseph at Wilmington, 4p.m.

Thursday, March 22

Bethany at Marietta, 4p.m.

Wilmington at Ohio Wesleyan, 4p.m.

Heidelberg at Oberlin, 6:30p.m.

Friday, March 23

Walsh at Ohio Northern, 3:30p.m.

Saturday, March 24

Baldwin-Wallace at Muskingum, 1p.m.

John Carroll at Capital, 3:30p.m.

Ohio Northern at Marietta, 1p.m.

Wilmington at Sinclair CC, 10a.m.

Mount Union at Heidelberg, 1p.m.

OAC WEEKLY TENNIS NOTES

Baldwin-Wallace vs. (MEN) Oberlin, W 5-4... (WOMEN) vs. Malone W 9-0... vs. Walsh L 5-4

MEN: THIS WEEK: At Muskingum College on March 24 at 1:00 p.m.; LAST WEEK: Beat Oberlin College, 5-4, in Oberlin on March 16 (the match was originally scheduled to be played at B-W but was moved due to inclement weather conditions; NOTES: B-W opened its northern schedule with a 5-4 win at Oberlin College...Junior number-one singles standout James Daly (Akron/ Firestone) won his singles match and is now 66-7 in his career, including a 15-2 record this season. Daly is now just 13 wins shy of Mike Wagner's (2001-2005) school-record of 79 career wins. Daly and sophomore Jim Kucera (Mentor) also won their doubles match against the Yeomen to improve to 12-1 this season...B-W's other singles winner was sophomore No.6 player Zach Long (Ashland/ Senior), who improved to 11-3 overall and is second on the team in singles wins with 11...B-W trailed Oberlin, 4-2, after singles play and won the match as all three doubles teams won, including a match-clinching 5-4 victory by the third doubles team on Long and senior Dan Mitoff (Lorain/ Admiral King)...Freshman Andy Redd (Archbold) is third in singles wins with 10 and has combined with either

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freshman Zach Apperson (Zanesville/ Bishop Rosecrans) or McCartney at No.3 doubles for a perfect 11-0 record...18-year veteran Head Coach and 1989 B-W graduate Brian Rector is now 297-62 in his career and is the winningest men's tennis coach in school history.

WOMEN: THIS WEEK: hosts Tiffin University on March 24 at 9:00 a.m. at the "Pop" Collins Courts and hosts Muskingum College at 2:00 p.m.; LAST WEEK: Had a 1-1 record as it split a doubleheader in Canton, Ohio. B-W beat Malone College, 9-0, in its morning match but lost to Walsh University, 5-4, in the afternoon. Both matches were played at the All-American Racket Club in Canton; NOTES: In the two matches last weekend, freshman No.2 singles player Britney Shy (Euclid), junior two-time All-OAC player and No.3 player Tiffany Allison (Chagrin Falls/ Kenston) and junior two-time All-OAC and No.4 player Meggie Glassburn (Canton/ Jackson) each won two matches. Also, the No.2 doubles team on all-time leading singles victory leader Andrea Isaac (New Philadelphia) and Glassburn won twice and is now 13-3 this season...Glassburn was named as last week's OAC Women's Tennis Player of the Week. She now has 46 career singles wins to rank seventh all-time and has 117 career combination wins to rank fourth all-time. Isaac's singles win versus Malone was a school-record 74th. She also owns the all-time combination mark with 145 (74 in singles and 71 in doubles).

Capital-Did not compete

Heidelberg-Did not compete

John Carroll-Did not compete

Marietta-Did not compete

MEN: Marietta's match Thursday (March 22) has been moved to Bethany (W.Va.)

WOMEN: Marietta's match at Case Western, originally slated for March 3, has been moved to Sunday (March 25) at 1 p.m.

Mount Union-Did not compete

Muskingum- (MEN) vs. Waynesburg W 9-0...vs. Malone L 6-3

MEN: Against Malone, the Black & Magenta were led by junior AJ Wilson (Wooster), senior Brad Guindon (Wilmington) and senior Sam Das (Doon School/India). Wilson continued his dominance at first singles with an over powering 6-1, 6-3 win over Jason Christman. Wilson now stands at 7-0 on the season at first singles. Guindon improved to 6-1 on the year with a 7-6 (8), 6-0 win at third singles over Tim Springirth. Das notched his fifth win of the campaign at sixth singles with an impressive 6-2, 6-3 win over Tim Frazier...Against Waynesburg, Muskingum swept the doubles action to take control of the match en route to a dominating 9-0 win. Wilson, Guindon, Das, sophomore Jayson Hilborn (Elida), senior Casey Capute (Easton/West Nottingham Academy) and freshman Shivtaj Singh (Doon School/India) all garnered wins...Muskingum hits the court next when they host conference foe Baldwin-Wallace College at home on Saturday, March 24.

WOMEN:IDLE

Ohio Northern- (Women) vs. Toledo, L 7-0...vs. Adrian, W 6-3

MEN: IDLE

WOMEN: The Ohio Northern women's tennis team (10-3) lost 7-0 at NCAA Division I Toledo on Fri. afternoon, then went up to Adrian (Mich.) and posted a 6-3 victory Fri. evening. Freshman **Rachel Randall (Columbus/School for Girls)** led ONU last week with a 2-2 mark. She won at No. 4 singles and combined with sophomore Ashley Yontz (Springfield/Shawnee) to win at No. 2 doubles against Adrian. Randall leads ONU this season with an 11-3 singles record, which includes a 4-2 mark at No. 4 singles and a 6-0 mark at No. 5 singles. She is 11-4 in doubles for a team-best 22-7 overall. Junior Courtney Anderson (Amherst/Steele) is 11-4 in singles play, 9-4 in doubles and is 20-8 overall. She is just four wins shy of becoming a member of ONU's 100-Win Club. She is 59-10 in singles, 37-10 in doubles and 96-20 overall in her career. Senior Melanie Oleski (Medina/Brecksville-Broadview Heights) ranks third all-time at ONU with a 111-51 career record. She is 49-29 in singles and is 62-22 in doubles in her career. This season, she is 6-2 in singles, 6-3 in doubles and is 12-5 overall. She became the third member of ONU's 100-Win Club during the fall portion of ONU's schedule. Junior Kaitlyn Macdonald (Warsaw, Ind.) ranks fourth all-time at ONU with 10-3 career victories. She is 52-20 in singles play, 51-18 in doubles play and is 103-36 overall. This season, Macdonald is 8-6 in singles, 7-6 in doubles and is 15-12 overall. She became the fourth member of ONU's 100-Win Club during the Polar Bears' spring break trip to Los Angeles. Junior Bridget Larson (Hudson) is 14 wins shy of becoming a member of ONU's 100-Win Club. She is 38-28 in singles, 48-27 in doubles and is 86-55 overall in her career. This year, she is 7-6 in singles, 9-6 in doubles and is 16-12 overall. ONU is 58-31 in singles play and is 31-16 in doubles action this season. Northern will open OAC action Sat. as part of a double header with Albion (Mich.). ONU will face Albion Sat. morning, then play Marietta Sat. afternoon in Ada.

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Otterbein- (MEN) Webber International, L 9-0...Grinnell L 8-1...(WOMEN) L 5-4 at Webber International

MEN: Otterbein, playing four matches in the Orlando, Florida area over spring break, opened with a 9-0 loss at Webber International and an 8-1 loss to Grinnell. The first doubles team of junior Tyler Stephen (Worthington/Kilbourne) and senior Jacob Lauber (Dover/Dover) won a 9-7 decision against Grinnell.

WOMEN: Otterbein, playing five matches in the Orlando, Florida area over spring break, opened with a 5-4 loss at Webber International in Babson Park, Florida. Junior Lianne Simeone (Shelby/Shelby) won fourth singles and junior Rachel Kerr (Wheeling, WV/Wheeling Park) won fifth singles. The Cardinals also took matches at first and third doubles. Freshman Brittany Rings (Pickerington/Central) and Cheryl Thinnies (Loveland/Cincinnati Hills Christian) teamed up at first doubles, and sophomore Nikki Makridis (Warren/Warren G. Harding) and senior Ashley Tackett (Marion/Harding) played third doubles.

Wilmington- (MEN) vs. Cedarville, L 9-0...(WOMEN) IDLE

MEN: Freshman Joe Freudenberg (Mason/Kings) was involved in a pair of tight matches, losing to Kevin Furst in a third-set super tiebreaker at No. 2 singles. Freudenberg and senior Matt Perry (Hamilton) were edged by Furst and Derek Hostetter, 8-9 (2-7) in No. 2 doubles play. Wilmington, which was 0-1 during the fall portion of its schedule, will look for its first win when it hosts The College of Mount Saint Joseph on Tuesday.

WOMEN: IDLE

Golf Up and Coming...

****Note: All teams were idle this week****

MEN

March 22-25

Otterbein at Jekyll Island Invitational (GA)-

March 23-24

Muskingum Spring Invitational at Eagle Sticks G.C.-Muskingum, Baldwin-Wallace, Capital, Mount Union, Ohio Northern, Wilmington

March 30

Capital Invitational at Foxfire G.C.-Heidelberg, Mount Union, Muskingum, Ohio Northern, Otterbein, Wilmington

WOMEN

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March 23-25

Otterbein at Jekyll Island Invitational, Indian Mount, GA

March 24-25

Mount Union Invitational at Tannenhau G.C.- Mount Union, Baldwin-Wallace, Capital, Ohio Northern, Wilmington

March 30-31

Capital Invitational at Fox Fire G.C.- Capital, Baldwin-Wallace, Muskingum, Ohio Northern, Otterbein, Wilmington