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Standings

	CONFERENCE										OVERALL										
	W	L	T	Pts	Pct.	Stk	GF	GA	H	A	W	L	T	Pct.	Stk	GF	GA	H	A	N	OT
Western Illinois	1	0	0	3	1.000	W1	5	0	1-0	0-0	5	2	0	.714	W1	19	11	2-0	2-1	1-1	0-1
No. 12/20 Oakland	0	0	0	---	.000	--	0	0	0-0	0-0	4	0	2	.833	W2	16	7	3-0-1	1-0	0-0-1	1-0-2
Oral Roberts	0	0	0	---	.000	--	0	0	0-0	0-0	1	5	1	.214	L4	9	8	0-0	0-3-1	1-2	0-3-1
IUPUI	0	0	0	---	.000	--	0	0	0-0	0-0	1	6	1	.188	L2	4	24	0-2	0-2	0-3-1	0-0-1
UMKC	0	0	0	---	.000	--	0	0	0-0	0-0	1	4	1	.250	W1	7	19	0-2	1-2	0-1	0-0-1
Valparaiso	0	0	0	---	.000	--	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	4	2	.167	T2	2	16	0-1	0-3-2	0-0	0-0
Centenary	0	1	0	0	.000	L1	0	5	0-0	0-1	0	7	0	.000	L7	7	20	0-0	0-3	0-4	0-2-0

Last Week's Results

Wednesday, September 17

*Western Illinois 5, Centenary 0
 Oakland 5, Western Michigan 1

Friday, September 19

[8] Wisconsin 5, IUPUI 0
 [9] Loyola Marymount 2, Oral Roberts 0
 Valparaiso 0, Ohio State 0 (2ot)
 [10] SW Missouri State 3, Western Illinois 2

Saturday, September 20

[11] UW-Milwaukee 4, UMKC 0

Sunday, September 21

[8] Virginia Tech 2, IUPUI 1
 [11] UMKC 3, UW-Green Bay 1
 Oakland 2, No. 10/17 Akron 1
 [9] Air Force 3, Oral Roberts 2 (ot)
 Valparaiso 0, Xavier (Ohio) 0 (2ot)
 [10] Western Illinois 2, UC Irvine 1

[8] - Flyer Classic; Dayton, Ohio
 [9] - Falcon Invitational; Colorado Springs, Colo.
 [10] - 2nd Lobo Invitational; Albuquerque, N.M.
 [11] - Green Bay Fila Soccer Classic; Green Bay, Wis

* Mid-Con match
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This Week's Schedule

Wednesday, September 24

Western Illinois at No. 3/3 Saint Louis 7 p.m.

Thursday, September 25

*IUPUI at Centenary 7 p.m.

Friday, September 26

Denver at UMKC 5 p.m.
 No. 12/20 Oakland at Dayton 7:30 p.m.
 Oral Roberts at Drury 5:30 p.m.
 Michigan State at Valparaiso 2 p.m.

Saturday, September 27

Centenary at No. 9/5 SMU 7:30 p.m.

Sunday, September 28

No. 5/8 Santa Clara at UMKC 1 p.m.
 Oral Roberts at SW Missouri State 2 p.m.
 Valparaiso at Drake 1 p.m.
 Western Illinois at Bradley 7 p.m.

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Mid-Con Players of the Week



OFFENSIVE

Nowaf Jaman, Western Illinois
 Fr., F, Safat, Kuwait

Nowaf Jaman netted three goals and tallied one assist to help Western Illinois to a 2-1 record last week. The freshman scored the game-winning goal in the Mid-Con opener against Centenary, while also scoring the fastest goal (4:36) for a Leatherneck this season in a 3-2 loss to SW Missouri State. Jaman went on to record a goal, as well as an assist on the game-winning goal in Western's 2-1 win over UC Irvine. His efforts also garnered him all-tourney team accolades at the Crescent Financial Solutions Invitational, and placed him atop the Leathernecks in goals (4) and second in points (9). (Also nominated - Mike Sullivan, IUPUI; Brian Garcia, UMKC; Chris Edwards, OU)

Previous Mid-Con Offensive Players of the Week: Sept. 2 - Trey Vaut, ORU; Sept. 8 - Michael Garcia, UMKC; Sept. 15 - Mike Madaj, IUPUI; Sept. 22 - Nowaf Jaman, WIU



DEFENSIVE

Jeff Wiese, Oakland
 So., GK, Omaha, Neb.

Oakland's Jeff Wiese was solid in net last week, helping the Golden Grizzlies win two key region matches - 5-1 win over previously unbeaten Western Michigan and 2-1 win over No. 10 Akron. The sophomore recorded ten saves in 146:32 of work, including six saves against Akron and four against Western Michigan, a team that was averaging 2.8 goals per game. Wiese, whose 0.85 GAA leads the Mid-Con, has now won Mid-Con Defensive Player of the Week honors twice this season; his efforts helped lift Oakland to the top of the NSCAA Great Lakes Region rankings. (Also nominated - Jeff Oleck, VU; Jake Horn, WIU)

Previous Mid-Con Defensive Players of the Week: Sept. 2 - Jeff Wiese, OU; Sept. 8 - Hector Zapata, ORU; Sept. 15 - Hector Zapata, ORU; Sept. 22 - Jeff Wiese, OU



NSCAA Top 25

Week of Sept. 22

Team	Record
1. Maryland	7-0-0
2. UCLA	5-1-0
3. Saint Louis	6-0-0
4. Old Dominion	6-0-0
5. Santa Clara	6-0-2
6. St. John's	5-2-0
7. UAB	5-0-2
8. North Carolina	5-1-1
9. SMU	5-1-1
10. Rutgers	5-1-0
11. South Carolina	7-0-0
12. Oakland	4-0-2
13. Brown	3-1-0
14. UC Santa Barbara	5-0-1
15. Notre Dame	4-1-2
16. Wake Forest	4-2-0
17. Seton Hall	3-1-2
18. Virginia	4-3-0
19. Tulsa	6-2-0
20. Hartwick	5-1-0
21. Coastal Carolina	5-1-0
22. Washington	4-0-1
23. Akron	4-2-1
24. Fairleigh Dickenson	3-1-1
25. Boston	3-3-0

RECEIVING VOTES: Cal State Northridge

Soccer Times Top 25

Week of Sept. 22

Team	Record
1. Maryland	7-0-0
2. UCLA	5-1-0
3. Saint Louis	6-0-0
4. Old Dominion	6-0-0
5. SMU	5-1-1
6. St. John's	5-2-0
7. South Carolina	7-0-0
8. UAB	5-0-2
Santa Clara	6-0-2
10. North Carolina	5-1-1
11. Wake Forest	4-2-0
12. Rutgers	5-1-0
13. UC Santa Barbara	5-0-1
14. Notre Dame	4-1-2
15. Coastal Carolina	5-1-0
16. Akron	4-2-1
17. Virginia	4-3-0
18. Penn State	5-3-0
19. Washington	4-0-1
20. Oakland	4-0-2
Tulsa	6-2-0
22. Florida International	4-2-1
23. Connecticut	2-3-1
24. Brown	3-1-0
25. Cal State Northridge	3-0-2

RECEIVING VOTES: Indiana, Fairleigh Dickinson, Hartwick, Seton Hall, Loyola Marymount, Clemson, Claifornia, Creighton, Dayton, Stanford, Virginia Tech, Michigan, Cal State Fullerton

Mid-Con Preseason Poll

Team	Points
1. Oakland (6)	36
2. UMKC (1)	29
3. Western Illinois	25
4. Valparaiso	16
5. Centenary	15
Oral Roberts	15
7. IUPUI	11

(First place votes in parentheses)

Mid-Con vs. Non-Conference Opponents

ATLANTIC 10 (0-0-1) Sept. 21-Valparaiso 0, Xavier (Ohio) 0 Sept. 26-No. 12/20 Oakland at Dayton	HORIZON (2-4-3) Aug. 30-Western Illinois 4, Wright State 2 Sept. 5-Illinois-Chicago 2, Centenary 1 (ot) Sept. 7-UMKC 3, Loyola 3 (2ot) Sept. 7-Butler 5, Valparaiso 1 Sept. 13-IUPUI 0, Loyola 0 (2ot) Sept. 13-No. 20/NR Oakland 2, Detroit 2 Sept. 14-Detroit 3, Valparaiso 0 Sept. 20-UW-Milwaukee 4, UMKC 0 Sept. 21-UMKC 3, UW-Green Bay 1 Oct. 5-IUPUI at Detroit Oct. 19-Detroit at Western Illinois Oct. 23-IUPUI at Wright State Oct. 30-Butler at IUPUI Oct. 31-Loyola (Ill.) at Valparaiso Nov. 3-Oral Roberts at Butler Nov. 4-Oakland at Wright State	MOUNTAIN PACIFIC SPORTS FEDERATION (0-2) Sept. 5-New Mexico 1, IUPUI 0 Sept. 21-Air Force 3, Oral Roberts 2 Sept. 26-Denver at UMKC
ATLANTIC SUN (0-2) Sept. 12-Stetson 3, Centenary 2 Sept. 14-Central Florida 4, Centenary 1 Oct. 12-Lipscomb at Oral Roberts	BIG EAST (0-1) Sept. 21-Virginia Tech 2, IUPUI 1	PACIFIC-10 (0-0-1) Sept. 1-Oakland 1, Washington 1 (2ot)
BIG TEN (0-1-1) Sept. 19-Wisconsin 5, IUPUI 0 Sept. 19-Valparaiso 0, Ohio State 0 Sept. 26-Michigan State at Valparaiso Sept. 30-Michigan at Oakland Oct. 8-Oakland at Michigan State Oct. 15-IUPUI at Indiana Oct. 15-Oakland at Ohio State Nov. 8-Valparaiso at Wisconsin	BIG WEST (1-1) Sept. 7-No. 15/NR Cal State Northridge 8, IUPUI 0 Sept. 21-Western Illinois 2, UC Irvine 1	PATRIOT (0-0) Oct. 7-UMKC at Lehigh
CONFERENCE USA (1-1) Sept. 6-Memphis 2, Centenary 1 Sept. 7-Oakland 4, Marquette 1 Sept. 24-Western Illinois at No. 3/3 Saint Louis Oct. 22-Centenary at UAB Oct. 29-Oakland at Cincinnati	MID-AMERICAN (3-3) Aug. 30-Western Michigan 3, IUPUI 0 Aug. 31-Western Michigan 2, Centenary 1 Sept. 12-Western Michigan 3, UMKC 0 Sept. 14-IUPUI 4, Northern Illinois 3 Sept. 17-Oakland 5, Western Michigan 1 Sept. 21-Oakland 2, Akron 1 Oct. 5-Western Illinois at Northern Illinois Oct. 10-Akron at IUPUI Oct. 21-Oakland at Bowling Green	WEST COAST (1-1) Aug. 30-Oakland 2, Portland 1(2ot) Sept. 19-Loyola Marymount 2, Oral Roberts 0 Sept. 28-No. 5/8 Santa Clara at UMKC
	MISSOURI VALLEY (2-9-1) Aug. 29-Bradley 2, Oral Roberts 1 Aug. 29-SW Missouri State 3, Valparaiso 1 Aug. 30-Oral Roberts 4, Eastern Illinois 0 Sept. 1-Tulsa 4, UMKC 0 Sept. 1-Drake 3, Western Illinois 2 (2ot) Sept. 5-Evansville 5, Valparaiso 0 Sept. 5-Western Illinois 2, Eastern Illinois 1 Sept. 7-Oral Roberts 0, Drake 0 (2ot) Sept. 12-No. 9/6 SMU 1, Oral Roberts 0 (2ot) Sept. 13-No. 21/NR Tulsa 2, Oral Roberts 1 (2ot) Sept. 14-Drake 4, UMKC 1 Sept. 19-SW Missouri State 3, Western Illinois 2 Sept. 27-Centenary at No. 9/5 SMU Sept. 28-Oral Roberts at SW Missouri State Sept. 28-Valparaiso at Drake Sept. 28-Western Illinois at Bradley	NCAA DIVISION I INDEPENDENTS (0-2) Aug. 30-IPFW 3, Centenary 2 (2ot) Aug. 31-IPFW 1, IUPUI 0 Sept. 26-Oral Roberts at Drury Oct. 2-Centenary at Drury Oct. 12-Valparaiso at Drury Oct. 13-IPFW at Western Illinois Oct. 29-Drury at Oral Roberts Oct. 31-Drury at Centenary Nov. 8-Drury at Western Illinois Nov. 9-UMKC at Drury
		NON-DIVISION I (1-0) Sept. 7-Western Illinois 1, Quincy 0 Oct. 20-Northeastern State at Oral Roberts Oct. 25-Belhaven at Centenary Oct. 29-Rockhurst at UMKC
		NON-CONFERENCE DIVISION I RECORD: 10-27-7 (.306)
		OVERALL NON-CONFERENCE RECORD: 11-27-7 (.322)

Mid-Con Coaches Records

Coach, Team (Yrs. at School/Overall)	School	Pct.	Career	Pct.	Mid-Con	Pct.
Jed Jones, Centenary (7th/7th)	38-71-1	.350	38-71-1	.350	0-1-0	.000
Steve Franklin, IUPUI (9th/9th)	74-78-9	.488	74-78-9	.488	11-13-1	.460
Rick Benben, UMKC (6th/6th)	45-52-2	.465	45-52-2	.465	13-12	.620
Gary Parsons, Oakland (23rd/23rd)	303-96-44	.734	303-96-44	.734	12-7-1	.525
Steve Hayes, Oral Roberts (6th/6th)	38-53-4	.421	38-53-4	.421	10-10	.500
Mis' Mrak, Valparaiso (13th/13th)	57-151-16	.290	57-151-16	.290	24-44-3	.359
Eric Johnson, Western Illinois (7th/12th)	47-68-4	.412	90-121-9	.430	19-15	.559

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Western Illinois	Randy Peterson	309-298-1133	309-298-2060	rs-peterson@wiu.edu

Mid-Con vs. Non-League Foes

Team	Non-Conf. Record	Pct.
Centenary	0-6	.000
IUPUI	1-6-1	.188
UMKC	1-4-1	.250
Oakland	4-0-2	.750
Oral Roberts	1-5-1	.214
Valparaiso	0-4-2	.167
Western Illinois	4-2	.750
Total	11-27-7	.322

Mid-Con vs. the Top 25

Team	NSCAA		Soccer Times	
	Top 10	Top 25	Top 10	Top 25
Centenary	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
IUPUI	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-0
UMKC	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
Oakland	1-0	2-0	0-0	1-0
Oral Roberts	0-1	0-2	0-1	0-1
Valparaiso	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
Western Illinois	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
Total	1-1	2-3	0-1	1-1

Mid-Con: Home, Away and Neutral

Team	Home	Stk	Away	Stk	Neut	Stk
Centenary	0-0	L1	0-3	L2	0-4-1	L1
IUPUI	0-2	L2	1-1	L3	0-3	L5
UMKC	0-2	L2	1-1-1	W1	0-1	L2
Oakland	3-0-1	W2	1-0	W1	0-0-1	T1
Oral Roberts	0-0	W2	0-3-1	L2	1-2	L2
Valparaiso	0-1	L3	0-3-2	T2	0-0	L3
Western Illinois	2-0	W6	2-1	W1	1-1	W1
Total	5-5-1		5-12-4		2-11-2	
vs. Non-Conference	4-5-1		5-11-4		2-11-2	

Mid-Con vs. Region-Ranked Teams

Team	vs. Region Ranked	Pct.
Centenary	0-0	.000
IUPUI	0-2	.000
UMKC	0-1	.000
Oakland	3-0	1.000
Oral Roberts	0-3	.000
Valparaiso	0-1	.000
Western Illinois	0-1	.000
Total	3-8	.xxx

Team-by-Team Schedule and Results

AROUND THE MID-CON...

OAKLAND EARNS NO. 12/20 NATIONAL RANKING: Oakland, which has posted a 4-0-2 record thus far this season, springboarded back into the National Soccer Coaches Association of America (NSCAA) National Rankings this week. The Golden Grizzlies went from unranked last week to No. 12 this week, their best rank since moving to the NCAA Division I level in 1998. Oakland also made its mark on the Soccer Times poll at No. 20 and the College Soccer News Poll at No. 19. Oakland, which has allowed only seven goals while averaging 2.67 goals per contest, is also the top-ranked team in the NSCAA's Great Lakes Region this week.

CLASS OF THE CONFERENCE: Preseason Mid-Con favorite Oakland and Western Illinois have proven themselves to be the class of the league thus far this season, combining for a 9-2-2 record through the first three weeks of the season. The latter jumped out to an early lead in the Mid-Con standings with a convincing 5-0 win over Centenary in its Mid-Con opener. The Leathernecks are averaging 2.71 goals per game, just ahead of Oakland's 2.67.

MID-CON SQUADS SLATED FOR TOUGH WEEK: Mid-Con teams are in for a tough week, as three teams are slated to play nationally ranked teams and four others are scheduled to play region-ranked squads. Centenary will take on No. 9/5 SMU while UMKC is scheduled to host No. 5/8 Santa Clara. No. 12/20 Oakland will challenge Dayton (4th in the Great Lakes), Oral Roberts will play SW Missouri State (9th in the Midwest) and Valparaiso will take on Michigan State (6th in Great Lakes) and Drake (5th in the Midwest). Western Illinois might have a chance to join Oakland on the national rankings list, as they take on No. 3/3 Saint Louis and Bradley (6th in the Midwest). The Leathernecks are currently regionally ranked No. 10 in the Midwest Region. So far this season, the league has posted an overall 2-3 record against NSCAA Top 25 teams and 3-8 record against region-ranked (NSCAA) squads.

MID-CON ATHLETES EARN ALL-TOURNAMENT HONORS: Many Mid-Con athletes garnered awards as IUPUI, UMKC, Oral Roberts and Western Illinois all participated in tournaments last week. IUPUI's Mike Sullivan and Ricky Del Toro were named to the Dayton Classic all-tournament team; UMKC's Brandon Watermann and Jason Woods were named to the Fila Classic all-tournament team at UW-Green Bay; Oral Roberts' Trey Vaut and Jason Foster earned the award at the Air Force Falcon Invitational; and Western Illinois' Nowaf Jaman, Matt Wieclaw and Kosuke Kimura were cited at the Crescent Financial Solutions Invitational.

Centenary Gents (0-7, 0-1 Mid-Con)

Date	Opponent	Time/Result	Game-Winning Goal
Aug. 30	vs. IPFW#	L 3-2 (2ot)	
Aug. 31	vs. Western Michigan#	L 2-1	
Sept. 5	vs. Illinois-Chicago%	L 2-1 (ot)	
Sept. 6	at Memphis	L 2-1	
Sept. 12	at Stetson	L 3-2	
Sept. 14	at Central Florida	L 4-1	
Sept. 17	at Western Illinois*	L 5-0	
Sept. 25	IUPUI*	7 p.m.	
Sept. 27	at No. 9/5 SMU	7:30 p.m.	
Oct. 2	at Drury	5 p.m.	
Oct. 5	at Valparaiso*	1 p.m.	
Oct. 15	Oral Roberts*	7 p.m.	
Oct. 18	Oakland*	7 p.m.	
Oct. 22	at UAB	7 p.m.	
Oct. 25	Belhaven	7 p.m.	
Oct. 31	Drury	7 p.m.	
Nov. 8	at UMKC*	1 p.m.	
Nov. 14-16	at Mid-Con Tournament (Rochester, Mich.)		

at Indianapolis, Ind. % at Memphis, Tenn. * Mid-Con match

Home matches in bold

OF INTEREST...

- Centenary lost its first Mid-Con match of the season, a 5-0 loss to Western Illinois. The shutout was the first time the Gents could not manage a goal in their last 28 matches.

- Goalkeeper Stefan Nicola notched 12 saves in the contest while facing 25 shots.

- Centenary will host its first Mid-Con game this week against visiting IUPUI, and also faces top-10 ranked SMU on the road.

IUPUI Jaguars (1-6-1, 0-0 Mid-Con)

Date	Opponent	Time/Result	Game-Winning Goal
Aug. 30	Western Michigan	L 3-0	
Aug. 31	IPFW	L 1-0	
Sept. 5	at New Mexico	L 1-0	
Sept. 7	vs. No. 15/NR Cal State Northridge#	L 8-0	
Sept. 13	vs. Loyola (Ill.)%	T 0-0 (2ot)	
Sept. 14	at Northern Illinois	W 4-3	Mike Madaj
Sept. 19	vs. Wisconsin^	L 5-0	
Sept. 21	vs. Virginia Tech^	L 2-1	
Sept. 25	at Centenary*	7 p.m.	
Oct. 4	at Oakland*	1 p.m.	
Oct. 5	at Detroit	3:30 p.m.	
Oct. 10	Akron	7 p.m.	
Oct. 12	UMKC*	2 p.m.	
Oct. 15	at Indiana	7 p.m.	
Oct. 19	Valparaiso*	1 p.m.	
Oct. 23	at Wright State	7 p.m.	
Oct. 26	at Western Illinois*	1 p.m.	
Oct. 30	Butler	7 p.m.	
Nov. 2	Oral Roberts*	1 p.m.	
Nov. 14-16	at Mid-Con Tournament (Rochester, Mich.)		

at Albuquerque, N.M. % at DeKalb, Ill. ^ at Dayton, Ohio * Mid-Con match

Home matches in bold

OF INTEREST...

- IUPUI fell twice last week to Wisconsin (5-0) and Virginia Tech (2-1) at the Dayton Classic.

- Mike Sullivan tallied the lone goal against Virginia Tech, his second goal of the season and fourth of his career. The goal was only the fifth the Hokies had surrendered in eight matches in 2003.

- Sullivan and Ricky Del Toro were chosen to the all-tournament team.

- IUPUI has been shutout in six of its eight matches this season.

UMKC Kangaroos (1-4-1, 0-0 Mid-Con)

Date	Opponent	Time/Result	Game-Winning Goal
Sept. 1	Tulsa	L 4-0	
Sept. 7	vs. Loyola (Ill.)#	T 3-3 (2ot)	
Sept. 12	Western Michigan	L 3-0	
Sept. 14	at Drake	L 4-1	
Sept. 20	vs. UW-Milwaukee%	L 4-0	
Sept. 21	at UW-Green Bay	W 3-1	Brandon Watermann
Sept. 26	Denver	5 p.m.	
Sept. 28	No. 5/8 Santa Clara	1 p.m.	
Oct. 3	at Valparaiso*	4 p.m.	
Oct. 7	at Lehigh	7 p.m.	
Oct. 12	at IUPUI*	2 p.m.	
Oct. 18	Western Illinois*	1 p.m.	
Oct. 25	at Oral Roberts*	6 p.m.	
Oct. 29	Rockhurst	TBA	
Nov. 1	Oakland*	1 p.m.	
Nov. 8	Centenary*	1 p.m.	
Nov. 9	at Drury	3 p.m.	
Nov. 14-16	at Mid-Con Tournament (Rochester, Mich.)		

at Chicago, Ill. % at Green Bay, Wis. * Mid-Con match Home matches in bold

OF INTEREST...

- UMKC recorded its first win of the season, snapping a five-game winless streak, in a 3-1 victory over UW-Green Bay at the UW-Green Bay Fila Classic. The Kangaroos also posted a loss, falling to UW-Milwaukee, 4-0.

- The victory was UMKC head coach Rick Benben's 45th career win, tying him with Mike Brown (1993-97) for the most career victories at UMKC.

- Brandon Watermann and Jason Woods were named to the all-tournament team at UW-Green Bay.

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Mid-Con Multi-Goal Matches

Player	No.	High
Chris Edwards, OU	1	2 vs. Western Michigan
Michael Garcia, UMKC	1	2 vs. Loyola (Ill.)
Mike Madaj, IUPUI	1	3 vs. Northern Illinois
Miguel Menduina, ORU	1	2 vs. Eastern Illinois

Mid-Con 10-Save Matches

Player	No.	High
Stefan Nicola, CC	2	12 vs. Western Illinois
Drew Deffner, IUPUI	1	14 vs. Loyola (Ill.)
Jeff Oleck, VU	1	10 vs. Detroit
Hector Zapata, ORU	1	10 vs. SMU

Team-by-Team Schedule and Results

Oakland Golden Grizzlies (4-0-2, 0-0 Mid-Con)

Date	Opponent	Time/Result	Game-Winning Goal
Aug. 30	at Portland	W 2-1 (2ot)	Chris Edwards
Sept. 1	vs. Washington#	T 1-1 (2ot)	
Sept. 7	Marquette	W 4-1	Ryan Rzepka
Sept. 13	Detroit	T 2-2 (2ot)	
Sept. 17	Western Michigan	W 5-1	
Sept. 21	No. 10/17 Akron	W 2-1	
Sept. 26	at Dayton	7:30 p.m.	
Sept. 30	Michigan	4 p.m.	
Oct. 4	IUPUI*	1 p.m.	
Oct. 8	at Michigan State	4 p.m.	
Oct. 11	at Western Illinois*	1 p.m.	
Oct. 15	at Ohio State	7:30 p.m.	
Oct. 18	at Centenary*	7 p.m.	
Oct. 21	at Bowling Green	3:30 p.m.	
Oct. 25	Valparaiso*	1 p.m.	
Oct. 29	at Cincinnati	7 p.m.	
Nov. 1	at UMKC*	1 p.m.	
Nov. 4	at Wright State	7 p.m.	
Nov. 8	Oral Roberts*	1 p.m.	
Nov. 14-16	at Mid-Con Tournament (Rochester, Mich.)		

at Portland, Ore. * Mid-Con match **Home matches in bold**

OF INTEREST...

• Oakland extended its unbeaten streak last week, defeating No. 10/17 Akron (2-1) and Western Michigan (5-1). The Golden Grizzlies earned a No. 1 Region Ranking (NSCAA) for its efforts, and is ranked 12 nationally by the NSCAA and 20th by Soccer Times.

• Chris Edwards tallied two goals and an assist on the week. His two goals came in the win over previously undefeated Western Michigan.

• Mid-Con Defensive Player of the Week Jeff Wiese recorded 10 saves in 146:32 minutes of work last week, and held Western Michigan, a team that averaged 2.8 goals per match, scoreless through 56:32

Oral Roberts Golden Eagles (1-5-1, 0-0 Mid-Con)

Date	Opponent	Time/Result	Game-Winning Goal
Aug. 29	at Bradley	L 2-1	
Aug. 30	vs. Eastern Illinois#	W 4-0	Miguel Menduina
Sept. 7	at Drake	T 0-0 (2ot)	
Sept. 12	at No. 9/6 SMU	L 1-0 (2ot)	
Sept. 13	vs. No. 21/NR Tulsa%	L 2-1 (2ot)	
Sept. 19	vs. Loyola Marymount^	L 2-0	
Sept. 21	at Air Force	L 3-2 (ot)	
Sept. 26	at Drury	5:30 p.m.	
Sept. 28	at SW Missouri State	2 p.m.	
Oct. 3	Western Illinois*	7 p.m.	
Oct. 10	Valparaiso*	8 p.m.	
Oct. 12	Lipscomb	1 p.m.	
Oct. 15	at Centenary*	7 p.m.	
Oct. 20	Northeastern State	8 p.m.	
Oct. 25	UMKC*	6 p.m.	
Oct. 29	Drury	7 p.m.	
Nov. 2	at IUPUI*	1 p.m.	
Nov. 3	at Butler	1 p.m.	
Nov. 8	at Oakland*	1 p.m.	
Nov. 14-16	at Mid-Con Tournament (Rochester, Mich.)		

at Peoria, Ill. % at Dallas, Texas ^ at Colorado Springs, Colo. * Mid-Con match

Home matches in bold

OF INTEREST...

• Oral Roberts extended its winless streak to five matches losing to Loyola Marymount (2-0) and Air Force (3-2, OT) at the Falcon Invitational.

• Trey Vaut and Jason Foster were named to the all-tournament team. The two each scored against Air Force to stake the Golden Eagles to a 2-0 lead.

Valparaiso Crusaders (0-4-2, 0-0 Mid-Con)

Date	Opponent	Time/Result	Game-Winning Goal
Aug. 29	SW Missouri State	L 3-1	
Sept. 5	at Evansville	L 5-0	
Sept. 7	at Butler	L 5-1	
Sept. 14	at Detroit	L 3-0	
Sept. 19	at Ohio State	T 0-0 (2ot)	
Sept. 21	Xavier (Ohio)	T 0-0 (2ot)	
Sept. 26	Michigan State	2 p.m.	
Sept. 28	at Drake	1 p.m.	
Oct. 3	UMKC*	4 p.m.	
Oct. 5	Centenary*	1 p.m.	
Oct. 10	at Oral Roberts*	8 p.m.	
Oct. 12	at Drury	1 p.m.	
Oct. 19	at IUPUI*	1 p.m.	
Oct. 25	at Oakland*	1 p.m.	
Oct. 31	Loyola (Ill.)	2:30 p.m.	
Nov. 2	Western Illinois*	1 p.m.	
Nov. 8	at Wisconsin	12 p.m.	
Nov. 14-16	at Mid-Con Tournament (Rochester Mich.)		

* Mid-Con match **Home matches in bold**

OF INTEREST...

• For the first time in school history, Valparaiso posted back-to-back scoreless ties. The Crusaders battled both Ohio State and Xavier (Ohio) to 0-0 draws.

• Valparaiso is 4-3-1 in its last eight matches against teams from the Big Ten.

• Goalkeeper Jeff Oleck posted back-to-back shutouts last week, tallying six saves. Oleck now has six career shutouts, moving into third on the Crusaders' list.

Western Illinois Leathernecks (5-2, 1-0 Mid-Con)

Date	Opponent	Time/Result	Game-Winning Goal
Aug. 30	at Wright State	W 4-2	Nickolas Bohnenkamp
Sept. 1	at Drake	L 3-2 (2ot)	
Sept. 5	at Eastern Illinois	W 2-1	Daniel Bustos
Sept. 7	Quincy	W 2-1	P.J. Blackford
Sept. 17	Centenary*	W 5-0	Nowaf Jaman
Sept. 19	vs. SW Missouri State#	L 3-2	
Sept. 21	vs. UC Irvine#	W 2-1	Matt Wieclaw
Sept. 24	at No. 3/3 Saint Louis	7 p.m.	
Sept. 28	at Bradley	7 p.m.	
Oct. 3	at Oral Roberts*	7 p.m.	
Oct. 5	at Northern Illinois	1 p.m.	
Oct. 11	Oakland*	1 p.m.	
Oct. 13	IPFW	3 p.m.	
Oct. 18	at UMKC*	1 p.m.	
Oct. 19	Detroit	1 p.m.	
Oct. 26	IUPUI*	1 p.m.	
Nov. 2	at Valparaiso*	1 p.m.	
Nov. 8	Drury	1 p.m.	
Nov. 14-16	at Mid-Con Tournament (Rochester, Mich.)		

at Albuquerque, N.M. * Mid-Con match **Home matches in bold**

OF INTEREST...

• Western Illinois won its first Mid-Con match of the season, besting Centenary 5-0. The Leathernecks also competed in the Crescent Financial Solutions Invite, beating UC Irvine (2-1), while losing to SW Missouri State (3-2). Western Illinois is ranked 10th in the NSCAA Midwest Region this week.

• The Leathernecks have tallied 18 goals this season, with 13 coming in the second half.

• Nowaf Jaman, Matt Wieclaw and Kosuke Kimura were all named to the all-tournament team. Jaman was named the Mid-Con Offensive Player of the Week after scoring in three straight games.

** Times local to site ** • Rankings are NSCAA/Soccer Times and current to the date the match was played

2003 MID-CON TOURNEY RETURNS TO OAKLAND

By virtue of winning the 2002 Mid-Con regular-season title, Oakland will again serve as the host for the 2003 Mid-Con Men's Soccer Tournament, which will be held on Nov. 14 and 16, at the OU Soccer Field in Rochester, Mich. The top four finishers in the Mid-Con regular-season standings will advance to the event, with the winner receiving the league's automatic berth to the NCAA Men's College Cup. Oakland became the first-ever tourney host to win the event last season. The Mid-Con has had four first-time champions in the last four years (Oral Roberts - 1999; IUPUI - 2000; UMKC - 2001; Oakland - 2002).

