

# Booters to clash with GWU

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Collegian Sports Writer

It's basic physics. When two rolling objects collide with each other something's got to give. That will be the case at 7:15 tonight at Jeffrey Field when the soccer team, currently riding a six-game unbeaten streak, plays host to the George Washington Colonials, 8-0-2 in their last 10 games.

Penn State (8-6-3, 1-0-1) will be jockeying for first place in the Atlantic 10 West Division — a spot which is currently occupied by the Colonials, who boast a 2-0-0 record in the A-10 and 9-3-3 slate overall. A Lion victory could put Penn State in a very favorable position in the division race.

"The game is important because it has a bearing on the NCAA tournament," Penn State Head Coach Walter Bahr said. "We still have a little life left to make it, and a victory over George Washington could help us because it would put us on top in the West."

The top two teams from each of the country's eight regions receive automatic bids to the NCAA tourney along with eight other teams which hold the

best independent records, Bahr said. George Washington began its current roll on Sept. 30 when it tied Howard University. The Colonials then reeled off five unanswered wins before battling 13th-ranked William & Mary to a scoreless tie. They then won three more contests before their trek to Happy Valley.

"We never played them before, but we know in general what they do, and we think we know enough that we'll be prepared for them," Bahr said. "They're a good team."

Lion sophomore Jan Skorpen said the team is taking its schedule one game at a time.

"We prepared for this game like all of our other games," he said. "We haven't talked about (tonight's game). We know our roles, and we just have to keep playing well, and hopefully keep winning."

The offensive firepower of the Colonials lies in junior midfielder Kenny Emson, a former A-10 Player of the Week, and Paul Boland. Emson has scored 12 goals this season, three of them game-winners, while Boland leads the region in assists with 11. Peter Vermes of Rutgers leads the A-

10 in scoring with 17 goals and eight assists for a total of 42 points.

The Scarlet Knights (13-2-2, 3-0-0) are on top of the region's Eastern Division, and Skorpen said the Lions would like nothing better than to square off against Rutgers, which beat Penn State 4-0 earlier this season.

"We definitely hope to go to the Atlantic 10 tournament and get a chance to beat Rutgers, because they embarrassed us earlier in the year," the sophomore said.

Regardless of tonight's outcome, the Lions won't have much time to celebrate or lick their wounds. On Sunday Bahr will take his squad to Philadelphia to challenge Temple — a team that, under Bahr's tutelage, compiled a 20-10-10 record from 1971 to 1973.

Temple is 9-6-1 this season and second to Rutgers in the A-10 East. Tuesday's 2-0 win over St. Joseph's brought the Owls' current winning streak to four, and boosted their regional record to 3-1-0. The Lion defense will have to key on Temple's leading scorer, sophomore Kurt Hausner.

# No. 13 Stickwomen visit Lehigh

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It's getting down to the wire for the 13th-ranked Lady Lion field hockey team (12-3-2). And down to the wire means preparation for post-season play. But post season play will not occur if the Lady Lions don't fare well in their regional competition.

Tomorrow the Lady Lions will put their unblemished regional record to the test and continue their quest for post-season play when Penn State heads to Bethlehem to face Lehigh University. Although the Lady Engineers are a similar team to Princeton (whom the Lady Lions dominated in a 6-0 win), Head Coach Charlene Morett doesn't expect the contest to be a cakewalk.

"I really don't expect a rout, although it would be nice," Morett said. "They (Lehigh) are a lot like Princeton but they're also a lot like Penn in that their record doesn't truly reflect their ability. (The Lady Lions lost to Penn in overtime earlier in the season 4-3).

"Lehigh has a lot of talent and intensity on that team. Besides, they always play well against Penn State. Smaller schools really look forward to playing us because they can try to upset us. And, a team can sometimes play better than they usually do if they're playing a stronger team."

Against the Lady Tigers of Princeton, Morett and her team were very happy to finally see a surplus of goals. Plus, unlike in the Davis & Elkins game where the Lady Lions took 68 shots on goal and only scored twice, against Princeton the team tallied 29 shots on goal and were able

to convert six. They hope to continue on the attack against Lehigh.

"We really need another big scoring game," senior Diane Schleicher said. "It would help us get our confidence up for the remainder of the season."

"On Tuesday, against Princeton we scored on four out of ten corners and that was really good to see," Morett added. "I'm happy to see we're finally improving in our goal scoring. I hope we don't stop now."

The fact that this game is against a regional opponent makes it important enough, but it may also be a big factor next week. On Tuesday, the Lady Lions square off against fifth-ranked West Chester and next Saturday seventh-ranked Virginia will pull into Happy Valley. Both of these contests will be decisive for the Lady Lions' opportunity for post-season play and a win against the Lady Engineers will even better aid the Lady Lions.

"I think everyone recognizes the importance of this game," Morett said. "We must win win order to keep our regional standing as high as it is now."

"This is really important for us," Schleicher said. "It will be much better if we can face West Chester with an undefeated regional record. But really we can't even think into next week yet. Our first goal is to get beyond Lehigh and then we'll worry about West Chester."

Although the Lady Lions completely dominated the Lady Tigers, Morett still has pinpointed some problems and believes there is always room for improvement.

"I'd like to see our defense play consistently and be strong," she said. "We're quite capable of playing great hockey as is proven by our shutout against Princeton."

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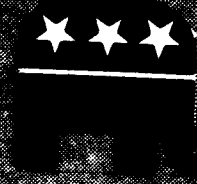
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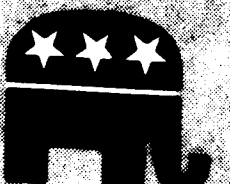


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- ★ Member Board of Directors, National Association of Counties & PA Commissioners Association
- ★ Chairman, Mid-State Employment & Training Consortiums
- ★ Graduate of Penn State and Georgetown University Law School



### Vicki Bumbarger — for Commissioner

- ★ Served 9 years as Chief Clerk and Administrative Officer for the Centre County Commissioners
- ★ Prepared annual budgets for the County Commissioners
- ★ Implemented the County's first tax anticipation loan
- ★ Member Centre County Cancer Society Board, and Bellefonte Business and Professional Women's Club



### Don Asendorf — for Controller

- ★ Served 15 years as Controller
- ★ Initiated an automated accounting system for the County
- ★ President of the Central Pennsylvania Chapter of the National Association of Accountants
- ★ Graduated in Accounting from Lycoming College



### Garry Kunes — for Sheriff

- ★ Served 4 years as Sheriff of Centre County
- ★ Served 4 years as Chief Deputy Sheriff of Centre County
- ★ Has 25 years of training and experience in law enforcement
- ★ Served 5 years in the Metropolitan Police Department in Washington, D.C. and 12 years with the State College Police Department



### Gino Fornicola — for Treasurer

- ★ Served 4 years as Treasurer
- ★ Owned and operated the Bush House Hotel in Bellefonte
- ★ Served as Mayor of Bellefonte
- ★ Graduate of Bellefonte High School and Penn State



### Bob Neff — for Coroner

- ★ Served as Centre County Coroner since 1959
- ★ Graduate of Pittsburgh Institute of Mortuary Science
- ★ Lifelong resident of Centre County
- ★ Member of Howard Grange and Fire Company, the Bellefonte Elks and Moose Lodges, and the Tall Cedars of Lebanon



### Walter Armstrong — for Recorder of Deeds

- ★ Served 7 years checking the Deed and Mortgage books in the office of the Recorder of Deeds
- ★ 30 years experience filing State and Federal tax forms
- ★ Member of Logan Fire Company, Centre County Shrine Club, the Bellefonte Elks Lodge and the Fraternal Order of Police
- ★ Lifelong resident of Centre County



### Kay Rossi — for Prothonotary

- ★ Served 7 years as a member of State College Area School Board
- ★ Graduate of Oberlin Conservatory of Music and a Master of Education degree from Penn State
- ★ A past president of the State College Business and Professional Women's Club
- ★ Established the Pennsylvania Association for the Blind's Centre County Satellite



### Kathy Donohue — for Register of Wills

- ★ Chairman of a committee for the Small Business Owners Forum
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- ★ A graduate of Cornell University in Agricultural Economics and Business Management
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