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NCAC Spring Sports Update

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SOFTBALL READY FOR FIRST NCAC PITCHES OF SEASON SATURDAY;

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ALL NINE NCAC GOLF TEAMS TO COMPETE AT KENYON CUP

CLEVELAND -- Following is a capsule roundup of the NCAC's spring sports action.

BASEBALL REPORT

Wooster (2-0, 14-1) is off to a fast start and leads the East Division through an abbreviated first weekend of conference action. The Scots have only one NCAC game lined up this week, tonight's game against Hiram (0-2, 2-12) at Thurman Munson in Canton, Ohio. A makeup game from last week, the contest is Wooster's only league matchup this week. The Scots drive to Wittenberg in non-divisional action on Saturday. Allegheny (0-0, 8-3) opens conference play on Wednesday, when the Gators travel to Kenyon (0-0, 7-7) for a makeup doubleheader. The three-game NCAC series between the two schools was cancelled last weekend due to weather conditions. Both teams will then hit the road this weekend, with Allegheny heading to Hiram and the Lords travelling to Oberlin (0-0, 5-7).

In the West Division, Wittenberg (1-0, 9-7) has a tenuous early lead after taking one game from Wabash (0-1, 12-13) last week. The final two games of their league series will be made up later this season. No makeup date has been announced. Ohio Wesleyan (1-1, 15-3) and Denison (1-1, 10-6) currently share second place after splitting a doubleheader last week. The tie should be short-lived as the two teams will meet today in Granville to play the series' third and deciding game. This weekend, both teams will play host to divisional foes - the Big Red will entertain Earlham (0-0, 3-13), while the Bishops will welcome Wabash.

Ohio Wesleyan first baseman **Drew Caravella (Columbus, OH/Hilliard Davidson)** leads the NCAC in five stat categories, including batting (38-57, .667) and home runs (7). In three games last week, the senior went 5-for-9 (.556) at the plate, recording three RBI and scoring six runs. Wabash sophomore right fielder **Mike Mack (Butler, IN/Eastside)** homered three times in four at bats, and recorded four RBIs in a 10-7 loss to Wittenberg. Hiram sophomore first baseman **Mike Beard (Canton, OH/Glen Oak)** went 5-for-8 with five RBI, two runs and a homer in a loss to Wooster last week, raising his average from .182 to .268 (11-41). Wittenberg senior **Bryan Burke (Brunswick, OH/Brunswick)** hit an RBI double, a grand slam and a solo homer to lead the Tigers past Wabash last week. He leads the team with four home runs this season and is batting .433 (13-30).

Poll: The first ABCA poll (Mar. 26) ranked Ohio Wesleyan fourth, Wooster 13th and Allegheny 22nd in Division III. The Bishops topped the Midwest Region poll, followed by the Scots in third and the Gators in fourth. The next poll will be released April 8.

PLAYER OF THE WEEK: Wooster freshman third baseman **Jake Frank (Wooster, OH/Northwestern)** belted three home runs to lead the Scots to a doubleheader sweep of Hiram last week. In the opener, he hit a pair of two-run blasts and also walked once in four at bats. He then went 2-for-4 with another dinger and three RBI in the second game, giving him a 4-for-7, four-run, seven-RBI day. **PITCHER OF THE WEEK:** Wooster senior **Matt Englander (Solon, OH/Solon)** improved to 3-1 on the season with a win in the opener of a twinbill against Hiram. He threw the first six innings and allowed just one earned run on four hits. He struck out three batters.

GOLF REPORT

All nine North Coast squads will compete at the Kenyon Cup, a two-day event on Saturday and Sunday at Apple Valley Golf Course in Howard, OH. Last spring, Allegheny won the 15-team tournament with a two-round score of 608. Wooster placed fourth (631), Denison ninth (642), Wittenberg 11th (652), the host Lords 13th (697) and Hiram was 15th (790). Gator **Rick Jones (Pittsburgh, PA/Baldwin)** was the medalist after he shot 76-71=147, and teammate **Nathan Smith (Brookville, PA/Brookville)** placed third (75-76=151).

Ohio Wesleyan senior **Jason Job (Akron, OH/Revere)** led the Bishops to a first-place finish at the 12-team Muskingum Invitational last week. Ohio Wesleyan won team honors on the first playoff hole after tying Muskingum with a 592. Denison (599) finished fourth, Wooster (630) was eighth, and Wittenberg (634) and Kenyon (661) finished ninth and 11th, respectively. Job finished in fifth place among individuals with a 146. Junior **Jay Tilton (Cincinnati/Windon Woods)** tied with Big Red freshman **John DeWitt (Akron, OH/Walsh Jesuit)** for sixth place at 147. Denison set a new varsity one-day tournament record (304) on the second day, and came close to matching the Big Red two-day tournament record.

MEN'S LACROSSE REPORT

Three conference contests are on tap this week. On Wednesday, Wooster (0-0, 2-1), the last team to see NCAC action, opens conference play by hosting Oberlin (0-2, 0-4). Two conference contests are set for Saturday as Ohio Wesleyan (0-1, 2-4) travels to Kenyon (1-0, 4-1) and Wittenberg (1-1, 1-3) visits the Yeomen.

Denison and Kenyon continue to share the early lead in the conference race. The Big Red topped archrival Ohio Wesleyan last week, 13-11, and are off to a 2-0 start. Denison takes a break from NCAC play this week and will host Greensboro on Saturday. Kenyon's contest with Wooster last week was postponed to a later date due to the weather. Wittenberg and Denison rescheduled their contest from last week to Tuesday, April 16.

Denison senior midfielder **Jon Staunton (Charlottesville, VA/St. Anne's Belfield School)** led the Big Red attack in their defeat of the Bishops with three goals and one assist. Senior attackman **Matt Coughlin (Denver, CO/Regis Jesuit)** led Ohio Wesleyan with four goals in the contest. Wooster junior **Colin Hartnett (Canandaigua, NY/Canandaigua Academy)** scored two goals and added two assists as the Scots trounced Marietta, 25-1.

Poll: In the latest USILA national poll (April 1, 2002), Denison is ranked eighth and Ohio Wesleyan is 18th.

PLAYER OF THE WEEK: Denison senior midfielder **Jon Staunton (Charlottesville, VA/St. Anne's Belfield School)** led the Big Red attack in their defeat of the Bishops with three goals and one assist.

WOMEN'S LACROSSE REPORT

A full slate of conference contests are on tap for the coming week as every North Coast Athletic Conference squad has at least one conference contest. Beginning Tuesday, Ohio Wesleyan (1-0, 4-2) travels to Wooster (0-0, 2-2), then Wednesday, Oberlin (0-0, 0-1) visits Denison (0-0, 1-4). Thursday's match features Kenyon (0-0, 3-1) at the Bishops' home field, then on Saturday, the Yeowomen go to Wittenberg (0-0, 2-3) and Allegheny (0-0, 1-2) takes on Earlham (0-1, 0-2) in Richmond. The Gators visit the Tigers' home field on Sunday.

Just one of three scheduled conference matches was played last week. Ohio Wesleyan defeated Earlham, 16-3, in the only NCAC game contested to date. Denison and Kenyon have rescheduled their match to April 9, while Allegheny and Wooster will try again on April 21.

Allegheny freshman **Liz Gellar (Sewickley, Pa./Quaker Valley)** scored thee goals in the Gators' victory over Buffalo State. It was her second three-plus goal game of the young season. Denison senior attack **Bridget Curley (Summit, NJ/Summit)** scored five of the Big Red's nine goals last week. Ohio Wesleyan junior midfielder **Amanda McDermott (Wayne, PA/Episcopal Academy)** scored five goals in the NCAC opener. It was her fourth straight hat trick on the year, in five games played. Wooster senior attack **Emily White (Princeton, WV/Western Reserve Academy)** totalled nine points on six goals and three assists in leading the Scots to two victories last week.

PLAYER OF THE WEEK: Wooster senior attack **Emily White (Princeton, WV/Western Reserve Academy)** totalled nine points on six goals and three assists in leading the Scots to two victories last week. She had three goals and two assists against IUP and netted a game-high four points - three goals and one assist - against Brockport State.

SOFTBALL REPORT

The 2002 North Coast season kicks off Saturday with a full slate of games. Denison (7-7) begins defense of their NCAC title at Wooster (6-8), while Allegheny (7-5) travels to Wittenberg (7-9-1), Hiram (5-4) heads to Ohio Wesleyan (5-6-1) and Kenyon (8-6-1) plays at Oberlin (1-6). Allegheny tops the league with a 7-5 non-conference record. Kenyon, in second place, owns the most wins in non-league play to date. The Gators lead the NCAC in pitching with a collective 2.29 ERA. Hiram leads the conference in team batting (72-209, .344) and has the top three individual hitters in the NCAC - (in order) freshman outfielder **Amanda Weigand (Newton Falls, OH/Labrae)** (11-23, .478), sophomore second baseman **Cara Bussell (Mogadore, OH/Mogadore)** (11-23, .478) and freshman shortstop **Jamie Hanson (Leslie, MI/Leslie)** (11-24, .458).

PLAYER OF THE WEEK: Denison senior outfielder **Kelly Robbins (Franklin, OH/Franklin)** was 4-for-5 in two games for the Big Red last week. She tallied two RBI and scored one run. **PITCHER OF THE WEEK:** Kenyon freshman pitcher /third baseman **Sarah Hernandez (Rancho Santa Margarita, CA/Trabuco Hills)** helped the Ladies to a 4-3 win over Ohio Dominican last week in the first game of a twinbill. In seven innings of work, she allowed three earned runs and seven hits, while fanning eight batters. Hernandez improved to 3-3 on the season.

MEN'S TENNIS REPORT

There are no conference divisional matches scheduled for the coming week. Last week, the only divisional match played resulted in a 7-0 victory for Allegheny over Hiram. The Gators (1-0) and Oberlin (1-0) share the early lead in the East Division, both with wins over the Terriers. In the West Division, no matches were contested, so Denison (2-0) continues to hold the lead with a pair of divisional victories achieved earlier in the season.

Allegheny juniors **Gabe Higgs-Horwell (Chillicothe, Pa./Chillicothe)** and **Chris Howell (Solon, Ohio/Solon)** each went 3-0 in singles competition last week. Higgs-Horwell dropped just 13 games in six sets at first singles. Howell is off to a perfect start at number-two singles as he has won all nine of his singles matches this season. Denison sophomore **Ryan Peck (Palo Alto, CA/Menlo)** won both of his singles matches at the fifth flight last week and was the only individual to earn a victory for the Big Red in a loss to Rochester. Earlham junior **Adam Turner (Richmond, IN/Richmond)** didn't lose a game in singles or doubles as the Quakers shut out Wilmington last week. Turner won his first-singles match, 6-0, 6-0, and teamed with senior **Justin Carrier (Voorheesville, NY/Bouton)** to win number-one doubles, 8-0.

WOMEN'S TENNIS REPORT

Eight of nine NCAC schools will see action in conference play this week. Beginning today, Wooster (0-1, 1-5) will visit Denison (2-0, 6-3). Tuesday, Ohio Wesleyan (2-2, 6-2) goes to Oberlin (1-0, 7-0), then Thursday hosts Wittenberg (0-0, 3-6). On Saturday, the Tigers and Earlham (0-1, 5-2) will host Allegheny (1-1, 6-4) and Hiram (0-1, 1-4), respectively.

Last week, Allegheny defeated Ohio Wesleyan and lost to Denison. A match scheduled at Hiram was postponed. Also last week, the Bishops defeated Wooster. Denison sophomores **Lauren Gerlach (Hudson, OH/Hudson)** and **Alison Hughes (Wauwatosa, WI/Divine Sanor Holy Angels)** combined to win first doubles, 8-0, in their match with Allegheny. Hughes also shut out her opponent in third singles, 6-0, 6-0. Kenyon played in Washington & Lee's Fab Five tournament last weekend. The Ladies lost to Trinity but defeated Mary Washington. Oberlin has won its first seven matches of the season, and has three singles players who started the year undefeated. Junior **Alaina Fotiu-Wojtowicz (Okemos, MI/Okemos)** and freshman **Ary Amerikaner (Huntington, WV/Huntington)** were a combined 14-0 at first and second singles, respectively, and 7-0 at first doubles to start the season.

TRACK & FIELD REPORT

The College of Wooster track and field teams hosted the annual Wooster Invitational on March 30. A total of 29 squads competed - 15 men's teams and 14 women's teams - and Wooster used its home track advantage to come in fifth in both events.

Six NCAC squads competed at Wooster. In the men's competition, Ohio Wesleyan was the top North Coast team. The Bishops finished in fourth place with 63 points. The host Scots followed with 59 points. Allegheny (35) finished seventh, Kenyon (17) was 11th, Hiram (11) tied Westminster for 12th and Denison was 15th (2). Ohio Wesleyan senior **Craig Neeley (Columbus, OH/Bexley)** claimed a first-place finish to lead the Bishops in the high jump by clearing 7' 1/2", surpassing the automatic qualifying standard for the NCAA Division III championship meet. Also scoring points for the Bishops were junior **Dan Bowens (Montclair, NJ/Montclair)**, who finished second in the 800-meter run (1:57.68); senior **Jeff Van Horn (Columbus, OH/Watterson)**, who placed third in the javelin (150' 9") and senior **Bruce Kinsel (Canal Winchester, OH/Canal Winchester)**, who was fourth in the 110-meter hurdles (15.65) and 10th in the 400-meter hurdles (59.91).

Wooster's top race of the day was the 3000-meter steeplechase, in which junior **Brendan Callahan (Glastonbury, CT/So. Glastonbury)** finished third. His time of 9:23.25 provisionally qualifies him for the Div. III Championships and marks a school record. Right behind Callahan was senior teammate **Marty Coppola (Medina, OH/Medina)**, who ended up in fourth with a mark of 9:38.48. Senior **Nahum Kisner (/Houston, TX/St. Stephens Episcopal)** won the 200 meters (22.88), came in third in the 100 (10.98), and was part of the 4x100 meter relay that took third-place (43.22). Kenyon junior **Michael Baird (Temple, TX/Temple)** finished second in the 3,000-meter steeplechase, setting a Lords' record in 9:21.99. The time also meets the NCAA provisional qualifying standard.

Allegheny was the top conference finisher in second place (105), a mere three points behind first-place Ashland (108). Denison (83) was fourth, followed by the host Scots (78) in fifth. Kenyon (19), Hiram (12) and Ohio Wesleyan (3) finished 11th, 12th and 13th, respectively. The Gators had 24 top-10 finishes, including a sweep of places one through three in the 5,000 meter run and a sweep of first and second in the javelin. Freshman **Erika Almquist (Lexington, MA/Lexington)** was one of Allegheny's most prolific performers, earning a second-place finish in the triple jump (31' 7 1/4"), a fifth in the long jump (15' 6") and a 10th in the 100 meter hurdles (16.98).

TRACK & FIELD REPORT

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Denison had two sophomores provisionally qualify for the Div. III championships at the meet **Melanie Cluss (Uniontown, PA/Laurel Highlands)** in the 100 hurdles (14.86) and **Laura Finkes (Hebron, OH/Lakewood)** in the discus (138' 1"). The Big Red's 400-meter relay won the event in a time of 50.09. Kenyon's **Katherine Kapo (Charleston, WV/Charleston Catholic)**, a senior, finished second in the 3,000 meter steeplechase in a provisionally qualifying time of 12:12.62. Sophomore **Sarah Grant (Woodstock, CT/Hyde School)** highlighted the Scot women's list of performances. Her winning time of 11:59.52 in the 3000-meter steeplechase was a school record, stadium record, and provisional-qualifying performance for the national meet. Hurdle action saw Wooster produce strong results, too, as senior **Lydia Kruse (Savannah, OH/Ashland Crestview)** was the runner-up in the 400-meter hurdles (1:09.42). On the field, senior **Justina Williams (Los Angeles, CA/El Camino Real)** was a double winner, outleaping her competition in the long jump (17' 7 3/4") and in the triple jump (33' 4 1/2"). Backing her up was classmate **Liz Farina (Shrewsbury, MA/Shrewsbury)** with a third in the triple (31' 4 3/4") and an eighth-place in the long (14' 6 1/2"). Hiram sophomore **Julie Hajny (Piney Fork, OH/Buckeye Local)** broke her own Terrier record with a fourth-place finish in the 3,000-meter steeplechase (12:28.26). Ohio Wesleyan freshman **Jen Musbach (North Olmsted, OH/North Olmsted)** stood out for the Bishops, placing sixth in the pole vault and tied for 14th place in the high jump.

RUNNERS OF THE WEEK: Oberlin junior **Laura Feeney (Stratburg, NY/Roosevelt)** finished second in the 5,000-meter run at the Emory Classic last week with a stadium record time of 18:10.61. Wabash senior **Jared Smit (Lafayette, IN/Central Catholic)** was third in the 10,000-meter run at the Indianapolis Gerald England Invitational. His time of 31:36.02 met the NCAA Div. III provisional qualifying standard.

FIELD ATHLETES OF THE WEEK: Denison sophomore **Laura Finkes(Hebron, OH/Lakewood)** won the discus at the Wooster Invitational last week, with a toss of 138' 1". Her effort met the NCAA Div. III provisional qualifying standard. She also finished seventh in the shot put (35' 4 1/2"). Ohio Wesleyan senior **Craig Neeley (Columbus, OH/Bexley)** claimed a first-place finish in the high jump by clearing 7' 1/2", surpassing the automatic qualifying standard for the NCAA Division III championship meet and setting meet and stadium records.

HELLO AND GOODBYE: Denison has named **Robert A. Ghiloni** as its new head men's basketball coach. He comes to the Big Red from Bishop Ready High School in Columbus, OH, where he has served as the head coach of the Silver Knights' boys program for the past 15 seasons. This past season, Ghiloni's Ready squad posted a 23-5 record and reached the state tournament championship finals in Division III. A native of Newark, OH, Ghiloni graduated from Ohio State University (1981) and earned his Master's Degree from the University of Dayton (1985) ... Wittenberg has announced that **Norman Riker** will replace **Fran Kulas** as the Tigers' head women's soccer coach. Riker becomes the seventh head coach of the Tiger program since it earned varsity status in 1986. Most recently, he served as the interim head coach of the women's soccer team at Vassar College, where he is also the men's lacrosse assistant coach. A native of Block Island, NY, Riker was a four-year lacrosse letterwinner at Springfield College (Mass.). He earned a Bachelor of arts in History from Springfield and also holds a Master of Professional Studies in Humanistic Education from the state University of New York, New Paltz ... Wabash College Swimming Coach **Gail Pebworth**, a fixture on the pool deck for the Little Giants for 18 seasons, has announced her retirement effective June 30, 2002. Pebworth came to Wabash in 1984 after 14 seasons as the swimming coach of the Sugar Creek Swim Club in Crawfordsville. She leaves the College with an overall record of 775-112, including a 131-20 dual meet record, ranking her among the elite coaches in Wabash and NCAA Division III history. Her Little Giant teams recorded eight undefeated seasons, 13 Liberal Arts Invitational Championships, five Indiana Collegiate Athletic Conference Championships, and a Heartland Collegiate Athletic Conference Championship. Her teams have competed in the NCAC the past three seasons, earning third-place finishes in the toughest swimming conference in the nation. Pebworth is a seven-time winner of the Wabash "Coach of the Year Award" and received the Indianapolis Association of Wabash Men's "Spirit of the Monon Bell Award" in 1998. In 2000 she became the first female inducted into the Wabash College Athletic Hall of Fame. She was honored as one of Indiana's "Trailblazing Women" in 1999.

North Coast Athletic Conference Baseball Standings (as of March 31, 2002)

NCAC East									NCAC West								
Team	Baseball				Overall				Team	Baseball				Overall			
	W	L	T	Pct	W	L	T	Pct		W	L	T	Pct	W	L	T	Pct
Wooster.....	2	0	0	1.000	14	1	0	.933	Wittenberg.....	1	0	0	1.000	9	7	0	.562
Allegheny.....	0	0	0	.000	8	3	0	.727	Ohio Wesleyan.....	1	1	0	.500	15	3	0	.833
Kenyon.....	0	0	0	.000	7	7	0	.500	Denison.....	1	1	0	.500	10	6	0	.625
Oberlin.....	0	0	0	.000	5	7	0	.417	Wabash.....	0	1	0	.000	12	13	0	.480
Hiram.....	0	2	0	.000	2	12	0	.143	Earlham.....	0	0	0	.000	3	13	0	.188

North Coast Athletic Conference Baseball Leaders Summary - All Games (as of March 31, 2002)

TEAM BATTING													HITS			
	G	Avg	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	BB	SO	SB-ATT					
Wooster.....	15	.394	528	196	208	53	12	20	74	74	24-28	Drew Caravella OWU.....	38			
Ohio Wesleyan.....	18	.393	643	197	253	41	9	20	69	85	33-43	Joe Loudenslager OWU.....	33			
Denison.....	16	.357	530	149	189	23	2	11	84	77	40-47	Matt Miller WOO.....	33			
Wittenberg.....	16	.352	489	115	172	39	6	13	48	70	25-31	B. Renbarger WAB.....	31			
Allegheny.....	11	.344	358	96	123	28	5	3	45	62	4-8	Alex Nikolich DEN.....	28			
Earlham.....	16	.292	455	78	133	22	1	0	42	80	11-13	RUNS SCORED				
Wabash.....	25	.290	739	133	214	37	5	8	82	129	11-14	Joe Loudenslager OWU.....	30			
Kenyon.....	14	.287	394	85	113	28	1	13	49	83	21-22	Drew Caravella OWU.....	28			
Oberlin.....	12	.279	348	52	97	18	0	2	34	84	20-22	J. Treadway WOO.....	26			
Hiram.....	14	.271	409	84	111	18	2	6	53	89	9-14	D. Penberthy WOO.....	25			
Totals.....	78	.330	4893	1185	1613	307	43	96	580	833	198-242	2 tied with 24 run(s) scored				
TEAM PITCHING													RUNS BATTED IN			
	G	ERA	W	L	Sv	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO					
Ohio Wesleyan.....	18	2.21	15	3	2	150.2	129	66	37	56	155	Drew Caravella OWU.....	38			
Wooster.....	15	2.92	14	1	1	114.0	109	54	37	40	118	Jake Frank WOO.....	25			
Oberlin.....	12	5.26	5	7	1	89.0	122	84	52	32	56	Matt Miller WOO.....	24			
Wabash.....	25	5.32	12	13	5	179.1	240	158	106	76	135	Alex Nikolich DEN.....	22			
Wittenberg.....	16	5.65	9	7	1	113.0	139	87	71	56	108	3 tied with 20 RBI(s)				
Allegheny.....	11	5.67	8	3	1	81.0	84	57	51	43	57	DOUBLES				
Kenyon.....	14	5.94	7	7	1	94.0	126	107	62	75	61	M. Mack WAB.....	9			
Denison.....	16	6.17	10	6	3	127.0	158	103	87	51	80	D. Penberthy WOO.....	9			
Hiram.....	14	7.55	2	12	0	95.1	127	119	80	57	93	Matt Miller WOO.....	9			
Earlham.....	16	8.11	3	13	0	107.2	160	125	97	63	57	6 tied with 7 double(s)				
Totals.....	78	5.32	85	72	15	1151.0	1394	960	680	549	920	TRIPLES				
TEAM FIELDING													HOME RUNS			
	G	PO	A	E	Pct	DP	PB	SBA-ATT								
Allegheny.....	11	243	89	16	.954	10	3	10-14			Drew Caravella OWU.....	7				
Ohio Wesleyan.....	18	452	188	32	.952	12	12	13-16			J. Gregory KEN.....	6				
Wooster.....	15	342	131	24	.952	7	2	7-9			Shaun Rice OWU.....	5				
Denison.....	16	381	185	29	.951	6	4	14-24			4 tied with 4 home run(s)					
Wittenberg.....	16	339	132	30	.940	8	2	19-25			TOTAL BASES					
Wabash.....	25	538	249	62	.927	16	6	19-26			Drew Caravella OWU.....	66				
Earlham.....	16	323	138	39	.922	7	5	35-42			Matt Miller WOO.....	58				
Kenyon.....	14	282	116	35	.919	6	2	11-12			Shaun Rice OWU.....	50				
Oberlin.....	12	267	119	34	.919	8	0	22-26			Jake Frank WOO.....	49				
Hiram.....	14	283	146	42	.911	1	3	21-29			Joe Loudenslager OWU.....	48				
Totals.....	78	3450	1493	343	.935	81	39	171-223			STOLEN BASES					
INDIVIDUAL BATTING													SB-ATT			
Min 2.0 AB/Team game	G	Avg	AB	R	H	RBI	2B	3B	HR	BB						
Drew Caravella OWU.....	18	.667	57	28	38	38	7	0	7	12	Zachary Pretzler OBE.....	14-15				
Matt Miller WOO.....	15	.516	64	23	33	24	9	2	4	5	Brian Regan DEN.....	11-12				
Joe Loudenslager OWU.....	18	.493	67	30	33	20	2	2	3	9	Shaun Rice OWU.....	9-9				
Jake Frank WOO.....	15	.471	51	21	24	25	5	4	4	6	Dill WIT.....	9-10				
Joe Koussa HIR.....	13	.468	47	10	22	4	3	0	0	2	Adam Mandel DEN.....	7-8				
D. Penberthy WOO.....	15	.464	56	25	26	19	9	1	2	6	STRIKEOUTS					
Hirsch WIT.....	16	.455	55	18	25	13	6	0	2	7	Curt Moenter OWU.....	33.2				
Alex Nikolich DEN.....	16	.452	62	17	28	22	2	2	3	12	J. Horne WAB.....	33.2				
Zachary Pretzler OBE.....	12	.450	40	8	18	7	0	0	0	3	Fox WIT.....	17.0				
Kevin Carr ERL.....	12	.441	34	10	15	5	3	0	0	0	J. Werner WOO.....	23.0				
INDIVIDUAL PITCHING													IP		SO	
Min 1.0 IP/Team game	App	ERA	W-L	Sv	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO						
M. Englander WOO.....	4	1.04	3-1	0	26.0	19	8	3	8	22	Matt Farmwald OWU.....	31.0	25			
Tyler Mott OWU.....	5	1.42	2-1	0	25.1	16	9	4	5	21						
Curt Moenter OWU.....	6	1.60	5-0	0	33.2	24	11	6	12	45						
Dominic Yazbek HIR.....	4	1.80	2-1	0	15.0	10	7	3	14	18						
Michael Myers OWU.....	5	2.13	3-0	0	25.1	31	14	6	9	18						
C. Weber KEN.....	7	2.63	2-2	1	27.1	28	22	8	9	16						
J. Werner WOO.....	4	2.74	4-0	0	23.0	25	11	7	6	30						
Troy DeWitt OBE.....	4	3.10	1-1	1	20.1	21	14	7	5	19						
Matt Farmwald OWU.....	6	3.19	4-0	0	31.0	33	15	11	11	25						
Lucas Troutwine ERL.....	6	3.32	1-3	0	21.2	25	15	8	6	4						

North Coast Athletic Conference Softball Standings (as of March 31, 2002)

Team	Softball				Overall		
	W	L	T	Pct	W	L	Pct
Allegheny.....	0	0	0	.000	7	5	0 .583
Kenyon.....	0	0	0	.000	8	6	1 .567
Hiram.....	0	0	0	.000	5	4	0 .556
Denison.....	0	0	0	.000	7	7	0 .500
Wittenberg.....	0	0	0	.000	7	8	1 .469
Ohio Wesleyan.....	0	0	0	.000	5	6	1 .458
Wooster.....	0	0	0	.000	6	8	0 .429
Oberlin.....	0	0	0	.000	1	6	0 .143

North Coast Athletic Conference Softball Leaders Summary - minus one game (as of March 31, 2002)

TEAM BATTING	G	Avg	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	BB	SO	SB-ATT	HITS
Hiram.....	9	.344	209	65	72	6	3	0	36	13	34-39	O'Neill KEN..... 21
Kenyon.....	15	.308	402	55	124	15	4	3	21	47	5-9	Walters WIT..... 21
Wooster.....	14	.283	381	47	108	16	3	1	39	51	11-14	Schneider WIT..... 19
Wittenberg.....	16	.275	436	73	120	20	1	5	32	51	8-18	Rainey KEN..... 18
Denison.....	14	.273	396	78	108	18	0	0	37	48	18-19	Gillam WIT..... 17
Ohio Wesleyan.....	12	.260	311	49	81	10	3	6	35	36	5-7	
Allegheny.....	12	.243	309	42	75	9	1	1	22	61	10-10	
Oberlin.....	7	.225	160	20	36	10	1	1	9	38	6-6	
Totals.....	49	.278	2604	429	724	104	16	17	231	345	97-122	

HITS	
O'Neill KEN.....	21
Walters WIT.....	21
Schneider WIT.....	19
Rainey KEN.....	18
Gillam WIT.....	17

RUNS SCORED	
Schneider WIT.....	20
Walters WIT.....	14
Cara Bussell HIR.....	12
Robertson KEN.....	11
Tami Henderson DEN.....	10

TEAM PITCHING	G	ERA	W	L	Sv	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Allegheny.....	12	2.29	7	5	0	82.2	86	51	27	21	42
Denison.....	14	2.60	7	7	0	94.1	95	56	35	23	71
Wooster.....	14	2.61	6	8	1	94.0	91	62	35	45	86
Wittenberg.....	16	3.12	7	8	0	103.1	119	67	46	36	55
Kenyon.....	15	3.71	8	6	0	100.0	109	61	53	21	62
Ohio Wesleyan.....	12	3.79	5	6	0	79.1	99	60	43	31	51
Hiram.....	9	5.08	5	4	1	51.0	71	49	37	23	30
Oberlin.....	7	7.37	1	6	0	38.0	61	60	40	18	16
Totals.....	49	3.44	46	50	2	642.2	731	466	316	218	413

RUNS BATTED IN	
Walters WIT.....	12
Gillam WIT.....	11
Tami Henderson DEN.....	9
Dhira Dale ALL.....	9
4 tied with 8 RBI(s)	

TEAM FIELDING	G	PO	A	E	Pct	DP	PB	SBA-ATT
Wittenberg.....	16	310	138	19	.959	3	13	6-9
Kenyon.....	15	300	143	21	.955	1	2	32-38
Allegheny.....	12	248	108	18	.952	5	9	24-27
Denison.....	14	283	126	28	.936	2	9	9-12
Ohio Wesleyan.....	12	238	99	25	.931	1	6	18-21
Wooster.....	14	282	106	30	.928	2	7	12-14
Hiram.....	9	147	67	18	.922	4	3	8-13
Oberlin.....	7	114	62	27	.867	1	0	15-17
Totals.....	49	1922	849	186	.937	19	49	124-151

DOUBLES	
Walters WIT.....	6
Schneider WIT.....	6
K. Horst WOO.....	5
4 tied with 4 double(s)	

TRIPLES	
16 tied with 1 triple(s)	

INDIVIDUAL BATTING	Min 2.0 AB/Team game	G	Avg	AB	R	H	RBI	2B	3B	HR	BB
Amanda Weigand HIR.....	8	.478	23	9	11	1	1	0	0	2	
Cara Bussell HIR.....	9	.478	23	12	11	5	2	1	0	7	
Jamie Hanson HIR.....	9	.458	24	8	11	5	3	1	0	2	
Walters WIT.....	16	.457	46	14	21	12	6	0	2	5	
K. Horst WOO.....	13	.417	36	5	15	6	5	1	0	2	
O'Neill KEN.....	15	.412	51	8	21	7	2	1	0	2	
Rainey KEN.....	15	.383	47	8	18	4	3	1	0	0	
Robertson KEN.....	15	.375	40	11	15	6	0	0	3	5	
Dawn Sweeney OBE.....	7	.375	16	4	6	3	2	1	1	2	
K. Lucas WOO.....	12	.371	35	5	13	4	2	0	1	3	
Tiffany Soggs OWU.....	10	.370	27	4	10	4	0	0	0	10	
Erika Downs ALL.....	12	.368	38	9	14	2	1	0	0	2	
Hillary Pettigrew HIR.....	7	.368	19	5	7	1	0	0	0	1	
Diegel KEN.....	13	.364	33	3	12	2	0	0	0	1	
K. Krivos WOO.....	14	.348	46	9	16	2	1	0	0	3	

HOME RUNS	
Robertson KEN.....	3
Kim Dubovec OWU.....	2
Walters WIT.....	2
10 tied with 1 home run(s)	

TOTAL BASES	
Walters WIT.....	33
Schneider WIT.....	25
O'Neill KEN.....	25
3 tied with 24 total base(s)	

STOLEN BASES	SB-ATT
Hillary Pettigrew HIR.....	6-6
Melissa Foy HIR.....	6-7
Amanda Weigand HIR.....	4-4
Monica Hayden HIR.....	4-5
8 tied with 3 stolen base(s)	

INDIVIDUAL PITCHING	Min 1.0 IP/Team game	App	ERA	W-L	Sv	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
A. Barone WOO.....	10	0.90	3-2	1	46.2	28	12	6	25	51	
Ashlee Rich ALL.....	3	1.31	1-1	0	16.0	11	4	3	3	4	
Sara Mullen DEN.....	3	1.40	2-1	0	15.0	14	3	3	2	11	
Dhira Dale ALL.....	4	1.64	2-1	0	21.1	22	11	5	5	9	
Megan Guyer ALL.....	4	1.84	2-1	0	19.0	15	8	5	4	8	
Janelle Thompson OWU.....	5	1.93	1-1	0	25.1	28	14	7	9	8	
Gillam WIT.....	5	2.00	3-0	0	28.0	33	13	8	4	21	
Erin McClincy DEN.....	6	2.47	2-2	0	34.0	33	17	12	7	6	
Hernandez KEN.....	7	2.73	3-3	0	41.0	34	17	16	12	35	
Cartaya WIT.....	6	3.00	2-2	0	28.0	32	22	12	15	16	
Courtney Zollars DEN.....	7	3.09	3-4	0	45.1	48	36	20	14	54	
N. Fedell WOO.....	7	3.53	2-4	0	35.2	39	31	18	17	29	
Emily Thornton OWU.....	7	3.71	4-2	0	39.2	47	25	21	12	33	
Tracie Gaydos ALL.....	5	3.72	2-2	0	26.1	38	28	14	9	21	
Montgomery WIT.....	9	3.85	2-6	0	47.1	54	32	26	17	18	

STRIKEOUTS	IP	SO
Courtney Zollars DEN.....	45.1	54
A. Barone WOO.....	46.2	51
Hernandez KEN.....	41.0	35
Emily Thornton OWU.....	39.2	33
N. Fedell WOO.....	35.2	29

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	NCAC			OVERALL				
	W	L	PCT	W	L	PCT	GF	GA
DENISON	2	0	1.000	5	0	1.000	48	33
KENYON	1	0	1.000	4	1	.800	76	31
WITTENBERG	1	1	.500	1	3	.250	31	28
WOOSTER	0	0	#DIV/0!	2	1	.667	45	14
OHIO WESLEYAN	0	1	.000	2	4	.333	70	89
OBERLIN	0	2	.000	0	4	.000	7	64

NCAC RESULTS

Denison 13, Ohio Wesleyan 11

OTHER RESULTS

Wooster 25, Marietta 1

TEAM STATISTICS

DENISON	.190	.800	.636
KENYON	.407	.844	.492
OBERLIN	.000	.000	.000
OHIO WESLEYAN	.219	.795	.371
WITTENBERG	.063	.000	.594
WOOSTER	.200	.800	.641

MA% = man-advantage percentage

PK% = penalty-killing percentage

FO% = faceoff percentage

POINTS

Mike MacMaster, WOO	3	7	11	18	6.00
Steve Burton, WOO	3	13	2	15	5.00
Matt Coughlin, OWU	6	16	13	29	4.83
Colin Hartnett, WOO	3	9	5	14	4.67
Justin Martinich, KEN	5	14	8	22	4.40
Greg Tate, KEN	5	16	5	21	4.20
Justin Hamilton, KEN	5	8	12	20	4.00
Andy Rowe, OWU	6	20	3	23	3.83
Ryan Berger, DEN	5	9	9	18	3.60

GOALS

Steve Burton, WOO	3	13	4.33
Andy Rowe, OWU	6	20	3.33
Greg Tate, KEN	5	16	3.20
Colin Hartnett, WOO	3	9	3.00
Justin Martinich, KEN	5	14	2.80
Matt Coughlin, OWU	6	16	2.67
Mike MacMaster, WOO	3	7	2.33

ASSISTS

Mike MacMaster, WOO	3	11	3.67
Justin Hamilton, KEN	5	12	2.40
Matt Coughlin, OWU	6	13	2.17
Ryan Berger, DEN	5	9	1.80
Dan Patterson, WIT	4	7	1.75
Michael Long, OWU	6	10	1.67
Colin Hartnett, WOO	3	5	1.67

SAVES PERCENTAGE

Kyle Prussing, WIT	4	20	.667
Peter Royer, DEN	5	31	.648
Andrew DeBord, WOO	3	14	.641

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	NCAC				OVERALL				
	W	L	PCT	GA	W	L	PCT	GF	GA
OHIO WESLEYAN	1	0	1.000	3	4	2	.667	66	38
KENYON	0	0	#DIV/0!	0	3	1	.750	39	35
WOOSTER	0	0	#DIV/0!	0	2	2	.500	38	45
WITTENBERG	0	0	#DIV/0!	0	2	3	.400	42	65
ALLEGHENY	0	0	#DIV/0!	0	1	2	.333	23	37
DENISON	0	0	#DIV/0!	0	1	4	.200	36	68
OBERLIN	0	0	#DIV/0!	0	0	1	.000	6	19
EARLHAM	0	1	.000	3	0	2	.000	14	32

POINTS	GP	G	A	PTS	P/G
Cara Romanowski, WIT	5	17	2	19	3.80
Beih Hemminger, WOO	4	7	6	13	3.25
A. McDermott, OWU	6	17	2	19	3.17
Alexa Laub, OWU	6	12	6	18	3.00
Natalie Philpot, KEN	4	5	6	11	2.75
Lila Barzegar, OWU	6	10	6	16	2.67
Liz Gellar, ALL	3	8	0	8	2.67
Erin Jacobsen, WIT	5	13	0	13	2.60
4 with					2.50

GOALS

	GP	G	G/G
Cara Romanowski, WIT	5	17	3.40
A. McDermott, OWU	6	17	2.83
Liz Gellar, ALL	3	8	2.67
Erin Jacobsen, WIT	5	13	2.60
Shannon Shehan, ERL	2	5	2.50
Brooke Sachs, ERL	2	5	2.50

ASSISTS

	GP	A	A/G
Beih Hemminger, WOO	4	6	1.50
Natalie Philpot, KEN	4	6	1.50
Devin McCue, ALL	3	4	1.33
Jenny Burns, WIT	5	6	1.20
Lila Barzegar, OWU	6	6	1.00
Alexa Laub, OWU	6	6	1.00
Courtland Smith, OWU	6	6	1.00

SAVES PERCENTAGE

	GP	GA	SV	SV%
Jody Dickinson, OWU	6	32	44	.579
Ruth Crowell, KEN	4	33	40	.548

NCAC RESULTS

Ohio Wesleyan 16, Earlham 3

OTHER RESULTS

Allegheny 9, Buffalo State 8
Brockport St. 18, Kenyon 8
Randolph-Macon 17, Denison 1
Washington & Lee 18, Denison 8
Wooster 11, Brockport St. 6
Wooster 16, Indiana (Pa.) 9

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	NCAC			OVERALL		
	W	L	PCT	W	L	PCT
DENISON	2	0	1.000	6	3	.667
OBERLIN	1	0	1.000	7	0	1.000
OHIO WESLEYAN	2	2	.500	6	2	.750
ALLEGHENY	1	1	.500	6	4	.600
KENYON	0	0	#####	6	3	.667
WITTENBERG	0	0	#####	3	6	.333
EARLHAM	0	1	.000	5	2	.714
HIRAM	0	1	.000	1	4	.200
WOOSTER	0	1	.000	1	5	.167

#1 SINGLES	#2 SINGLES	#3 SINGLES
Alaina Fotiu-Wojtowicz, OBE 7-0/1-0	Ary Amerikaner, OBE 7-0/0-0	Laura Ross, HIR 4-0/0-0
Emily Figel, WIT 10-3/0-0	Merideth Sulser, DEN 5-0/2-0	Lisa Beauchamp, KEN 6-1/0-0
Brooke Roeper, KEN 6-2/0-0	Shannon Oliphant, WIT 6-4/0-0	Laura Koehn, OBE 5-1/0-0
#4 SINGLES	#5 SINGLES	#6 SINGLES
Jessica Hauser, OBE 6-0/0-0	Kim Patton, ERL 4-1/0-0	Sabrina Bruner, ERL 4-2/0-0
Angie Beeler, WOO 3-2/1-0	Barbara Burkholder, OBE 4-2/1-0	Melanie Merz, OBE 4-0/1-0
#1 DOUBLES	#2 DOUBLES	#3 DOUBLES
Mahler/Armlin, OWU 7-0/3-0	Morehead/Patton, ERL 5-1/0-0	Lyons/Mark, KEN 4-1/0-0
Fotiu-Wojtowicz/Amerikaner, OBE 7-0/1-0	Hanto/Lesneff, DEN 4-1/1-0	Kneas/Williams, OWU 4-1/1-1
Roeper/Tucker, KEN 8-1/0-0		Daida/Nahmiyaz, HIR 2-1/0-0

[must participate in at least 50% of team's matches at designated flight - NCAC record listed second.]

NCAC RESULTS

Allegheny 5, Ohio Wesleyan 4
Denison 9, Allegheny 0
Ohio Wesleyan 8, Wooster 1

OTHER RESULTS

Earlham 6, Wilmington 2
Kenyon 9, Mary Washington 0
Trinity 8, Kenyon 1

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	NCAC Divisional Play			OVERALL		
	W	L	PCT	W	L	PCT
EAST						
OBERLIN	1	0	1.000	3	4	.429
ALLEGHENY	1	0	1.000	6	4	.600
KENYON	0	0	#####	5	2	.714
WOOSTER	0	0	#####	3	6	.333
HIRAM	0	2	.000	1	5	.167
WEST						
DENISON	2	0	1.000	4	7	.364
WABASH	1	0	1.000	9	3	.750
WITTENBERG	0	0	#####	5	0	1.000
OHIO WESLEYAN	0	1	.000	3	6	.333
EARLHAM	0	2	.000	6	5	.545

#1 SINGLES	#2 SINGLES	#3 SINGLES
Casey Claggett, WIT 13-2/0-0	Chris Howell, ALL 9-0/1-0	Mike Herrick, KEN 3-1/0-0
Mike Lynch, WAB 9-2/1-0	Jake Sintich, WOO 7-1/0-0	Chuck DiLalla, ERL 8-3/0-2
Gabe Higgs-Horwell, ALL 7-2/1-0	Scott Paramoure, WAB 9-2/1-0	Daniel Altman, WAB 5-2/1-0
#4 SINGLES	#5 SINGLES	#6 SINGLES
Scott Schoenberger, KEN 4-1/0-0	Brian Taubman, KEN 6-1/0-0	Rob Postma, WIT 6-1/0-0
Mike Herzog, WIT 9-3/0-0	Casey Kroh, ERL 6-3/1-1	Tyler McClane, ERL 6-4/0-2
Nick Schuller, ERL 6-4/1-1	Ben Hodgekiss-Lilly, WIT 9-5/0-0	Joshua Mabra, KEN 3-2/0-0
#1 DOUBLES	#2 DOUBLES	#3 DOUBLES
Turner/Carrter, ERL 9-4/0-2	Altman/Starnes, WAB 6-2/1-0	Cusick/Hodgekiss-Lilly, WIT 9-3/0-0
Higgs-Horwell/Howell, ALL 6-3/1-0	Saldanha/Bailey, WOO 4-2/0-0	Bouchard/Stewart, DEN 5-2/2-0
Claggett/Postma, WIT 7-4/0-0	Regenfuss/Compton, DEN 4-3/2-0	McClane/Schuller, ERL 4-2/0-2

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NCAC DIVISIONAL RESULTS

Allegheny 7, Hiram 0

OTHER RESULTS

Allegheny 6, Ohio Wesleyan 1

Denison 5, Allegheny 2

Wittenberg 5, Wooster 2

Capital 4, Ohio Wesleyan 3

Earlham 7, Wilmington 0

Kenyon 5, Rochester 2

Rochester 6, Denison 1

Rochester 6, Wooster 1