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NCAC Men's Basketball Report
TOP TWO NCAC TEAMS MEET SATURDAY;
FIRST-PLACE UP FOR GRABS

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CLEVELAND -- The second-place Wittenberg Tigers (5-1, 11-2) can't be blamed if they've circled Saturday on their calendars. That's when the Tigers get a shot at a share of the top spot in the North Coast standings when they host the league-leading Wooster Scots (6-0, 13-1). However, both teams must hold off threats from other NCAC opponents on Wednesday, as the Scots and Tigers face Hiram (2-5, 4-11) and Wabash (5-2, 7-8), respectively. Three additional NCAC teams take to the court on Wednesday. Ohio Wesleyan (4-2, 4-10) tips off at Earlham (4-2, 9-5) in a battle to break their fourth-place tie. The Kenyon Lords (3-4, 6-8) host Case Western Reserve to round out the midweek schedule.

This week's slate of contests ends with a full five-game lineup on Saturday. In addition to the Wittenberg-Wooster match-up, Allegheny (2-5, 4-11) travels to Ohio Wesleyan, Kenyon hosts Hiram, Oberlin (0-6, 3-9) entertains Wabash and Earlham heads east to Denison (1-5, 2-12). The Big Red also play early in the week, when they travel to Oberlin.

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Tuesday, Jan. 16
DENISON AT OBERLIN, 7:30

Wednesday, Jan. 17
Case Western Reserve at KENYON, 7:30
HIRAM at WOOSTER, 7:30
OHIO WESLEYAN at EARLHAM, 7:30
WITTENBERG at WABASH, 7:30

Saturday, Jan. 20
WABASH at OBERLIN, 2:00
EARLHAM at DENISON, 3:00
HIRAM at KENYON, 3:00
ALLEGHENY at OHIO WESLEYAN, 3:15
WOOSTER at WITTENBERG, 7:30

LAST WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Monday, Jan. 8
Savannah Art & Design 83, WOOSTER 78

Wednesday, Jan. 10
Case Western Reserve 74, HIRAM 66
ALLEGHENY 76, OBERLIN 64
WOOSTER 97, KENYON 72
WABASH 73, OHIO WESLEYAN 72
WITTENBERG 73, DENISON 56

Saturday, Jan. 13
WOOSTER 100, WABASH 75
ALLEGHENY 85, DENISON 75
EARLHAM 86, OBERLIN 71
WITTENBERG 92, KENYON 47
OHIO WELSEYAN 81,HIRAM 76

CASINI, SCHAFFERT NAMED NCAC PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

CLEVELAND -- Allegheny freshman **A.J. Casini (Masontown, PA/Geibel Catholic)** and Hiram senior **LeeAnn Schaffert (Chesterland, OH/West Geauga)** have been named men's and women's basketball "Players of the Week" in the North Coast Athletic Conference.

Casini, a 6-7 forward, set consecutive career-highs for points, scoring 17 in a Gator win over Oberlin, then following up with a 22-point effort in a win over Denison, which included 10-of-11 shooting from the field. Casini also added 21 rebounds in the two games, including a career-best 12 against the Yeomen, earning him his first double-double.

Schaffert, a 5-9 forward, scored 37 points, and added 14 rebounds and two steals to lead the Terriers to head coach **Ann Haynam's** 100th career victory last week. Schaffert recorded a double-double, totaling 21 points and grabbing 10 rebounds in Hiram's 59-51 win over Grove City. She added 16 points and four rebounds against Ohio Wesleyan.

**NORTH COAST ATHLETIC CONFERENCE
2000-01 MEN'S BASKETBALL SCOREBOARD**

ALLEGHENY (4-11; 2-5)			DENISON (2-12; 1-5)			EARLHAM (9-5; 4-2)			HIRAM (4-11; 2-5)			KENYON (6-8; 3-4)		
60	at Wash. & Jeff.	73	55	Heidelberg*	60	72	Rhodes*	64	77	Fredonia St.*	83	53	at Mt. St. Joseph*	76
58	GROVE CITY	53	65	Oberlin*	75	91	Westminster*	ot 86	78	Cazenovia*	83	75	Ohio Wesleyan*	60
44	Emory & Henry*	65	75	MT. VERNON NAZ.	106	70	at Wabash	64	70	LAKE ERIE	72	65	at Mt. Vern. Nazarene	85
78	Westminster*	111	88	OBERLIN	ot 85	86	WILMINGTON	ot 76	88	DENISON	75	78	CINCINNATI BIBLE	57
67	at Alfred	86	75	at Hiram	88	59	at Wooster	75	72	at Allegheny	57	74	ALLEGHENY	60
60	at Kenyon	74	68	at Bluffton	95	61	DePAUW	77	62	at Wittenberg	85	84	WASH. & JEFF.	75
57	HIRAM	72	77	GROVE CITY	ot 79	60	at Kenyon	71	68	at Carnegie Mellon	80	68	at Bethany	69
89	THIEL	ot 85	83	WABASH	88	68	Rose-Hulman	64	58	WOOSTER	78	71	EARLHAM	60
54	WITTENBERG	84	57	at Wooster	111	67	Mt. St. Joseph	78	55	Maryville**	71	76	at Lake Erie	87
58	at Edinboro	86	62	Kalamazoo**	71	62	BLUFFTON	65	71	Lynchburg**	68	76	at Wabash	83
68	at Penn St.-Behrend	80	68	Alma**	65	75	at Adrian	62	89	THIEL	86	59	at Ohio Wesleyan	88
69	EARLHAM	72	87	at Bethany	96	72	at Allegheny	69	57	WABASH	77	96	at Oberlin	86
67	WABASH	69	56	at Wittenberg	73	74	at Hiram	73	73	EARLHAM	74	72	at Wooster	97
76	OBERLIN	64	75	ALLEGHENY	85	86	OBERLIN	71	66	CASE WEST. RESERVE	74	47	WITTENBERG	92
85	at Denison	75		at Oberlin			OHIO WESLEYAN		76	at Ohio Wesleyan	81		CASE WESTERN RESERVE	
	at Ohio Wesleyan			EARLHAM			at Denison			at Wooster			HIRAM	
	at Wooster			WITTENBERG			WABASH			at Kenyon			OHIO WESLEYAN	
	KENYON			at Wabash			WOOSTER			OBERLIN			at Allegheny	
	at Oberlin			at Ohio Wesleyan			at Wittenberg			OHIO WESLEYAN			WOOSTER	
	DENISON			at Allegheny			KENYON			WITTENBERG			at Earlham	
	WOOSTER			KENYON			at Ohio Wesleyan			at Oberlin			at Denison	
	at Wittenberg			at Earlham			DENISON			KENYON			at Hiram	
	at Hiram			WOOSTER			WITTENBERG			ALLEGHENY			OBERLIN	
	OHIO WESLEYAN			HIRAM			at Oberlin			at Denison			WABASH	
*DAD'S HOLIDAY CLASSIC			*Adrian Tournament			*Westminster Tournament			* Holiday Inn Tipoff			* Mt. St. Joseph Tournament		
			**at Muskingum Tournament						**at Centre Tournament					

OBERLIN (3-9; 0-6)			OHIO WESLEYAN (4-10; 4-2)			WABASH (7-8; 5-2)			WITTENBERG (11-2; 5-1)			WOOSTER (13-1; 6-0)		
59	at Adrian*	86	85	Wilmington*	ot 91	62	PURDUE-CALUMET*	63	81	Rose-Hulman*	55	96	Aurora*	90
75	Denison*	65	60	Kenyon*	75	50	MUSKINGUM*	68	64	at Albion*	62	67	Savannah A & D*	66
51	at St. Vincent	95	56	at Ohio Northern	74	64	EARLHAM	70	119	CEDARVILLE	66	87	Thiel**	77
85	at Denison	ot 88	63	CAPITAL	72	63	at DePauw	78	82	THOMAS MORE	65	74	at Carnegie Mellon**	60
83	LAKE ERIE	71	68	OHIO DOMINICAN	69	60	at North Park	69	83	at Ohio Wesleyan	94	75	EARLHAM	59
52	WOOSTER	83	79	at Defiance	89	68	BLACKBURN**	51	85	HIRAM	62	83	at Oberlin	52
60	at Ohio Wesleyan	87	94	WITTENBERG	83	68	MARIAN**	86	84	at Allegheny	54	88	at Westminster	75
60	at Manchester	117	87	OBERLIN	60	88	at Denison	83	83	BELOIT**	63	78	at Hiram	58
88	CASE WEST. RES.	87	65	at Otterbein**	70	82	Penn State-Behrend#	70	57	HANOVER**	45	111	DENISON	57
86	KENYON	96	91	Benedictine**	ot 97	73	at Elmhurst#	87	69	at Otterbein	74	83	CASE WEST. RESERVE#	56
64	at Allegheny	76	88	KENYON	59	83	KENYON	76	87	OHIO WESLEYAN	79	89	CHICAGO#	57
71	at Earlham	86	79	at Wittenberg	87	77	at Hiram	57	73	DENISON	56	78	at Savannah Art & Design	83
	DENISON		72	WABASH	73	69	at Allegheny	67	92	at Kenyon	47	97	KENYON	72
	WABASH		81	HIRAM	76	73	at Ohio Wesleyan	72		at Wabash		100	at Wabash	75
	DePAUW			at Earlham		75	WOOSTER	100		WOOSTER			HIRAM	
	at Hiram			ALLEGHENY			WITTENBERG			at Denison			at Wittenberg	
	at Wittenberg			at Kenyon			at Oberlin			OBERLIN			ALLEGHENY	
	at Washington & Jefferson			at Hiram			at Earlham			EARLHAM			at Earlham	
	ALLEGHENY			DENISON			DENISON			at Hiram			at Kenyon	
	OHIO WESLEYAN			at Oberlin			at Wooster			WABASH			WABASH	
	HIRAM			EARLHAM			at Wittenberg			ALLEGHENY			at Allegheny	
	at Wabash			at Wooster			OBERLIN			at Earlham			OHIO WESLEYAN	
	at Kenyon			at Wabash			OHIO WESLEYAN			at Denison			at Denison	
	EARLHAM			at Allegheny			at Kenyon			WITTENBERG			WITTENBERG	
* Adrian Tournament			*Mt. St. Joseph Tournament			*LITTLE GIANT TIPOFF			*Albion Tournament			*AL VAN WIE CLASSIC		
			**at Otterbein Classic			**PETE THORN INVITATIONAL			**KIWANIS CLASSIC			**at Carnegie Mellon Tourney		
						#at Elmhurst Tournament						#MOSE HOLE CLASSIC		

**2000-01 North Coast Athletic Conference Men's Standings
Through games of Jan 14, 2001 (All games)**

STANDINGS	CONFERENCE			OVERALL			PF	PA
	W-L	Pct	PF	PA	W-L	Pct		
Wooster.....	6-0	1.000	90.7	62.2	13-1	.929	86.1	66.9
Wittenberg.....	5-1	.833	84.0	65.3	11-2	.846	81.5	63.2
Wabash.....	5-2	.714	75.6	75.0	7-8	.467	70.3	73.1
Earlham.....	4-2	.667	70.2	70.5	9-5	.643	71.6	71.1
Ohio Wesleyan.....	4-2	.667	83.5	73.0	4-10	.286	76.3	76.8
Kenyon.....	3-4	.429	70.7	80.9	6-8	.429	71.0	76.8
Hiram.....	2-5	.286	69.4	75.3	4-11	.267	70.7	76.3
Allegheny.....	2-5	.286	66.9	72.9	4-11	.267	66.0	76.6
Denison.....	1-5	.167	72.3	88.3	2-12	.143	70.8	84.1
Oberlin.....	0-6	.000	69.7	86.0	3-9	.250	69.5	86.4

**2000-01 North Coast Athletic Conference Men's STATISTICS
Through games of Jan 14, 2001 (All games)**

SCORING OFFENSE

## Team	G	W-L	Pts	Avg/G
1.Wooster.....	14	13-1	1206	86.1
2.Wittenberg.....	13	11-2	1059	81.5
3.Ohio Wesleyan.....	14	4-10	1068	76.3
4.Earlham.....	14	9-5	1003	71.6
5.Kenyon.....	14	6-8	994	71.0
6.Denison.....	14	2-12	991	70.8
7.Hiram.....	15	4-11	1060	70.7
8.Wabash.....	15	7-8	1055	70.3
9.Oberlin.....	12	3-9	834	69.5
10.Allegheny.....	15	4-11	990	66.0

SCORING DEFENSE

## Team	G	Pts	Avg/G
1.Wittenberg.....	13	822	63.2
2.Wooster.....	14	937	66.9
3.Earlham.....	14	995	71.1
4.Wabash.....	15	1097	73.1
5.Hiram.....	15	1144	76.3
6.Allegheny.....	15	1149	76.6
7.Kenyon.....	14	1075	76.8
Ohio Wesleyan.....	14	1075	76.8
9.Denison.....	14	1177	84.1
10.Oberlin.....	12	1037	86.4

SCORING MARGIN

## Team	G	OFF	DEF	Margin
1.Wooster.....	14	86.1	66.9	+19.2
2.Wittenberg.....	13	81.5	63.2	+18.2
3.Earlham.....	14	71.6	71.1	+0.6
4.Ohio Wesleyan.....	14	76.3	76.8	-0.5
5.Wabash.....	15	70.3	73.1	-2.8
6.Hiram.....	15	70.7	76.3	-5.6
7.Kenyon.....	14	71.0	76.8	-5.8
8.Allegheny.....	15	66.0	76.6	-10.6
9.Denison.....	14	70.8	84.1	-13.3
10.Oberlin.....	12	69.5	86.4	-16.9

FREE THROW PERCENTAGES

## Team	G	FTM	FTA	Pct
1.Wooster.....	14	236	321	.735
2.Wabash.....	15	235	325	.723
3.Hiram.....	15	193	272	.710
4.Ohio Wesleyan.....	14	175	258	.678
5.Allegheny.....	15	210	322	.652
6.Wittenberg.....	13	211	329	.641
7.Earlham.....	14	167	270	.619
8.Oberlin.....	12	139	227	.612
9.Kenyon.....	14	153	258	.593
10.Denison.....	14	192	325	.591

FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGES

## Team	G	FG	FGA	Pct
1.Wooster.....	14	435	857	.508
2.Wittenberg.....	13	376	807	.466
3.Wabash.....	15	377	816	.462
4.Ohio Wesleyan.....	14	373	846	.441
5.Earlham.....	14	358	815	.439
6.Kenyon.....	14	374	875	.427
7.Denison.....	14	352	840	.419
8.Hiram.....	15	381	910	.419
9.Oberlin.....	12	318	806	.395
10.Allegheny.....	15	353	919	.384

FIELD GOAL PCT DEFENSE

## Team	G	FG	FGA	Pct
1.Wittenberg.....	13	278	758	.367
2.Wooster.....	14	326	806	.404
3.Kenyon.....	14	373	883	.422
4.Hiram.....	15	402	947	.424
5.Wabash.....	15	391	913	.428
6.Oberlin.....	12	362	828	.437
7.Ohio Wesleyan.....	14	378	849	.445
8.Earlham.....	14	369	820	.450
9.Allegheny.....	15	415	911	.456
10.Denison.....	14	430	887	.485

3-POINT FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGES

## Team	G	FG	FGA	Pct
1.Wittenberg.....	13	96	235	.409
2.Wooster.....	14	100	259	.386
3.Ohio Wesleyan.....	14	147	395	.372
4.Hiram.....	15	105	299	.351
5.Kenyon.....	14	93	265	.351
6.Wabash.....	15	66	193	.342
7.Earlham.....	14	120	351	.342
8.Denison.....	14	95	288	.330
9.Oberlin.....	12	59	202	.292
10.Allegheny.....	15	74	258	.287

3-POINT FIELD GOAL PCT DEFENSE

## Team	G	FG	FGA	Pct
1.Wittenberg.....	13	101	309	.327
2.Ohio Wesleyan.....	14	80	238	.336
3.Kenyon.....	14	118	347	.340
4.Earlham.....	14	63	180	.350
5.Wooster.....	14	82	234	.350
6.Denison.....	14	78	221	.353
7.Hiram.....	15	120	336	.357
8.Allegheny.....	15	109	301	.362
9.Wabash.....	15	128	340	.376
10.Oberlin.....	12	114	293	.389

2000-01 North Coast Athletic Conference Men's INDIVIDUAL BASKETBALL STATISTICS
Through games of Jan 14, 2001 (All games)

To be ranked, a player must appear in at least 75.0% of their team's games.

SCORING

##	Player-Team	G	FG	3FG	FT	Pts	Avg/G
1.	James Knight-OBE.....	12	98	29	44	269	22.4
2.	Ryan Taylor-WIT.....	13	88	36	26	238	18.3
3.	Travis Schwab-OWU.....	14	100	2	46	248	17.7
4.	Antwyan Reynolds-WOO.....	14	89	22	45	245	17.5
5.	Charlie Delacey-DEN.....	14	97	5	45	244	17.4
6.	Nick Catanzarite-ALL.....	15	82	19	78	261	17.4
7.	Chad Plotke-KEN.....	14	81	25	46	233	16.6
	Nathan Stoops-ERL.....	14	89	34	21	233	16.6
9.	Joe DesJean-WAB.....	15	93	0	53	239	15.9
10.	Jeremy Bailey-HIR.....	15	84	18	50	236	15.7
11.	Maurice Elrod-OBE.....	12	72	20	23	187	15.6
12.	Bryan Nelson-WOO.....	14	73	3	63	212	15.1
13.	Jason Dopoulos-OWU.....	14	68	47	23	206	14.7
14.	Pleas Ferguson-WAB.....	15	82	1	55	220	14.7
15.	S. Clinton Blockson-HIR..	15	78	0	45	201	13.4
16.	Shawn Kindred-OWU.....	14	58	23	48	187	13.4
17.	John Swickrath-DEN.....	14	62	11	40	175	12.5
18.	Nathan Aldinger-KEN.....	14	60	37	13	170	12.1
19.	Ryan Meerstein-ALL.....	15	61	28	23	173	11.5
20.	Kevin Longley-WIT.....	13	55	8	29	147	11.3

REBOUNDING

##	Player-Team	G	OFF	DEF	TOT	Avg/G
1.	Joe DesJean-WAB.....	15	38	114	152	10.1
2.	James Knight-OBE.....	12	35	80	115	9.6
3.	Bryan Nelson-WOO.....	14	40	90	130	9.3
4.	S. Clinton Blockson-HIR..	15	44	95	139	9.3
5.	John Swickrath-DEN.....	14	40	73	113	8.1
6.	Kevin Longley-WIT.....	13	28	74	102	7.8
7.	B.J. Harris-WIT.....	13	33	65	98	7.5
8.	Chad Plotke-KEN.....	14	32	66	98	7.0
9.	Brian Buchanan-OBE.....	12	38	39	77	6.4
10.	Brady Keaton-ERL.....	14	32	57	89	6.4

FIELD GOAL PCT (Min. 4.0 made per game)

##	Player-Team	G	FG	FGA	Pct
1.	Pleas Ferguson-WAB.....	15	82	139	.590
2.	Bryan Nelson-WOO.....	14	73	127	.575
3.	Travis Schwab-OWU.....	14	100	178	.562
4.	Kevin Longley-WIT.....	13	55	100	.550
5.	Antwyan Reynolds-WOO.....	14	89	164	.543
6.	Joe DesJean-WAB.....	15	93	174	.534
7.	Charlie Delacey-DEN.....	14	97	190	.511
8.	Ryan Taylor-WIT.....	13	88	174	.506
9.	Nathan Stoops-ERL.....	14	89	183	.486
10.	Chad Plotke-KEN.....	14	81	168	.482

ASSISTS

##	Player-Team	G	Assists	Avg/G
1.	Nate Gaubatz-WOO.....	14	70	5.00
2.	Jason Smith-ERL.....	14	60	4.29
3.	Brian Porter-KEN.....	14	59	4.21
4.	Shawn Kindred-OWU.....	14	58	4.14
5.	Cameron Leverett-OBE....	12	49	4.08
6.	Antwyan Reynolds-WOO.....	14	56	4.00
7.	Steve Thompson-WOO.....	14	55	3.93
8.	Jeremy Bailey-HIR.....	15	57	3.80
9.	Greg Rustad-WIT.....	13	45	3.46
10.	Mark Borland-WIT.....	13	44	3.38
	Kyle Krauss-WIT.....	13	44	3.38

FREE THROW PCT (Min. 2.0 made per game)

##	Player-Team	G	FTM	FTA	Pct
1.	Nick Catanzarite-ALL.....	15	78	89	.876
2.	Jeremy Bailey-HIR.....	15	50	58	.862
3.	Nate Gaubatz-WOO.....	14	34	40	.850
4.	Pleas Ferguson-WAB.....	15	55	67	.821
5.	Bryan Nelson-WOO.....	14	63	78	.808
6.	Antwyan Reynolds-WOO.....	14	45	57	.789
7.	Chris Fillmore-WIT.....	13	27	35	.771
8.	Mark Borland-WIT.....	13	33	43	.767
9.	Jon Hathaway-ERL.....	12	26	34	.765
10.	Travis Schwab-OWU.....	14	46	61	.754

STEALS

##	Player-Team	G	Steals	Avg/G
1.	Antwyan Reynolds-WOO.....	14	39	2.79
2.	Nick Catanzarite-ALL.....	15	33	2.20
3.	John Swickrath-DEN.....	14	30	2.14
4.	Matt Storm-WAB.....	15	29	1.93
5.	Nathan Aldinger-KEN.....	14	26	1.86
6.	Jason Dopoulos-OWU.....	14	24	1.71
	Steve Thompson-WOO.....	14	24	1.71
8.	Nate Gaubatz-WOO.....	14	23	1.64
9.	Cameron Leverett-OBE....	12	19	1.58
10.	Matt Smith-WOO.....	14	22	1.57
	Chad Plotke-KEN.....	14	22	1.57

3-POINT FG PCT (Min. 1.0 made per game)

##	Player-Team	G	3FG	FGA	Pct
1.	Ryan Taylor-WIT.....	13	36	70	.514
2.	Greg Rustad-WIT.....	13	23	47	.489
3.	Steve Thompson-WOO.....	14	28	59	.475
4.	Matt Storm-WAB.....	15	30	64	.469
5.	Bryan Beigie-OWU.....	14	23	52	.442
6.	Jimmy Francis-OWU.....	14	19	43	.442
7.	Jeremy Bailey-HIR.....	15	18	41	.439
8.	Curtis Wright-ERL.....	14	21	49	.429
9.	Scott Kline-HIR.....	15	16	38	.421
10.	Nathan Stoops-ERL.....	14	34	83	.410

3-POINT FG MADE

##	Player-Team	G	3FG	Avg/G
1.	Jason Dopoulos-OWU.....	14	47	3.36
2.	Ryan Taylor-WIT.....	13	36	2.77
3.	Nathan Aldinger-KEN.....	14	37	2.64
4.	Tony Price-DEN.....	14	35	2.50
5.	Nathan Stoops-ERL.....	14	34	2.43
6.	James Knight-OBE.....	12	29	2.42
7.	Matt Kersten-HIR.....	15	32	2.13
8.	Matt Storm-WAB.....	15	30	2.00
	Steve Thompson-WOO.....	14	28	2.00
10.	Matt Smith-WOO.....	14	27	1.93

NCAC Women's Basketball Report
ALLEGHENY, OHIO WESLEYAN REMAIN UNDEFEATED IN NCAC PLAY;
TEAMS TO FACE OFF ON SATURDAY

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January 14, 2001

CLEVELAND -- Both Allegheny (7-0, 12-2) and Ohio Wesleyan (6-0, 11-3) enter the coming week undefeated in conference play. Just one team, though, has the chance to remain unbeaten after this week as the Gators travel to Delaware to take on the Bishops on Saturday. Before that contest, however, Ohio Wesleyan must get past third-place Earlham (5-2, 9-6) on Wednesday night. Allegheny's other contest this week is a Tuesday night matchup with non-conference opponent Point Park.

Monday night, ninth-place Oberlin (0-6, 1-13) travels to seventh-place Wooster (1-5, 3-9), and Tuesday, fourth-place Wittenberg (4-2, 10-4) takes on fifth-place Denison (4-3, 8-6). In addition to the OWU-Earlham contest, Wednesday features matchups with Kenyon (2-5, 6-7) and Oberlin, as well as Wooster at Hiram (0-6, 3-11). Saturday's full slate also includes Earlham at Denison, Wittenberg at Wooster and Kenyon at Hiram.

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Monday, Jan. 15

OBERLIN at WOOSTER, 7:30

Tuesday, Jan .16

Point Park at ALLEGHENY, 7:00
WITTENBERG at DENISON, 7:30

Wednesday, Jan. 17

EARLHAM at OHIO WESLEYAN, 7:30
KENYON at OBERLIN, 7:30
WOOSTER at HIRAM, 7:30

Saturday, Jan., 20

ALLEGHENY at OHIO WESLEYAN, 1:00
EARLHAM at DENISON, 1:00
WITTENBERG at WOOSTER, 2:00
KENYON at HIRAM, 5:00

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Wednesday, Jan. 10

HIRAM 59, Grove City 51
OHIO WESLEYAN 61, WITTENBERG 57
ALLEGHENY 72, OBERLIN 64
EARLHAM 62, KENYON 50
DENISON 76, WOOSTER 55

Saturday, Jan .13

OHIO WESLEYAN 85, HIRAM 55
EARLHAM 64, OBERLIN 48
ALLEGHENY 71, DENISON 67
WITTENBERG 64, KENYON 53

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SWIM SCENE: Kenyon took on Wittenberg in a dual meet and won both the men's (123-94) and women's (122-98) competition. Kenyon senior **Estevao de Avila (Araxa, Brazil/Justiliamo)** won the men's 50 freestyle (21.99) and 100 freestyle (47.49) while the Ladies were led by senior **Erica Carroll (Flushing, NY/Townsend)**, who won the 200 freestyle (1:57.29) and swam the lead leg in two winning relays. Tiger senior **Aaron Edsall (Circleville, OH/Circleville)** led the Wittenberg men with victories in the 200 freestyle (1:48.98) and the 200 backstroke (2:00.49) ... The Denison squads took on NCAA Division I foe Eastern Michigan and lost 124-93 in the men's meet and 128-109 in the women's. Denison has qualified seven women and seven men for the NCAA Division III Championships. In addition, the Big Red has met the qualifying standard in all five relays for both men and women ... Wooster and Oberlin competed in a double-dual meet with Case Western Reserve last weekend. The Wooster men and women upended both opponents, while Oberlin lost to both. Oberlin junior **Celeste Mercer (Montrose, CO/Montrose)** broke her own school record in the 100 breaststroke with a time of 1:10.05. She placed second in the event. Scot junior **Jessica Ritchie (Traverse City, MI/Traverse City Central)** took first place in the women's 50 freestyle (25.53) and the 100 backstroke (1:02.02). Senior **Wes Bennett (Knoxville, TN/Webb)** led the Scot men with first-place finishes in the 50 freestyle (21.91) and the 100 freestyle (49.38) ... Wabash successfully defended its title in the University of Indianapolis Invitational. Competing against NCAA Division I, II, III and NAIA opponents from four states, the Little Giants scored 948 points, outdistancing second-place IUPUI by 394 points. Junior **R.J. Morgan (Indianapolis, IN/North Central)** won the 100 backstroke (54.18) and 200 backstroke (1:58.60) with his season-best times in both events ... Hiram sophomore **Jason Groselle (Hiram, OH/Crestwood)** won the 50-meter freestyle (25.34) and junior **Kyna Barber (Cambridge, OH)** won the 200-meter individual medley to lead the Terrier men's and women's squads, respectively in dual-meet losses to Mount Union. The men dropped a 109-87 decision, while the women fell, 115-76 ... **SAVE THE DATE:** The 2001 North Coast Athletic Conference Men's & Women's Swimming & Diving Championships will be held February 7-10 at the Branin Natatorium in Canton, Ohio. Kenyon takes aim at its 16th men's and 17th women's NCAC conference crowns at this year's meet.

**NORTH COAST ATHLETIC CONFERENCE
2000-01 WOMEN'S BASKETBALL SCOREBOARD**

ALLEGHENY (12-2; 7-0)			DENISON (8-6; 4-3)			EARLHAM (9-6; 5-2)			HIRAM (3-11; 0-6)			KENYON (6-7; 2-5)		
70	WAYNESBURG*	48	74	at Case West. Reserve*	91	90	at Westminster (Mo.)*	75	40	Penn St.-Altoona*	74	64	Bridgewater*	63
58	MOUNT UNION*	56	78	Oswego*	43	63	Fontbonne*	71	66	Chatham*	46	63	at Rochester*	61
71	at Wash. & Jeff.	59	51	at Ohio Dominican	60	51	at Hanover	82	41	at John Carroll	68	55	JOHN CARROLL	54
64	Elmira**	71	58	Methodist**	34	35	WITTENBERG	87	60	at Denison	73	48	DENISON	68
82	Medaille**	45	73	at Muskingum**	62	69	at Wooster	60	55	ALLEGHENY	74	62	ALLEGHENY	73
76	OBERLIN	72	68	at Kenyon	48	65	ANDERSON	55	54	at Thiel	58	56	at Ohio Wesleyan	78
73	at Kenyon	62	73	HIRAM	60	55	at Berea	89	48	Carnegie Mellon	73	65	at Mount Union	74
74	at Hiram	55	70	at Wooster	75	46	at Mt. St. Joseph	43	35	HEIDELBERG	73	43	Mt. St. Joseph**	50
65	GROVE CITY	70	82	OTTERBEIN	77	75	at Franklin**	68	73	LAKE ERIE	56	67	Manchester**	48
65	PENN ST.-BEHREND	49	48	at Bethany	67	58	Centre**	71	47	at Kenyon	88	88	HIRAM	47
61	EARLHAM	52	55	at Earlham	66	66	DENISON	55	44	WITTENBERG	88	80	WOOSTER	74
83	WITTENBERG	55	73	OBERLIN	59	52	at Allegheny	61	39	EARLHAM	71	50	EARLHAM	62
72	at Oberlin	64	76	WOOSTER	55	71	at Hiram	39	59	GROVE CITY	51	53	at Wittenberg	64
71	DENISON	67	67	at Allegheny	71	62	at Kenyon	50	55	at Ohio Wesleyan	85		at Oberlin	
	POINT PARK			WITTENBERG		64	OBERLIN	48		WOOSTER			at Hiram	
	at Ohio Wesleyan			EARLHAM			at Ohio Wesleyan			KENYON			at Marietta	
	WOOSTER			OHIO WESLEYAN			at Denison			at Oberlin			at Allegheny	
	KENYON			at Oberlin			at Wittenberg			OHIO WESLEYAN			OHIO WESLEYAN	
	CARNEGIE MELLON			KENYON			WOOSTER			at Earlham			at Denison	
	at Wittenberg			at Ohio Wesleyan			HIRAM			at Wittenberg			OBERLIN	
	at Earlham			at Thomas More			ALLEGHENY			OBERLIN			WITTENBERG	
	at Wooster			ALLEGHENY			OHIO WESLEYAN			at Wooster			at Earlham	
	at Denison			at Wittenberg			KENYON			at Allegheny			at Wooster	
	HIRAM			at Hiram			at Oberlin			DENISON				
	OHIO WESLEYAN													

*Motel 6 Tipoff Tournament
** at Rochester Tournament

*at CWRU Tournament
**at Muskingum Tournament

*at Westminster Classic
**Franklin Tournament

*at Carnegie Mellon Tournament

*at Rochester Tournament
**at Ohio Northern Tournament

OBERLIN (1-13; 0-6)			OHIO WESLEYAN (11-3; 6-0)			WITTENBERG (10-4; 4-2)			WOOSTER (3-9; 1-5)		
68	at Franklin	77	79	Bluffton*	63	76	at Greensboro*	64	80	Muskingum*	74
64	Hanover*	75	54	at Wilmington*	58	69	Western Maryland*	55	56	at Mt. St. Joseph*	61
55	at Case West. Reserve	78	96	CASE WEST. RESERVE	88	76	CAPITAL	75	61	at Ohio Wesleyan	76
74	**Thiel	49	76	WOOSTER	61	64	at Baldwin-Wallace	87	60	EARLHAM	69
70	**St. Mary's (Ind.)	80	78	KENYON	56	87	at Earlham	35	75	DENISON	70
72	at Allegheny	76	60	Kalamazoo**	61	65	DEFIANCE	61	84	URSULINE**	41
57	at Bluffton	74	81	Hanover**	52	70	at Oberlin	52	65	OHIO DOMINICAN**	78
52	WITTENBERG	70	60	Grove City#	53	88	at Thomas More	55	60	at Clare.-Mudd-Scr.	69
63	NOTRE DAME (OH)#	66	68	Otterbein#	75	63	ALBION**	44	50	at Chapman	75
48	CARNEGIE MELLON#	59	88	THOMAS MORE	73	68	UW-EAU CLAIRE**	80	74	at Kenyon	80
51	OHIO WESLEYAN	88	88	OBERLIN	51	88	at Hiram	44	48	OHIO WESLEYAN	88
59	at Denison	73	88	at Wooster	48	55	at Allegheny	83	55	at Denison	76
64	ALLEGHENY	72	61	at Wittenberg	57	57	OHIO WESLEYAN	61		OBERLIN	
48	at Earlham	64	85	HIRAM	55	64	KENYON	53		at Hiram	
	at Wooster			EARLHAM			at Denison			WITTENBERG	
	KENYON			ALLEGHENY			at Wooster			at Allegheny	
	HIRAM			at Denison			EARLHAM			at Earlham	
	at Wittenberg			at Hiram			OBERLIN			CASE WESTERN RESERVE	
	DENISON			at Kenyon			ALLEGHENY			at Oberlin	
	WOOSTER			DENISON			HIRAM			at John Carroll	
	at Kenyon			at Earlham			at Kenyon			ALLEGHENY	
	at Hiram			WITTENBERG			at Ohio Wesleyan			HIRAM	
	OHIO WESLEYAN			at Oberlin			DENISON			KENYON	
	EARLHAM			at Allegheny			WOOSTER			at Wittenberg	

*at Franklin Tournament
**at Marietta Tournament
#LADY CRIMSON TOURNEY

*at Wilmington Tip-Off
**at DePauw Invitational
#at Otterbein Classic

*at Greensboro Tournament
**KIWANIS CLASSIC

*at Mt. St. Joseph Tournament
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**2000-01 North Coast Athletic Conference Women's Standings
Through games of Jan 14, 2001 (All games)**

STANDINGS	CONFERENCE			OVERALL				
	W-L	Pct	PF	PA	W-L	Pct	PF	PA
Allegheny.....	7-0	1.000	72.9	61.0	12-2	.857	70.4	58.9
Ohio Wesleyan.....	6-0	1.000	79.3	54.7	11-3	.786	75.9	60.8
Earlham.....	5-2	.714	59.9	57.1	9-6	.600	61.5	63.6
Wittenberg.....	4-2	.667	70.2	54.7	10-4	.714	70.7	60.6
Denison.....	4-3	.571	68.9	62.0	8-6	.571	69.1	61.6
Kenyon.....	2-5	.286	62.4	66.6	6-7	.462	61.1	62.8
Wooster.....	1-5	.167	62.2	76.5	3-9	.250	64.0	71.4
Hiram.....	0-6	.000	50.0	79.8	3-11	.214	51.1	69.9
Oberlin.....	0-6	.000	57.7	73.8	1-13	.071	60.4	71.5

**2000-01 North Coast Athletic Conference Women's BASKETBALL STATISTICS
Through games of Jan 14, 2001 (All games)**

SCORING OFFENSE

# Team	G	W-L	Pts	Avg/G
1.Ohio Wesleyan.....	14	11-3	1062	75.9
2.Wittenberg.....	14	10-4	990	70.7
3.Allegheny.....	14	12-2	985	70.4
4.Denison.....	13	8-6	898	69.1
5.Wooster.....	12	3-9	768	64.0
6.Earlham.....	15	9-6	922	61.5
7.Kenyon.....	13	6-7	794	61.1
8.Oberlin.....	14	1-13	845	60.4
9.Hiram.....	14	3-11	716	51.1

SCORING DEFENSE

# Team	G	Pts	Avg/G
1.Allegheny.....	14	825	58.9
2.Wittenberg.....	14	849	60.6
3.Ohio Wesleyan.....	14	851	60.8
4.Denison.....	13	801	61.6
5.Kenyon.....	13	816	62.8
6.Earlham.....	15	954	63.6
7.Hiram.....	14	978	69.9
8.Wooster.....	12	857	71.4
9.Oberlin.....	14	1001	71.5

SCORING MARGIN

# Team	G	OFF	DEF	Margin
1.Ohio Wesleyan.....	14	75.9	60.8	+15.1
2.Allegheny.....	14	70.4	58.9	+11.4
3.Wittenberg.....	14	70.7	60.6	+10.1
4.Denison.....	13	69.1	61.6	+7.5
5.Kenyon.....	13	61.1	62.8	-1.7
6.Earlham.....	15	61.5	63.6	-2.1
7.Wooster.....	12	64.0	71.4	-7.4
8.Oberlin.....	14	60.4	71.5	-11.1
9.Hiram.....	14	51.1	69.9	-18.7

FREE THROW PERCENTAGES

# Team	G	FTM	FTA	Pct
1.Hiram.....	14	175	260	.673
2.Ohio Wesleyan.....	14	210	313	.671
3.Denison.....	13	177	265	.668
4.Wittenberg.....	14	222	340	.653
5.Oberlin.....	14	154	242	.636
6.Earlham.....	15	220	363	.606
7.Allegheny.....	14	189	313	.604
8.Wooster.....	12	152	262	.580
9.Kenyon.....	13	186	324	.574

FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGES

# Team	G	FG	FGA	Pct
1.Ohio Wesleyan.....	14	388	868	.447
2.Wittenberg.....	14	370	878	.421
3.Denison.....	13	352	842	.418
4.Earlham.....	15	338	816	.414
5.Allegheny.....	14	367	907	.405
6.Kenyon.....	13	283	702	.403
7.Wooster.....	12	293	756	.388
8.Hiram.....	14	259	766	.338
9.Oberlin.....	14	325	988	.329

FIELD GOAL PCT DEFENSE

# Team	G	FG	FGA	Pct
1.Allegheny.....	14	273	834	.327
2.Earlham.....	15	364	954	.382
3.Ohio Wesleyan.....	14	329	857	.384
4.Denison.....	13	295	763	.387
5.Wittenberg.....	14	308	758	.406
6.Kenyon.....	13	278	680	.409
7.Hiram.....	14	386	913	.423
8.Oberlin.....	14	372	861	.432
9.Wooster.....	12	321	741	.433

3-POINT FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGES

# Team	G	FG	FGA	Pct
1.Denison.....	13	63	175	.360
2.Ohio Wesleyan.....	14	76	226	.336
3.Allegheny.....	14	62	214	.290
4.Wooster.....	12	30	108	.278
5.Kenyon.....	13	42	153	.275
6.Earlham.....	15	26	103	.252
7.Oberlin.....	14	41	177	.232
8.Wittenberg.....	14	31	146	.212
9.Hiram.....	14	23	114	.202

3-POINT FIELD GOAL PCT DEFENSE

# Team	G	FG	FGA	Pct
1.Earlham.....	15	30	144	.208
2.Denison.....	13	41	154	.266
3.Wittenberg.....	14	46	172	.267
4.Ohio Wesleyan.....	14	42	150	.280
5.Allegheny.....	14	51	172	.297
6.Hiram.....	14	80	258	.310
7.Oberlin.....	14	58	180	.322
8.Wooster.....	12	41	105	.390
9.Kenyon.....	13	63	161	.391

2000-01 North Coast Athletic Conference Women's INDIVIDUAL BASKETBALL STATISTICS Through games of Jan 14, 2001 (All games)

To be ranked, a player must appear in at least 75.0% of their team's games.

SCORING

##	Player-Team	G	FG	3FG	FT	Pts	Avg/G
1.	Jessica Viertlboeck-OWU..	14	90	22	62	264	18.9
2.	Nzinga Broussard-OBE....	14	92	3	44	231	16.5
3.	Katy Sturtz-OWU.....	14	94	0	42	230	16.4
4.	Lindsey Chappell-ERL.....	15	102	0	40	244	16.3
5.	LeeAnn Schaffert-HIR.....	14	75	1	36	187	13.4
6.	Nara DeJesus-WOO.....	12	62	0	36	160	13.3
7.	Sarah Fox-KEN.....	13	58	1	56	173	13.3
8.	Shelly Holt-ERL.....	15	67	0	49	183	12.2
9.	Rachael Barbee-OBE.....	14	73	1	19	166	11.9
10.	Kate Rolf-WIT.....	14	60	9	34	163	11.6
11.	Jessica Kankoski-ALL.....	14	60	0	38	158	11.3
12.	Stephanie Pollock-ALL.....	14	65	1	24	155	11.1
13.	Molly Baumann-DEN.....	13	41	36	20	138	10.6
14.	Morgan Ramsdell-WOO.....	11	49	0	18	116	10.5
15.	Stephanie Campbell-WIT...	14	56	10	25	147	10.5
16.	Cori Arnold-KEN.....	13	57	3	18	135	10.4
17.	Michelle Behler-ERL.....	15	58	17	18	151	10.1
18.	Malisha Richardson-OBE...	14	50	23	17	140	10.0
	Andrea Wymer-HIR.....	14	47	11	35	140	10.0
20.	Tiffany Keller-WIT.....	13	51	0	25	127	9.8

REBOUNDING

##	Player-Team	G	OFF	DEF	TOT	Avg/G
1.	Katy Sturtz-OWU.....	14	55	104	159	11.4
2.	Rachael Barbee-OBE.....	14	76	73	149	10.6
3.	Nara DeJesus-WOO.....	12	55	72	127	10.6
4.	Stephanie Pollock-ALL....	14	68	73	141	10.1
5.	Charity Norman-HIR.....	14	59	68	127	9.1
6.	Lindsey Chappell-ERL.....	15	51	79	130	8.7
7.	Andrea Wymer-HIR.....	14	22	93	115	8.2
8.	Shelly Holt-ERL.....	15	36	85	121	8.1
9.	LeeAnn Schaffert-HIR.....	14	42	58	100	7.1
10.	Morgan Ramsdell-WOO.....	11	30	40	70	6.4

FIELD GOAL PCT (Min. 4.0 made per game)

##	Player-Team	G	FG	FGA	Pct
1.	Katy Sturtz-OWU.....	14	94	155	.606
2.	Lindsey Chappell-ERL.....	15	102	176	.580
3.	Shelly Holt-ERL.....	15	67	129	.519
4.	Nara DeJesus-WOO.....	12	62	122	.508
5.	LeeAnn Schaffert-HIR.....	14	75	154	.487
6.	Stephanie Pollock-ALL.....	14	65	134	.485
7.	Jessica Viertlboeck-OWU..	14	90	186	.484
8.	Jessica Kankoski-ALL.....	14	60	126	.476
9.	Cori Arnold-KEN.....	13	57	120	.475
10.	Rachael Barbee-OBE.....	14	73	160	.456

ASSISTS

##	Player-Team	G	Assists	Avg/G
1.	Sarah Fox-KEN.....	13	60	4.62
2.	Joci Horn-WOO.....	11	37	3.36
3.	Kate Rolf-WIT.....	14	47	3.36
	Julie Piekanski-ALL.....	14	47	3.36
	Annie Hoffer-HIR.....	14	47	3.36
6.	Molly Baumann-DEN.....	13	41	3.15
7.	Nzinga Broussard-OBE....	14	42	3.00
8.	Stephanie Campbell-WIT...	14	41	2.93
9.	Michelle Mehling-DEN.....	13	38	2.92
10.	Jessica Viertlboeck-OWU..	14	40	2.86

FREE THROW PCT (Min. 2.0 made per game)

##	Player-Team	G	FTM	FTA	Pct
1.	Jessica Viertlboeck-OWU..	14	62	77	.805
2.	Jessica Kankoski-ALL.....	14	38	48	.792
3.	Kristin Love-DEN.....	13	30	39	.769
4.	Katy Sturtz-OWU.....	14	42	56	.750
	Rebecca Meers-WIT.....	14	30	40	.750
6.	Annie Hoffer-HIR.....	14	34	46	.739
7.	Nzinga Broussard-OBE....	14	44	60	.733
8.	Charity Norman-HIR.....	14	36	50	.720
9.	LeeAnn Schaffert-HIR.....	14	36	51	.706
10.	Andrea Wymer-HIR.....	14	35	50	.700

STEALS

##	Player-Team	G	Steals	Avg/G
1.	Stephanie Campbell-WIT...	14	52	3.71
2.	Sarah Fox-KEN.....	13	46	3.54
3.	Nzinga Broussard-OBE....	14	44	3.14
4.	Kate Rolf-WIT.....	14	42	3.00
5.	Michelle Mehling-DEN.....	13	28	2.15
6.	Katy Sturtz-OWU.....	14	28	2.00
	Jessica Kankoski-ALL.....	14	28	2.00
	Kerri Horst-WOO.....	12	24	2.00
9.	Morgan Ramsdell-WOO.....	11	21	1.91
10.	Charity Norman-HIR.....	14	26	1.86

3-POINT FG PCT (Min. 1.0 made per game)

##	Player-Team	G	3FG	FGA	Pct
1.	Molly Baumann-DEN.....	13	36	69	.522
2.	Michelle Wolfe-OWU.....	14	20	48	.417
3.	Traci Varrasso-DEN.....	13	16	41	.390
4.	Jessica Viertlboeck-OWU..	14	22	63	.349
5.	Jamie Parone-ALL.....	14	14	41	.341
6.	Michelle Innocenti-ALL...	14	21	65	.323
7.	Malisha Richardson-OBE...	14	23	77	.299
8.	Talia Brader-OWU.....	14	17	59	.288
9.	Becky Cornely-KEN.....	13	14	54	.259
10.	Michelle Behler-ERL.....	15	17	67	.254

3-POINT FG MADE

##	Player-Team	G	3FG	Avg/G
1.	Molly Baumann-DEN.....	13	36	2.77
2.	Malisha Richardson-OBE...	14	23	1.64
3.	Jessica Viertlboeck-OWU..	14	22	1.57
4.	Michelle Innocenti-ALL...	14	21	1.50
5.	Michelle Wolfe-OWU.....	14	20	1.43
6.	Traci Varrasso-DEN.....	13	16	1.23
7.	Talia Brader-OWU.....	14	17	1.21
8.	Michelle Behler-ERL.....	15	17	1.13
9.	Becky Cornely-KEN.....	13	14	1.08
10.	Jamie Parone-ALL.....	14	14	1.00

BLOCKED SHOTS

##	Player-Team	G	Blocks	Avg/G
1.	Katy Sturtz-OWU.....	14	19	1.36
2.	Stephanie Pollock-ALL....	14	16	1.14
3.	Kristen Rice-WOO.....	12	13	1.08
4.	Lindsey Chappell-ERL.....	15	16	1.07
5.	Alyssa Hinkle-ALL.....	14	14	1.00
6.	Shelly Holt-ERL.....	15	13	0.87
7.	Heather Barbee-OBE.....	14	12	0.86
8.	Rachael Barbee-OBE.....	14	10	0.71
9.	Melissa Liffick-ERL.....	13	9	0.69

ASSIST/TURNOVER RATIO (Min. 3.0 assists/game)

##	Player-Team	G	Asst	Avg Turn	Avg	Ratio	
1.	Molly Baumann-DEN.....	13	41	3.2	31	2.4	1.32
2.	Julie Piekanski-ALL.....	14	47	3.4	38	2.7	1.24
3.	Joci Horn-WOO.....	11	37	3.4	38	3.5	0.97
4.	Sarah Fox-KEN.....	13	60	4.6	62	4.8	0.97
5.	Kate Rolf-WIT.....	14	47	3.4	49	3.5	0.96
6.	Nzinga Broussard-OBE....	14	42	3.0	58	4.1	0.72
7.	Annie Hoffer-HIR.....	14	47	3.4	79	5.6	0.59