

Calendar of
EventsBehrend
Athletic
Events

Saturday

Men's Water Polo
@ Washington & Jefferson
vs. Mercyhurst, 10 a.m.

@ Salem Teiko
vs. Slippery Rock, 3:30 p.m.

@ Salem Teiko, 7 p.m.

Women's Tennis
@ Thiel, 9 a.m.

Women's Soccer
@ Pitt-Greensburg, Noon.

Men's Soccer
@ Pitt-Greensburg, 2 p.m.

Monday

Golf
AMCC Championship
@ Peek'n Peak, Noon

Tuesday

Men's Water Polo
@ Washington & Jefferson

Men's Soccer
vs Lake Erie, 4 p.m.

Women's Tennis
@ Westminster, 3:30 p.m.

Wednesday
Women's Soccer
vs Lake Erie, 4 p.m.

Thursday
Women's Volleyball
vs. Lake Erie, 6 p.m.

Intramurals
Schedule

Flag Football

Men's, Women's, & COED
Entries due Friday,
Oct. 4
Games begin Oct. 8

Billiards

Men's, Women's, & COED
Entries due Friday,
Oct. 25
Includes singles and
doubles
Schedules posted
Sunday, Oct. 27
Play begins Mon. Oct. 28

Bowling

Men's, Women's, & COED
Entries due Nov. 1
Includes Individual and
Team Competition
At Eastway Lanes
Sat. Nov. 9

3 vs. 3 Basketball

Men's and Women's
Entries due Nov. 8
Games begin Mon.,
Nov. 11

5 vs. 5 Basketball

Men's and Women's
Entries due Dec. 13
Games begin
Spring Semester

Women netters rally
to take two of three
AMCC matches

by Leacy Sauer
staff writer

After losing two of their matches during the previous weekend, one being a conference match, the Behrend women's tennis team has once again proved its determination. All the team members worked together this past weekend to put two more wins in the books.

Quickly approaching the last week of the fall season, the women's tennis team was able to round up two wins out of their last three matches. On Saturday, Sept. 28, they traveled to Maryland to defeat Frostburg, 7-2. Winning singles matches were freshman Amber Weckoski (6-0, 6-2), sophomore Christine Leininger (2-6, 6-4, 6-2), sophomore Margaret Venema (6-0, 6-0), and freshman Amy Frizzell (6-1, 6-3).

The doubles teams on Saturday overcame the Frostburg team in eight game pro-sets, with the talented combinations of senior Lennys Redondo and Amber Weckoski (8-2), Christine Leininger and Becky Snyder (8-0) and Margaret Venema and Amy Frizzell (8-0).

Continuing play on Sept. 29, the women's team's momentum was temporarily halted as they suffered another loss in a conference match to rivals

Penn State Altoona, with a score of 9-0.

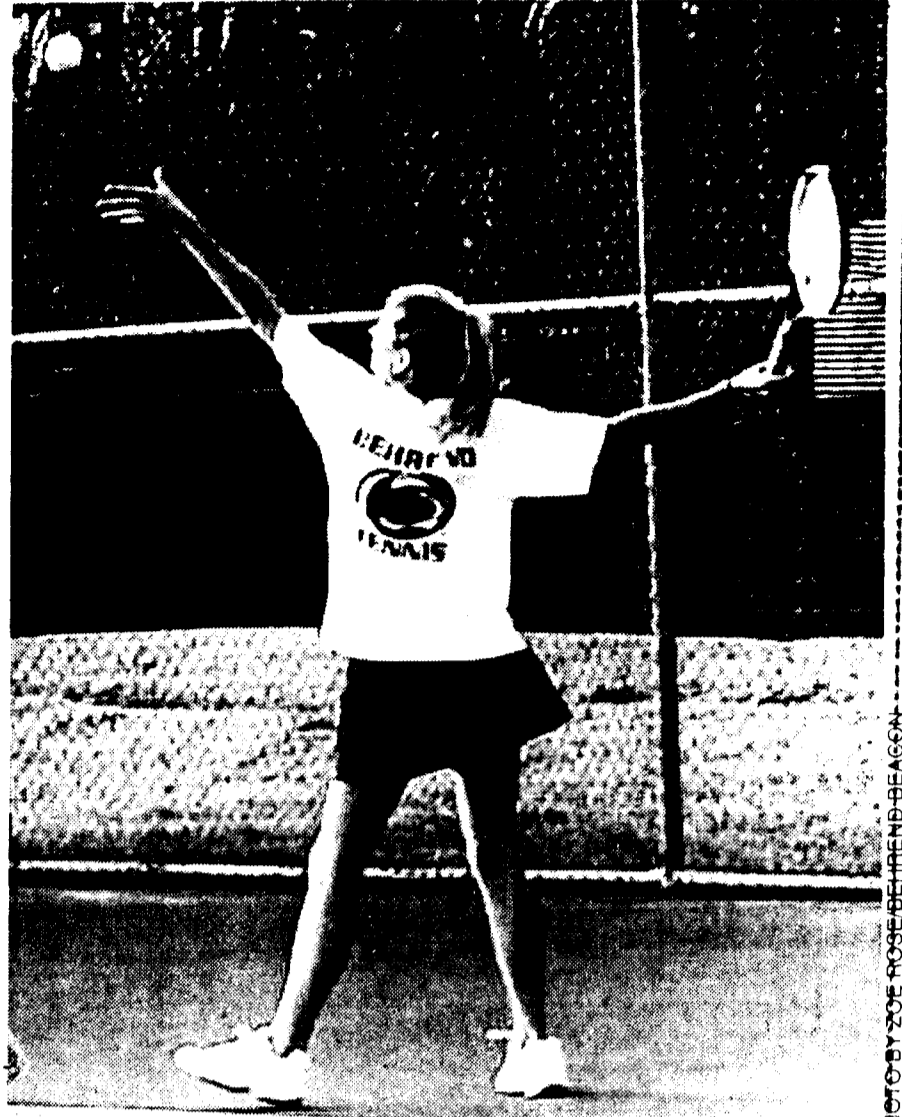
However, they were able to turn the heat up on Wednesday, Oct. 2 in a conference match against La Roche. A 7-0 victory brought their record up to 3-2. With a light breeze and warm temperatures, it seemed as if even the weather was on the Lions side.

Playing number one singles for Behrend was Weckoski, who crushed her opponent in 6-0, 6-0 victory. In the number two spot was Leininger with a 6-1, 6-2 win.

Continuing Weckoski's path of destruction were singles winners Frizzell and Zoe Rose, both pulling out similar 6-0, 6-0 victories. Becky Snyder ended up with an impressive 6-1, 6-0 win.

The doubles arrangement proved to be just as successful, with both teams coming around with victories. In eight game pro-sets, the combinations of freshmen Weckoski and Frizzell (8-2), and Leininger and Snyder (8-0) brought the team to their 7-0 win, the first complete defeat for the women's team all season.

The next challenge for the team will come when it faces Thiel on Saturday, October 5 at 9 a.m. Coach Jeff Barger is very optimistic going into the weekend, with the goal of getting ready for the AMCC Tournament taking place on



Christine Leininger gets ready to serve against Frostburg last Saturday. The tennis team pulled away with a 7-2 win, improving its conference record to 3-2.

Oct. 19.

"We must stay ready to play and work on some things to overcome Altoona," said Barger. "We will have to play our best matches to beat them."

Men's soccer team
thrives in overtime

Goalkeeper Jake Hordych has been a wall, allowing only two goals in the past two weeks. He is back-to-back AMCC Goalkeeper of the Week.

By Zoe Rose
sports editor

The Behrend men's soccer team turned its future around with a 3-0 win over Pitt-Bradford and even more remarkably, the 2-1 double overtime win over La Roche last Saturday.

On Wednesday, the Blue and White challenged Grove City on the Wolverines home turf, earning a 1-1 double overtime tie.

The Wolverines fell behind during the first half of action on a goal by sophomore defensive midfielder Jeff Morris 34 minutes into the game. Behrend was all about offensive action as they out-shot Grove City 28-7.

With the close games throughout the past few weeks, coach Dan

Perritano said, "We need to work on finishing opportunities. We had good scoring opportunities."

Against La Roche in double overtime, sophomore midfielder Andy McCormick and junior midfielder Andy Laver scored the goals for Behrend.

The men's soccer race will heat up this Saturday as Behrend will travel to face Pitt-Greensburg (2-0), this will be a match of the two undefeated teams in the conference.

With this huge conference game looming, one where the opponent has won all 10 of their ten games, Perritano knows his team is up to the challenge. "We are very excited to play," Perritano said.

Along with the steady progress of the Lions, junior Jacob Hordych was

named AMCC Goalkeeper of the Week for the second week in the row.

Hordych made 19 saves in the opening conference games for the Lions. He shut out Pitt-Bradford and then held La Roche to a single goal. Pitt-Bradford was his first shut out since the first game of the season against Lebanon Valley.

Last year, Hordych earned second team all-conference and posted five shut outs.

Following Pitt-Greensburg, the Lions will host four games starting with Lake Erie, Bethany, Buffalo State, and finally Penn State Altoona.

Three away games will follow before the Lions head into the AMCC tournament with the semifinal on Nov. 7 and final on Nov. 9.

Housing
and
Food Service
Athlete
of the Week

PENNSYLVANIA
Erie

Erin
Maurer



SPORT: Women's
Soccer

CLASS: Junior

DATE: Sept. 30th

Erin Maurer (Erie/
Villa Maria) was named
this week's Beacon/
Food and
Housing Athlete of
the Week.

Last week, Erin
Maurer led the
Behrend team in win-
ning two straight
conference matches.
The Behrend Lions
then played
on the road Saturday,
where Maurer netted
the game-winning goal
in Behrend's thrilling
1-0 victory over La
Roche.

Housing and Food
Service Athlete of
the Week is selected
by the Sports
Information Staff.