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Schedule

Tuesday, September 25
Soccer at UW-La Crosse, 4 p.m.

Wednesday, September 26
Volleyball at UW-Superior, 7 p.m.

Friday, September 28
Soccer at UW-Oshkosh, 4 p.m.
Volleyball at UW-Eau Claire Tournament, 6 p.m.
vs. UW-Stevens Point, 6 p.m.
vs. Viterbo, 8 p.m.
Tennis vs. Hamline, 4 p.m.

Saturday, September 29
Volleyball at UW-Eau Claire Tournament, 1 p.m.
vs. Lakehead, 1 p.m.
vs. UW-Eau Claire, 3 p.m.
M&W Cross Country at Loyola Lakefront Innite, Chicago, Ill., 10 a.m.
Football vs. UW-Platteville, 6 p.m.

Sunday, September 30
Soccer at St. Scholastica, 1 p.m.

Tuesday, October 2
Soccer at UW-River Falls, 4 p.m.

Wednesday, October 3
Volleyball vs. UW-Eau Claire, 7 p.m.

Friday, October 5
Soccer vs. UW-Platteville, 7 p.m.
Women's Cross Country co-host Midwest Short/Long Course Challenge, Colfax, 4 p.m.
Men's Cross Country co-host Midwest Short/Long Course Challenge, Colfax, 5 p.m.
Volleyball at UW-La Crosse, 7 p.m.

Saturday, October 6
Volleyball at UW-Platteville, 10 a.m.(JV)/12 p.m.(Varsity)
Football at UW-Oshkosh, 1:30 p.m.
Tennis vs. Hamline, 4 p.m.

Sunday, October 7
Soccer vs. Wisconsin Lutheran (Madison), 1 p.m.

Tuesday, October 9
Soccer vs. Viterbo University, 7 p.m.
Tennis vs. UW-River Falls, 4 p.m.

Wednesday, October 10
Volleyball at UW-River Falls, 7 p.m.

Thursday, October 11
Soccer vs. UW-Eau Claire, 7 p.m.

Friday, October 12
Tennis at UW-Whitewater, 3 p.m.

Saturday, October 13
Soccer at St. Mary's, 3 p.m.
Volleyball vs. Gustavus Adolphus, 12 p.m.
Men's Cross Country at Northland College Innite, Ashland, 10 a.m.
Women's Cross Country at Northland College Innite, Ashland, 11 a.m.
Football at UW-Eau Claire, 1 p.m.
Tennis at UW-Oshkosh, 10 a.m.

Monday, October 15 (Homecoming Week)
Volleyball at Hamline, 6 p.m.(JV)/7:30 p.m.(Varsity)

Tuesday, October 16
Soccer vs. UW-Stevens Point, 7 p.m.

Friday, October 19
Soccer vs. Carleton College, 7 p.m.
Women's Cross Country host Stout JV Triangular, 4 p.m.
Men's Cross Country host Stout JV Triangular, 5 p.m.
Volleyball vs. UW-Whitewater, 7 p.m.

Saturday, October 20
Volleyball vs. UW-Oshkosh, noon
Football vs. UW-River Falls, 1 p.m.

BLUE DEVILS BEGIN SECOND SEASON WITH PIONEERS

UW-Platteville Pioneers (1-2, 0-0) at UW-Stout Blue Devils (2-0, 0-0)

Saturday, Sept. 29, 6 p.m. • Don & Nona Williams Stadium or Nelson Field

ON THE LINE: It will have been 20 days in between games for UW-Stout as they open up defense of their 2000 conference title by hosting UW-Platteville. The Blue Devils' game with Willamette University, Sept. 15, was cancelled due to concern over air travel because of the terrorist actions out east. Stout had scheduled a bye Sept. 22 and now look forward to lining up against someone other than themselves. This is the third consecutive predominately passing team Stout has seen. The Blue Devils were ranked eighth in the Sept. 18 AFCA Division III poll.

LAST TIME OUT: Stout: The Blue Devil defense put up a stellar performance, recording seven sacks against Franklin College, Sept. 8, and recovering two fumbles - one for a touchdown - and two interceptions - again, one for a touchdown. Chuck Vander Linden's two sacks resulted in fumbles, and Abe Cruz returned one 11 yards for a score. Tony Beckham and Eric Moe each nabbed a pass. Luke Bundgaard scored from three yards to open the game, with the drive beginning after Vander Linden's first forced fumble. Luke Rykal blocked a punt, setting up Stout's second score, a 34-yard jaunt by quarterback Nick Ohman. Ben Tarkowski ended Stout's scoring with a 20 yard reception from Ohman. The Grizzlies added a score late in the third period. Stout tallied 318 total yards, 214 on the ground, 104 in the air. The Grizzlies had 265 total yards, 268 by pass, minus-3 on the ground.

Platteville: Pioneer receiver Jason Leonard caught 17 passes for 187 yards and quarterback Tom Stetzer was 33-for-69 for 364 yards, both school records, but it wasn't nearly enough as Platteville fell 51-13 in a non-conference game at Platteville, Sept. 22. The Pioneers racked up 400 total yards, but gave up 670-405 on the ground - as Stevens Point scored five second half TDs.

LAST YEAR: Stout and Platteville are members of the eight-team Wisconsin Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (WIAC) and are both affiliated with the NCAA Division III. Stout was 10-1 overall, 7-0 (first) in the WIAC, and completed an NCAA Division III record turnaround finish. The season ended with a 26-19 first round NCAA Division III playoff loss to eventual Division III runner-up St. John's. The Pioneers finished the season at 2-8 overall, 1-6 (tie for sixth) in the WIAC.

THE SERIES: This is the 45th meeting in a series that began in 1935 with a 25-7 Platteville win. The Pioneers put perhaps one of the biggest scares into the Blue Devils last season, taking 35-24 lead well into the fourth quarter before Stout racked up 19 points in the final nine minutes of the game to take a 43-35 win at Platteville. Luke Bundgaard ran wild for the Blue Devils, tying a school record when he scored four touchdowns, and snapped records for most rushes in a game (45) and most yards in a single game (335). The Pioneers passing game lit Stout up for 483 yards and racked up 465 total yards. Quarterback Tom Stetzer accounted for all of Platteville's throwing yardage, with Troy Gagner collecting seven passes for 190 yards and Jim Richardson pulling down five aerials for 167 yards. After Stout came to play, they finished the game with 524 total yards, 419 on the ground.

STOUT PLAYERS TO WATCH: RB Luke Bundgaard (So, Weyerhaeuser) 44 carries, 162 yds, 3.7 y/car, 2 TD; RB Eric Baker (Sr, Sarona) 4 car, 13 yds, 4.0 y/car, 6 rec, 108 yds, 1 TDs; QB Nick Ohman (Fr, Glenwood City) 19 att, 10 comp, 0 int, 166 yds, 2 TD, 83.0 y/game, 11 car, 79 yds, 7.2 y/car, 1 TD; DB Eric Moe (Jr, Hixton) 2 int for 88 yds, one TD, 13 tackles, 10 solo, 5 pass break ups; DB/WR Tony Beckham (Sr, Ocala, Fla) 12.5 tackles, 9 solo, 1.5 tackle for loss of 5 yd, one int for 35 yd, 2 pass break ups, 2 rec, 86 yds, 2 TD, 3 kickoff returns, 43 y/ret, 1 TD; DB Rob Weinstein (So, Racine) 12 tackles, 7 solo; Jamie Spielman (Jr, Menomonie) was injured in first game, 2000 stats-82 tackles, 37 solo, 23 tackles for losses of 75 yds, 5 sacks for 44 yds, 4 pass break up, 2 int for 35 yds; DB Kevin Dewey (So, Burnsville, Minn) 6 tackles, 2 solo, 0.5 sacks for 3 yd, 3 pass break ups; DB/WR Abraham Cruz (So, Alhambra, Calif) 8.5 tackles, 5 solo, 3 pass break ups, 1 fumble recovery for TD; Blue Devils avg 355.0 total ypg, 179.5 rushing, 175.5 passing; give up 285.0 total ypg, 6.0 rushing, 279.0 passing.

PLATTEVILLE PLAYERS TO WATCH: QB Tom Stetzer (So, Black River Falls) 108 att, 55 comp, 3 int, 698 yds, 232.7 y/game, 4 TDs; WR Jason Leonard (So, Hollandale) 28 rec, 309 yds, 11 y/rec, 103 y/game; WR Reggie Davis (Jr, Madison) 14 rec, 192 yds, 13.7 y/rec, 2 TD, 64 y/game; Matt Kent (So, Gratiot) 10 rec, 189 yds, 18.9 y/rec, 63 y/rec; DB Tony Lewis (Sr, Brodhead) 32 tackles, 20 solo, 2 pass break ups; DB Adam Lewis (So, Brodhead) 2 int for 54 yds, 1 TD; LB Scott Power (Fowler, Ind) 29 tackles, 14 solo; DL Andy Hulst (Fr, Cassville) 17 tackles, 10 solo, 1 tackle for loss for 6 yds; DL Shawn Busch (So, Cuba City) 9 tackles, 4 solo, 5 tackles for loss, 2 sacks for 10 yds; P Brad Abraham (Sr, Cedarburg) 11 punts for 446 yds, 40.5 y/punt, preseason All-America; Pioneers avg 356.7 total ypg, 41.3 rushing, 315.3 passing; give up 392.7 ypg, 249.3 rushing, 143.3 passing.

OFFENSIVE LOOK: Platteville: Pro-Spread; Stout: multi-pro. **DEFENSIVE LOOK:** Platteville: modified 50; Stout: 3-4

COACHES: Stout coach Ed Meierkort (38-45 career) is in his ninth year and has the most wins of any Stout football coach. Platteville coach Mike Emendorfer is in his third year (8-15).

STOUT COACH ED MEIERKORT SAYS: "(With the big break between games) this is almost like starting the season over. This will be like our first game, and we may make some first game mistakes. But, we have been able to work some things on offense and defense we may have not been able to. The break also gave us some time to heal

"We are back in the WIAC, and we need to play a physical game against Platteville. We will lean on them with our running game and try to knock their quarterback down. They will try to spread us out. Our defense has something to prove after last year. We were embarrassed by them last year, and our defense is waiting to redeem themselves. We watched the film several times, and we were really bad in that first half."

For up-to-date results and stats, check out the Blue Devil Athletic web site.

UP THIS WEEK!!!

FOOTBALL

The Blue Devils (2-0) finally get to play after three weeks off when they host UW-Platteville, hopefully on the new Don & Nona Williams Stadium, Saturday, Sept. 29. The game is also the annual Hall of Fame Game, and six former Blue Devil standouts will be announced at halftime. Stout was scheduled to host Willamette University, Sept. 15, but uncertainty in airports due to the terrorist attacks in New York and Washington, DC, led to the cancellation and Stout had a scheduled bye, Sept. 22. The Blue Devils were rated eighth in the Sept. 18 AFCA poll.

SOCCER

Stout (4-2-1, 1-0-0) will dive into the conference season on the road, traveling to UW-La Crosse, Tuesday, Sept. 25, at 4 p.m. and to UW-Oshkosh, Friday, Sept. 28 at 4 p.m. The Blue Devils have a non-conference game, Sunday, Sept. 30 at St. Scholastica. **Last week:** The Blue Devils downed UW-Superior, 6-1, Sept. 18 and took a 3-1 non-conference win over Northland College, Sept. 21. **Offensive player of the week:** Nellie Sivertsen, Jr, River Falls, Wis. **Defensive player of the week:** Desiree Nardini, So, White Bear Lake, Minn.

VOLLEYBALL

The Blue Devils (9-3, 1-0) will travel to UW-Superior, Wednesday, Sept. 26, then will be at the UW-Eau Claire Invitational, Sept. 28-29, where they are scheduled to face UW-Stevens Point and Viterbo University, Friday, and Lakehead and UW-Eau Claire, Saturday. **Last week:** The Blue Devils were perfect on the week, opening the conference season with a 3-0 win over Stevens Point, Sept. 21, and a sweep Sept. 22 at the St. Norbert Invitational, with a 3-0 win over Finlandia University and a 3-2 win over host St. Norbert. **Player of the week:** Brooke Palmer, Sr, Mantorville, Minn.

WOMEN'S CROSS COUNTRY

The Blue Devils will return to action Saturday, Sept. 29 when they travel to the Windy City to compete in the Loyola Lakefront Invitational in Chicago, Ill. **Last week:** The Blue Devils placed seventh at the St. Olaf Invitational, Sept. 22. **Runner of the week:** Terra Dahlheimer, Jr, St. Michael, Minn.

MEN'S CROSS COUNTRY

The Blue Devils will return to the cross country course Saturday, Sept. 29 when they compete in the Loyola Lakefront Invitational in Chicago, Ill. **Last week:** The Blue Devils placed second of 15 teams at the St. Olaf Invitational, Sept. 22. **Runner of the week:** Dave Huber, Jr, Mendota Heights, Minn.

WOMEN'S TENNIS

The Blue Devil will continue in their four-match homestand when they host Hamline University, Friday, Sept. 28 at 4 p.m. Last week: The Blue Devils dropped a 9-0 decision at UW-Eau Claire, Sept. 21, then were edged by UW-Stevens Point, 5-4, in their home opener, Sept. 22. **Singles player of the week:** Jill McDowell, Fr, Blaine, Minn; **Doubles players of the week:** Tammy Petcher, So, Marshfield, Wis/Tanya Petcher, So, Marshfield, Wis.

FRESHMAN COMBINATION GIVES STOUT GAME WINNING GOAL

SPRING VALLEY - UW-Stout soccer took their show on the road and came up with a 3-1 win over Northland College, in what was certainly the first collegiate soccer game played in Spring Valley, Friday, Sept. 21.

Poor field conditions kept the Blue Devils off Nelson Field, but Stout (4-2-1) did not need the home field advantage as they got the winning goal from **Krista Hight (Fr, Brookfield)** midway through the second half. **Carrie Schrank (Fr, Reedsburg)** assisted on the goal.

The two teams played to a scoreless first half as the fog carried across the field from the nearby lake.

Stout drew first blood when **Desiree Nardini (So, White Bear Lake, Minn)** took a pass from **Diane Ehlen (So, Bloomington, Minn)** and raced a good distance of the field to score 10 minutes into the second half. Anne White knotted the score for Northland (3-5) two minutes later.

It took 10 minutes for Stout to get Hight's go ahead and eventual game winner. **Nellie Sivertsen (Jr, River Falls)** gave the Blue Devils an insurance goal with 17 minutes left in the game, taking a corner kick from **Kate Knoespel (Jr, Green Bay)** and finding the back of the net.

Melissa Ballweg (Fr, Merrimac) recorded her first collegiate win, despite giving up a goal, while playing 40 minutes of the second half.

Stout returns to conference action Tuesday, Sept. 25 when they travel to UW-La Crosse, then head to UW-Oshkosh, Friday, Sept. 28.

BLUE DEVIL SOCCER OPENS CONFERENCE SEASON WITH A WIN

MENOMONIE - UW-Stout broke a three-game scoreless streak in a big way as they opened their conference season with a 6-1 win over UW-Superior, Tuesday, Sept. 18 at Nelson Field.

The Blue Devils, who have been off for more than a week, needed only 11 minutes to get on the board when **Desiree Nardini (So, White Bear Lake, Minn)** scored unassisted. Superior helped the Blue Devils' cause when they tipped a **Kristi Field (So, Bloomington, Minn)** shot into the net only minutes later.

Stout (3-2-1, 1-0) continued to strafe the Superior goal - they got off 20 shots on goal in the first half - as the Blue Devils' leading scorer, **Nellie Sivertsen (Jr, River Falls)** took assists from **Sarah Geiger (So, West Bend)** and Field with 17 minutes gone.

Superior (0-4) got on the board for the first time this season when Melissa Dreger scored at the 19 minute mark.

Stout answered back three minutes later when freshman **Krista Hight (Brookfield)** took well executed passes for **Rosa Cambray (So, Delavan)** and **Carrie Schrank (Fr, Reedsburg)**.

Field jumped out immediately in the second half, scoring unassisted with only a bit more than a minute off the clock. The Blue Devils finished off the scoring in the final minute of the game when Geiger put a header on a corner kick by **Kate Knoespel (Jr, Green Bay)**. Sivertsen's goal made her the all-time point scorer in Blue Devils history.

Stout outshot Superior 41-2. The Yellowjackets Ashley Nicholls stopped 28 shots on the night, while **Melissa Balweg (Fr, Merrimac)** got Stout's only save of the night in the second half.

STOUT POSTS BIG COMEBACK TO SWEEP ST. NORBERT GAMES

DE PERE - Comeback was the key term for the UW-Stout volleyball team as they won both matches at the St. Norbert College Invitational, Saturday, Sept. 22 in DePere. The Blue Devils put themselves in the hole early with host St. Norbert, dropping the first two games, 30-17, 30-22. But Stout bounced back to win the next two games by identical 30-23 scores. Stout (9-3) found themselves down by an 8-4 score in the fifth and deciding game, but came back to take a 16-14 decision. **Brooke Palmer (Sr, Mantorville, Minn)** led the way with 21 kills and **Kim Roshell (Sr, Cornell)** had 20. **Laura Bogenschutz (So, Baxter, Minn)** recorded 54 assists and **Rachel Eidet (Sr, North Mankato, Minn)** shoveled up 25 digs.

Comeback was never in the Blue Devils' vocabulary in the first match of the day, as coach Jill Jolliff emptied her bench and went on to down Finlandia University, 30-15, 3-17, 30-26. **Gretchen Schroer (So, Eau Claire)** had eight kills and **Lindsay Mensink (Fr, Ostrander, Minn)** had six kills as no Blue Devils played more than two games in the match. **Amanda Huber (Fr, St. Peter, Minn)** was the team's setter in two of the three games, racking up 25 assists. Huber, Eidet and defensive specialist **Sara Weflen (Sr, Jackson, Minn)** were named to the all-tournament team.

The Blue Devils will be at UW-Superior, Wednesday, Sept. 25 and at the UW-Eau Claire tournament Sept. 28-29.

STOUT'S TALL LUMBER LEADS TEAM TO WIN OVER POINTERS

MENOMONIE - UW-Stout's tall front line each found themselves in double digit kills as the Blue Devils volleyball team had a successful home and Wisconsin Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (WIAC) opener over UW-Stevens Point, Friday, Sept. 21 at Johnson Fieldhouse. The Blue Devils took the contest in three games, 30-16, 30-22, 30-28. **Rachel Eidet (Sr, North Mankato, Minn)** led the Blue Devils (7-3, 1-0) with 16 kills and added six assists and 15 digs. **Brooke Palmer (Sr, Mantorville, Minn)** finished with 12 kills and **Lindsay Mensink (Fr, Ostrander, Minn)** had 10 kills. All three are listed at 5-feet, 10-inches or taller. The Blue Devils kept the Pointers (2-5, 0-2) off balance for the first two games, but the Pointers did make things close in the third game, taking a 25-24 lead at one point. Stout tied the score at 28 and **Amanda Huber (Fr, St. Peter, Minn)** served the last two points. Stout ended up with 12 service aces. **Laura Bogenschutz (Fr, Baxter, Minn)** finished the game with 41 assists and added eight kills.

WOMEN'S CROSS COUNTRY FINISHES IN TOP HALF AT ST. OLAF

NORTHFIELD, Minn - Lacey Osuldsen (Fr, Ladysmith/Bruce) placed 14th to lead the UW-Stout women's cross country team to a seventh place out of 15 teams at the St. Olaf Invitational, Saturday, Sept. 21 in Northfield, Minn. Osuldsen finished in a pack of five runners who were separated by only five seconds as she clocked a time of 20-minutes, 15-seconds. **Amy Arndt (Jr, Lakefield, Minn)** placed 31st (20:44) and **Tracy Oostdyk (Fr, Spooner/Shell Lake)** was 32nd (20:47). **Meredith Nordberg (Jr, Bloomington, Minn)** was 45th (21:14). Concordia-Moorhead and St. Thomas tied for the team title.

The Blue Devils will be at the Loyola Lakefront Invitational, Saturday, Sept. 29 in Chicago, Ill.

St. Olaf Invitational

1. Concordia-Moorhead, St. Thomas (tie) 63; 3. St. Olaf 70; 4. Macalester 130; 5. Winona State 144; 6. Bethel 163; 7. UW-Stout 173; 8. Augsburg 214; 9. UW-Superior 217; 10. St. Mary's 267; 11. St. Cloud 321; 12. St. Catherine's 353; 13. Martin Luther 359; 14. Crown College 445; 15. Bethany Lutheran, incomplete team

Individual Results

(First place, all Stout finishers)

1. Katie Martin (Concordia-Moorhead) 18:56; 14. Lacey Osuldsen 20:15; 31. Amy Arndt 20:44; 32. Tracy Oostdyk 20:47; 45. Meredith Nordberg 21:14; 82. Terra Dahlheimer 21:58; 83. Nacole Ewerdt 21:58; 87. Jacki Rust 22:04; 97. Kersten Wilson 22:26; 105. Jenny Hopps 22:32; 106. Pam Gundrum 22:32; 120. Denise Hady 22:47; 148. Becky Werner 23:28; 152. Valori Schaffer 23:39; 168. Michelle Beckman 24:23; 175. Laura Rauh 24:39.

MEN'S CROSS COUNTRY PLACE SECOND AT ST. OLAF

NORTHFIELD, Minn - UW-Stout's Dave Huber (Jr, Mendota Heights, Minn) and **Ethan Webinger (Sr, La Crescent, Minn)** placed in the top 10 among attached runners and led the Blue Devils to a second place finish at the St. Olaf Invitational, Saturday, Sept. 22 in Northfield, Minn. Huber placed fourth in a time of 26-minutes, 38-seconds, while Webinger was seventh (26:43). Unattached runners took four of the top five finishes in the 166-runner field. As a team, the Blue Devils were beaten only by nationally ranked St. Olaf. The Oles collected 23 points with all seven of their runners in the top 10. Stout finished with 75 points. Freshman **Justin Graham (Apple Valley, Minn)** was 24th (27:59), **Alex Anderson (Sr, Faribault, Minn)** was 34th (28:15) and **Jason Kirch (Sr, Sauk City)** was 37th (28:23).

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St. Olaf Invitational

1. St. Olaf 23; 2. UW-Stout 75; 3. St. Thomas 108; 4. Augsburg 128; St. John's 164; 6. Bethel 171; 7. St. Mary's 206; 8. Macalester 213; 9. St. Cloud 219; 10. Martin Luther 261; 11. Winona State 319; 12. UW-Superior 332; 13. Crown College 369; 14. Bethany Lutheran 388; 15. Concordia-St. Paul, incomplete team

Individual Results

(First place, all UW-Stout finishers)

1. John Gurtin (unattached) 25:36; 4. Dave Huber 26:38; 7. Ethan Webinger 26:43; 24. Justin Graham 27:59; 34. Alex Anderson 28:15; 37. Jason Kirch 28:23; 47. Casey Otto 28:41; 55. Ryan Chernik 28:53; 60. Tim King 28:59; 73. John Ullrich 29:24; 89. Nate Lynch 29:39; 116. Derek Schmitz 30:41; 144. Matt Miller 33:09

BLUE DEVIL TENNIS EDGED BY STEVENS POINT

MENOMONIE - UW-Stevens Point took two of three doubles matches to edge past UW-Stout, 5-4, in Wisconsin Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (WIAC) action, Saturday, Sept. 22 at Menomonie.

The Blue Devils got a win at No. 1 doubles with the sister team of **Tammy Petcher (So, Marshfield)** and **Tanya Petcher (So, Marshfield)** picking up Stout's doubles win, 8-4 over Katie Pollock/Aimee Strebig.

The sisters didn't fare quite so well in singles, as Pollock dropped Tanya Petcher, 7-5, 6-2, at No. 1 singles, and Strebig downed Tammy Petcher, 6-3, 6-3, at No. 2 singles.

Stout did take the bottom three singles decisions, with **Jill McDowell (Fr, Blaine, Minn)** downing Gina Lamer at No. 3, 6-3, 5-7, 7-6 (7-4); **Tina Rodin (Fr, Champlin, Minn)** defeating Amber Wilkowski, 6-3, 6-3, at No. 4 singles and **Becky McNamara (Fr, New Richmond)** beating Tiffany Serpico, 7-5, 6-2.

The Blue Devils will host Hamline University, Friday, Sept. 28 at 4 p.m.

UW-Stevens Point 5, UW-Stout 4

Singles: No. 1: Katie Pollock (SP) def. Tanya Petcher, 7-5, 6-2; **No. 2:** Aimee Strebig (SP) def. Tammy Petcher, 6-3, 6-3; **No. 3:** Allison Mills (SP) def. Rachael Weber, 6-0, 6-0; **No. 4:** Jill McDowell (St) def. Gina Lamer, 6-3, 5-7, 7-6 (7-4); **No. 5:** Tina Rodin (St) def. Amber Wilkowski, 6-3, 6-3; **No. 6:** Becky McNamara (St) def. Tiffany Serpico, 7-5, 6-2; **Exh:** Dana Rozmenoski (St) def. Brenda Ambrosius, 8-6; Jana Braam (SP) def. Anne Ebert, 8-4.

Doubles: No. 1: Petcher/Petcher (St) def. Pollock/Strebig, 8-4; **No. 2:** Rachel Ferge (SP) def. McDowell/McNamara, 8-2; **No. 3:** Jana Braam/Kim Gorin (SP) def. Lara Monk/Beth Laskaski, 8-0; **Exh:** Wilkowski/Ambrosius (SP) def. Rozmenoski/Ebert, 8-3; Weber/Rodin (St) def. Lamer/Serpico, 8-6.

BLUE DEVILS DROP OPENER TO CONFERENCE CHAMPION EAU CLAIRE

EAU CLAIRE - UW-Eau Claire downed UW-Stout in the Blue Devils' season opener, 9-0, Friday, Sept. 21 at Eau Claire. Eau Claire is the defending Wisconsin Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (WIAC) champion and advanced to the NCAA Division III quarterfinals last spring.

Despite the blanking, coach Luther Olson was pleased with the play of his young team. "It was good match to start out with," the first year coach said. "It was good for us to see the competition. I thought everybody played well."

Dana Rozmenoski (Sr, Black River Falls) took her opponent to three sets, coming back from a 6-2 opening set loss to notch a 6-2 win. She fell, 6-0 in the final set.

The Blue Devils will host UW-Stevens Point, Saturday, Sept. 22 at 10:30 a.m.

UW-Eau Claire 9, UW-Stout 0

Singles: No. 1: Allison Hover (EC) def. Tanya Petcher, 6-1, 6-0; **No. 2:** Jennie Stafford (EC) def. Rachael Weber, 6-0, 6-0; **No. 3:** Megan Tauer (EC) def. Jill McDowell, 6-0, 6-0; **No. 4:** Tara Anderson (EC) def. Tina Rodin, 6-1, 6-2; **No. 5:** Becky Hollinger (EC) def. Dana Rozmenoski, 6-2, 2-6, 6-0; **No. 6:** Lindsay Lee (EC) def. Anna Ebert, 6-0, 6-2; **Exh:** Becky McNamara lost, 10-2.

Doubles: No. 1: Hover/Stafford (EC) def. Tammy Petcher/Weber, 8-0; **No. 2:** Tauer/Anderson (EC) def. McDowell/Becky McNamara, 8-2; **No. 3:** Molly Cadwell/Melissa Huppert (EC) def. Lora Monk/Beth Laskaski, 8-0; **Exh:** Ebert/Rozmenoski won, 8-5; Monk/Laskaski lost, 10-2.

Volleyball
Record: 9-3, 1-0

Date / Opponent / Time or Result

Fri., Aug. 31 / at UW-River Falls Tournament
vs. St. Olaf, L 3-0
vs. Upper Iowa, W 3-0

Sat., Sept. 1 / at UW-River Falls Tournament
vs. Luther, W 3-0
vs. Marian College, W 3-1

Tues., Sept. 4 / at Macalester College / W 3-0

Fri., Sept. 7 / at Ohio Northern Tournament
vs. Muskingum, W 3-0
vs. Mount St. Joseph, L 3-0

Sat., Sept. 8 / at Ohio Northern Tournament
vs. Allegheny, W 3-0
vs. Thomas More, L 3-0

Fri., Sept. 21 / UW-Stevens Point* / W 3-0

Sat., Sept. 22 / at St. Norbert Invitational
vs. Finlandia, W 3-0
vs. St. Norbert, W 3-2

Wed., Sept. 26 / at UW-Superior* / 7 p.m.

Fri., Sept. 28 / at UW-Eau Claire Tournament
vs. UW-Stevens Point, 6 p.m.
vs. Viterbo, 8 p.m.

Sat., Sept. 29 / at UW-Eau Claire Tournament
vs. Lakehead, 1 p.m.
vs. UW-Eau Claire, 3 p.m.

Wed., Oct. 3 / UW-Eau Claire* / 7 p.m.

Fri., Oct. 5 / at UW-La Crosse* / 7 p.m.

Sat., Oct. 6 / at UW-Platteville* / 10 a.m./Noon

Wed., Oct. 10 / at UW-River Falls* / 7 p.m.

Sat., Oct. 13 / Gustavus Adolphus / Noon

Mon., Oct. 15 / at Hamline / 5/7-30 p.m.

Fri., Oct. 19 / UW-Whitewater* / 7 p.m.

Sat., Oct. 20 / UW-Oshkosh* / Noon

Mon., Oct. 22 / at Viterbo / 7 p.m.

Oct. 26-27 / at UW-River Falls Tournament / TBA
w/UW-EC, UW-RF, Augustana-III, Aurora,
St. Scholastica, Hamline

Tues., Oct. 30 / WIAC Quarterfinals / 7 p.m.

Nov. 2-3 / WIAC Finals / TBA

Nov. 9-10 / NCAA Division III First Round / TBA

*denotes WIAC game

Soccer
Record: 4-2-1, 1-0

Date / Opponent / Time or Result

Fri., Aug. 31 / Bethel College / W 2-0

Sat., Sept. 1 / at Martin Luther / W 5-0

Tues., Sept. 4 / St. Thomas / L 3-0

Sat., Sept. 8 / Aurora, Ill. / T 0-0 (20T)

Sun., Sept. 9 / Washington, Mo. / L 7-0

Sat., Sept. 15 / at UW-Whitewater* / p.p.d

Tues., Sept. 18 / UW-Superior* / W 6-1

Fri., Sept. 21 / Northland College / W 3-1

Tues., Sept. 25 / at UW-La Crosse* / 4 p.m.

Fri., Sept. 28 / at UW-Oshkosh* / 4 p.m.

Sun., Sept. 30 / at St. Scholastica / 1 p.m.

Tues., Oct. 2 / at UW-River Falls* / 4 p.m.

Fri., Oct. 5 / UW-Platteville* / 7 p.m.

Sun., Oct. 7 / vs. Wis. Lutheran / 1 p.m.

Tues., Oct. 9 / Viterbo University / 7 p.m.

Thurs., Oct. 11 / UW-Eau Claire* / 7 p.m.

Sat., Oct. 13 / at St. Mary's / 3 p.m.

Tues., Oct. 16 / UW-Stevens Point* / 7 p.m.

Fri., Oct. 19 / Carleton College / 7 p.m.

Tues., Oct. 23 / WIAC Quarterfinals / 3 p.m.

Fri., Oct. 26 / WIAC Semi-Finals / TBA

Sat., Oct. 27 / WIAC Championships / TBA

Wed., Oct. 31 / NCAA DIII First Round / TBA

*denotes WIAC game

Men's Cross Country

Date / Meet / Time or Result

Sat., Sept. 8 / at Luther All-American Invite / 9th of 14
Decorah, Iowa

Sat., Sept. 22 / at St. Olaf Invitational / 2nd of 15
Northfield, Minn.

Sat., Sept. 29 / Loyola Lakefront Invitational / 11 a.m.
Chicago, Ill.

Fri., Oct. 5 / at Midwest Short-Long Course / 5 p.m.
Colfax, Wis.

Sat., Oct. 13 / at Northland College Invitational / Noon
Ashland, Wis.

Fri., Oct. 19 / UW-Eau Claire Dual (IV) / 5 p.m.

Sat., Oct. 27 / at WIAC Championships / Noon
Colfax, Wis.

Sat., Nov. 10 / at NCAA Division III Regionals / Noon
Rock Island, Ill. - Augustana College hosts

Sat., Nov. 17 / at NCAA Division III Championships / Noon
Rock Island, Ill. - Augustana College hosts

Women's Cross Country

Date / Meet / Time or Results

Sat., Sept. 8 / at Luther All-American Invite / 10th of 16
Decorah, Iowa

Sat., Sept. 22 / at St. Olaf Invitational / 7th of 15
Northfield, Minn.

Sat., Sept. 29 / Loyola Lakefront Invitational / 10 a.m.
Chicago, Ill.

Fri., Oct. 5 / at Midwest Short/Long Course / 4 p.m.
Colfax, Wis.

Sat., Oct. 13 / at Northland College Invitational / 11 a.m.
Ashland, Wis.

Fri., Oct. 19 / JV meet w/UW-LX, UW-EC / 4 p.m.

Sat., Oct. 27 / at WIAC Championships / 11 a.m.
Colfax, Wis.

Sat., Nov. 10 / at NCAA Division III Regionals / 11 a.m.
Rock Island, Ill. - Augustana College hosts

Sat., Nov. 17 / at NCAA Division III Championships / 11 a.m.
Rock Island, Ill. - Augustana College hosts

Football
Record: 2-0, 0-0

Date / Opponent / Time or Result

Fri., Aug. 31 / Lakeland College / W 48-24

Sat., Sept. 8 / at Franklin College / W 27-7

Sat., Sept. 15 / Willamette, Ore. / cancelled

Sat., Sept. 29 / UW-Platteville* / 6 p.m.

Sat., Oct. 6 / at UW-Oshkosh* / 1:30 p.m.

Sat., Oct. 13 / at UW-Eau Claire* / 1 p.m.

Sat., Oct. 20 / UW-River Falls* / 1 p.m.
(Homecoming)

Sat., Oct. 27 / at UW-Stevens Point* / 1 p.m.

Sat., Nov. 3 / UW-Whitewater* / 1 p.m.

Sat., Nov. 10 / at UW-La Crosse* / 1 p.m.

*denotes WIAC game

Tennis
Record: 0-0, 0-0

Date / Opponent / Time or Results

Fri., Sept. 21 / at UW-Eau Claire* / L 9-0

Sat., Sept. 22 / UW-Stevens Point* / L 5-4

Fri., Sept. 28 / Hamline University / 4 p.m.

Sat., Oct. 6 / UW-La Crosse* / 9 a.m.

Tues., Oct. 9 / UW-River Falls* / 4 p.m.

Fri., Oct. 12 / at UW-Whitewater* / 3 p.m.

Sat., Oct. 13 / at UW-Oshkosh* / 10 a.m.

Oct. 20-21 / at WIAC Championships / TBA
at Madison, Wis.

*denotes WIAC match