

2002-03 - Week 4

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## **GREYHOUND TRACKS**

	Overall	Commonwealth	MAC Overall	Meets & Tournaments
Men's Cross Country	0-0	0-0	0-0	3 <sup>rd</sup> of 9 at Elizabethtown Invitational
Women's Cross Country	· 0-0	0-0	0-0	1 <sup>st</sup> of 10 at Elizabethtown Invitational
Field Hockey	1-5	0-0	0-4	
Football	1-1		1-1	
Golf	0-0	0-0	0-0	6 <sup>th</sup> at Susquehanna Invitational
Men's Soccer	3-2-2	0-1-1	2-2-1	1 <sup>st</sup> at Kwik Goal/T.G.I. Friday's Classic
Women's Soccer	6-2	1-0	2-1	
Women's Tennis	6-0	4-0	5-0	
Women's Volleyball	8-3	1-0	2-1	

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

Female – Jill Vaccaro (So., South Salem, NY/John Jay HS), women's soccer
 Kim Zipf (Jr., Wyomissing, PA/Holy Name HS), women's volleyball
 Male – Patrick Grogan (So., Nazareth, PA/Notre Dame HS), men's cross country

#### **UPCOMING HOME EVENTS:**

- Monday, September 23<sup>rd</sup> Women's Soccer vs. Wilkes University, 4:00 p.m.; Women's Volleyball vs. Muhlenberg College, 7:00 p.m.
- Tuesday, September 24th Women's Tennis vs. DeSales University, 4:00 p.m.
- Thursday, September 26th Golf hosts Annual Moravian Fall Invitational at Southmoore Golf Course, 1:00 p.m.
- Saturday, September 28<sup>th</sup> Football vs. \*Widener University, 1:00 p.m.; Women's Soccer vs. \*Messiah College, 12:00 p.m.; Men's Soccer vs. \*Messiah College, 2:30 p.m.; Women's Tennis vs. \*Susquehanna University, 11:00 a.m.

Monday, September 30th – Field Hockey vs. Philadelphia Biblical University, 4:00 p.m.

\*Commonwealth Conference Opponent

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

Last Week – 1<sup>st</sup> of 10 at Elizabethtown College Invitational, Elizabethtown, PA This Week – Sat., Sept. 28<sup>th</sup> at Paul Short Invitational hosted by Lehigh University, Bethlehem, PA

Moravian won its second straight meet and its third of the season, capturing first place at the 2002 Elizabethtown College Invitational run at Lancaster Country Central Park in Lancaster, PA, the site of the 2002 Middle Atlantic Conference Championships in November. The Greyhounds finished 13 points ahead of second place Messiah College and placed five runners in the top 12 of the race with senior **Jennifer Wagner** (**Riegelsville**, **PA/Wilson HS**) leading the team. **Wagner** placed 2nd in the 131-runner field with a time of 23:41 on the 6,000-meter course. Sophomore **Chelsea Mullins (Jim Thorpe, PA/Jim Thorpe HS**) was seventh in 24:23 while freshman **Erica Angell (Poughkeepsie, NY/ Spackenkill HS)** placed tenth at 24:46. Rounding out the Moravian top five were junior **Angie Morgan (Bethlehem, PA/ Liberty HS)** in 11th place at 24:50 and freshman **Alexis Vergalla (Glen Gardner, NJ/Voorhees HS)** in 12th place with a time of 25:54. The Greyhounds had two other runners in the top 25 with sophomore **Megan Wise (North Wales, PA/ North Penn HS)** finishing 17th in 25:16 and sophomore **Alison Stoyko (Reading, PA/Governor Mifflin HS)** taking 24th with a time of 25:45.

Other Moravian competitors included sophomore **Heather McGarvie (Medford, NJ/Shawnee HS)** placing 31st with a time of 25:59, sophomore **Lindsay Stehman (Gilbertsville, PA/Boyertown HS)** in 26th at 26:12, sophomore **Holly Bofinger (Warminster, PA/William Tennent HS)** finishing 50th in 26:54, sophomore **Kim Bushner (Allentown, PA/Dieruff HS)** placing 52nd with a time of 27:01, junior **Robin Edward (Massapequa, NY/Plainedge HS)** in 64th place at 27:46, sophomore **Kellie Smith (Perkasie, PA/Pennridge HS)** at 78th in 28:21, sophomore **Britta Jacobson (Sister Bay, WI/Gibraltar HS)** finishing 83rd with a time of 28:28, freshman **Lauren Bahnatka (West Chester, PA/Henderson HS)** placing 86th in 28:51, sophomore **Meghan Krebs (Palmerton, PA/Palmerton HS)** taking 89th in 29:04 and freshman **Alicia Hernandez (Jim Thorpe, PA/Jim Thorpe HS)** placing 125th with a time of 34:03.

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

*Last Week* – 3<sup>rd</sup> of 9 at Elizabethtown College Invitational, Elizabethtown, PA **This Week** – **Sat., Sept. 28<sup>th</sup> at Paul Short Invitational hosted by Lehigh University, Bethlehem, PA** 

The Greyhounds finished third of nine schools at the 2002 Elizabethtown College Invitational run at Lancaster Country Central Park in Lancaster, PA, the site of the 2002 Middle Atlantic Conference Championships in November. Sophomore **Patrick Grogan (Nazareth, PA/Notre Dame HS)** paced Moravian's ten runners with a time of 28:35 on the 8,000-meter course, good enough for a seventh place finish. **Freshman Greg Rarick (Drums, PA/Hazleton HS)** was second for the Greyhounds and 26th of the 104 competitors with a time of 30:05 while junior **Joe Grady (Nanticoke, PA/Nanticoke HS)** placed 28th in 30:12. Freshman **Will Shimer (Bethlehem, PA/Liberty HS)** finished in 34th place with a time of 30:55 while sophomore **Matt Oertner (Slatington, PA/Northern Lehigh HS)** rounded out the Moravian top five with a 35th place finish in 30:56.

Other Greyhounds competitors included junior Marty Miller (Bethlehem, PA/Liberty HS) finishing 38th with a time of 31:08, junior Sean McDonnell (Scranton, PA/Scranton Prep HS) in 50th at 31:51, sophomore Michael Caffrey (Easton, PA/Easton HS) placing 65th with a time of 32:52, freshman Russell Zaleski (Hillsborough, NJ/Hillsborough HS) finished 71st at 33:49 and sophomore Anthony Bisti (Haddonfield, NJ/Haddon Heights HS) taking 91st with a time of 37:59.

# Football – 1-1 (MAC 1-1) Last Week – Off This Week –Sat., Sept. 28<sup>th</sup> vs. #Widener University, 1:00 p.m. #MAC game

The Greyhounds had their first scheduled off week during the season since the third week of the 1984 campaign. Moravian gets back in action this week with a Middle Atlantic Conference home game with Widener University beginning at 1:00 p.m. on Moravian's Family Day.

#### Women's Soccer – 6-2 (Commonwealth Conference 1-0, MAC 2-1)

Last Week – Defeated Alvernia, 8-0; Defeated #DeSales, 3-0; Defeated \*Juniata, 2-0. #MAC match, \*Commonwealth Conference match

## This Week – Mon., Sept. 23<sup>rd</sup> vs. #Wilkes University, 4:00 p.m.; Sat., Sept. 28<sup>th</sup> vs. \*Messiah College, 12:00 p.m. #MAC match, \*Commonwealth Conference match

Moravian had eight different players score as the Greyhounds defeated Alvernia College, 8-0, in non-conference action. Moravian got the only goal it would need in the 24th minute as junior midfielder **Jackie Buschta (Whitehall, PA/Allentown Central Catholic HS)** found the back of the net off a pass from freshman forward **Lindsay Pohl (West Lawn, PA/Wilson West Lawn HS)**. The Greyhounds would make the score 4-0 before halftime with goals by **Pohl** in the 27th minute, junior midfielder **Heather Bichler (Waverly, PA/Abington Heights HS)** in the 34th minute and junior midfielder **Rachel Davy (Oaklyn, NJ/Haddon Township HS)** in the 43rd minute. **Bichler** assisted on **Pohl's** goal while junior forward **Rori Franges (Bethlehem, PA/Saucon Valley HS)** set up **Davy's** tally. **Franges** would have one of the Greyhounds four goals in the second half, scoring an unassisted tally in the 78th minute. Junior defender **Justina Bria (Warminster, PA/William Tennent HS)** started the second half scoring with a goal in the 57th minute while senior midfielder **Kara Miller (Myerstown, PA/ELCO HS)** scored in the 76th minute and freshman midfielder **Edna Snyder (Naples, FL/ Gulf Coast HS)** finished the scoring with an unassisted tally at the 87th minute mark. **Snyder** also had an assist as she set up **Miller's** goal. Moravian goalies senior **Neali Miller (Wyomissing, PA/Wilson West Lawn HS)** and junior **Kelly Wakeman (Easton, PA/home schooled)** each played one half but neither faced a shot as the Greyhounds out shot Alvernia 31-0 in the match.

**Pohl** scored a hat trick as Moravian defeated DeSales University, 3-0 in non-conference action. **Pohl** gave the Greyhounds a 1-0 lead in the tenth minute on an unassisted goal. **Pohl's** second tally was a rebound off a shot by **Buschta** in the 21st minute. **Pohl** finished off her hat trick in the 83rd minute as she put home another rebound, this one off a shot **Bichler**. Freshman midfielder **Jessica Cordani (Point Pleasant, NJ/Point Pleasant Boro HS)** also picked up an assist on **Pohl's** final goal. Sophomore keeper **Jill Vaccaro (South Salem, NY/John Jay HS)** made two saves in the match as Moravian had a 33-4 advantage in shots and a 14-0 advantage in corner kicks.

The Greyhounds won their third straight match by shutout and extended their overall winning streak to five consecutive contests as the Greyhounds shutout Juniata College, 2-0, to open the Commonwealth Conference season. Junior midfielder **Faye Zaninelli (Point Pleasant, NJ/Point Pleasant Boro HS)** broke a scoreless tie in the 71st minute when she beat the Juniata goalie and drove the ball off a Juniata defender and into the net. **Buschta** scored the Greyhounds other goal in the 75th minute when she drove home a pass from freshman midfielder **Kindal Estes (New Providence, NJ/New Providence HS)**. **Vaccaro** made two saves for her fourth shutout of the season

#### Men's Soccer – 3-2-2 (Commonwealth Conference 0-1-1, MAC 2-2-1)

Last Week – Lost to \*Juniata, 2-0; Tied \*Albright, 1-1. \*Commonwealth Conference match This Week – Sat., Sept. 28<sup>th</sup> vs. \*Messiah College, 2:30 p.m. \*Commonwealth Conference match

Moravian dropped its 2002 Commonwealth Conference opener and lost for the first time since the first match of the year as the Greyhounds allowed a pair of goals to Juniata College's Nick Wolfe in the final eight minutes to fall by the final of 2-0. The Greyhounds out shot the Eagles, 32-11 in the match and had a 12-3 advantage in corner kicks. Moravian senior goalie **Ryan Sculley (Bethlehem, PA/Northampton HS)** made four saves in the loss.

The Greyhounds let a 1-0 lead slip away in the second half as they played to a 1-1 tie with Albright College in Commonwealth Conference action. Moravian took a 1-0 lead in the first half as sophomore forward **Ryan Fick (Hamburg, PA/Fleetwood HS)** scored on a diving header off a pass from sophomore midfielder **Daniel Samuelsson (Lebanon, NJ/North Hunterdon HS)** in the 20<sup>th</sup> minute. Albright would tie the match in the second half and neither squad could find the back of the net in the overtime sessions. Albright had a 17-14 advantage in shots in the match. Moravian junior goalie **Vinny Nasuta (Mount Holly, NJ/Rancocas Valley Regional HS)** made 11 saves in the contest.

#### Women's Tennis – 6-0 (MAC Commonwealth 4-0, MAC 5-0)

Last Week – Defeated \*Elizabethtown, 8-1; Defeated \*Messiah, 8-1. \*MAC Commonwealth match This Week – Tues., Sept. 24<sup>th</sup> vs. #DeSales University, 4:00 p.m.; Thurs., Sept. 26<sup>th</sup> at \*Widener University, 3:30 p.m.; Sat., Sept. 28<sup>th</sup> vs. \*Susquehanna University, 11:00 a.m. #MAC match, \*MAC Commonwealth match

Moravian captured an 8-1 victory at Elizabethtown College in MAC Commonwealth action. Moravian opened the match by sweeping the three doubles contests. Earning wins were the duos 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 Lea Ziegler (Schwenksville, PA/ Spring-Ford HS) and junior Lauren Castagna (Mt. Bethel, PA/ Bangor HS). The Greyhounds also received singles wins from Genevese, Deringer, Berry, Castagna and freshman Nicole Gruber (Lebanon, PA/Lebanon HS).

The Greyhounds captured their 29th consecutive victory overall and their 14th straight Middle Atlantic Conference Commonwealth match with an 8-1 victory vs. Messiah College. Moravian, now 6-0 on the year and 4-0 in the MAC Commonwealth began the match by sweeping the three doubles contests for the fifth time this season. Earning wins were the duos of **Genevese** and **Deringer**, **Berry** and **Iacovelli** and **Ziegler** and **Castagna**. The Greyhounds also received singles wins from **Genevese**, **Deringer**, **Berry**, **Castagna** and junior **Petia Damianova** (Haskovo, Bulgaria/ISM HS).

#### Field Hockey – 1-5 (Commonwealth Conference 0-0, MAC 0-4)

Last Week – Lost to #Delaware Valley, 1-0; Lost to #FDU-Florham, 3-2 (ot). #MAC match This Week – Wed., Sept. 25<sup>th</sup> at #Wilkes University, 4:30 p.m.; Sat., Sept. 28<sup>th</sup> at \*Widener University, 12:00 p.m. #MAC match, \*Commonwealth Conference match

The Greyhounds fell to Delaware Valley College, 1-0, in a non-conference match. The Aggies' scored with 20:32 remaining in the second half for the victory. Moravian sophomore goalie **Amy Kranchalk** (**Point Pleasant, NJ**/ **Point Pleasant Boro HS**) made nine saves.

Moravian dropped a tough 3-2 overtime match to FDU-Florham in non-conference action. Twice in the match, the Greyhounds came from behind to tie the contest and force the overtime period. Trailing 1-0, Moravian freshman forward/midfielder **Brittany Currie (Wantagh, NJ/High Point Regional HS)** knocked home a pass from junior forward **Rachel Crocker (Bethlehem, PA/ Northampton HS)** with 19:48 remaining before halftime. **Currie** would tie the match at 2-2 with 13:56 left in the second half as she put home a pass from junior midfielder **Pam Pike (Pennsburg, PA/Upper Perkiomen HS)**. **Kranchalk** made seven saves in the match, her fourth straight due to injuries to the Greyhounds regular goalies.

#### Golf- 0-0 (MAC 0-0)

Last Week – 6<sup>th</sup> of 19 at Susquehanna University Invitational, Selinsgrove, PA

This Week – Mon., Sept. 23<sup>rd</sup> at Lebanon Valley College Invitational, Lebanon Country Club, Lebanon, PA, 12:30 p.m.; Thurs., Sept. 26<sup>th</sup> hosts Annual Moravian Fall Invitational, Southmoore Golf Course, Bath, PA, 1:00 p.m.

The Moravian College golf team opened its fall season by shooting a team score of 313 and placing sixth of 19 teams at the Susquehanna University Fall Invitational at the Edgewood-in-the-Pines Golf Club. Susquehanna took home the team title with of 306. Leading the Greyhounds was senior Jason Pozniak (Tunkhannock, PA/Tunkhannock HS), who fired an 18-hole total of 75, good enough for fifth place individually. Freshman Dustin McCormick (East Stroudsburg, PA/East Stroudsburg HS) had a 76 in his first collegiate action to tie for sixth while juniors Jamison Licausi (Tobyhanna, PA/Pocono Mountain HS) and Brian Kurylo (Sparta, NJ/Sparta HS) each shot rounds of 81, which tied them with five others for 38th place. Senior Charles Tice (Manasquan, NJ/Manasquan HS) rounded out the Moravian golfers with an 84, which was tied for 59th.

#### Women's Volleyball – 8-3 (Commonwealth Conference 1-0, MAC 2-1)

Last Week – Defeated \*Widener, 3-1; Defeated #DeSales, 3-0. #MAC match, \*Commonwealth Conf. match This Week – Mon., Sept. 23<sup>rd</sup> vs. Muhlenberg College, 7:00 p.m.; Wed., Sept. 25<sup>th</sup> at \*Albright College, 7:00 p.m.; Fri., Sept. 27<sup>th</sup> vs. #King's College, 7:00 p.m. \*Commonwealth Conf. match, #MAC match

Moravian snapped its two-match losing streak and opened the 2002 Commonwealth Conference season with a victory as the Greyhounds defeated Widener University, 30-22, 30-20, 31-33, 30-21. The victory was the 200<sup>th</sup> for Moravian head coach **Shelley Bauder**. **Bauder** had a career record of 200-100 after the match in her ten seasons at Moravian. Greyhound junior outside hitter **Kim Zipf (Wyomissing, PA/Holy Name HS)** led the squad with 24 kills and she added six digs. Junior setter **Amy Lawrence (Gettysburg, PA/Delone Catholic HS)** had 53 assists and nine digs while freshman middle hitter **Lindsey Siracusa (Yardley, PA/Pennsbury HS)** added 22 kills and three blocks. Sophomore outside hitter **Christina Wallace (Bethlehem, PA/Bethlehem Catholic HS)** contributed eight kills, nine digs and five service aces while junior defensive specialist **Alissa Bucsi (Bethlehem, PA/Bethlehem Catholic HS)** added 11 digs.

The Greyhounds won their second match of the week as the squad posted a 30-21, 30-13, 30-10 victory at DeSales University in a non-conference match. **Zipf** led the Greyhounds with 12 kills and seven in the match. The 12 kills gave **Zipf** exactly 1,000 kills for her career. She becomes the fourth Moravian player in school history to reach 1,000 kills in a career. The current school record is 1,453 set by **Amy Sandt** from 1996 to 1999. **Lawrence** added 53 assists and six digs while junior middle hitter **Shannon McNeil** (**Reading, PA/ Reading Central Catholic HS**) had 11 kills and three blocks. **Siracusa** contributed eight kills and five digs in the win.