



SOFTBALL WEEKLY RECAP March 15, 2010

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ALLEGHENY COLLEGE ★ DENISON UNIVERSITY ★ EARLHAM COLLEGE ★ HIRAM COLLEGE ★ KENYON COLLEGE ★ OBERLIN COLLEGE
OHIO WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY ★ WABASH COLLEGE ★ WITTENBERG UNIVERSITY ★ COLLEGE OF WOOSTER

Schedule

Next Week

Monday, March 15: Kenyon vs. Hastings, 3 p.m.
Kenyon vs. Azusa Pacific, 5 p.m.
Tuesday, March 16: Grove City at Allegheny, 3:30 p.m.
Wooster vs. Roger Williams, 9 a.m.
Wooster vs. Fredonia, 11 a.m.
Wednesday, March 17: Hiram at Thiel, 3:30 p.m.
Kenyon vs. Puget Sound, 1 p.m.
Kenyon vs. Doane, 5 p.m.
Oberlin at Albion, 3:30 p.m.
Wooster vs. Brockport, 9 a.m.
Wooster vs. Richard Stockton, 11 a.m.
Thursday, March 18: Kenyon vs. St. Mary's, MN, 3 p.m.
Kenyon vs. Cal St. San Marcos, 5 p.m.
Muskingum at Ohio Wesleyan, 3:30 p.m.
Friday, March 19: Denison at Salisbury, 1 p.m.
Kenyon vs. LaSierra, 3 p.m.
Kenyon vs. St. Mary's, MN, 5 p.m.
Saturday, March 20: Denison vs. Capital, 9 a.m.
Denison vs. Kings, 11 a.m.
Geneva at Hiram, 1 p.m.
Heidelberg at Oberlin, 1 p.m.
Ohio Wesleyan at Marietta, 1 p.m.
Sunday, March 21: Allegheny vs. Plymouth St., 1:30 p.m.
Allegheny vs. East. Connecticut St., 3:30 p.m.

Last Week

Sunday, March 14: Amherst 6, Wooster 1
Centre 12-11, Oberlin 5-3
Denison 3, Ithaca 1
DePauw 11, Oberlin 3
Doane 8, Kenyon 6
Pacific 7, Kenyon 0
Transylvania 9, Denison 1
Wooster 8, New Paltz St. 3
Saturday, March 13: Centre 11, Oberlin 3
Denison 14, Methodist 2
Maryville 13 Oberlin 5
Ohio Wesleyan 3, Fredonia 1
St. Thomas 10, Denison 2
Wisc.-Superior 7, Ohio Wesleyan 3
Wooster 11, Polytechnic, NY 2
Wooster 6, Wisc.-Platteville 4
Friday, March 12: Christopher Newport 6, Denison 0
Denison 3, Central 0
Thursday, March 11: Wooster 4, Drew 1
Wooster 9, Rockford 0
Wednesday, March 10: Heidelberg 6, Wooster 4
Ohio Wesleyan 15, Illinois College 3
Ohio Wesleyan 2, Elms 0
St. Mary's, IN 6, Wooster 1
Tuesday, March 9: Ohio Wesleyan 10, Carroll, WI 0
Ohio Wesleyan 9, Rockford 1
Webster 3, Wittenberg 2
Wittenberg 7, Adrian 4
Monday, March 8: Benedictine 6, Wittenberg 2
Defiance 9, Wittenberg 3
Ohio Wesleyan 12, New Jersey City 1
St. Joseph's (ME), 12, OWU 3
Wooster 3, Carroll 0
Wooster 3, North Park 5

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* Complete NCAC softball stats
* NCAC softball website

Player & Pitcher of the Week

Player of the Week - Kelley Johnson, Wooster

Wooster freshman **Kelley Johnson (Orville, OH/Orville)** hit .448 on 13-for 29 batting on the Fighting Scots' spring trip. She scored seven runs, batted in seven, hit three doubles and a home run as Wooster went 6-4 to start the season.

Pitcher of the Week - Gina Pirolozzi, Wooster

Freshman pitcher **Gina Pirolozzi (Canton/Canton McKinley)** went 3-1 in five appearances with a pair of shutouts and a no-hitter. She compiled a 3.07 earned-run average in 27.1 innings, and struck out 23. Her five-inning no-hit shutout of Rockford, won by a 9-0 score, was the first thrown by a Fighting Scot pitcher since 2005.

Standings (through games of March 14)

	NCAC				Overall			
	W	L	T	Pct	W	L	T	Pct
Ohio Wesleyan	0	0	0	.000	6	2	0	.750
Wooster	0	0	0	.000	8	4	0	.667
Denison	0	0	0	.000	3	3	0	.500
Hiram	0	0	0	.000	4	6	0	.400
Wittenberg	0	0	0	.000	3	5	0	.375
Allegheny	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000
Kenyon	0	0	0	.000	0	2	0	.000
Oberlin	0	0	0	.000	0	4	0	.000

Notes

North Coast softball squads continue with non-conference play in the coming week. The conference schedule begins on April 7.

DENISON took two of three games at the NFCA Division III Leadoff Classic. The Big Red defeated Methodist, 14-2, in the opening round, then fell to Transylvania, 9-1, and bounced back to take third place with a 3-1 victory over Ithaca in nine innings. Senior catcher **Brie Berkopec (Mars, PA/Mars Senior)** was named to the all-tournament team after hitting .529 (9-for-17) with a home run, double, two RBIs and two runs scored. She also posted a .765 slugging percentage and a .619 on-base percentage.

KENYON kicked off its season with a pair of losses in the Sun West Tournament being held in Orange, California. The losses came at the hands of Pacific, 6-0, and Doane, 8-6. Freshman third baseman **Jamie Samuel (Malibu, CA/Malibu)** was a combined 3-for-6 with a run and RBI.

OBERLIN opened its season 0-4 at the March Mayhem Tournament at Centre College. The Yeowomen fell to Maryville, 13-5, DePauw, 11-3, and Centre, 11-3 and 12-5. Senior **Julia Chauvin (Hillsborough, NC/Orange)** started the season off with a bang as she drilled a two-run shot on her first at-bat of the season.

OHIO WESLEYAN went 6-2 on its spring break trip to Florida. The Battling Bishops took victories over New Jersey City, 12-1, Rockford, 9-1, Carroll, 10-0, Illinois College, 15-3, Elms, 2-0, and Fredonia State, 7-3. Freshman pitcher **Amanda Barker (Granville, OH/Granville)** pitched a complete game in her first collegiate start allowing three hits and striking out five. Senior third baseman **Rita Cook (Sidney, OH/Fairlawn)** tied a school record for hits in a game with four when she went 4-for-4 and drove in five runs against Illinois College.

WITTENBERG went 1-3 in a rain-shortened spring break trip to the Rebel Spring Games in Kissimmee, Florida. The lone victory was over Adrian by a final score of 7-4. The Tigers had four games canceled due to rain and field conditions. Senior **Cameron Catalfu (Loveland, OH/Loveland)** went 6-for-12 with a home run.

WOOSTER posted a 6-4 record on its spring break trip to Fort Myers, Florida. The Fighting Scots tallied wins against Carroll, 3-0, Drew, 4-1, Rockford, 9-0, Polytechnic, 11-2, Wisconsin-Platteville, 6-4, and New Paltz State, 8-3. Freshman **Kelley Johnson (Orville, OH/Orville)** hit .448 (13-for 29) with seven runs scored, three doubles, one home run and seven RBIs. Freshman pitcher **Gina Pirolozzi (Canton/Canton McKinley)** went 3-1 in five appearances with a pair of shutouts and a no-hitter.

ALLEGHENY had its season-opening weekend at the Sea Gull Invitational washed out and the games will not be rescheduled. **HIRAM** was idle last week but returns to action this week with games against Thiel and Geneva.