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NCAC All-Sports Update
WITTENBERG CLAIMS FIRST ALL-SPORTS
TITLE; TIGERS POST RECORD POINT TOTAL

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CLEVELAND -- Wittenberg, which lost last year's North Coast Athletic Conference All-Sports championship to Wooster by a mere 1.5 points, never looked back this season, winning its first title with a record total of 146 points. The Tigers, who also led at the conclusion of the fall and winter seasons, won six NCAC titles in breaking the previous scoring record of 142 established by Ohio Wesleyan in 1992-93.

Wittenberg finished 19.5 points ahead of six-time champion Ohio Wesleyan, which claimed second place with 126.5 points. Allegheny (120.5) took third for the fourth consecutive season, followed by defending champion Wooster (117) in fourth and Denison (112) in fifth. Kenyon (110.5), CWRU (84.5), Oberlin (65.5) and Earlham (47.5) round out the 1995-96 All-Sports standings in places six through nine, respectively.

Wittenberg's championship campaign featured six North Coast titles (football, volleyball, men's and women's basketball, and men's indoor and outdoor track) and five second-place finishes. The Tigers, who added 21 points to their total of a year ago, were well balanced with top-five finishes in all but two sports.

Ohio Wesleyan used a strong spring, highlighted by championships in baseball and men's lacrosse, to jump three spots from the winter standings and finish in second after placing fourth last year. Fifth-place Denison had the year's second-best scoring jump, adding 11.5 points to its 1994-95 total.

The All-Sports award is given annually to the school that performs the best across the NCAC's 21 sports. Nine points are awarded for a first-place finish, eight for a second, seven for a third, and so on. Men's and women's performances are combined, exemplifying the North Coast's commitment to equity and balance among programs. Wooster won three of the first four All-Sports championships, interrupted only by Denison in year two. Ohio Wesleyan followed with a six-year run halted in 1994-95 by Wooster.

Ohio Wesleyan leads the way with 58 championships over the NCAC's 12 playing seasons, followed by Allegheny (56), Kenyon (46) and Denison (44).

NORTH COAST ATHLETIC CONFERENCE
1995-96 All-Sports Standings (Final)

School	Points
1. Wittenberg University	146.0
2. Ohio Wesleyan University	126.5
3. Allegheny College	120.5
4. College of Wooster	117.0
5. Denison University	112.0
6. Kenyon College	110.5
7. Case Western Reserve University	84.5
8. Oberlin College	65.5
9. Earlham College	47.5

**NORTH COAST ATHLETIC CONFERENCE
1995-96 ALL-SPORTS STANDINGS**

	ALL	CWRU	DEN	EARL	KEN	OBE	OWU	WITT	WOO
Cross Country, Men	8.0	2.0	5.0	9.0	3.0	7.0	1.0	6.0	4.0
Cross Country, Women	8.0	5.0	3.0	1.0	9.0	6.0	2.0	4.0	7.0
Field Hockey	---	---	7.0	3.0	5.0	4.0	9.0	8.0	6.0
Football	8.0	2.0	4.0	3.0	5.0	1.0	7.0	9.0	6.0
Soccer, Men	5.5	1.0	4.0	2.5	8.0	2.5	9.0	7.0	5.5
Soccer, Women	4.0	7.0	6.0	2.0	5.0	1.0	9.0	8.0	3.0
Volleyball	7.0	6.0	5.0	2.0	8.0	1.0	3.0	9.0	4.0
Fall	40.5	23.0	34.0	22.5	43.0	22.5	40.0	51.0	35.5
Basketball, Men	6.5	6.5	5.0	2.5	4.0	1.0	2.5	9.0	8.0
Basketball, Women	4.5	7.0	2.0	3.0	7.0	1.0	7.0	9.0	4.5
Swimming, Men	2.0	4.0	8.0	---	9.0	6.0	3.0	5.0	7.0
Swimming, Women	6.0	4.0	8.0	---	9.0	2.0	3.0	5.0	7.0
Indoor Track, Men	6.0	7.0	3.0	5.0	1.0	4.0	8.0	9.0	2.0
Indoor Track, Women	9.0	5.0	4.0	1.0	3.0	2.0	6.0	8.0	7.0
Winter	34.0	33.5	30.0	11.5	33.0	16.0	29.5	45.0	35.5
Baseball	7.0	5.0	4.0	2.5	2.5	1.0	9.0	8.0	6.0
Golf	9.0	4.0	7.0	---	3.0	---	6.0	8.0	5.0
Lacrosse, Men	---	---	8.0	---	6.0	4.0	9.0	5.0	7.0
Lacrosse, Women	4.0	---	9.0	3.0	2.0	8.0	7.0	5.0	6.0
Tennis, Men	5.0	6.0	8.0	1.0	7.0	2.0	4.0	3.0	9.0
Tennis, Women	4.0	2.0	8.0	1.0	9.0	6.0	7.0	5.0	3.0
Outdoor Track, Men	8.0	6.0	2.0	5.0	1.0	3.0	7.0	9.0	4.0
Outdoor Track, Women	9.0	5.0	2.0	1.0	4.0	3.0	8.0	7.0	6.0
Spring	46.0	28.0	48.0	13.5	34.5	27.0	57.0	50.0	46.0
TOTAL	120.5	84.5	112.0	47.5	110.5	65.5	126.5	146.0	117.0

Note: Points awarded on a 9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1 basis.