

2001-02 - Week 1

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GREYHOUND TRACKS

Team Records as of September 3, 2001				
	Overall	Commonwealth	MAC Overall	Meets & Tournaments
Men's Cross Country	0-0	0-0	0-0	5th of 10 at Kutztown Invitational
Women's Cross Country	0-0	0-0	0-0	1st of 9 at Kutztown Invitational
Field Hockey	0-1	0-0	0-0	
Football	0-0	0-0	0-0	
Golf	0-0	0-0	0-0	
Men's Soccer	1-0-1	0-0	0-0	1st at Penn State-Behrend Tournament
Women's Soccer	2-0	0-0	0-0	1st at Penn State-Behrend Tournament
Women's Tennis	0-0	0-0	0-0	
Women's Volleyball	3-1	0-0	0-0	3 rd at Messiah Tournament

GREYHOUND STUDENT-ATHLETES OF THE WEEK

Female – Justina Bria (So., Warminster, PA/William Tennent HS), Women's Soccer Amy Lawrence (So., Gettysburg, PA/Delone Catholic HS), Women's Volleyball Kim Zipf (So., Wyomissing, PA/Holy Name HS), Women's Volleyball Male – Tim Shannon (So., Leesport/Schuylkill Valley HS), Men's Soccer

UPCOMING HOME EVENTS:

Saturday, September 8th – Football vs. King's College, 1:00 p.m.; Women's Soccer vs. Centenary (NJ) College, 1:00 p.m.; Women's Tennis vs. *Juniata College, 12:00 p.m.

Tuesday, September 11th – Men's Soccer vs. Rutgers-Camden, 4:00 p.m.; Women's Volleyball vs. *Widener University, 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, September 13th – Men's Soccer vs. Eastern College, 4:00 p.m.; Field Hockey vs. Cedar Crest College, 4:30 p.m.; Women's Tennis vs. Kutztown University, 3:30 p.m.

*Commonwealth Conference Opponent

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Women's Cross Country 0-0 (MAC 0-0)

Last Week –1st of 9 teams at Kutztown University Maroon & Gold Invitational, Kutztown, PA

This Week – Fri., Sept. 7th in Lehigh Valley Championships at Lehigh University, Bethlehem, PA

The Greyhounds captured first place of nine schools at the Kutztown University of Pennsylvania Maroon & Gold Invitational in their first action of the season. The Greyhounds defeated five NCAA Division II schools in the 6,000-meter race as well as two Middle Atlantic Conference schools. Senior **Heidi Wolfsberger (Moosic, PA/Riverside HS)** picked up right where she left off last season, placing first in a time of 22:35.13. Senior **Kim Jaick (Coopersburg, PA/Southern Lehigh HS)** placed fourth in 23:13.12 and senior **Emily Shertzer (Hummelstown, PA/Lower Dauphin HS)** was fifth at 23:33.51. Also placing in the top ten for the Greyhounds were senior **Erin Boyle (Philadelphia, PA/Nazareth Academy)** in sixth at 23:43.75 and freshman **Chelsea Mullins (Jim Thorpe, PA/Jim Thorpe HS)** in eighth with a time of 24:03.23. Finishing in the second ten for the Hounds were junior **Jen Wagner (Riegelsville, PA/Wilson HS)** in 13th at 24:37.22 and freshman **Megan Wise (North Wales, PA/North Penn HS)** in 17th place at 25:00.

Other Moravian finishers included freshman Ali Stoyko (Reading, PA/Governor Mifflin HS) in 22nd at 25:35, freshman Kellie Smith (Perkasie, PA/Pennridge HS) in 27th at 25:47, senior Tiffany Catalino (Bethlehem, PA/Freedom HS) in 34th with a time of 26:05, senior Jen Boberg (Warminster, PA/William Tennent HS) at 38th in 26:12, freshman Heather McGarvie (Medford, NJ/Shawnee HS) in 39th at 26:14 and sophomore Angie Morgan (Bethlehem, PA/Liberty HS) in 40th with a time of 26:19. Moravian also had the following place finishers freshman Lindsay Stehman (Gilbertsville, PA/Boyertown HS) at 42nd in 26:22, freshman Sarah Krebs (Palmerton, PA/Palmerton HS) in 69th at 27:51, freshman Meghan Krebs (Palmerton, PA/Palmerton HS) at 72nd in 27:56, sophomore Lauren Laviola (Jersey City, NJ/St. Dominic Academy) in 73rd with a time of 28:01, sophomore Robin Edward (Massapequa, NY/Plainedge HS) at 74th in 28:02, freshman Britta Jacobson (Sister Bay, WI/Gibraltar HS) at 76th in 28:09, sophomore Jen Brief (Clark, NJ/Arthur L. Johnson HS) at 80th in 28:22 and freshman O'Dea Parson (Lawrenceville, NJ/ Lawrence HS) in 98th with a time of 30:05. There were 117th runners in the meet.

Men's Cross Country - 0-0 (MAC 0-0)

Last Week – 5th of 10 teams at Kutztown University Maroon & Gold Invitational, Kutztown, PA This Week – Fri., Sept. 7th in Lehigh Valley Championships at Lehigh University, Bethlehem, PA

The Moravian men's cross country team placed fifth of ten teams at the Kutztown University of Pennsylvania Maroon & Gold Invitational. The Greyhounds were the top NCAA Division III team in the race and the team defeated one Division II team in the race. Moravian also defeated two Middle Atlantic Conference schools. Sophomore Joe Grady (Nanticoke, PA/Nanticoke HS) paced the Greyhounds with a 21st place finish over the 8,000-meter course in 27:48. Freshman Patrick Grogan (Nazareth, PA/Notre Dame HS) placed 26th in 27:57 while junior George Wacker (Honesdale, PA/Honesdale HS) was 42nd in 28:57. Moravian's other top finishers were junior Wes Zimmerman (Boyertown, PA/Boyertown HS) in 52nd at 29:11, freshman Matt Oertner (Slatington, PA/Northern Lehigh HS) in 54th at 29:15, sophomore Sean McDonnell (Scranton, PA/ Scranton Prep) in 55th with a time of 29:18 and junior Matt Plewinski (Hatfield, PA/North Penn HS) at 64th in 29:54. Other runners for the Greyhounds included senior Chris DeWalt (Easton, PA/Easton HS) in 72nd at 30:13, junior Justin Arnold (Basking Ridge, NJ/Ridge HS) at 82nd with a time of 30:38 and freshman Anthony Bisti (Haddonfield, NJ/Haddon Heights HS) in 106th at 33:59. There were a total of 112 runners in the meet.

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

This Week – Tues., Sept. 4th at Cabrini College, 4:00 p.m.; Thurs., Sept. 6th at #DeSales University, 4:00 p.m.; Sat., Sept. 8th vs. *Juniata College, 12:00 p.m. #MAC match, *Commonwealth Conference match

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

Last Week – Defeated \$Keuka, 4-2; Defeated \$Olivet, 2-1. \$Penn State-Behrend HLM Tournament.

This Week – Thurs., Sept. 6th at Alvernia College, 4:00 p.m.; Sat., Sept. 8th vs. Centenary (NJ) College, 1:00 p.m.

Senior midfielder Stevie Ochse (Bethlehem, PA/Saucon Valley HS) scored a pair of first half goals to lead Moravian to a season-opening 4-2 victory over Keuka College in the first day of the Penn State-Behrend HLM Tournament. Ochse gave the Greyhounds a 1-0 lead in the third minute on an unassisted goal and she put the Greyhounds ahead for good with another unassisted goal in the 30th minute. The winning goal for Moravian was scored by sophomore forward Rori Franges (Bethlehem, PA/Saucon Valley HS) in the 33rd minute. Freshman midfielder Kelly Haymaker (Hellertown, PA/Saucon Valley HS) had the assist on Franges goal and added an assist on a goal by sophomore midfielder Roxanne Esposito (Union, NJ/Montclair Kimberly Academy) in the 49th minute. Moravian goalie junior Neali Miller (Wyomissing, PA/Wilson West Lawn HS) made three saves for the victory.

Sophomore midfielder **Justina Bria** (**Warminster**, **PA/William Tennent HS**) scored what was the winning goal in the 70th minute to lead the Greyhounds to a 2-1 victory over Olivet College and the championship of the Penn State-Behrend HLM Tournament. **Bria** was named the tournament's Most Valuable Player after her performance at the tournament. Moravian had taken a 1-0 lead in the 48th minute on a goal by sophomore midfielder **Erica Napoli** (**Wyomissing**, **PA/Wilson West Lawn HS**) assisted by **Franges**. **Miller** made three saves while playing the first half. Sophomore keeper **Kelly Wakeman** (**Easton**, **PA**) had two saves and earned the victory in 20 minutes of action while freshman **Jill Vaccaro** (**South Salem**, **NY/John Jay HS**) played the final 25 minutes.

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

Last Week – Defeated \$Penn State-Behrend, 2-1; Tied \$Hobart, 1-1. \$Penn State-Behrend HLM Tournament This Week – No matches scheduled. Next match – Tues., Sept. 11th vs. Rutgers-Camden, 4:00 p.m.

Senior midfielder Evan Weller (Sinking Spring, PA/Wilson West Lawn HS) scored the winning goal in the 75th minute to lead Moravian to a season opening 2-1 victory over host Penn State-Behrend in the first day of the Penn State-Behrend HLM Tournament. Moravian took a 1-0 lead in the 30th minute when sophomore midfielder Mike Grillo (Dennington, NJ/Pennington School) scored a goal off a pass from Weller. Weller scored his winning goal off a pair of passes from junior forward Wilson Gonzalez (Bethlehem, PA/Liberty HS) and sophomore midfielder Tim Shannon (Leesport, PA/Schuylkill Valley HS). Moravian goalie junior Ryan Sculley (Bethlehem, PA/Northampton HS) made three saves for the victory.

The Greyhounds tied Hobart College 1-1 in the championship match of the Penn State-Behrend HLM Tournament. After the two overtime periods, Moravian won the tournament championship on penalty kicks, 6-5. **Gonzalez** knocked in the final penalty kick to give the Greyhounds the title. The NCAA does not recognize penalty kicks as a way to break a tie in a regular season match so the tie at the end of overtime is the way the game stands in the records. Moravian freshman midfielder **Ryan Fick** (**Hamburg**, **PA/Fleetwood HS**) scored his first career collegiate goal in the 78th minute to tie the match. Sophomore midfielder **Ken Macaulay** (**Perkasie**, **PA/Pennridge HS**) setup **Fick's** tally. **Sculley** made 12 saves in the match. **Shannon** was named the tournament's Most Valuable Player.

Football - 0-0 (MAC 0-0)

Last Week – Did not play

This Week - Sat., Sept. 7th vs. #King's College, 1:00 p.m. #MAC Game

The football team opens its 2001 season this coming Saturday in a home game versus King's College beginning at 1:00 p.m. in Bethlehem.

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

Last Week – Lost to Muhlenberg, 3-1.

This Week – Thurs., Sept. 6th at Haverford College, 4:00 p.m.; Sat., Sept. 8th at *Susquehanna University, 12:00 p.m. *Commonwealth Conference match

The Greyhounds lost a 1-0 match to rival Muhlenberg College to open the 2001 season. Moravian had two shots in the match with one by senior Elissa Gerstel (Warminster, PA/William Tennent HS) and one by freshman Rebecca Kipp (Bethlehem, PA/Saucon Valley HS). Freshman goalie Kirsli Spinks (Lebanon, NJ/ North Hunterdon HS) had 13 saves in her first collegiate game.

Women's Volleyball – 3-1 (Commonwealth Conference 0-0, MAC 0-0)

Last Week – Defeated \$Philadelphia Biblical, 3-0; Defeated \$Savannah College of Art & Design, 3-1; Lost to \$Roberts Wesleyan, 3-0; Defeated \$Gallaudet, 3-1. \$Messiah College Tournament

This Week – Wed., Sept, 5th at University of #Scranton, 7:00, p.m.; Fri. & Sat. Sept. 7-8 at Gettysburg College Battlefield Classic, TBA. #MAC match

The Greyhounds opened the 2001 season with a 30-15, 30-19, 30-14 victory over Philadelphia Biblical University in the Messiah College Tournament. The NCAA has gone to rally scoring in all matches this season. Sophomore setter **Amy Lawrence** (**Gettysburg**, **PA/Delone Catholic HS**) had 23 assists and nine digs for Moravian while sophomore outside hitter **Kim Zipf** (**Wyomissing**, **PA/Holy Name HS**) added nine kills and ten digs. Freshman middle hitter **Kim Horvath** (**Summit Hill**, **PA/Marian Catholic HS**) had seven kills and five blocks in her first collegiate match while sophomore setter **Andrea Frankenfield** (**Emmaus**, **PA/Emmaus HS**) added six service aces and six digs. Senior outside hitter **Sara Walkiewicz** (**Bethlehem**, **PA/Bethlehem Catholic HS**) had five kills and six digs.

Moravian won its opening match on day two of the Messiah College Tournament, defeating Savannah College of Art & Design, 30-27, 23-30, 30-15, 30-12. **Zipf** had 13 kills and 12 digs while **Lawrence** added 45 assists and nine digs. Sophomore right side hitter **Sara Hollenbacher** (**Reading, PA/Reading Central Catholic HS**) had 12 kills, 17 digs and three blocks and **Horvath** added nine kills and 4 blocks. **Walkiewicz** contributed 10 kills, 14 digs and five service aces.

The Greyhounds suffered their first loss of the season, falling to NAIA powerhouse Roberts Wesleyan College 26-30, 28-30, 23-30 at the tournament. **Zipf** had 12 kills and 13 digs in the match **Lawrence** had 31 assists. Senior defensive specialist **Krystol Kessack** (**Bethlehem**, **PA/Liberty HS**) added 13 digs.

Moravian closed out the Messiah Tournament with a 30-28, 34-32, 28-30, 30-15 victory over Gallaudet University. **Zipf**, who was named to the All-Tournament Team, had 14 kills and 23 digs while **Lawrence**, who also earned a spot on the All-Tournament Team, had 33 assists and 12 digs. **Walkiewicz** had seven kills and 13 digs while sophomore middle hitter **Shannon McNeil (Reading, PA/Reading Central Catholic HS)** had seven kills and five blocks. Moravian placed third in the Messiah Tournament.

Golf- 0-0 (MAC 0-0)

Last Week – Did not play

This Week – No meets scheduled – Next competition – Tues., Sept. 18th at Elizabethtown College Invitational at Hershey Country Club, 12:00 p.m.

The golf team opens its 2001 season on Tuesday, September 18th at the Elizabethtown College Invitational at the Hershey Country Club.