



2003-04 – Week 12

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GREYHOUND TRACKS

Team Records as of November 16th, 2003

	<i>Overall</i>	<i>Commonwealth</i>	<i>MAC Overall</i>	<i>Meets & Tournaments</i>
<i>Men's Basketball</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>0-0</i>	
<i>Women's Basketball</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>0-0</i>	
<i>Men's Cross Country</i>	<i>0-0</i>		<i>0-0</i>	<i>14th of 35 at NCAA Mideast Regional</i>
<i>Women's Cross Country</i>	<i>0-0</i>		<i>0-0</i>	<i>9th of 38 at NCAA Mideast Regional</i>
<i>Field Hockey</i>	<i>4-14</i>	<i>1-6</i>	<i>3-9</i>	
<i>Football</i>	<i>3-7</i>		<i>3-6</i>	
<i>Golf</i>	<i>0-0</i>		<i>0-0</i>	
<i>Men's Soccer</i>	<i>4-12-3</i>	<i>3-2-2</i>	<i>3-7-2</i>	<i>Commonwealth Conference Semifinalist</i>
<i>Women's Soccer</i>	<i>12-4-4</i>	<i>5-1-1</i>	<i>9-3-2</i>	<i>ECAC Mid-Atlantic Runner-Up</i>
<i>Women's Tennis</i>	<i>15-1</i>	<i>6-1</i>	<i>12-1</i>	<i>MAC Champions</i>
<i>Women's Volleyball</i>	<i>26-10</i>	<i>4-3</i>	<i>8-4</i>	<i>ECAC South Semifinalist</i>

GREYHOUND STUDENT-ATHLETES OF THE WEEK

Female – Brianne DeVries (Jr., Stockton, NJ/Delaware Valley Regional HS), soccer

Jill Vaccaro (Jr., South Salem, NY/John Jay HS), soccer

Male – Jeff Lowry (Sr., Catawissa, PA/Southern Columbia HS), football

John Panikiewsky (Sr., Carteret, NJ/Carteret HS), football

UPCOMING HOME EVENTS:

Tuesday, November 25th – Women's Basketball vs. DeSales University, 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, December 2nd – Men's Basketball vs. Muhlenberg College, 8:00 p.m.

Saturday, December 6th – Women's Basketball vs. *Susquehanna University, 2:00 p.m.; Men's Basketball vs. *Susquehanna University, 4:00 p.m.

Tuesday, January 6th – Men's Basketball vs. Delaware Valley College, 7:00 p.m.

*Conference opponent

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8:00 A.M. AND 7:00 P.M.***

Football – 3-7 (MAC 3-6)

Last Week – Lost to Muhlenberg College, 24-0

Season Complete

Moravian closed out the 2003 season with a 24-0 loss to rival Moravian College in non-conference action at Scotty Wood Stadium. The Greyhounds complete the year with a 3-7 record. Senior wide receiver **Jeff Lowry (Catawissa, PA/Southern Columbia HS)** was named the Moravian Most Valuable Player of the Game after catching seven passes for 90 yards in his final career game.

The teams played to a scoreless first quarter with Muhlenberg dominating play. However, the Greyhounds forced a pair of fumbles, one by senior defensive back **John Panikiewsky (Carteret, NJ/Carteret HS)** and the other by junior linebacker **Bill Carasia (Fair Haven, NJ/Rumson Fair Haven HS)**. The Greyhounds started three dives inside their own ten-yard line after a fumble recovery by senior defensive back **Nate Pogue (Bethlehem, PA/Liberty HS)** and two Muhlenberg punts downed inside the two-yard line. Moravian sophomore **Jerry Venturino (Hopatcong, NJ/Hopatcong HS)** was intercepted once in the first quarter and three times in the game. Muhlenberg would score three plays into the second quarter for a 7-0 lead with 14:22 remaining before halftime.

Moravian freshman tailback **Chris Jacobs (Fair Haven, NJ/Rumson Fair Haven HS)** became the second player in Moravian history to reach 1,000 yards in a season when he eclipsed the mark on his 11th carry of the game with five minutes remaining in the second quarter. **Jacobs** would break **Jim Joseph's** single season rushing record on his final carry of the afternoon, finishing the game with 79 yards on 29 carries. **Jacobs** finished the season with 1,051 yards on 216 carries, surpassing **Joseph's** mark of 1,048 set in 1985.

Muhlenberg extended its lead to 10-0 with four seconds remaining in the second quarter on a 33-yard field goal. The field goal was the second play after the Mules blocked a punt attempt by Moravian junior punter **John McLain (Belvidere, NJ/Belvidere HS)**. The Mules scored the first touchdown of the second half with 5:07 remaining in the third quarter to give the Mules a 17-0 lead. Muhlenberg capped off a 12-play, 89-yard drive with its final touchdown with 13:49 remaining in the game.

Venturino completed ten of 23 passes for 123 yards but was intercepted three times. Senior quarterback **Will Seng (Allentown, PA/William Allen HS)** completed three of eight passes for 19 yards. **Jacobs** added three receptions for 21 yards while junior tight end **Chad Opdyke (Bath, PA/Northampton HS)** had two catches for eight yards. **Venturino** added 12 yards on three carries.

Panikiewsky led the Greyhound defense with 11 tackles while sophomore linebacker **Richie Cline (Union Beach, NJ/Keyport HS)** had ten stops. **Pogue** added nine tackles with two for loss while sophomore defensive back **Tyler Chomik (Allentown, PA/Allentown Central Catholic HS)** and junior defensive end **Shawn Nelson (Bethlehem, PA/Bethlehem Catholic HS)** each had six tackles.

Golf – 0-0 (MAC 0-0)

Fall Season Complete

Moravian will begin the spring portion of its schedule on Monday, March 22nd at the York (PA) College Invitational.

Women's Tennis – 15-1 (MAC Commonwealth 6-1, MAC 12-1) – 2003 MAC Champions

Season Complete

Men's Soccer – 4-12-3 (Commonwealth Conference 3-2-2, MAC 3-6-2)

Season Complete

Women's Soccer – 12-4-4 (Commonwealth Conference 5-1-1, MAC 9-3-2)

Last Week – Defeated Johns Hopkins University in ECAC Mid-Atlantic Quarterfinals, 3-2 (2 overtimes); Defeated Lebanon Valley College in ECAC Mid-Atlantic Semifinals, 1-0; Lost to Carnegie Mellon University in ECAC Mid-Atlantic Championship, 2-1.

Season Complete

Moravian won its first-ever match in the Eastern College Athletic Conference Mid-Atlantic Championships, earning a 3-2 double-overtime victory over third seed Johns Hopkins University in the quarterfinals. The Greyhounds, who participated in the ECAC Championships for the first time in the ten-year history of the program, jumped out to a 2-0 first half lead in the victory over Johns Hopkins. Moravian scored first in the 25th minute when senior defender **Jackie Buschta (Whitehall, PA/Allentown Central Catholic HS)** headed in a corner kick by sophomore forward **Megan Collins (Dover, DE/Caesar Rodney HS)**. Collins would give the Greyhounds a 2-0 lead in the 42nd minute when she scored on a breakaway goal set up by sophomore forward **Lindsay Pohl (West Lawn, PA/Wilson West Lawn HS)**. Moravian, which was the sixth seed in the tournament, allowed a pair of second half goals to send the match to overtime. Senior midfielder **Heather Bichler (Waverly, PA/Abington Heights HS)** scored the winning goal in the 105th minute off a pass from junior defender **Kelly Haymaker (Hellertown, PA/Saucon Valley HS)**. Moravian had a 9-7 advantage in shots in the contest with Greyhound junior goalie **Jill Vaccaro (South Salem, NY/John Jay HS)** making two saves.

The Greyhounds moved into the championship match of the 2003 ECAC Mid-Atlantic Championships with a 1-0 victory over second seeded Lebanon Valley College in the semifinals at Carnegie Mellon University. The victory over Lebanon Valley was Moravian's first of the season in three matches. The two schools played to a scoreless tie in the regular season and the Flying Dutchmen won a 1-0 decision in the Commonwealth Conference Tournament. Junior forward **Brianne DeVries (Stockton, NJ/Delaware Valley HS)** scored off a pass from **Buschta** in the 61st minute for Moravian, her fifth goal of the season. It was also **DeVries'** fifth game-winning goal of the year. Moravian had a 10-3 advantage in shots and a 6-0 advantage on corner kicks. **Vaccaro** made three saves for her ninth shutout of the season.

Moravian jumped out to a 1-0 lead in the 66th minute but couldn't hold on as top seed and host Carnegie Mellon University rallied for a 2-1 victory over sixth seeded Moravian in the championship match of the 2003 ECAC Division III Mid-Atlantic Women's Soccer Championships. **DeVries** found the back of the net off a pass from freshman defender **Erin Gonda (Bethlehem, PA/Salisbury HS)** at 65:10 to give Moravian the lead. The goal was **DeVries'** sixth tally of the season. The Tartans would tie the match at 1-1 in the 70th minute and score the game-winning goal in the 73rd minute. The Tartans had an 18-4 advantage in shots and an 8-2 edge in corner kicks. **Vaccaro** made eight stops.

Women's Volleyball – 26-10 (Commonwealth Conference 4-3, MAC 8-4)

Last Week – Lost to Carnegie Mellon University, 3-1 in 2003 ECAC South Championship Semifinal.

Season Complete

For the second straight season, the Moravian College women's volleyball team ended its season with a loss to Carnegie Mellon University in the Eastern College Athletic Conference Division III South Championships. Moravian, the top seed and host, won the first game 30-22, but dropped the next three, 23-30, 28-30, 31-33, to the fourth seeded Tartans. Carnegie Mellon went on to defeated sixth seed Waynesburg College 30-24, 30-14, 30-26 in the championship match. Waynesburg had defeated second seeded FDU-Florham 30-20, 30-25, 30-17 in the other semifinal contest.

Senior outside hitter **Kim Zipf (Wyomissing, PA/Holy Name HS)** led the Greyhounds with 17 kills and 16 digs. She finishes her career with a school record 1,516 kills. Junior outside hitter **Christina Wallace (Bethlehem, PA/Bethlehem Catholic HS)** had 14 kills; nine digs and four service aces for the Greyhounds while sophomore middle hitter **Lindsay Siracusa (Yardley, PA/Pennsbury HS)** contributed 15 kills, six digs and two service aces. Freshman setter **Valerie Korsak (Coplay, PA/Whitehall HS)** controlled the Moravian offense with 51 assists, and she added nine digs, seven kills and two service aces. Senior middle hitter **Shannon McNeil (Reading, PA/Reading Central Catholic HS)** and senior right side hitter **Sara Hollenbacher (Reading, PA/Reading Central Catholic HS)** each had six kills in their final match with McNeil adding six digs and three blocks and **Hollenbacher** contributing four digs. Senior right side hitter **Mary Kate Cordisco (Bethlehem, PA/Notre Dame HS)** added four kills and a service aces while senior libero **Alissa Bucsi (Bethlehem, PA/Bethlehem Catholic HS)** had six digs. Senior defensive specialist **Andrea Frankenfield (Emmaus, PA/Emmaus HS)** added four digs.

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

Last Week – 9th of 38 at 2003 NCAA Division III Mideast Regional hosted by Dickinson College at Carlisle High School, Carlisle, PA

Season Complete

Junior **Heather McGarvie (Medford, NJ/Shawnee HS)** earned All-Region honors for the third straight year as she placed 18th of 264 runners at the 2003 NCAA Division III Mideast Regional hosted by Dickinson College at Carlisle High School. **McGarvie** finished the 6,000-meter race in a time of 23:35 to lead Moravian to a ninth place finish of 38 schools. Junior **Chelsea Mullins (Jim Thorpe, PA/Jim Thorpe HS)** missed All-Region honors by two places after finishing 37th in 24:15. The top 35 runners are named to the All-Region team. Sophomore **Lauren Bahnatka (West Chester, PA/Henderson HS)** placed 78th in a time of 25:23 while sophomore **Alexis Vergalla (Glen Gardner, NJ/Voorhees HS)** was 95th in 25:40. Rounding out the Moravian competitors were junior **Alison Stoyko (Reading, PA/Governor Mifflin HS)** in 111th place in a time of 25:59, senior **Lauren Laviola (Jersey City, NJ/St. Dominic Academy HS)** at 136th in 26:24 and sophomore **Julie Leiby (Lehigh, PA/Lehigh HS)** in 151st place in 26:43.

Men's Cross Country – 0-0 (Commonwealth Conference 0-0, MAC 0-0)

Last Week – 14th of 35 at 2003 NCAA Division III Mideast Regional hosted by Dickinson College at Carlisle High School, Carlisle, PA

Season Complete

Sophomore **Greg Rarick (Drums, PA/Hazleton HS)** earned All-Region honors with a 35th place finish of 249 runners at the 2003 NCAA Division III Mideast Regional hosted by Dickinson College at Carlisle High School. **Rarick** finished the 8,000-meter competition in a time of 27:27 to lead the Greyhounds to a 14th place finish out of 35 competing schools. Junior **Patrick Grogan (Nazareth, PA/Notre Dame HS)** was 49th in the race in a time of 27:51 while senior **Sean McDonnell (Scranton, PA/Scranton Prep HS)** took 68th place in 28:14. Rounding out the Moravian runners were senior **Joe Grady (Nanticoke, PA/Nanticoke HS)** at 100th in a time of 28:47, sophomore **Will Shimer (Bethlehem, PA/Liberty HS)** in 111th at 28:59 and freshman **Jared Casciole (Easton, PA/Notre Dame HS)** at 170th in 30:02.

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

This Week – Fri., Nov. 21st vs. Elms College in Scotty Wood Tournament at Muhlenberg College, Allentown, PA, 6:00 p.m.; Sat., Nov. 22nd in Consolation or Championship game at Scotty Wood Tournament, 3:00 or 8:00 p.m.

The Moravian College men's basketball team, selected second in the 2003-04 Commonwealth Conference Preseason Poll, will open its season on Friday, November 21st versus Elms College in the first day of the Scotty Wood Tournament hosted by Muhlenberg College in Allentown, Pennsylvania.

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

This Week – Sat., Nov. 22nd vs. Curry College in Swarthmore College Tip-Off Tournament, 4:00 p.m.; Sun., Nov. 23rd in Consolation or Championship game at Swarthmore Tournament, 2:00 or 4:00 p.m.

The Moravian College women's basketball team, selected third in the 2003-04 Commonwealth Conference Preseason Poll, will open its season on Saturday, November 22nd versus Curry College in the first day of the Swarthmore College Tip-Off Tournament.

Field Hockey – 4-14 (Commonwealth Conference 1-6, MAC 3-9)

Season Complete
