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NCAC Men's Basketball Report

For Immediate Release

**WOOSTER WINS NCAC REGULAR SEASON TITLE;
FIGHTING SCOTS EARN TOP SEED IN TOURNAMENT**

February 23, 2003

CLEVELAND -- With a hard-fought, 78-72, win over Earlham, the Wooster Fighting Scots (15-1, 23-2) captured their seventh North Coast Athletic Conference regular season men's basketball championship on the final day of the regular season. Wooster has now claimed five outright regular season crowns. The Scots shared the championship with Wittenberg in the 1991-92 season and with Allegheny in '88-89.

Wooster, ranked third in the latest NABC Division III poll, will be the top seed in the 19th annual North Coast Athletic Conference Men's Basketball Tournament. Tourney play begins with quarterfinal games at campus sites on Tuesday. Tuesday's winners will advance to the semifinals and finals on Friday and Saturday at the site of the highest remaining seed. Tournament seeding follows the regular season final standings with the top four places hosting the quarterfinal games (see attached bracket).

This year's NCAC tournament champions will again receive the Conference's automatic bid to the NCAA Division III Men's Basketball Tournament, which will begin the following week.

TIME TO TALK TOURNEY: Wooster leads the way with seven men's tournament titles. Only three wins (1995, '99 and '00) came as a #1 seed. Wittenberg, winners of last winter's tourney, have four titles. Allegheny and Ohio Wesleyan (3) and Kenyon (1) round out the list of past men's tournament champions ... Earlham, this year's third seed, has advanced beyond the quarterfinals twice (2000, 2001), while Wooster has appeared in the finals 11 times. Wittenberg has made nine championship game appearances, followed by Allegheny with seven and Ohio Wesleyan with five ... Wabash will be making its fourth tournament appearances in as many years. The Little Giants joined the conference four years ago. Wabash advanced through the 2000 tournament, their first season in the NCAC, defeating both Ohio Wesleyan and Wittenberg before falling in the championship game to Wooster. The Little Giants have fallen in the semifinals the past two years ... Hiram will be making its third tournament appearance since joining the league in 1999-00. The Terriers are looking for their first tourney win.

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Tuesday, Feb. 25

NCAC Tournament Quarterfinals

- #8 Hiram at #1 Wooster, 7:30
- #5 Ohio Wesleyan at #4 Wabash, 7:30
- #7 Denison at #2 Wittenberg, 7:45
- #6 Earlham at #3 Allegheny, 7:45

Friday, Feb. 28

NCAC Tournament Semifinals

5:30/7:45 at highest remaining seed

Saturday, Mar. 1

NCAC Tournament Final

7:00 at semifinal site

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Wednesday, Feb. 19

- ALLEGHENY 109, HIRAM 76
- DENISON 72, OBERLIN 61
- EARLHAM 88, KENYON 72
- WITTENBERG 95, WABASH 86 (OT)
- WOOSTER 73, OHIO WESLEYAN 60

Saturday, Feb. 22

- ALLEGHENY 85, OHIO WESLEYAN 81
- OBERLIN 69, HIRAM 66
- WABASH 81, KENYON 73
- WITTENBERG 75, DENISON 51
- WOOSTER 78, EARLHAM 72

MARK YOUR CALENDARS - UPCOMING NCAC EVENTS

Upcoming North Coast Athletic Conference Events include the Men's and Women's Basketball Tournaments and the Men's and women's Indoor Track & Field Championships.

Basketball Tournament Quarterfinals (M&W): February 25 at sites of top four seeds

Basketball Tournament Semifinals and Championship (M&W): February 28 - March 1 at highest remaining seed after quarterfinals

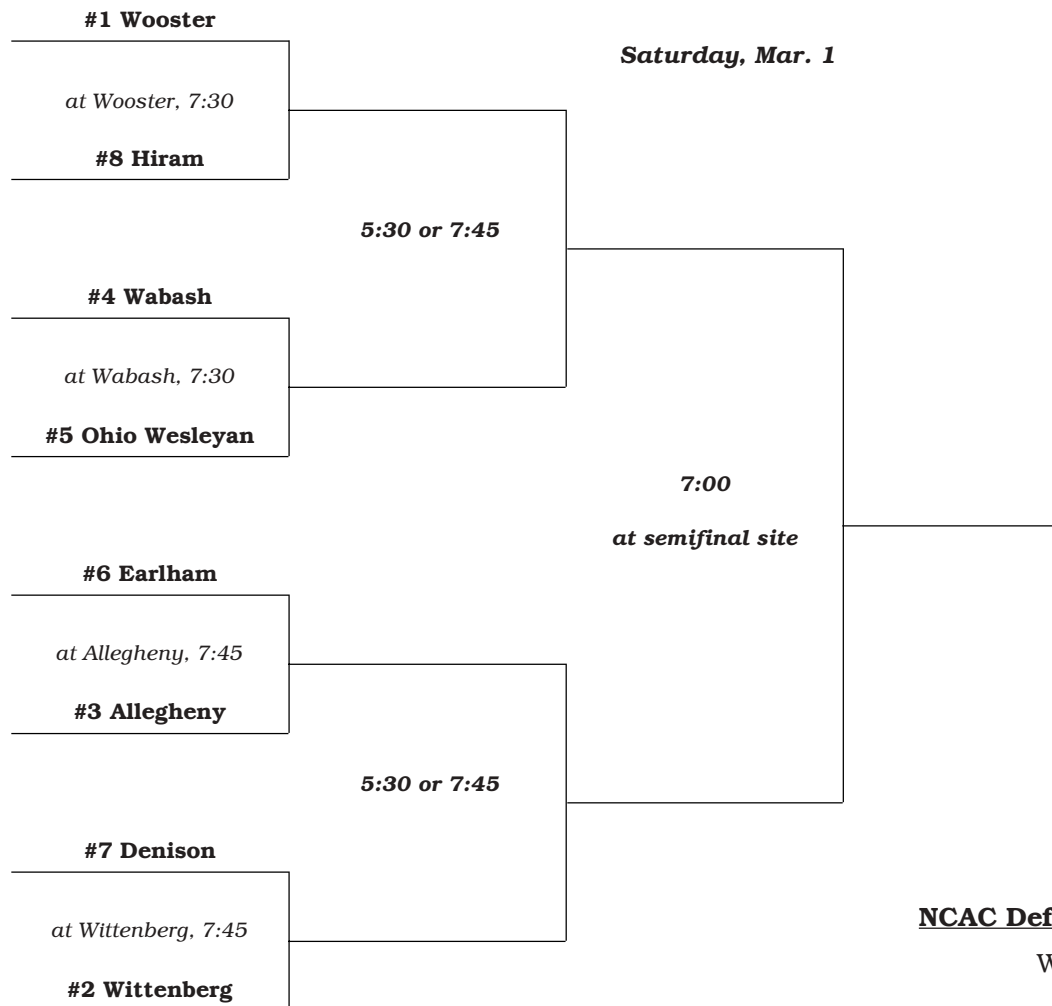
Indoor Track Championships (M&W): March 7-8 at Denison

NCAC Men's Basketball Tournament

Tuesday, Feb. 25

Friday, Feb. 29

Saturday, Mar. 1



FINAL 2002-2003 STANDINGS

STANDINGS	CONFERENCE					OVERALL			
	W-L	Pct	PF	PA	W-L	Pct	PF	PA	
1. Wooster.....	15-1	.938	80.8	61.8	23-2	.920	79.0	60.5	
2. Wittenberg.....	14-2	.875	76.1	59.6	19-5	.792	75.6	61.9	
3. Allegheny.....	10-6	.625	84.1	76.6	14-11	.560	82.2	76.0	
4. Wabash.....	9-7	.562	71.1	68.9	15-9	.625	72.1	68.0	
5. Ohio Wesleyan.....	8-8	.500	72.2	67.1	12-13	.480	71.8	69.2	
Earlham.....	8-8	.500	64.4	70.1	13-12	.520	65.8	69.7	
7. Denison.....	7-9	.438	64.8	70.0	9-16	.360	66.0	70.8	
8. Hiram.....	4-12	.250	74.1	84.5	6-19	.240	75.3	83.1	
9. Kenyon.....	3-13	.188	71.2	82.9	3-22	.120	72.8	85.6	
10. Oberlin.....	2-14	.125	62.5	79.8	3-22	.120	59.6	77.7	

Tiebreaker (seeding only): Ohio Wesleyan earns the fifth seed over Earlham

NORTH COAST ATHLETIC CONFERENCE 2002-03 MEN'S BASKETBALL SCOREBOARD

ALLEGHENY (10-6; 14-11)			DENISON (7-9; 9-16)			EARLHAM (8-8; 13-12)			HIRAM (4-12; 6-19)			KENYON (3-13; 3-22)		
84	Grove City (at W&J)	87	62	Eureka*	47	69	Rust*	54	77	Notre Dame (OH)*	86	58	at Chicago*	93
96	WASH. & JEFFERSON	71	64	at Westminster (Mo.)* ot	67	78	Sewanee*	68	93	Hilbert*	55	68	St. John's (MN)*	72
84	JUNIATA**	91	60	at Mt. St. Joseph	66	68	BLUFFTON	72	65	at John Carroll**	86	69	Chowan**	87
78	OLIVET**	83	68	Hendrix**	67	64	at Mt. St. Joseph	77	83	Case West. Reserve**	71	83	Pitt-Greensburg**	90
82	THIEL	81	75	at Rhodes**	85	54	HANOVER	87	68	at Pitt-Greesburg	86	76	at Mount Vernon Nazarene	95
66	at Wittenberg	70	63	at Wooster	74	73	WILMINGTON	62	64	OHIO WESLEYAN	76	58	WOOSTER	96
75	at California (PA)	82	52	at Wabash	72	72	at Oberlin	60	68	NOTRE DAME (OH)	75	90	at Bethany ot	91
70	at Westminster (PA)	57	66	GROVE CITY	83	73	at Rose-Hulman	63	75	at Bethany	81	61	Muskingum ^	91
80	EARLHAM	60	74	at Bluffton ot	78	82	at Franklin	76	80	at Carnegie Mellon	85	84	Madonna ^	97
63	WABASH	74	73	at Capital	83	60	at Allegheny	80	73	WABASH	85	66	at Ohio Wesleyan	100
88	at Alfred	69	67	OHIO WESLEYAN	76	67	at Hiram	74	74	EARLHAM	67	66	WITTENBERG	81
52	at Behrend	53	50	at Earlham	62	53	DePAUW	62	87	at Thiel	100	68	at Allegheny	83
83	KENYON	68	75	HIRAM	74	62	DENISON	50	75	at Wittenberg	93	69	at Oberlin	67
69	Wooster	80	48	WITTENBERG	70	57	at Wabash	93	74	at Denison	75	91	at Hiram	101
86	at Ohio Wesleyan ot	93	66	at Oberlin	56	58	WOOSTER	75	101	KENYON	91	72	EARLHAM	84
103	HIRAM	94	88	ALLEGHENY	83	84	at Kenyon	72	94	at Allegheny	103	61	at Wabash	65
83	at Denison	88	80	at Kenyon	73	68	OHIO WESLEYAN	60	87	OBERLIN	79	73	DENISON	80
98	at Oberlin	81	76	WABASH ot	78	46	at Wittenberg	82	61	WOOSTER	94	55	at Wooster	92
66	WITTENBERG	63	74	at Hiram	68	66	OBERLIN	57	81	at Ohio Wesleyan	79	93	WASH. & JEFFERSON	98
74	WOOSTER	97	53	EARLHAM	58	77	WABASH	74	68	DENISON	74	94	OBERLIN	81
94	at Kenyon	79	70	at LaRoche	74	58	at Denison	53	62	WITTENBERG	78	79	ALLEGHENY	94
99	OBERLIN	60	61	KENYON	53	39	WITTENBERG	82	58	at Wooster	91	53	at Denison	61
87	DENISON	61	61	at Allegheny	87	56	at Ohio Wesleyan	60	72	at Kenyon	89	89	HIRAM	72
109	at Hiram	76	72	OBERLIN	61	88	KENYON	72	76	ALLEGHENY	109	72	at Earlham	88
85	OHIO WESLEYAN	81	51	at Wittenberg	75	72	at Wooster	78	66	at Oberlin	69	73	WABASH	81

* West Penn Classic	*at Westminster (Mo.) Tourney	*at Sewanee Invitational	*at PSU-Behrend Invitational	*at Chicago Tournament
**Dad's Holiday Classic	**at Rhodes Classic		**at John Carroll Tournament	**at Marymount Tournament
				^at Bluffton Tournament

OBERLIN (2-14; 3-22)			OHIO WESLEYAN (8-8; 12-13)			WABASH (9-7; 15-9)			WITTENBERG (14-2; 19-5)			WOOSTER (15-1; 23-2)		
55	Concordia (WI)*	72	102	MacMurray*	62	77	PURDUE-CALUMET*	54	99	ALMA*	58	94	CASE WEST. RESERVE*	40
45	Concordia-Moorehead (MN)*	75	88	at Adrian*	73	64	ILLINOIS WESLEYAN*	78	75	OHIO DOMINICAN*	80	93	MERCHANT MARINE*	70
62	at Notre Dame (OH)	74	64	at Capital	72	83	FRANKLIN	60	74	St. Norbert**	58	63	at Ohio Northern	62
60	Albion**	85	76	at Hiram	64	87	Tufts** 2ot	81	69	at Franklin**	59	64	at Westminster	53
56	at Hanover**	85	71	OHIO DOMINICAN	78	80	Phila Biblical**	72	66	CEDARVILLE	67	74	DENISON	63
60	EARLHAM	72	56	at Eastern Kentucky	109	62	at DePauw	73	70	ALLEGHENY	66	96	at Kenyon	58
45	at Manchester	82	66	Rose-Hulman^	60	72	DENISON	52	79	at Otterbein	71	59	Luther**	36
47	WILMINGTON	68	55	Dominican^	57	74	AVERETT^	59	62	at Ohio Northern	82	70	Elmhurst**	52
43	at Wittenberg	101	79	Thiel**	61	67	MARIAN ^	53	72	at Case Western Reserve	57	74	ILLINOIS BENEDICTINE^	66
45	WOOSTER	86	57	Randolph-Macon**	83	85	at Hiram	73	101	OBERLIN	43	72	KALAMAZOO^	79
48	at Ohio Wesleyan	81	100	KENYON	66	74	at Allegheny	63	81	at Kenyon	66	93	at Mount Union	66
68	at Washington & Jefferson	79	76	at Denison	67	63	at Wooster	76	93	HIRAM	75	86	at Oberlin	45
67	KENYON	69	81	OBERLIN	48	93	EARLHAM	57	73	at Ohio Wesleyan	64	76	WABASH	63
45	at Wabash	64	64	WITTENBERG	73	64	OBERLIN	45	70	at Denison	48	80	at Allegheny	69
56	DENISON	66	93	ALLEGHENY ot	86	47	at Wittenberg	62	62	WABASH	47	75	at Earlham	58
79	at Hiram	87	59	at Wooster	70	65	KENYON	61	64	at Wooster	81	70	OHIO WESLEYAN	59
52	PSU-BEHREND	46	60	at Earlham	68	53	at Ohio Wesleyan	77	82	EARLHAM	46	81	WITTENBERG	64
81	ALLEGHENY	98	77	WABASH	53	78	at Denison ot	76	63	at Allegheny	66	94	at Hiram	61
57	at Earlham	66	79	HIRAM	81	74	at Earlham	77	68	OHIO WESLEYAN	58	92	KENYON	55
81	at Kenyon	94	58	at Wittenberg	68	69	WOOSTER	74	78	at Hiram	62	97	ALLEGHENY	74
61	OHIO WESLEYAN	78	78	at Oberlin	61	55	OHIO WESLEYAN	54	82	at Earlham	39	74	at Wabash	69
60	at Allegheny	99	54	at Wabash	55	78	at Oberlin	87	61	WOOSTER	55	91	HIRAM	58
87	WABASH	78	60	EARLHAM	56	86	WITTENBERG ot	95	95	at Wabash ot	86	55	at Wittenberg	61
61	at Denison	72	60	WOOSTER	73	81	at Kenyon	73	75	DENISON	51	73	at Ohio Wesleyan	60
69	HIRAM	66	81	at Allegheny	85						78		EARLHAM	72

*at Capital Tournament	*at Adrian Invitational	**at Colorado College Classic	**at Franklin Tournament	*Al Van Wie Classic
**at Hanover Tournament	^at Illinois College Tournament	^ Pete Thom Invitational		** at Elmhurst Classic
	**at Randolph-Macon Tournament			^Mose Hole Classic

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2002-03 North Coast Athletic Conference Men's Basketball Team Statistics (Through games of Feb 22, 2003 - All games)

SCORING OFFENSE

## Team	G	W-L	Pts	Avg/G
1. Allegheny.....	25	14-11	2054	82.2
2. Wooster.....	25	23-2	1974	79.0
3. Wittenberg.....	24	19-5	1814	75.6
4. Hiram.....	25	6-19	1882	75.3
5. Kenyon.....	25	3-22	1821	72.8
6. Wabash.....	24	15-9	1731	72.1
7. Ohio Wesleyan.....	25	12-13	1794	71.8
8. Denison.....	25	9-16	1649	66.0
9. Earlham.....	25	13-12	1644	65.8
10. Oberlin.....	25	3-22	1490	59.6

SCORING DEFENSE

## Team	G	Pts	Avg/G
1. Wooster.....	25	1513	60.5
2. Wittenberg.....	24	1485	61.9
3. Wabash.....	24	1632	68.0
4. Ohio Wesleyan.....	25	1729	69.2
5. Earlham.....	25	1743	69.7
6. Denison.....	25	1770	70.8
7. Allegheny.....	25	1899	76.0
8. Oberlin.....	25	1943	77.7
9. Hiram.....	25	2077	83.1
10. Kenyon.....	25	2140	85.6

SCORING MARGIN

## Team	G	OFF	DEF	Margin
1. Wooster.....	25	79.0	60.5	+18.4
2. Wittenberg.....	24	75.6	61.9	+13.7
3. Allegheny.....	25	82.2	76.0	+6.2
4. Wabash.....	24	72.1	68.0	+4.1
5. Ohio Wesleyan.....	25	71.8	69.2	+2.6
6. Earlham.....	25	65.8	69.7	-4.0
7. Denison.....	25	66.0	70.8	-4.8
8. Hiram.....	25	75.3	83.1	-7.8
9. Kenyon.....	25	72.8	85.6	-12.8
10. Oberlin.....	25	59.6	77.7	-18.1

FREE THROW PERCENTAGES

## Team	G	FTM	FTA	Pct
1. Wooster.....	25	397	503	.789
2. Ohio Wesleyan.....	25	387	524	.739
3. Kenyon.....	25	345	469	.736
4. Allegheny.....	25	386	534	.723
5. Wabash.....	24	369	512	.721
6. Denison.....	25	323	449	.719
7. Earlham.....	25	382	555	.688
8. Wittenberg.....	24	312	464	.672
9. Hiram.....	25	352	531	.663
10. Oberlin.....	25	298	461	.646

FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGES

## Team	G	FG	FGA	Pct
1. Wooster.....	25	693	1374	.504
2. Wittenberg.....	24	664	1389	.478
3. Denison.....	25	600	1267	.474
4. Wabash.....	24	611	1327	.460
5. Allegheny.....	25	732	1597	.458
6. Kenyon.....	25	639	1463	.437
7. Ohio Wesleyan.....	25	610	1399	.436
8. Hiram.....	25	678	1569	.432
9. Earlham.....	25	559	1299	.430
10. Oberlin.....	25	557	1372	.406

FIELD GOAL PCT DEFENSE

## Team	G	FG	FGA	Pct
1. Wooster.....	25	513	1301	.394
2. Wittenberg.....	24	514	1295	.397
3. Wabash.....	24	586	1458	.402
4. Ohio Wesleyan.....	25	622	1451	.429
5. Earlham.....	25	624	1368	.456
6. Hiram.....	25	752	1632	.461
7. Allegheny.....	25	684	1482	.462
8. Denison.....	25	629	1358	.463
9. Oberlin.....	25	669	1367	.489
10. Kenyon.....	25	735	1486	.495

3-POINT FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGES

## Team	G	FG	FGA	Pct
1. Wooster.....	25	191	477	.400
2. Wittenberg.....	24	174	442	.394
3. Allegheny.....	25	204	524	.389
4. Denison.....	25	126	340	.371
5. Kenyon.....	25	198	536	.369
6. Hiram.....	25	174	478	.364
7. Ohio Wesleyan.....	25	187	555	.337
8. Wabash.....	24	140	424	.330
9. Earlham.....	25	144	464	.310
10. Oberlin.....	25	80	302	.265

3-POINT FIELD GOAL PCT DEFENSE

## Team	G	FG	FGA	Pct
1. Wabash.....	24	137	496	.276
2. Wooster.....	25	126	397	.317
3. Ohio Wesleyan.....	25	152	476	.319
4. Hiram.....	25	193	602	.321
5. Wittenberg.....	24	158	465	.340
6. Earlham.....	25	143	418	.342
7. Denison.....	25	162	441	.367
8. Allegheny.....	25	165	441	.374
9. Oberlin.....	25	170	436	.390
10. Kenyon.....	25	199	486	.409

REBOUNDING OFFENSE

## Team	G	Reb	Avg/G
1. Wittenberg.....	24	938	39.1
2. Hiram.....	25	928	37.1
3. Wabash.....	24	886	36.9
4. Wooster.....	25	899	36.0
Ohio Wesleyan.....	25	899	36.0
6. Allegheny.....	25	870	34.8
7. Earlham.....	25	848	33.9
8. Denison.....	25	829	33.2
9. Oberlin.....	25	809	32.4
10. Kenyon.....	25	753	30.1

REBOUNDING DEFENSE

## Team	G	Reb	Avg/G
1. Wooster.....	25	705	28.2
2. Denison.....	25	711	28.4
3. Wittenberg.....	24	727	30.3
4. Earlham.....	25	807	32.3
5. Ohio Wesleyan.....	25	851	34.0
6. Wabash.....	24	840	35.0
7. Oberlin.....	25	889	35.6
8. Allegheny.....	25	935	37.4
9. Kenyon.....	25	975	39.0
10. Hiram.....	25	1032	41.3

REBOUNDING MARGIN

## Team	G	TEAM	Avg	OPP	Avg	Margin
1. Wittenberg.....	24	938	39.1	727	30.3	+8.8
2. Wooster.....	25	899	36.0	705	28.2	+7.8
3. Denison.....	25	829	33.2	711	28.4	+4.7
4. Ohio Wesleyan.....	25	899	36.0	851	34.0	+1.9
5. Wabash.....	24	886	36.9	840	35.0	+1.9
6. Earlham.....	25	848	33.9	807	32.3	+1.6
7. Allegheny.....	25	870	34.8	935	37.4	-2.6
8. Oberlin.....	25	809	32.4	889	35.6	-3.2
9. Hiram.....	25	928	37.1	1032	41.3	-4.2
10. Kenyon.....	25	753	30.1	975	39.0	-8.9

BLOCKED SHOTS

## Team	G	Blocks	Avg/G
1. Wabash.....	24	80	3.33
2. Wooster.....	25	79	3.16
3. Oberlin.....	25	65	2.60
4. Wittenberg.....	24	61	2.54
5. Kenyon.....	25	58	2.32
6. Earlham.....	25	51	2.04
7. Allegheny.....	25	49	1.96
8. Ohio Wesleyan.....	25	42	1.68
9. Denison.....	25	33	1.32
10. Hiram.....	25	23	0.92

2002-03 North Coast Athletic Conference Men's Basketball Individual Statistics (Through games of Feb 22, 2003 - All games)

To be ranked, a player must appear in at least 51.0% of their team's games.

SCORING

##	Player-Team	Cl	G	FG	3FG	FT	Pts	Avg/G
1.	Travis Schwab-OWU.....	JR	25	192	20	126	530	21.2
2.	Bryan Nelson-WOO.....	SR	23	164	10	132	470	20.4
3.	Nick Catanzarite-ALL.....	SR	25	164	48	121	497	19.9
4.	Joe DesJean-WAB.....		24	168	11	89	436	18.2
5.	John Campbell-KEN.....	SR	24	158	44	57	417	17.4
6.	Nathan Stoops-ERL.....		18	105	46	24	280	15.6
7.	Bosko Tomasevic-OBE.....	JR	24	145	0	75	365	15.2
8.	Brandon Crawford-OBE.....	FR	25	150	0	80	380	15.2
9.	Matt Formato-KEN.....	FR	23	107	32	98	344	15.0
10.	Brady Claxton-WAB.....		24	117	62	58	354	14.8
11.	David Mayle-HIR.....		22	117	14	68	316	14.4
12.	Ryan Meerstein-ALL.....	SR	25	132	58	37	359	14.4
13.	Perry Young-DEN.....	JR	20	103	4	64	274	13.7
14.	Matt Kersten-HIR.....		25	107	77	43	334	13.4
15.	B.J. Harris-WIT.....	SR	24	123	2	53	301	12.5
16.	Robb Hern-DEN.....	FR	25	109	7	83	308	12.3
17.	Markous Jewett-ERL.....	FR	24	93	31	64	281	11.7
18.	Sean O'Reilly-ERL.....	SR	25	107	18	60	292	11.7
19.	Brandon Cole-OWU.....	SO	25	91	27	81	290	11.6
20.	Matt Magnussen-ALL.....	JR	25	109	33	37	288	11.5

REBOUNDING

##	Player-Team	Cl	G	OFF	DEF	TOT	Avg/G
1.	Brandon Crawford-OBE.....	FR	25	74	163	237	9.5
2.	Brandon Cole-OWU.....	SO	25	62	155	217	8.7
3.	Joe DesJean-WAB.....		24	65	136	201	8.4
4.	B.J. Harris-WIT.....	SR	24	67	132	199	8.3
5.	Travis Schwab-OWU.....	JR	25	79	119	198	7.9
6.	Bryan Nelson-WOO.....	SR	23	50	129	179	7.8
7.	John Campbell-KEN.....	SR	24	36	128	164	6.8
8.	Sean O'Reilly-ERL.....	SR	25	44	114	158	6.3
9.	Brandon Miller-ERL.....	FR	24	47	103	150	6.2
10.	Tyrrell Smith-ALL.....	SR	25	59	97	156	6.2
11.	Bosko Tomasevic-OBE.....	JR	24	52	96	148	6.2
12.	Kevin Longley-WIT.....	SR	21	42	84	126	6.0
13.	Brian Cecil-HIR.....		25	53	95	148	5.9
14.	Perry Young-DEN.....	JR	20	36	79	115	5.8
15.	Derrick Herman-KEN.....	JR	24	56	81	137	5.7
16.	David Mayle-HIR.....		22	43	66	109	5.0
17.	Carlton Dean-HIR.....		25	40	81	121	4.8
18.	Tommy Hodgkinson-DEN.....	SR	25	35	85	120	4.8
	Blake Mealer-WOO.....	SO	25	35	85	120	4.8
20.	Peter Walker-WIT.....	JR	24	55	57	112	4.7

FIELD GOAL PCT (Min. 4.0 made per game)

##	Player-Team	Cl	G	FG	FGA	Pct
1.	Bryan Nelson-WOO.....	SR	23	164	255	.643
2.	Joe DesJean-WAB.....		24	168	301	.558
3.	Perry Young-DEN.....	JR	20	103	186	.554
4.	Tyrrell Smith-ALL.....	SR	25	104	189	.550
5.	Kevin Longley-WIT.....	SR	21	90	165	.545
6.	B.J. Harris-WIT.....	SR	24	123	232	.530
7.	Matt Magnussen-ALL.....	JR	25	109	206	.529
8.	Peter Walker-WIT.....	JR	24	100	190	.526
9.	Brandon Crawford-OBE.....	FR	25	150	286	.524
10.	Travis Schwab-OWU.....	JR	25	192	370	.519

ASSISTS

##	Player-Team	Cl	G	Assists	Avg/G
1.	Ross Rybarczyk-OWU.....	FR	25	93	3.72
	AJ White-HIR.....		25	93	3.72
3.	Rodney Mitchell-WOO.....	JR	25	87	3.48
4.	Nick Catanzarite-ALL.....	SR	25	81	3.24
5.	Billy Dungee-ALL.....	JR	25	76	3.04
6.	Kyle Witucky-WOO.....	FR	25	75	3.00
7.	Dwayne Evans-OBE.....	SO	25	71	2.84
8.	Sean O'Reilly-ERL.....	SR	25	70	2.80
9.	Brandon Cole-OWU.....	SO	25	69	2.76
10.	Matt Smith-WOO.....	SR	25	68	2.72
	Aaron Stancik-KEN.....	JR	25	68	2.72

FREE THROW PCT (Min. 2.0 made per game)

##	Player-Team	Cl	G	FTM	FTA	Pct
1.	Perry Young-DEN.....	JR	20	64	73	.877
2.	Bryan Nelson-WOO.....	SR	23	132	152	.868
3.	Matt Formato-KEN.....	FR	23	98	114	.860
4.	Nick Catanzarite-ALL.....	SR	25	121	141	.858
5.	Markous Jewett-ERL.....	FR	24	64	79	.810
6.	John Campbell-KEN.....	SR	24	57	71	.803
7.	Travis Schwab-OWU.....	JR	25	126	158	.797
8.	Brady Claxton-WAB.....		24	58	73	.795
9.	Djordje Eremic-OBE.....	SR	18	40	52	.769
10.	Brandon Cole-OWU.....	SO	25	81	108	.750
	Matt Schlingman-WOO.....	SO	24	75	100	.750

STEALS

##	Player-Team	Cl	G	Steals	Avg/G
1.	Nick Catanzarite-ALL.....	SR	25	87	3.48
2.	Justin Perkins-OBE.....	SR	25	57	2.28
3.	Sean O'Reilly-ERL.....	SR	25	53	2.12
4.	Brandon Miller-ERL.....	FR	24	47	1.96
5.	Matt Kersten-HIR.....		25	41	1.64
	Billy Dungee-ALL.....	JR	25	41	1.64
7.	Nathan Stoops-ERL.....		18	26	1.44
8.	Aaron Stancik-KEN.....	JR	25	36	1.44
9.	Matt Formato-KEN.....	FR	23	33	1.43
10.	Matt Smith-WOO.....	SR	25	34	1.36

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

##	Player-Team	Cl	G	3FG	FGA	Pct
1.	Matt Magnussen-ALL.....	JR	25	33	66	.500
2.	Kyle Witucky-WOO.....	FR	25	33	67	.493
3.	Matt Smith-WOO.....	SR	25	55	115	.478
4.	Andy Bucheit-WIT.....	SO	23	37	78	.474
5.	Clint Shepherd-DEN.....	SO	25	50	106	.472
6.	Aaron Stancik-KEN.....	JR	25	43	103	.417
7.	Jerry Prestier-HIR.....		22	27	65	.415
8.	Nathan Stoops-ERL.....		18	46	112	.411
9.	Arlen Galloway-KEN.....	FR	22	26	64	.406
10.	Bryan King-OWU.....	SO	25	38	94	.404

3-POINT FG MADE

##	Player-Team	Cl	G	3FG	Avg/G
1.	Matt Kersten-HIR.....		25	77	3.08
2.	Brady Claxton-WAB.....		24	62	2.58
3.	Nathan Stoops-ERL.....		18	46	2.56
4.	Ryan Meerstein-ALL.....	SR	25	58	2.32
5.	Matt Smith-WOO.....	SR	25	55	2.20
6.	Clint Shepherd-DEN.....	SO	25	50	2.00
7.	Rod Emmons-WIT.....		24	47	1.96
8.	Nick Catanzarite-ALL.....	SR	25	48	1.92
9.	John Campbell-KEN.....	SR	24	44	1.83
10.	Aaron Stancik-KEN.....	JR	25	43	1.72

BLOCKED SHOTS

##	Player-Team	Cl	G	Blocks	Avg/G
1.	Joe DesJean-WAB.....		24	40	1.67
2.	John Campbell-KEN.....	SR	24	34	1.42
3.	Eric Buck-WAB.....		24	24	1.00
4.	Jon MacDonald-OBE.....	SR	23	21	0.91
5.	Tyrrell Smith-ALL.....	SR	25	22	0.88
	Brandon Crawford-OBE.....	FR	25	22	0.88
7.	Markous Jewett-ERL.....	FR	24	21	0.88
8.	B.J. Harris-WIT.....	SR	24	19	0.79
9.	Daniel Russ-WIT.....	FR	24	18	0.75
10.	Blake Mealer-WOO.....	SO	25	18	0.72

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

##	Player-Team	Cl	G	Asst	Avg Turn	Avg	Ratio	
1.	Kyle Witucky-WOO.....	FR	25	75	3.0	31	1.2	2.42
2.	Rodney Mitchell-WOO.....	JR	25	87	3.5	47	1.9	1.85
3.	Ross Rybarczyk-OWU.....	FR	25	93	3.7	51	2.0	1.82
4.	AJ White-HIR.....		25	93	3.7	54	2.2	1.72
5.	Billy Dungee-ALL.....	JR	25	76	3.0	48	1.9	1.58
6.	Nick Catanzarite-ALL.....	SR	25	81	3.2	68	2.7	1.19

OFFENSIVE REBOUNDS

##	Player-Team	Cl	G	No.	Avg/G
1.	Travis Schwab-OWU.....	JR	25	79	3.16
2.	Brandon Crawford-OBE.....	FR	25	74	2.96
3.	B.J. Harris-WIT.....	SR	24	67	2.79
4.	Joe DesJean-WAB.....		24	65	2.71
5.	Brandon Cole-OWU.....	SO	25	62	2.48
6.	Tyrrell Smith-ALL.....	SR	25	59	2.36
7.	Derrick Herman-KEN.....	JR	24	56	2.33
8.	Peter Walker-WIT.....	JR	24	55	2.29
9.	Bryan Nelson-WOO.....	SR	23	50	2.17
10.	Bosko Tomasevic-OBE.....	JR	24	52	2.17

DEFENSIVE REBOUNDS

##	Player-Team	Cl	G	No.	Avg/G
1.	Brandon Crawford-OBE.....	FR	25	163	6.52
2.	Brandon Cole-OWU.....	SO	25	155	6.20
3.	Joe DesJean-WAB.....		24	136	5.67
4.	Bryan Nelson-WOO.....	SR	23	129	5.61
5.	B.J. Harris-WIT.....	SR	24	132	5.50
6.	John Campbell-KEN.....	SR	24	128	5.33
7.	Travis Schwab-OWU.....	JR	25	119	4.76
8.	Sean O'Reilly-ERL.....	SR	25	114	4.56
9.	Brandon Miller-ERL.....	FR	24	103	4.29
10.	Bosko Tomasevic-OBE.....	JR	24	96	4.00
	Kevin Longley-WIT.....	SR	21	84	4.00

CLEVELAND -- With an 83-55 win over Denison, Wittenberg (16-0, 21-4) became the seventh North Coast women's champion to claim their crown without a loss in league play. The Tigers earned their second consecutive North Coast Athletic Conference regular season title, their ninth overall. Wittenberg has now won seven outright regular season crowns. Ohio Wesleyan, the 2000-01 winner, shared the championship with Wittenberg twice (1998-99 and '91-92 seasons). The Bishops, runners up for the second straight season, also claimed solo crowns in 1999-00 and '92-93.

Wittenberg will be the top seed in the 19th annual NCAC Tournament, which begins with quarterfinals at campus sites on Tuesday. Tuesday's winners will advance to the semifinals and finals on Friday and Saturday at the site of the highest remaining seed. Tournament seeding follows the final regular-season standings with the top four seeds hosting the quarterfinals (see attached bracket). This year's champion will again receive an automatic bid to the NCAA Division III Tournament, which begins in two weeks.

TIME TO TALK TOURNEY: Allegheny (5) and Wittenberg (5) have combined to win 10 of 18 women's tournament titles. Ohio Wesleyan has four tourney titles, including three in the past four years. Kenyon has earned two crowns, while Denison and Wooster each have one ... Oberlin, this year's eighth seed, has never advanced beyond the semifinals. Number two seed Ohio Wesleyan has made 11 trips to the finals; Wittenberg, the top seed, has made the finals 10 times. Fourth-seeded Allegheny has been to the finals five times, winning a championship each time.

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Tuesday, Feb. 25

NCAC Tournament Quarterfinals

#8 Oberlin at #1 Wittenberg, 5:30
#5 Earlham at #4 Allegheny, 5:30
#7 Kenyon at #2 Ohio Wesleyan, 7:30
#6 Wooster at #3 Denison, 7:30

Friday, Feb. 28

NCAC Tournament Semifinals

5:30/7:45 at highest remaining seed

Saturday, Mar. 1

NCAC Tournament Final

4:00 at semifinal site

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Wednesday, Feb. 19

ALLEGHENY 76, HIRAM 60
DENISON 79, OHIO WESLEYAN 61
WITTENBERG 97, OBERLIN 61
WOOSTER 61, KENYON 50

Saturday, Feb. 22

HIRAM 55, OBERLIN 53
OHIO WESLEYAN 60, ALLEGHENY 55
WITTENBERG 83, DENISON 55
WOOSTER 69, EARLHAM 64

Indoor Track & Field Report: **HIRAM, OBERLIN** and **WOOSTER** participated in the Greater Cleveland Colleges meet, hosted by Baldwin-Wallace last Saturday. Three individual winners were from Wooster: **Karina Colbenson (Littleton, CO/Littleton)** in the women's 500 meters (1:27.55), **Jennifer Stockdale (Rocky River, OH/St. Joseph Academy)** in the women's 5000 meters (18:27.16), and **Jill Berner (Fredonia, NY/Fredonia)** in the women's pole vault (10-8 1/2). Hiram senior **Emma Brown (Gates Mills, OH/Mayfield)** was the only double winner from the three schools. She won both the 55 hurdles (8.80) and long jump (17-8 1/2) to set Terrier records in both events. In addition, Brown tied for second in the high jump with teammate **Julie Feather-Faber (Hiram, OH/Crestwood)**. Both competitors broke Hiram's school record in the event by clearing 5 feet, 2 inches. The Scots placed third in both the men's and women's competition. Oberlin was fifth in the women's and sixth in the men's meet. Hiram placed fifth in the men's meet and sixth in the women's ... **DENISON, KENYON** and **OHIO WESLEYAN** competed in the non-scoring Greater Columbus Division III meet, hosted by Denison. Big Red sophomore **Andy Stromwall (Waukesha, WI/Waukesha South)** was a double winner, taking the men's triple jump (43-11 1/2) and tying for first in the men's pole vault (12-6). The Bishops' **Clint Wasserman (Oregon, OH/Clay)** also tied in the men's pole vault (12-6). Other individual winners were **Justin Blackburn (Wadsworth, OH/Wadsworth)** of Ohio Wesleyan in the men's 55 hurdles (8.13), Denison's **Happy Grewal (Parma, OH/Parma)** in the men's 500 meters (1:09.83), Kenyon freshman **Christina McNamara (Chappaqua, NY/Horace Greeley)** in the women's 1500 meters (4:53.26) and teammate **Laura Koss (Milburn, NJ/Milburn)** in the women's 3000 meters (11:03.57). Ohio Wesleyan's **Aisha Broussard (Delaware, OH/Hayes)** and **Jamie Harden (Waynesville, OH/Springboro)** won the women's 400 meters (1:03.46) and women's 500 meters (1:25.88), respectively; **Kim Murley (Dalton, PA/Tunkhannock Area)**, **Jackie Berner (Fredonia, NY/Fredonia)** and **Julia Thaler (Bronxville, NY/Bronxville)**, all of Denison, took the women's 800 meters (2:19.06), women's 300 meters (42.67) and women's triple jump (32-2), respectively ... **ALLEGHENY** senior pole vaulter **Jeremy Scott (Norfolk, NE/Norfolk)** put in yet another outstanding performance, this time at the DePauw Classic. He shattered his own Division III indoor record with a leap of 18 feet, 7 1/2 inches to win the event. He bettered his record by three inches. The Gators placed 12th in the 14-team field. **EARLHAM** also competed at the DePauw Classic. Sophomore **Tashi Johnson (Bloomington, IN/North)** broke her own school record in the 200 meters (26.30) as she placed second. She was also runner-up in the 55 meters (7.38). Quaker freshman **Greg Stanley (Marion, IN/Marion)** established a school record in the men's 55 meters with a 6.74 clocking, as he finished third. Sophomore **J.P. Gary (Riverside, IL/Riverside-Brookfield)** of Earlham won the 1000 meters in meet-record time (2:37.34). The Quaker women's team finished fourth in the 12-team field; the men were eighth of 14. The rest of the Gators' squad competed at Kent State's Tune-Up meet. Senior **Dan Princic (Carrollton, OH/Carrollton)** broke his own school record in the men's 5000 meters (14:41.48). Sophomore **Kevin Pool (New Windsor, MD/Westminster)** set a school record in the 3000 meters (8:46.40), and freshman **Aaron Rape (Zelienople, PA/Freedom)** eclipsed the school mark in the 200 meters (23:45). Senior **Jenn Surace (Bethel Park, PA/Bethel Park)** led the Gator women with a second-place finish in the pole vault (10-6).

NCAC Women's Basketball Tournament

Tuesday, Feb. 25

Friday, Feb. 29

Saturday, Mar. 1



FINAL 2002-2003 STANDINGS

STANDINGS	CONFERENCE				OVERALL			
	W-L	Pct	PF	PA	W-L	Pct	PF	PA
1. Wittenberg.....	16-0	1.000	77.6	53.8	21-4	.840	73.9	58.5
2. Ohio Wesleyan.....	12-4	.750	62.8	58.1	16-9	.640	62.7	58.8
3. Denison.....	10-6	.625	64.6	57.5	15-9	.625	63.6	58.3
Allegheny.....	10-6	.625	62.2	64.1	12-13	.480	62.4	64.8
5. Earlham.....	8-8	.500	58.9	58.0	13-10	.565	62.8	59.8
6. Wooster.....	7-9	.438	61.1	62.1	13-12	.520	65.9	65.6
7. Kenyon.....	5-11	.312	53.9	58.2	10-14	.417	56.9	59.8
8. Oberlin.....	2-14	.125	57.4	67.6	6-18	.250	60.9	67.6
Hiram.....	2-14	.125	52.9	72.0	3-22	.120	51.6	69.6

Tiebreakers (seeding only): Denison earns third seed over Allegheny;
Oberlin earns eighth seed over Hiram

NORTH COAST ATHLETIC CONFERENCE 2002-03 WOMEN'S BASKETBALL SCOREBOARD

ALLEGHENY (10-6; 12-13)		DENISON (10-6; 15-9)		EARLHAM (8-8; 13-10)		HIRAM (2-14; 3-22)		KENYON (5-11; 10-14)						
77	WAYNESBURG*	54	61	at Carnegie Mellon*	70	94	Salem*	42	60	Penn St.-Altoona*	71	67	Whittier*	53
86	MISERICORDIA*	60	66	Point Park*	47	66	Centre*	89	43	at Marietta*	70	63	Wisconsin-River Falls*	58
55	at Washington & Jefferson	64	73	NOTRE DAME (OH)	56	83	at Hanover	79	51	DENISON	63	47	at Mount Union	55
59	Mt. St. Mary's**	66	62	at Bluffton	53	55	KENYON	43	39	GROVE CITY	75	43	at Earlham	55
60	at Nazareth**	61	63	at Hiram	51	65	at Oberlin	63	58	at Hilbert ot	64	79	Mt. VER. NAZARENE	73
52	at Capital	74	71	OHIO NORTHERN	60	65	MacMURRAY	52	76	D'YOUVILLE	49	78	SAVANNAH A & D ot	81
60	at Wooster	76	59	BETHANY	74	65	ROSE-HULMAN	52	48	at Thiel	82	63	Mt. St. Joseph**	61
45	at Carnegie Mellon	61	54	William Patterson**	51	58	at Allegheny	74	35	CARNEGIE MELLON	56	56	Otterbein**	75
71	at Case Western Reserve	84	47	Messiah**	68	80	at Hiram	79	42	WITTENBERG	91	69	OHIO WESLEYAN	65
74	EARLHAM	58	65	WOOSTER	53	57	MT. ST. JOSEPH	62	79	EARLHAM	80	56	at Oberlin	62
56	WITTENBERG	80	40	at Kenyon	49	68	WOOSTER	37	47	PSU-BEHREND	57	49	DENISON	40
60	WESTMINSTER	70	61	WITTENBERG	75	75	at Heidelberg	72	37	at Mount Union	63	44	ALLEGHENY	48
48	at Kenyon	44	65	OHIO WESLEYAN	70	55	at Wittenberg	65	40	at Wooster	71	50	JOHN CARROL	48
70	at Oberlin	63	66	HIRAM	37	67	DENISON ot	64	37	at Denison	66	53	at Wooster	44
60	at Ohio Wesleyan	70	64	at Earlham ot	67	49	OHIO WESLEYAN	60	43	at Ohio Wesleyan	73	57	at Wittenberg	65
75	WOOSTER	65	72	OBERLIN	49	52	at Kenyon	44	68	OBERLIN	79	51	at Allegheny	60
60	KENYON	51	57	at Allegheny	62	55	OBERLIN	40	63	ALLEGHENY	73	44	EARLHAM	52
73	at Hiram	63	61	EARLHAM	52	52	at Denison	61	56	at Kenyon	69	69	HIRAM	56
62	DENISON	57	78	at Oberlin	51	55	ALLEGHENY	57	43	OHIO WESLEYAN	63	57	WITTENBERG	70
57	at Earlham	55	60	at Wooster	49	67	HIRAM	55	37	at Wittenberg	91	43	at Ohio Wesleyan	56
45	at Wittenberg	98	73	KENYON	50	49	WITTENBERG	62	55	at Earlham	67	62	OBERLIN	57
64	OBERLIN	52	74	ALLEGHENY	61	51	at Ohio Wesleyan	55	50	WOOSTER	72	50	at Denison	73
61	at Denison	74	79	at Ohio Wesleyan	61	64	at Wooster	69	68	KENYON ot	65	65	at Hiram ot	68
76	HIRAM	60	55	at Wittenberg	83			60		at Allegheny	76	50	WOOSTER	61
55	OHIO WESLEYAN	60					*at Centre Invitational	55		at Oberlin	53			

*Allegheny Tip-Off Tournament
**at Nazareth Tournament

*at Carnegie Mellon Tournament
**in Daytona Beach, Fla.

*at Marietta Turkey Shootout

*at Chicago Tournament
**at Otterbein Tournament

OBERLIN (2-14; 6-18)		OHIO WESLEYAN (12-4; 16-9)		WITTENBERG (16-0; 21-4)		WOOSTER (7-9; 13-12)					
50	Baldwin-Wallace*	71	59	Seton Hill*	71	56	ALBION*	45	76	WILBERFORCE*	72
67	Notre Dame (OH)*	105	68	Milwaukee Engineering*	42	74	OTTERBEIN*	82	46	WASH.& JEFF.*	69
67	at Ursuline	51	69	CASE WEST. RESERVE	80	79	CAPITAL	62	86	at Notre Dame (OH)	73
41	OHIO WESLEYAN	58	70	at Ohio Northern	68	53	at Baldwin-Wallace	79	76	ALLEGHENY	60
63	EARLHAM	65	58	at Oberlin	41	69	Case West. Reserve**	55	90	URSULINE	64
69	at Notre Dame (OH)	72	61	at Bethany	66	64	Tri-State**	72	54	at St. Mary's (MD)	72
45	at Pitt-Greensburg	69	46	Wash. & Jefferson	66	69	DePAUW	64	94	at Trinity (DC)	72
90	URSULINE	58	66	THOMAS MORE	51	76	at Thomas More	70	80	at Grove City ot	77
62	KENYON	56	65	at Kenyon	69	66	at Wilmington	73	53	at Denison	65
78	at Lake Erie	57	65	WOOSTER	61	91	at Hiram	42	61	at Ohio Wesleyan	65
68	at Wooster	77	69	Hilbert (at Gund Arena)	27	80	at Allegheny	56	77	OBERLIN	68
57	at Ohio Wesleyan	61	62	at Wittenberg	71	71	OHIO WESLEYAN	62	37	at Earlham	68
63	ALLEGHENY	70	61	OBERLIN	57	75	at Denison	61	71	HIRAM	40
64	WITTENBERG	81	70	at Denison	65	65	EARLHAM	55	44	KENYON	53
77	LAKE ERIE	57	70	ALLEGHENY	60	81	at Oberlin	64	65	at Allegheny	75
79	at Hiram	68	73	HIRAM	43	65	KENYON	57	56	at Wittenberg	76
49	at Denison	72	60	at Earlham	49	76	WOOSTER	56	71	at Lake Erie	70
40	at Earlham	55	74	at Wooster	72	71	at Ohio Wesleyan	52	72	OHIO WESLEYAN	74
59	WOOSTER	63	52	WITTENBERG	71	70	at Kenyon	57	63	at Oberlin	59
51	DENISON	78	63	at Hiram	43	91	HIRAM	37	49	DENISON	60
57	at Kenyon	62	56	KENYON	43	98	ALLEGHENY	45	74	at Ursuline	78
52	at Allegheny	64	54	CENTRAL STATE	69	62	at Earlham	49	72	at Hiram	50
61	at Wittenberg	97	55	EARLHAM	51	66	at Wooster	51	51	WITTENBERG	66
53	HIRAM	55	61	DENISON	79	97	OBERLIN	61	61	at Kenyon	50
			60	at Allegheny	55	83	DENISON	55	69	EARLHAM	64

*at Greater Cleveland Classic

*at Defiance Invitational

*Kiwanis Classic
**at Calvin Tournament

*Nan Nichols Tournament

2002-03 North Coast Athletic Conference Women's Basketball Standings (Through games of Feb 22, 2003 - All games)

STANDINGS	-----CONFERENCE-----				-----OVERALL-----			
	W-L	Pct	PF	PA	W-L	Pct	PF	PA
1. Wittenberg.....	16-0	1.000	77.6	53.8	21-4	.840	73.9	58.5
2. Ohio Wesleyan.....	12-4	.750	62.8	58.1	16-9	.640	62.7	58.8
3. Denison.....	10-6	.625	64.6	57.5	15-9	.625	63.6	58.3
Alleggheny.....	10-6	.625	62.2	64.1	12-13	.480	62.4	64.8
5. Earlham.....	8-8	.500	58.9	58.0	13-10	.565	62.8	59.8
6. Wooster.....	7-9	.438	61.1	62.1	13-12	.520	65.9	65.6
7. Kenyon.....	5-11	.312	53.9	58.2	10-14	.417	56.9	59.8
8. Oberlin.....	2-14	.125	57.4	67.6	6-18	.250	60.9	67.6
Hiram.....	2-14	.125	52.9	72.0	3-22	.120	51.6	69.6

2002-03 North Coast Athletic Conference Women's Basketball Team Statistics (Through games of Feb 22, 2003 - All games)

SCORING OFFENSE

# Team	G	W-L	Pts	Avg/G
1.Wittenberg.....	25	21-4	1848	73.9
2.Wooster.....	25	13-12	1648	65.9
3.Denison.....	24	15-9	1526	63.6
4.Earlham.....	23	13-10	1445	62.8
5.Ohio Wesleyan.....	25	16-9	1567	62.7
6.Alleggheny.....	25	12-13	1561	62.4
7.Oberlin.....	24	6-18	1462	60.9
8.Kenyon.....	24	10-14	1365	56.9
9.Hiram.....	25	3-22	1291	51.6

SCORING DEFENSE

# Team	G	Pts	Avg/G
1.Denison.....	24	1399	58.3
2.Wittenberg.....	25	1462	58.5
3.Ohio Wesleyan.....	25	1470	58.8
4.Earlham.....	23	1376	59.8
5.Kenyon.....	24	1436	59.8
6.Alleggheny.....	25	1620	64.8
7.Wooster.....	25	1640	65.6
8.Oberlin.....	24	1622	67.6
9.Hiram.....	25	1739	69.6

SCORING MARGIN

# Team	G	OFF	DEF	Margin
1.Wittenberg.....	25	73.9	58.5	+15.4
2.Denison.....	24	63.6	58.3	+5.3
3.Ohio Wesleyan.....	25	62.7	58.8	+3.9
4.Earlham.....	23	62.8	59.8	+3.0
5.Wooster.....	25	65.9	65.6	+0.3
6.Alleggheny.....	25	62.4	64.8	-2.4
7.Kenyon.....	24	56.9	59.8	-3.0
8.Oberlin.....	24	60.9	67.6	-6.7
9.Hiram.....	25	51.6	69.6	-17.9

FREE THROW PERCENTAGES

# Team	G	FTM	FTA	Pct
1.Earlham.....	23	337	490	.688
2.Oberlin.....	24	262	382	.686
3.Denison.....	24	309	460	.672
4.Wooster.....	25	356	530	.672
5.Wittenberg.....	25	336	501	.671
6.Alleggheny.....	25	284	430	.660
7.Kenyon.....	24	297	452	.657
8.Ohio Wesleyan.....	25	302	461	.655
9.Hiram.....	25	256	426	.601

FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGES

# Team	G	FG	FGA	Pct
1.Ohio Wesleyan.....	25	599	1335	.449
2.Wittenberg.....	25	697	1610	.433
3.Earlham.....	23	536	1264	.424
4.Denison.....	24	558	1395	.400
5.Alleggheny.....	25	606	1563	.388
6.Wooster.....	25	598	1607	.372
7.Kenyon.....	24	481	1295	.371
8.Oberlin.....	24	559	1506	.371
9.Hiram.....	25	481	1373	.350

FIELD GOAL PCT DEFENSE

# Team	G	FG	FGA	Pct
1.Earlham.....	23	493	1363	.362
2.Ohio Wesleyan.....	25	558	1502	.372
3.Kenyon.....	24	498	1302	.382
4.Alleggheny.....	25	577	1469	.393
5.Denison.....	24	507	1289	.393
6.Wooster.....	25	603	1513	.399
7.Hiram.....	25	677	1676	.404
8.Wittenberg.....	25	538	1298	.414
9.Oberlin.....	24	628	1465	.429

3-POINT FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGES

# Team	G	FG	FGA	Pct
1.Denison.....	24	101	320	.316
2.Wittenberg.....	25	118	382	.309
3.Oberlin.....	24	82	275	.298
4.Kenyon.....	24	106	358	.296
5.Wooster.....	25	96	332	.289
6.Ohio Wesleyan.....	25	67	241	.278
7.Hiram.....	25	73	263	.278
8.Alleggheny.....	25	65	239	.272
9.Earlham.....	23	36	141	.255

3-POINT FIELD GOAL PCT DEFENSE

# Team	G	FG	FGA	Pct
1.Wooster.....	25	61	225	.271
2.Ohio Wesleyan.....	25	93	341	.273
3.Alleggheny.....	25	83	300	.277
4.Hiram.....	25	80	289	.277
5.Denison.....	24	79	267	.296
6.Kenyon.....	24	87	293	.297
7.Earlham.....	23	85	286	.297
8.Wittenberg.....	25	96	291	.330
9.Oberlin.....	24	104	294	.354

REBOUNDING OFFENSE

# Team	G	Reb	Avg/G
1.Wooster.....	25	1090	43.6
2.Alleggheny.....	25	1013	40.5
3.Wittenberg.....	25	982	39.3
4.Earlham.....	23	902	39.2
5.Kenyon.....	24	935	39.0
6.Ohio Wesleyan.....	25	958	38.3
7.Hiram.....	25	946	37.8
8.Oberlin.....	24	891	37.1
9.Denison.....	24	848	35.3

REBOUNDING DEFENSE

# Team	G	Reb	Avg/G
1.Wittenberg.....	25	854	34.2
2.Ohio Wesleyan.....	25	885	35.4
3.Kenyon.....	24	868	36.2
4.Earlham.....	23	875	38.0
5.Denison.....	24	921	38.4
6.Alleggheny.....	25	993	39.7
7.Wooster.....	25	1066	42.6
8.Oberlin.....	24	1039	43.3
9.Hiram.....	25	1132	45.3

REBOUNDING MARGIN

# Team	G	TEAM	Avg	OPP	Avg	Margin
1.Wittenberg.....	25	982	39.3	854	34.2	+5.1
2.Ohio Wesleyan.....	25	958	38.3	885	35.4	+2.9
3.Kenyon.....	24	935	39.0	868	36.2	+2.8
4.Earlham.....	23	902	39.2	875	38.0	+1.2
5.Wooster.....	25	1090	43.6	1066	42.6	+1.0
6.Alleggheny.....	25	1013	40.5	993	39.7	+0.8
7.Denison.....	24	848	35.3	921	38.4	-3.0
8.Oberlin.....	24	891	37.1	1039	43.3	-6.2
9.Hiram.....	25	946	37.8	1132	45.3	-7.4

BLOCKED SHOTS

# Team	G	Blocks	Avg/G
1.Wooster.....	25	107	4.28
2.Ohio Wesleyan.....	25	95	3.80
3.Earlham.....	23	85	3.70
4.Hiram.....	25	69	2.76
5.Alleggheny.....	25	63	2.52
6.Oberlin.....	24	57	2.38
7.Denison.....	24	51	2.12
8.Kenyon.....	24	49	2.04
9.Wittenberg.....	25	42	1.68

ASSISTS

# Team	G	Assists	Avg/G
1.Wittenberg.....	25	376	15.04
2.Wooster.....	25	372	14.88
3.Denison.....	24	331	13.79
4.Ohio Wesleyan.....	25	339	13.56

STEALS

# Team	G	Steals	Avg/G
1.Oberlin.....	24	367	15.29
2.Wittenberg.....	25	355	14.20
3.Denison.....	24	306	12.75
4.Alleggheny.....	25	312	12.48

2002-03 North Coast Athletic Conference Women's Basketball Individual Statistics (Through games of Feb 22, 2003 - All games)

To be ranked, a player must appear in at least 51.0% of their team's games.

SCORING

##	Player-Team	Cl	G	FG	3FG	FT	Pts	Avg/G
1.	Kelly Heil-OWU.....	SO	25	200	46	93	539	21.6
2.	Lindsey Chappell-ERL.....	JR	23	156	0	124	436	19.0
3.	Malisha Richardson-OBE...	23	172	2	67	413	18.0	
4.	Beth Lye-KEN.....	SR	17	83	0	49	215	12.6
5.	Erica Brizendine-OWU.....	SO	24	125	1	41	292	12.2
6.	Kristen Rice-WOO.....	25	113	0	64	290	11.6	
7.	Kate Rolf-WIT.....	SR	24	93	41	49	276	11.5
8.	Stephanie Campbell-WIT...	SR	24	107	15	40	269	11.2
9.	Meghan Overom-DEN.....	SR	24	89	22	67	267	11.1
10.	Terra Roane-HIR.....	SO	25	105	0	66	276	11.0
11.	Courtney Steding-ALL.....	FR	25	106	1	59	272	10.9
12.	Meredith McDonough-ALL...	SO	25	103	0	58	264	10.6
13.	Emma Woodward-DEN.....	SO	24	98	22	33	251	10.5
14.	Amanda Hummel-HIR.....	SO	25	86	25	58	255	10.2
15.	Cristina Briboneria-OBE..	24	89	45	18	241	10.0	
16.	Kim Patton-ERL.....	JR	23	70	5	65	210	9.1
17.	Tiffany Keller-WIT.....	SR	22	81	0	37	199	9.0
18.	Michelle Behler-ERL.....	JR	23	77	17	34	205	8.9
19.	Alexis Louttit-WOO.....	25	77	0	68	222	8.9	
20.	Danielle Spring-DEN.....	SR	24	70	5	65	210	8.8

REBOUNDING

##	Player-Team	Cl	G	OFF	DEF	TOT	Avg/G
1.	Lindsey Chappell-ERL.....	JR	23	87	149	236	10.3
2.	Meredith McDonough-ALL...	SO	25	84	100	184	7.4
3.	Alexis Louttit-WOO.....	25	78	101	179	7.2	
4.	Terra Roane-HIR.....	SO	25	63	111	174	7.0
5.	Malisha Richardson-OBE...	23	57	102	159	6.9	
6.	Courtney Steding-ALL.....	FR	25	53	111	164	6.6
7.	Erica Brizendine-OWU.....	SO	24	40	113	153	6.4
8.	Kristen Rice-WOO.....	25	84	71	155	6.2	
9.	Meghan Overom-DEN.....	SR	24	46	101	147	6.1
10.	Kelly Heil-OWU.....	SO	25	43	101	144	5.8
11.	Tranice Harrell-OBE.....	19	39	65	104	5.5	
12.	Johanna Wight-HIR.....	SO	25	50	83	133	5.3
13.	Nicole Burford-OBE.....	24	36	91	127	5.3	
14.	Dana Halicki-KEN.....	SO	24	51	74	125	5.2
15.	Haley Warden-WIT.....	JR	25	68	61	129	5.2
16.	Ann Staubach-DEN.....	JR	24	47	72	119	5.0
	Lauren Camp-KEN.....	SR	24	40	79	119	5.0
18.	Mindy Hammond-OWU.....	SR	18	17	72	89	4.9
19.	Beth Lye-KEN.....	SR	17	35	46	81	4.8
20.	Jessica Harris-HIR.....	FR	25	50	69	119	4.8

FIELD GOAL PCT (Min. 4.0 made per game)

##	Player-Team	Cl	G	FGA	Pct	
1.	Lindsey Chappell-ERL.....	JR	23	156	.639	
2.	Erica Brizendine-OWU.....	SO	24	125	.534	
3.	Courtney Steding-ALL.....	FR	25	106	.488	
4.	Beth Lye-KEN.....	SR	17	83	.472	
5.	Kelly Heil-OWU.....	SO	25	200	.451	
6.	Terra Roane-HIR.....	SO	25	105	.449	
7.	Kristen Rice-WOO.....	25	113	259	.436	
8.	Malisha Richardson-OBE...	23	172	412	.417	
9.	Stephanie Campbell-WIT...	SR	24	107	.257	.416
10.	Meredith McDonough-ALL...	SO	25	103	253	.407

ASSISTS

##	Player-Team	Cl	G	Assists	Avg/G
1.	Kim Patton-ERL.....	JR	23	97	4.22
2.	Krystal Sensabaugh-OWU...	JR	23	89	3.87
3.	Lindsay Madaras-KEN.....	FR	24	89	3.71
4.	Mindy Hammond-OWU.....	SR	18	66	3.67
5.	Danielle Spring-DEN.....	SR	24	82	3.42
6.	Raelynn Miles-ALL.....	SO	25	73	2.92
7.	Stephanie Campbell-WIT...	SR	24	70	2.92
8.	Michelle Behler-ERL.....	JR	23	64	2.78
9.	Karen Hahn-OBE.....	21	57	2.71	
10.	Molly Rallo-WOO.....	24	63	2.62	

FREE THROW PCT (Min. 2.0 made per game)

##	Player-Team	Cl	G	FTM	FTA	Pct
1.	Kate Rolf-WIT.....	SR	24	49	59	.831
2.	Lindsey Chappell-ERL.....	JR	23	124	159	.780
3.	Nicole Burford-OBE.....	24	53	70	757	
4.	Danielle Spring-DEN.....	SR	24	65	88	.739
5.	Lauren Camp-KEN.....	SR	24	66	91	.725
6.	Kim Patton-ERL.....	JR	23	65	90	.722
7.	Kelly Heil-OWU.....	SO	25	93	129	.721
8.	Meghan Overom-DEN.....	SR	24	67	94	.713
9.	Beth Lye-KEN.....	SR	17	49	69	.710
10.	Kristen Rice-WOO.....	25	64	91	129	.703

STEALS

##	Player-Team	Cl	G	Steals	Avg/G
1.	Amber Coleman-OBE.....	24	70	2.92	
2.	Cristina Briboneria-OBE..	24	69	2.88	
3.	Danielle Spring-DEN.....	SR	24	63	2.62
4.	Malisha Richardson-OBE...	23	59	2.57	
5.	Karen Hahn-OBE.....	21	53	2.52	
6.	Kelly Heil-OWU.....	SO	25	63	2.52
	Natalie Barone-WOO.....	25	63	2.52	
8.	Lindsey Chappell-ERL.....	JR	23	55	2.39
9.	Meghan Overom-DEN.....	SR	24	56	2.33
10.	Stephanie Campbell-WIT...	SR	24	53	2.21

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

##	Player-Team	Cl	G	3FG	FGA	Pct
1.	Lindsey Schaaff-WOO.....	25	50	126	397	
2.	Eileen Wittman-KEN.....	SR	24	36	103	.350
3.	Cristina Briboneria-OBE..	24	45	130	346	
4.	Kelly Heil-OWU.....	SO	25	46	144	.319
5.	Amanda Hummel-HIR.....	SO	25	25	79	.316
6.	Kate Rolf-WIT.....	SR	24	41	130	.315
7.	Dana Halicki-KEN.....	SO	24	24	92	.261

3-POINT FG MADE

##	Player-Team	Cl	G	3FG	Avg/G
1.	Lindsey Schaaff-WOO.....	25	50	2.00	
2.	Cristina Briboneria-OBE..	24	45	1.88	
3.	Kelly Heil-OWU.....	SO	25	4.6	1.84
4.	Kate Rolf-WIT.....	SR	24	4.1	1.71
5.	Eileen Wittman-KEN.....	SR	24	3.6	1.50
6.	Amanda Hummel-HIR.....	SO	25	2.5	1.00
	Dana Halicki-KEN.....	SO	24	2.4	1.00
8.	Sonja Spencer-OBE.....	24	23	0.96	
9.	Meghan Overom-DEN.....	SR	24	2.2	0.92
	Emma Woodward-DEN.....	SO	24	2.2	0.92

BLOCKED SHOTS

##	Player-Team	Cl	G	Blocks	Avg/G
1.	Kristen Rice-WOO.....	25	47	1.88	
2.	Lindsey Chappell-ERL.....	JR	23	3.2	1.39
3.	Jessica Harris-HIR.....	FR	25	3.4	1.36
4.	Malisha Richardson-OBE...	23	25	1.09	
5.	Tiffany Barbee-OWU.....	JR	25	2.5	1.00
6.	Courtney Steding-ALL.....	FR	25	2.4	0.96
7.	Mindy Hammond-OWU.....	SR	18	1.3	0.72
8.	Kristin Thompson-OWU.....	JR	25	1.8	0.72
9.	Rebecca Meers-WIT.....	SR	24	1.7	0.71
10.	Casey Mohn-DEN.....	SR	24	1.6	0.67

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

##	Player-Team	Cl	G	Asst	Avg Turn	Avg Ratio		
1.	Krystal Sensabaugh-OWU...	JR	23	89	3.9	91	4.0	0.98
2.	Lindsay Madaras-KEN.....	FR	24	89	3.7	102	4.2	0.87
3.	Kim Patton-ERL.....	JR	23	97	4.2	112	4.9	0.87
4.	Danielle Spring-DEN.....	SR	24	82	3.4	99	4.1	0.83
5.	Mindy Hammond-OWU.....	SR	18	66	3.7	90	5.0	0.73

OFFENSIVE REBOUNDS

##	Player-Team	Cl	G	No.	Avg/G
1.	Lindsey Chappell-ERL.....	JR	23	87	3.78
2.	Kristen Rice-WOO.....	25	84	3.36	
	Meredith McDonough-ALL...	SO	25	84	3.36
4.	Alexis Louttit-WOO.....	25	78	3.12	
5.	Haley Warden-WIT.....	JR	25	68	2.72
6.	Terra Roane-HIR.....	SO	25	63	2.52
7.	Malisha Richardson-OBE...	23	57	2.48	
8.	Dana Halicki-KEN.....	SO	24	51	2.12
9.	Courtney Steding-ALL.....	FR	25	53	2.12
10.	Tiffany Keller-WIT.....	SR	22	46	2.09

DEFENSIVE REBOUNDS

##	Player-Team	Cl	G	No.	Avg/G
1.	Lindsey Chappell-ERL.....	JR	23	149	6.48
2.	Erica Brizendine-OWU.....	SO	24	113	4.71
3.	Terra Roane-HIR.....	SO	25	111	4.44
	Courtney Steding-ALL.....	FR	25	111	4.44
5.	Malisha Richardson-OBE...	23	102	4.43	
6.	Meghan Overom-DEN.....	SR	24	101	4.21
7.	Alexis Louttit-WOO.....	25	101	4.04	
	Kelly Heil-OWU.....	SO	25	101	4.04
9.	Meredith McDonough-ALL...	SO	25	100	4.00
	Mindy Hammond-OWU.....	SR	18	72	4.00



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NCAC ATHLETES OF THE WEEK (Feb. 23)

MEN'S BASKETBALL

Earlham senior forward **Sean O'Reilley (Indianapolis, IN/Chatard)** scored a career-high 30 points against Kenyon, shooting 11-for-18 (.611) from the field and 5-for-7 (.714) from the free-throw line. O'Reilley also grabbed 12 rebounds, dished out four assists and garnered four steals. He added 16 points and six rebounds at Wooster. He made 7 of 8 (.875) free-throws and added four assists and three steals. For the week O'Reilley shot 53 percent from the field and 80 percent from the free throw line. He averaged 23 points, nine rebounds, four assists and three and one half steals per game.

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

Hiram sophomore **Amanda Hummel (Plymouth, PA/Great Nanticoke Area)** led Hiram to a 1-1 week, including their first-ever NCAC road win, with 38 points, eight rebounds, five assists and two steals. In the Terriers' 55-53 victory over Oberlin, Hummel notched a career-best 22 points.

MEN'S INDOOR TRACK - DISTANCE/MIDDLE DISTANCE RUNNER

Allegheny sophomore **Kevin Pool (New Windsor, MD/Westminster)** set a school record in the 3000 meters with a clocking of 8:46.40. He placed third in the event at the Kent State Tune-Up meet.

WOMEN'S INDOOR TRACK - DISTANCE/MIDDLE DISTANCE RUNNER

Wittenberg senior **Abi Gerstle (Kettering, OH/Fairmont)** placed second in the 3000 meters (11:05.98) and third in the mile (5:24.83) at the Ohio State Scarlet and Gray Invitational.

MEN'S INDOOR TRACK - SPRINTS/HURDLES

Wooster freshman **Matt Knepp (Hudson, OH/Hudson)** placed second in the 55 meters (6.71) and was part of the 4x200 meter relay team that finished fourth (1:38.37) at the Greater Cleveland Colleges meet.

WOMEN'S INDOOR TRACK - SPRINTS/HURDLES

Earlham sophomore **Tashi Johnson (Bloomington, IN/North)** broke her own school record in the 200 meters (26.30) as she placed second in the event at the DePauw Classic. She was also runner-up in the 55 meters (7.38).

MEN'S INDOOR TRACK - FIELD

Earlham senior **Dan Ries (Doylestown, OH/Chippewa)** placed second in the shot put at the DePauw Classic with a toss of 44 feet, 11 1/2 inches.

WOMEN'S INDOOR TRACK - FIELD

Denison junior **Laura Finkes (Lakewood, OH/Lakewood)** placed second in the shot put at the Greater Columbus Division III meet with a throw of 41 feet, 1 inch.