



## Financial Aid Checklist

### Regular Admissions

#### Candidates:

- January 1—Application deadline
- February 1—Mail the completed Profile to assure full consideration for aid.
- February 1—Mail FAFSA.
- March 1—Mail applicable supplemental forms.
- March 15—Mail signed copies of prior year federal tax returns along with schedules and W-2s for student and parent(s).

#### Early Decision Candidates:

- Submit completed Profile and supplemental forms as early as November 1 but no later than two weeks after filing admissions application. Prior year tax returns and W-2s are required for initial determination of need.
- February 15—Early Decision date
- Follow other steps as above.

#### January Transfer Students:

- November 1—Submit FAFSA, profile, copies of prior year federal tax returns, schedules, and W-2s for student and parent(s), and applicable supplemental forms.

#### September Transfer Students:

- May 1—FAFSA, profile, copies of prior year federal tax returns, schedules, and W-2s for student and parent(s), and supplemental forms.

## The Lafayette Experience

Lafayette is a place of academic excellence and opportunity, where every student can realize his or her full potential. Four years of The Lafayette Experience means discovery both in and out of the classroom, through student-centered, active-learning that combines the highest academic standards with diverse extracurricular programs. Lafayette graduates are prepared for success and leadership from one of the nation's most academically competitive and respected institutions.

### The Lafayette Experience consists of four key elements:

#### ■ Student-focused teaching and mentoring by an exceptionally qualified faculty, committed to each student's success.

Student-focused teaching, mentoring, and academic excellence are the top priorities of the faculty at Lafayette. Undergraduate research, directed by fully involved and supportive faculty, is a priority and a key component in the primary teaching mission. Lafayette's faculty make deep professional and personal commitments to the success of their students in relationships that can last a lifetime. Faculty members hold the Ph.D. or highest equivalent degree in their field.

#### ■ A challenging, broad-based academic curriculum that offers strong programs in the arts, sciences, and engineering.

Lafayette's approach to teaching and learning goes well beyond traditional classroom methods. Through active-learning experiences in small-group seminars, student-centered team projects, independent study, and student/faculty research, students have the opportunity to cross academic boundaries in the arts and sciences and engineering. Students study abroad, participate in work/study experiential learning opportunities, and hold externships with alumni and internships in government, industry and many other fields.

#### ■ A small college community with large college resources.

Major financial resources make superb facilities and exceptional academic programs available to all students. Lafayette's close-knit residential campus, which is consistently referred to as one of the most beautiful in the nation, creates an atmosphere conducive to learning and achieving one's goals. Also integral to The Lafayette Experience is the strong support the College receives from its global network of loyal alumni.

#### ■ A friendly residential community offering an exciting social life with a broad spectrum of extracurricular activities.

Whether you are a campus visitor or a member of the Lafayette family, friendliness and civility characterize the campus scene. Lafayette's diverse student body provides an enriching social and cultural experience. With more than 200 student groups and special activities, students can explore new areas of interest and numerous opportunities for leadership and personal growth, including participation in 23 Division I intercollegiate sports as well as intramurals, a variety of on-campus cultural enrichment programs, a broad range of living groups marked by special-interests, and fraternities and sororities.

*The Lafayette Experience allows students to take advantage of unique opportunities to prepare for a rewarding future in one of the nation's most academically challenging environments. It is an experience that starts here and lasts a lifetime.*



### How to get to Metzgar Fields Athletic Complex

To reach Metzgar Fields from campus, take Cattell St. (one block east of campus) north as it winds around and turns into Sullivan Trail. The fields are located on Sullivan Trail on the left side of the road with a parking lot inside the main gate.

From Route 33, get off at the Stockertown exit onto Main St. Take Main St. eastward as it turns into Sullivan Trail. Metzgar Fields are located on the right side of Sullivan Trail, about 2.5 miles from the Stockertown exit.

## Facilities

### Class of 1978 Stadium

Lafayette's baseball program practices and plays all of its games at the Class of 1978 Stadium at the Metzgar Athletic Campus in Forks Township, Pa. Recent renovations have drastically improved the site and have turned it into one of the top baseball facilities in the Patriot League.

Prior to the 2003 season, the baseball facilities underwent significant changes. A 500-seat grandstand, with chair back seating, was added behind home plate. A press box, equipped with a permanently installed public address system and phone lines for television, radio and newspaper use and uploading of live stats, sits atop the new grandstand. A new backstop with netting has been attached to the bleacher seating. The existing team dugouts have been extended by 20 feet and were completely refurbished, adding on field storage.

The recent upgrades followed other significant additions completed prior to the 2002 season. A state of the art scoreboard was installed behind the leftfield fence. The fence, itself, was also replaced with an eight-foot fence with maroon slats that adds a professional look to the field. A 15-foot crushed stone warning track now lines the outfield fence and helps define the new dimensions, 332 down the leftfield line, 403 to straight-away center and 335 down the rightfield line. The field also features permanent batting cages and four regulations bullpens, including a home bullpen shelter that was added down the third base line in 2004. Additionally, a new soil mix installed prior to the 2001 season has vastly improved the playing surface for infielders.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilton "Dutch" Rahn '51, the family and classmates of John McCombs '68 and a large anonymous donation have made all of the improvements possible.

Another recent anonymous donation given to honor Rahn will see the playing surface named Hilton Rahn Field.

### Metzgar Athletic Campus

The Metzgar Athletic Campus is located three miles northwest of the College Hill campus. The Class of 1978 Stadium is part of an 80-acre facility that also contains playing surfaces for all of the school's outdoor sports. The site has hosted a number of NCAA, Patriot League and ECAC championship contests in recent years. The Herb McCracken Field House contains locker room and storage facilities, plus an air-conditioned training room with whirlpools and rehabilitative equipment.

### Rappolt Field/Astro Turf Surface

All of Lafayette's field sports have immediately benefited from the construction of Rappolt field, an all-weather Astro Turf XL12 surface. The baseball program uses the artificial surface at various times during the year for infield and outfield drills. Construction was made possible by a gift from College trustee, Bill Rappolt '67 and his wife, Pam.

### Allan P. Kirby Sports Center

Dedicated in 2000, the \$35 million Allan P. Kirby Sports Center gives Lafayette one of the finest athletic complexes of its size in the country. It includes a new, 110,000-square foot intramural and recreational sports facility attached to the previously existing Kirby Field House. The field house itself received a \$2.5 million facelift and interior renovation.

The baseball team uses the field house for preseason practice during the winter months, taking advantage of the spacious practice area that is equipped with batting cages and pitching mounds.

The new portion of the center, featuring a distinctive atrium overlooking Fisher Field, includes Kamine Gymnasium, which includes three 50-by-84-foot courts for basketball and other sports and an elevated 1/10-mile jogging track. The Buck Courts include six courts for racquet sports. A 6,600-square-foot fitness center and weight room includes a full-strength training circuit, spacious free weight area and more than 30 cardiovascular machines. There is also a 35-foot climbing wall and aerobics and dance areas.



## Coaching Staff

### Joe Kinney—Head Coach

When Joe Kinney took over in 1999, he knew that it would take hard work to mold the Lafayette baseball program into a winner, one capable of competing for Patriot League titles on a consistent basis. His last two seasons have shown that his plan was on target. As he begins his sixth campaign as the Leopards' head coach, his program is coming off its second appearance in three seasons in the three-team Patriot League Tournament.

In 2004, Lafayette advanced past the first round of the Patriot League Tournament for the first time in program history after disposing of its arch-rival in the opening round. Lafayette then faced host Army in the three-game Championship Series that determined the conference crown. The Leopards finished with a 23-26 mark, 11-9 in conference play. In 2002, Kinney guided the team to a breakthrough 23-22 record, then the program's first winning season in 10 years. The team won a school record 12 Patriot League games and made its first-ever appearance in the Patriot League Tournament.

Since taking over the program, Kinney has continuously raised the talent level with each new recruiting class and has helped restore Lafayette baseball to the prominent stature it once held. In Kinney's five seasons, the Lafayette baseball program has had 22 All-Patriot League selections and two student-athletes (Adam Rosenberg '04 and Vince D'Angelis '02) have been named Patriot League Player of the Year.

Kinney has also been instrumental in securing major renovations to Lafayette's baseball facilities. Prior to the 2004 season, Lafayette's baseball field was renamed the Class of 1978 Stadium, renovations that included the addition of a grandstand with chair back seats and bleachers, a press box and expansion and refurbishment of the both dugouts. Other improvements in recent seasons have included the addition of a new scoreboard, outfield fence and warning track and a new infield mix and a shelter in the Lafayette bullpen.

Prior to coming to College Hill, Kinney was the top assistant on the U.S. Naval Academy squads from 1992-99, where he helped guide the Midshipmen to four Patriot League titles and two appearances in the NCAA Baseball Tournament East Regional.

Prior to Navy, Kinney was an assistant coach at Lehigh from 1990-92 when he completed his master's degree in secondary education.

Kinney's coaching experience at Lehigh followed a stint at Columbia High School in his hometown of Maplewood, N.J. where he was the head junior varsity baseball coach and head freshman football coach.

Kinney graduated from Lehigh in 1988 with a bachelor's degree in economics. While there, he enjoyed a four-year career on the Engineers' baseball team and served as captain of the 1987 and 1988 squads. Kinney and his wife, the former Susan Pitman, reside on College Hill with their daughters Annelise and Alexis.

### Gregg Durrah—Assistant Coach

Gregg Durrah begins his sixth season on Joe Kinney's staff. He works primarily with the pitching staff, while also assisting with recruiting.

Prior to coming to Lafayette, Durrah was an assistant coach at Easton High School from 1992-99. That followed stints as an assistant coach in the college ranks at Rutgers-Newark and Fairleigh Dickinson.

Durrah graduated from Fairleigh Dickinson University in 1987 with a bachelor's degree in business management following a four-year baseball career.

He currently works as a probation officer for Northampton County and is also in the Marine Corps Reserve where he has a rank of gunnery sergeant. He is also a high school and Division I college basketball official.

Durrah and his wife, Kendra, have two children, Sydney and Trey and reside in Palmer Township, Pa.

### Paul Engelhardt—Assistant Coach

Paul Engelhardt begins his fourth season as an assistant coach at Lafayette. Engelhardt works primarily as a hitting instructor and with the catchers and outfielders, but also aids in recruiting.

Engelhardt spent four years coaching in the Lehigh Valley at various levels. He served as an assistant coach at Muhlenberg College where he was responsible for coaching the outfield, for defensive instruction, and also assisted with game strategy and hitting.

Engelhardt has other Lehigh Valley coaching ties, serving as head coach for Nazareth in the Blue Mountain League since 1998. He inherited a team with 72 wins in the previous 12 seasons and improved the team to 85 wins in his five-year reign.

His coaching experience dates back to 1989 where Engelhardt was the assistant baseball coach in the Freemansburg Athletic Association in Freemansburg, Pa. from 1989-92.

Engelhardt is a 1996 graduate of the University of Pittsburgh. He and his wife, Erin, have two children, Elias and Sophie and reside in Williams Township, Pa.

### Scott Stewart—Assistant Coach

Scott Stewart enters his fourth season as an assistant coach. Stewart works primarily with the Lafayette pitching staff, and assists with the everyday operation of the program.

Stewart graduated from York College in 2002 with a degree in Sport Management. He pitched two seasons for York where he posted



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a 7-2 record with three saves in a career that included one season as a starting pitcher and one as a relief hurler.

Stewart attended Northampton Community College for two years and helped lead his squad to a PCAA State Championship in 1998-99. In that season, the lefthander earned all-conference and all-state honors.

The Nazareth, Pa. native attended Nazareth High School and was a four-year member of the baseball team. He is currently the Ticket and Promotions Manager at Lafayette.



## Season Outlook

While experience was the driving force for the Lafayette baseball team in 2004, youth will take over as the dominant characteristic of the 2005 installment. The goals of qualifying for and winning the Patriot League Tournament have not changed with the influx of young players, however.

"We are definitely a young squad, but we have solid front line guys who are still experienced and who enjoyed a measure of success last season," said sixth year head coach **Joe Kinney**. "We have two seniors and six juniors who will play key roles."

The Leopards' two-man senior class is a stark contrast to the Class of 2004 that featured 11 seniors. Both returning seniors, **Adam Bucci** and **Rob Fioretti**, will find themselves in the starting lineup come Feb. 26.

Offensively, the Leopards will have their work cut out for them, as the team's top two hitters and run producers have exited the program with graduation. That said, four players who hit .300 or above return to the lineup. Lafayette's team speed is also much improved, headed by lead-off hitter **James Conrad** who Kinney hopes will set the table for the offense.

"Even though we graduated five position players, we have Bucci, **Ian Law**, **Matt Skellan** and **Frank Cortazar** coming back after strong offensive seasons," Kinney said. "This season it is important for our success to get production out of players who have been in the program and are starting to play larger roles on the team."

### OUTFIELD

Graduation took with it two-thirds of the Lafayette outfield. Patriot League Player of the Year Adam Rosenberg and All-Patriot League First Team selection Jason Boyd have vacated their spots in rightfield and centerfield, respectively, taking with them 345 games played, 263 RBI, 91 runs scored and career batting averages over .340.

There will be one familiar face in the outfield grass, however, as senior **Rob Fioretti** returns to the fold for Kinney. A veteran outfielder, Fioretti will remain in leftfield where he spent the 2004 season. Fioretti has started 92 of 109 games during his three seasons at Lafayette. He hit for a .227 clip in 2004, down from his sophomore season (.262). In 2004, Fioretti drove in 18 runs batting primarily from the second spot where he will likely find himself in 2005.

The other open positions in the outfield will be filled by underclassmen. Sophomore **James Conrad** gets the early nod in centerfield. Conrad played in 27 games as a freshman, starting 10, while spending the majority of his playing time at DH. Conrad

occupied the lead-off spot at times during 2004 and has been slated for the slot as 2005 opens.

The frontrunner for the job in rightfield is freshman **Thomas Hayes**. A Pennsylvania product from Central Bucks West High School, Hayes has a strong bat and has shown tremendous hustle in the Leopards' fall season. Hayes was named to the Suburban One All-Star Team and was a member of the Carpenter Cup squad in high school. Sophomores **Mike Raible** and **Anthony Badillo** will also compete for playing time in the outfield.

### INFIELD

Senior captain **Adam Bucci** and junior **Ian Law**, who occupied the corners of the infield in 2004, will return to the starting lineup this season. Bucci, who started 48 of 49 games in 2004, will remain at first base while Law will make the move to shortstop. Bucci, an All-Patriot League selection in 2003, is a career .316 hitter and hit for a .302 mark with 35 RBI last season. Kinney will pencil him in the middle of the order. Junior **Rob Kulish** will serve as Bucci's back up in the field. Kulish played in just four games in his sophomore season due to a knee injury, but is healthy coming into 2005 and has a foothold on the designated hitter slot.

Sophomore **Nick Benvenuto** may also earn some situational playing time at first base. The sophomore has power potential and brings a left-handed bat to the lineup. He, too, may be placed in the DH role against left-handed pitchers.

Up the middle it will be a mixture of youth and experience as Law takes over at shortstop and a freshman, **Tyler Zeronda**, takes to the field at second base. Law, who played third base last season, hit .300 from the middle of the order where he will again take his cuts. Law drove in 19 runs and started 46 of 48 games. Zeronda is a two-time Suburban Council All-area selection from Clifton, Park, N.Y. whose speed and smooth hands will help him make the transition to Division I.

Backing up Zeronda are junior **Clint Losch** and sophomore **Kevin Leasure**. Leasure will also see time at the DH.

Completing the infield at the hot corner is All-Patriot League performer **Frank Cortazar**. The sophomore was a key contributor to the lineup in 2004, finishing fourth on the team in hitting with a .309 average. He will have to re-adjust himself to playing in the field as he spent last season playing primarily as the DH.

Calling the pitches will be junior **Matt Skellan** and sophomore **Dave Drechsel**. Skellan played in 30 games last season and is the team's top returning hitter in terms of



average, hitting .339 from the catcher and DH spot. Drechsel hit .294 overall and .750 with runners in scoring position in 16 games last season. Freshman **Thomas Ambrosio** will back up Skellan and Drechsel. Ambrosio may break into the lineup as a right-handed DH.

"We have two catchers in Skellan and Drechsel, who will replace a four-year starter in Craig Alexander," Kinney said. "They have shown steady improvement in handling the staff while their strengths have been the ability to control the running game."

"Overall, I feel we are going to be very strong up the middle starting behind the plate and continuing on through Law at shortstop and Zeronda at second base," Kinney said. "This team can be as solid a defensive team as we have had in my time here."

### PITCHING STAFF

Kinney lost three weekend starters, Marcus Ward, Paul Fischetti and Tom Soldan, to graduation with the biggest loss being Ward who was an innings-eater (65.1) who had been in the weekend rotation for four seasons. Sophomore **Brian Cope** and junior **Matt Revelle** will definitely occupy two of the spots in the rotation. Cope was one of the Leopards' top starters last season, finishing with a 2-3 record while striking out a team-high 50 batters and walking just 13 in his 10 starts.

Revelle appeared in 17 games and started six of those contests. He finished with a 3-4 record and ended third on the team in ERA (3.30) while throwing 46.1 innings. Three other players will likely compete right away for the two remaining weekend spots.

"Brian Cope and Matt Revelle are our two most experienced pitchers and we will rely on them to help set the tone on the weekends," Kinney said.

Junior **Tom Phelan** made just five appearances last season but managed a 1-0 record and a 2.70 ERA. For the first time in his career, he is completely healthy entering the spring, having battled knee and back injuries in his first two seasons.

Sophomore lefthanders **Matt Kamine** and **John Fugett** both made over 10 appearances as freshmen and will battle for one of the slots will fellow sophomore lefty **Ted Gjeldum**.

In the bullpen, Fugett and freshman **Jason Morytko** could be the go-to relievers and will be joined by freshman righthanders, **Nick Tucker**, **Kevin Reese** and **Doug Lunau**.

"Overall, our staff is young and inexperienced," Kinney said. "Our freshmen have shown ability in composure and command that you don't normally see from freshmen, and based on our fall and preseason practices, our sophomores have made tremendous improvements."

### SCHEDULE

The 2005 Lafayette baseball schedule includes the team's annual spring break training trip, a slate of 20 Patriot League games and non-conference games against three Big East and two Ivy League foes. For the second straight year, Lafayette will also be competing in the Liberty Bell Classic, an event for which the championship game is played in the Philadelphia Phillies' Citizen's Bank Park.

Lafayette is scheduled to open its season on Feb. 26-27 with a three-game series against Georgetown. The Leopards will then take to Rahn Field in the Class of 1978 Stadium on March 2, hosting regional foe East Stroudsburg. That is the first of four straight home dates for Kinney's squad as Lafayette welcomes Dartmouth for a four-game series on March 5-6. Overall, the Leopards are scheduled to play 26 home games.

Lafayette traveled to the West Coast for spring break last season, but will stay on the East Coast in 2005, venturing to Florida on March 11-17. Lafayette will play Boston College in two nine-inning games on March 12-13 in Boca Raton, Fla. The Leopards will have March 14 off from competition before playing Florida International on March 15 and Manhattan on March 16.

The Leopards will return home that weekend to open a three-game series at Mount St. Mary's. The Leopards' non-conference schedule also includes games with Penn, Binghamton, La Salle, Wagner, Monmouth, St. Peter's, St. Joseph's, Rutgers Temple and New York Tech.

Patriot League play will commence on April 2-3 with a four-game series with Holy Cross. One seven-inning and one nine-inning game each will be played on Saturday and Sunday of league weekends. The Leopards first two conference weekends will be at home before two straight road weekends.

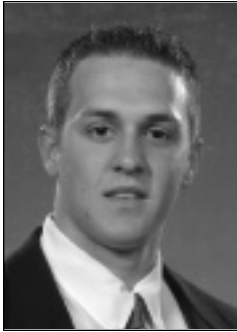
Lafayette will make its first television appearance of the season on April 10 when it hosts Army in a doubleheader on the Lafayette Sports Network (RCN-4, WBPH-60). The second game of that contest will be televised nationally by CSTV. Lafayette will make its second national television appearance of the season on April 27 in a mid-week game against Rutgers. The Lafayette Sports Network will broadcast the game in the Lehigh Valley and into Philadelphia and it will be shown at a later date by CSTV.

Kinney's squad concludes the Patriot League portion of the calendar with a four-game series against arch-rival Lehigh on April 30 and May 1.

The Leopards will again look to qualify for the Patriot League Tournament on May 14-15 at a site to be determined by league standings.



# 2005 Leopards



**6**  
**Anthony Badillo**  
 OF  
 So / 5-9 / 165  
 L/R  
 Easton, Pa./Nazareth

**Anthony Badillo**

**General:** Lehigh Valley prospect who adds depth to the outfield...major is undeclared.  
**2004:** Did not play on the team in 2004 while recovering from a back injury.



**18**  
**Nick Benvenuto**  
 C/1B  
 So. / 6-1 / 230  
 L/R  
 Wyckoff, N.J./  
 Bergen Catholic

**Nick Benvenuto**

**General:** Adds depth at first base and may also see time at DH...major is undeclared.  
**2004:** Played in six games and started one...hit .286 in seven at-bats...drove in two runs...went 1-for-1 with an RBI against Penn (3/24).

Year	BA	G/GS	AB	R	H	RBI	2B	3B	HR	TB	SLG%
2004	.286	6/1	7	0	2	2	0	0	0	2	.286
<b>Total</b>	<b>.286</b>	<b>6/1</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>.286</b>



**22**  
**Adam Bucci**  
 1B/DH  
 Sr. / 5-9 / 185  
 L/R  
 Trumbull, Conn./  
 St. Luke's

**Adam Bucci**

**General:** All-League hitter who will see time at first base and in the DH slot...selected as team captain for 2005 season...majoring in Government and Law. **2004:** Made the move from DH to first base...started 48 of 49 games...hit .302 with six home runs and 35 RBI...had 52 hits and six doubles, both of which lead all returning Leopards...had 14 multi-hit efforts...went 2-for-4 with a double in Lafayette's Patriot League Tournament win over Lehigh (5/8)...went 3-for-4 with 3 RBI against Bucknell (4/18)...hit a pair of home runs in a doubleheader against Bucknell (4/17)...went 2-for-4 with a home run and two RBI against Navy (4/10)...was 3-for-3 against Wagner with a season-high five RBI...went 2-for-4 with a double, a home run, three RBI, and two runs scored against Pacific (3/19). **2003:** Followed up his Louisville Slugger Freshman All American Honorable Mention rookie season with an All Patriot League Second Team sophomore campaign...started 38 out of 40 games, primarily as a designated hitter...third on the team and sixth in the Patriot League with a career-high .341 batting average...also among the Patriot League leaders with a .496 slugging percentage...led the team with two triples...had three or more hits in a game five times...was a perfect 3-for-3 against Binghamton (5/3) with a home run and two runs scored...went 4-for-6 in the Leopards' victory over St. Peter's (4/16) with a double, three RBI and three runs scored...began the season with a 12-game hitting streak, hitting .439 over that span with three home runs, 14 RBI and eight runs scored; highlighting this stretch was his 6-for-7 performance in the season opening doubleheader against Mount St. Mary's (3/16) that produced a home run, a double, and six RBI on the day. **2002:** Tabbed an All-Patriot League First-Team selection at DH...appeared in 40 games for the Leopards, starting 31...finished with a .308 batting average, smacking 32 hits...tallied eight doubles, one home run and 23 RBI...finished third on the team with 37 runs scored...named Patriot League Rookie of the Week after batting .412 with five RBI and two doubles over five games...went perfect 4-for-4 with three RBI and one run scored at Army (4/14)...registered eight multi-hit games.

Year	BA	G/GS	AB	R	H	RBI	2B	3B	HR	TB	SLG%
2002	.308	40/31	104	16	32	34	16	4	2	84	.503
2003	.341	40/38	129	23	44	26	4	2	4	64	.496
2004	.302	49/48	172	26	52	35	6	1	6	78	.453
<b>Total</b>	<b>.316</b>	<b>129/117</b>	<b>405</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>.457</b>





**14**

**James Conrad**

OF  
So. / 5-10 / 180  
R/R  
Columbia, Md./Atholton

**James Conrad**

**General:** Expected to compete for a starting spot...major is undeclared. **2004:** Played in 27 games and started 10...hit .261 with a home run and eight RBI...cracked four doubles, and was a perfect 5-for-5 in stolen bases...went 2-for-5 with two RBI against Navy (4/10)...smacked a three-run home run against Army (4/4)...had a pair of hits, including a double, and an RBI against Hofstra (3/3).

Year	BA	G/GS	AB	R	H	RBI	2B	3B	HR	TB	SLG%
2004	.261	27/10	46	12	12	8	4	0	1	19	.413
<b>Total</b>	<b>.261</b>	<b>27/10</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>.413</b>



**10**

**Brian Cope**

P  
So. / 6-0 / 161  
R/R  
Whitehall, Pa./Parkland

**Brian Cope**

**General:** Expected to be the staff ace after a strong rookie season...major is undeclared. **2004:** Threw 58.1 innings as the only freshman member of the starting rotation...led the Leopards with 50 strikeouts, and walked only 13 batters...went 2-3 with an ERA of 4.63...threw a complete-game victory at Lehigh (4/24)...named Patriot League Rookie of the Week after a complete game, 10-strikeout performance against Bucknell for his first collegiate win (4/17)...fanned 11 in eight innings and allowed no earned runs in a no-decision at Army (4/3)...pitched eight strong innings and struck out seven batters in a no decision at Holy Cross (3/27)...yielded just one earned run in six innings in his collegiate debut against VMI (2/29).

Year	ERA	G/GS	W-L	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
2004	4.63	11/10	2-3	0	58.1	61	35	30	13	50
<b>Total</b>	<b>4.63</b>	<b>11/10</b>	<b>2-3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>58.1</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>50</b>



**24**

**Frank Cortazar**

3B  
So. / 6-0 / 180  
L/R  
Miami, Fla./  
Ransom Everglades

**Frank Cortazar**

**General:** First Team All-Patriot League performer as a freshman will look to move to third base from his designated hitter role...majoring in Biology. **2004:** Played in 36 games and started 26...cracked 30 hits, good for a .309 average...hit four doubles, drove in 11 runs and scored 13 times...collected two hits and drove in a run against Lehigh (4/20)...went 2-for-4 and scored a run against Navy (4/10)...scored twice and smacked two hits at Holy Cross (3/27)...hit a three-run home run against Penn (3/24)...had a single, double, two RBI and a run scored against Franklin and Marshall...recorded his first collegiate hit and RBI against VMI (2/29).

Year	BA	G/GS	AB	R	H	RBI	2B	3B	HR	TB	SLG%
2004	.309	36/26	97	13	30	11	4	0	1	37	.381
<b>Total</b>	<b>.309</b>	<b>36/26</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>.381</b>



**9**

**David Drechsel**

C  
So. / 6-1 / 190  
R/R  
Cranford, N.J./Cranford

**David Drechsel**

**General:** Solid defensive catcher who handles pitching staff very well...will compete for time behind the plate...majoring in Mathematics. **2004:** Started two games and played in 16...hit .294 while recording five hits and five RBI...hit a single and a triple and drove in a run against East Stroudsburg (4/21)...collected a hit, drove in a run and scored a run against Penn (3/24)...cracked a two-RBI double against San Francisco (3/16)...picked up his first collegiate hit against Franklin and Marshall (3/10).

Year	BA	G/GS	AB	R	H	RBI	2B	3B	HR	TB	SLG%
2004	.294	16/2	17	2	5	5	1	1	0	8	.471
<b>Total</b>	<b>.294</b>	<b>16/2</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>.471</b>



# 21

**Rob Fioretti**  
OF  
Sr. / 5-9 / 175  
L/L  
Sparta, N.J./Sparta

### Rob Fioretti

**General:** Returning two-year starter in the outfield...left-handed bat at the top of the Leopard order...majoring in Civil Engineering. **2004:** Started 46 of 47 games in leftfield...hit .227 with 18 RBI...smacked five doubles and scored 23 runs...was 7-of-8 in stolen base attempts...went 2-for-4 and gave the Leopards a lead with a two-out single Lehigh in the Patriot League Tournament (5/8)...went 2-for-4 with three runs scored against Navy (4/11)...had three RBI against Penn (3/24)...hit .500 with five RBI in a series at Pacific, including a 3-for-3 effort (3/19). **2003:** Started 36 of 38 games played...earned Patriot League Player of the Week honors on April 7 after batting .474 and scoring seven runs over a six-game span...team leader in walks (17) and sacrifice bunts (4)...scored two runs in a game seven times...went 3-for-3 against Rutgers (4/30) with a double and two stolen bases...registered two three-hit games in weekend series against Holy Cross going 3-for-4 with two doubles (4/5) and 3-for-3 (4/6) while scoring five times in the four games. **2002:** Played in 24 games, starting 10 in his rookie season...smacked 12 hits and knocked in nine runs in just 55 at-bats...had best day of the season against Holy Cross, going 4-for-7 with three RBI and four runs scored in doubleheader (4/7)...finished 2-for-4 and stole a base vs. Navy (4/20)...his sacrifice fly scored the game-winning run in 9-8 win vs. Binghamton (4/24).

Year	BA	G/GS	AB	R	H	RBI	2B	3B	HR	TB	SLG%
2002	.218	24/10	55	13	12	9	2	0	0	14	.255
2003	.262	38/36	122	22	32	11	6	0	0	38	.311
2004	.227	47/46	150	23	34	18	5	1	0	41	.273
<b>Total</b>	<b>.239</b>	<b>109/92</b>	<b>327</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>.284</b>



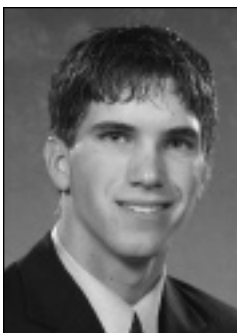
# 26

**John Fugett**  
LHP  
So. / 6-3 / 185  
L/L  
Philadelphia, Pa./  
Friends Select School

### John Fugett

**General:** Crafty lefty who spots the ball well and has good movement on his pitches...major is undeclared. **2004:** Made 11 appearances out of the bullpen...logged 10.2 innings...threw two innings of scoreless relief at Rutgers (4/4)...struck out two batters and allowed no hits in an inning of work against East Stroudsburg.

Year	ERA	G/GS	W-L	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
2004	7.59	11/0	0-0	0	10.2	16	10	9	5	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>7.59</b>	<b>11/0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10.2</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>



# 28

**Ted Gjeldum**  
LHP  
So. / 6-4 / 194  
R/L  
Wheaton, Ill./  
Wheaton-Warrenville  
South

### Ted Gjeldum

**General:** Came on strong late in his freshman season and could be an important part of the Leopard staff...majoring in International Affairs. **2004:** Threw 7.1 innings out of the bullpen in four appearances...had six strikeouts and did not walk a batter...struck out two batters in 3.1 innings of work against Lehigh (4/20)...fanned two in two innings of work against Monmouth (4/15)...pitched an inning of scoreless relief against Wagner (4/1).

Year	ERA	G/GS	W-L	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
2004	9.82	4/1	0-0	0	7.1	14	9	8	0	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>9.82</b>	<b>4/1</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6</b>



# 11

## Matt Kamine

LHP  
So. / 6-4 / 205  
L/L  
Oldwick, N.J./Voorhees

### Matt Kamine

**General:** Led freshman relievers in appearances last season...had a strong start to the season before minor arm problems limited his appearances at the end of the year...majoring in Mechanical Engineering. **2004:** Went 1-0 in 12 outings...threw 11 innings and struck out 10 batters...threw an inning of scoreless relief against Navy (4/10)...recorded his first career win with a two-inning appearance against Wagner (4/1)...struck out two batters and allowed no hits in an inning against Penn (3/24).

Year	ERA	G/GS	W-L	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
2004	8.18	12/0	1-0	0	11.0	18	10	10	5	10
<b>Total</b>	<b>8.18</b>	<b>12/0</b>	<b>1-0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>11.0</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>10</b>



# 33

## Rob Kulish

1B/DH  
Jr. / 6-2 / 225  
R/L  
Southbury, Conn./  
Pomperaug

### Rob Kulish

**General:** Will compete for playing time at first base and designated hitter after undergoing solid off-season conditioning...majoring in Government and Law. **2004:** Started four games during his sophomore campaign before a knee injury ended his season...had a pair of hits, including a triple...had a triple, a run scored and an RBI at VMI (2/28). **2003:** Appeared in 17 games with 10 starts as a rookie... played primarily in left field and saw some time at first base...recorded first collegiate hit with an RBI single against Lehigh (3/31).

Year	BA	G/GS	AB	R	H	RBI	2B	3B	HR	TB	SLG%
2003	.133	17/10	30	2	4	3	1	0	0	5	.167
2004	.143	4/4	14	1	2	1	0	1	0	4	.286
<b>Total</b>	<b>.136</b>	<b>21/14</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>.205</b>



# 30

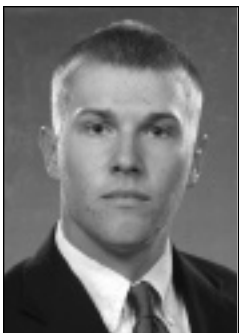
## Ian Law

SS  
Jr. / 6-2 / 185  
R/R  
Linwood, N.J./  
Mainland Regional

### Ian Law

**General:** Became a force in the middle of the lineup during his sophomore season...will move to shortstop for the 2005 season...majoring in Economics and Business. **2004:** Had a breakout sophomore season...started 46 games as the Leopards' third baseman...hit .300 with three home runs and 19 RBI...leading returning Leopard in runs scored with 31...also tied for the returning doubles lead with six...had 15 multi-hit games...hit a two-run single to tie the game versus Lehigh in the Patriot League Tournament (5/8)...was a perfect 4-for-4 with two doubles against NYIT (5/2)...went 2-for-4 with two runs scored against Lehigh (4/24)...went 7-for-15 with a home run and six runs scored in a weekend series versus Bucknell (4/18)...was 5-for-10 in a doubleheader against Navy (4/11)...managed 4-for-8 effort with four RBI and five runs scored in a doubleheader at Holy Cross (3/27). **2003:** Played in 15 games, starting eight as a rookie... had his season cut short with a broken wrist...recorded a hit in six of eight starts...hit .281 as a freshman...drove in three runs in win against Navy (4/20)...scored three times against St. Peter's (4/16)...recorded first collegiate hit in first career at-bat against Mount St. Mary's (3/16).

Year	BA	G/GS	AB	R	H	RBI	2B	3B	HR	TB	SLG%
2003	.281	15/8	32	6	9	6	1	0	0	10	.313
2004	.300	48/46	160	31	48	19	6	0	3	63	.394
<b>Total</b>	<b>.297</b>	<b>63/54</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>.380</b>



# 8

## Kevin Leasure

INF  
So. / 5-10 / 170  
L/R  
Ellicott City, Md./  
Mt. St. Joseph's

### Kevin Leasure

**General:** Adds depth to the middle infield and another left-handed bat to the lineup... majoring in Business and Economics. **2004:** Played in 12 games and started one...collected two hits and two RBI...had a pinch-hit single against Holy Cross (3/27)...hit a two-run double and scored a run against Penn (3/24).

Year	BA	G/GS	AB	R	H	RBI	2B	3B	HR	TB	SLG%
2004	.154	12/1	13	1	2	2	1	0	0	3	.231
<b>Total</b>	<b>.154</b>	<b>12/1</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>.231</b>



4

**Clint Losch**

INF  
Jr.  
5-11 / 170 / R/R  
Drexel Hill, Pa./  
Upper Darby

**Clint Losch**

**General:** Will compete for time in the middle infield...majoring in Mathematics and Economics & Business. **2004:** Did not compete in any games for the Leopards. **2003:** Played in eight games with one start in injury-shortened freshman season...batted .300 in limited action as a rookie middle infielder...had his first career multi-hit game with a double and a base hit in win over Holy Cross (4/6)... recorded first collegiate hit against College of Charleston (3/22).

Year	BA	G/GS	AB	R	H	RBI	2B	3B	HR	TB	SLG%
2003	.300	8/1	10	2	3	0	1	0	0	4	.400
2004						DNP					
<b>Total</b>	<b>.300</b>	<b>8/1</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>.400</b>



39

**Tom Phelan**

RHP  
Jr. / 6-0 / 185  
R/R  
Ellicott City, Md./  
Centennial

**Tom Phelan**

**General:** Will be one of the Leopards' top pitchers, battling for a spot as a weekend starter...majoring in Mechanical Engineering. **2004:** Made five appearances and one start as a sophomore...went 1-0 with a 2.70 ERA...struck out seven batters in 10 innings pitched... threw two innings of scoreless relief and picked up a win against Manhattan (4/7)...threw 4.1 innings of scoreless relief with four strikeouts against Army (4/3). **2003:** Made five relief appearances as a freshman before suffering a knee injury...struck out seven batters in 7.2 innings...made collegiate debut against The Citadel (3/18).

Year	ERA	G/GS	W-L	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
2003	11.74	5/0	0-1	0	7.2	14	12	10	5	7
2004	2.70	5/1	1-0	0	10.0	10	5	3	5	7
<b>Total</b>	<b>6.80</b>	<b>10/1</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>17.2</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>14</b>



12

**Mike Raible**

OF  
So. / 6-0 / 195  
R/R  
Devon, Pa./Conestoga

**Mike Raible**

**General:** Adds depth to the Leopard outfield...majoring in Business and Economics. **2004:** Played in two games...smacked a hit in his first collegiate at-bat against Navy (4/10).

Year	BA	G/GS	AB	R	H	RBI	2B	3B	HR	TB	SLG%
2004	.500	2/0	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	.500
<b>Total</b>	<b>.500</b>	<b>2/0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>.500</b>



35

**Matt Revelle**

RHP  
Jr. / 6-2 / 195  
R/R  
Columbia, Md./  
Athalton

**Matt Revelle**

**General:** Will be one of the Leopards' top pitchers, battling for a spot as a weekend starter...majoring in Economics and Business. **2004:** Threw 46.1 innings and went 3-4 with a 3.30 earned run average...struck out 27 batters...made 17 appearances and six starts... fanned three batters in five innings in a win against East Stroudsburg (4/21)...threw 4.1 innings of scoreless relief and picked up a win against Navy (4/10)...threw five shutout innings during his first collegiate win against Penn (3/24)...had six strikeouts in 6.2 innings in a start against Pacific (3/18). **2003:** Made one relief appearance in freshman season...collegiate debut came against Charleston (3/21).

Year	ERA	G/GS	W-L	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
2003	99.00	1/0	0-0	0	0.0	0	1	1	2	0
2004	3.30	17/6	3-4	0	46.1	56	21	17	16	27
<b>Total</b>	<b>3.51</b>	<b>18/6</b>	<b>3-4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>46.1</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>27</b>



**19**  
**Matt Skellan**  
 C  
 Jr. / 6-1 / 185  
 R/R  
 Media, Pa./  
 Malvern Prep

**Matt Skellan**

**General:** Hard-throwing junior who is expected to step into the starting catcher role after seeing significant time in his first two seasons...majoring in Economics & Business. **2004:** Appeared in 30 games, starting 16...hit .339 with three home runs and 12 RBI...also cracked three doubles and scored 14 runs...went 2-for-3 in Patriot League Championship versus Army (5/8)...connected for a grand slam against Temple (5/5)...went 3-for-4 with a double and two runs scored against Lehigh (4/28)...went 2-for-2 with a home run and four RBI against Bucknell (4/18)...2-for-4 with an RBI and two runs scored against Navy (4/10)...went 2-for-2 with a home run and two runs scored against Army (4/4)...scored two runs in a 2-for-3 effort at San Francisco (3/16). **2003:** Played in 24 games with 14 starts as a rookie catcher...finished first year with a .304 batting average...was a perfect 4-for-4 in stolen base attempts...had four multiple-hit games...went 2-for-3 with a run scored against Binghamton (5/4) and Navy (4/20)...had season-high four RBI as part of a 2-for-4 day against St. Peter's (4/16)...recorded first collegiate hit in his first at-bat against Mount St. Mary's (3/16).

Year	BA	G/GS	AB	R	H	RBI	2B	3B	HR	TB	SLG%
2003	.304	24/14	46	6	14	9	0	0	0	9	.304
2004	.339	30/16	62	14	21	12	3	0	3	33	.532
<b>Total</b>	<b>.324</b>	<b>54/30</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>.389</b>

**Freshmen**

**15**

**Thomas Ambrosiole**  
 C ■ Fr. ■ 5-9 ■ 185 ■ R/R ■ Staten Island, N.Y./  
 Tottenville  
 Named First-team All-New York City for  
 perennial power Tottenville

**40**

**Will Hanlon**  
 P ■ Fr. ■ 6-1 ■ 190 ■ L/L ■ Port Washington, N.Y./Regis  
 Three-time varsity letterwinner and captain  
 as senior; named to City All-Star Team

**3**

**Thomas Hayes**  
 INF/OF ■ Fr. ■ 5-11 ■ 175 ■ R/R ■ Doylestown, Pa./  
 Central Bucks West  
 Named to the Suburban One All-Star Team  
 and Carpenter Cup squad

**16**

**Doug Lunau**  
 P ■ Fr. ■ 5-9 ■ 170 ■ R/R ■ Bergenfield, N.J./Bergen  
 Catholic  
 NNJIL All-Star as a senior; two-sports  
 athlete who played ice hockey

**17**

**Jason Morytko**  
 P ■ Fr. ■ 5-11 ■ 190 ■ R/R ■ Meriden, Conn./Platt  
 All-state and All-conference selection

**7**

**Kevin Reese**  
 INF/OF/P ■ Fr. ■ 6-0 ■ 190 ■ R/R ■ E. Stroudsburg, Pa./  
 East Stroudsburg/Blair Academy  
 All-conference and All-area selection in  
 baseball, basketball and football...also a  
 member of Lafayette football team

**23**

**Ryan Roberts**  
 OF ■ Fr. ■ 6-2 ■ 180 ■ L/L ■ Rockaway, N.Y./  
 Archbishop Molloy  
 All-conference and All-area selection in  
 baseball; most likely will not play in 2005  
 while recovering from labrum surgery

**31**

**Nick Tucker**  
 P/OF ■ Fr. ■ 6-0 ■ 175 ■ R/R ■ Freehold, N.J./Colts Neck  
 All-state honoree who also earned  
 All-county honors and a spot on the  
 Carpenter Cup team

**39**

**Brad Woodfield**  
 P ■ Fr. ■ 6-3 ■ 185 ■ R/R ■ Olney, Md./Sherwood  
 2004 *Community News* Player of the Year; an  
 All-metro selection by Washington Post.

**2**

**Tyler Zeronda**  
 INF ■ Fr. ■ 5-8 ■ 175 ■ R/R ■ Clifton Park, N.Y./  
 Shenendehowa  
 Two-time Suburban Council All-area  
 selection; All-state football player



# 2005 Roster

NO.	NAME	POS	YR	HT	WT	B/T	HOMETOWN/HIGH SCHOOL
2	Tyler Zeronda	INF	FR	5-8	175	R/R	Clifton Park, N.Y./Shenendehowa
3	Tom Hayes	OF/INF	FR	5-11	175	R/R	Doylestown, Pa./Central Bucks West
4	Clint Losch	INF	JR	5-11	170	R/R	Drexel Hill, Pa./Upper Darby
6	Anthony Badillo	OF	SO	5-9	165	L/R	Easton, Pa./Nazareth High School
7	Kevin Reese	INF/OF/P	FR	6-0	190	R/R	East Stroudsburg, Pa./Blair Academy
8	Kevin Leasure	INF	SO	5-10	170	L/R	Ellicott City, Md./Mt. St. Joseph's
9	David Drechsel	C	SO	6-1	190	R/R	Cranford, N.J./Cranford
10	Brian Cope	RHP	SO	6-0	161	R/R	Whitehall, Pa./Parkland
11	Matthew Kamine	LHP	SO	6-4	205	L/L	Oldwick, N.J./Voorhees
12	Mike Raible	OF	SO	6-0	195	R/R	Devon, Pa./Conestoga
13	Tom Phelan	RHP	JR	6-0	185	R/R	Ellicott City, Md./Centennial
14	James Conrad	OF	SO	5-10	180	R/R	Columbia, Md./Atholton
15	Tom Ambrosiole	C	FR	5-9	185	R/R	Staten Island, N.Y./Tottenville
16	Doug Lunau	RHP	FR	5-9	170	R/R	Bergenfield, N.J./Bergen Catholic
17	Jason Morytko	RHP	FR	5-11	190	R/R	Meriden, Conn./Platt
18	Nick Benvenuto	C/1B	SO	6-1	230	L/R	Wyckoff, N.J./Bergen Catholic
19	Matt Skellan	C	JR	6-1	185	R/R	Media, Pa./Malvern Prep
21	Rob Fioretti	OF	SR	5-9	175	L/L	Sparta, N.J./Sparta
22	Adam Bucci	1B	SR	5-9	185	L/R	Trumbull, Conn./St. Luke's
23	Ryan Roberts	OF	FR	6-2	180	L/L	Rockaway, NY/Archbishop Molloy
24	Frank Cortazar	3B	SO	6-0	180	L/R	Miami, Fla./Ransom Everglades
26	John Fugett	LHP	SO	6-3	185	L/L	Philadelphia, Pa./Friends Select School
28	Ted Gjeldum	LHP	SO	6-4	195	R/L	Wheaton, Ill./Wheaton-Warrenville South
30	Ian Law	SS	JR	6-2	185	R/R	Linwood, N.J./Mainland Regional
31	Nick Tucker	RHP/OF	FR	6-0	175	R/R	Freehold, N.J./Colts Neck
33	Rob Kulish	DH/1B	JR	6-2	225	R/L	Southbury, Conn./Pomperaug
35	Matt Revelle	RHP	JR	6-2	195	R/R	Columbia, Md./Atholton
39	Brad Woodfield	RHP	FR	6-3	185	R/R	Olney, Md./Sherwood
40	Will Hanlon	LHP	FR	6-1	190	L/L	Port Washington, N.Y./Regis

**HEAD COACH:** 25 Joe Kinney (Lehigh '88, Sixth season)

**ASST. COACHES:** 42 Gregg Durrah (Fairleigh Dickinson '87, sixth season), 27 Paul Engelhardt (Pittsburgh '96, fourth season), 32 Scott Stewart (York '82, fourth season)

## Pronunciation Guide

Ambrosiole	Am-bro-SOLE-ee
Badillo	Buh-DILL-Oh
Benvenuto	BEN-vuh-newto
Drechsel	Drexel
Fioretti	FEE-or-etty
Fugett	FEW-get
Gjeldum	JEL-dom
Kamine	KAY-mine
Kulish	COOL-ish
Leasure	LAY-zure
Losch	LOWsh
Lunau	LOO-now
Morytko	More-IT-ko
Phelan	FAY-len
Raible	RAY-bul
Revelle	Ruh-VELL



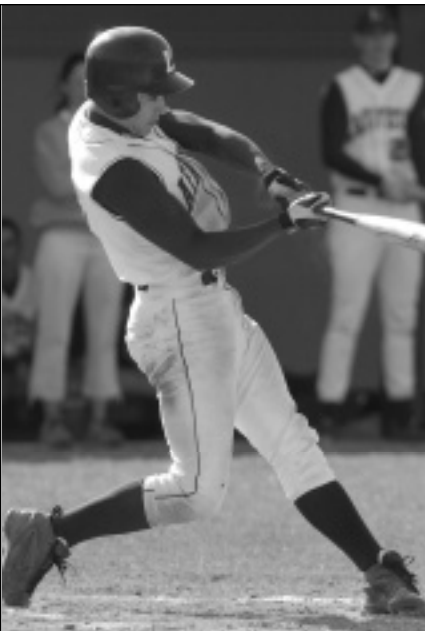
## 2004 Season Review

The Lafayette baseball team made history in 2004, advancing to the Patriot League Tournament Championship Series for the first time since the league's formation in 1991. The 2004 Leopards were an experienced group up and down the roster, boasting 11 seniors at key positions.

Lafayette opened 2004 in Lexington, Va. with a three-game series at Virginia Military Institute on Feb. 28-29. The Leopards ran into a VMI squad with 11 games already under its belt and the Keydets swept the series. Lafayette's opening day was particularly tough to take, as VMI managed a run in the ninth inning of both games to claim a pair of one-run wins before closing out the series with a 9-5 decision.

The beginning of March brought a similar result, as Hofstra used a three-run fourth inning to hand Lafayette a 5-2 defeat on March 3. The Leopards' mini slide came to a quick end as Lafayette rattled off three straight victories. Seniors **Marcus Ward** and **Tom Soldan** each hurled shutouts against Fairleigh Dickinson on March 7 to earn their first wins of the season. In the opener, the Leopards cranked out three runs in the third inning in a 4-0 victory, and in game two **Adam Buccì's** two-run homer provided all of the offense Lafayette would need in a 3-0 triumph.

Playing in its final game before spring break on March 10, Lafayette rolled to a 17-2 win over Franklin and Marshall. The Leopards rang up 18 hits, including 3-for-4



days from **Jason Boyd** and **Craig Alexander**, each of whom drove in a pair of runs.

For the first time in program history, Lafayette baseball made a West Coast swing during its Spring Break trip on March 13-20. Lafayette played seven games in seven days in San Francisco, Stockton and Hayward. The Leopards also managed to fit in a trip to Alcatraz and other tourist locations, including Fishermen's Wharf, while staying in San Francisco.

Lafayette opened up with a 6-4 loss at Cal State Hayward, as Hayward's Archie Gilbert cracked a two-run homer for the decisive blow. Lafayette played three games in the San Francisco area, facing San Francisco State and the University of San Francisco. Lafayette led 2-0 after the second inning, but San Francisco State used a seven-run third inning to pull away for a 12-3 victory. USF proved to be just as tough. In the opening game of the two-game series, Boyd finished a home run short of hitting for the cycle, but the Leopards dropped a 15-6 decision. The Maroon and White's offense was held in check by San Francisco in the final game, as Lafayette managed just six hits in a 6-0 setback.

A three-game series at Pacific closed out the Leopards' Golden State swing. In the opener, Lafayette took the early lead on a two-run home run from **Adam Rosenberg** with **Jeff Rodgers'** aboard. Pacific tied the game with two runs in the fifth and then took the lead and held on for the 4-2 win with two more runs in the seventh. The Leopards struck back with an offensive explosion the next night, collecting 14 hits en route to a 13-3 win. Boyd went 4-for-5 with four RBI and Buccì drove in three runs while Ward collected his second victory of the season. In the rubber game of the series, the home Tigers scored seven runs over the final two innings to win 12-7. **Rob Fioretti** drove in three for the Leopards.

After returning from California, Lafayette made its inaugural appearance in the Liberty Bell Classic, playing its annual non-league game with Penn as its first-round game. The College Hill Nine took advantage of its home surroundings, running away to a 17-3 win at the Class of 1978 Stadium. Boyd shined for Joe Kinney's squad, going 3-for-5 with two home runs and five RBI while **Matt Revelle** earned his first collegiate victory after throwing five scoreless innings. **Frank Cortazar** belted a

three-run home run for the home team.

Patriot League play for Lafayette began with a four-game series at Holy Cross on March 27-28. The Leopards opened with a Saturday split. In game one, Lafayette used a six-run second inning to go on to a 12-2 win behind the arm of Ward. In the second game, Holy Cross plated a run in the bottom of the ninth to claim a 5-4 victory.

It was all Lafayette on Sunday, as the Leopards shut out Holy Cross, surrendering just two hits the entire afternoon. In the opener, Soldan tossed the first Lafayette no-hitter since 1972, striking out four while walking two. For his effort, he was named Patriot League Pitcher of the Week. In the second game, **Paul Fischetti** was nearly as flawless, giving up just two hits while striking out nine Crusaders over nine innings. Rosenberg drove in two of the Leopards' three runs in the 3-0 win.

The Leopards made it three in a row with a 14-3 win over Wagner in a mid-week game. Buccì went 3-for-3 with five RBI and **Matt Kamine** earned his first collegiate win. The Leopards' weekend series at Army brought Lafayette's win streak to a halt as the Black Knights swept the weekend series. After being shut out 10-0 in the first game, Lafayette held a 1-0 lead late into the bottom of the ninth thanks to a sparkling pitching performance from **Brian Cope** who fanned 11 batters over eight innings. Army tied the game in the ninth against the Lafayette bullpen and then won it 2-1 in the bottom of the 11th. On Sunday, the Leopards were handed two more losses, after giving up an unearned run in the sixth and losing game three of the series 1-0. In the finale, Army scored 12 runs in the fifth, sixth and seventh to notch a 13-7 victory.

Kinney's senior-laden squad began to pick up momentum after the tough Army series, winning seven of their next nine games. A 6-3 win over Manhattan on April 7 came via a triple and a home run from Boyd. Returning to Patriot League play on April 10 and 11, Lafayette faced a Navy squad it had not beaten in a series since 1996. That changed in 2004, as Lafayette claimed three out of four meetings on its home field, losing just the series opener, 10-9, after holding an 8-1 lead in that game. In game two, the Leopards cranked out 21 hits and 18 runs and Rosenberg finished the day 5-for-9 with nine RBI in an 18-6 final.

Sunday proved even more successful with



10-3 and 4-2 wins over the Midshipmen. Soldan and Fishetti again proved up to the task on the hill, each registering complete-game victories. Rosenberg put game three out of reach with a three-run home run in the sixth inning. In the final game of the series, **Eric Vacca**, **Jeff Rodgers** and **Ian Law** all accounted for run-scoring singles as Lafayette struck for all of its offense in the second inning. Fischetti struck out nine while giving up four hits en route to a Patriot League Pitcher of the Week selection.

After dropping a mid-week contest to Monmouth (5-3), the Leopards hosted Bucknell on April 17 and 18 for Patriot League action. The Leopards, again, received strong pitching performances from Cope and Ward. In the opener, Bucci and **Craig Alexander** each belted out round-trippers en route to a 4-1 win. In game two, Cope fanned 10 while working his way to a complete-game victory, the first of his collegiate career. He was later named Patriot League Rookie of the Week.

It was an offensive day on Sunday as the teams closed out the series. The 'Pards provided the bulk of it in the first game, batting around the order while scoring six runs in the first inning on their way to a 14-2 romp. Rosenberg ripped the game open with a two-out grand slam in the third. In the finale, Bucknell scored a run in every inning but the fifth, but Lafayette was still within striking distance going into its final at-bat. Lafayette needed three runs to send to game to extra innings, but scored just two in the 9-8 loss. **Matt Skellan** drove in four runs in game four and connected for his second home run of the season.

On April 20, Lafayette met Lehigh for a rare non-conference game, a Liberty Bell Classic semifinal to determine which team would advance to the championship game in Citizen's Bank Park. The game, played at offense-friendly Limeport Stadium saw the teams combine for 29 hits (seven extra-base hits) and seven errors. Lehigh outlasted Lafayette for the 12-11 win.

A 9-2 win over East Stroudsburg on April 21 provided a brief respite from playing arch-rival Lehigh. The two teams, which had played just four days earlier, again tangled on April 24 for the first two games of a conference series. Lafayette swept the opening day to clinch a spot in the Patriot League Tournament. Rosenberg's RBI single in the top of the seventh gave Lafayette a 3-2 win in the opener and two home runs and a triple by Boyd in the nightcap earned Lafayette an 8-1 win.

Four days later after two rainouts and a Lehigh non-conference schedule conflict, the two teams finished off the season series with Lehigh recording 7-3, 4-6 victories. The wins secured Lehigh the third spot in the Patriot League Tournament behind Lafayette and host Army.

Lafayette opened the month of May with a four-game home-and-home series with New York Tech in which the Leopards took three of four. Alexander hit a two-run home run and **Drew Moyer** earned his second save of the season in a 6-4 win in the opener. NYIT bounced back with a 4-0 shutout in which the Leopards' managed just two hits. Back in Easton on Sunday, the Leopards closed out the series with a Sunday sweep. In game three of the series, Bucci's pinch-hit single in the sixth touched off a four-run rally in the 11-7 win. The winning blow in the series finale proved much more dramatic as Boyd ripped a two-run, walk-off home run in the bottom of the seventh to secure a 6-4 win.

Rutgers and Temple provided two final non-conference tests prior to the Patriot League Tournament. Revelle and **John Fugett** held the Big East's most potent lineup scoreless for eight of nine innings, but a sac fly in the fourth was the difference in the 1-0 loss. Against Temple, it was a slugfest with the two teams accounting for 25 runs and 30 hits. Skellan connected for his first career grand slam, but the Leopard lead did not hold up as Temple scored three runs in the eighth for a 14-11 victory.

Making its second appearance in three seasons in the Patriot League Tournament, second-seeded Lafayette faced No. 3 seed

Lehigh in a single-game showdown. The winner secured the right to battle No. 1 seed and host Army in a three-game series to determine the Patriot League championship. In a back-and-forth affair, Lafayette scored five runs in the fourth inning to take a 6-5 lead. Lehigh tied the game in the top of eighth on a sac fly. But, in the bottom of the inning, Alexander doubled and the next batter, Vacca, singled him in for the eventual game-winning hit.

Immediately after the win, Lafayette had to turn around and face Army in game one of the three-game Championship Series. It was a pitcher's duel throughout as Soldan and Patriot League Pitcher of the Year Nick Hill battled. With the Leopards trailing 3-2 in the bottom of the ninth, Skellan kept the Lafayette hopes alive with a two-out infield single. Alexander pinch hit and drove ball into the gap in left center, but Milan Dinga made a diving catch to rob Alexander of extra bases and end the game.

On Sunday, the two teams opened game two after enduring a 40-minute rain delay. Playing as the visiting team on the scoreboard, Army began the game with four straight hits and scored three runs in the first inning to set the tone for the game. The Leopards were held scoreless until the last of the ninth when they managed two plate pair of runs. The scores could not cut deeply enough into the Army margin which ended at 16-2.

Lafayette finished the 2004 season with 23 wins, tying the squad for the third most wins in a season at Lafayette. Individual honors flowed in for the Leopards, as Rosenberg was named Patriot League Player of the Year after hitting .368 with 56 RBI. He joined Boyd (.374, 41 RBI) and Cortazar (.309, 11 RBI) on the All-Patriot League First Team. Ward (6-1, 4.68 ERA) collected second-team honors.

Rosenberg also earned a spot on the Verizon Academic All-District II squad and was one of nine Lafayette baseball student-athletes to have their names added to the Patriot League Academic Honor Roll.

# 2004 Overall Statistics

(All games Sorted by Batting avg)

Record: 23-26 Home: 13-3 Away: 9-22 Neutral: 1-1 Conference: 11-9

Player	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	SLG%	BB	HBP	SO	GDP	OB%	SF	SH	SB	ATT	PO	A	E	FLD%
3 Boyd, Jason	.374	48	48	187	48	70	14	7	9	41	125	.668	11	2	28	1	.409	3	0	14	16	102	2	3	.972
20 Rosenberg, Adam	.368	49	49	185	43	68	12	1	9	56	109	.589	10	1	27	4	.395	4	0	11	14	83	5	2	.978
19 Skellan, Matt	.339	30	16	62	14	21	3	0	3	12	33	.532	5	3	7	0	.408	1	2	1	4	98	15	5	.958
24 Cortazar, Frank	.309	36	26	97	13	30	4	0	1	11	37	.381	6	0	16	0	.346	1	3	1	2	5	10	2	.882
22 Bucci, Adam	.302	49	48	172	26	52	6	1	6	35	78	.453	16	0	16	1	.356	3	1	2	2	370	23	5	.987
30 Law, Ian	.300	48	46	160	31	48	6	0	3	19	63	.394	9	1	20	4	.339	1	0	4	5	42	90	18	.880
9 Drechsel, David	.294	16	2	17	2	5	1	1	0	5	8	.471	2	0	3	0	.368	0	0	0	1	13	3	1	.941
2 Rodgers, Jeff	.288	44	43	146	27	42	1	0	0	23	43	.295	13	13	21	1	.393	1	1	1	2	62	65	8	.941
5 Vacca, Eric	.271	44	44	118	17	32	2	0	0	16	34	.288	14	10	17	4	.384	4	4	2	2	47	126	11	.940
14 Conrad, James	.261	27	10	46	12	12	4	0	1	8	19	.413	4	1	6	0	.327	1	0	5	5	6	0	0	1.000
21 Fioretti, Rob	.227	47	46	150	23	34	5	1	0	18	41	.273	15	3	22	3	.304	3	6	7	8	66	6	2	.973
15 Astry, Brian	.219	32	5	32	7	7	0	0	0	2	7	.219	3	1	7	0	.297	1	0	0	0	22	1	1	.958
1 Kramer, Ted	.218	41	16	55	8	12	1	0	0	2	13	.236	11	1	10	0	.358	0	3	7	11	43	54	9	.915
29 Alexander, Craig	.205	43	36	117	24	24	5	1	3	17	40	.342	14	5	23	0	.312	2	1	5	5	180	12	3	.985
41 Raible, Mike	.500	2	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	1	500	0	0	0	0	.500	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1.000
12 Williams, Tripp	.455	13	0	11	2	5	0	0	0	3	5	.455	1	0	3	1	.462	1	0	0	0	2	6	0	1.000
31 Benvenuto, Nick	.286	6	1	7	0	2	0	0	0	2	2	.286	0	0	4	0	.286	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	1.000
8 Leasure, Kevin	.154	12	1	13	1	2	1	0	0	2	3	.231	0	0	4	0	.154	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1.000
33 Kulish, Rob	.143	4	4	14	1	2	0	1	0	1	4	.286	0	0	2	0	.143	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
7 Ripley, Brandon	.000	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1.000
<b>Totals</b>	<b>.295</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>1591</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>469</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>273</b>	<b>665</b>	<b>.418</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>236</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>.359</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>1159</b>	<b>479</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>.955</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>.291</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>1566</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>455</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>233</b>	<b>653</b>	<b>.417</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>269</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>.354</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>1179</b>	<b>505</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>.956</b>

LOB—Team (334), Opp (349).DPs turned—Team (33),Opp (25). IBB—Team (1), Cortazar, F 1, Opp (1).Picked off —Rosenberg,A 3,Alexander, C 1, Cortazar, F 1, Vacca, E 1.

(All games Sorted by Earned run avg)

Player	ERA	W	L	APP	GS	CG	SHO	CBO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	2B	3B	HR	AB	B/Avg	WP	HBP	BK	SFA	SHA
15 Astry, Brian	0.00	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	.000	0	0	0	0	0
39 Phelan, Tom	2.70	1	0	5	1	0	0	0	0	10.0	10	5	3	5	7	1	0	1	40	.250	0	2	0	0	0
35 Revelle, Matt	3.30	3	4	17	6	0	0	0	0	46.1	56	21	17	16	27	11	3	3	186	.301	2	1	1	1	2
34 Soldan, Tom	3.52	4	4	11	11	4	2	0	0	64.0	68	37	25	15	41	11	0	3	253	.269	2	7	1	2	6
17 Fischetti, Paul	3.93	4	5	14	8	2	1	0	0	55.0	55	33	24	21	49	5	1	6	213	.258	1	10	4	3	2
18 Smith, Don	4.10	1	4	20	0	0	0	0	0	26.1	30	15	12	8	9	5	0	1	98	.306	0	1	0	3	5
10 Cope, Brian	4.63	2	3	11	10	2	0	0	0	58.1	61	35	30	13	50	13	0	5	226	.270	3	9	0	3	5
16 Ward, Marcus	4.68	6	1	12	12	4	1	0	0	65.1	74	43	34	19	44	14	3	6	269	.275	1	2	0	0	0
40 Moyer, Drew	5.09	0	2	19	0	0	0	0	2	17.2	20	10	10	9	12	3	1	2	70	.286	2	4	0	2	1
26 Fugett, John	7.59	0	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	10.2	16	10	9	5	6	1	0	1	47	.340	3	1	0	0	0
23 Kamine, Matt	8.18	1	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	11.0	18	10	10	5	10	3	0	2	52	.346	2	2	0	0	0
28 Geldum, Ted	9.82	0	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	7.1	14	9	8	0	6	3	0	2	35	.400	2	0	0	1	0
13 Fichtner, Hank	10.45	1	3	11	0	0	0	0	0	10.1	18	15	12	5	5	6	0	1	48	.375	3	1	0	1	1
7 Ripley, Brandon	27.00	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	4.0	15	13	12	1	2	1	0	2	26	.577	0	1	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>4.79</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>387.1</b>	<b>455</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>206</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>269</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>1566</b>	<b>.291</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>22</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>5.59</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>393.0</b>	<b>469</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>244</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>236</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>1591</b>	<b>.295</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>21</b>

PB—Team (9), Skellan, M 5,Alexander, C 4, Opp (10). Pickoffs—Team (7), Soldan, T 2, Fischetti, P 1,Alexander, C 1, Fichtner, H 1, Ripley, B 1, Cope, B 1, Opp (6).SBA/ATT—Skellan, M (27-34),Alexander, C (30-33), Cope, B (1) Ward, M (10-11), Revelle, M (9-11), Soldan,T (6-10), Fischetti, P (7-8), Smith, D (2-5), Drechsel, D (2-3), Moyer, D (3-3), Fugett, J (2-2), Kamine, M (2-2), Phelan, T (0-1), Fichtner, H (1-1), Ripley, B (1-1).

# 2004 Game Results

Game Results for Lafayette (FINAL)—(All games)

Game date	Opposing Team	Score	R-H-E	R-H-E	Ins	Overall	Conf.	Pitcher of record	Attend	Time	
Feb 28,2004	at Virginia Mil.Instit.	3-4	L	3-7-2	4-10-1	9	0-1-0	0-0-0	Smith,D (L 0-1)	101	2:30
Feb 28,2004	at Virginia Mil.Instit.	6-7	L	6-6-5	7-10-4	9	0-2-0	0-0-0	Fichtner,H (L 0-1)	102	2:30
Feb 29,2004	at Virginia Mil.Instit.	5-9	L	5-11-2	9-11-0	9	0-3-0	0-0-0	Fischetti,P (L 0-1)	107	2:45
Mar 03,2004	at Hofstra	2-5	L	2-4-0	5-9-0	9	0-4-0	0-0-0	Fischetti,P (L 0-2)	104	2:15
Mar 07,2004	at Fairleigh Dickinson	4-0	W	4-4-0	0-2-3	7	1-4-0	0-0-0	Ward,M (W 1-0)	150	1:48
Mar 07,2004	at Fairleigh Dickinson	3-0	W	3-6-1	0-1-2	7	2-4-0	0-0-0	Soldan,T (W 1-0)	150	1:45
Mar 10,2004	FRANKLIN & MARSHALL	17-2	W	17-18-0	2-8-2	8	3-4-0	0-0-0	Fischetti,P (W 1-2)	87	2:45
Mar 13,2004	at Cal State Hayward	4-6	L	4-10-2	6-10-0	9	3-5-0	0-0-0	Smith,D (L 0-2)	83	2:34
Mar 15,2004	at San Francisco State	3-12	L	3-10-1	12-16-1	9	3-6-0	0-0-0	Soldan,T (L 1-1)	83	2:32
Mar 16,2004	at San Francisco	6-15	L	6-13-1	15-17-3	9	3-7-0	0-0-0	Cope, B (L 0-1)	417	3:03
Mar 17,2004	at San Francisco	0-6	L	0-6-4	6-11-2	9	3-8-0	0-0-0	Fischetti,P (L 1-3)	395	2:46
Mar 18,2004	at Pacific	2-4	L	2-6-1	4-8-0	9	3-9-0	0-0-0	Revelle, M (L 0-1)	138	2:13
Mar 19,2004	at Pacific	13-3	W	13-14-0	3-10-1	9	4-9-0	0-0-0	Ward,M (W 2-0)	167	2:42
Mar 20,2004	at Pacific	7-12	L	7-8-3	12-16-1	9	4-10-0	0-0-0	Fischetti,P (L 1-4)	215	3:08
^ Mar 24,2004	PENN	17-3	W	17-16-2	3-9-2	8	5-10-0	0-0-0	Revelle, M (W 1-1)	87	2:30
* Mar 27,2004	at Holy Cross	12-2	W	12-19-2	2-6-0	7	6-10-0	1-0-0	Ward,M (W 3-0)	86	2:30
* Mar 27,2004	at Holy Cross	4-5	L	4-7-3	5-9-2	9	6-11-0	1-1-0	Smith,D (L 0-3)	82	2:33
* Mar 28,2004	at Holy Cross	1-0	W	1-4-0	0-0-1	7	7-11-0	2-1-0	Soldan,T (W 2-1)	46	1:49
* Mar 28,2004	at Holy Cross	3-0	W	3-8-0	0-2-2	9	8-11-0	3-1-0	Fischetti,P (W 2-4)	43	2:16
Apr 01,2004	WAGNER	14-3	W	14-13-0	3-12-5	9	9-11-0	3-1-0	Kamine, M (W 1-0)	78	2:52

# Post Season Games

- 1948 NCAA Playoffs at Easton, Pa.  
Lafayette 8, West Virginia 0; Lafayette 4, Navy 0
- 1948 NCAA Eastern Finals at Winston-Salem, N.C.  
Lafayette 9, Illinois 6; Yale 11, Lafayette 2;  
Lafayette 5, North Carolina 2; Yale 4, Lafayette 3
- 1953 District 2 Playoffs at Easton, Pa.  
Lafayette 6, Pittsburgh 1; Lafayette 5, Penn State 3
- 1953 College World Series at Omaha, Neb.  
Lafayette 6, Colorado State 2; Texas 7, Lafayette 3;  
Lafayette 4, Stanford 3; Lafayette 2,  
Boston College 1 (11 inn.); Texas 13, Lafayette 3
- 1954 District 2 Playoffs at Allentown, Pa.  
Lafayette 4, Villanova 3; Lafayette 9, St. John's 3
- 1954 College World Series at Omaha, Neb.  
Missouri 5, Lafayette 3; Oklahoma A&M 4,  
Lafayette 2
- 1955 District 2 Playoffs at Allentown, Pa.  
Ithaca 5, Lafayette 0
- 1957 District 2 Playoffs at Brooklyn, N.Y.  
St. John's 8, Lafayette 3
- 1958 District 2 Playoffs  
Lafayette 9, Penn State 1; Lafayette 5, NYU 1
- 1958 College World Series at Omaha, Neb.  
Colorado State 10, Lafayette 5; Western  
Michigan 4, Lafayette 3 (10 inn.)
- 1965 District 2 Playoffs  
Lafayette 4, Pittsburgh 3; Lafayette 5, Princeton 4
- 1965 College World Series at Omaha, Neb.  
Arizona State 14, Lafayette 1; Connecticut 6,  
Lafayette 4
- 1966 District 2 Playoffs at Princeton, N.J.  
Lafayette 15, Colgate 0; St. John's 2, Lafayette 0;  
Lafayette 4, Rutgers 3; St. John's 8, Lafayette 3
- 1984 ECC Championships at Bethlehem, Pa.  
Lehigh 12, Lafayette 2; Rider 5, Lafayette 3
- 1985 ECC Championships at Newark, Del.  
Rider 11, Lafayette 5; Towson 8, Lafayette 5
- 1986 ECC Championships at Lawrenceville, N.J.  
Lafayette 6, Delaware 0; Rider 14, Lafayette 4;  
Delaware 3, Lafayette 2
- 1987 ECC Championships at Newark, Del.  
Lafayette 2, Rider 1; Lafayette 12, Delaware 3;  
Rider 11, Lafayette 6; Rider 17, Lafayette 6
- 1989 ECC Championships at Newark, Del.  
Towson 5, Lafayette 2; Lafayette 6, Delaware 2;  
Rider 3, Lafayette 2
- 1990 ECC Championships at West Windsor, N.J.  
Lafayette 6, Rider 0; Lafayette 7, Delaware 6;  
Lafayette 7, Rider 4
- 1990 NCAA South II Regional at Starkville, Miss.  
Florida State 7, Lafayette 2; Brigham Young 13,  
Lafayette 3
- 1992 ECAC Tournament at Worcester, Mass.  
Hartford 12, Lafayette 4; St. Francis (NY) 2,  
Lafayette 0
- 2002 Patriot League Tournament at Annapolis, Md.  
Lehigh 12, Lafayette 6
- 2004 Patriot League Tournament at West Point, N.Y.  
Lafayette 7, Lehigh 6; Army 3, Lafayette 1;  
Army 16, Lafayette 2

# History

The baseball program is perhaps the most storied of all the 23 athletic teams at Lafayette, first beginning competition in 1865, the same year that the Civil War ended. Following that initial undefeated season that included just two games in the month of November, the Lafayette baseball program has been churning our important moments in Lafayette history, including four appearances in the College World Series and nine appearances in the NCAA Regionals, with the most recent regional appearance coming in 1990.

In recent seasons, current head coach Joe Kinney has taken Lafayette beyond the level of respectability to that of a consistent contender in the Patriot League. In the last three seasons (2002-04), Lafayette has made two appearances in the three-team field of the Patriot League Tournament. In 2004, Lafayette advanced past the first round and on to the Patriot League Tournament Championship Series. Also in 2004, Tom Soldan '04 made history by throwing the 10th no-hitter in program history, a 1-0 victory over Holy Cross.

Jeff Antolick and Jeff Mutis are recent Lafayette graduates who found a place in professional baseball. A 1993 graduate, Antolick was taken by the New York Yankees in 15th round of the 1992 draft.

In 1988, Mutis was the 27th player selected overall in the Major League draft when he was picked by the Cleveland Indians. A lefthanded pitcher, Mutis played two seasons (1991-93) with the Indians before being traded to the Florida Marlins where he played the 1994 season.

Former Lafayette baseball player Joe Maddon is the currently the bench coach of the 2002 World Series Champion Anaheim Angels.

Currently, the Lafayette Maroon Club Hall of Fame is comprised of 13 baseball players most of whom went on to play in the Major Leagues and two baseball coaches who are enshrined in coaching halls of fame.

Mike Gazella enjoyed perhaps the most successful run of all Lafayette graduates in the Major Leagues, playing for the New York Yankees' world championship teams in 1923 and 1928 and what is considered one of, if not the best teams of all time, the 1927 Yankees.

A host of Lafayette players from the past have made it not only to the majors, but varying levels of the minor leagues, including Dick Fitzgerald who played for the Baltimore Orioles' Triple A affiliate for several years.

Lafayette has a tradition of legendary coaches; namely Bill Coughlin and Charlie Gelbert. Coughlin came to Lafayette after a highly-successful pro baseball career with the Detroit Tigers. He had just one losing season in 23 years and ended his coaching career with a 273-134 record while coaching four Major Leaguers.

A World Series star for the St. Louis Cardinals' "Gas House Gang," Gelbert went on to coach for more than two decades at Lafayette where his teams compiled a record of 307-172 in 21 seasons. Gelbert guided teams to five District II titles and an equal number of College World Series appearances. He also molded seven student-athletes into All-American baseball players.

Other top coaches include recent enn State coach Joe Hindelang who coached Mutis and Antolick and was head coach from 1983-90 and his predecessor Norm Gigon who coached the Leopards from 1968-82.

## Lafayette No-Hitters

DATE	PITCHER	SCORE	SITE
June 3, 1911	J. Lester Long	Lafayette 5, Penn 0	Easton, Pa.; March Field
April 19, 1930	Eddie Fager	Lafayette 10, Stevens 0	Easton, Pa.; March Field
April 24, 1919	Ralph Moyer	Lafayette 10, Syracuse 0	Easton, Pa.; March Field
May 18, 1921	Bill Seaman	Lafayette 7, Ursinus 2	
May 2, 1925	Kenneth Yeisley	Lafayette 10, Rutgers 0	Neilson Field
April 14, 1951	Fred Kroog	Lafayette 2, New York Univ. 0	Easton, Pa.; Fisher Field
June 6, 1956	Howard Stoneback	Lafayette 14, Princeton 1	Easton, Pa.; Fisher Field
April 4, 1963	Tom Kozo (3), Dave Becker (3), Don Lordan (1)	Lafayette 8, Muhlenberg 0	Easton, Pa.; Fisher Field
April 18, 1972	Jim Van Der Beek	Lafayette 2, Rutgers 0	New Brunswick, N.J.
March 28, 2004	Tom Soldan	Lafayette 1, Holy Cross 0	Worcester, Mass.; Fitton Field

# Records

## PITCHING

### Single Season Wins

Player	Year	Wins
1. Ronnie Owen	1953	12
2. Jeff Mutis	1986	10
3. Don Lordon	1965	9
4. Rex Peters	1973	8
5. Ronnie Owen	1954	7
Jim Van Der Beek	1971	7
Jim Van Der Beek	1972	7
Jim Curnal	1976	7
9. Marcus Ward	2004	6
Joe Saporetti	2002	6
Jim Van Der Beek	1970	6
Jeff Antolick	1992	6
Bob Pogyor	1990	6
Rob Hatalovsky	1990	6
Eric Marks	1989	6
Rex Peters	1974	6
Ken Bradford	1977	6
John Scott	1985	6
Kris Perkins	1986	6
Eric Kleinsorgen	1987	6
21. Marcus Ward	2002	5
Ron Bailey	1961	5
Al Henry	1961	5
Bob Clements	1966	5
Dick Noll	1968	5
George Schneider	1972	5
Dan King	1993	5
Bob Pogyor	1991	5
John Ireland	1965	5
Jim Curnal	1974	5
Jim Curnal	1975	5
John Scott	1983	5
Rick Jarvis	1987	5
Eric Marks	1987	5

### Single Season Innings Pitched

Player	Year	IP
1. Don Lordon	1965	93.2
2. Jim Van Der Beek	1972	88.0
3. Jim Curnal	1976	84.2
4. Ken Bradford	1977	75.0
5. Jim Van Der Beek	1971	74.2
6. Jim Van Der Beek	1970	74.0
7. Jim Curnal	1975	73.0
8. Ken Bradford	1975	71.1
9. Jeff Ferguson	1969	71.0
10. Dick Noll	1968	70.0
Rex Peters	1973	70.0
12. Marcus Ward	2002	69.1
John Ireland	1965	69.1
Chris Watts	1978	69.1
15. Jeff Mutis	1986	68.0
16. Bob Pogyor	1990	67.1
17. Dave Becker	1963	67.0
18. John Scott	1985	65.1
19. Marcus Ward	2004	65.1
20. Tom Soldan	2004	64.0
21. Bob Pogyor	1991	63.2
22. James Duer	2002	61.1
23. Jeff Antolick	1992	61.0
Rex Peters	1974	61.0
25. John Weigel	1979	60.2
John Weigel	1981	60.0
27. Rob Hatalovsky	1991	59.2
Rob Hatalovsky	1990	59.2

### Single Season ERA

Player	Year	ERA
1. Al Henry	1961	1.45
2. Charlie Gardner	1971	1.48
3. Dick Noll	1968	1.54
4. Rex Peters	1974	1.62
5. Mike Brooks	1990	1.73
6. Rich Carter	1973	1.73
7. Eric Kleinsorgen	1989	1.75
8. Ronnie Owen	1954	1.81
Al Henry	1960	1.81
10. Don Morel	1978	1.85
11. Micky Keelan	1992	1.86
12. Bill Evanko	1959	1.94
13. Ken Bradford	1977	2.04
14. Rex Peters	1973	2.06
15. Dave Becker	1962	2.09
16. Roger Gordon	1954	2.12

17. Jeff Antolick	1992	2.21
18. Jim Curnal	1973	2.33
19. Tom Kozo	1962	2.34
Don Lordon	1963	2.34
Jim Curnal	1975	2.34
22. Bob Clements	1966	2.37
23. Jamie Boyd	1989	2.40
Ken Bradford	1975	2.40
25. Jim Van Der Beek	1972	2.45

### Single Season Strikeouts

Player	Year	SO
1. Jim Van Der Beek	1970	107
Jim Van Der Beek	1972	107
3. Jim Van Der Beek	1971	106
4. Jim Curnal	1976	85
5. Ronnie Owen	1954	66
Don Lordon	1965	66
7. Jeff Antolick	1993	64
Ken Bradford	1975	64
9. Rex Peters	1973	61
10. Ralph Klinepeter	1973	61
11. Jeff Mutis	1986	60
12. George Schneider	1972	59
13. Jim Curnal	1975	59
14. Bob Pogyor	1990	57
John McGettigan	1985	57
16. George Schneider	1971	56
17. Ken Bradford	1977	54
18. Marcus Ward	2002	53
19. Dick Noll	1968	53
Eric Marks	1989	53
21. Brian Cope	2004	50
Rex Peters	1974	50
23. Paul Fischetti	2004	49
John Scott	1985	49
25. Jeff Mutis	1988	48
Chris Watts	1978	48
Andy Davis	1996	48

### Career Wins

Player	Wins	Years
1. Jim Van Der Beek	20	1970-1972
Jim Curnal	20	1973-1976
3. Ronnie Owen	19	1952-1953
4. Rex Peters	18	1971-1974
Jeff Mutis	18	1986-1988
6. Marcus Ward	15	2001-2004
Bob Pogyor	15	1988-1991
8. Dan King	14	1991-1994
9. Ralph Klinepeter	13	1973-1976
John Scott	13	1982-1985
Rob Hatalovsky	13	1989-1992
12. Don Lordon	12	1963-1965
Ken Bradford	12	1974-1977
Eric Marks	12	1987-1989
16. Joe Saporetti	12	2000-2003
John Weigel	11	1978-1981
Pete Demers	11	1982-1985
Mike Brooks	11	1989-1992
19. Bob Clements	10	1966-1968
Kris Perkins	10	1985-1987
Al Henry	9	1959-1961
Dick Noll	9	1966-1968
Chris Watts	9	1978-1981
Ron Bailey	9	1959-1961
Kevin St.Pierre	9	1986-1989
Scott Dennis	9	1997-2000
George Schneider	9	1970-1972

### Career Innings Pitched

Player	Innings	Years
1. Jim Curnal	261.1	1973-1976
2. Jim Van Der Beek	236.2	1970-1972
3. Marcus Ward	218.1	2001-2004
4. Jeff Mutis	218.0	1986-1988
5. Chris Watts	213.1	1978-1981
6. Joe Saporetti	210.0	2000-2003
7. Bob Pogyor	206.1	1988-1991
8. John Weigel	200.1	1978-1981
9. Ken Bradford	197.2	1974-1977
10. Ralph Klinepeter	190.1	1973-1976
11. Dick Noll	167.2	1966-1968
12. James Duer	165.2	2000-2003
13. Steve Hirt	161.0	1985-1988
14. Rob Hatalovsky	160.1	1989-1992
Rex Peters	160.1	1971-1974
16. Mike Brooks	158.2	1989-1992
17. Kevin Swords	150.0	1999-2002
18. John Scott	147.0	1982-1985
19. Dan Morel	146.1	1975-1978
20. Bob Clements	142.2	1966-1968

21. Andy Davis	141.0	1994-1997
22. Pete Demers	140.2	1982-1985
23. Scott Dennis	139.1	1997-2000
24. Mike Mullarkey	137.2	1994-1996
25. Dan King	137.0	1991-1994
26. Kevin St.Pierre	126.1	1986-1989
27. Don Lordon	126.0	1963-1965

### Career ERA

Player	ERA	Years
1. Ron Bailey	1.45	1959-1961
2. Al Henry	2.05	1959-1961
3. Rex Peters	2.14	1971-1974
4. Dick Noll	2.37	1966-1968
Ken Bradford	2.37	1974-1977
6. Eric Kleinsorgen	2.78	1987-1990
7. Jeff Mutis	2.89	1986-1988
8. Jim Curnal	2.90	1973-1976
9. Charlie Gardner	2.91	1970-1972
10. Bob Pogyor	2.93	1988-1991
Jim Van Der Beek	2.93	1970-1972
12. John Sedovy	2.96	1960-1961
13. John McCombs	2.99	1966-1968
14. Don Lordon	3.00	1963-1965
15. Steve Hirt	3.02	1985-1988
16. Tom Kozo	3.06	1961-1963
17. Bill Evanko	3.09	1958-1960
18. Don Eckenfelder	3.14	1960-1962
19. Dave Becker	3.16	1961-1963
20. Jay Fredlund	3.31	1976-1979
21. Jeff Antolick	3.37	1990-1992
22. George Schneider	3.58	1970-1972
23. Scott Werkhoven	3.67	1990-1993
24. Tom Tripodi	3.71	1967-1969
25. Dan Morel	3.88	1975-1978

### Career Strikeouts

Player	Strikeouts	Years
1. Jim Van Der Beek	320	1970-1972
2. Jim Curnal	223	1973-1976
3. Jeff Mutis	167	1986-1988
4. Marcus Ward	164	2001-2004
Ken Bradford	164	1974-1977
6. Chris Watts	162	1978-1981
7. Ralph Klinepeter	155	1973-1976
8. Bob Pogyor	150	1988-1991
9. John Weigel	137	1978-1981
10. Rex Peters	124	1971-1974
Andy Davis	124	1994-1997
12. Joe Saporetti	118	2000-2003
13. George Schneider	116	1970-1972
14. James Duer	114	2000-2003
15. Dick Noll	112	1966-1968
16. Scott Dennis	112	1997-2000
17. Paul Fischette	108	2001-2004
Pete Demers	108	1982-1985
19. John Scott	106	1982-1985
20. Bruce Blank	104	1987-1990
22. Don Lordon	98	1963-1965
Rob Hatalovsky	98	1989-1992
23. Don Eckenfelder	97	1960-1962
24. Tom Kozo	93	1961-1963
25. John McGettigan	92	1984-1987
26. Jeff Antolick	82	1990-1992
27. Mike Mullarkey	90	1994-1996
28. Kevin Swords	89	1999-2002

## HITTING

### Single Season Hits

Player	Year	Hits
1. Jason Boyd	2004	70
2. Adam Rosenberg	2004	68
3. Tye Conser	2002	63
4. Chris Tedeschi	1987	61
5. Vince D'Angelis	2002	58
6. Vince D'Angelis	2000	58
Bob Osipower	1998	56
Gino Cara	1986	56
9. Chip Lloyd	1987	55
George Yolich	1987	55
George Yolich	1986	55
12. Jason Boyd	2002	54
13. Tom Stoudt	1997	53
Dan Maynard	1987	53
15. Adam Buccì	2004	52
Tye Conser	1999	52
Bob Osipower	1997	52
Dan Maynard	1985	52
19. Craig Alexander	2002	51
Adam Rosenberg	2001,2003	51
21. Kevin Kozlowski	1990	51

22. Tom Stoudt	1998	50
23. Bert Sullivan	1990	49
Bryan McKernan	1996	49
Tom Stoudt	1996	49
26. Ian Law	2004	48
Pad Colley	1997	48
John Morris	1995	48
Mike Mancía	1994	48

### Single Season At-Bats

Player	Year	AB
1. Jason Boyd	2004	187
2. Adam Rosenberg	2004	185
3. Tye Conser	2002	177
4. Adam Buccì	2004	172
Jason Boyd	2002	167
6. George Yolich	1987	162
7. Chip Lloyd	1987	161
8. Ian Law	2004	160
Tom Stoudt	1995	160
10. Tom Lynch	1995	159
11. Vince D'Angelis	2002	157
12. Chris Tedeschi	1987	156
13. Tye Conser	1999	153
Bryan McKernan	1995	153
15. Tom Stoudt	1996	151
16. Rob Fioretti	2004	150
17. Adam Rosenberg	2002	148
Tye Conser	2000	148
Bert Sullivan	1990	148
Gino Cara	1990	148
21. Brian Shevitz	1990	147
Gino Cara	1986	146
23. Craig Alexander	2002	145
Pad Colley	1995	145
25. Vince D'Angelis	2000	144
Dan Maynard	1985	144
George Yolich	1986	144
Chris Tedeschi	1986	144
Steve Morrison	1987	144
Pad Colley	1996	144

### Single Season Average

Player	Year	Average
1. Tom Stoudt	1998	.442
2. Bob Osipower	1998	.438
3. Tye Conser	2001	.420
4. Bob Kessler	1959	.419
5. Frank Weisse	1970	.417
6. Rex Peters	1971	.415
7. Charles Kline	1959	.413
8. Chris Watts	1982	.413
9. Ray Moyer	1961	.412
10. Dan Maynard	1987	.411
11. Don Lordon	1965	.404
12. Tim Bannon	1976	.404
13. Jim Burns	1966	.403
14. Vince D'Angelis	2001	.402
Tom Stoudt	1997	.402
16. Keith Colicchio	1980	.400
17. Frank Weisse	1971	.394
18. Chris Tedeschi	1987	.391
19. Vince D'Angelis	2002	.389
20. Bob Argenti	1971	.385
21. Gino Cara	1986	.384
22. Adam Rosenberg	2001	.383
John Weigel	1980	.383
John Freeland	1980	.383

### Single Season Runs Scored

Player	Year	Runs
1. Gino Cara	1986	49
2. Jason Boyd	2004	48
3. Chris Tedeschi	1986	48
Bert Sullivan	1987	48
5. Chris Tedeschi	1987	47
6. George Yolich	1986	45
7. Chip Lloyd	1987	44
8. Adam Rosenberg	2004	43
Dan Maynard	1987	43
George Yolich	1987	43
11. Dan Maynard	1985	42
12. Vince D'Angelis	2002	41
Mike Mecca	1990	41
Tye Conser	2002	40
Jason Boyd		

24. Tom Stoudt	1998
Bob Spagnolo	1990
Dave Daniels	1983
Gino Cara	1983

### Single Season RBI

Player	Year	RBI
1. George Yolich	1986	64
2. Adam Rosenberg	2004	56
3. Dan Maynard	1987	49
4. Vince D'Angelis	2002	47
5. George Yolich	1985	44
6. Brian Shevitz	1991	43
Chris Tedeschi	1987	43
8. Dan Maynard	1985	42
George Yolich	1987	42
10. Jason Boyd	2004	41
11. Ian Burley	2001	40
12. Bob Osipower	1999	39
Kevin Kozlowski	1990	39
14. Mike Mecca	1990	38
Dan Maynard	1986	38
16. John Weigel	1981	37
17. Brian Shevitz	1992	36
<b>18. Adam Buccì</b>	<b>2004</b>	<b>35</b>
Mike Mancía	1994	35
Jim Peyman	1976	35
Chip Lloyd	1986	35
22. Jason Boyd	2002	34
23. Adam Rosenberg	2001	33
24. Frank Weisse	1971	32
Tom Stoudt	1996	32
26. Jason Boyd	2003	31
Tom Stoudt	1998	31
Mike Mancía	1992	31
Mark Rowland	1991	31
Bob Spagnolo	1990	31
Mark Leise	1986	31

### Single Season Doubles

Player	Year	2B
1. Jason Boyd	2002	16
2. Bob Osipower	1997	15
3. Jason Boyd	2004	14
Vince D'Angelis	2000	14
Mike Mancía	1994	14
George Yolich	1985	14
George Yolich	1987	14
8. Bob Osipower	1998	13
Rex Peters	1971	13
George Yolich	1986	13
11. Adam Rosenberg	2004	12
Dan Maynard	1985	12
Dan Maynard	1987	12
14. Jason Boyd	2003	11
Craig Alexander	2002	11
Vince D'Angelis	2001	11
Adam Rosenberg	2001	11
Pad Colley	1997	11
Tom Lynch	1994	11
Mike Mancía	1993	11
Tom MacArthur	1993	11
Mark Rowland	1991	11
Brian Shevitz	1991	11
24. Craig Alexander	2002	10
Vince D'Angelis	2002	10
Tye Gonser	2002	10
Bob Kessler	1960	10
Mike Mecca	1990	10
Brian Shevitz	1990	10
Tim Bannon	1976	10
Chip Lloyd	1986	10

### Single Season Triples

Player	Year	3B
1. Joe Yanek	1987	8
2. Jason Boyd	2004	7
3. Vince D'Angelis	2000	6
4. Brian Canfield	1973	6
5. Walt Manuel	1965	6
6. Ralph Klinepeter	1976	5
7. Dan Maynard	1987	5
8. Jason Boyd	2002	4
Jason Boyd	2001	4
George Watts	1954	4
William MacDonald	1960	4
Ray Moyer	1961	4
Gabe Washo	1964	4
Bob Fielder	1968	4
Frank Weisse	1970	4
Pete Ramsey	1980	4
Kevin Kozlowski	1990	4
Tim Bannon	1976	4

35. George Yolich	1985	4
Dan Maynard	1986	4
Chris Tedeschi	1987	4

Player	Year	HR
1. Bob Osipower	1999	12
2. Jason Boyd	2004	9
Adam Rosenberg	2004	9
Brian Shevitz	1991	9
Bob Spagnolo	1990	9
George Yolich	1986	9
7. Tom Stoudt	1997	8
Frank Weisse	1971	8
John Weigel	1981	8
10. Craig Alexander	2001	7
Ian Burley	2001	7
Tom Stoudt	1998	7
<b>13. Adam Buccì</b>	<b>2004</b>	<b>6</b>
Jason Boyd	2003	6
Ray Moyer	1963	6
John Freeland	1980	6
Mike Mecca	1989	6
George Yolich	1985	6
George Yolich	1987	6
20. Adam Rosenberg	2003	5
Vince D'Angelis	2002	5
Vince D'Angelis	2001	5
George Waits	1954	5
Bill Hogarty	1954	5
Keith Colicchio	1980	5
John Freeland	1981	5
Mark Esseppe	1981	5
John Cubala	1994	5
Ted Rafterovich	1994	5
Brian Shevitz	1992	5
Brian Shevitz	1990	5
John Bellucci	1983	5
Dan Maynard	1986	5
Mark Leise	1986	5

### Single Season Total Bases

Player	Year	TB
1. Jason Boyd	2004	125
2. Adam Rosenberg	2004	104
3. George Yolich	1986	101
Bob Osipower	1999	93
5. Vince D'Angelis	2000	91
George Yolich	1987	91
7. Vince D'Angelis	2002	89
Tom Stoudt	1997	89
9. Dan Maynard	1987	87
Chris Tedeschi	1987	87
11. Brian Shevitz	1991	86
George Yolich	1985	86
13. Jason Boyd	2002	84
Mike Mecca	1990	84
15. Bob Osipower	1998	83
Tye Gonser	2002	81
Bob Spagnolo	1990	81
18. Mike Mancía	1994	79
<b>19. Adam Buccì</b>	<b>2004</b>	<b>78</b>
20. Craig Alexander	2002	78
Tom Stoudt	1998	78
22. Bob Osipower	1997	76
John Weigel	1981	76
Kevin Kozlowski	1990	76
25. Adam Rosenberg	2003	75
Vince D'Angelis	2001	75
Mark Rowland	1991	75
28. Adam Rosenberg	2001	74
Joe Yanek	1987	74
Tom Stoudt	1996	74

### Single Season Slugging Percentage

Player	Year	Slg. %
1. William MacDonald	1960	.731
2. Frank Weisse	1971	.727
3. Vince D'Angelis	2001	.701
4. George Yolich	1986	.701
5. Tom Stoudt	1998	.690
Brian Shevitz	1991	.688
7. Bob Osipower	1999	.684
8. Keith Colicchio	1980	.678
9. Tom Stoudt	1997	.674
Dan Maynard	1987	.674
11. Jason Boyd	2004	.668
12. George Yolich	1985	.667
13. Bob Spagnolo	1990	.664
14. Joe Yanek	1987	.661
15. Frank Weisse	1970	.653
16. Mike Mecca	1990	.651

4. 17. John Weigel	1981	.650
18. Bob Osipower	1998	.648
19. Ray Moyer	1962	.647
20. John Weigel	1980	.642
21. Brian Canfield	1973	.639
22. Tim Bannon	1976	.635
23. Vince D'Angelis	2000	.632
24. Craig Alexander	2001	.619
25. Dan Maynard	1986	.615
26. Bob Kessler	1960	.612

### Single Season Stolen Bases

Player	Year	SB
1. Bert Solivan	1987	28
2. Gino Cara	1985	23
Gino Cara	1986	23
4. Jim Anderson	1971	21
5. Bert Solivan	1990	21
6. David Daniels	1983	20
7. Jason Boyd	2002	19
Mark Rowland	1990	19
6. Art Fischetti	1974	19
Art Fischetti	1975	19
11. Mike Mecca	1990	18
Brian Shevitz	1990	18
13. Art Fischetti	1972	17
Kevin Kozlowski	1989	17
15. Jason Boyd	2003	16
Mark Esseppe	1981	16
Art Fischetti	1973	16
18. Adam Rosenberg	2002	15
Tye Gonser	1999	15
Dave Duncan	1978	15
21. Jason Boyd	2004	14
Tye Gonser	2002	14
Brian Shevitz	1992	14
Mike Mecca	1989	14
Bert Solivan	1988	14
Chris Tedeschi	1986	14
Joe Yanek	1987	14

### Career Hits

Player	Hits	Years
1. Adam Rosenberg	216	2001-2004
2. Jason Boyd	212	2001-2004
3. Tye Gonser	199	1999-2002
4. Tom Stoudt	197	1995-1998
5. Bob Osipower	196	1997-2000
Vince D'Angelis	196	1999-2002
7. Dan Maynard	176	1984-1987
8. Gino Cara	168	1983-1986
9. Bert Solivan	160	1986-88,1990
Kevin McKernan	160	1995-1998
11. George Yolich	159	1984-1987
12. Scott Miltenberger	157	1991-1994
13. Mark Rowland	150	1990-1993
Pad Colley	150	1995-1998
Brian Shevitz	149	1989-1992
16. Chris Tedeschi	145	1984-1987
Mitch Hoffman	145	1995-1998
18. Mike Mancía	141	1991-1994
19. Mike Ippolito	137	1982-1985
20. Bryan McKernan	136	1994-1997
Joe Yanek	132	1984-1987
22. Ian Burley	125	1998-2001
23. Matt Tambellini	124	2000-2003
24. Craig Alexander	129	2001-2004
<b>25. Adam Buccì</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>2002-</b>
Jeff Rodgers	118	2004-2005
27. Art Fischetti	115	1972-1975
28. Mark Esseppe	114	1979-1982
John Weigel	111	1978-1981
30. John Freeland	110	1978-1981
Rex Peters	110	1971-1974

### Career At-Bats

Player	At-Bats Played
1. Jason Boyd	618
2. Adam Rosenberg	608
Tye Gonser	566
4. Tom Stoudt	556
Gino Cara	534
6. Kevin McKernan	524
Bob Osipower	522
8. Vince D'Angelis	513
9. Bryan McKernan	497
10. Bert Solivan	490
Mark Rowland	490
Brian Shevitz	484
13. Dan Maynard	483
George Yolich	461
15. Pad Colley	460
16. Mitch Hoffman	459

17. Joe Yanek	457	1984-1987
Scott Miltenberger	457	1991-1994
Chris Tedeschi	451	1984-1987
Ian Burley	441	1998-2001
Mike Mancía	429	1991-1994
22. Matt Tambellini	428	2000-2003
<b>23. Adam Buccì</b>	<b>405</b>	<b>2002-</b>
Jeff Rodgers	394	2001-2004
25. Mark Esseppe	389	1979-1982
Ken Haas	387	1989-1992
27. Ralph Russo	386	1988-1991
Jason Moll	380	1999-2002
29. John Freeland	372	1978-1981

### Career Batting Average

Player	Average	Years
1. Tommy Morgan	.405	1956-1958
2. Bob Kessler	.396	1958-1960
3. Vince D'Angelis	.382	1999-2002
4. Bob Osipower	.375	1997-2000
5. John Weigel	.365	1978-1981
6. Dan Maynard	.364	1984-1987
7. Don Lorden	.363	1963-1965
Keith Colicchio	.363	1980-1981
9. Adam Rosenberg	.355	2001-2004
10. Tom Stoudt	.354	1995-1998
12. Frank Weisse	.352	1970-1972
Tye Gonser	.352	1999-2002
14. William MacDonald	.346	1958-1960
15. George Yolich	.345	1984-1987
16. Scott Miltenberger	.344	1991-1994
17. Jason Boyd	.343	2001-2004
18. Pete Pavia	.343	1959-1961
Brian Canfield	.330	1970-1973
20. Mike Mancía	.329	1991-1994
21. Tony Savitsky	.327	1965-1967
Bert Solivan	.327	1986-88,1990
23. Pad Colley	.326	1995-1998
Mike Mecca	.326	1989-1990

### Career Runs Scored

Player	Runs	Years
1. Jason Boyd	153	2001-2004
2. Gino Cara	150	1983-1986
3. Dan Maynard	143	1984-1987
4. Joe Yanek	142	1984-1987
5. Bert Solivan	133	1986-88,1990
6. Vince D'Angelis	131	1999-2002
7. Chris Tedeschi	130	1984-1987
8. Adam Rosenberg	127	2001-2004
9. Scott Miltenberger	124	1991-1994
Brian Shevitz	119	1989-1992
Tom Stoudt	119	1995-1998
George Yolich	117	1984-1987
13. Tye Gonser	114	1999-2002
14. Bob Osipower	111	1997-2000
15. Mark Rowland	107	1990-1993
16. Pad Colley	100	1995-1998
17. Jim Peyman	98	1974-1977
18. Mark Esseppe	90	1979-1982
19. Mitch Hoffman	89	1995-1998
20. Mike Mancía	86	1991-1994
Bryan McKernan	85	1994-1997
Kevin McKernan	85	1995-1998
22. Art Fischetti	82	1972-1975
23. Chip Lloyd	81	1984-1987
24. Jeff Rodgers	80	2001-2004
25. Ian Burley	80	1998-2001
Steve Morrison	80	1985-1988
27. Hal Kamine	77	1975-1978

### Career RBI

Player	RBI	Years
1. Dan Maynard	156	1984-1987
2. George Yolich	152	1984-1987
3. Adam Rosenberg	134	2001-2004
4. Jason Boyd	129	2001-2004
5. Bob Osipower	122	1997-2000
Brian Shevitz	117	1989-1992
7. Tom Stoudt	115	1995-1998
8. Vince D'Angelis	112	1999-2002
9. Tye Gonser	97	1999-2002
10. Mike Mancía	93	1991-1994
11. Mark Rowland	91	1990-1993
12. Kevin McKernan	90	1995-1998
13. Chris Tedeschi	85	1984-1987
Ian Burley	85	1998-2001
<b>15. Adam Buccì</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>2002-</b>
John Freeland	84	1978-1981
17. Jim Peyman	79	1974-1977
Joe Yanek	79	1984-1987
John		

21.	Rex Peters	75	1971-1974
22.	Mitch Hoffman	73	1995-1998
	Tim Bannon	73	1973-1976
24.	Bert Solivan	72	1986-1988,1990
	Gino Cara	72	1983-1986
26.	Steve Morrison	70	1985-1988
27.	John Cubala	68	1991-1994

### Career Doubles

Player	Doubles	Years	
1. Jason Boyd	49	2001-2004	
2. Bob Osipower	46	1997-2000	
3. George Yolich	43	1984-1987	
	Vince D'Angelis	43	1999-2002
5. Adam Rosenberg	35	2001-2004	
6. Dan Maynard	34	1984-2002	
	Mike Mancía	34	1991-1994
8. Tye Gonser	31	1999-2002	
9. Craig Alexander	30	2001-2004	
10. Kevin McKernan	29	1995-1998	
	Tom Stoudt	29	1995-1998
12. Brian Shevitz	26	1989-1992	
	Ian Burley	26	1998-2001
14. Joe Yanek	25	1984-1987	
	Mitch Hoffman	25	1995-1998
	Pad Colley	25	1995-1999
	Rex Peters	25	1971-1974
18. Ed Janiga	24	1980-1983	
	Jason Boy	24	2000-2001
20. Bryan McKerna	22	1994-1997	
	Mark Rowland	22	1990-1993
	Scott Miltenberger	22	1991-1994
23. Joe Barkauskas	21	1970-1972	
	Ralph Russo	21	1988-1991
25. Bert Solivan	20	1986-88,1990	
	Tom McArthur	20	1990-1993
	John Weigel	20	1978-1981
	Tim Bannon	20	1973-1976

### Career Triples

Player	Triples	Years	
1. Jason Boyd	16	2001-2004	
2. Joe Yanek	13	1984-1987	
	Vince D'Angelis	13	1999-2002
4. Bert Solivan	11	1986-88,1990	
	Dan Maynard	11	1984-1987
6. George Yolich	9	1984-1987	
	Mark Rowland	9	1990-1993
8. Bob Fiedler	8	1966-1968	
	Brian Canfield	8	1970-1973
	Kevin Kozlowski	8	1987-1990
	Tom Stoudt	8	1995-1998
13. Art Fischetti	7	1972-1975	
	Bob Argenti	7	1971-1973
	Frank Weisse	7	1970-1972
	Len Fruci	7	1975-1978

18. Mike Neborak	7	1976-1979	
	Walt Manuel	7	1963-1965
19. Brian Shevitz	6	1989-1992	
	Chip Lloyd	6	1984-1987
	Chris Tedeschi	6	1984-1987
	Mitch Hoffman	6	1995-1998
	Pad Colley	6	1995-1998
	Ralph Klinepeter	6	1973-1976
	Pete Ramsey	6	1979-1982
	Ralph Russo	6	1988-1991
	Bob Lewis	6	1958-1960
	Steve Morrison	6	1985-1988
	Tim Bannon	6	1973-1976
	Tye Gonser	6	1999-2002

### Career Home Runs

Player	Home Runs	Years	
1. Bob Osipower	22	1997-2000	
2. George Yolich	21	1984-1987	
3. Tom Stoudt	21	1995-1998	
4. Jason Boyd	20	2001-2004	
	Brian Shevitz	20	1989-1992
	Adam Rosenberg	19	2001-2004
	John Freeland	17	1978-1981
8. Craig Alexander	16	2001-2004	
	John Weigel	15	1978-1981
	Mike Mecca	15	1989-1990
11. Vince D'Angelis	14	1999-2002	
12. Bob Spagnolo	13	1987-1990	
	Dan Maynard	13	1984-1987
	Frank Weisse	12	1970-1972
	Ian Burley	12	1998-2001
16. Adam Bucci	11	2002-	
	Mike Mancía	11	1991-1994
18. Jim Peyton	10	1974-1977	
	Joe Yanek	9	1984-1987
	Mark Rowland	9	1990-1993
	Ray Moyer	9	1961-1963
	Steve Morrison	9	1985-1988
23. Bill Russell	8	1981-1984	
	John Cubala	8	1991-1994
	Pad Colley	8	1995-1999
	Rex Peters	8	1971-1974
27. Bert Solivan	7	1986-88,1990	
	Keith Colicchio	7	1980-1981

### Career Total Bases

Player	Total Bases	Years	
1. Jason Boyd	353	2001-2004	
2. Adam Rosenberg	318	2001-2004	
3. Bob Osipower	316	1997-2000	
4. Vince D'Angelis	307	1999-2002	
5. George Yolich	292	1984-1987	
	Dan Maynard	266	1984-1987
	Brian Shevitz	253	1989-1992

7. Tye Gonser	248	1999-2002	
8. Kevin McKernan	223	1995-1998	
9. Mark Rowland	217	1990-1993	
10. Tom Stoudt	216	1995-1998	
11. Craig Alexander	213	2001-2004	
12. Pad Colley	211	1995-1998	
13. Mike Mancía	210	1991-1994	
14. Bert Solivan	209	1986-88,1990	
15. Joe Yanek	206	1984-1987	
16. John Freeland	195	1978-1981	
17. Mitch Hoffman	194	1995-1998	
18. Ian Burley	193	1997-2001	
19. Gino Cara	191	1983-1986	
20. Chris Tedeschi	188	1984-1987	
21. Adam Bucci	185	2002-	
	Scott Miltenberger	185	1991-1994
23. John Weigel	184	1978-1981	
24. Bryan McKernan	173	1994-1997	
25. Matt Tambellini	170	2000-2003	
26. Rex Peters	163	1971-1974	
27. Art Fischetti	162	1972-1975	
28. Jim Peyton	160	1974-1977	

### Career Slugging Percentage

Player	Slg. %	Years	
1. George Yolich	.633	1984-1987	
2. Mike Mecca	.629	1989-1990	
3. Bob Kessler	.610	1958-1960	
4. Bob Osipower	.605	1997-2000	
5. John Weigel	.605	1978-1981	
6. Frank Weisse	.599	1970-1972	
7. Vince D'Angelis	.598	1999-2002	
8. Jason Boyd	.571	2001-2004	
9. Dan Maynard	.551	1984-1987	
10. William MacDonald	.548	1958-1960	
11. Ray Moyer	.539	1961-1963	
12. John Freeland	.524	1978-1981	
13. Adam Rosenberg	.523	2001-2004	
	Keith Colicchio	.523	1980-1981
	Brian Shevitz	.523	1989-1992
	Adam Rosenberg	.509	2001-2004
17. Bob Spagnolo	.502	1987-1990	
18. Mike Mancía	.490	1991-1994	
19. Jim Engvall	.484	1966-1968	
20. Ralph Klinepeter	.483	1973-1976	
	Brian Canfield	.483	1970-1973
22. Don Lorden	.479	1963-1965	
23. Jim Peyton	.476	1974-1977	
24. Chip Lloyd	.467	1984-1987	

### Career Stolen Bases

Player	SB	Years
1. Bert Solivan	79	1986-88,1990
2. Gino Cara	74	1983-1986
3. Art Fischetti	71	1972-1975
4. Jason Boyd	54	2001-2004

5. Tye Gonser	50	1999-2002	
6. Brian Shevitz	46	1989-1992	
7. Adam Rosenberg	45	2001-2004	
8. Kevin Kozlowski	44	1987-1990	
9. Mark Rowland	40	1990-1993	
10. Vince D'Angelis	36	1999-2002	
11. Chris Tedeschi	34	1984-1987	
12. Mike Mecca	32	1989-1990	
13. Joe Yanek	31	1984-1987	
14. Ralph Russo	28	1988-1991	
15. George Yolich	26	1984-1987	
	Jim Anderson	26	1969-1971
	Scott Miltenberger	26	1991-1994
18. Hal Kamine	24	1975-1978	
19. Bob Argenti	23	1971-1973	
	Adam Rosenberg	23	2000-2001
	Mark Eseppe	23	1979-1982
22. Chip Lloyd	22	1984-1987	
	David Duncan	22	1977-1980
24. Jason Moll	21	1999-2002	
	Mike Palos	21	1998-2000
26. David Daniels	20	1980-1983	

### Career Games Played

Player	Games	Years	
1. Adam Rosenberg	173	2001-2004	
2. Jason Boyd	172	2001-2004	
3. Matt Tambellini	161	2000-2003	
4. Kevin McKernan	158	1995-1998	
5. Craig Alexander	155	2001-2004	
6. Tom Stoudt	155	1995-1998	
7. Mark Rowland	154	1987-1990	
8. Vince D'Angelis	153	1999-2002	
9. Tye Gonser	152	1999-2002	
10. Gino Cara	151	1983-1986	
11. Dan Maynard	150	1984-1987	
12. Bob Osipower	149	1997-2000	
13. Brian McKernan	148	1994-1997	
	Brian Shevitz	148	1989-1992
15. John Boozang	143	1984-1987	
16. Bert Solivan	141	1986-88, 1990	
	Ian Burley	141	1998-2001
18. George Yolich	140	1984-1987	
19. Jason Moll	139	1999-2002	
20. Mitch Hoffman	138	1995-1998	
21. Scott Miltenberger	137	1991-1994	
22. Jeff Rodgers	136	2001-2004	
23. Chris Tedeschi	135	1984-1987	
	Ralph Russo	135	1988-1991
	Pad Colley	134	1995-1998
26. Adam Bucci	129	2002-	
27. Mike Mancía	124	1991-1994	
28. Ken Haas	118	1989-1992	
29. Joe Yanek	116	1984-1987	
30. Chip Lloyd	108	1984-1987	

## Year-By-Year

1865	2-0	1900	7-16	1934	12-3	1971	19-5
1866	1-2	1901	11-11	1935	9-7	1972	17-9
1867	1-0	1902	14-9	1936	9-5-1	1973	17-10
1869	1-0-1	1903	15-12	1937	12-2-1	1974	18-6
1870	1-0	1904	16-7	1938	14-4	1975	14-12
1871	2-2	1905	22-7	1939	13-4	1976	14-12
1872	2-0	1906	16-9	1940	10-3-1	1977	12-10
1873	3-4-1	1907	19-8-2	1941	15-4-1	1978	11-12-1
1874	1-1	1908	11-14-1	1942	9-3	1979	9-15
1875	5-1	1909	12-12	1943	7-10	1980	11-13-1
1876	7-5	1910	19-13	1944	6-9	1981	13-17-2
1877	4-1	1911	16-10	1945	2-11	1982	6-18
1878	4-2	1912	11-15	1946	12-6	1983	11-24
1879	0-4	1913	22-14	1947	10-6	1984	13-24
1880	2-3	1914	15-11-1	1948	18-10	1985	17-23-1
1881	3-2	1915	16-10	1949	13-11	1986	27-13
1882	5-4	1916	14-11	1950	15-9	1987	29-15
1883	4-3	1917	4-13	1951	13-8	1988	14-21
1884	8-8-1	1918	4-4	1952	11-9-2	1989	21-15
1885	5-6	1919	9-7	1953	20-6-2	1990	26-17
1886	8-5	1920	14-4-1	1954	16-8	1991	16-19 (9-6 PL)
1887	5-6	1921	14-8	1955	17-6-1	1992	22-12 (12-3 PL)
1888	9-11	1922	17-5	1956	21-4-1	1993	12-21 (10-10 PL)
1889	10-3-1	1923	14-11	1957	16-7	1994	11-25 (8-12 PL)
1890	11-9-1	1924	13-6	1958	19-10	1995	9-36 (6-18 PL)
1891	9-12-1	1925	11-6	1959	13-5	1996	12-28 (9-11 PL)
1892	2-10	1926	10-10	1960	11-9-1	1997	11-26 (7-12 PL)
1893	2-12	1927	15-4	1961	13-11-1	1998	10-26 (8-12 PL)
1894	6-6	1928	11-11	1962	16-5	1999	8-32 (4-16 PL)
1895	11-10	1929	15-3	1963	9-13-1	2000	12-27 (6-12 PL)
1896	8-12	1930	9-11-1	1964	8-12	2001	10-32 (5-15 PL)
1897	14-6	1931	10-8	1965	18-8	2002	23-22 (12-8 PL)
1898	15-11	1932	10-4	1966	18-9	2003	16-24 (7-13 PL)
1899	18-12	1933	8-5	1967	7-15-1	2004	23-26 (11-9 PL)
				1968	15-7	Total	1613-1411-32 (533)
				1969	8-14		
				1970	11-9		



# The Patriot League

## Today's Scholar-Athletes, Tomorrow's Leaders



### 2004 Patriot League Standings

Team	W-L	Pct.	W-L-T	Pct.
1. Army	17-3	.850	37-15-0	.712
2. Lafayette	11-9	.550	23-26-0	.469
3. Lehigh	9-11	.450	25-21-0	.543
4. Holy Cross	9-11	.450	14-22-1	.392
5. Bucknell	7-13	.350	20-24-0	.455
6. Navy	7-13	.350	14-36-0	.280

#### ALL-PATRIOT LEAGUE

Adam Rosenberg Player of the Year

#### FIRST TEAM

Adam Rosenberg Rightfield  
 Jason Boyd Centerfield  
 Frank Cortazar Designated Hitter

#### SECOND TEAM

Marcus Ward Pitcher

#### WEEKLY AWARDS

##### Pitcher of the Week

Tom Soldan (March 29)  
 Paul Fischetti (April 12)

##### Rookie of the Week

Brian Cope (April 19)

The Patriot League is proud of its mission of promoting opportunities for "Today's Scholar-Athletes, Tomorrow's Leaders."

The League led NCAA Division I conferences in graduation rates for the fifth-straight year in 2003. Patriot League graduates consistently excel as professionals in their chosen fields and are contributors to the betterment of society.

Patriot League teams and scholar-athletes are also achieving triumphs and accolades on the intercollegiate fields of competition: Consider some team successes in the last few years:

- Two Patriot League teams advanced to their respective NCAA Championship game in 2003-04 (Colgate football and Navy men's lacrosse);
- The Patriot League advanced three teams to an NCAA Championship Tournament twice in the last two years (2002 men's soccer and 2004 men's lacrosse);
- The Patriot League has advanced a team to the quarterfinal round of the NCAA Division I-AA Football Championship five of the last six years, including three wins each by Colgate and Lehigh. Individual achievements have been similarly impressive:
  - Army's **Anita Allen** will represent the U.S.A. in the modern pentathlon and **Dan Browne** will run in the marathon at the 2004 Olympics in Athens, Greece;
  - Colgate junior **Jamaal Branch** won the 2003 Walter Payton Award as the outstanding Division I-AA football player;
  - Three-time PL Volleyball Player of the Year **Karla Kucerkova** of American won her second-straight CoSIDA Academic All-American of the Year award in 2003;
  - Bucknell's **Molly Creamer** was a first-round draft pick, No. 10 overall, by the New York Liberty in the 2003 WNBA draft. She was one of a handful of former PL standouts playing professional basketball overseas in 2003-04;
  - Navy's **Richie Meade** was named the national Coach of the Year in men's lacrosse while sophomore **Matt Russell** was a first-team All-American and national Goalie of the Year;
  - Lafayette soccer standout **Meghan Ramsey** captured her second-straight

ECAC-Robbins Scholar-Athlete award in 2004 and was awarded an NCAA post-graduate scholarship;

- Colgate's **John Frieser** earned first-team Academic All-American honors, won two post-graduate scholarships and signed a free-agent contract with the NFL St. Louis Rams;
  - **Kevin Miller** of Bucknell and **Drew Bigda** of Holy Cross were selected in the 2004 Major League Baseball June free-agent draft. It marks the sixth-straight year at least one Patriot League player was picked in the draft.
  - A handful of men's soccer (**Steve Fisher** and **Evan Bruno** of Lehigh) and men's lacrosse (Army's **Jeff Bryan** along with **Blaise Fletcher** and **Justin Sussman** of Bucknell) players also were drafted or began professional playing careers this year.
  - Navy's **Billy Hurley** capped his All-America collegiate golf career as the winner of the Byron Nelson Award and as a second-team CoSIDA Academic All-American.
- The Patriot League's athletic success is achieved while remaining committed to its founding principle that student-athletes are academically representative of their class. Participation in athletics at Patriot League institutions is viewed as an important component of a well-rounded education.
- The origins of Patriot League excellence date back to 1986 with the inception of a successful Division I-AA football conference. In 1990, the Patriot League expanded to an all-sports conference, now featuring 23 championship sports.
- Full League members include American, Army, Bucknell, Colgate, Holy Cross, Lafayette, Lehigh and Navy. Associate members include Fordham and Georgetown for football and Villanova in women's lacrosse.
- These member institutions are among the oldest and most prestigious in the nation. Alumni from Patriot League colleges and universities have played a leadership role in the shaping of our country.
- "The Patriot League — Today's Scholar-Athletes, Tomorrow's Leaders" is still the League's primary vision. However, the League is demonstrating annually that our student-athletes really can play.