

1999-2000 - Week 27

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# GREYHOUND TRACKS

Team Records as of March 26, 2000				
	Overall	MAC	MAC	Meets &
		Commonwealth	Overall	Tournaments
Baseball	<i>7-9</i>	2-2	2-4	E. Mennonite Sa rasota Spring Classic
Golf	0-0	0-0	0-0	
Softball	8-3	0-0	0-0	East Coast College Fastpitch Classic
Men's Tennis	1-3	0-2	1-3	
Men's Outdoor Track	0-0	0-0	0-0	Rutgers Invitational
Women's Outdoor Track	0-0	0-0	0-0	Rutgers Invitational

#### GREYHOUND STUDENT-ATHLETES OF THE WEEK

Female – Becky Stroup, Sr., softball, & Heidi Wolfsberger, So., track & field Male – Anthony Rediger, Jr., track & field

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

 $Sunday,\ April\ 2^{nd}-Softball\ vs.\ Muhlenberg\ College\ (DH),\ 1:00\ p.m.\ (tentative\ make-up\ from\ March\ 21^{st})$ 

Tuesday, April  $4^{th}$  – Softball vs. \*Albright College (DH), 3:00 p.m.

Saturday, April 8<sup>th</sup> – Baseball vs. \*Widener University (DH), 1:00 p.m.; Men's Tennis vs. \*Widener University, 1:00 p.m.

Sunday, April 9<sup>th</sup> – Men's Tennis vs. University of Scranton, 1:00 p.m.

Tuesday, April 11<sup>th</sup> – Softball vs. \*Messiah College (DH), 3:00 p.m.; Men's Tennis vs. \*Albright College, 3:00 p.m.

\*MAC Commonwealth Conference Opponent

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## Softball 8-3 (MAC Commonwealth Conference 0-0, MAC 0-0)

Last Week – Muhlenberg ppd. to 4/2; Defeated \$Bridgewater (VA), 4-3 (9 inn.); Defeated \$Frostburg State (MD), 6-1; Defeated \$Methodist (NC), 1-0. \$2000 East Coast Collegiate Fastpitch Classic, Salem, VA

This Week – Tues., Mar. 28<sup>th</sup> at \*Lebanon Valley College (DH), 2:30 p.m.; Thurs., Mar. 30<sup>th</sup> at Ursinus

College (DH), 2:30 p.m.; Sat., April 1<sup>st</sup> at \*Widener University (DH), 1:00 p.m.; Sun, April 2<sup>nd</sup> vs.

Muhlenberg College (DH), 1:00 p.m. \*MAC Commonwealth Conference game

The Greyhounds posted a 3-0 record in the rain-shortened 2000 East Coast College Fastpitch Classic in Salem, Virginia last weekend. Moravian defeated Bridgewater College (VA), 4-3 in nine innings, Frostburg State University (MD), 6-1, and Methodist College (NC), 1-0. The Greyhounds doubleheader with rival Muhlenberg last week was rained out a tentatively rescheduled for Sunday, April 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Senior **Becky Stroup** (**Palmerton/Palmerton Area HS**) held off Bridgewater in the bottom of the ninth inning to give the Greyhounds the 4-3 win. Stroup, who earned her third win of the year, scattered six hits and allowed four walks while striking out three. The Greyhounds were limited to five hits in the game including a double by sophomore **Summer Miller** (**Mt. Holly, NJ/Rancocas Valley HS**). Sophomore **Deb Noble** (**Cranford, NJ/Cranford HS**) had her school record 17-game hitting streak snapped in the contest.

Against Frostburg State, a game that was started on Saturday but suspended to Sunday morning due to rain, senior **Krysten Mack (Canton, CT/Canton HS)** had two of the Greyhounds' eight hits. Sophomore **Rachel Mowrey (Hellertown/Saucon Valley HS)** tossed a four-hitter in the game with no walks and eight strikeouts for the win on the mound. Noble, Miller and freshman **Kim Gehman (Topton/Brandywine Heights HS)** each had RBIs in the game.

Freshman Danielle Dest (Windsor, CT/Northwest Catholic HS) drove in the game's only run with a bases loaded grounder in the bottom of the seventh inning against Methodist. Sophomore Laurie Rentschler (Slatington/Northern Lehigh HS) has two hits in the game. Stroup earned the victory on the mound while scattering two hits. Stroup also had three strikeouts and three walks in the win.

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

Last Week – Rutgers University Invitational, Piscataway, NJ

## This Week – Sat., April 1st at Princeton University Invitational

The Lady Greyhounds had one winner at the Rutgers Invitational in the team's first outdoor meet of the season. Sophomore **Heidi Wolfsberger (Moosic/Riverside HS)** won the 1,500 meters, the event which she earned All-American honors in two weeks ago at the NCAA Division III Indoor Championships, in a time of 4:43.14.

In other running events for Moravian, freshman Jen Ketz (Canadensis/Pocono Mountain HS) placed 10<sup>th</sup> in the 100 meter hurdles in 16.99 and fourth in the 400 meter hurdles at 1:12.41. In the 800 meters, sophomore Erin Boyle (Philadelphia/Nazareth Academy) was fourth in 2:23.67 and Amanda Samok (Palmerton/Palmerton HS) was 10<sup>th</sup> in 2:27.99. Junior Hannah Wood (Palm/Upper Perkiomen HS) was eighth in the 1,500 meters at 5:06.65 while sophomore Emily Shertzer (Hummelstown/Lower Dauphin HS) placed fourth in the 3,000 meters at 10:32.91. Wolfsberger combined with freshman Ann Corless (Plainsville, CT/Plainsville HS), sophomore Jen Burkholder (Chalfont/Gwynedd Mercy HS) and freshman Jen Wagner (Riegelsville/Wilson HS) for an eighth place showing in the 4x400-meter relay.

Sophomore **Sarah Shaneberger (Bethlehem/Southern Lehigh HS)** paced Moravian in the field events with a third place in the shot put at 12.38 meters, a seventh place finish in the hammer throw with a toss of 34.60 meters and a ninth place showing in the discus at 28.21 meters. Sophomore **Carrie McCaffery (Lebanon/Annville-Cleona HS)** also placed in three events with a fourth in the javelin at 35.46 meters, a fifth in the discus at 31.45 meters and a sixth in the shot put with a toss of 11.00 meters. Sophomore **Jennifer Lohn (Media/Penncrest HS)** was seventh in the javelin at 33.00 meters while Corless placed seventh in the long jump at 4.70 meters. Freshman **Brooke Dawson (Emmaus/Emmaus HS)** took ninth in the high jump at 1.49 meters

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

Last Week – Rutgers University Invitational, Piscataway, NJ

# This Week – Sat., April 1st at Princeton University Invitational

The Greyhounds had a pair of first place finishers in the Rutgers University Invitational to open the 2000 outdoor season. Senior **Tim Pfluger (Slatington/Northern Lehigh HS)** won the 1,500 meters in 4:00.53 while junior **Anthony Rediger (Sellersville/Pennridge HS)** won the triple jump with a leap of 12.81 meters.

Other top ten finishers in the track events for the Greyhounds included senior **Dan Oliynik (Dover, NJ/Morris Knolls HS)** with a third in the 100-meter hurdles in 15.46 seconds. Oliynik also teamed up with junior **Doug Joseph (Allentown/Parkland HS)**, senior **Jason Goldan (Neshanic, NJ/Hillsborough HS)** and sophomore **Kevin Bush (Stroudsburg/Stroudsburg HS)** placed third in the 4x100-meter relay in 44.82 seconds. Bush placed sixth in the 100 meters in 11.41 seconds while Joseph was seventh at 11.48 meters. Goldan placed 10<sup>th</sup> in the 100 meters in 11.78 seconds. Bush also placed third in the 200 meters at 22.67 meters. Freshman **Chris McGinnis (Brick, NJ/Brick Memorial HS)** was seventh in the 400-meter hurdles at 1:05.74 while sophomore **Chris DeWalt (Easton/Easton HS)** placed fourth in the 3,000-meter steeplechase at 10:52.74. Sophomore **Josh Heebner (Lansdale/North Penn HS)** was fifth in the 800 meters at 1:58.19 while freshman **Wes Zimmerman (Boyertown/Boyertown HS)** was sixth in the 5,000 meters with a time of 16:01.70. Junior **Damon Rutherford (Reading/Exeter HS)** was seventh in the 5.000 meters in 16:06.60.

Rediger also placed seventh in the long jump at 6.04 meters in addition to his win in the triple jump. Junior Napo Ghanda (Whitehall/Freedom HS) was eighth in the long jump at 5.75 meters while senior Travis Fink (Palmerton/Palmerton Area HS) was ninth at 5.39 meters and freshman Jon Stanko (Lansford/Panther Valley HS) was 10<sup>th</sup> at 5.35 meters. Senior Josh Tirado (Weatherly/Weatherly HS) placed fourth in the hammer throw at 35.54 meters and seventh in the discus with a toss of 26.76 meters. Senior Kyle Harryn (Bethlehem/Freedom HS) placed 10<sup>th</sup> in the javelin with a toss of 39.96 meters while senior Jim O'Rourke (Park Ridge, NJ/Park Ridge HS) was third in the high jump, clearing a height of 1.86 meters.

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

Last Week – Lost to #Drew, 4-3; Lost to \*Messiah, 5-2; Lost to \*Elizabethtown, 4-3. \*MAC Commonwealth match, #MAC match

This Week – Mon, Mar. 27th at #FDU-Madison, 3:30 p.m. #MAC match

The Greyhounds dropped three matches last week, falling to Drew University, 4-3, in Middle Atlantic Conference action and losing to Messiah College, 5-2, and Elizabethtown College, 4-3, in MAC Commonwealth Conference play.

In its first match last week, Moravian took nearly five hours to play Drew after the match was moved indoors due to the weather. Senior Clay Wagner (Havertown/Haverford HS), junior Clay Smith (Bethlehem/Liberty HS) and freshman David Kurvink (Bethlehem/Liberty HS) earned wins in singles action in the match while Wagner teamed with freshman Todd Edwards (Conyngham/Hazleton HS) for a victory in doubles play.

Smith and Kurvink scored the Greyhounds only points in the loss at Messiah with wins at first and second singles. The pair also combined for a win in doubles action but Moravian did not receive the point for doubles since Messiah won the other two doubles matches.

Kurvink and fellow freshman **Dan Gorman (Saylorsburg/Pleasant Valley HS)** each earned singles and doubles wins against Elizabethtown. Kurvink, who had moved to first singles, won in doubles action with Smith to move to 3-1 on the season. Gorman, who plays fifth singles, teamed with sophomore **Jeremy Kiechel (Allentown/William Allen HS)** for a win at third doubles.

## Baseball 7-9 (MAC Commonwealth Conference 2-2, MAC 2-4)

Last Week – Lost to \*Messiah, 2-0 & 2-0; Ursinus game canceled; Defeated \*Elizabethtown, 3-2 (10 inn.) & 3-2; Lost to #King's, 4-3 & 18-15. \*MAC Commonwealth Conference game, #MAC game.

This Week – Fri., Mar. 31<sup>st</sup> at Alvernia, 3:00 p.m.; Sat., April 1<sup>st</sup> at \*Juniata College (DH) 1:00 p.m.; Sun., April 2<sup>nd</sup> at #University of Scranton (DH), 1:00 p.m. \*MAC Commonwealth game, #MAC game

The Greyhounds won one doubleheader and lost two more last week in a 2-4 week. Moravian's game with Ursinus College was canceled due to poor field conditions last Wednesday and will not be rescheduled this season. The Greyhounds swept Elizabethtown College, 3-2 in 10 innings and 3-2, while losing doubleheaders to Messiah College, 2-0 and 2-0, and King's College, 4-3 and 18-15.

At Messiah, Moravian was unable to capitalize on a strong pitching performance by senior Matt Seitzinger (Scranton/Scranton Prep) in the first game. Seitzinger allowed just six hits, one earned run, one unearned run, three strikeouts and no walks but the Greyhounds only had five hits themselves and did not score. Junior outfielder Joe Pochron (Allentown/Salisbury HS) and sophomore outfielder Michael Abbate (South Plainfield, NJ/Bishop Ahr HS) each had doubles in the contest. In the second game of the doubleheader, Moravian managed just six base hits with two coming off Pochron's bat. Sophomore Randy Woolley (Manahawkin, NJ/Southern Regional HS) tossed the first five innings of the game with seven hits, no walks and a strikeout. Senior David Jelleme (Pequannock, NJ/Pequannock HS) pitched the final inning with one strikeout.

The Greyhounds overcame seven errors to sweep a doubleheader from Elizabethtown. Seitzinger tossed seven innings in the first game but left without a decision as the game was tied 2-2. Jelleme came in a pitched the final three innings of the contest. Freshman **Bob Frey (Hellertown/Saucon Valley HS)**, who had three hits in the game drove in the winning run in the bottom of the tenth inning with a one-out double that scored freshman **Blake Martin (Cresco/Pocono Mountain HS)** from first base. Senior **Jarrett Hughes (Bangor/Bangor HS)** was two-for-three in the game, his first of the year because of an injury. Hughes drove in Moravian's other two runs in the game with a single in the third inning. Abbate was perfect from the plate in the game with three hits and made three diving catches in the outfield to keep the game close. Jelleme started game two on the mound and hurled 3 1/3 innings. Woolley came on in relief and earned his first victory of the season while scattering five hits. The Greyhounds were limited to four hits in the game, two by Hughes. The Greyhounds three runs scored on RBI singles by Frey and junior **Mike Gill (Lebanon, NJ/North Hunterdon HS)** and a sacrifice fly by Pochron.

At King's, Pochron hurled a complete game in the first contest but suffered the loss due to a pair of unearned runs. Sophomore **Bill Quinn (Lebanon, CT/Lyman Memorial HS)** had the big hit for the Greyhounds with a solo homerun in the seventh inning. Freshman **Jeff Meila (Bethlehem/Bethlehem Catholic HS)** had two of the Greyhounds' six hits. In game two, Moravian trailed 10-0 after two innings before getting on the scoreboard. The Greyhounds closed within 16-15 but King's put the game away in the bottom of the fifth inning. Hughes, Quinn and freshman **Paul Block (East Hanover, NJ/Hanover Park HS)** each had two hits in the game. Quinn and freshman **Matt Derby (Warminster/William Tennent HS)** each had two RBIs in the contest.

# Golf 0-0 (MAC Commonwealth Conference 0-0, MAC 0-0)

This Week – Wed., Mar. 29<sup>th</sup> at Lafayette College with LaSalle University & Franklin & Marshall College, 1:00 p.m.

Moravian will open its season at Lafayette College on Wednesday, March 29<sup>th</sup>.

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