



2002-03 – Week 2

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GREYHOUND TRACKS

Team Records as of September 8, 2002

	<i>Overall</i>	<i>Commonwealth</i>	<i>MAC Overall</i>	<i>Meets & Tournaments</i>
<i>Men's Cross Country</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>7th of 7 Lehigh Valley Championships</i>
<i>Women's Cross Country</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>2nd of 7 Lehigh Valley Championships</i>
<i>Field Hockey</i>	<i>0-2</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>0-1</i>	
<i>Football</i>	<i>1-0</i>		<i>1-0</i>	
<i>Golf</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>0-0</i>	
<i>Men's Soccer</i>	<i>2-1-1</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>1-1</i>	<i>1st at Kwik Goal/T.G.I. Friday's Classic</i>
<i>Women's Soccer</i>	<i>1-2</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>0-1</i>	<i>LPL Financial/Scranton Invitational</i>
<i>Women's Tennis</i>	<i>2-0</i>	<i>2-0</i>	<i>2-0</i>	
<i>Women's Volleyball</i>	<i>6-2</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>2nd place at Gettysburg Battlefield Classic</i>

GREYHOUND STUDENT-ATHLETES OF THE WEEK

Female – Jennifer Genevese (Sr., Whitehall, PA/Whitehall HS), women's tennis

Amy Lawrence (Jr., Gettysburg, PA/Delone Catholic HS), women's volleyball

Lindsey Siracusa (Fr., Yardley, PA/Pennsbury HS), women's volleyball

Male – David Darmofal (Jr., Clarks Summit, PA/Abington Heights HS), football

Jim Feimster (So., Stroudsburg, PA/Pocono Mountain HS), men's soccer

UPCOMING HOME EVENTS:

Tuesday, September 10th – Women's Tennis vs. University of Scranton, 4:00 p.m.; Field Hockey vs. King's College, 4:30 p.m.; Women's Volleyball vs. University of Scranton, 4:30 p.m.

Wednesday, September 11th – Women's Soccer vs. Haverford College, 4:00 p.m.

Saturday, September 14th – Men's Soccer vs. Delaware Valley College, 12:00 p.m.; Field Hockey vs. Alvernia College, 12:00 p.m.

Tuesday, September 17th – Women's Soccer vs. Alvernia College, 4:00 p.m.

**Commonwealth Conference Opponent*

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

Last Week – 2nd of 7 at Lehigh Valley Championships hosted by Lehigh University, Bethlehem, PA

This Week – Sat., Sept. 14th at Muhlenberg College Invitational, Allentown, PA

Moravian took second place of the seven schools in the Second Annual Lehigh Valley Collegiate Championships hosted by Lehigh University. The Greyhounds, which had a team score of 62 points, lost to NCAA Division I Lafayette College by three points. Moravian, which won the meet in 2001, actually was leading the meet until the final 500 meters when one of the Greyhound runners fell and lost her position in the race. Moravian did have four runners place in the top 15 of the 83-runner meet. Leading the Greyhounds was senior **Jennifer Wagner (Riegelsville, PA/Wilson HS)** in seventh place with a time of 23:30.4 on the 6,000-meter course. Junior **Angie Morgan (Bethlehem, PA/Liberty HS)** finished one place back in eighth with a time of 23:41.8. Moravian's other top 15 finishers were sophomore **Heather McGarvie (Medford, NJ/ Shawnee HS)** in 11th place at 23:51.4 and freshman **Erica Angell (Poughkeepsie, NY/ Spackenkill HS)** in 14th position with a time of 24:02.1. Rounding out Moravian's top five was freshman **Alexis Vergalla (Glen Gardner, PA/Voorhees HS)** in 22nd place with a time of 24:35.2.

Other runners for the Greyhounds in the meet included sophomore **Chelsea Mullins (Jim Thorpe, PA/Jim Thorpe HS)** taking 30th in 24:58.3, sophomore **Megan Wise (North Wales, PA/North Penn HS)** placing 31st with a time of 25:06.4, sophomore **Lindsay Stehman (Gilbertsville, PA/Boyertown HS)** finishing 37th in 25:34.6, sophomore **Kim Bushner (Allentown, PA/Dieruff HS)** taking 49th with a time of 26:04.6, junior **Jennifer Brief (Clark, NJ/ Arthur L. Johnson HS)** placing 57th in 26:34.5, junior **Robin Edward (Massapequa, NY/Plainedge HS)** finishing 72nd with a time of 27:52.7 and sophomore **Kellie Smith (Perkasie, PA/Pennridge HS)** taking 73rd place in 28:03.3.

Men's Cross Country – 0-0 (MAC 0-0)

Last Week – 7th of 7 at Lehigh Valley Championships hosted by Lehigh University, Bethlehem, PA

This Week – Sat., Sept. 14th at Muhlenberg College Invitational, Allentown, PA

The Greyhounds placed second at the Second Annual Lehigh Valley Collegiate Championships hosted by Lehigh University. Moravian had a team score of 153 and was paced by sophomore **Patrick Grogan (Nazareth, PA/ Notre Dame HS)**, who was 30th of 89 runners on the 8,000-meter course with a time of 27:21.2. Freshman **Greg Rarick (Drums, PA/Hazleton HS)** was second for the Greyhounds, placing 33rd in 27:38.6. Rounding out Moravian's top five competitors were junior **Marty Miller (Bethlehem, PA/Liberty HS)** in 36th place at 27:50.6, junior **Joe Grady (Nanticoke, PA/Nanticoke HS)** at 38th with a time of 27:53.3 and senior **Wes Zimmerman (Boyertown, PA/ Boyertown HS)** in 47th place at 28:09.7. The Greyhounds have five other runners in the race with sophomore **Matt Oertner (Slatington, PA/Northern Lehigh HS)** placing 51st in 28:24.4, freshman **Russell Zaleski (Hillsborough, NJ/ Hillsborough HS)** taking 64th with a time of 29:07.2, junior **Sean McDonnell (Scranton, PA/Scranton Prep HS)** placing 68th in 29:15.4, sophomore **Anthony Bisti (Haddonfield, NJ/Haddon Heights HS)** taking 79th in 31:00.2 and senior **Matt Plewinski (Hatfield, PA/ North Penn HS)** finishing 84th in 32:17.7.

Golf– 0-0 (MAC 0-0)

Last Week – Did not play

This Week – No meets scheduled – Next competition – Fri., Sept. 20th at Susquehanna University Invitational at Edgewood-in-the-Pines Golf Club, 1:00 p.m.

The golf team opens its 2002 season on Friday, September 20th at the Susquehanna University Invitational at the Edgewood-in-the-Pines Golf Club.

Football – 1-0 (MAC 1-0)

Last Week – Defeated #FDU-Florham, 21-14. #MAC game

This Week – Sat., Sept. 14th at #King's, 1:30 p.m. #MAC game

Junior tailback **David Darmofal (Clarks Summit, PA/Abington Heights HS)** rushed for 100 yards, the first 100-yard rushing game of his career, and the game winning touchdown on 16 carries to lead the Moravian College football team to a season opening, 21-14 victory over FDU-Florham in Middle Atlantic Conference action. The Greyhounds, who have now won three straight games dating back to 2001, overcame five turnovers (three interceptions and two fumbles) and a 14-point rally by the Devils, which tied the score at 14-14 just 11 seconds into the fourth quarter, for the victory. Three of the Moravian turnovers occurred inside the FDU ten-yard line as the Greyhounds were about to score. The two schools actually played their last two games against each other with the final game last season being a 27-0 Moravian win.

Moravian took a 7-0 lead with 13:38 to play in the second quarter as senior quarterback **Charlie Bowden (Parlin, NJ/Sayreville War Memorial HS)** found freshman wideout **Ben Hawkins (Belmar, NJ/Manasquan HS)** in the back corner of the end zone on a 23-yard fade route. Freshman **Nate Strohl (Coplay, PA/Whitehall HS)** added the extra-point. **Hawkins** had three receptions for 68 yards in his collegiate debut. The Greyhounds extended their first half lead to 14-0 with 8:58 to play in the quarter when **Bowden** found senior tight end **Rick Kulp (Walnutport, PA/Northampton HS)** open across the middle for a ten-yard scoring pass before **Strohl** added the kick. **Bowden** completed 13 of 25 passes for 136 yards while **Kulp** caught five passes for 41 yards.

Moravian's final two drives of the first half ended with interceptions inside the ten-yard line. The Greyhounds' first drive of the third quarter ended with **Strohl** missing a 37-yard field goal attempt, the first of his collegiate career, wide right and Moravian's second drive ended with a fumble at the FDU five-yard line.

The Greyhounds, who had a 13-0 third quarter lead in a 14-13 loss to King's College in last season's opener, responded taking the ball 70 yards on 11 plays for the game winning touchdown with 9:11 to play. **Darmofal** finished off the drive with a five-yard scamper off the left side. On the drive, **Darmofal** had seven carries for 53 yards. The two teams traded the ball back and forth for the remainder of the game with neither team making a real threat to score.

Defensively for the Greyhounds, senior defensive lineman **Tom Blackledge (Sellersville, PA/ Pennridge HS)** had six tackles with one sack and three and a half tackles for loss. Moravian allowed FDU just 150 yards total, 158 yards in the air and minus-eight yards on the ground. Senior linebacker **John Cupples (Allentown, PA/Allentown Central Catholic HS)** added eight tackles with one for loss while junior safety **John Panikiewsky (Carteret, NJ/Carteret HS)** had five tackles, one sack, one fumble recovery and one interception.

Another bright spot for the Greyhounds was the punting of junior **John McLain (Belvidere, NJ/ Belvidere HS)**, who had five punts for an average of 41.4 yards with a long of 59 yards.

Women's Soccer – 1-2 (Commonwealth Conference 0-0, MAC 0-1)

Last Week – Lost to #FDU-Florham, 1-0. #MAC match

This Week – Wed., Sept. 11th vs. Haverford College, 4:00 p.m.; Sat., Sept. 14th at Muhlenberg College, 6:00 p.m.

The Greyhounds suffered a 1-0 loss to FDU-Florham in their 2002 home opener on an own goal with 15 minutes remaining in the match. Moravian sophomore goalie **Jill Vaccaro (South Salem, NJ/John Jay HS)** had one save in the match as the Greyhounds held a 10-1 advantage in shots and a 10-2 advantage in corner kicks.

Men's Soccer – 2-1-1 (Commonwealth Conference 0-0, MAC 1-1)

Last Week – Defeated \$DeSales, 3-1; Defeated \$Muhlenberg, 2-1. \$Kwik Goal/T.G.I. Friday's Classic at Muhlenberg College, Allentown, PA

This Week – Sat., Sept. 14th vs. #Delaware Valley College, 12:00 p.m. #MAC match

The Greyhounds jumped out to a 2-0 first half lead on their way to a 3-1 victory over DeSales University in the first day of the Muhlenberg College Kwik Goal Tournament. Moravian got on the board in the 15th minute as junior forward **Anthony Merz (Philadelphia, PA/Archbishop Ryan HS)** knocked home a pass from sophomore forward **Ryan Fick Hamburg, PA/Fleetwood HS)**. Sophomore defender **Jim Feimster (Stroudsburg, PA/Pocono Mountain HS)** gave the Greyhounds their 2-0 lead in the 37th minute on an unassisted goal, the first of his career. **Fick** pushed the Moravian lead to 3-0 in the 65th minute when he scored off a pass from junior midfielder **Tim Shannon (Leesport, PA/Schuylkill Valley HS)**. Junior goalie **Vinny Nasuta (Mount Holly, NJ/Rancocas Valley Regional HS)** made five saves for his first victory of the season.

Moravian won the championship of the 2002 Kwik Goal/T.G.I. Friday's Classic at Muhlenberg College by defeating the host Mules, 2-1. After a scoreless first half, the Greyhounds got on the board first as senior forward **Wilson Gonzalez (Bethlehem, PA/Liberty HS)** tapped in a cross from sophomore defender **Nick Tarquinio (Point Pleasant, NJ/Point Pleasant Boro HS)** off a direct kick by sophomore midfielder **Daniel Samuelsson (Lebanon, NJ/North Hunterdon HS)** in the 64th minute. The Mules countered with a goal in the 70th minute to tie the match. Moravian got the winning goal in the 74th minute as **Feimster** scored on a direct kick. The goal was the second of **Feimster's** career and his second game-winner of the tournament. **Feimster** was named the Most Valuable Player of the Tournament. Greyhound senior goalie **Ryan Sculley (Bethlehem, PA/Northampton HS)** made one save in the match. Moravian takes a 1-0 lead in the annual Matte Award standings between the two schools.

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

*Last Week – Defeated *Lebanon Valley, 7-2; Defeated *Juniata, 8-1. *MAC Commonwealth match*

This Week – Tues., Sept. 10th vs. University of #Scranton, 4:00 p.m.; Thurs., Sept. 12th at Kutztown University of PA, 3:30 p.m.; Sat., Sept. 14th at Haverford College Tournament, 9:00 a.m. # MAC match

The Moravian College women's tennis team opened the 2002 season with a 7-2 victory over Lebanon Valley College in Middle Atlantic Conference Commonwealth action. The win was the 24th in a row, dating back to the fall of 2000 for the two-time defending MAC Champion Greyhounds. Moravian swept the doubles action to open the match with victories from the teams of senior **Jennifer Genevese (Whitehall, PA/Whitehall HS)** and sophomore **Becky Deringer (Allentown, PA/Dieruff HS)**, junior **Marion Berry (Avon, NJ/Avon HS)** and sophomore **Jillian Iacovelli (Randolph, NJ/Randolph HS)** and senior **Jillian Simms (Hampton, NJ/ Voorhees HS)** and junior **Lauren Castagna (Mt. Bethel, PA/Bangor HS)**. **Genevese, Deringer, Berry** and freshman **Nicole Gruber (Lebanon, PA/Lebanon HS)** also earned singles wins for Moravian.

The Greyhounds extended their overall winning streak to 25 straight matches and their MAC Commonwealth winning streak to 12 consecutive regular season contests with an 8-1 victory at Juniata College. The Greyhounds swept through the doubles matches for the second time this season with victories from the duos of **Genevese and Deringer, Berry and Iacovelli** and senior **Lea Ziegler (Schwenksville, PA/Spring-Ford HS)** and freshman **Meghan Meehan (Newtown Square, PA/Country Day School of the Sacred Heart HS)**. Earning singles wins for Moravian were **Genevese, Deringer, Berry, Castagna** and **Gruber**.

Women's Volleyball – 6-2 (Commonwealth Conference 0-0, MAC 0-0)

Last Week – Defeated \$Mary Washington, 3-0; Defeated \$Washington (MD), 3-0; Defeated \$Salisbury (MD), 3-0; Defeated \$York (PA), 3-1; Lost to \$Eastern, 3-1. \$Gettysburg Battlefield Classic, Gettysburg, PA.

This Week – Tues., Sept. 10th vs. University of #Scranton, 7:00 p.m. #MAC match

Moravian opened pool play at the Gettysburg Battlefield Classic with a 30-16, 30-25, 30-18 victory over Mary Washington College. Freshman middle hitter **Lindsey Siracusa (Yardley, PA/Pennsbury HS)** had 14 kills in the match while junior outside hitter **Kim Zipf (Wyomissing, PA/Holy Name HS)** added ten kills and five digs. Senior outside hitter **Sara Walkiewicz (Bethlehem, PA/Bethlehem Catholic HS)** contributed 16 digs and six kills while junior setter **Amy Lawrence (Gettysburg, PA/Delone Catholic HS)** had 37 assists and nine digs.

The Greyhounds won their pool on the first day of the Battlefield Classic with a 30-12, 30-20, 30-17 victory over Washington (MD) College. **Siracusa** paced Moravian for the second straight match with 12 kills and three service aces. Junior middle hitter **Shannon McNeil (Reading, PA/Reading Central Catholic HS)** had eight kills in the match while **Lawrence** had 33 assists and nine digs.

Moravian won its first match on the second day of the Battlefield Classic, defeating Salisbury University 30-23, 31-29, 30-20. **Lawrence** ran the Moravian offense with 37 assists, three service aces and she had 18 digs while **Zipf** had 15 kills and seven digs. **Siracusa** added nine kills, four service aces and two blocks.

The Greyhounds advanced to the championship match as they won their winners bracket pool with a 30-21, 24-30, 30-26, 30-21 victory over York (PA) College. **Zipf** had 18 kills and 14 digs in the match while **Siracusa** had 17 kills and six blocks. **Lawrence** paced the Greyhounds with 45 assists. **Walkiewicz** contributed seven kills and five service aces while junior right side hitter **Mary Kate Cordisco (Bethlehem, PA/Notre Dame HS)** had four service aces. Junior defensive specialist **Alissa Bucsi (Bethlehem, PA/Bethlehem Catholic HS)** added 12 digs.

Moravian fell to Eastern University for the second straight tournament in the championship match as the Greyhounds lost 27-30, 30-25, 22-30, 21-30 in the finals of the Gettysburg Battlefield Classic. **Lawrence** and **Siracusa** were named to the All-Tournament Team. **Lawrence** had 46 assists in the match and she added 12 digs while **Siracusa** had ten kills and three service aces. **Zipf** led Moravian with 19 kills to go along with 14 digs while junior right side hitter **Sara Hollenbacher (Reading, PA/Reading Central Catholic HS)** had ten kills. **Bucsi** contributed 18 digs in the match while **Walkiewicz** contributed 13 digs and eight kills.

Field Hockey – 0-2 (Commonwealth Conference 0-0, MAC 0-1)

Last Week – Lost to #Scranton, 2-0; Lost to Neumann, 3-2. #MAC match

This Week – Tues., Sept. 10th vs. #King's College, 4:30 p.m.; Sat., Sept. 14th vs. Alvernia College, 12:00 p.m. #MAC match

The Moravian College field hockey team opened the 2002 season with a 2-0 loss to the University of Scranton in non-conference action. Moravian allowed a pair of first half goals as Scranton out shot the Greyhounds 22-2 in the contest. Moravian freshman goalie **Lisa Oriolo (Parlin, NJ/Sayreville War Memorial HS)** made nine saves in her collegiate debut. Moravian freshman defender **Jill Brinckman (East Greenville, PA/Upper Perkiomen HS)** added a defensive save in the match.

The Greyhounds dropped a tough 3-2 decision at Neumann College in non-conference action. After a scoreless first half, the Greyhounds jumped out to a 2-0 lead on goals by junior midfielder **Pam Pike (Pennsburg, PA/Upper Perkiomen HS)** that was assisted by junior forward **Rebecca Kipp (Bethlehem, PA/ Saucon Valley HS)** and an unassisted tally by freshman midfielder **Stacey Cupples (Allentown, PA/Allentown Central Catholic HS)**. However, Neumann scored the next three goals for the win. **Oriolo** made nine saves.