



2002-03 – Week 36

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GREYHOUND TRACKS

Team Records as of May 26, 2003

	<i>Overall</i>	<i>Commonwealth</i>	<i>MAC Overall</i>	<i>Meets & Tournaments</i>
<i>Baseball</i>	<i>14-15</i>	<i>12-9</i>	<i>12-11</i>	<i>Commonwealth Conference Playoffs</i>
<i>Golf</i>	<i>3-2</i>		<i>2-2</i>	<i>3rd of 14 at 2003 MAC Championships</i>
<i>Women's Lacrosse</i>	<i>0-13</i>		<i>0-10</i>	
<i>Softball</i>	<i>32-10</i>	<i>11-3</i>	<i>16-3</i>	<i>Runner-Up at NCAA Regionals; Commonwealth Conference Champions</i>
<i>Men's Tennis</i>	<i>7-8</i>	<i>5-2</i>	<i>6-6</i>	
<i>Men's Track & Field</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>5th of 10 at Middle Atlantic Conf. Championships</i>
<i>Women's Track & Field</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>T18th of 83 at NCAA Outdoor Championships; Middle Atlantic Conference Champions</i>

GREYHOUND STUDENT-ATHLETES OF THE WEEK

Female – Christina Scherwin (Jr., Copenhagen, Denmark), women's outdoor track & field
Male – None

HIGHLIGHTED POSTSEASON EVENTS:

Junior **Christina Scherwin (Copenhagen, Denmark)** won her second consecutive NCAA Division III National Championship in the javelin throw, and she was also an All-American in the shot put. See page 2 for more details on Moravian's trip to the NCAA Division III Outdoor Track & Field National Championships.

The First Greyhound Tracks of 2003-04 will be mailed on Tuesday, September 2nd.

Moravian's first home athletic event for the 2003-04 season will be on Friday and Saturday, August 29th and 30th as the women's volleyball team hosts a 12-team tournament.

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Women's Outdoor Track & Field – 0-0 (Commonwealth Conference 0-0, MAC 0-0) – MAC Champions

Last Week – Tied for 18th of 83 at 2003 NCAA Division III National Championships hosted by St. Lawrence University, Canton, NY.

Season Complete

Junior **Christina Scherwin (Copenhagen, Denmark)** captured her second straight NCAA Division III National Championship in the javelin on the second day of competition at the 2003 NCAA Division Outdoor National Championships hosted by St. Lawrence University in Canton, New York. **Scherwin**, who won the 2002 title with a toss of 51.69 meters (169 feet, seven inches), broke the meet record and set the all-time NCAA Division III record with a throw of 55.34 meters (181 feet, seven inches) in this year's competition. **Scherwin** broke the record of 51.94 meters (170 feet, five inches) set by Jodi Smiley from the University of Wisconsin-Lacrosse back in 1984. **Scherwin's** closest competitor in the event was Kathy Darling from Johns Hopkins University, who was 8.48 meters (27 feet, ten inches) shy of **Scherwin's** winning distance.

Moravian sophomore **Kirsten Rotzell (Bangor, PA/Bangor HS)** placed sixth in her preliminary flight and 13th overall in the triple jump with a leap of 11.49 meters (37 feet, 8 1/2 inches).

Scherwin earned All-American honors for the second time in two days and the fourth time in her career with a fifth place finish in the shot put on the final day of the 2003 NCAA Division III National Championships. **Scherwin** had a toss of 13.67 meters (44 feet, 10 1/4 inches) in the final after placing third in her preliminary flight with a toss of 13.60 meters (44 feet, 7 1/2 inches). **Scherwin** earned a total of 14 points (10 for her national title in the javelin and four for her finish in the shot put) at the national championships to help the Greyhounds finish in a tie for 18th place of 83 schools that scored a point.

Softball – 32-10 (Commonwealth Conference 11-3, MAC 16-3) – Commonwealth Conference Champions

Season Complete

Moravian College head softball coach **John Byrne** and his staff of assistant coaches **Scot Dapp, Scott Hoke, Ron Cardinal, Becky Stroup** and **Erin Kelly** have been named the 2003 National Fastpitch Coaches Association Division III East Region Coaching Staff of the Year announced May 15th at the banquet prior to the NCAA Division III Softball National Championship in Salem, Virginia. **Byrne** and the rest of the staff led Moravian to a 32-10 record this season, the squad's fourth consecutive Commonwealth Conference Championship and the program's sixth straight NCAA Division III Tournament berth. The Greyhounds had their best-ever finish at the regional, finishing as the runner-up after winning their first three games of the tournament. Moravian entered the 2003 season without a senior on the roster and many expected the year to be a rebuilding campaign for **Byrne** and his staff after graduating seven seniors in 2002.

Sophomore shortstop **Heather Bortz (Allentown, PA/Parkland HS)** of the Moravian College softball team has been named to the 2003 Louisville Slugger/National Fastpitch Coaches Association All-American Second Team announced May 15th at the banquet prior to the NCAA Division III Softball National Championship in Salem, Virginia. **Bortz**, who is the first Moravian player to receive national All-American accolades, is one of 45 players that have been named to the 2003 Louisville Slugger/NFCA Division III All-American first, second and third teams. NFCA-member NCAA Division III coaching representatives, based on nominations from the 2003 season, selected all three teams. **Bortz** led the Greyhounds to a 32-10 record this season and a runner-up finish at the 2003 NCAA Regional, Moravian's best-ever finish in the NCAA Division III Tournament. Moravian won its fourth consecutive Commonwealth Conference Championship and earned its sixth straight berth in the NCAA Tournament. **Bortz** was one of two players from the Middle Atlantic Corporation to earn All-American accolades and she was one of five players from the East Region selected as an All-American. **Bortz** led Moravian at the plate this season with a .496 batting average, the third highest single season in school history. **Bortz** set the school record with 67 hits during the year, and she became the fastest player in school history to reach 100 hits. She currently has 117 hits after two seasons. **Bortz** also contributed 29 runs scored, 18 RBIs, 11 walks, ten stolen bases, six doubles, three triples and a home run, which was an inside-the-park grand slam in the NCAA Regional. **Bortz** had an on-base percentage of .531 this spring, and she was one of the toughest players in the country to strikeout with just three strikeouts in 135 at-bats this year. In the field, **Bortz** made 84 putouts and 69 assists while committing just eight errors from her shortstop position. Other awards for **Bortz** this spring include the Co-Commonwealth Conference Player of the Year, Commonwealth All-Conference First Team, NFCA All-East Region First Team, NCAA Regional All-Tournament Team and Lehigh Valley Association of Intercollegiate Athletics for Women Player of the Year.

30 GREYHOUNDS NAMED TO MIDDLE ATLANTIC CORPORATION SPRING ALL-ACADEMIC TEAM

ANNVILLE, PA — Moravian College's spring athletic teams have placed 30 student-athletes on the Middle Atlantic Corporation Spring All-Academic Team released by the MAC office this week with all seven of Moravian's spring sports having at least one member recognized including 12 from the Middle Atlantic Conference Champion women's outdoor track & field squad.

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 3.2 grade-point average.

In addition to the 12 selections from the women's track and field team, the men's track and field team had five members honored while the softball and women's lacrosse squads each had four honorees. The baseball team placed three student-athletes on the MAC All-Academic Team while the golf and men's tennis squads each had one selection.

Leading the women's outdoor track and field team was junior **Christina Scherwin (Copenhagen, Denmark)**, the defending NCAA Division III Champion in the javelin. **Scherwin** will be competing at the 2003 NCAA Division III National Championships hosted by St. Lawrence University this weekend in the javelin and the shot put. **Scherwin** won the MAC titles in the discus, javelin and shot put. She captured the discus with a toss of 43.56 meters (142 feet, 11 inches), and **Scherwin** won the shot put with an MAC record toss of 14.31 meters (46 feet, 11 inches) for the second consecutive year. **Scherwin** also won the javelin for a second straight spring with a distance of 49.24 meters (161 feet, seven inches). She earned First Team All-Conference honors for all her championships.

Sophomore **Julie Anderson (Bethlehem, PA/Liberty HS)** was a First Team All-Conference selection after placing third in the hammer throw with a toss of 35.52 meters (116 feet, seven inches), and she placed seventh in the discus with a distance of 31.22 meters (102 feet, five inches). Senior **Amanda Wynn (Hellertown, PA/Saucon Valley HS)** finished third in the pole vault, clearing 3.04 meters (ten feet) earning a spot on the All-Conference First Team. Junior **Nicole Sabaliauskas (Butler, NJ/Butler HS)** was third in the heptathlon with a total of 3,243 points to each All-Conference First Team accolades while senior **Jennifer Wagner (Riegelsville, PA/Wilson HS)** earned All-Conference second Team honors in the 10,000 meters with a sixth place finish in 43:46.95.

Sophomore **Heather McGarvie (Medford, NJ/Shawnee HS)** earned All-Conference First Team honors with second place finishes at the MAC Championships in the 800 meters with a time of 2:19.32 and the 1,500 meters in 4:44.82. Sophomore **Chelsea Mullins (Jim Thorpe, PA/Jim Thorpe HS)** was fourth in the 10,000 meters with a time of 41:00.34 earning her Second Team All-Conference honors, while classmate **Kellie Smith (Perkasie, PA/Pennridge HS)** finished 18th in the 800 meters with a time of 2:39.45.

Also earning spots on the MAC All-Academic Team are juniors **Jennifer Brief (Clark, NJ/Arthur L. Johnson HS)** and **Angie Morgan (Bethlehem, PA/Liberty HS)** and sophomores **Lindsay Stehman (Gilbertsville, PA/Boyertown HS)** and **Alison Stoyko (Reading, PA/Governor Mifflin HS)**.

Sophomore **Scott Silvoy (Bethlehem, PA/Bethlehem Catholic HS)** leads the men's indoor track & field honorees on the MAC All-Academic Team. **Silvoy** won the silver medal in the 200-meter dash at the MAC Outdoor Championships in 22.45 seconds, and he was third in the 400-meter dash in a time of 50.47 seconds, two earn First Team All-Conference honors in both events. Junior **John Lesoine (East Stroudsburg, PA/East Stroudsburg HS)** captured the MAC title in the hammer throw with a toss of 48.96 meters (160 feet, eight inches) to earn First Team All-Conference. **Lesoine** also earned Second Team All-Conference accolades with a fifth place finish in the shot put with a toss of 12.42 meters (49 feet, nine inches).

Senior **Eric Paul (Reading, PA/Reading Central Catholic HS)** earned Second Team All-Conference honors in the decathlon with a total of 5,376 points. Moravian's other MAC All-Academic honorees were junior thrower **Scott Williams (Bangor, PA/Bangor HS)** and sophomore distance runner **Anthony Bisti (Haddonfield, NJ/Haddon Heights HS)**.

Sophomore shortstop **Heather Bortz (Allentown, PA/Parkland HS)** of the softball team helped lead the Greyhounds to a 32-10 record this season and a runner-up finish at the 2003 NCAA Regional, Moravian's best-ever finish in the NCAA Division III Tournament. Moravian won its fourth consecutive Commonwealth Conference Championship and earned its sixth straight berth in the NCAA Tournament. **Bortz** led Moravian at the plate this season with a .496 batting average, the third highest single season in school history. **Bortz** set the school record with 67 hits during the year, and she became the fastest player in school history to reach 100 hits. She currently has 117 hits after two seasons. **Bortz** also contributed 29 runs scored, 18 RBIs, 11 walks, ten stolen bases, six doubles, three triples and a home run, which was an inside-the-park grand slam in the NCAA Regional. In the field, **Bortz** made 84 putouts and 69 assists while committing just eight errors from her shortstop position. Other awards for **Bortz** this spring include Louisville Slugger/NFCA Second Team All-American, Co-Commonwealth Conference Player of the Year, Commonwealth All-Conference First Team, NFCA All-East Region First Team, NCAA Regional All-Tournament Team and Lehigh Valley Association of Intercollegiate Athletics for Women Player of the Year.

Joining **Bortz** from the softball team were junior third baseman **Janelle Brey (Allentown, PA/Dieruff HS)**, junior outfielder/designated player **Jessica Esposito (Madison, NJ/Madison HS)** and sophomore outfielder **Krissy Cianfichi (Warrington, PA/Central Bucks East HS)**. **Brey** has continued to rewrite the Moravian record books this spring. **Brey** currently holds the school records for home runs in a career (22), a season (10) and a game (2); RBIs in a career (120), a season (52) and a game (seven) and doubles in a career (40), a season (15) and a game (three). **Brey** hit .412 this season with 54 hits, 44 RBIs, 40 runs scored, 19 walks, 15 doubles, five triples and seven home runs. **Brey**, who was on the Commonwealth All-Conference First Team, the NCAA Regional All-Tournament Team and the NFCA All-Region Second Team, added 40 putouts and 94 assists in the field. **Esposito** added 35 hits, 15 RBIs, ten runs, ten doubles, a triple, a home run, five stolen bases and four walks this spring while being named to the NCAA Regional All-Tournament Team. **Cianfichi** had a .307 batting average for the Greyhounds and she added 42 hits, 28 runs scored, eight RBIs, six walks, five stolen bases and four doubles from the leadoff position, and she was a Commonwealth All-Conference Second Team selection.

Moravian's inaugural women's lacrosse team had four members of the MAAC All-Academic Team led by junior midfielder/defender **Kaity Cerco (Clarks Summit, PA/Abington Heights HS)**. **Cerco** scored seven goals and two assists for the Greyhounds while sophomore attack **Hayley Zamek (Hillsborough, NJ/Hillsborough HS)** netted six goals and two assists. Senior midfielder **Erica Miller (Tatamy, PA/Nazareth HS)** added two goals while senior midfielder/defender **Celeste Adamski (Saylorsburg, PA/Pleasant Valley HS)** had a goal and an assist.

The Moravian baseball team, which returned to the postseason for the first time since 1992, had a 14-15 record this past season. Senior shortstop **Luke Bricker (Kutztown, PA/Kutztown HS)** led the Greyhounds MAC All-Academic Team honorees with a .320 batting average. **Bricker** had 31 hits, 25 runs scored, 16 RBIs, seven doubles, a triple and a home run, and on the mound, **Bricker** was 1-1 with one save, a 0.00 ERA and three strikeouts in five innings.

Junior second baseman **Matthew Turtell (Lindenhurst, NY/Lindenhurst HS)** and junior outfielder **Ethan Ordog (Roebing, NJ/Holy Cross HS)** also earned spots on the MAC All-Academic Team. **Turtell** had 26 hits, 19 runs scored, 15 RBIs, a double, a triple and a home run this spring while **Ordog** contributed 16 hits, 16 runs scored, 14 RBIs and three doubles.

Senior **Dan Gorman (Saylorsburg, PA/Pleasant Valley HS)** from the men's tennis team helped the team to a 7-8 record this season. **Gorman** had a 4-9 singles mark and a 10-4 doubles record this spring, and he completed his career with a 31-24 singles record while being named to the MAC All-Academic Team three times.

Rounding out the Moravian MAC All-Academic Team selections was sophomore **Brad Clark (Norristown, PA/Methacton HS)**, who posted an 87.7 stroke per round average for the Moravian golf team this year.

Golf – 3-2 (MAC 2-2)

Season Complete

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

Season Complete

Baseball – 14-15 (Commonwealth Conference 12-9, MAC 12-11)

Season Complete

Women's Lacrosse – 0-13 (MAC 0-10)

Season Complete

Men's Tennis – 7-8 (MAC Commonwealth 5-2, MAC 6-6)

Season Complete
