



2000-01 – Week 1

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## ***GREYHOUND TRACKS***

<b><i>Team Records as of September 4, 2000</i></b>				
	<b><i>Overall</i></b>	<b><i>Commonwealth</i></b>	<b><i>MAC Overall</i></b>	<b><i>Meets &amp; Tournaments</i></b>
<b><i>Men's Cross Country</i></b>	<b><i>0-0</i></b>	<b><i>0-0</i></b>	<b><i>0-0</i></b>	<b><i>3<sup>rd</sup> of 9 at Kutztown Invitational</i></b>
<b><i>Women's Cross Country</i></b>	<b><i>0-0</i></b>	<b><i>0-0</i></b>	<b><i>0-0</i></b>	<b><i>1<sup>st</sup> of 9 at Kutztown Invitational</i></b>
<b><i>Field Hockey</i></b>	<b><i>0-1</i></b>	<b><i>0-0</i></b>	<b><i>0-0</i></b>	
<b><i>Football</i></b>	<b><i>0-0</i></b>	<b><i>0-0</i></b>	<b><i>0-0</i></b>	
<b><i>Men's Soccer</i></b>	<b><i>0-2</i></b>	<b><i>0-0</i></b>	<b><i>0-0</i></b>	<b><i>Johns Hopkins Classic</i></b>
<b><i>Women's Soccer</i></b>	<b><i>0-1</i></b>	<b><i>0-0</i></b>	<b><i>0-0</i></b>	
<b><i>Women's Tennis</i></b>	<b><i>0-0</i></b>	<b><i>0-0</i></b>	<b><i>0-0</i></b>	
<b><i>Women's Volleyball</i></b>	<b><i>2-1</i></b>	<b><i>0-0</i></b>	<b><i>0-0</i></b>	<b><i>3<sup>rd</sup> at Messiah Tournament</i></b>

### **GREYHOUND STUDENT-ATHLETES OF THE WEEK**

*Female – Emily Shertzer (Jr, Hummelstown/Lower Dauphin HS), Cross Country*

*Male – Damon Rutherford (Sr, Reading/Exeter HS), Cross Country*

### **UPCOMING HOME EVENTS:**

Tuesday, September 5<sup>th</sup> – Women's Soccer vs. Alvernia College, 4:00 p.m.; Women's Volleyball vs. Allentown College, 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, September 7<sup>th</sup> – Field Hockey vs. Haverford College, 4:30 p.m.

Saturday, September 9<sup>th</sup> – Women's Tennis vs. \*Susquehanna University, 1:00 p.m.

Tuesday, September 12<sup>th</sup> – Field Hockey vs. Bryn Mawr College, 4:30 p.m.

Saturday, September 16<sup>th</sup> – Family Day – Football vs. \*Albright College, 1:00 p.m.; Field Hockey vs. \*Messiah College, 12:00 p.m.; Women's Tennis vs. Franklin & Marshall College, 12:00 p.m.; Women's Soccer vs. Haverford College, 3:30 p.m.; Women's Volleyball vs. Muhlenberg College, 6:00 p.m.

*\*Commonwealth Conference Opponent*

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(610) 625-7865 (new number)***

**Women's Cross Country 0-0 (MAC Commonwealth Conference 0-0, MAC 0-0)**

*Last Week – 1<sup>st</sup> of 9 teams at Kutztown University Maroon & Gold Invitational, Kutztown, PA*

**This Week – Sat., Sept. 9<sup>th</sup> at Lafayette College Invitational, Easton, PA**

The Moravian women's cross country team captured first place of nine schools at the Kutztown University of Pennsylvania Maroon & Gold Invitational last weekend in its first action of the season. The Greyhounds defeated four NCAA Division II schools in the 6,000-meter race as well as two Middle Atlantic Conference schools and rival Muhlenberg College.

Junior **Emily Shertzer (Hummelstown/Lower Dauphin HS)** captured first place in the meet and she was one of four Greyhounds in the top ten. Shertzer completed the course in 23:17 followed by classmate **Kim Jaick (Coopersburg/Southern Lehigh HS)** in second at 23:43. Junior All-American **Heidi Wolfsberger (Moosic/Riverside HS)** took fourth place in 24:02 while senior **Hannah Wood (Palm/Upper Perkiomen HS)** was eighth at 24:44. Junior **Erin Boyle (Philadelphia/Nazareth Academy)** was the fifth Greyhound to cross the finish line, placing 12<sup>th</sup> in 25:00.

Moravian had nine other competitors among the field of 104 runners. Sophomore **Jennifer Wagner (Riegelsville/Wilson HS)** was 32<sup>nd</sup> in 26:17 while freshman **Angie Morgan (Bethlehem/Liberty HS)** was 34<sup>th</sup> in her first collegiate race in a time of 26:22. Freshman **Jessica Geissler (Wyomissing/Wyomissing HS)** placed 36<sup>th</sup> in 26:26 while junior **Tiffany Catalino (Bethlehem/Freedom HS)** was 39<sup>th</sup> at 26:35 and freshman **Jamie Marks (Macungie/Emmaus HS)** finished 40<sup>th</sup> in 26:36. Rounding out the Greyhound competitors were junior **Amanda Samok (Palmerton/Palmerton Area HS)** in 43<sup>rd</sup> at 26:48, freshman **Lauren Laviola (Jersey City, NJ/St. Dominic Academy)** at 60<sup>th</sup> with a time of 27:51, freshman **Michelle Gorman (Philadelphia/Nazareth Academy)** in 68<sup>th</sup> in 28:14 and sophomore **Gina Lacombe (Andover, CT/Rham HS)** at 80<sup>th</sup> in 29:10.

**Men's Cross Country – 0-0 (MAC Commonwealth Conference 0-0, MAC 0-0)**

*Last Week – 3<sup>rd</sup> of 9 teams at Kutztown University Maroon & Gold Invitational, Kutztown, PA*

**This Week – Sat., Sept. 9<sup>th</sup> at Lafayette College Invitational, Easton, PA**

The Moravian men's cross country team placed third of nine teams at the Kutztown University of Pennsylvania Maroon & Gold Invitational last weekend. The Greyhounds were the top NCAA Division III team in the race and the team defeated two Division II teams in the race. Moravian also defeated two Middle Atlantic Conference schools and rival Muhlenberg College.

Senior **Damon Rutherford (Reading/Exeter HS)** was the top Greyhounds runner on the 10,000-meter course with a time of 28:23. Sophomore **Wes Zimmerman (Boyertown/Boyertown HS)** placed second for Moravian and 17<sup>th</sup> overall in a time of 28:37 while freshman **Sean McDonnell (Scranton/Scranton Prep HS)** was 19<sup>th</sup> in 28:45. Freshman **Joe Grady (Nanticoke/Nanticoke HS)** was 28<sup>th</sup> in 29:06 and sophomore **George Wacker (Honesdale/Honesdale HS)** placed 41<sup>st</sup> in 29:56 to round out the Greyhounds top five.

Moravian had four other runners in the field of 108. Freshman **Will Gayeski (Neshanic Station, NJ/Somerville HS)** was 64<sup>th</sup> in 30:59 while junior **Chris DeWalt (Easton/Easton HS)** placed 70<sup>th</sup> with a time of 31:26. Sophomore **Justin Arnold (Basking Ridge, NJ/Ridge HS)** took 86<sup>th</sup> at 32:47 while sophomore **Matt Plewinski (Hatfield/North Penn HS)** finished 94<sup>th</sup> with a time of 33:43.

***Women's Soccer – 0-1 (MAC Commonwealth Conference 0-0, MAC 0-0)***

*Last Week – Lost to William Paterson (NJ), 3-0.*

**This Week – Tues., Sept. 5<sup>th</sup> vs. Alvernia College, 4:00 p.m.; Sat., Sept. 9<sup>th</sup> vs. \$Catholic University, 1:00 p.m.; Sun., Sept. 10<sup>th</sup> at \$Beaver College, 1:00 p.m. \$Beaver College Tournament**

The women's soccer team opened the 2000 season with a 3-0 loss at William Paterson (NJ) University. The Greyhounds were out shot 23-6 in the match. Sophomore goalie **Neali Miller (Wyomissing/Wilson West Lawn HS)** made ten saves in the contest.

***Men's Soccer – 0-2 (MAC Commonwealth Conference 0-0, MAC 0-0)***

*Last Week – Lost to \$St. Mary's (MD), 3-1; Lost to \$Johns Hopkins, 4-1. \$Johns Hopkins Classic*

**This Week – Thurs., Sept. 7<sup>th</sup> at Eastern College, 4:00 p.m.**

The men's soccer team opened the 2000 season at the Johns Hopkins Classic and dropped a pair of matches, falling to St. Mary's (MD) College, 3-1, and Johns Hopkins University, 4-1.

Freshman goalie **Greg Bechtel (Reading/Exeter HS)** made five saves in the loss to St. Mary's and nine more stops in the game versus Johns Hopkins. Freshman midfielder **Tim Shannon (Leesport/Schuylkill Valley HS)** scored the Greyhounds goal in the St. Mary's match while junior midfielder **Evan Weller (Sinking Spring/Wilson West Lawn HS)** tallied Moravian's goal against Johns Hopkins.

***Field Hockey – 0-1 (MAC Commonwealth Conference 0-0, MAC 0-0)***

*Last Week – Lost to Muhlenberg, 3-1.*

**This Week – Thurs., Sept. 7<sup>th</sup> vs. Haverford College, 4:30 p.m.**

The Greyhounds opened the 2000 season with a tough 3-1 loss to rival Muhlenberg College. Junior midfielder **Elissa Gerstel (Warminster/William Tennent HS)** gave Moravian a 1-0 lead just six and a half minutes into the match off a pass from senior attack **Brooke Dancho (Bethlehem/Freedom HS)**. Junior transfer goalie **Kristie Cupples (Allentown/Salisbury HS)** had four saves in 57 minutes while sophomore goalie **Mary Peterson (Winston-Salem, NC/Salem Academy)** had one save in 13 minutes of action.

***Football – 0-0 (MAC Commonwealth Conference 0-0, MAC 0-0)***

*Last Week – Did not play*

**This Week – Sat., Sept. 9<sup>th</sup> at #Delaware Valley College, 1:00 p.m. #MAC Game**

The football team opens its 2000 season this coming Saturday in a road game against Delaware Valley College beginning at 1:00 p.m. in Doylestown.

***Women's Tennis – 0-0 (MAC Commonwealth Conference 0-0, MAC 0-0)***

*Last Week – Cedar Crest match cancelled.*

**This Week – Tues., Sept. 5<sup>th</sup> at Eastern College, 4:00 p.m.; Sat., Sept. 9<sup>th</sup> vs. \*Susquehanna University, 1:00 p.m. \*MAC Commonwealth match**

The Greyhounds had their season opening match at Cedar Crest College cancelled due to rain. Moravian's first match of the year will be on Tuesday, September 5<sup>th</sup> at Eastern College beginning at 4:00 p.m.

<b>Women's Volleyball – 2-1 (MAC Commonwealth Conference 0-0, MAC 0-0)</b>
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*Last Week – Defeated \$West Chester, 3-0; Lost to & Muhlenberg, 3-2; Defeated & Eastern Mennonite, 3-0.  
\$Messiah College Tournament*

**This Week – Tues., Sept, 5<sup>th</sup> vs. #Allentown College, 7:00, p.m.; Fri. & Sat. Sept. 8-9 at Gettysburg College Tournament, TBA. #MAC match**

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The women's volleyball team placed third at the Messiah College Tournament after a pair of wins over the weekend. The Greyhounds defeated NCAA Division II West Chester University of Pennsylvania, 3-0, and Eastern Mennonite (VA) University, 3-0. Moravian did lose to rival Muhlenberg College in five games, 3-2.

Senior middle hitter **Becky Falk (Allentown/Dieruff HS)** has 24 kills, 23 digs and a team high 11 blocks so far this season including a seven-block performance versus Muhlenberg. Falk had six solo blocks in the match. Freshman **Kim Zipf (Wyomissing/Holy Name HS)** leads the Greyhounds with 27 kills and she has a .311 hitting percentage. Zipf added six blocks and she is one of three Moravian players with 23 digs. Freshman setter **Amy Lawrence (Gettysburg/Delone Catholic HS)** has 23 digs, 51 assists and four service aces through three matches while freshman setter **Andrea Frankenfield (Emmaus/Emmaus HS)** has 27 assists and 11 digs.

Senior middle hitter **Sara Young (Tunkhannock/Tunkhannock HS)** and junior outside hitter **Krystol Kessack (Bethlehem/Liberty HS)** each have 11 kills this season. Kessack has added 23 digs while Young has played only one and a half matches due to an ankle injury that occurred in the Muhlenberg match. Freshman **Sara Hollenbacher (Reading/Reading Central Catholic HS)** has 13 kills and a team best .345 hitting percentage while senior defensive specialist **Emily Shonk (Ligonier/Ligonier HS)** has a team-leading five service aces and she has added 17 digs.