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GAMEDAY

MARIAN UNIVERSITY MEN'S VOLLEYBALL



SABRES OPEN WEEK WITH WISCONSIN LUTHERAN



WISCONSIN LUTHERAN WARRIORS

VS

MARIAN UNIVERSITY SABRES



6-4

1-0 NACC

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24

SADOFF GYMNASIUM • 7 PM

4-9

0-2 NACC

2026 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

JANUARY

16	WESTMINSTER [^]	L	3-2
	WITTENBERG [^]	L	3-1
17	THIEL [^]	L	3-0
	EASTERN MENNONITE [^]	L	3-2
22	CLARKE	POSTPONED	
30	(RV) WESTMINSTER & W	W	3-0
31	OLIVET & VITERBO &	W	3-0

FEBRUARY

3	JUDSON	L	3-2
6	UW-STEVENS POINT	L	3-0
10	NORTH PARK	W	3-0
12	AUGUSTANA (ILL.)	L	3-1
17	ST. NORBERT*	L	3-0
21	CONCORDIA WISCONSIN*	L	3-1
24	WISCONSIN LUTHERAN*		7 PM
28	AURORA*		NOON

MARCH

7	BENEDICTINE* @		NOON
	LORAS @		5 PM
10	MSOE*		7 PM
14	ILLINOIS TECH*		NOON
21	ROCKFORD*		TBA
24	EDGEWOOD*		7 PM
28	DOMINICAN*		5 PM

APRIL

1	LAKELAND*		6 PM
4	CONCORDIA CHICAGO*		1 PM
	HOME GAME NACC MATCH*		
	JIM COLEMAN INVITE (WITTENBERG) [^]		
	SABRE CLASSIC & MARIAN TRIANGULAR @		

GAME NOTES

FIRST SERVE:

Marian University men's volleyball begins the week against Wisconsin Lutheran Tuesday, February 24 at 7 p.m.

CAN YOU DIG IT:

Marian continues to dominate in the back row ranking 12th in the nation, first in the NACC, with 11.53 digs per set. Senior Trent Goo Sun ranks second in the NACC, 37th in the nation, with his 2.57 digs per set average.

SEEING DOUBLE:

Sophomore Adrian Calderon-Castro and senior Trent Goo Sun each had a double-double in the loss to CUW. For Goo Sun, it was his fifth double-double of the season and Calderon-Castro posted his third double-double.

I AM THE WARRIOR:

Wisconsin Lutheran opened NACC play with a sweep of St. Norbert at home. The Warriors rank 11th in the nation for aces per set, 22nd for hitting percentage, and 25th for kills per set. Sophomore Brady Pichler leads the Warriors and ranks seventh in the country for points per set.

ALL-TIME SERIES:

Marian enters with a 4-1 record against Wisconsin Lutheran where all four victories were sweeps. The Warriors defeated the Sabres for the first time last season at WLC in a five-set match.

UP NEXT:

Marian hits the road for Aurora Saturday, February 28 for a noon first serve in NACC action.



TEAM LEADERS



Kills	Pichler (113)	Kills	Calderon-Castro (182)
Assists	Bedalov (176)	Assists	Bou (311)
Digs	Pichler (57)	Digs	Goo Sun (127)
Total Blocks	Wempner (23)	Total Blocks ...	Calderon-Castro / Shogren (21)
Service Aces	Pichler (20)	Service Aces	Goo Sun (16)
Points	Pichler (147.0)	Points	Calderon-Castro (208.0)



MARIAN UNIVERSITY SABRES

#	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Cl.	Hometown	High School
1	Rudy Badua	DS	5-2	110	Jr.	Kalihi, Hawaii	William McKinley
2	CJ Kendrick	DS	5-11	155	Sr.	Palatine, Ill.	Palatine
3	Trent Goo Sun	OH	6-0	150	Sr.	Kalihi, Hawaii	University Laboratory
4	Andrew Briones	DS	5-10	160	Sr.	Villa Park, Ill.	Montini Catholic
5	Omar López	DS	5-7	155	Fr.	Milwaukee, Wis.	Milwaukee School of Languages
6	Jake Raymus	RS	6-4	165	Fr.	Oak Creek, Wis.	Oak Creek
7	Juan Gomez	OH	5-10	185	So.	Chicago, Ill.	St. Lawrence
8	JJ Ross	RS	6-2	180	Jr.	Madison, Wis.	La Follette
9	Adrian Calderon-Castro	OH	5-10	150	So.	Carolina, P.R.	Saint John's
10	Carter Shogren	MB	5-10	140	Jr.	Zion, Ill.	Zion-Benton Township
11	Ghreysen Scully	MB	6-0	170	So.	Kunia, Hawaii	Leilehua
12	Tyler McGown	RS	6-1	155	Fr.	Verona, Wis.	Vel Phillips Memorial
14	Luke Jones	RS	6-7	190	Fr.	Honolulu, Hawaii	Moanalua
17	Baribefee Denuate	RS	6-2	190	Fr.	Chicago, Ill.	Nicholas Senn
20	Drake Deanovich	DS	5-11	170	Fr.	Fond du Lac, Wis.	Fond du Lac
21	Will Vanier	MB	6-4	190	Fr.	West Allis, Wis.	Nathan Hale
22	Ryan Jarrett	S	6-0	190	Fr.	Mehlville, Mo.	Mehlville
25	Giancarlo Bou	S	5-8	140	So.	San Juan, P.R.	Saint John's

Head Coach: Blake Badtke (2nd Season)

Assistant Coach: Amber Yahr



WISCONSIN LUTHERAN WARRIORS

#	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown / High School
1	Noah Kern	OH	5-11	160	So.	Brookfield, Wis. / East
2	Ray Dryier	OH	6-0	180	So.	Lockport, Ill. / Lockport Township
3	Trevor Salutric	L	6-0	190	Sr.	Lockport, Ill. / Lockport Township
4	Logan Davies	OPP/MH	6-2	170	Fr.	New Lenox, Ill. / Lincoln-Way Central
5	George O'Connor	OH/OPP	6-3	165	Fr.	Chesterton, Ind. / Chesterton
6	Adam Bedalov	S	6-0	160	Fr.	Waukesha, Wis. / West
7	Ryder Vogt	L	5-9	145	Fr.	Manitowoc, Wis. / Lutheran
8	Brady Pichler	OPP	6-2	180	So.	Menomonee Falls, Wis. / Hamilton
9	Carson Rau	OH	6-1	180	So.	Jackson, Wis. / Kettle Moraine Lutheran
10	Michael Meloy	OH	6-0	185	Fr.	Shorewood, Ill. / Joliet West
11	Connor Haeuser	OH	6-1	180	Sr.	West Bend, Wis. / Kettle Moraine Lutheran
12	Sean Kane	OPP	6-2	190	Jr.	Tinley Park, Ill. / Providence Catholic
13	Adonis Hilton	OH	6-0	185	Fr.	Rockford, Ill. / Guilford
14	Jacob Geboy	MH	6-2	185	So.	West Allis, Wis. / Nathan Hale
15	Drew Wempner	MH	6-6	200	Sr.	West Allis, Wis. / Wisconsin Lutheran
16	Martin Malaythong	S	5-10	170	Fr.	Belvidere, Ill. / Belvidere
18	David Warren	S	5-11	224	Fr.	Brookfield, Wis. / East
20	Josh Ward	MH	6-5	200	Jr.	Mukwonago, Wis. / Mukwonago

Head Coach: Mike Endsley

MARIAN RECORD WHEN

Overall	4-9
Conference	0-2
Home	4-1
Away	0-5
Neutral	0-3
Winning 1st Set	4-0
Losing 1st Set.....	0-9
Leading Sets 2-0	3-0
Trailing Sets 2-0	0-6
Sets Tied 1-1	1-3
Winning 3rd Set.....	4-3
Losing 3rd Set.....	0-6
Leading Sets 2-1	1-0
Trailing Sets 2-1	0-6
Five Set Matches.....	0-3
More Kills Than Opponent.....	4-0
Fewer Kills Than Opponent.....	0-9
Kills Tied	0-0
More Digs Than Opponent	4-6
Fewer Digs Than Opponent	0-2
Digs Tied	0-1
Tuesday.....	1-2
Thursday.....	0-1
Friday.....	1-3
Saturday	2-3
Other.....	0-0

MARIAN UNIVERSITY MEN'S VOLLEYBALL HISTORY

- Marian University men's volleyball played its inaugural season in 2016 going 8-15 with a 5-8 record in the MCVL.
- The Sabres competed in the Midwest Collegiate Volleyball League in 2016 and 2017 before the NACC added men's volleyball in 2018.
- Marian has qualified for the NACC Tournament five times in program history reaching the semifinals in 2018.
- The Sabres have posted double-digit victories in four seasons. The first winning season in program history came in 2022 when Marian went 23-8.
- Cullen Liberski (2016-19) is the NCAA Division III all-time leader for digs and digs per set.

SADOFF GYM FACTS

- Sadoff Gym has been the home of Sabre volleyball and basketball since 1982.
- The gym features two state-of-the-art scoreboards that were installed in 2010 along with two locker rooms.
- The upstairs of the gym consists of a weight room/fitness area, athletic training room, and various athletic offices.
- A golf simulator overlooks the weight room for both Marian golf programs to practice year round.



STANDINGS

	Conference				Overall					
	GP	W-L	PCT	SF-SA	GP	W-L	PCT	SF-SA	L10	STRK
Dominican	2	2-0	1.000	6-0	12	10-2	.833	33-11	8-2	W2
Aurora	3	3-0	1.000	9-1	11	8-3	.727	28-11	7-3	W2
MSOE	1	1-0	1.000	3-1	13	8-5	.615	30-19	7-3	W1
Wisconsin Lutheran	1	1-0	1.000	3-0	10	6-4	.600	20-14	6-4	W1
Benedictine	2	2-0	1.000	6-0	12	6-6	.500	23-21	6-4	W2
Concordia Chicago	2	1-1	.500	3-3	11	7-4	.636	25-18	7-3	L1
St. Norbert	4	2-2	.500	7-6	12	6-6	.500	19-19	5-5	L1
Concordia Wisconsin	2	1-1	.500	3-4	11	1-10	.091	8-31	1-9	W1
Marian	2	0-2	.000	1-6	13	4-9	.308	21-28	4-6	L3
Lakeland	2	0-2	.000	0-6	15	5-10	.333	21-31	2-8	L4
Edgewood	1	0-1	.000	1-3	10	3-7	.300	14-25	3-7	L3
Illinois Tech	1	0-1	.000	0-3	10	1-9	.100	8-28	1-9	L3
Rockford	3	0-3	.000	0-9	13	1-12	.077	8-36	0-10	L10

PRESEASON POLL

Rank	Team	Pts
1	Aurora	336 (24)
2	MSOE.....	306 (2)
3	Benedictine	281
4	Dominican	271
T5	Edgewood	189
T5	Concordia Chicago.....	189
7	Illinois Tech.....	183
8	Concordia Wisconsin	153
9	Marian.....	132
10	Wisconsin Lutheran.....	120
11	St. Norbert.....	107
12	Lakeland.....	65
13	Rockford.....	34

SCHEDULE

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24

Rockford	at	Greenville
Wisconsin Lutheran	at	Marian
Lakeland	at	Edgewood

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 25

Concordia Wisconsin	at	Illinois Tech
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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26

Edgewood	at	Cocnordia Chicago
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