



1998-99 – Week 29

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GREYHOUND TRACKS

<i>Team Records as of April 4th, 1999</i>				
	<i>Overall</i>	<i>MAC Commonwealth</i>	<i>MAC Overall</i>	<i>Meets & Tournaments</i>
<i>Baseball</i>	<i>7-9-1</i>	<i>3-3</i>	<i>4-2</i>	
<i>Golf</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>Tie for 11th at Elizabethtown Invitational</i>
<i>Softball</i>	<i>13-7</i>	<i>3-1</i>	<i>3-1</i>	<i>Tied for 4th Salisbury State Tournament</i>
<i>Men's Tennis</i>	<i>0-6</i>	<i>0-3</i>	<i>0-5</i>	
<i>Men's Track & Field</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>Princeton Invitational</i>
<i>Women's Track & Field</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>0-0</i>	<i>Princeton Invitational</i>

GREYHOUND STUDENT-ATHLETES OF THE WEEK

Female – Zan Azzolino, Jr., Softball

Male – David Jelleme, Jr., Baseball

UPCOMING HOME EVENTS:

Thursday, April 8th – Softball vs. Rowan University (DH), 3:00 p.m.; Men's Tennis vs. Allentown College, 3:00 p.m.; Golf hosts Moravian Invitational at Southmoore Golf Course, 1:00 p.m.

Saturday, April 10th – Softball vs. *Elizabethtown College (DH), 1:00 p.m.; Baseball vs. *Susquehanna University (DH), 1:00 p.m.; Men's Tennis vs. *Susquehanna University, 1:00 p.m.

Monday, April 12th – Baseball vs. University of Scranton, 3:00 p.m.

Wednesday, April 14th – Golf vs. *Lebanon Valley College & *Albright College, 1:00 p.m.

Thursday, April 15th – Softball vs. William Paterson College (DH), 3:00 p.m.; Men's Tennis vs. Muhlenberg College, 3:00 p.m.

**Middle Atlantic Conference Commonwealth League opponent*

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Softball – 13-7 (3-1 MAC Commonwealth League, 3-1 MAC Overall)

*Last Week – Lost to *Widener, 4-1; Defeated *Widener, 5-2; Defeated Ursinus, 7-5; Lost to Ursinus, 4-2; Defeated *Juniata, 2-1 (8 inn.) & 2-1 (8 inn.). *MAC Commonwealth League game.*

This Week – Mon., Apr. 5th at #Allentown College (DH); 2:30 p.m.; Tues., Apr. 6th at *Messiah College (DH), 3:00 p.m.; Thurs., Apr. 8th vs. Rowan University (DH), 3:00 p.m.; Sat., Apr. 10th vs. *Elizabethtown College (DH), 1:00 p.m. #MAC game, *MAC Commonwealth League game.

The Lady Greyhounds won three of the first four Middle Atlantic Conference Commonwealth League games of the season last week and also split a non-conference doubleheader to post a 4-2 record for the week. Both of Moravian's wins against Juniata came in the bottom of the eighth inning.

Moravian split a pair of games with Widener, losing 4-1 in the opener and winning the nightcap 5-2. The victory was the 150th of head coach **John Byrne's** career. In game one, the 'Hounds took a 1-0 lead in the second inning on a pair of Widener errors, a single by sophomore **Missy Hummel (Walnutport/Northampton HS)** and a bases loaded walk by sophomore **Meg Ryan (Edison, NJ/Edison HS)**. Freshman **Rachel Mowrey (Hellertown/Saucon Valley HS)** took the loss on the mound despite seven strikeouts and allowing just five hits.

In the second game, Moravian again struck first in the second inning with a single by Mowrey, a sacrifice bunt by freshman **Sarah Leiby (Fleetwood/Fleetwood HS)**, a RBI double by freshman **Laurie Rentschler (Slatington/Northern Lehigh HS)** and singles by junior **Zan Azzolino (Lodi, NJ/ Immaculate Heart Academy)** and Hummel. Moravian added a run in the fourth inning when Leiby reached on an error and Rentschler followed with her second double of the game. Leiby scored on a wild pitch. The Lady Greyhounds final run came in the fifth inning on singles by freshman **Summer Miller (Mt. Holly, NJ/Rancocas Valley HS)**, Ryan and freshman **Debbie Noble (Cranford, NJ/Cranford HS)**. Junior **Becky Stroup (Palmerton/Palmerton Area HS)** earned the victory on the mound in game two and allowed just six hits with six strikeouts.

In the first game with Ursinus, the Bears jumped out to a 5-0 lead in the second inning, but Mowrey regained her composure and allowed just four hits to Ursinus the rest of the game. Moravian rallied with four runs in the bottom of the second inning to make the score 5-4. Senior **Heather Bennett (Franklin, NJ/Wallkill Valley HS)** started the inning with a one-out single. The next pitch hit Rentschler. Junior **Krysten Mack (Canton, CT/Canton HS)** grounded into a fielder's choice that had Bennett thrown out at third base. Azzolino bunted for a base hit to load the bases before a wild pitch scored Rentschler. Hummel followed with a two-RBI single and Miller hit a RBI double to end the scoring in the inning.

The Lady Greyhounds tied the game in the third inning on a single by Bennett, a sacrifice bunt by Rentschler and an error that allowed Mack to reach base. Moravian took the lead in the fourth inning on a two-out singles by junior **Ali Hartevelde (Lodi, NJ/Immaculate Heart Academy)**, Mowrey and Bennett. Moravian's insurance run came in the fifth inning on singles by Azzolino and Ryan.

In the second game, Moravian struck first with a run in the bottom of the first inning on a bunt single by Hummel, a sacrifice by Miller and an error that allowed Ryan to reach base. The Lady Greyhounds added a second run in the fifth inning on a two-out double by Ryan. Trailing 2-0 going into the seventh inning, Ursinus pounded out three hits, an error and a walk off Stroup to earn the 4-2 victory.

The Lady Greyhounds needed extra innings twice to sweep Juniata College by scores of 2-1 in each game. In the first game, Mowrey singled home a run with two outs in the bottom of the eighth inning. It was Ryan who delivered the two-out single in the bottom of the eighth inning in the second contest.

The Lady Greyhounds took a 1-0 lead in the second inning of the first game on a RBI double by Azzolino which scored Bennett who had led off the inning with a single. In the bottom of the eighth inning for Moravian, Mack led off the inning with a fly ball to center field. Ryan reached base on an error and freshman **Brandi Bok (Walnutport/Northern Lehigh HS)** was inserted as a pinch runner, was sacrificed to second by Hartevelde. Mowrey, who had also doubled in the game, followed with a single to left field, which scored Bok. Stroup picked up the victory, allowing just four hits and striking out six in eight innings.

Moravian tied the second game in the bottom of the fifth inning on a RBI single by Bennett to score pinch runner **Katie Warren (Farmington, CT/Farmington HS)**. Warren was running for Ryan who reached base with one out on an error. In the eighth inning for Moravian, Rentschler started the inning with a single, her second of the game. Azzolino followed with a bunt single for her third base hit of the contest. Hummel sacrificed both runners up one base. Miller laid down a suicide squeeze bunt that Matthews fielded and threw home to catch Rentschler at the plate. Ryan came up and won the game for herself with a single to left field, scoring Azzolino. Ryan allowed just two hits and one walk and added seven strikeouts for her second win of the season. Matthews went the distance for Juniata with 11 hits, three walks and a strikeout.

Baseball – 7-9-1 (3-3 MAC Commonwealth League, 4-3 MAC Overall)

*Last Week – Defeated #King's, 7-1; Lost to *Messiah, 4-3 & 6-4. *MAC Commonwealth League, #MAC game.*
This Week – Thurs., Apr. 8th at #Drew University, 3:00 p.m.; Sat., Apr. 10th vs. *Susquehanna University (DH), 1:00 p.m. *MAC Commonwealth League game, #MAC game

The Greyhounds won a Middle Atlantic Conference non-league game with King's College, 7-1, last Monday but dropped a doubleheader in MAC Commonwealth League action to Messiah College, 4-3 and 6-4.

Behind the pitching of sophomore **Joe Pochron (Allentown/ Salisbury HS)** and juniors **David Jelleme (Pequannock, NJ/Pequannock HS)** and **Matt Seitzinger (Scranton/Scranton Prep)**, the Greyhounds earned the victory over King's. Pochron allowed just one unearned run and six hits in five innings to get the victory. He had two walks and four strikeouts in the game. Jelleme and Seitzinger each hurled two scoreless innings of relief with Seitzinger striking out the side in the top of the ninth inning to finish the game.

Moravian scored two runs in the bottom of the first inning. With two outs, junior **Jarrett Hughes (Bangor/Bangor HS)** singled to start the two-out rally. Junior **Chip Foley (Quakertown/Quakertown HS)** walked and was followed by Pochron with an infield single to load the bases. Freshman **Henry Reifsnyder (Upper Black Eddy/Palisades HS)** drew a walk to tie the game and sophomore **Mike Gill (Lebanon, NJ/ North Hunterdon HS)** singled up the middle to give the Greyhounds the lead for good. The 'Hounds added another run in the second inning on back-to-back singles with two outs by senior **Scott Fritz (Barnesville/ Mahoney Area HS)** and Hughes. Fritz had stolen second base and moved to third on a throwing error to get into scoring position.

The Greyhounds tacked on three more runs in the sixth inning, again starting with two outs and no one on base. Freshman **Michael Abbate (South Plainfield, NJ/Bishop Ahr HS)** drew a walk and moved to second base on an errant pick-off attempt. Fritz struck out but a passed ball allowed him to reach first base and moved Abbate to third base. Fritz stole second base on the next pitch and Abbate scored on a delayed steal. Hughes reached base on an error while scored Fritz and Foley hit a RBI single to score Hughes. Moravian's final run came in the eighth inning as Fritz reached base on an error and was moved around on a single by sophomore **Travis Hunsicker (Lehighton/Lehighton HS)** and an error that allowed Foley to reach base.

In the first game against Messiah, the Greyhounds committed four errors behind starting pitcher **Scott Bolasky (Germansville/Northwestern Lehigh HS)** which led to four unearned runs. Bolasky allowed just seven hits and three walks with six strikeouts while going the distance. Gill had two of Moravian's six hits in the contest.

Junior **Mark Slavin (Stroudsburg/Stroudsburg HS)** started game two on the mound and was knocked out after three and two-thirds innings having allowed six runs, four earned, on six hits. Slavin had three walks and two strikeouts in the game. Jelleme finished the game and allowed just one hit and one walk. Jelleme did hit two batters but also had four strikeouts.

Abbate, Foley and sophomore **Shawn Brown (Quakertown/Quakertown HS)** each had singles in the second game for the Greyhounds. Foley drove in Moravian's first two runs in the fourth inning with his base hit to left field.

Men's Tennis – 0-6 (0-3 MAC Commonwealth League, 0-4 MAC Overall)

*Last Week – Lost to #FDU-Madison, 8-1; Lost to *Messiah, 6-3. #MAC match, *MAC Commonwealth League.*
This Week – Thurs., Apr. 8th vs. #Allentown College, 3:00 p.m.; Sat., Apr. 10th vs. *Susquehanna University, 1:00 p.m. #MAC match, *MAC Commonwealth League match.

Moravian lost both of its matches last week against schools in the Middle Atlantic Conference. Picking up singles wins for Moravian were sophomores **Chris Braun (Stroudsburg/Stroudsburg HS)** and **Clay Smith (Bethlehem/Liberty HS)** and junior **Clay Wagner (Havertown/Haverford HS)**. Smith and Wagner also combined for a victory at first doubles.

Golf – 0-0 (0-0 MAC Commonwealth League, 0-0 MAC Overall)

Last Week – Tied for 11th at Elizabethtown College Invitational
This Week – Tues., Apr. 6th at Allentown College with Ursinus College, 1:00 p.m.; Thurs., Apr. 8th hosts Moravian Invitational at Southmore Country Club, 1:00 p.m.

Moravian finished in a tie with Lebanon Valley College for 11th place at the season opening Elizabethtown College Invitational last Wednesday. The Greyhounds posted a team score of 347 led by rounds of 85 by junior **Mike Quirk (Allentown/Parkland HS)** and sophomore **Karl Searing (Tamaqua/Tamaqua Area HS)**. Sophomore **Kevin Lewis (Gansevoort, NY/Saratoga Springs HS)** fired a 18-hole score of 87 at the County Club of Hershey while freshman **Ricky Gower (Bath/Bethlehem Catholic HS)** had a 90. Junior **Brian Fry (Bethlehem/Bethlehem Catholic HS)** rounded out the Greyhound line-up with a score of 95.

Women's Track and Field– 0-0 (0-0 MAC Commonwealth League, 0-0 MAC Overall)

Last Week – Princeton University Invitational, Princeton, NJ
This Week – Sat., April 10th at Lehigh University Invitational, Bethlehem, PA

Results from the Princeton Invitational were unavailable at press time.

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