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2000-01 - Week 15

GREYHOUND TRACKS

| Team Records as of December 10, 2000 | | | | |
|--------------------------------------|---------|--------------|-------------|--|
| | Overall | Commonwealth | MAC Overall | Meets & Tournaments |
| Men's Basketball | 1-7 | 0-3 | 1-4 | Roanoke – Salem Bank & Trust Tour. |
| Women's Basketball | 2-6 | 1-2 | 1-3 | 3 rd at Muskingum Memorial Tournament |
| Men's Indoor Track | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | Lafayette Invitational |
| Women's Indoor Track | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | Lafayette Invitational |

GREYHOUND STUDENT-ATHLETES OF THE WEEK

Female – Kelly McLean (So, Allentown/Salisbury HS), women's basketball Male – Chris Hayn (Sr, Whitehall/Whitehall HS), men's basketball

UPCOMING HOME EVENTS:

Friday, January 5th and Saturday, January 6th – Men's Basketball hosts 23rd Annual Greyhound Nike Classic with Centenary College, Grove City College & Muhlenberg College

Saturday, January 6th – Women's Basketball vs. Ursinus College, 6:00 p.m.

Saturday, January 13th – Women's Basketball vs. *Lebanon Valley College, 2:00 p.m.; Men's Basketball vs. *Lebanon Valley College, 4:00 p.m.

*Commonwealth Conference Opponent

The next issue of Greyhound Tracks will be mailed on Monday, January 8th, 2001 as the Moravian athletic teams will not compete again until January 4th, 2001. Happy Holidays from the Moravian College Sports Information Office.

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Men's Basketball – 1-7 (Commonwealth Conference 0-3, MAC 1-4)

Last Week – Lost to #Scranton, 99-83; Lost to *Susquehanna, 78-61; Lost to Muhlenberg, 85-78. *Commonwealth game, #MAC game

Next Competition – Fri., Jan. 5th vs. \$Centenary (NJ) College, 8:00 p.m.; Sat., Jan. 6th in Consolation or Championship game, 1:00 or 3:00 p.m. \$23rd Annual Greyhound Nike Classic

Moravian dropped a 99-83 decision to the University of Scranton last Monday despite having four players score in double figures led by 23 points from senior guard **David Jordan** (**Point Pleasant, NJ/Point Pleasant Boro HS**). The Greyhounds were down by nine points at the half, 45-36, and rallied to take a 54-52 lead before the Royals put the game away with their hot shooting in the second half, 64 percent from the floor and 96 percent from the foul line. In addition to Jordan's 23 points, senior forward **Chris Hayn** (**Whitehall/Whitehall HS**) added 18 points, sophomore forward **Ken Greb** (**Mount Holly, NJ/Rancocas Valley Regional HS**) had 13 points and freshman guard **Lucas Malishchak** (**Wanamie/Nanticoke HS**) tallied a career best 11 points. Hayn, junior forward **Mike Frew** (**Glen Ridge, NJ/Glen Ridge HS**) and junior guard **Doug Spadt** (**Emmaus/Emmaus HS**) each had five rebounds in the game and Spadt had a career high six assists.

The Greyhounds dropped a 78-61 decision to Susquehanna University in Commonwealth Conference action on Wednesday. Hayn was the only Moravian player to score in double figures in the game with 17 points. Greb added nine points and a team high eight rebounds while Jordan added nine points, the first game this season he did not reach double-figures in scoring. Freshman guard **Jay Leader** (**Halifax/Halifax HS**) had the best game of his brief Moravian career with seven points, four rebounds and three assists. The Greyhounds shot just 29 percent in the first half and 33.3 percent for the game.

Despite having five players score in double figures, the Greyhounds were unable to hold off rival Muhlenberg College, falling by the final score of 85-78. Moravian had fought back from a 12-point deficit early in the second half to take a 64-63 lead with 6:37 to play before falling behind for good. Jordan and Greb each scored 15 points in the game. Greb, who tied his career high, also led the Hounds with seven rebounds while Jordan led Moravian with four assists and he added five rebounds. Sophomore guard **Kevin Hall (Mountain Top/Pocono Mountain HS)** had 14 points in the loss while Malishchak had a career high 12 points to go along with four steals and three assists. Hayn was the fifth Greyhound player in double figures with ten points. Moravian heads to the Christmas holiday with a 1-7 record.

Men's Indoor Track & Field 0-0 (Commonwealth Conference 0-0, MAC 0-0)

Last Week – Did Not Compete

Next Competition - Sat., Jan. 13th at Bucknell University Invitational, Lewisburg, PA

The Greyhounds are taking the Christmas holiday season after competing at the Lafayette Invitational on December 2nd.

Women's Indoor Track & Field 0-0 (Commonwealth Conference 0-0, MAC 0-0)

Last Week – Did Not Compete

Next Competition – Sat., Jan. 13th at Bucknell University Invitational, Lewisburg, PA

The Greyhounds posted a successful season opening meet at Lafayette College on December 2nd with juniors **Heidi Wolfsberger** (**Moosic/Riverside HS**) and **Kim Jaick** (**Coopersburg/Southern Lehigh HS**) each provisionally qualifying for the NCAA Division III Championships in the mile.

Women's Basketball – 2-6 (Commonwealth Conference 1-2, MAC 1-3)

Last Week – Lost to *Susquehanna, 64-52; Lost to Marymount (VA), 70-49. *Commonwealth game

Next Competition – Thurs., Jan. 4th at Dickinson College, 7 p.m.; Sat., Jan. 6th vs. Ursinus College, 6 p.m.

The Greyhounds suffered a tough 64-52 loss to Susquehanna University in Commonwealth Conference action last Wednesday. Moravian trailed by just four points at halftime and led by one point with 6:17 to play before the Crusaders went on a 21-8 run to end the game. Freshman guard **Kim Hughes** (**Manasquan**, **NJ/St. Rose HS**) led the Hounds with 17 points while sophomore guard **Tara Wozniak** (**Roseland**, **NJ/West Essex Regional HS**) added 12 points. Wozniak added three assists and four steals while Hughes has five steals. Sophomore forward **Kelly McLean** (**Allentown/Salisbury HS**) tied her season high with 12 rebounds in the game while freshman guard **Jackie Buschta** (**Whitehall/Allentown Central Catholic HS**) had a career best six steals in the contest. Moravian shot over 80 percent from the free throw line for the fourth time this season.

The Greyhounds were outscored 32-14 over the final 20:15 of the game and went over eight minutes in the second half without a point as Moravian fell to NCAA Division III powerhouse Marymount (VA) University, 70-49 in the final game before the Christmas holiday. Moravian shot 37.5 percent in the first half and 54 percent behind the three-point line but went cold in the second half, making just 17.2 percent of its field goals and no three-pointers. The Greyhounds, which had been shooting 77.5 percent from the foul line, made just 44.4 percent of their free throws in the contest. Wozniak led Moravian in scoring with 11 points while McLean had a double-double with ten points and ten rebounds. Hughes had nine points and freshman forward **Kristen Rohal** (**Bethlehem/Liberty HS**) added seven rebounds. Sophomore guard **Jennifer Tannous** (**Bethlehem/Liberty HS**) and freshman guard **Sarah Onkotz** (**Catasauqua/Catasauqua HS**) each had six boards in the game. Moravian heads to the Christmas break with a 2-6 record.

24 GREYHOUNDS NAMED TO MAC FALL ALL-ACADEMIC TEAM

ANNVILLE, PA — A total of 24 fall sport student-athletes from Moravian College have been named to the Middle Atlantic Corporation Fall 2000 All-Academic Team led by eight student-athletes from the women's cross country team which finished fifth in the nation. To be eligible for the MAC All-Academic Team, a student-athlete must be a starter or significant reserve, a sophomore, junior or senior and maintain a 3.4 grade-point average.

In addition to the eight selections from the women's cross country team, the field hockey, football and men's soccer teams each had three honorees while two members of the women's volleyball, women's tennis and men's cross country teams were selected. One student-athlete from the women's soccer team was also honored.

Juniors Heidi Wolfsberger (Moosic/Riverside HS) and Emily Shertzer (Hummelstown/Lower Dauphin HS), who were All-Americans and helped the women's cross country squad to the fifth place finish at the NCAA Division III Championships, the NCAA Division III Mideast Regional title and the team's eighth straight MAC Championship, led the eight honorees from the women's cross country team. Wolfsberger was also the MAC and Mideast Region Runner of the Year. Also honored were juniors Tiffany Catalino (Bethlehem/Freedom HS), Jennifer Boberg (Lansford/Panther Valley HS), Erin Boyle (Philadelphia/Nazareth Academy) and Amanda Samok (Palmerton/Palmerton HS) and sophomores Jennifer Wagner (Riegelsville/Wilson HS) and Gina Lacombe (Andover, CT/Rham HS). Boyle was an All-MAC and All-Region runner and competed in the national championships while Wagner was a All-MAC runner and also completed at nationals.

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The Moravian field hockey team posted a two-match improvement over the 1999 season with a 5-14 record this season. Seniors forward **Chelsea Roberts** (**Philadelphia/St. Basil Academy**) and defender **Melissa Garrison** (**Phillipsburg, NJ/Belvidere HS**) and junior forward **Elissa Gerstel** (**Warminster/William Tennent HS**) earned spots on the All-Academic squad. Gerstel was a Commonwealth Second Team All-Star and led Moravian with 11 goals this fall.

The Greyhound football squad also posted an improvement this season, going 6-4 after back-to-back losing seasons. Junior reserve wide receiver **Keith Moore** (**Perkasie/Pennridge HS**) and sophomores reserve defensive back **Eric Paul** (**Reading/Reading Central Catholic HS**) and starting defensive end **Tom Blackledge** (**Sellersville/Pennridge HS**) were on the MAC All-Academic Team. Blackledge was also named to the Verizon Academic All-District Team this fall.

Moravian's men's soccer team made the MAC playoffs for the first time since 1991 this fall and posted a 9-11 overall record. Junior midfielders **Scott Heydt (Boyertown/Boyertown HS)** and **Evan Weller (Sinking Spring/Wilson West Lawn HS)** and junior defender **Doug Becker (Fleetwood/Fleetwood HS)** were on the MAC All-Academic team for the Greyhounds.

The women's volleyball team had its fifth straight 20-win season in 2000 with its fifth consecutive trip to the Commonwealth Playoffs. Anchoring the team of 12 student-athletes, which had eight freshmen, were senior middle hitter **Sara Young** (**Tunkhannock/Tunkhannock HS**) and junior outside hitter **Krystol Kessack** (**Bethlehem/Liberty HS**), who were both named to the MAC All-Academic Team. Young, a Commonwealth Second Team All-Star, was also named to the Verizon Academic All-District II Second Team.

Sophomore Jennifer Genevese (Whitehall/Whitehall HS) and senior Courtney Rice (Nazareth/Nazareth HS), both members of the MAC All-Academic Team, led the women's tennis team to its fourth MAC Championship in five years this fall. Genevese also made the MAC Doubles semifinals before being knocked out of the tournament this season.

Senior **Damon Rutherford** (**Reading/Exeter HS**) and junior **Chris Colley** (**Easton/Easton HS**) represented the men's cross country team on the MAC All-Academic squad this fall. The duo helped the Greyhounds finish fourth at the MAC Championships and seventh in the NCAA Division III Mideast Regional.

Sophomore defender **Allison Kranchalk** (**Point Pleasant, NJ/Point Pleasant Boro HS**) helped the Greyhound women's soccer team to a school record 15 wins this season and the squad's first-ever appearance in the post-season as the team was 15-4 overall and a Commonwealth Conference semifinalist.