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MUHLENBERG IS NUMBER ONE CHOICE IN PRESEASON WOMEN'S SOCCER POLL

Mules Hope to Add Fourth Title to the Record Books

RETURNING ALL-CONFERENCE PLAYERS

First Team

F-Becky Armstrong, Sr, Muhlenberg #
 F-Meg McIntosh, Jr, Johns Hopkins
 M-Jenny Line, Sr, Gettysburg *
 M-Kathleen Turley, Sr, Johns Hopkins
 M-Niki Lepson, Sr, McDaniel *
 B-Molly Bauer, Sr, Gettysburg *
 B-Emily Knapp, Sr, Franklin & Marshall
 GK-Jen Goebel, Sr, Johns Hopkins

Second Team

F-Jess Griggs, So, Dickinson
 F-Amanda Zambrano, Jr, Franklin & Marshall *
 F-Christina DiTucci, Sr, Gettysburg
 B-Jenn Sciarpelletti, Sr, Johns Hopkins
 B-Lindsey Kimura, So, Johns Hopkins

Honorable Mention

F-Aubrey Andre, Sr, Ursinus
 F-Dawn Fletcher, Sr, McDaniel
 F-Natalie Negrey, So, Swarthmore
 F-Debbie Jensen, Jr, Ursinus
 M-Liz Feldhusen, Sr, Gettysburg *
 B-Lauren Washam, So, Ursinus
 B-Courtney Scally, Jr, Dickinson
 B-Kate Gardner, Sr, Franklin & Marshall
 B-Jen Cohen, Sr, Ursinus
 GK-Katie Simmons, Jr, Gettysburg

* 2003 CC Academic Honor Roll Selection
 # NSCAA Mid-Atlantic Reg. First Team
 @ NSCAA Mid-Atlantic Reg. Second Team

2003 CONFERENCE STANDINGS

% Muhlenberg (16-4-2).....	9-1-0
Gettysburg (12-5-2).....	8-1-1
Johns Hopkins (13-6-2).....	7-3-0
Ursinus (10-6-3).....	5-4-1
Dickinson (9-6-2).....	5-4-1
Haverford (8-11).....	5-5-0
McDaniel (13-7).....	5-5-0
Franklin & Marshall (7-7-3).....	4-5-1
Swarthmore (9-9-0).....	4-6-0
Washington (5-11-1).....	1-9-0
Bryn Mawr (4-12-1).....	0-10-0
% 2003 Conference Champion	

CONFERENCE TOURNAMENT

Semifinals

Muhlenberg 3, Ursinus 1
 Johns Hopkins 1, Gettysburg 1 (2OT)
 GC advances – 6-5 penalty kicks

Final

Muhlenberg 1, Gettysburg 0

NCAA TOURNAMENT

Second Round

Muhlenberg 3, E. Connecticut State 1

Third Round – Regional Championship

Scranton 1, Muhlenberg 0

LANCASTER, Pa. -- August 17, 2004 – One point. It's the difference between a second and third-place vote. Or a first and a second.

One point. The women's soccer coaches in the Centennial Conference view that as the difference among the top three teams in the CC entering the 2004 season.

Muhlenberg, the defending champion, is favored to repeat and add a fourth trophy to its case after receiving four first-place ballots and 92 points in the annual preseason poll of coaches. The Mules finished 16-4-2 overall and 9-1 in the CC last season and were bounced by Scranton in the third round of the NCAA tournament. Senior **F Becky Armstrong**, a first-team All-CC selection last fall, is third on the all-time 'Berg goal scoring list with 32.

Gettysburg also received four first-place votes but was second in the poll with 91 points. The Bullets, who lost in the CC final to Muhlenberg last season, finished 12-5-2 overall and 8-1-1 in the Conference. Johns Hopkins was a point behind Gettysburg with three firsts and 90 points. The Blue Jays ended the 2003 campaign at 13-6-2 overall and 7-3 in the CC.

Dickinson was fourth with 58 points, while Franklin & Marshall was fifth with 55 points. **F Jess Griggs** is a key returner for the Red Devils in 2004, after finishing second in points (1.75) and assists (0.38) per game last season and third in goals per game with 0.69. The Diplomats will look for offensive production from **F Amanda Zambrano**, who returns as the CC's top scorer from 2003 with 0.71 goals per game. Ursinus and McDaniel follow in sixth and seventh place with 53 and 50 points, respectively.

Haverford (47), Swarthmore (40), Washington (18) and Bryn Mawr (11) rounded out the poll.

The 2004 season kicks off Wednesday, September 1, with five games: Eastern Mennonite at Dickinson; Eastern at Haverford; Johns Hopkins at C. of New Jersey; Neumann at Swarthmore; and Washington at Notre Dame (MD).

Centennial Conference Preseason Women's Soccer Poll

1. Muhlenberg (4)	92
2. Gettysburg (4)	91
3. Johns Hopkins (3)	90
4. Dickinson	58
5. Franklin & Marshall	55
6. Ursinus	53
7. McDaniel	50
8. Haverford	47
9. Swarthmore	40
10. Washington	18
11. Bryn Mawr	11

Head coaches polled