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# GREYHOUND TRACKS

Team Records as of February 1st, 2004				
	Overall	Commonwealth	MAC Overall	Meets & Tournaments
Men's Basketball	9-10	1-7	4-8	Champions 26th Annual Greyhound Rock Classic
Women's Basketball	13-6	6-2	9-4	Sunsational Hoops Classic, St. Thomas, USVI;
				Runner-Up at Starters Moravian Winter Classic
Men's Track & Field	0-0		0-0	
Women's Track & Field	0-0		0-0	

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

Female – Jenny Hackleman (Fr., Solvang, CA/Rutgers Prep {NJ} HS), basketball Stephanie Seaman (So., Bethlehem, PA/Bethlehem Catholic HS), basketball Male – Steve Weiler (Sr., Edgewater Park, NJ/Burlington City HS), basketball Brandon Zaleski (Jr., Hackettstown, NJ/Hackettstown HS), basketball

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

Wednesday, February 4<sup>th</sup> – Women's Basketball vs. \*Widener University, 6:00 p.m.; Men's Basketball vs. \*Widener University, 8:00 p.m.

Tuesday, February 10<sup>th</sup> – Men's Basketball vs. \*Lebanon Valley College, 8:00 p.m.

Wednesday, February 11th – Women's Basketball vs. \*Lebanon Valley College, 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, February 17<sup>th</sup> – Women's Basketball vs. \*Albright College, 6:00 p.m.; Men's Basketball vs. \*Albright College, 8:00 p.m.

Saturday, February 21<sup>st</sup> – Women's Basketball vs. \*Elizabethtown College, 2:00 p.m.; Men's Basketball vs. \*Elizabethtown College, 4:00 p.m.

\*Conference opponent

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#### Women's Basketball – 13-6 (Commonwealth Conference 6-2, MAC 9-4)

Last Week – Defeated Muhlenberg College, 85-77; Defeated \*Elizabethtown College, 76-52; Defeated \*Susquehanna University, 62-48. \*Commonwealth Conference game

This Week – Wed., Feb. 4<sup>th</sup> vs. \*Widener University, 6:00 p.m.; Sat., Feb. 7<sup>th</sup> at \*Juniata College, 6:00 p.m. \*Commonwealth Conference game

The Greyhounds jumped out to a 51-33 halftime lead behind a career high 13 first half points from freshman guard Rachel Berlin (Bethlehem, PA/Freedom HS) and held off a second half rally to earn an 85-77 victory over rival Muhlenberg College in non-conference action. The win was the 300th for Moravian head coach Mary Beth Spirk, who had a career record of 300-149 in 17 seasons at the Bethlehem school after the game. Moravian trailed just once in the game after Muhlenberg senior forward Becky Richmond hit a three-pointer 12 seconds into the game. The Greyhounds would take a 4-3 lead with 18:36 remaining in the first half and never trail again. Moravian led by as many as 21 points in the first half at 38-17 while shooting 53.5 percent (23 of 43) from the floor. Muhlenberg made just 22.2 percent (eight of 36) of its field goal attempts and 78.6 percent (11 of 14) of its free throws in the first half while committing 18 turnovers. In the second half, the Greyhounds shot 42.9 percent (nine of 24) from the field and just 65.2 percent (15 of 23) at the foul line while committing 24 of a season high 41 turnovers. The Mules improved to 36.5 percent (19 of 52) from the field in the second half, but Muhlenberg would make just one of six free throw attempts after the intermission. Muhlenberg would cut Moravian's lead to 74-68 with 6:25 remaining in the game, however, the Greyhounds made seven free throws in the final six minutes to seal the victory. **Berlin** finished with a career best 20 points to lead four Moravian players in double figures, and Berlin added three rebounds. Sophomore forward Stephanie Seaman (Bethlehem, PA/Bethlehem Catholic HS) netted 15 points and added ten rebounds while senior guard Kim Hughes (Manasquan, NJ/St. Rose HS) and freshman forward Kelly Applegate (Easton, PA/Wilson HS) each scored ten points. Hughes, Moravian's leading scorer, and starting senior forward Tracie Shipman (Philadelphia, PA/Archbishop Ryan HS), were each held to five minutes and scoreless in the first half due to foul trouble and an injury, respectively. Freshman forward Jenny Hackleman (Solvang, CA/Rutgers Prep {NJ} HS) led the Greyhounds on the boards with 12 rebounds as Moravian held a 54-51 advantage in rebounds. **Hackleman** also added nine points, a career high six assists and three blocked shots while sophomore forward Lindsay Brase (Bethlehem, PA/Notre Dame HS) had nine points and four rebounds. Junior guard Jen Behagg (Hamburg, NJ/Pope John XXIII HS) contributed six points, six assists and four boards for the Greyhounds in the victory while freshman guard Katie Rizman (Wall, NJ/St. Rose HS) had six points, four assists, four rebounds and a career high three blocked shots. The win also gave Moravian a 5.5 to 4.5 lead in the annual Matte Award standings between the two Lehigh Valley rivals.

Moravian won its second straight game and finished the first half of the Commonwealth Conference season with a 5-2 record after a 76-52 victory at Elizabethtown College, which closed out the first round of conference play. The Greyhounds jumped out to a 40-27 halftime lead after shooting 50 percent (16 of 32) from the floor and 88.9 percent (eight of nine) at the foul line in the first half. Moravian finished the game shooting 52.6 percent (31 of 59) from the field. **Seaman** led the Greyhounds with her second straight double-double with 22 points and 11 rebounds. **Seaman** was the only Moravian player to score in double figures. **Behagg** contributed nine points, seven assists and three rebounds while **Rizman** had eight points, five assists and three blocked shots. **Applegate** also scored eight points while **Hackleman** had six points and six rebounds in her first career start. **Brase** had six points and four boards while **Hughes** had five points, four rebounds, three assists and three steals. **Berlin** and sophomore guard **Nicole Savino** (**Macungie**, **PA/Brandywine Heights HS**) each tossed in four points with **Savino** adding three rebounds in the victory.

The Greyhounds captured their third straight game with a 62-48 come-from-behind victory at Susquehanna University in Commonwealth Conference action. The Crusaders led 32-30 at halftime. After a brief Moravian lead early in the second half, Susquehanna would have an eight-point lead, 44-36, with 12:01 remaining in the contest. The Greyhounds would finish the game on a 26-4 run. Moravian shot 44.2 percent from the floor (19 of 43) and 50 percent (two of four) behind the three-point line in the contest. The Greyhounds won the game at the foul line where Moravian was 22 of 32 (68.8 percent) while Susquehanna made just 11 of 14 free throw attempts (78.6 percent). The Crusaders made 17 of 56 field goals (30.4 percent) and three of 12 three-pointers (25 percent). **Hackleman** led the Greyhounds with a career high 18 points in her second collegiate start. **Hackleman** added four rebounds and two blocked shots. **Seaman** had her third consecutive double-double with 15 points and ten rebounds, and **Seaman** had three steals. **Behagg** added nine points, four assists and three rebounds, while **Applegate** contributed six points. **Berlin** tossed in five points while **Brase** had four points and two rebounds. **Hughes**, Moravian's leading scorer, was held scoreless in the game but **Hughes** had four steals.

# Men's Basketball – 9-10 (Commonwealth Conference 1-7, MAC 4-8)

Last Week – Lost to \*Elizabethtown College, 77-63; Defeated \*Susquehanna University, 74-72. \*Commonwealth Conference game

This Week – Tues., Jan. 20<sup>th</sup> at \*Albright College, 8:00 p.m.; Sat., Jan. 24<sup>th</sup> vs. \*Messiah College, 4:00 p.m. \*Commonwealth Conference game

The Greyhounds suffered their fourth straight loss, falling at Elizabethtown College, 77-63. Moravian trailed 43-30 at halftime after shooting just 35.7 percent (10 of 28) from the floor in the first half. The Greyhounds would tie the game three times in the second half and close within one point with 6:33 remaining to play at 60-59. However, Moravian scored just four points the rest of the contest. The Greyhounds connected on 20 of 53 field goals (37.7 percent) in the game but the squad was just four of 14 behind the three-point line (28.6 percent). Moravian did make 19 of 25 free throws (76.0 percent). Junior forward **Brandon Zaleski (Hackettstown, NJ/Hackettstown HS)** scored a game high 20 points and grabbed eight rebounds to lead the Greyhounds. Sophomore forward **Zach Zsilavecz (Bethlehem, PA/ Liberty HS)** contributed ten points and four rebounds while sophomore guard **Chris Betley (Mount Laurel, NJ/Lenape HS)** has seven points and four boards. Sophomore forward **Ed Reid (Pen Argyl, PA/Pen Argyl HS)** also tossed in seven points while senior guard **Steve Weiler (Edgewater Park, NJ/Burlington City HS)** and sophomore forward **Steve Wenderfer (Chester, NJ/West Morris Mendham HS)** each had six points. **Weiler** added three assists while **Wenderfer** had a game high nine rebounds with two assists. Senior guard **Lucas Malishchak (Wanamie, PA/Nanticoke HS)** added five points and three assists while junior forward **Mike Howell (Floral Park, NY/Holy Cross HS)** had three rebounds and two points.

Moravian won its first Commonwealth Conference game of the season, defeating conference preseason favorite Susquehanna University, 74-72, in Selinsgrove. The victory snapped a four-game losing streak by the Greyhounds. The game was tied 38-38 at halftime with the Crusaders leading early at 18-9 with 14:00 minutes remaining in the first half. Moravian would lead by as many as six points in the first half as well, with a 34-28 lead with 4:44 left before halftime. In the second half, the Greyhounds led by six points twice with a 49-43 lead at 16:05 and a 54-48 lead with 14:01 remaining in the game. Susquehanna fought back to take a 59-58 advantage at the 10:29 mark left in the game. The Crusaders largest lead would be 72-68 with 1:24 remaining. Moravian would keep Susquehanna scoreless the rest of the contest. The Greyhounds would close to 72-71 with one-minute left on the seventh three-pointer of the game by **Weiler**. **Weiler** would tie the contest with 8.3 seconds remaining on a free throw. He would miss the second foul shot but Moravian Wenderfer grabbed the rebound and passed to Betley for a three-point attempt. Betley's shot came up short, however, Weiler grabbed the ball and scored on a lay-up with 1.8 seconds remaining for the win. The Greyhounds shot 45 percent (27 of 60) from the field and 52.2 percent (12 of 23) behind the three-point arc. Moravian did make eight of 11 free throws (72.7 percent). Susquehanna actually out-shot the Greyhounds from the field, making 50 percent (29 of 58) of its field goals, however, the Crusaders made just six of 17 three-pointers. Susquehanna was eight of 15 at the foul line. Weiler led the Greyhounds with 24 points after shooting eight of 15 from the floor and seven of nine behind the three-point line. Zaleski had a double-double with 15 points and a game high 11 rebounds while Wenderfer tossed in 11 points, all in the first half. Wenderfer added six rebounds and three steals. Betley scored nine points with four assists while **Reid** added six points and four rebounds. **Malishchak** dished out seven assists for Moravian with just one turnover, and he netted five points. **Zsilavecz** had four points and three rebounds in the victory.

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

Last Week – Off

This Week – Sat., Feb. 7<sup>th</sup> at 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Dick DeShriver Invitational hosted by East Stroudsburg University of Pennsylvania, East Stroudsburg, PA

Moravian had last week off before returning to competition this week at the 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Dick DeShriver Invitational hosted by East Stroudsburg University of Pennsylvania.

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

Last Week - Off

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