

Women's basketball team improves record to 13-3

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Despite a tough loss to AMCC rival Frostburg State earlier in the week, the Penn State - Behrend women's basketball finished up a solid week with a 2 - 1 record, while improving their overall record to 13 - 3.

The loss to AMCC rival Frostburg State came last Sunday by a score of 54 - 53.

"We out played them all game," said head coach Roz Fornari. "We just didn't seem to get any breaks down the stretch. We are still the better team," added Fornari.

Sophomore point guard Carrie Nestor had similar thoughts on their game. "We lost a tough one. We outplayed them as a team for most of the game," said Nestor.

The Lions held the lead most of the game, including a 15 point advantage in the first half, before blowing the lead and the game in the final minutes.

At the 1:34 mark of the fourth quarter, Carrie Nestor hit a jump shot to give the Lions a 53 - 51 lead before Frostburg's Kara Reed hit a three-

pointer with 1:18 to play for the games final points.

Leading the scoring for the Lady Lions were both Tiffany Buck and Nikki Shultz with 15 and 14 points apiece, with Shultz adding 9 rebounds to her scoring.

Carrie Nestor had a solid all

around performance by knocking in 6 points, while also coming through with 4 steals, 4 assists, and 4 rebounds.

Emily Marini and Kim Moses also contributed, with Moses netting 6 points and pulling down 10 rebounds, while Marini scored 6, and pulled down 6 rebounds.

Next up for the Lady Lions was a road contest at the University of Pitt-Greensburg. Behrend came away with an easy 69 - 42 victory.

rebounds, and 2 steals. Tiffany Buck and Maria Madigan each scored 10 points, while Nikki Schultz chipped in 8.

Most Recently the Lady Lions handed LaRoche a 63 - 46 setback in front of a packed house at Eric Hall.

Although the Lions started off the game slow by a score of 20 - 8 in the first 5 minutes of the game, the came roaring back with an amazing 31 - 0 run. The run put the Lady Lions ahead 39 - 20, as they never looked back to

seal the win.

"We have really been playing well together," said head coach Fornari. "Our defense does the work. The depth of our team is one of our big strengths," she added.

Angie Georg came through with a huge performance as she knocked in 9 points, and pulled down a team high 12 rebounds.

"Angie Georg skies like Jordan," said teammate Kim Moses. "I hope she teaches me how to rebound like that someday," added Moses.

Emily Marini came up big with 7 points, 7 rebounds, and 2 steals. Carrie Nestor led the assists category with 8, while also coming up with 3 steals.

Jenny Detelich and Kim Moses had 7 and 10 points respectively, while Meg Supernovich and Jaime Lorenzo banged in 6. Supernovich also pulled down 4 rebounds.

"Megan really stepped up for us tonight," said teammate Kim Moses.

The Lady Lions will next look to improve their record when they host Buffalo State on January 31st, at 2:00 p.m.

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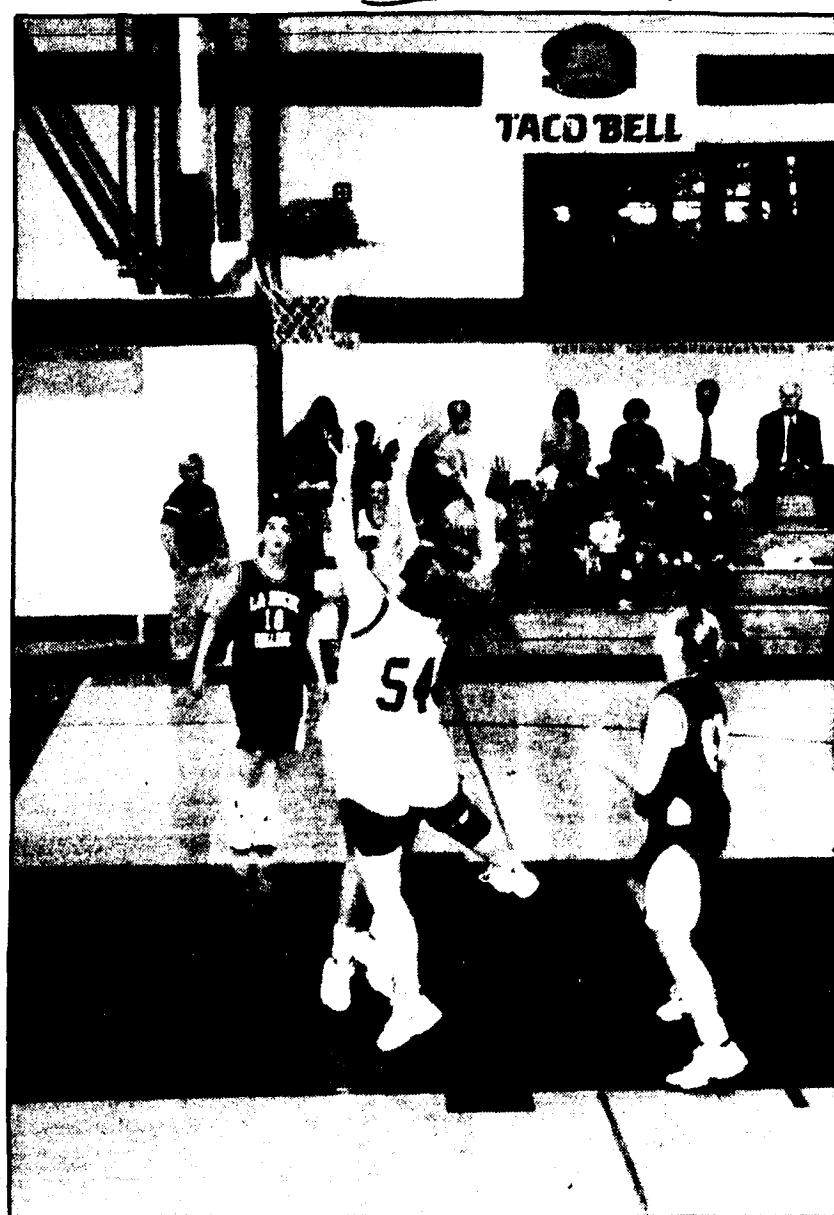


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Kelle Lerch goes up strong for a layup against LaRoche

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The women Lions go up for a left-handed skyhook last night against LaRoche

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Kim Moses pops a jumper in the face of a LaRoche defender

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A, Good bug detection. Congratulations on the five "Bruno's Bucks" -R

Shelly Belly, Your hair looks super! -Gina

Great news about the student directory. -R

A- Have fun making googy faces at J this weekend. -NM

Chris- You'll be in the trunk the whole way back to SC! - Anne

Hazel, Watch out for chickens in the paper.

R, I'm so excited about the new brown flannel shirt today. -A

N- Have fun making the moves on Yvonne this weekend. -A

Nate, Good luck on the hot date Saturday. -the whole gang

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