



SPORTS INFORMATION

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Ichabod Baseball **17-13, 6-5 MIAA**

F22	vs Nebraska-Kearney	L 4-14
F22	at Fort Hays State	L 4-14
F29	WAYNE STATE (NEB.)	W 1-0
F29	WAYNE STATE (NEB.)	L 0-2
M7	NORTH DAKOTA	W 11-7
M7	NORTH DAKOTA	W 6-5
M8	NORTH DAKOTA	L 9-17
M8	NORTH DAKOTA	L 4-17
M10	FORT HAYS STATE	W 7-3
M10	FORT HAYS STATE	L 3-19
M14	MINN.-CROOKSTON	W 9-4
M14	MINN.-CROOKSTON	W 14-4
M15	MINN.-CROOKSTON	W 10-5
M15	MINN.-CROOKSTON	W 17-2
M20	SOUTH DAKOTA STATE	W 9-5
M20	SOUTH DAKOTA STATE	W 10-4
M21	TRUMAN STATE*	W 6-1
M21	TRUMAN STATE*	L 6-9
M23	at Rockhurst	L 7-8
M23	at Rockhurst	L 8-9 (9)
M24	BAKER	W 14-4
M28	MISSOURI WESTERN*	L 10-16
M28	MISSOURI WESTERN*	L 1-13
M29	EMPORIA STATE*	L 5-9
M29	EMPORIA STATE*	W 7-2
A1	at Truman State*	W 8-3
A1	at Truman State*	L 5-1
A2	at Missouri-Rolla*	W 8-2
A3	at Missouri-Rolla*	W 14-11
A3	at Missouri-Rolla*	W 11-4
A6	NORTHWEST MO ST.* 3 P.M.(2-7)	
A9	at Southwest Baptist* 1 P.M. (1-9, 1-7)	
A10	at Southwest Baptist* 12 p.m. (1-9)	
A13	at Emporia State* 3 p.m. (2-7)	
A16	MO SOUTHERN* 4 P.M.(1-9,1-7)	
A17	MO SOUTHERN* 12 P.M. (1-9)	
A20	at Missouri Western* 3 p.m. (2-7)	
A23	CENTRAL MO ST. 5 P.M. (1-9)	
A24	CENTRAL MO ST* 1 P.M. (1-9, 1-7)	
A28	at Northwest Mo. St.* 1 p.m. (2-7)	
A30	at Pittsburg State* 7 p.m. (1-9)	
M1	at Pittsburg State* 1 p.m. (1-9, 1-7)	
M 7-9	MIAA Championships	
TBA		

* = Conference game

() extra inning game

Washburn Baseball

Ichabods host Northwest Missouri State in key MIAA doubleheader:

The Washburn baseball team will host Northwest Missouri State for a doubleheader 3 p.m. at Falley Field Tuesday afternoon. Washburn is 17-13 and 6-5 in the MIAA, while Northwest Missouri State is 21-12 and 7-6 in the MIAA.

The teams are in a three-way tie for fourth in the MIAA with Pittsburg State. Washburn has a slight lead by percentage with one fewer win and loss than the Bearcats and Gorillas. The top four teams earn an MIAA Tournament berth.

Coaches: Washburn coach Steve Anson is 615-516-3 in 25 seasons at Washburn and is 638-538-3 in 26 seasons overall. He is 20th among Division II active coaches in victories and is one of only 22 coaches with 600 wins in Division II.

Darin Loe is in his fifth season at Northwest, posting a 130-116 record. He is 286-250 overall in 11 seasons of coaching.

Last time out: ROLLA, Mo. - The Washburn baseball team completed a three-game sweep at Missouri-Rolla with a 14-11 win and 11-4 win in a Saturday doubleheader at the UMR Baseball Field. Dustin Stos went seven strong innings in game one, giving up three runs on eight hits. Mike Koontz and Brian Martinek each went 3-for-5. Martinek hit his second career homer, while Jesse Schmidt went 2-for-3 with 4 RBI and a 3-run homer. The Ichabods cruised to an 11-4 win in game two after scoring 10 runs in the first inning. Jerad Head had two home runs in the nightcap, while Matt Deutsch got his first win of the season, going five innings.

Hit parade: Three members of Washburn's starting lineup are above .400, led by Mike Koontz's .456 batting average. Six others that start for the Ichabods are above .300. The Ichabods are hitting .356 as a team. Washburn is well above their .333 mark in 1986, which was the highest in team history. J.P. Wright led the team with a .421 average in 1986.

Rice back in Ichabod rotation after solid start: Senior Blake Rice is back in the Ichabod pitching rotation after missing over a month with an injury. Rice went the distance to pick up an 8-3 win over Truman State Thursday. It was Rice's first outing since leaving the season opener Feb. 22 against Nebraska-Kearney with an injury.

Koontz among WU's best ever in batting average: Senior third baseman Mike Koontz is on pace to be among the all-time best in single season batting average for the Ichabods. Koontz has a team-high 41 hits in 90 at-bats to bat

ICHABODS BASEBALL

2004 Ichabods

2	Jake Loveless	P
3	Jerad Head	SS
4	Cameron Clurman	OF
7	Michael Hammersmith	2B/SS
8	Mike Koontz	3B
10	Brent Wachtler	OF
11	David Nimz	P
12	Jeremy Oakes	IF
14	Sam Sissom	OF/IF
16	Matt Ryan	OF
17	Doug Wilson	OF
18	Kenny Howard	P
20	Randy Wild	1B/P
21	Nathan Soltice	C
22	Dan Newton	OF
23	Nolan Deitrich	2B/SS
24	Dustin Stos	P
25	Steve DeForest	2B
26	Brett Starbuck	OF
27	Brian Martinek	C
28	Robert Raines	P
30	Sam Keim	P
31	Keith Barkemeyer	P
32	Adam Fenema	P
33	Wade Heim	2B
34	Jeff LaCerte	P
35	Doug Reorda	3B
36	Jesse Schmidt	1B
37	Tyler Frazee	P
39	Jake Lenherr	P
40	Matt Deutsch	P
41	Josh Witte	P
42	Kyle Loschke	P
45	Blake Rice	P

Coaches

19	Steve Anson
5	Kent Becker
9	Troy St. Clair

Breakdown by Class

Seniors (8)

4	Cameron Clurman
11	David Nimz
16	Michael Koontz
22	Dan Newton
26	Brett Starbuck
40	Matt Deutsch
41	Josh Witte
45	Blake Rice

Juniors (7)

12	Jeremy Oakes
17	Doug Wilson
18	Kenny Howard
21	Nathan Soltice
23	Nolan Deitrich
24	Dustin Stos
28	Robert Raines

Sophomores (9)

3	Jerad Head
7	Michael Hammersmith
10	Brent Wachtler
14	Sam Sissom
25	Steve DeForest
32	Adam Fennema
36	Jesse Schmidt
39	Jake Lenherr
42	Kyle Loschke

Freshman (10)

2	Jake Loveless
16	Matt Ryan
20	Randy Wild
27	Brian Martinek
30	Sam Keim
31	Keith Barkemeyer
33	Wade Heim
34	Jeff LaCerte
35	Doug Reorda
37	Tyler Frazee

a team-high .456 in 28 games this season. His current mark would be fourth in team history. J.P. Wright's .483 batting average in 1988 was the best in school history.

Smooth Criminals: The Ichabods have successfully stolen 72 of 86 bases in the first 28 games this season. Sam Sissom has stolen 17 bases in 18 attempts, while Jerad Head was stolen 16 bases without being caught. Cameron Clurman is eighth on the all-time charts in stolen bases with 47 and has swiped six bases in eight tries this season.

the series: Northwest Missouri State leads the all-time series 34-26 after winning three of four meetings last season. Kyle Williams tossed a six-hit shutout in Washburn's 2-0 win over the Bearcats April 29 last season.

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probable Washburn starters and lineup:

4	Cameron Clurman	SR	LF	.405, 34 H, 20 R, 18 RBI
14	Sam Sissom	SO	CF	.320, 32 H, 33 R, 17-18 SB
3	Jerad Head	SO	SS	.419, 26 H, 23 R, 16-16 SB
36	Jesse Schmidt	SO	1B	.373, 25 H, 23 RBI, 4 HR
8	Mike Koontz	SR	3B	.456, 41 H, 8 2B, 20 RBI
12	Jeremy Oakes	JR	DH	.375, 6 H, 1 HR
27	Brian Martinek	FR	C	.411, 30 H, 9 2B, 19 R, 24 RBI
7	Michael Hammersmith	SO	2B	.345, 29 H, 21 R, 19 RBI, 6 2B
16	Matt Ryan	FR	RF	.222, 4 H, 3 2B, 5 R

Pitchers

45	Blake Rice*	SR	RHP	1-0, 0.00 ERA, 9.1 IP, 6 K
2	Jake Loveless*	FR	RHP	3-0, 3.32 ERA, 19.0 IP, 20 K

*Probable Starters

MIAA STANDINGS (AS OF APRIL 5)

	MIAA				OVERALL			
	W	L	T	Pct.	W	L	T	Pct.
Central Missouri (1)	9	3	0	.750	28	4	0	.875
Missouri Western (18)	8	3	0	.727	24	7	0	.774
Emporia State	9	6	0	.600	23	12	0	.657
Washburn	6	5	0	.545	17	13	0	.567
Northwest Missouri (T30)	7	6	0	.538	21	12	0	.636
Pittsburg State	7	6	0	.538	23	15	0	.605
Missouri Southern	4	8	0	.333	14	19	0	.424
Missouri-Rolla	4	9	0	.308	9	22	0	.290
Truman State	4	9	0	.308	4	19	0	.174
Southwest Baptist	2	5	0	.286	13	19	0	.406

Collegiate Baseball Division II Poll ranking in parenthesis.

2004 Ichabods

	W	L	T	PCT
Total	17	13	0	.567
Conference	6	5	0	.545
Non-Conf	11	8	0	.579
Home	13	8	0	.619
Away	4	4	0	.500
Neutral	0	1	0	.000
Day	17	13	0	.567
Night	0	0	0	.000
vs Left	2	3	0	.400
vs Right	15	10	0	.600
1-Run games	2	2	0	.500
2-Run games	0	1	0	.000
5+Run games	11	7	0	.611
Extra inns	0	2	0	.000
Shutouts	1	1	0	.500

Hitting Streaks Longest Current

14 Sam Sissom	10	10
3 Jerad Head	10	5
4 Cameron Clurman	10	3
27 Brian Martinek	9	3
8 Mike Koontz	8	5
7 Michael Hammersmith	8	2
36 Jesse Schmidt	7	3
25 Steve DeForest	6	-
10 Brent Wachtler	5	-
22 Dan Newton	4	-
20 Randy Wild	4	-
12 Jeremy Oakes	3	-
26 Brett Starbuck	3	-
17 Doug Wilson	3	-
23 Nolan Deitrich	2	-
21 Nathan Soltice	2	1
35 Doug Reorda	1	-
33 Wade Heim	1	-

Multiple Hit Games 2 3 4 5+ Tot

8 Mike Koontz	9	1	2	-	12
4 Cameron Clurman	7	3	-	-	10
27 Brian Martinek	8	2	-	-	10
3 Jerad Head	8	1	-	-	9
14 Sam Sissom	8	1	-	-	9
36 Jesse Schmidt	7	1	-	-	8
7 M. Hammersmith	5	1	-	-	6
20 Randy Wild	3	1	1	-	5
17 Doug Wilson	2	1	-	-	3
10 Brent Wachler	2	-	-	-	2
23 Nolan Deitrich	2	-	-	-	2
25 Steve DeForest	2	-	-	-	2
22 Dan Newton	2	-	-	-	2
21 Nathan Soltice	1	-	-	-	1
26 Brett Starbuck	1	-	-	-	1
35 Doug Reorda	1	-	-	-	1
12 Jeremy Oakes	1	-	-	-	1
16 Matt Ryan	1	-	-	-	1

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Multiple RBI Games 2 3 4 5+ Tot

Brian Martinek	4	2	1	-	7
Jerad Head	4	1	1	-	6
Jesse Schmidt	1	-	2	1	4
Sam Sissom	4	-	-	-	4
Mike Koontz	3	-	1	-	4
Cameron Clurman	2	-	1	-	3
Brent Wachtler	3	-	-	-	3
Doug Wilson	3	-	-	-	3
Michael Hammersmith	1	2	-	-	3
Dan Newton	3	-	-	-	3
Brett Starbuck	1	1	-	-	2
Randy Wild	1	1	-	-	2
Jeremy Oakes	1	-	-	-	1
Nathan Soltice	1	-	-	-	1
Steve DeForest	1	-	-	-	1

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TEAM GAME HIGHS

Batting

At bats: 37 - vs Missouri-Rolla (Apr 3, 2004)
Runs scored: 17 - vs Minnesota-Crookston (Mar 15, 2004)
Hits: 17 - vs Baker University (Mar 24, 2004)
RBIs: 15 - vs Minnesota-Crookston (Mar 15, 2004)
Doubles: 6 - vs North Dakota (Mar 07, 2004)
Triples: 2 - vs North Dakota (Mar 07, 2004)
2 - vs Truman State (Mar 21, 2004)
2 - vs Baker University (Mar 24, 2004)
Home runs: 3 - vs Emporia State (Mar 29, 2004)
Total bases: 25 - vs North Dakota (Mar 07, 2004)
Walks: 13 - vs Missouri-Rolla (Apr 3, 2004)
Strikeouts: 10 - vs North Dakota (Mar 08, 2004)
Sac hits: 2 - vs Truman State (Mar 21, 2004)
2 - vs Rockhurst (Mar 23, 2004)
Sac flies: 3 - vs Missouri-Rolla (Apr 3, 2004)
Stolen bases: 8 - vs Missouri-Rolla (Apr 2, 2004)
Hit by pitch: 4 - vs South Dakota State (Mar 20, 2004)
Caught stealing: 2 - vs North Dakota (Mar 07, 2004)
2 - vs South Dakota State (Mar 20, 2004)
2 - vs Missouri-Rolla (Apr 3, 2004)
Runners LOB: 14 - vs Missouri-Rolla (Apr 3, 2004)
Hit into DP: 2 - vs North Dakota (Mar 08, 2004)
2 - vs Missouri-Rolla (Apr 3, 2004)

Fielding

Putouts: 27 - vs Missouri-Rolla (Apr 2, 2004)
27 - vs Missouri-Rolla (Apr 3, 2004)
Assists: 15 - vs Missouri-Rolla (Apr 3, 2004)
Errors: 3 - (7 games)
Passed balls: 2 - vs Emporia State (Mar 29, 2004)
DPs turned: 3 - vs North Dakota (Mar 08, 2004)
3 - vs Truman (Apr 01, 2004)

Pitching

Innings pitched: 9.0 - vs Missouri-Rolla (Apr 2, 2004)
9.0 - vs Missouri-Rolla (Apr 3, 2004)
Strikeouts: 13 - vs Minnesota-Crookston (Mar 15, 2004)
Hits allowed: 1 - vs Wayne State College (Feb 27, 2004)
Wild pitches: 4 - vs Fort Hays State (Feb 22, 2004)
Hit batters: 4 - vs Nebraska-Kearney (Feb 22, 2004)

INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

Batting

At bats: 6 - Hammersmith,Michael vs Missouri-Rolla (Apr 3, 2004)
Runs scored: 4 - Head,Jerad vs Baker University (Mar 24, 2004)
Hits: 4 - Wild,Randy vs Minnesota-Crookston (Mar 15, 2004)
4 - Koontz,Mike vs South Dakota State (Mar 20, 2004)
4 - Koontz,Mike vs Baker University (Mar 24, 2004)
RBIs: 5 - Schmidt,Jesse vs Truman (Apr 01, 2004)
Doubles: 2 - (4 games)
Triples: 1 - (13 games)
Home runs: 2 - Hammersmith,Michael vs Rockhurst (Mar 23, 2004)
2 - Head,Jerad vs Missouri-Rolla (Apr 3, 2004)
Total bases: 9 - Head,Jerad vs Missouri-Rolla (Apr 3, 2004)
Walks: 3 - Schmidt,Jesse vs Missouri-Rolla (Apr 3, 2004)
Strikeouts: 3 - (5 games)
Sac hits: 1 - (16 games)
Sac flies: 1 - (17 games)
Stolen bases: 3 - Head,Jerad vs Baker University (Mar 24, 2004)
3 - Head,Jerad vs Missouri-Rolla (Apr 3, 2004)
Hit by pitch: 2 - Wachtler,Brent vs Baker University (Mar 24, 2004)
2 - Hammersmith,Michael vs Emporia State (Mar 29, 2004)
2 - Ryan,Matt vs Missouri-Rolla (Apr 3, 2004)
Caught stealing: 1 - (14 games)

Runners LOB: 6 - Sissom,Sam vs Minnesota-Crookston (Mar 14, 2004)

Fielding

Putouts: 13 - Soltice,Nathan vs Minnesota-Crookston (Mar 15, 2004)
Assists: 6 - Hammersmith,Michael vs South Dakota State (Mar 20, 2004)
6 - Head,Jerad vs Truman (Apr 01, 2004)
Errors: 3 - Hammersmith,Michael vs North Dakota (Mar 08, 2004)
Passed balls: 2 - Martinek,Brian vs Emporia State (Mar 29, 2004)

Pitching

Innings pitched: 8.0 - Lenherr,Jake vs Missouri-Rolla (Apr 2, 2004)
Strikeouts: 8 - Lenherr,Jake vs North Dakota (Mar 07, 2004)
8 - Loveless,Jake vs Minnesota-Crookston (Mar 15, 2004)
Wild pitches: 2 - (5 games)
Hit batters: 3 - Stos,Dustin vs South Dakota State (Mar 20, 2004)