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# Men's Soccer

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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
Oakland	5	1	0	15	.833	W4	15	3	3-0	2-1	12	5	5	.659	L2	39	19	7-2-1	5-3-3	0-0-1	1-2-5
UMKC	5	1	0	15	.833	W1	14	8	2-1	3-0	10	7	3	.575	L1	36	41	4-4	6-2-2	0-1-1	1-0-2
Western Illinois	4	1	1	13	.750	W1	14	6	2-0-1	2-1	11	5	3	.658	T1	41	25	6-0-1	4-4-1	1-1-1	0-2-2
Oral Roberts	3	3	0	9	.500	L1	13	11	1-2	2-1	8	10	1	.447	L2	39	25	4-2	3-6-1	1-2	1-3-1
IUPUI	1	3	2	5	.333	L1	6	7	1-2	0-1-2	2	14	3	.184	L2	11	40	1-6	1-5-2	0-3-1	0-1-3
Valparaiso	1	5	0	3	.167	L4	4	17	1-2	0-3	2	13	2	.176	L5	10	41	1-5-1	1-8-1	0-0	0-1-2
Centenary	0	5	1	1	.083	L4	3	16	0-2-1	0-3	2	14	1	.147	L2	19	49	1-3-1	1-8	0-3	0-2-1

## Mid-Con Tournament Results

Friday, November 14

Mid-Con Men's Soccer Championship (at Rochester, Mich.)  
SEMIFINALS

Match 1 - (2) UMKC 1, (3) Western Illinois 1 (2ot)  
(UMKC in PK's, 3-0)

Match 2 - (1) Oakland 1, (4) Oral Roberts 0

Sunday, November 16

Mid-Con Men's Soccer Championship (at Rochester, Mich.)  
CHAMPIONSHIP

(2) UMKC 1, (1) Oakland 0

## This Week's Schedule

Saturday, November 22

NCAA College Cup (at Omaha, Neb.)  
Creighton 6, UMKC 0

NCAA College Cup (at Tulsa, Okla.)  
NR/18 Tulsa 3, Oakland 2 (2ot)

(Rankings are NSCAA/Soccer Times and current to the date the game was played)

## 2003 Mid-Con Men's Soccer All-Tournament Team

Todd Dohlmán, UMKC (MVP)	Trey Vaut, Oral Roberts
Chris Frenz, Western Illinois	Anders Vollen, Oakland
Miguel Menduina, Oral Roberts	Jeff Wiese, Oakland
Geoff Miles, UMKC	Jason Woods, UMKC
Drew Perkins, UMKC	Lorenzo Zignago, Western Illinois
Ryan Rzepka, Oakland	



## Mid-Con Players of the Week



### OFFENSIVE

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; Sept. 29 - Justin Langan, WIU; Oct. 6 - Owen Hoyt, VU; Oct. 13 - Drew Perkins, UMKC; Oct. 20 - Ryan Barber, UMKC; Oct. 27 - Miguel Menduina, ORU; Nov. 3 - Miguel Menduina, ORU; Nov. 10 - Chris Edwards, OU

### DEFENSIVE

Mid-Con Defensive Players of the Week: Jeff Wiese, OU; Sept. 8 - Hector Zapata, ORU; Sept. 15 - Hector Zapata, ORU; Sept. 22 - Jeff Wiese, OU; Sept. 29 - Todd Dohlmán, UMKC; Oct. 6 - Jeff Wiese, OU; Oct. 13 - David Hanlon, WIU; Oct. 20 - Peter Brasovan, IUPUI; Oct. 27 - Ryan Rzepka, OU; Nov. 3 - Jeff Wiese, OU; Nov. 10 - Todd Dohlmán, UMKC

## 2003 Mid-Con Men's Soccer All-Conference Teams

### FIRST TEAM

Name, School	Pos.	Yr.	Hometown
Philip Braathen, Oakland	F	Jr.	Oslo, Norway
Daniel Bustos, Western Illinois	M	Sr.	Wichita, Kan.
Justin Langan, Western Illinois	F	Sr.	Davenport, Iowa
Miguel Menduina, Oral Roberts	M	Sr.	Santa Cruz, Bolivia
Drew Perkins, UMKC	F	Sr.	Lenexa, Kan.
Jason Perry, Oakland	D	Sr.	Southfield, Mich.
Doug Rice, Oakland	M	Jr.	Brighton, Mich.
Ryan Rzepka, Oakland	D	Jr.	Novi, Mich.
Trey Vaut, Oral Roberts	F	Sr.	Dallas, Texas
Anders Vollen, Oakland	M	Sr.	Oslo, Norway
Jeff Wiese, Oakland	GK	So.	Omaha, Neb.
Jason Woods, UMKC	D	Sr.	Kansas City, Mo.

### SECOND TEAM

Name, School	Pos.	Yr.	Hometown
Ryan Barber, UMKC	M	Sr.	Raymore, Mo.
Michael Bowditch, IUPUI	D	Jr.	Logansport, Ind.
Chris Edwards, Oakland	F	So.	Glasgow, Scotland
Stephen Gorton, Western Illinois	D	Sr.	Kalamazoo, Mich.
Dan Hilson, UMKC	M	Sr.	St. Louis, Mo.
Nowaf Jaman, Western Illinois	F	Fr.	Safat, Kuwait
Kosuke Kimura, Western Illinois	M	Fr.	Kanagawa, Japan
Dave Leung, Oral Roberts	D	So.	Manchester, Jamaica
Geoff Miles, UMKC	D	Sr.	Shawnee, Kan.
Josh Peacher, Valparaiso	D	Sr.	Granite City, Ill.
Garret Pickard, Centenary	F	Sr.	Cedar Hill, Texas
Hector Zapata, Oral Roberts	GK	Sr.	La Ceiba, Honduras

### OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

Trey Vaut, Oral Roberts

### DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

Jason Perry, Oakland

### NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR

Miguel Menduina, Oral Roberts

### COACH OF THE YEAR

Rick Benben, UMKC

# Mid-Con Men's Soccer News and Notes



## NSCAA Top 25

Final (Dec. 15)

Team	Record
1. Indiana	17-3-5
2. St. John's	17-6-3
3. Maryland	20-3-1
4. Santa Clara	16-4-4
5. UCLA	18-2-1
6. Saint Louis	15-4-3
7. Michigan	14-7-0
t8. Creighton	12-6-4
Notre Dame	15-3-3
10. Coastal Carolina	20-2-0
11. Virginia Commonwealth	16-4-0
12. UC Santa Barbara	15-5-1
13. Florida International	14-4-2
14. Washington	12-4-2
15. Wake Forest	15-4-0
16. Akron	14-5-2
17. Virginia	11-10-2
18. North Carolina	12-4-4
19. San Diego	12-4-3
t20. Old Dominion	15-3-1
Virginia Tech	14-4-3
22. Kentucky	12-6-2
t23. Fairleigh Dickinson	14-5-1
Rutgers	11-6-4
SMU	13-6-3

RECEIVING VOTES: None

## Soccer Times Top 25

Final

Team	Record
1. Indiana (16)	17-3-5
2. St. John's	17-6-3
3. Maryland	20-3-1
4. Santa Clara	16-4-4
5. UCLA	20-2-1
6. Saint Louis	15-4-3
7. Notre Dame	16-3-4
8. Coastal Carolina	20-3-0
9. Michigan	14-7-1
10. Creighton	12-6-4
11. Washington	13-5-2
12. Wake Forest	15-5-0
13. UC Santa Barbara	15-5-1
14. Virginia Commonwealth	17-5-0
15. Florida International	14-5-3
16. North Carolina	12-4-4
17. Akron	15-5-2
18. San Diego	12-4-4
19. Old Dominion	15-4-1
20. Cal State Northridge	14-3-3
21. Virginia Tech	14-5-3
22. Virginia	11-10-2
23. Loyola Marymount	12-7-1
24. Tulsa	13-6-2
25. SMU	13-6-3

RECEIVING VOTES: Rutgers, Connecticut, Fairleigh Dickinson, Kentucky, California, UAB, Binghamton, Hartwick, Brown, St. Peter's, Bradley, Oregon State

## 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

<b>ATLANTIC 10 (0-0-2)</b> Sept. 21-Valparaiso 0, Xavier (Ohio) 0 (Zot) Sept. 26-No. 12/20 Oakland 1, Dayton 1 (Zot)	<b>HORIZON (4-8-3)</b> Aug. 30-Western Illinois 4, Wright State 2 Sept. 5-Illinois-Chicago 2, Centenary 1 (ot) Sept. 7-UMKC 3, Loyola 3 (Zot) Sept. 7-Butler 5, Valparaiso 1 Sept. 13-IUPUI 0, Loyola 0 (Zot) Sept. 13-No. 20/NR Oakland 2, Detroit 2 (Zot) Sept. 14-Detroit 3, Valparaiso 0 Sept. 20-UW-Milwaukee 4, UMKC 0 Sept. 21-UMKC 3, UW-Green Bay 1 Oct. 5-Detroit 1, IUPUI 0 Oct. 19-Western Illinois 3, Detroit 1 Oct. 23-Wright State 2, IUPUI 0 Oct. 30-Butler 2, IUPUI 0 Oct. 31-Loyola (Ill.) 4, Valparaiso 1 Nov. 3-Oral Roberts at Butler, canc. Nov. 4-Oakland 1, Wright State 0	<b>MOUNTAIN PACIFIC SPORTS FEDERATION (0-3)</b> Sept. 5-New Mexico 1, IUPUI 0 Sept. 21-Air Force 3, Oral Roberts 2 Sept. 26-Denver 3, UMKC 2
<b>ATLANTIC SUN (1-2)</b> Sept. 12-Stetson 3, Centenary 2 Sept. 14-Central Florida 4, Centenary 1 Oct. 12-Oral Roberts 2, Lipscomb 1	<b>BIG EAST (0-1)</b> Sept. 21-Virginia Tech 2, IUPUI 1	<b>PACIFIC-10 (0-0-1)</b> Sept. 1-Oakland 1, Washington 1 (Zot)
<b>BIG TEN (0-6-2)</b> Sept. 19-Wisconsin 5, IUPUI 0 Sept. 19-Valparaiso 0, Ohio State 0 (Zot) Sept. 26-Michigan State 3, Valparaiso 0 Sept. 30-Michigan 1, Oakland 0 Oct. 8-Michigan State 1, Oakland 0 (Zot) Oct. 15-Indiana 1, IUPUI 0 Oct. 15-Oakland 2, Ohio State 2 (Zot) Nov. 8-Wisconsin 3, Valparaiso 2	<b>BIG WEST (1-1)</b> Sept. 7-No. 15/NR Cal State Northridge 8, IUPUI 0 Sept. 21-Western Illinois 2, UC Irvine 1	<b>PATRIOT (0-0-1)</b> Oct. 7-UMKC 2, Lehigh 2 (Zot)
<b>CONFERENCE USA (1-2-2)</b> Sept. 6-Memphis 2, Centenary 1 Sept. 7-Oakland 4, Marquette 1 Sept. 24-Western Illinois 4, No. 3/3 Saint Louis 4 (Zot) Oct. 22-No. 22/NR UAB 6, Centenary 1 Oct. 29-Oakland 0, No. 19/NR Cincinnati 0 (Zot)	<b>MID-AMERICAN (4-5)</b> 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-Northern Illinois 1, Western Illinois 0 Oct. 10-Akron 1, IUPUI 0 Oct. 21-Oakland 1, Bowling Green 0	<b>WEST COAST (2-1)</b> Aug. 30-Oakland 2, Portland 1 (Zot) Sept. 19-Loyola Marymount 2, Oral Roberts 0 Sept. 28-UMKC 2, No. 5/8 Santa Clara 1
	<b>MISSOURI VALLEY (2-13-1)</b> 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 (Zot) Sept. 5-Evansville 5, Valparaiso 0 Sept. 7-Oral Roberts 0, Drake 0 (Zot) Sept. 12-No. 9/6 SMU 1, Oral Roberts 0 (Zot) Sept. 13-No. 21/NR Tulsa 2, Oral Roberts 1 (Zot) Sept. 14-Drake 4, UMKC 1 Sept. 19-SW Missouri State 3, Western Illinois 2 Sept. 27-No. 9/5 SMU 5, Centenary 1 Sept. 28-SW Missouri State 1, Oral Roberts 0 Sept. 28-Drake 1, Valparaiso 0 (Zot) Sept. 28-Bradley 1, Western Illinois 0 Nov. 22-Creighton 6, UMKC 0 Nov. 22-No. NR/18 Tulsa 3, Oakland 2 (Zot)	<b>NCAA DIVISION I INDEPENDENTS (7-3)</b> Aug. 30-IPFW 3, Centenary 2 (Zot) Aug. 31-IPFW 1, IUPUI 0 Sept. 26-Oral Roberts 1, Drury 0 Oct. 2-Centenary 3, Drury 2 Oct. 12-Valparaiso 2, Drury 0 Oct. 13-Western Illinois 2, IPFW 0 Oct. 29-Oral Roberts 6, Drury 1 Oct. 31-Drury 4, Centenary 1 Nov. 8-Western Illinois 3, Drury 1 Nov. 9-UMKC 3, Drury 0
		<b>NON-DIVISION I (4-0)</b> Sept. 7-Western Illinois 1, Quincy 0 Oct. 20-Oral Roberts 9, Northeastern State 1 Oct. 25-Centenary 2, Belhaven 0 Oct. 29-UMKC 4, Rockhurst 1
		<b>NON-CONFERENCE DIVISION I RECORD:</b> 22-47-12 (.346)
		<b>OVERALL NON-CONFERENCE RECORD:</b> 26-47-12 (.376)

## Mid-Con Coaches Records

Coach, Team (Yrs. at School/Overall)	School	Pct.	Career	Pct.	Mid-Con	Pct.
Jed Jones, Centenary (7th/7th)	40-78-2	.342	40-78-2	.342	0-5-1	.083
Steve Franklin, IUPUI (9th/9th)	75-86-11	.468	75-86-11	.468	12-16-3	.435
Rick Benben, UMKC (6th/6th)	54-54-5	.500	54-54-5	.500	18-13	.581
Gary Parsons, Oakland (23rd/23rd)	311-101-47	.729	311-101-47	.729	16-8-1	.660
Steve Hayes, Oral Roberts (6th/6th)	45-59-4	.435	45-59-4	.435	13-12	.520
Mis' Mrak, Valparaiso (13th/13th)	59-160-16	.285	59-160-16	.285	25-49-3	.344
Eric Johnson, Western Illinois (7th/12th)	53-71-7	.431	96-124-12	.440	22-16-1	.577

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Oakland	Peter DiSanza	248-370-3123	248-370-4056	pvdisanza@oakland.edu
Oral Roberts	Cris Belvin	918-495-7094	918-495-7142	cbelvin@oru.edu
Valparaiso	Ryan Wronkovicz	219-464-5232	219-464-5762	ryan.wronkovicz@valpo.edu
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	2-9	.182
IUPUI	1-11-1	.115
UMKC	4-6-2	.417
Oakland	6-3-5	.607
Oral Roberts	5-6-1	.458
Valparaiso	1-8-2	.182
Western Illinois	7-4-1	.625
<b>Total</b>	<b>26-47-12</b>	<b>.376</b>

## Mid-Con vs. the Top 25

Team	NSCAA		Soccer Times	
	Top 10	Top 25	Top 10	Top 25
Centenary	0-1	0-1	0-1	0-1
IUPUI	0-0	0-2	0-0	0-1
UMKC	1-0	1-0	1-0	1-0
Oakland	1-0	2-0-1	0-0	1-1
Oral Roberts	0-1	0-2	0-1	0-1
Valparaiso	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
Western Illinois	0-0-1	0-0-1	0-0-1	0-0-1
<b>Total</b>	<b>2-2-1</b>	<b>3-5-2</b>	<b>1-2-1</b>	<b>2-4-1</b>

## Mid-Con: Home, Away and Neutral

Team	Home	Stk	Away	Stk	Neut	Stk
Centenary	1-3-1	L1	1-8	L3	0-3	L3
IUPUI	1-6	L2	1-5-2	T1	0-3-1	L5
UMKC	4-4	W1	6-2-2	L1	0-1-1	T1
Oakland	7-3-1	L1	5-3-3	L1	0-0-1	T1
Oral Roberts	4-2	W1	3-5-1	L1	1-2	L2
Valparaiso	1-5-1	L1	1-8-1	L3	0-0	L3
Western Illinois	6-0-1	W1	4-4-1	W1	1-1-1	T1
<b>Total</b>	<b>24-23-4</b>		<b>21-35-10</b>		<b>2-10-4</b>	
<b>vs. Non-Conference</b>	<b>13-13-2</b>		<b>11-24-8</b>		<b>2-10-2</b>	

## Mid-Con vs. Region-Ranked Teams

Team	vs. Region Ranked	Pct.
Centenary	0-4	.000
IUPUI	0-6	.000
UMKC	3-2-2	.571
Oakland	5-5-2	.500
Oral Roberts	0-6	.000
Valparaiso	0-5	.000
Western Illinois	1-2-2	.400
<b>Total</b>	<b>9-30-6</b>	<b>.267</b>

# Team-by-Team Schedule and Results

## AROUND THE MID-CON...

**MID-CON SENDS TWO SQUADS TO COLLEGE CUP:** For just the second time in league history - and for the first time in 20 years - the Mid-Continent Conference sent two teams to the NCAA Men's Soccer College Cup. UMKC earned its way into the postseason by upending top seed Oakland in the Mid-Con Men's Soccer Tournament title match. However, the Golden Grizzlies' season did not end with that setback, as they received an at-large berth to the NCAA's. Both teams fell in the first round of the NCAA's, with UMKC losing at Creighton (6-0) and Oakland coming up short in double overtime at Tulsa (3-2).

**MID-CON MEASURES UP:** The Mid-Con received as many berths as traditional soccer power conferences such as the Big Ten (2), Big West (2), Conference USA (2), Colonial Athletic (2) and the Metro Atlantic (2). The Atlantic Coast and Big East led all leagues with six NCAA teams each. The Mid-Con was one of 12 conferences to send multiple teams to the 2003 College Cup.

**ORAL ROBERTS HAS TWO TOP TALENTS IN 2003:** Oral Roberts finished fourth in the Mid-Con standings, but the Golden Eagles boasted two of the top offensive players in the conference. Mid-Con Offensive Player of the Year Trey Vaut led the Mid-Con with 10 goals and 27 points, while teammate Miguel Menduina added 22 points and was the Mid-Con Newcomer of the Year.

**SEVEN HONORED ON NSCAA ALL-REGION TEAMS:** Oakland's Jason Perry was tabbed as the first-ever Mid-Con Defensive Player of the Year in 2003 after anchoring an Oakland defense that posted a 0.80 team goals against average, third-best all-time in the Mid-Con. Perry also was selected as a third-team NSCAA All-America choice after being honored on the Great Lakes Region first team; teammate Jeff Wiese (0.79 GAA) was honored on the second team. Oral Roberts' Dave Leung was a first-team Midwest Region team honoree, while teammate Trey Vaut, Western Illinois' Daniel Bustos and Justin Langan and UMKC's Jason Woods were second-team picks in the same region.

**HERE AND THERE:** Oral Roberts' Trey Vaut finished his career with a school-record 85 points, which ranks seventh all-time in the Mid-Con... Western Illinois' Justin Langan became the school's all-time leading scorer (82 points), and is also the fifth player in league history to record first-team all-league honors four straight seasons... Oral Roberts' Hector Zapata set a school record with his 13 career shutouts, and his 312 saves tie for third all-time in the Mid-Con... UMKC went 9-1-2 in its final 12 games heading into the NCAA Tournament, which started with a 2-1 win over No. 5 Santa Clara at home.

### IUPUI Jaguars (2-14-3, 1-3-2 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*	T 1-1 (2ot)	
Oct. 4	at Oakland*	L 1-0	
Oct. 5	at Detroit	L 1-0	
Oct. 10	Akron	L 1-0	
Oct. 12	UMKC*	L 2-1	
Oct. 15	at Indiana	L 1-0	
Oct. 19	Valparaiso*	W 1-0	Adrian Conrad
Oct. 23	at Wright State	L 2-0	
Oct. 26	at Western Illinois*	T 2-2 (2ot)	
Oct. 30	Butler	L 2-0	
Nov. 2	Oral Roberts*	L 2-1 (2ot)	

# at Albuquerque, N.M. % at DeKalb, Ill. ^ at Dayton, Ohio \* Mid-Con match **Home matches in bold**

#### OF INTEREST...

- IUPUI concluded its season with a 2-14-3 record and a 1-3-2 mark in league play. The Jaguars, posted one win in their last 13 matches.
- The Jaguars missed out on the Mid-Con Tourney for the second straight season after making three consecutive appearances from 1999 through 2001, reaching the championship game each year.
- Mike Madaj scored all three of his goals in 2003 in the second half of a 4-3 win at Northern Illinois. Mike Sullivan led the team with four goals and eight points.
- Michael Bowditch was a second-team all-league selection in his first season on campus.

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

### Mid-Con Multi-Goal Matches

Player	No. High	Player	No. High
Chris Edwards, OU	2 2, twice	Brian Garcia, UMKC	1 2 vs. Rockhurst
Justin Langan, WIU	2 2, twice	Michael Garcia, UMKC	1 2 vs. Loyola (Ill.)
Miguel Menduina, ORU	2 3 vs. Northeastern St.	Shawn Hawkins, ORU	1 2 vs. Northeastern St.
Ryan Barber, UMKC	1 2 vs. Western Illinois	Nowaf Jaman, WIU	1 2 vs. Saint Louis
Philip Braathen, OU	1 2 vs. Valparaiso	Mike Madaj, IUPUI	1 3 vs. Northern Illinois
Daniel Bustos, WIU	1 2 vs. IPFW	Garret Pickard, CC	1 2 vs. Drury
John Clark, UMKC	1 2 vs. Oral Roberts	Trey Vaut, ORU	1 2 vs. Centenary

### Centenary Gents (2-14-1, 0-5-1 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*	T 1-1 (2ot)	
Sept. 27	at No. 9/5 SMU	L 5-1	
Oct. 2	at Drury	W 3-2	Alex Smith
Oct. 5	at Valparaiso*	L 3-2	
Oct. 15	Oral Roberts*	L 4-0	
Oct. 18	Oakland*	L 1-0	
Oct. 22	at No. 22/NR UAB	L 6-1	
Oct. 25	Belhaven	W 2-0	Alex Smith
Oct. 31	Drury	L 4-1	
Nov. 8	at UMKC*	L 2-0	

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

**Home matches in bold**

#### OF INTEREST...

- Centenary concluded its first season in the Mid-Con with an 0-5-1 conference record, while recording a 2-14-1 overall record.
- Rookie Alex Smith led the Gents this season, totaling 18 points (6g, 6a) on the year.
- Second-team All Mid-Con selection Garret Pickard was the only other Centenary to post double-digits in points with 12 (4g, 4 a).
- Coach Jed Jones resigned following the 2003 season; he stepped down after seven seasons.

### UMKC Kangaroos (10-7-3, 5-1 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	L 3-2	
Sept. 28	No. 5/8 Santa Clara	W 2-1	Kyle Perkins
Oct. 3	at Valparaiso*	W 3-1	Ryan Kaufman
Oct. 7	at Lehigh	T 2-2	
Oct. 12	at IUPUI*	W 2-1	Drew Perkins
Oct. 18	Western Illinois*	W 3-2	John Clark
Oct. 25	at Oral Roberts*	W 3-2	John Clark
Oct. 29	Rockhurst	W 4-1	Brian Garcia
Nov. 1	Oakland*	L 2-1	
Nov. 8	Centenary*	W 2-0	Kyle Perkins
Nov. 9	at Drury	W 3-0	Dan Hilson
Nov. 14	vs. Western Illinois (MCT)	T 1-1 (2ot)	UMKC in PKs, 3-0
Nov. 16	at Oakland (MCT)	W 1-0	Drew Perkins
Nov. 22	at Creighton (NCAA)	L 6-0	

# at Chicago, Ill. % at Green Bay, Wis. \* Mid-Con match

(MCT) at Mid-Con Tournament; Rochester, Mich. **Home matches in bold**

#### OF INTEREST...

- UMKC earned its second Mid-Con Men's Soccer Tournament crown in three years, beating top seed Oakland, in the title match. The Kangaroos made their second NCAA Tournament appearance, falling at Creighton in the first round.
- After the two teams played to a 1-1 tie, Mid-Con Tourney MVP Todd Dohlman made saves on all three penalty kicks in the shootout against Western Illinois in the semifinal match.
- Rick Benben was tabbed as the Mid-Con Coach of the Year after his Kangaroos tied for the Mid-Con regular-season title. Drew Perkins and Jason Woods were first-team All Mid-Con honorees, while Ryan Barber and Geoff Miles were second-teamers.

### Mid-Con 10-Save Matches

Player	No.	High
Drew Deffner, IUPUI	3	14 vs. Loyola (Ill.)
Stefan Nicola, CC	2	12 vs. Western Illinois
Peter Brasovan, IUPUI	1	10 vs. Indiana
Todd Dohlman, UMKC	1	13 vs. Oakland
Jeff Oleck, Valpo	1	10 vs. Detroit
Jeff Wiese, OU	1	10 vs. Michigan
Hector Zapata, ORU	1	10 vs. SMU

## Team-by-Team Schedule and Results

### Oakland Golden Grizzlies (12-5-5, 5-1 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)	
<b>Sept. 7</b>	<b>Marquette</b>	<b>W 4-1</b>	<b>Ryan Rzepka</b>
<b>Sept. 13</b>	<b>Detroit</b>	<b>T 2-2 (2ot)</b>	
<b>Sept. 17</b>	<b>Western Michigan</b>	<b>W 5-1</b>	<b>Brett McNabb</b>
<b>Sept. 21</b>	<b>No. 10/17 Akron</b>	<b>W 2-1</b>	<b>Philip Braathen</b>
Sept. 26	at Dayton	T 1-1 (2ot)	
<b>Sept. 30</b>	<b>Michigan</b>	<b>L 1-0</b>	
<b>Oct. 4</b>	<b>IUPUI*</b>	<b>W 1-0</b>	<b>Marcus Halland</b>
Oct. 8	at Michigan State	L 1-0 (2ot)	
Oct. 11	at Western Illinois*	L 1-0	
Oct. 15	at Ohio State	T 2-2	
Oct. 18	at Centenary*	W 1-0	Philip Braathen
Oct. 21	at Bowling Green	W 1-0	Danny Ng
<b>Oct. 25</b>	<b>Valparaiso*</b>	<b>W 6-0</b>	<b>Chris Edwards</b>
Oct. 29	at No. 19 Cincinnati	T 0-0 (2ot)	
Nov. 1	at UMKC*	W 2-1	Philip Braathen
Nov. 4	at Wright State	W 1-0	Doug Rice
<b>Nov. 8</b>	<b>Oral Roberts*</b>	<b>W 5-1</b>	<b>Matt Conner</b>
<b>Nov. 14</b>	<b>Oral Roberts (MCT)</b>	<b>W 1-0</b>	<b>Ryan Rzepka</b>
<b>Nov. 16</b>	<b>UMKC (MCT)</b>	<b>L 1-0</b>	
Nov. 22	at Tulsa (NCAA)	L 3-2 (2ot)	

# at Portland, Ore. \* Mid-Con match (MCT) at Mid-Con Tournament; Rochester, Mich.  
**Home matches in bold**

#### OF INTEREST...

• Oakland received an at-large bid to the NCAA College Cup after winning the Mid-Con regular-season title and finishing as the runner-up in the Mid-Con Tournament to UMKC. The Golden Grizzlies made their second NCAA trip in as many years, losing at Tulsa in the first round in double overtime.

• Mid-Con Defensive Player of the Year Jason Perry was also tabbed as a third-team All-America selection by the NSCAA. Perry was joined on the All Mid-Con first team by Philip Braathen, Doug Rice, Ryan Rzepka, Anders Vollen and Jeff Wiese. Chris Edwards was tabbed to the second team. Wiese's 0.79 GAA is the third-lowest season average in Mid-Con history.

### Oral Roberts Golden Eagles (8-10-1, 3-3 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	W 1-0	Trey Vaut
Sept. 28	at SW Missouri State	L 1-0	
<b>Oct. 3</b>	<b>Western Illinois*</b>	<b>L 2-1</b>	
<b>Oct. 10</b>	<b>Valparaiso*</b>	<b>W 3-0</b>	<b>Trey Vaut</b>
<b>Oct. 12</b>	<b>Lipscomb</b>	<b>W 2-1</b>	<b>Noah Braun</b>
Oct. 15	at Centenary*	W 4-0	Trey Vaut
<b>Oct. 20</b>	<b>Northeastern State</b>	<b>W 9-1</b>	<b>Trey Vaut</b>
<b>Oct. 25</b>	<b>UMKC*</b>	<b>L 3-2</b>	
<b>Oct. 29</b>	<b>Drury</b>	<b>W 6-1</b>	<b>Andrew Spencer</b>
Nov. 2	at IUPUI*	W 2-1 (2ot)	Miguel Menduina
Nov. 8	at Oakland*	L 5-1	
Nov. 14	at Oakland (MCT)	L 1-0	

# at Peoria, Ill. % at Dallas, Texas ^ at Colorado Springs, Colo. \* Mid-Con match (MCT) at Mid-Con Tournament; Rochester, Mich. **Home matches in bold**

#### OF INTEREST...

• Oral Roberts season ended with the Golden Eagles posting an 8-10-1 record, including a 3-3 mark in Mid-Con play, which was good for fourth place and a berth in the Mid-Con Tournament for the third time in five seasons.

• Trey Vaut and Miguel Menduina were named the Mid-Con Player and Newcomer of the Year, respectively, and were first-team all-league honorees. Vaut's 10 goals and 27 points led the league. Dave Leung and Hector Zapata were second-team all-conference honorees.

• Vaut finished his career ranked seventh on the league's all-time scoring list (85 points) and the school's career leader. Zapata's 312 career saves ties for third all-time in the Mid-Con.

### Valparaiso Crusaders (2-13-2, 1-5 Mid-Con)

Date	Opponent	Time/Result	Game-Winning Goal
<b>Aug. 29</b>	<b>SW Missouri State</b>	<b>L 3-1</b>	
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)	
<b>Sept. 21</b>	<b>Xavier (Ohio)</b>	<b>T 0-0 (2ot)</b>	
<b>Sept. 26</b>	<b>Michigan State</b>	<b>L 3-0</b>	
Sept. 28	at Drake	L 1-0 (2ot)	
<b>Oct. 3</b>	<b>UMKC*</b>	<b>L 3-1</b>	
<b>Oct. 5</b>	<b>Centenary*</b>	<b>W 3-2</b>	<b>Adam Newell</b>
Oct. 10	at Oral Roberts*	L 3-0	
Oct. 12	at Drury	W 2-0	Chris Goss
Oct. 19	at IUPUI*	L 1-0	
Oct. 25	at Oakland*	L 6-0	
<b>Oct. 31</b>	<b>Loyola (Ill.)</b>	<b>L 1-0</b>	
<b>Nov. 2</b>	<b>Western Illinois*</b>	<b>L 2-0</b>	
Nov. 8	at Wisconsin	L 3-2	

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

#### OF INTEREST...

• Valparaiso concluded its season with a 2-13-2 record, going 1-5 in league play. The Crusaders missed the Mid-Con Tournament for the fourth time in five years.

• The Crusaders' top three scorers were Owen Hoyt, Adam Newell and Jon Brighton, who each recorded four points on the year. However, it was Josh Peacher who was tabbed as a second-team All Mid-Con performer.

• Goalkeeper Jeff Oleck led Valparaiso on defense, tallying 101 saves with a 2.33 goals against average.

### Western Illinois Leathernecks (11-5-2, 4-1-1 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
<b>Sept. 7</b>	<b>Quincy</b>	<b>W 2-1</b>	<b>P.J. Blackford</b>
<b>Sept. 17</b>	<b>Centenary*</b>	<b>W 5-0</b>	<b>Nowaf Jaman</b>
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	T 4-4 (2ot)	
Sept. 28	at Bradley	L 1-0	
Oct. 3	at Oral Roberts*	W 2-1	Justin Langan
Oct. 5	at Northern Illinois	L 1-0	
<b>Oct. 11</b>	<b>Oakland*</b>	<b>W 1-0</b>	<b>Elton Fernandes</b>
<b>Oct. 13</b>	<b>IPFW</b>	<b>W 2-0</b>	<b>Daniel Bustos</b>
Oct. 18	at UMKC*	L 3-2	
<b>Oct. 19</b>	<b>Detroit</b>	<b>W 3-1</b>	<b>Lorenzo Zignago</b>
<b>Oct. 26</b>	<b>IUPUI*</b>	<b>T 2-2</b>	
Nov. 2	at Valparaiso*	W 2-0	Justin Langan
<b>Nov. 8</b>	<b>Drury</b>	<b>W 3-1</b>	<b>Daniel Bustos</b>
Nov. 14	vs. UMKC (MCT)	T 1-1	UMKC in PKs, 3-0

# at Albuquerque, N.M. \* Mid-Con match (MCT) at Mid-Con Tournament; Rochester, Mich.  
**Home matches in bold**

#### OF INTEREST...

• Western Illinois posted an 11-5-2 mark overall and finished third in the Mid-Con with its 4-1-1 league mark. The Leathernecks went undefeated at home, going 6-0-1 at MacKenzie Field.

• Justin Langan led Western Illinois with 25 points (9 g, 6a) in just 14 games while also serving as the football team's placekicker. He's the fifth player in league history to earn first-team all-league honors four straight years. His school career-record 82 career points rank ninth all-time in the Mid-Con.

• Langan was joined on the All Mid-Con first team by Daniel Bustos. Stephen Gorton, Nowaf Jaman and Kosuke Kimura were second-team picks.

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

### 2003 MID-CON TOURNAMENT RETURNS TO OAKLAND

By virtue of winning the 2002 Mid-Con regular-season title, Oakland served as the host for the 2003 Mid-Con Men's Soccer Tournament, which was 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 advanced to the event, which was won by second-seeded UMKC. Oakland became the first-ever tournament host to win the event in 2002. The Mid-Con had four first-time champions in four years (Oral Roberts - 1999; IUPUI - 2000; UMKC - 2001; Oakland - 2002) before UMKC won again in 2003.

