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★ OHIO WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY ★ WABASH COLLEGE ★ WITTENBERG UNIVERSITY ★ COLLEGE OF WOOSTER

**NCAC Football Report**

**For Immediate Release**

**WABASH AND WOOSTER SHARE FIRST PLACE IN TIGHT NCAC RACE;  
LITTLE GIANTS AND FIGHTING SCOTS REMAIN UNBEATEN**

**October 20, 2002**

**CLEVELAND** – Wabash (4-0, 6-0) and Wooster (3-0, 6-0) continue to pile up wins in one of the tightest North Coast Championship race in recent years. The two schools both picked up conference wins last week, over Ohio Wesleyan and Allegheny, respectively.

The Little Giants, ranked 15th in the latest AFCA Division III coaches poll, relied on a defense which forced six turnovers to beat the Battling Bishops (1-2, 3-3), 27-7. The win was the 13th in a row for Wabash, dating back to last season - it was their 10th consecutive NCAC win. Junior defensive back **Stu Johnson (West Lafayette, IN/Harrison)** led the Little Giants' defensive effort with 15 tackles (four solo, 11 assisted), two forced fumbles, one fumble recovery, one interception and a six-yard interception return.

The Fighting Scots leaned on their strong rushing attack to wear down the Allegheny defense, scoring two fourth-quarter touchdowns to earn a 21-7 win over the Gators (1-2, 2-4). Wooster has won eight straight games, counting back from last fall. With a win this week, the Scots will have the first 7-0 start to a season since the 1923 team went 9-0 and captured the Ohio Athletic Conference title. Sophomore tailback **Tony Sutton (Akron, OH/Archbishop Hoban)** ran for his third 200-yard rushing game in four weeks, totaling 204 net yards on 36 carries. He scored the deciding two fourth-quarter touchdowns and was responsible for the bulk of the Scots' offense. Outside of Sutton's offense, which also included two receptions, Wooster totaled 105 yards on 32 plays.

This week the two teams face opponents who are also coming off conference wins. Wabash travels to Oberlin (2-1, 2-4), while Wooster stays home to face Earlham (2-1, 2-4). The Yeomen and Quakers, locked in a three-way tie for third with Wittenberg, defeated Denison and Kenyon, respectively. Wittenberg (2-1, 6-1), ranked 16th in the AFCA poll, hits the road for the second straight week. The Tigers will take the field at Ohio Wesleyan.

The final two games slated for this week feature teams looking to rebound from a loss last week. Allegheny travels to Denison; Hiram heads to Kenyon.

**This Week's Schedule**

**Saturday, Oct. 26**  
ALLEGHENY at DENISON, 1:00  
EARLHAM at WOOSTER, 1:00  
HIRAM at KENYON, 1:00  
WABASH at OBERLIN, 1:00  
WITTENBERG at OHIO WESLEYAN, 1:00

**Last Week's Results**

**Saturday, Oct. 19**  
EARLHAM 35, DENISON 0  
OBERLIN 56, KENYON 17  
WABASH 27, OHIO WESLEYAN 7  
WITTENBERG 77, HIRAM 0  
WOOSTER 21, ALLEGHENY 7

**PLAYERS OF THE WEEK**

CLEVELAND -- Earlham senior **Jermel Hurt (Michigan City, IN/Michigan City)** and Oberlin junior **Greg Jaquay (Salina, KS/Highland College)** have been named offensive and defensive "Players of the Week" for their performances last week in the North Coast Athletic Conference.

**Hurt**, a 5-7, 190-pound running back, scored three touchdowns in the Quakers' win over Denison. He churned up 93 yards on the ground, reaching the endzone twice. He also hauled in one pass for 42 yards and a touchdown to lead Earlham to their fourth win over the Big Red in 12 meetings between the two schools.

**Jaquay**, a 6-0, 195-pound linebacker, led the Yeomen past Kenyon with a team-high 15 tackles. He made 12 solo stops while no other player had more than six. Jaquay also recorded one sack for a loss of five yards.

## NORTH COAST ATHLETIC CONFERENCE 2002 FOOTBALL SCOREBOARD

### Allegheny College (1-2; 2-4)

S. 7	Baldwin-Wallace	L, 2-22
S. 14	Wash. & Jefferson	W, 28-25
S. 28	at Westminster	L, 13-24
O. 5	at Wabash	L, 14-24
O. 12	Hiram	W, 56-0
O. 19	Wooster	L, 7-21
O. 26	at Denison	
N. 2	at Wittenberg	
N. 9	Earlham	
N. 16	at Ohio Wesleyan	

### Denison University (1-2; 1-5)

S. 7	Waynesburg	L, 7-27
S. 14	Case Western Reserve	L, 13-42
S. 21	at Ohio Wesleyan *	L, 20-38
O. 5	at Wittenberg	L 7-53
O. 12	Kenyon	W, 41-7
O. 20	at Earlham	L, 0-35
O. 26	Allegheny	
N. 2	at Hiram	
N. 9	Wooster	
N. 16	at Oberlin	

### Earlham College (2-1; 2-4)

S. 7	at Rose-Hulman	L, 0-23
S. 14	at Manchester	L, 7-17
S. 21	Wabash *	L, 7-44
O. 5	at Kenyon	W, 49-19
O. 12	Ohio Wesleyan	L, 14-21
O. 19	Denison	W, 35-0
O. 26	at Wooster	
N. 2	Oberlin	
N. 9	at Allegheny	
N. 16	Hiram	

### Hiram College (0-3; 0-6)

S. 7	Grove City	L, 7-30
S. 21	at Bluffton	L, 0-45
S. 14	at Mt. St. Joseph	L, 0-51
S. 28	at Oberlin	L, 14-35
O. 12	at Allegheny	L, 0-56
O. 19	Wittenberg	L, 0-77
O. 26	at Kenyon	
N. 2	Denison	
N. 9	Wabash	
N. 16	at Earlham	

### Kenyon College (0-4; 0-7)

S. 7	at Centre	L, 15-38
S. 14	at Bethany	L, 7-55
S. 21	Kalamazoo	L, 6-53
S. 28	Wabash	L, 0-58
O. 5	Earlham	L, 19-49
O. 12	at Denison	L, 7-41
O. 19	Oberlin	L, 17-56
O. 26	Hiram	
N. 2	at Ohio Wesleyan	
N. 9	at Wittenberg	

### Oberlin College (2-1; 2-4)

S. 7	Franklin & Marshall	L, 14-26
S. 21	at Case Western Reserve	L, 11-37
S. 28	Hiram	W, 35-14
O. 5	Frostburg State	L, 14-48
O. 12	at Wooster	L, 10-49
O. 19	at Kenyon	W, 56-17
O. 26	Wabash	
N. 2	at Earlham	
N. 9	Ohio Wesleyan	
N. 16	Denison	

### Ohio Wesleyan University (1-2; 3-3)

S. 14	at Olivet	W, 25-21
S. 21	Denison *	W, 38-20
S. 28	at Albion	L, 0-16
O. 5	Wooster	L, 14-37
O. 12	at Earlham	W, 21-14
O. 19	at Wabash	L, 7-27
O. 26	Wittenberg	
N. 2	Kenyon	
N. 9	at Oberlin	
N. 16	Allegheny	

### Wabash College (4-0; 6-0)

S. 14	Kalamazoo	W, 27-20
S. 21	at Earlham *	W, 44-7
S. 28	at Kenyon	W, 58-0
O. 5	Allegheny	W, 24-14
O. 12	at Wittenberg	W, 46-43 (OT)
O. 19	Ohio Wesleyan	W, 27-7
O. 26	at Oberlin	
N. 2	Wooster	
N. 9	at Hiram	
N. 16	DePauw	

### Wittenberg University (2-1; 5-1)

S. 7	Albion	W, 44-7
S. 14	at Urbana	W, 37-10
S. 28	at Thomas More	W, 31-6
O. 5	Denison	W, 53-7
O. 12	Wabash	L, 43-46 (OT)
O. 19	at Hiram	W, 77-0
O. 26	at Ohio Wesleyan	
N. 2	Allegheny	
N. 9	Kenyon	
N. 16	at Wooster	

### GRID NOTEBOOK

Two NCAC backs rushed for more than 200 yards last week. Wooster tailback **Tony Sutton** ran for 204 yards, his third 200-yard rushing game in four weeks. Wabash junior running back **Chris Morris (Zionsville, IN/Zionsville)** ran for 211 yards and one touchdown on 25 carries. He is only the third Little Giant to rush for more than 200 yards or more twice in one season. Morris is now four yards short of topping the 2,000-yard career mark ... Allegheny junior cornerback **Matt Komar (Chesterland, OH/West Geauga)** totaled 12 tackles, two and one-half for a loss, and forced two fumbles against Wooster ... Denison freshman tight end **Frank Roe (Antioch, CA)** caught a career-high, eight passes for 71 yards to lead the Big Red against Earlham in the receiving category. He is second on the team with 24 catches and 229 yards ... Hiram senior defensive back **Jason Bastin (Hubbard, OH/Hubbard)** had a team-high 12 tackles against Wittenberg, including nine solo stops. He also had one fumble recovery ... Against the Yeomen, Kenyon recorded a season-high 114 rushing yards. Sophomore **Calvin Hatfield (Falmouth, ME/Cheverus)** accounted for 96 of those yards on 21 carries. He has posted rushing totals of 92, 92 and 96 yards in the Lords' last three outings. Hatfield also had seven catches for 54 yards against Oberlin ... Wittenberg junior tailback **Andy Dooley (Lima, OH/)**, led all rushers with 134 yards and three touchdowns on 19 carries playing in place of injured senior running back **Daniel Grove (Uhrichsville, OH/Claymont)**. The Tigers, who dropped a 46-43 overtime decision to Wabash two weeks ago, has not lost two consecutive games since their 1992 season opener.

### College of Wooster (3-0; 6-0)

S. 7	at Hope	W, 14-9
S. 21	Bethany	W, 38-28
S. 28	Case Western Reserve	W, 27-22
S. 5	at Ohio Wesleyan	W, 37-14
O. 12	Oberlin	W, 49-10
O. 19	at Allegheny	W, 21-7
O. 26	Earlham	
O. 2	at Wabash	
N. 9	at Denison	
N. 16	Wittenberg	

\* non-conference

2002 North Coast Athletic Conference Football Standings (Through games of Oct 19, 2002)

Team	NCAC			Points			Overall			Points		
	W	L	T	For	Opp	Pct	W	L	T	For	Opp	Pct
Wabash.....	4	0	0	155	64	1.000	6	0	0	226	91	1.000
Wooster.....	3	0	0	107	31	1.000	6	0	0	186	90	1.000
Wittenberg.....	2	1	0	173	53	.667	5	1	0	285	76	.833
Earlham.....	2	1	0	98	40	.667	2	4	0	112	124	.333
Oberlin.....	2	1	0	101	80	.667	2	4	0	132	178	.333
Ohio Wesleyan.....	1	2	0	42	78	.333	3	3	0	105	135	.500
Allegheny.....	1	2	0	77	45	.333	2	4	0	120	116	.333
Denison.....	1	2	0	48	95	.333	1	5	0	88	203	.167
Hiram.....	0	3	0	14	168	.000	0	6	0	21	294	.000
Kenyon.....	0	4	0	43	204	.000	0	7	0	71	350	.000

2002 North Coast Athletic Conference Team Football Statistics (Through games of Oct 19, 2002)

SCORING OFFENSE	G	TD	XP	2XP	DXP	FG	Saf	Pts	Avg
Wittenberg.....	6	40	31	1	0	4	0	285	47.5
Wabash.....	6	29	25	2	0	7	1	226	37.7
Wooster.....	6	25	24	0	0	4	0	186	31.0
Oberlin.....	6	16	10	0	0	8	1	132	22.0
Allegheny.....	6	17	13	0	0	1	1	120	20.0
Earlham.....	6	16	16	0	0	0	0	112	18.7
Ohio Wesleyan.....	6	15	12	0	0	1	0	105	17.5
Denison.....	6	13	8	1	0	0	0	88	14.7
Kenyon.....	7	10	5	0	0	2	0	71	10.1
Hiram.....	6	3	3	0	0	0	0	21	3.5

RUSHING OFFENSE	G	Att	Yds	Avg	TD	Yds/G
Wooster.....	6	296	1595	5.4	13	265.8
Ohio Wesleyan.....	6	295	1443	4.9	11	240.5
Wittenberg.....	6	247	1421	5.8	26	236.8
Wabash.....	6	236	1153	4.9	13	192.2
Earlham.....	6	241	979	4.1	12	163.2
Oberlin.....	6	255	848	3.3	6	141.3
Allegheny.....	6	208	669	3.2	7	111.5
Hiram.....	6	171	390	2.3	2	65.0
Denison.....	6	183	272	1.5	4	45.3
Kenyon.....	7	222	304	1.4	6	43.4

SCORING DEFENSE	G	TD	XP	2XP	DXP	FG	Saf	Pts	Avg
Wittenberg.....	6	10	8	1	0	2	0	76	12.7
Wooster.....	6	12	5	2	0	3	0	90	15.0
Wabash.....	6	12	8	1	0	3	0	91	15.2
Allegheny.....	6	15	11	0	0	5	0	116	19.3
Earlham.....	6	17	14	0	0	2	1	124	20.7
Ohio Wesleyan.....	6	18	13	1	0	4	0	135	22.5
Oberlin.....	6	24	22	0	0	4	0	178	29.7
Denison.....	6	29	26	0	0	1	0	203	33.8
Hiram.....	6	40	33	0	0	7	0	294	49.0
Kenyon.....	7	48	39	1	0	7	0	350	50.0

RUSHING DEFENSE	G	Rushes	Yards	Avg	TD	Yds/G
Wabash.....	6	198	436	2.2	4	72.7
Wittenberg.....	6	182	457	2.5	5	76.2
Wooster.....	6	218	856	3.9	4	142.7
Allegheny.....	6	254	897	3.5	6	149.5
Earlham.....	6	264	1000	3.8	10	166.7
Oberlin.....	6	243	1177	4.8	13	196.2
Ohio Wesleyan.....	6	259	1239	4.8	14	206.5
Kenyon.....	7	294	1804	6.1	20	257.7
Denison.....	6	286	1549	5.4	19	258.2
Hiram.....	6	331	1754	5.3	26	292.3

PASS OFFENSE	G	Att	Cmp	Int	Pct.	Yds	Avg	TD	Yds/G
Wabash.....	6	222	127	4	57.2	1599	7.2	15	266.5
Wittenberg.....	6	182	110	6	60.4	1524	8.4	11	254.0
Denison.....	6	235	118	11	50.2	1193	5.1	8	198.8
Oberlin.....	6	149	72	9	48.3	1140	7.7	9	190.0
Allegheny.....	6	166	85	6	51.2	950	5.7	8	158.3
Kenyon.....	7	241	122	8	50.6	1060	4.4	4	151.4
Wooster.....	6	96	44	4	45.8	839	8.7	10	139.8
Ohio Wesleyan.....	6	125	55	8	44.0	697	5.6	4	116.2
Earlham.....	6	159	77	10	48.4	647	4.1	3	107.8
Hiram.....	6	130	50	14	38.5	275	2.1	0	45.8

TOTAL OFFENSE	G	Rush	Pass	Plays	Yards	Avg/P	TD	Yds/G
Wittenberg.....	6	1421	1524	429	2945	6.9	37	490.8
Wabash.....	6	1153	1599	458	2752	6.0	28	458.7
Wooster.....	6	1595	839	392	2434	6.2	23	405.7
Ohio Wesleyan.....	6	1443	697	420	2140	5.1	15	356.7
Oberlin.....	6	848	1140	404	1988	4.9	15	331.3
Earlham.....	6	979	647	400	1626	4.1	15	271.0
Allegheny.....	6	669	950	374	1619	4.3	15	269.8
Denison.....	6	272	1193	418	1465	3.5	12	244.2
Kenyon.....	7	304	1060	463	1364	2.9	10	194.9
Hiram.....	6	390	275	301	665	2.2	2	110.8

PASS DEFENSE	G	Att	Cmp	Int	Pct.	Yds	Avg	TD	Yds/G
Ohio Wesleyan.....	6	144	69	9	47.9	866	6.0	4	144.3
Wittenberg.....	6	197	88	7	44.7	902	4.6	5	150.3
Earlham.....	6	172	80	4	46.5	978	5.7	7	163.0
Allegheny.....	6	134	78	10	58.2	1014	7.6	7	169.0
Wabash.....	6	217	101	9	46.5	1026	4.7	7	171.0
Oberlin.....	6	156	82	10	52.6	1082	6.9	10	180.3
Hiram.....	6	114	79	5	69.3	1145	10.0	12	190.8
Wooster.....	6	222	102	5	45.9	1248	5.6	8	208.0
Denison.....	6	171	102	6	59.6	1329	7.8	10	221.5
Kenyon.....	7	177	114	10	64.4	1796	10.1	24	256.6

TOTAL DEFENSE	G	Rush	Pass	Plays	Yards	Avg	TD	Yds/G
Wittenberg.....	6	457	902	379	1359	3.6	10	226.5
Wabash.....	6	436	1026	415	1462	3.5	11	243.7
Allegheny.....	6	897	1014	388	1911	4.9	13	318.5
Earlham.....	6	1000	978	436	1978	4.5	17	329.7
Wooster.....	6	856	1248	440	2104	4.8	12	350.7
Ohio Wesleyan.....	6	1239	866	403	2105	5.2	18	350.8
Oberlin.....	6	1177	1082	399	2259	5.7	23	376.5
Denison.....	6	1549	1329	457	2878	6.3	29	479.7
Hiram.....	6	1754	1145	445	2899	6.5	38	483.2
Kenyon.....	7	1804	1796	471	3600	7.6	44	514.3

KICKOFF RETURNS	G	Ret	Yds	TD	Avg
Wabash.....	6	16	412	0	25.8
Allegheny.....	6	22	547	1	24.9
Wittenberg.....	6	12	258	0	21.5
Oberlin.....	6	29	549	0	18.9
Earlham.....	6	23	420	0	18.3
Wooster.....	6	17	294	0	17.3
Ohio Wesleyan.....	6	18	309	0	17.2
Kenyon.....	7	57	897	0	15.7
Denison.....	6	34	533	0	15.7
Hiram.....	6	46	661	0	14.4

PUNT RETURNS	G	Ret	Yds	TD	Avg
Wittenberg.....	6	27	335	1	12.4
Wooster.....	6	22	258	1	11.7
Oberlin.....	6	13	147	0	11.3
Allegheny.....	6	11	124	0	11.3
Earlham.....	6	13	116	0	8.9
Denison.....	6	14	107	1	7.6
Hiram.....	6	1	7	0	7.0
Wabash.....	6	18	120	0	6.7
Ohio Wesleyan.....	6	16	84	0	5.2
Kenyon.....	7	6	2	0	0.3

PUNTING	G	No.	Yards	Avg	Ret	Yds	Avg	Net/P
Earlham.....	6	41	1517	37.0	14	91	2.2	34.8
Wittenberg.....	6	18	639	35.5	4	41	2.3	33.2
Wooster.....	6	31	1133	36.5	15	132	4.3	32.3
Oberlin.....	6	35	1224	35.0	17	127	3.6	31.3
Wabash.....	6	35	1143	32.7	12	72	2.1	30.6
Allegheny.....	6	39	1439	36.9	20	255	6.5	30.4
Ohio Wesleyan.....	6	23	843	36.7	18	147	6.4	30.3
Denison.....	6	51	1732	34.0	21	283	5.5	28.4
Kenyon.....	7	64	2083	32.5	34	357	5.6	27.0
Hiram.....	6	49	1781	36.3	29	517	10.6	25.8

PASS EFFICIENCY	G	Att	Cmp	Pct	Int	Yds	TD	Effic
Wooster.....	6	96	44	.458	4	839	10	145.3
Wittenberg.....	6	182	110	.604	6	1524	11	144.1
Wabash.....	6	222	127	.572	4	1599	15	136.4
Oberlin.....	6	149	72	.483	9	1140	9	120.4
Allegheny.....	6	166	85	.512	6	950	8	108.0
Denison.....	6	235	118	.502	11	1193	8	94.7
Ohio Wesleyan.....	6	125	55	.440	8	697	4	88.6
Kenyon.....	7	241	122	.506	8	1060	4	

2002 North Coast Athletic Conference Individual Football Statistics (Through games of Oct 19, 2002)

<b>RUSHING</b>	Team	Cl	G	Att	Yds	Avg	TD	Yds/G
Tony Sutton.....	WOO	SO	6	151	1121	7.4	11	186.8
Chris Morris.....	WAB	JR	6	121	877	7.2	10	146.2
Daniel Grove.....	WIT	SR	5	95	718	7.6	15	143.6
Jason Osborne.....	OWU	SR	5	70	494	7.1	2	98.8
Travis Oman.....	OBE	SO	6	100	465	4.7	3	77.5
Tim Anderson.....	HIR	FR	6	93	423	4.5	2	70.5
Darrian Story.....	ERL	SR	6	74	384	5.2	5	64.0
Jermel Hurt.....	ERL	SR	6	59	378	6.4	4	63.0
Scott Jones.....	WOO	SR	6	78	348	4.5	2	58.0
Jamie Sye.....	ALL	SO	6	93	333	3.6	3	55.5

<b>INTERCEPTIONS</b>	Team	Cl	G	Int	Yds	TD	Int/G
Alexi Whitney.....	KEN	FR	6	4	67	0	0.67
Ben Franz.....	OBE	JR	6	4	50	0	0.67
Ryan McCarty.....	OWU	FR	6	4	6	0	0.67
D. Goldsbury.....	WIT	SR	6	3	44	1	0.50
Mark Lengel.....	OBE	JR	6	3	4	0	0.50
Derek Vikara.....	ALL	SR	5	2	101	1	0.40
Steve Siefert.....	OWU	SR	5	2	28	0	0.40
J. Blackburn.....	OWU	FR	5	2	0	0	0.40
Quammie Semper.....	OBE	JR	6	2	71	1	0.33
James Conley.....	HIR	FR	6	2	42	0	0.33

<b>PASSING AVG/GAME</b>	Team	Cl	G	Att	Cmp	Int	Pct.	Yds	TD	Avg/G
Jake Knott.....	WAB	SR	6	202	116	4	57.4	1508	15	251.3
Greg Cornett.....	WIT	SR	6	153	94	5	61.4	1321	9	220.2
Chris Moffatt.....	OBE	SR	6	116	57	6	49.1	924	7	154.0
Bubba Smith.....	ALL	JR	6	164	83	6	50.6	921	7	153.5
Jeff Spraggins.....	WOO	SR	6	95	44	4	46.3	839	10	139.8
Larry Cappelto.....	DEN	FR	5	129	65	6	50.4	655	4	131.0
Brad Noojin.....	KEN	JR	7	211	109	7	51.7	868	3	124.0
John Stoll.....	DEN	SO	4	68	37	1	54.4	404	4	101.0
Jeff Hanna.....	OWU	SO	6	94	43	5	45.7	539	2	89.8
Justin Rummell.....	ERL	FR	6	86	45	6	52.3	422	3	70.3

<b>PASS EFFICIENCY</b>	Team	Cl	G	Att	Cmp	Int	Pct.	Yds	TD	Eff.
Kurt Forrest....	WIT	JR	6	13	9	0	69.2	103	1	161.2
Greg Cornett....	WIT	SR	6	153	94	5	61.4	1321	9	146.8
Jeff Spraggins..	WOO	SR	6	95	44	4	46.3	839	10	146.8
Jake Knott.....	WAB	SR	6	202	116	4	57.4	1508	15	140.7
Ryan Holmes.....	WIT	SO	4	13	7	1	53.8	100	1	128.5
Chris Moffatt...	OBE	SR	6	116	57	6	49.1	924	7	125.6
John Stoll.....	DEN	SO	4	68	37	1	54.4	404	4	120.8
Bubba Smith.....	ALL	JR	6	164	83	6	50.6	921	7	104.6
Ryan Squatrito..	OBE	SO	5	33	15	3	45.5	216	2	102.3
Larry Cappelto..	DEN	FR	5	129	65	6	50.4	655	4	94.0

<b>TOTAL OFFENSE</b>	Team	Cl	G	Rush	Pass	Plays	Total	Yds/G
Jake Knott.....	WAB	SR	6	83	1508	248	1591	265.2
Greg Cornett.....	WIT	SR	6	-4	1321	162	1317	219.5
Tony Sutton.....	WOO	SO	6	1121	0	151	1121	186.8
Bubba Smith.....	ALL	JR	6	132	921	226	1053	175.5
Chris Moffatt.....	OBE	SR	6	75	924	165	999	166.5
Chris Morris.....	WAB	JR	6	877	0	121	877	146.2
Daniel Grove.....	WIT	SR	5	718	0	95	718	143.6
Jeff Spraggins.....	WOO	SR	6	-37	839	108	802	133.7
Larry Cappelto.....	DEN	FR	5	-33	655	152	622	124.4
Brad Noojin.....	KEN	JR	7	-68	868	261	800	114.3

<b>PUNT RETURN AVG</b>	Team	Cl	G	Ret	Yds	TD	Avg
Mike Freeman.....	WIT	FR	6	10	212	1	21.2
Nick Hajjar.....	WOO	SR	6	22	258	1	11.7
Jon Turner.....	ALL	JR	6	10	102	0	10.2
Jeremy Carpenter...	ERL	SO	6	6	57	0	9.5
Jarrod Stoudt.....	DEN	FR	5	5	43	0	8.6
Dustin Deno.....	WAB	SO	6	6	45	0	7.5
Brian Gamble.....	OWU	SO	6	11	74	0	6.7
Josh Bronaugh.....	WAB	JR	6	11	73	0	6.6
Jason Stephan.....	WIT	SR	5	15	90	0	6.0
Dele Kadri.....	DEN	SR	6	6	20	0	3.3

<b>RECEPTIONS/GAME</b>	Team	Cl	G	Rec	Yds	TD	Avg/C	Rec/G
Ryan Short.....	WAB	SR	6	39	396	8	10.2	6.50
Brendan McNamar.....	KEN	SR	7	37	280	1	7.6	5.29
Skip Ivery.....	WIT	JR	6	29	475	4	16.4	4.83
Jon Turner.....	ALL	JR	6	27	298	0	11.0	4.50
Jered Glover.....	WIT	FR	6	26	411	3	15.8	4.33
Josh Jirgens.....	DEN	SR	6	26	398	5	15.3	4.33
Scott Barker.....	OBE	SO	6	24	415	3	17.3	4.00
Frank Roe.....	DEN	FR	6	24	229	0	9.5	4.00
Adam Partridge.....	KEN	SR	6	22	210	1	9.5	3.67
Ryan Hite.....	DEN	SR	5	17	181	1	10.6	3.40

<b>KICK RETURN AVG</b>	Team	Cl	G	Ret	Yds	TD	Avg
Brian Woods.....	ALL	JR	6	8	267	1	33.4
Josh Bronaugh.....	WAB	JR	6	10	309	0	30.9
Jon Turner.....	ALL	JR	6	8	188	0	23.5
Ibrahim Tawfeek....	ERL	JR	5	5	110	0	22.0
Matt Carducci.....	OWU	FR	6	8	175	0	21.9
Nick Hajjar.....	WOO	SR	6	7	140	0	20.0
Jason Stephan.....	WIT	SR	5	8	159	0	19.9
Travis Oman.....	OBE	SO	6	9	170	0	18.9
Josh Jirgens.....	DEN	SR	6	22	415	0	18.9
Calvin Hatfield.....	KEN	SO	7	26	444	0	17.1

<b>RECEIVE YDS/GAME</b>	Team	Cl	G	Rec	Yds	TD	Avg/C	Yds/G
Skip Ivery.....	WIT	JR	6	29	475	4	16.4	79.2
Scott Barker.....	OBE	SO	6	24	415	3	17.3	69.2
Jered Glover.....	WIT	FR	6	26	411	3	15.8	68.5
Josh Jirgens.....	DEN	SR	6	26	398	5	15.3	66.3
Ryan Short.....	WAB	SR	6	39	396	8	10.2	66.0
Brandon Clifton....	WAB	SO	6	20	386	1	19.3	64.3
Brian Senne.....	OBE	JR	6	13	300	4	23.1	50.0
Jon Turner.....	ALL	JR	6	27	298	0	11.0	49.7
Eric Summers.....	WAB	FR	5	10	226	2	22.6	45.2
Brendan McNamar.....	KEN	SR	7	37	280	1	7.6	40.0

<b>PUNTING</b>	Team	Cl	G	Punts	Yds	Avg
Dan Ries.....	ERL	SO	6	37	1458	39.4
Aaron Polack.....	ALL	JR	5	30	1136	37.9
Ryan Hartschuh.....	WOO	SR	6	30	1133	37.8
Jacob Thomas.....	WIT	SO	6	17	639	37.6
Ryan Drews.....	OBE	SO	5	26	966	37.2
Neil Smiley.....	OWU	FR	5	23	843	36.7
Mike Shafer.....	HIR	FR	6	49	1781	36.3
Rich Goodman.....	WAB	FR	6	31	1074	34.6
Andy Stromwell.....	DEN	JR	6	45	1559	34.6
Matt Nuzum.....	DEN	SO	4	5	173	34.6

<b>ALL PURPOSE</b>	Team	Cl	G	Rush	Rcv	PR	KR	Yds	Avg/G
Tony Sutton.....	WOO	SO	6	1121	98	0	50	1269	211.5
Daniel Grove.....	WIT	SR	5	718	86	0	0	804	160.8
Chris Morris.....	WAB	JR	6	877	30	0	0	907	151.2
Josh Jirgens.....	DEN	SR	6	0	398	0	415	813	135.5
Calvin Hatfield....	KEN	SO	7	280	99	0	444	860	122.9
Jason Osborne.....	OWU	SR	5	494	104	0	0	598	119.6
Travis Oman.....	OBE	SO	6	465	25	0	170	660	110.0
Josh Bronaugh.....	WAB	JR	6	17	225	73	309	624	104.0
Jon Turner.....	ALL	JR	6	6	298	102	188	594	99.0
Skip Ivery.....	WIT	JR	6	28	475	0	46	549	91.5

<b>SCORING</b>	Team	Cl	G	TD	XPT	FG	Pts	Pts/G
Daniel Grove.....	WIT	SR	5	15	2	0	92	18.4
Tony Sutton.....	WOO	SO	6	12	0	0	72	12.0
Chris Morris.....	WAB	JR	6	11	0	0	66	11.0
Ryan Short.....	WAB	SR	6	8	2	0	50	8.3
Richie McNally.....	WOO	SO	6	0	24	4	36	6.0
Jacob Thomas.....	WIT	SO	6	0	23	4	35	5.8
Mark Server.....	WAB	FR	6	0	17	6	35	5.8
Steve Willever.....	OBE	SO	6	0	10	8	34	5.7
Darrian Story.....	ERL	SR	6	5	0	0	30	5.0
Jamie Sye.....	ALL	SO	6	5	0	0	30	5.0

<b>SCORING (TDs)</b>	Team	Cl	G	TD	Rush	Pass	Ret	PAT	Pts	Pts/G
Daniel Grove.....	WIT	SR	5	15	15	0	0	1	92	18.4
Tony Sutton.....	WOO	SO	6	12	11	1	0	0	72	12.0
Chris Morris.....	WAB	JR	6	11	10	1	0	0	66	11.0
Ryan Short.....	WAB	SR	6	8	0	8	0	1	50	8.3
Jamie Sye.....	ALL	SO	6	5	3	2	0	0	30	5.0
Jermel Hurt.....	ERL	SR	6	5	4	1	0	0	30	5.0
Josh Jirgens.....	DEN	SR	6	5	0	5	0	0	30	5.0
Rob Hooper.....	WOO	SR	6	5	0	5	0	0	30	5.0
Darrian Story.....	ERL	SR	6	5	5	0	0	0	30	5.0
R. Hampshire.....	WIT	SO	6	5	4	1	0	0	30	5.0

<b>FIELD GOALS</b>	Team	Cl	G	FG	FGA	Pct.	FG/G
Steve Willever.....	OBE	SO	6	8	9	88.9	1.33
Mark Server.....	WAB	FR	6	6	7	85.7	1.00
Jacob Thomas.....	WIT	SO	6	4	5	80.0	0.67
Richie McNally.....	WOO	SO	6	4	7	57.1	0.67
Ben Woodcock.....	KEN	SR	7	2	3	66.7	0.29
Jason Whitcomb.....	OWU	FR	5	1	3	33.3	0.20
Aaron Smith.....	ALL	SR	6	1	3	33.3	0.17

<b>SCORING (KICK)</b>	Team	Cl	G	PATs	FGs	Pts	Pts/G
Richie McNally.....	WOO	SO	6	24-25	4-7	36	6.0
Mark Server.....	WAB	FR	6	17-17	6-7	35	5.8
Jacob Thomas.....	WIT	SO	6	23-30	4-5	35	5.8
Steve Willever.....	OBE	SO	6	10-13	8-9	34	5.7
John Gresham.....	ERL	JR	5	14-14	0-1	14	2.8
Aaron Smith.....	ALL	SR	6	13-16	1-3	16	2.7

<b>FLD GOAL PCT</b>	Team	Cl	G	FG	FGA	Long	Pct.
Steve Willever.....	OBE	SO	6	8	9	30	88.9
Mark Server.....	WAB	FR	6	6	7	36	85.7
Richie McNally.....	WOO	SO	6				



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### NCAC Fall Sports Update

**WITTENBERG VOLLEYBALL CLINCHES FIFTH-STRAIGHT NCAC TOP SEED;  
OHIO WESLEYAN WOMEN'S SOCCER ONE WIN AWAY FROM TOP SEED IN TOURNEY**

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

### CROSS COUNTRY REPORT

The 19th NCAC Men's and Women's Cross Country Championships will be hosted by Wittenberg on Saturday, November 2. Kenyon will be defending its men's and women's titles from last year. In preseason polls of the NCAC Cross Country Coaches, the Lords were picked to repeat as champions, while the Ladies were predicted to finish in second behind Allegheny. To win teams must fend off some stiff competition from a number of squads. Allegheny was picked to finish second in the men's race, followed closely by Wooster and Wabash. On the women's side, Denison was tabbed third, followed by Oberlin and Wooster. Most North Coast cross country teams will take the next week off to prepare for the Championship.

Five North Coast Athletic Conference schools competed in Ohio Northern's Homecoming Invitational, at the site of this year's Great Lakes Regional. Denison won the women's race, followed by Kenyon in third, Wittenberg in seventh, Hiram eighth and Ohio Wesleyan 10th in the 11-team event. The Tigers' **Abi Gerstle (Kettering, OH/Fairmont)** won the women's race with a personal-best clocking of 22:41.59, followed by freshman **Christina McNamara (Chappequa, NY/Horace Greeley)** of Kenyon in second (22:44.90). Big Red junior **Julie Hufnagel (Ann Arbor, MI/Marian)** and freshman **Kimberly Murley (Dalton, PA/Tunkhannock Area)** were fifth (23:12.13) and sixth (23:15.96), respectively.

On the men's side, Kenyon was the top NCAC squad in fourth place in the 11-team meet. Denison, Hiram, Ohio Wesleyan and Wittenberg filled positions eight through 11. The Big Red claimed the individual winner as **Brock Babcock (Platte City, MO/Platte County)** won for the 10th time this season. He finished the 8,000 meter course in 24:53.23. Lord seniors **Michael Baird (Temple, TX/Temple)** and **Ben Hildebrand (Fairport, NY/The Harley School)** crossed the line right behind Babcock in second (24:58.14) and third (25:02.06) places, respectively.

Earlham, the only other NCAC teams to see action, competed at the Wilmington Invitational. The women were eighth of 22 teams while the men were sixth of 20. Senior **Zach Warren (Charleston, WV/Charleston Catholic)** paced the Quaker men with a seventh-place finish (26:18). Senior **Emily Cleveland (Oak Ridge, TN/Oak Ridge)** was the women's squad's top individual in 19th place (25:03).

The only team scheduled to run before the NCAC Championships is Wooster. The Scots host the Wooster Relays on Wednesday.

**Polls:** In the NCAA Division III Men's Cross Country Poll (Oct. 16), Allegheny received votes. In the Division III Women's Poll, Allegheny ranks 19th and Denison received votes.

### FIELD HOCKEY REPORT

With seven games remaining in the regular season, the four teams who will participate in the inaugural NCAC Field Hockey Tournament Nov. 2 are already determined. Wittenberg, Denison, Wooster and Oberlin have accumulated enough victories entering the final 10 days of the season to assure themselves of a spot in the tournament. All that remains to be decided are the locations and pairings for the semi-final matches.

First-place Wittenberg (9-1, 13-1) holds the cards controlling its own fate. The Tigers need only to defeat third-place Wooster on Saturday to assure themselves at least second place and a home match in the semifinals. Second-place Denison (6-2, 11-4) still has four games left to play in the next 10 days, two against sixth-place Kenyon (2-8, 4-9) and two against seventh-place Ohio Wesleyan (0-9, 2-12). They could finish as high as first and as low as fourth.

Right on their heels are the Scots (8-3, 11-4) whose only remaining match is the showdown with the Tigers on Saturday. Wooster must win that contest to have a chance at the top seed. Even if the Scots do drop the match against Wittenberg, one misstep by the Big Red would give Wooster a shot at second place and a home game during the semifinals. Oberlin, which has only a home game with fifth-place Earlham (4-7, 6-9) left on its slate, will need a few losses by teams above them to move up from their current position in fourth place.

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**Notes:** In the STX/NFHCA Division III National Coaches Poll (Oct. 15), Wittenberg remained 13th ... Big Red goalkeeper **Sarah Robator (Bedford, NH/Manchester West)** has played every minute of every game this season ... **Liz Aragona (Bronxville, NY/Bronxville)** of Kenyon scored her team-leading fourth goal of the season in the Ladies' 2-0 defeat of Ohio Wesleyan ... Wittenberg's defense is ranked first in the nation in Division III and goalkeeper **Jen Meyer (Solon, OH/Hathaway Brown)** has Division III's best saves percentage (.900) ... Wooster junior forward **Alanna Tryder (Lincoln, MA/Lincoln-Sudbury Regional)** scored all three of the Scots' goals last week. She has six of her team's last nine goals.

**MEN'S SOCCER REPORT**

Wooster (5-0-1, 13-0-2) continues to hold onto first place approaching the season-ending North Coast Athletic Conference Tournament. Almost all of the NCAC squads are fighting for a tourney berth as the regular season draws to a close. In conference play, teams earn three points for a win and one point for a tie. A team's point accumulation determines their place in the standings. Heading into this week's action, nine of 10 teams are mathematically within reach of one of the four tournament spots. Pretty much, this means everyone needs to play for a win. The Scots kick things off on Wednesday when they travel to second-place Denison (4-1-1, 8-5-1). The Scots return home on Saturday to face fifth-place Kenyon (3-3-0, 6-10-0).

The rest of the week slate of games is as follows: On Wednesday, sixth-place Ohio Wesleyan (2-2-1, 12-2-1) travels to Hiram (0-6-0, 1-12-1), Oberlin (2-4-0, 8-7-1) heads east to Allegheny (4-1-0, 9-4-0) and Kenyon drives down to Wittenberg (2-4-0, 4-10-1). Friday, Ohio Wesleyan hosts second-place Earlham (4-2-1, 6-5-3). On Saturday, the Terriers travel to Wabash (2-5-0, 7-8-0), while Allegheny and Wittenberg are on the road at Denison and Oberlin, respectively.

**Notes:** In the NSCAA/adidas NCAA Division III poll (Oct. 14), Wooster is in a tie for sixth place, up four spots from last week. In the Great Lakes Region, Wooster is ranked first, Ohio Wesleyan follows in sixth and Allegheny is ninth ... Last week's Ohio Wesleyan at Allegheny match was postponed due to poor field conditions in Meadville. The game will be rescheduled ... Allegheny senior midfielder **Matt Armstrong (Eules, TX/Trinity)** tallied three assists in the Gators' 5-0 win over Hiram ... Six different players scored in Denison's two wins last week. The Big Red fields a balanced attack, with 12 players putting goals in the net this season ... Earlham's postseason hopes were kept alive after the Quakers edged Oberlin, 1-0, last week. senior midfielder **Ryan Guess (Columbus, IN/East)** scored the lone goal of the game ... Kenyon junior midfielder **Duma Magagula (Buluwayo, Zimbabwe/Mzilika)** scored the Lords' gamewinning goal against Oberlin, his first of the season ... Wabash senior forward **Carlos Aguirre (Indianapolis, IN/Ben Davis)** converted two corner kicks in the Little Giants' 4-2 loss to Wittenberg. Junior defender **Sean McNulty (Ft. Wayne, IN/Bishop Luers)** scored the gamewinning goal four minutes into the overtime period in Wabash's 2-1 win over Kenyon. The goal was the first of McNulty's career at Wabash ... Wittenberg split a pair of games last week. In the Tigers' win over Wabash, senior **Brian Armstrong (Delaware, OH/Dublin Coffman)** recorded two goals and an assist. He also scored an unassisted goal in Wittenberg's 2-1 loss to Wooster ... Wooster freshman forward **Brian Conaway (Twinsburg, OH/Twinsburg)** scored a pair of second-half goals to lead the Scots past Wittenberg.

**WOMEN'S SOCCER REPORT**

With only eight games to play, the pressure to claim one of four spots in the season-ending North Coast Athletic Conference Tournament is intense. Defending NCAC and NCAA Division III champion, Ohio Wesleyan (6-0-0, 15-0-0) can determine its own fate this week. The Bishops need only win one of their two remaining games to clinch the top seed in the tournament. Ohio Wesleyan hosts Oberlin (1-5-0, 6-9-1) on Wednesday and Kenyon (3-3-0, 6-9-1) on Saturday.

That leaves five teams fighting for the remaining three spots. Second-place Wooster (5-1-1, 12-1-3) has one game left on its schedule, a home contest against third-place Allegheny on Saturday. The Gators (5-1-0, 13-3-0) also have a makeup game with Denison which has not been scheduled.

The fourth-place Big Red are already scheduled to play Earlham (1-6-0, 2-14-0) on Wednesday and Wittenberg (3-4-0, 6-11-0) Saturday. Kenyon and Wittenberg, currently tied for fifth place can still earn a tourney berth. The Tigers' matchup with the Big Red is their final league game of the fall, while the Ladies travel to Hiram (0-6-0, 3-12-1) on Tuesday - in addition to their weekend contest at Ohio Wesleyan.

**Notes:** In the NSCAA/adidas NCAA Division III poll (Oct. 14), Ohio Wesleyan remains entrenched at number one while Denison rises one spot to 15th. Wooster, ranked 22nd, enters the ranking for the first time this season. The Bishops sit atop the rankings in the Great Lakes Region as well. Denison and Wooster are tied at third, followed by Allegheny in fifth ... Ohio Wesleyan's 9-0 win over Hiram last week, was the Bishop's 35th in a row, dating back to Sept. 5, 2001. Ohio Wesleyan last lost a match on Sept. 2, 2001, a 2-1 loss to Nazareth. The Bishops win broke the NCAA Div. III records for winning streak and unbeaten streak set by the College of New Jersey from Sept. 29, 2000 to Nov. 4, 2001 - streaks that were snapped by OWU in last year's NCAA Div. III quarterfinals. The win was also the 100th in the career for head coach **Bob Barnes**. Ohio Wesleyan defeated Wittenberg, 9-0, last Saturday, to extend their streaks to 36 games. The win also was the ninth straight shutout posted by the Bishops, tying the school record set in 1999. Senior forward **Emily Bayer (Medina, OH/Medina)** scored two goals in both of the wins, adding an assist against Wittenberg ... Allegheny sophomore back **Leah Karpa (West Mifflin, PA/West Mifflin)** tallied her fourth goal of the season and her third in two games in the Gators' 1-0 win over Oberlin ... Denison senior midfielder **Sarah Finke (Centerville, OH)** scored her team-leading seventh goal of the season helping the

Big Red to their 11th victory of the season, a 2-1 win over Kenyon. The game-winner was scored by senior **Meghan Overom (Duluth, MN/The Marshall School)** with just over ten minutes left in the second period ... Kenyon junior midfielder **Sarah Gaddis (Franklin, TN/Battle Ground Academy)** scored the only Kenyon goal of the week. Her second goal of the season, it came in the Ladies' 2-1 loss to Denison ... Oberlin sophomore goalkeeper **Alison Palmer (Charleston, SC/School for the Arts)** recorded 21 saves in the Yeowomen's 1-0 loss to Allegheny ... Wooster freshman midfielder **Danielle Witchey (Columbus, OH/Bishop Watterson)** scored a goal in each of the Scots' two conference wins this week. Both goals were the second scores of the game.

**VOLLEYBALL REPORT**

Wittenberg (8-0, 24-5) has clinched the top seed in the NCAC tournament for the fifth straight season. The Tigers have won 41 straight conference matches dating back to the 1997 season. Even with a match remaining, Denison (6-1, 15-8) is assured of the second seed.

Hiram (5-3, 15-11) and Allegheny (5-3, 10-14) are currently tied for third, but the Gators have claimed the third seed, followed by the Terriers, who have clinched the fourth. Wooster (4-3, 17-12) would become part of that tie if they defeat Denison on Oct. 29th, but cannot move up its place in the seeding, because the Scots have lost to both Allegheny and Hiram.

Kenyon (3-5, 12-18) and Ohio Wesleyan (3-5, 4-25) finish the regular season in a tie for sixth. The Bishops defeated the Ladies last week so they claim the sixth seed. Earlham (1-7, 1-25) completes the tournament bracket as the eighth seed.

The final match of the conference regular season, Denison at Wooster, will be played on October 29th. The quarterfinals begin on Nov. 5 on the campuses of the top four teams.

**Notes:** In the AVCA Division III Coaches Top 25 Poll (Oct. 16), Wittenberg ranks 16th ... Allegheny junior **Vicki Kajder (Trafford, PA/Penn-Trafford)** averaged 41.5 assists (10.4 per game) in two NCAC victories last week. She had eight service aces and 11 kills in a five-set win over Wooster ... Earlham freshman **Ajia Coleman (Maple Hts., OH/Maple Hts.)** recorded nine kills and seven blocks in a three-set loss to Allegheny ... Senior **Lauren Camp (Westerville, OH/Olentangy)** had 26 kills and 17 digs in Kenyon's 1-1 weekend tri-match with Oberlin and Ohio Wesleyan. Camp broke the Ladies' single-season mark for digs last week, a record (517) that had stood since 1986. She enters the week with 526 digs this season ... Wooster senior **Erin Donnell (Dayton, OH/Carroll)** last week became the second player in Scot history to record 1,000 kills and 1,000 digs in a career. Last week she had 45 kills and 26 digs as Wooster went 1-2.

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<b>MARK YOUR CALENDARS</b>		
<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Site</u>
<b>Oct. 26</b>	<b>NCAC Men's and Women's Swim Relays</b>	<b>Denison and Kenyon</b>
<b>Nov. 2</b>	<b>NCAC Men's and Women's Cross Country Championship</b>	<b>Wittenberg</b>
	<b>Inaugural NCAC Field Hockey Tournament - Semis</b>	<b>TBA (high seeds)</b>
	<b>NCAC Women's Soccer Tournament - Semis</b>	<b>TBA (high seeds)</b>
<b>Nov. 5</b>	<b>NCAC Volleyball Tournament - Quarters</b>	<b>TBA (high seeds)</b>
	<b>NCAC Basketball Media Day Conference Call</b>	<b>Campus sites</b>
<b>Nov. 8-9</b>	<b>NCAC Men's Soccer Tournament - Semis/Final</b>	<b>TBA</b>
	<b>NCAC Volleyball Tournament - Semis/Final</b>	<b>TBA</b>
<b>Nov. 9</b>	<b>Inaugural NCAC Field Hockey Tournament - Final</b>	<b>TBA (high seed)</b>
	<b>NCAC Women's Soccer Tournament - Final</b>	<b>TBA (high seed)</b>



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## **NCAC ATHLETES OF THE WEEK (Oct. 20)**

### **MEN'S CROSS COUNTRY**

Earlham senior **Zach Warren (Charleston, WV, Charleston Catholic)** led the Quakers to a sixth-place finish in the 20-team Wilmington Invitational on Oct. 18. He placed seventh of 162 finishers with a 26:18 clocking over the 8,000-meter course.

### **WOMEN'S CROSS COUNTRY**

Wittenberg senior **Abi Gerstle (Kettering, OH/Fairmont)** won the Ohio Northern Homecoming Invitational on Oct. 19. She finished first in the field of 128 with a personal-best time of 22:41 over the 6,000-meter course. Her efforts led the Tigers to a seventh-place finish in the 11-team event.

### **FIELD HOCKEY**

Denison freshman **Rebecca Tavares (South Burlington, VT/South Burlington)** scored both goals in a 2-1 overtime victory over Earlham, including the game winner five minutes into overtime. The goals were her fourth and fifth of the season. She ranks third on her team with 11 points in 12 games this season.

### **MEN'S SOCCER**

Wabash junior defender **Sean McNulty (Ft. Wayne, IN/Bishop Luers)** scored the gamewinning goal four minutes into the overtime period in Wabash's 2-1 win over Kenyon. The goal was the first of McNulty's career as a Little Giant.

### **WOMEN'S SOCCER**

Wooster freshman midfielder **Danielle Witchey (Columbus, OH/Bishop Watterson)** scored a goal in each of the Scots' two conference wins this week. Both goals were the second scores of the game.

### **VOLLEYBALL**

Ohio Wesleyan senior outside hitter **Emily Thornton (Columbus, OH/Watterson)** had 21 kills, six service aces and 29 digs as the Bishops won twice in NCAC action.

**NORTH COAST ATHLETIC CONFERENCE  
FIELD HOCKEY REPORT -- STANDINGS/STATISTICS**

Oct. 20, 2002

	NCAC						OVERALL					
	W	L	T	PCT	GF	GA	W	L	T	PCT	GF	GA
1) WITTENBERG	9	1	0	.900	25	5	13	1	0	.929	37	7
2) DENISON	6	2	0	.750	12	10	11	4	0	.733	26	24
3) WOOSTER	8	3	0	.727	23	10	11	4	0	.733	32	15
4) OBERLIN	6	5	0	.545	17	12	7	5	0	.583	22	12
5) EARLHAM	4	7	0	.364	9	16	6	9	0	.400	17	21
6) KENYON	2	8	0	.200	6	19	4	9	0	.308	16	21
7) OHIO WESLEYAN	0	9	0	.000	2	23	2	12	0	.143	10	28

**SCORING LEADERS**

	GP	G	A	PTS	PPG
Emily Duh, WIT	14	17	7	41	2.93
Meg Reitz, OBE	11	8	1	17	1.55
Chaney Stewman, OBE	11	7	3	17	1.55
Alanna Tryder, WOO	15	9	2	20	1.33
Becca Aldred, ERL	15	8	2	18	1.20
Jennifer Lacy, DEN	15	8	2	18	1.20
Ashley Hecker, WOO	15	7	3	17	1.13

**NCAC RESULTS**

Oberlin 2, Ohio Wesleyan 0 - Oct. 14  
Denison 2, Earlham 1 (OT) - Oct. 15  
Wittenberg 4, Kenyon 0 - Oct. 15  
Wooster 2, Ohio Wesleyan 1 - Oct. 17  
Wittenberg 3, Oberlin 2 (OT) - Oct. 18  
Denison 2, Wooster 1 - Oct. 19  
Kenyon 2, Ohio Wesleyan 0 - Oct. 19

**GOALIE LEADERS**

	GP	GA	SV	SHO	SV%
Jen Meyer, WIT	14	7	63	9.0	.900
Catherine Chow, ERL	15	20	147	3.0	.880
Tamar Chalker, KEN	13	20	145	3.0	.879

**OTHER RESULTS**

Slippery Rock 2, Ohio Wesleyan 1 (OT) - Oct. 13  
Transylvania 2, Earlham 1 (OT) - Oct. 18

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VOLLEYBALL REPORT -- STANDINGS/STATISTICS**

Oct. 20, 2002

	NCAC			OVERALL		
	W	L	PCT	W	L	PCT
1) WITTENBERG	8	0	1.000	24	5	.828
2) DENISON	6	1	0.857	15	8	.652
3) HIRAM	5	3	0.625	15	11	.577
ALLEGHENY	5	3	0.625	10	14	.417
5) WOOSTER	4	3	0.571	17	12	.586
6) KENYON	3	5	0.375	12	18	.400
OHIO WESLEYAN	3	5	0.375	4	25	.138
8) EARLHAM	1	7	0.125	1	25	.038
9) OBERLIN	0	8	0.000	2	27	.069

**ATTACK LEADERS**

	GP	K	KPG
Monica McDonald, WIT	99	450	4.55
Cori Arnold, KEN	113	415	3.67
Becky Turk, DEN	77	270	3.51
Erin Donnell, WOO	95	313	3.29
Shana Toth, HIR	92	289	3.14

**LAST WEEK'S NCAC RESULTS**

Oct. 19  
Allegheny d. Earlham 30-23, 30-16, 30-23  
Allegheny d. Wooster 26-30, 30-24, 22-30, 30-23, 15-8  
Denison d. Hiram 32-30, 30-23, 30-22  
Denison d. Kenyon 30-17, 30-21, 30-21  
Kenyon d. Oberlin 30-14, 30-21, 30-14  
Ohio Wesleyan d. Kenyon 30-28, 34-32, 30-24  
Ohio Wesleyan d. Oberlin 30-27, 30-17, 30-11  
Wittenberg d. Denison 30-21, 30-28, 30-19  
Wittenberg d. Hiram 30-14, 30-16, 30-16  
Wooster d. Earlham 30-23, 30-17, 30-18

**SETTING LEADERS**

	GP	A	APG
Sarah Yuskeiwich, WIT	96	1401	14.59
Regann Goodwin, DEN	77	833	10.82
Vicki Kajder, ALL	84	756	9.00
Jessica Russell, KEN	106	899	8.48
Charity Norman, HIR	95	736	7.75

**OTHER RESULTS**

Oct. 16  
Tiffin d. Wooster 30-26, 30-13, 21-30, 25-30, 15-11  
Ursuline d. Hiram 30-27, 30-20, 30-22  
Oct. 17  
Defiance d. Ohio Wesleyan 30-20, 30-14, 30-19

**BLOCK LEADERS**

	GP	B	BPG
Bobbi Wymer, HIR	95	137	1.44
Leslie Krienberg, DEN	66	92	1.39
Shana Toth, HIR	92	127	1.38
Cori Arnold, KEN	113	142	1.26
Becky Turk, DEN	77	86	1.12

**DIG LEADERS**

	GP	D	DPG
Morgan Sterling, OWU	90	427	4.74
Lauren Camp, KEN	113	526	4.65
Teresa Gatteiger, ERL	81	315	3.89
Mary-Kate Fowkes, WOO	93	359	3.86
Rhiannon Mauk, ALL	84	322	3.83

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MEN'S SOCCER REPORT -- STANDINGS/STATISTICS**

Oct. 20, 2002

	NCAC						OVERALL					
	W	L	T	PTS	GF	GA	W	L	T	PCT	GF	GA
1) WOOSTER	5	0	1	16	10	3	13	0	2	.933	38	7
2) DENISON	4	1	1	13	13	7	8	5	1	.607	28	22
EARLHAM	4	2	1	13	11	9	6	5	3	.536	16	17
4) ALLEGHENY	4	1	0	12	15	3	9	4	0	.692	29	15
5) KENYON	3	3	0	9	9	10	6	10	0	.375	20	30
6) OHIO WESLEYAN	2	2	1	7	10	5	12	2	1	.833	34	12
7) OBERLIN	2	4	0	6	8	9	8	7	1	.531	25	24
WITTENBERG	2	4	0	6	9	11	4	10	1	.300	24	30
WABASH	2	5	0	6	8	18	7	8	0	.467	28	38
10) HIRAM	0	6	0	0	3	21	1	12	1	.107	15	41

**SCORING LEADERS**

	GP	G	A	PTS	PPG
Adam Milligan, WOO	8	6	1	13	1.63
Brian Conaway, WOO	15	10	3	23	1.53
Jason Seaman, ERL	12	8	2	18	1.50
Rich Braithwaite, OBE	16	10	3	23	1.44
Adam Fletcher, ALL	13	9	0	18	1.38
Chase Lamm, WAB	15	7	6	20	1.33
Brian Armstrong, WIT	15	8	2	18	1.20
Paul Smith, OWU	15	6	4	16	1.07
Carlos Aguirre, WAB	15	6	4	16	1.07
Phil Tesar, HIR	8	3	2	8	1.00

**LAST WEEK'S NCAC RESULTS**

Kenyon 2, Denison 1 (OT) - Oct. 12  
 Allegheny 5, Hiram 0 - Oct. 16  
 Kenyon 1, Oberlin 0 - Oct. 16  
 Wittenberg 4, Wabash 2 - Oct. 16  
 Denison 5, Hiram 1 - Oct. 19  
 Earlham 1, Oberlin 0 - Oct. 19  
 Wabash 2, Kenyon 1 (OT) - Oct. 19  
 Wooster 2, Wittenberg 1 - Oct. 19  
 Allegheny - Ohio Wesleyan ppd.

**GOALIE LEADERS**

	MIN	GA	SV	SHO	GAA
David Treleven, WOO	1030	5	27	7.0	0.44
Adam Roberts, OWU	1314	11	46	4.0	0.75
Josh Ver Hague, ALL	1160	14	52	4.0	1.09

**NORTH COAST ATHLETIC CONFERENCE  
WOMEN'S SOCCER REPORT -- STANDINGS/STATISTICS**

Oct. 20, 2002

	NCAC						OVERALL					
	W	L	T	PTS	GF	GA	W	L	T	PCT	GF	GA
1) OHIO WESLEYAN	6	0	0	18	29	0	15	0	0	1.000	64	3
2) WOOSTER	5	1	1	16	15	3	12	1	3	.844	34	7
3) ALLEGHENY	5	1	0	15	17	5	13	3	0	.813	38	9
4) DENISON	3	1	1	10	10	2	11	3	1	.767	30	9
5) KENYON	3	3	0	9	7	7	6	9	1	.406	22	26
WITTENBERG	3	4	0	9	5	20	6	11	0	.353	17	33
7) EARLHAM	1	6	0	3	2	15	2	14	0	.125	7	45
OBERLIN	1	5	0	3	2	7	6	9	1	.406	20	18
10) HIRAM	0	6	0	0	0	28	3	12	1	.219	18	51

**SCORING LEADERS**

	GP	G	A	PTS	PPG
Sarah Wall, OWU	15	15	10	40	2.67
Jane Och, ALL	15	9	4	22	1.47
Jill Malone, ALL	9	6	1	13	1.44
Jen Vivier, HIR	11	7	1	15	1.36
Geri Woessner, WIT	9	5	2	12	1.33
Courtney Stackhouse, OBE	10	6	1	13	1.30
Alicia Grambeau, OWU	15	8	2	18	1.20
Erika Howland, OWU	15	7	2	16	1.07
Kerry Doman, DEN	15	7	2	16	1.07
Jamie Jenkins, OWU	15	5	6	16	1.07
Sarah Finke, DEN	15	7	2	16	1.07

**LAST WEEK'S NCAC RESULTS**

Denison 2, Kenyon 1 - Oct. 15  
 Allegheny 1, Oberlin 0 - Oct. 16  
 Ohio Wesleyan 9, Hiram 0 - Oct. 16  
 Wooster 2, Wittenberg 0 - Oct. 16  
 Oberlin 2, Earlham 0 - Oct. 19  
 Ohio Wesleyan 9, Wittenberg 0 - Oct. 19  
 Wooster 5, Hiram 0 - Oct. 19  
 Allegheny - Denison ppd.

**OTHER RESULTS**

Mt. St. Joseph 1, Earlham 0 - Oct. 14  
 Capital 4, Earlham 0 - Oct. 17  
 Eastern Mennonite 3, Kenyon 0 - Oct. 19

**GOALIE LEADERS**

	MIN	GA	SV	SHO	GAA
Mindy Hammond, OWU	961	2	14	5.0	0.19
Nicole Roman, WOO	1383	7	56	7.0	0.46
Joan Anderson, ALL	810	5	29	0.0	0.56