

### SHEPHERD (7-2, 4-2) vs. CONCORD (1-8, 0-6) CALLAGHAN STADIUM • ATHENS, WV SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 2001 • 1:00 P.M.

SHEPHERDSTOWN, W.Va. -- West Virginia Wesleyan shocked Shepherd College with a 23-15 upset win over the Rams last Saturday at Cebe Ross Field.

After a scoreless first quarter, Wesleyan got on the board at the 12:17 mark of the second quarter on a 10-yard scoring pass from quarterback Chris Cormier to wide receiver Andrew Silva.

Minutes later Shepherd answered back when freshman running back Alex Herbert (Urbana/ Monrovia, MD) scored on a 15-yard jaunt to tie the game at 7-7. Herbert, making his first career start for the injured Travis Lynch (Frankfort/ Ridgeley, WV), rushed for a game-high 149 yards on 25 carries.

The Bobcats regained the lead at the 6:52 mark when Cormier and Silva teamed up for a 27-yard touchdown play to give Wesleyan a 14-7 lead at the break.

Barton Chasler's 31-yard field goal with 11:12 left in the fourth quarter increased the Bobcat lead to 17-7.

Duriel Cobb added a three-yard touchdown run with 5:22 left in the game to extend the Wesleyan lead to 23-7.

Junior quarterback Joel Gordon (Waynesboro/Waynesboro, VA) connected with senior tight end Rob Cunningham (Sherwood/Olney, MD) on an eight-yard scoring play in the game's final minute. Gordon teamed with freshman running back Paul Lucas (Sherwood/Olney, MD) for the two-point conversion play.

The Bobcats ran out the clock to preserve the win after recovering the Shepherd inside kick attempt.

The loss overshadowed a great individual performance by senior All-American candidate Jason Dirting (Martinsburg/Martinsburg, WV). Dirting tied the school single-game receptions mark set of 12 set by John Fotta against Concord in 1985. He had 12 catches for 104 yards. Dirting's 12 receptions increased his season total to 59, just two shy of the single season mark of 61 set by Fotta in 1985.

The Ram defense was led by senior strong safety Tyron Shelby (Eleanor Roosevelt/Greenbelt, MD) and senior linebacker Doug O'Rear (Washington & Lee/Arlington, VA). Shelby and O'Rear had 10 tackles each, while Shelby added three tackles-for-loss.

Sophomore defensive back Matt Meadows (Hampshire/Romney, WV) added nine stops, and interception, and a pass breakup. Freshman cornerback Richard Denzler (Varina/Richmond, VA) made four tackles and broke up three passes in his second collegiate start.

#### A REIGN OF EXCELLENCE

Head Coach Monte Cater is now in his 15th season at the helm of the Shepherd football program. The Rams have had a great deal of success since Cater arrived in 1987 as they have won seven WVIAC titles in 14 seasons. In that time the Rams have made two trips to the NAIA Playoffs and also earned back-to-back trips to the NCAA II Playoffs in 1998 and 1999. Below is a list of where Cater ranks on the all-time victories and all-time titles lists in the WVIAC.

#### WVIAC COACHING VICTORIES

1. Deacon Duvall (FSC) ..... 124-42-3 (.743)
2. Joe Bartell (WL) ..... 118-55-11 (.671)
3. Walter Barr (SC) ..... 104-48-4 (.679)
4. Tony Colobro (BSC/CC) ..... 100-45-7 (.681)
5. Monte Cater (SC) ..... 99-55-1 (.641)
6. Cebe Ross (WVW/MH) ..... 97-109-12 (.472)
7. Adolph Hamblin (WVS) ..... 90-58-18 (.596)
8. Dana Lough (Pot. St.) ..... 86-90-9 (.489)
9. Bill Struble (WVW) ..... 82-105-0 (.435)
10. Cam Henderson (D&E) ..... 81-33-6 (.700)

#### 2001 SHEPHERD SCHEDULE/RESULTS

##### September

- 1 Shippensburg ..... W ..... 28-25
- 8 WVU-Tech \* ..... W ..... 56-6
- 15 @ St. Joseph's ..... W ..... 21-0
- 22 East Stroudsburg ..... W ..... 33-26

##### October

- 6 @ Fairmont \* (OT) ..... W ..... 30-24
- 13 WV State \* ^ ..... W ..... 48-14
- 20 @ Glenville St. \* ..... L ..... 21-28
- 27 West Liberty \* ..... W ..... 30-7

##### November

- 3 @ WV Wesleyan\* ..... 1:00 p.m.
- 10 @ Concord \* ..... 1:00 p.m.

\* WVIAC Games ..... Home Games in Bold  
 ^ Homecoming

#### 2001 CONCORD SCHEDULE/RESULTS

##### August

- 25 Lenoir-Rhyne ..... W .... Forfeit

##### September

- 1 @ Wingate ..... L ..... 7-29
- 8 Cumberland ..... L ..... 0-24
- 22 @ Glenville \* ..... L ..... 10-43
- 29 @ West Liberty \* ..... L ..... 17-67

##### October

- 13 WV Wesleyan \* ..... L ..... 31-49
- 20 WV State \* ..... L ..... 28-51
- 27 @ Fairmont \* ..... W ..... 20-70

##### November

- 3 WVU-Tech \* ..... L ..... 12-20
- 10 Shepherd \* ..... 1:00

\* WVIAC game

Home Games in Bold

#### WVIAC COACHING TITLES

- 1. Deacon Duvall (FSC) ..... 8
- 2T. Monte Cater (SC) ..... 7
- Joe Bartell (WL) ..... 7
- 4T. Tony Colobro (BSC/CC) ..... 5
- Eddie King (MH) ..... 5
- 6. Rich Rodriguez (GSC) ..... 4
- 7T. Walter Barr (SC) ..... 3
- Cebe Ross (WVW/MH) ..... 3

## NEWS AND NOTES

### MISC. STATS

Here is a compilation of some interesting tidbits on the Rams through nine games:

**Third Down Conversions by SC/Foes:** 53-124 (42%)/41-134 (31%)  
**Shepherd Avg. Time of Possession/Foes:** 31:37/28:23  
**Penalties-Yards by SC/Foes:** 82-723/76-568  
**First Downs by Rush-Pass by SC/Foes:** 82-92/55-87

### SHEPHERD'S MAGIC NUMBERS

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If the Rams score 24 or more points, there is a good chance they will come out on top. Shepherd owns a 188-8 (.959) all-time record when reaching the magical 24-point mark. Included in that record is a 61-5 (.924) record in the 1990s and a 67-7 (.905) mark under Cater.

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The Rams sport a 303-74-26 (.784) all-time record when holding the opposition to 14 points or less. Currently, Shepherd has won 30 straight when holding the opposition to 14 or less and owns a 51-2-1 (.953) record since 1990 when turning the trick. SC is 62-6-1 (.905) under Cater in such games.

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SC is 111-87-26 (.553) all-time in games decided by seven points or less. Shepherd has a 30-15-1 (.663) record since 1990 and a 34-24-1 (.584) mark under Cater in games decided by seven or less.

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Another key to victory is the Shepherd running game. SC is 100-19-2 (.830) since 1980 in games that it rushes for 150 or more yards. Since 1990, the record is 49-7-1 (.868) and under Cater it is 59-13-1 (.815).

### Anything Less than 100

Defensively, the Rams will try to contain the running game and force teams to pass. If they hold the opposition to under 100 yards rushing, the odds on a win go up dramatically. Since 1980, the Rams are 85-13-1 (.863) when holding teams to less than 100 yards. Since 1990, SC is 50-8 (.862) in such games and 58-11 (.840) under Cater.

### IN THE REGION

The Rams dropped to sixth in the latest (Nov. 5) Northeast Region rankings.

1. Grand Valley (9-0)
2. Indiana (PA) (8-0)
3. Saginaw Valley (9-1)
4. Central Missouri State (9-1)
5. New Haven (5-3)
6. **Shepherd (7-2)**
7. Shippensburg (7-3)
8. C.W. Post (9-1)
9. East Stroudsburg (6-3)
10. Indianapolis (7-3)

### CATER CLIMBS WVIAC COACHING CHART

Head coach **Monte Cater** is currently in fifth place on the WVIAC coaching wins list with 99 victories. Cater needs just one more victory to become just the fifth coach in conference history to record 100 wins.

### RADIO AND TV COVERAGE:

The Ram Sports Radio Network will once again bring the action of the 2001 Shepherd College football team to the fans of the four-state region. WRNR-740 AM will broadcast all 10 regular-season games with Tom Tucker and Vic Holmes covering all the action.

### SCORING SUMMARY & STATISTICS FROM WV WESLEYAN GAME

Shepherd .....	0	7	0	8-	15
WV Wesleyan .....	0	14	0	9-	23

WVW - Silva 10 pass from Cormier (Chasler kick)  
 SC - Herbert 15 run (Burkey kick)  
 WVW - Silva 27 pass from Cormier (Chasler kick)  
 WVW - Chasler 31 field goal  
 WVW - Cobb 3 run (Chasler kick)  
 SC - Cunningham 8 pass from Gordon (Lucas pass from Gordon)

SC .....	WVW
22 .....	First Downs .....
42-145 .....	Rushes-Yards .....
171 .....	Passing Yards .....
35-17-1 .....	Passes .....
77-316 .....	Plays-Total Off. ....
97 .....	Return Yards .....
8/36.2 .....	Punts/Avg. ....
5-3 .....	Fumbles-Lost .....
6-35 .....	Penalties-Yards .....
31:36 .....	Time of Possession .....

**Rushing:** SC Herbert 25-149-1, Lynch 5-2-0, Lucas 2-(-1)-0 Gordon 10-(-5)-0. **WVW** Cobb 27-104-1, Struble 5-20-0, Vance 4-15-0, TEAM 1-0-0, Cormier 5-(-10)-0.

**Passing:** SC Gordon 17-35-171-1-1. **WVW** Cormier 13-32-223-2-1.

**Receiving:** SC Dirting 12-104-0, Cunningham 4-57-1, Lucas 1-10-0. **WVW** Silva 8-148-2, Westfall 2-38-0, Cobb 2-26-0, Burgman 1-11-0.

### JUST FOR KICKS

Junior kicker **Kevin Burkey** moved past **Rick Kingsbury** (153 points, 1973-76) into first place on the SC career kick scoring list.

### CAREER KICK SCORING

Rk.	Name	Last Year	FGM-A	PATM-A	Total Points
1.	<b>Kevin Burkey</b>	Active	17-30	109-124	160
2.	Rick Kingsbury	1976	28-79	69-76	153
3.	John Treadway	1986	22-35	83-91	149

## MILESTONES AND MEMORIES

### CONSISTENT

Junior running back **Travis Lynch** rushed for over 100 yards six times this season. Lynch has been bothered by a rib injury and was unable to start against WV Wesleyan. Freshman **Alex Herbert** got his first career start and gained 149 yards on 25 carries. Listed below are 100-yard rushing games in 2001 and Lynch's status on a pair of Ram rushing charts.

### 100-YARD GAMES IN 2001

Name	Opponent	Att.-Yards	Date
Travis Lynch	Shippensburg	40-173	9-1-01
Travis Lynch	WVU-Tech	15-118	9-8-01
Travis Lynch	St. Joseph's	27-141	9-15-01
Travis Lynch	East Stroudsburg	34-190	9-22-01
Travis Lynch	WV State	29-133	10-13-01
Travis Lynch	West Liberty	19-131	10-27-01
Alex Herbert	WV Wesleyan	25-149	11-3-01

### CAREER RUSHING YARDS

No.	Name	Last Yr.	Carries	Yards	Needs to Tie
9.	Bobby Williams	1987	480	2,068	284
10.	Jerit Siedor	2000	348	1,864	80
12.	Travis Lynch	Active	345	1,784	--

### 1,000-YARD RUSHING SEASONS

Name	Att.-Yards	Year
Damian Beane	363-2,096	1998
Damian Beane	310-1,724	1999
Damian Beane	258-1,590	1997
Dalevon Smith	229-1,495	2000
Bill Adams	326-1,430	1991
Damian Beane	219-1,358	1996
Anthony Crenshaw	200-1,303	1983
Bill Adams	323-1,151	1992
Bob Pope	326-1,128	1972
Bill Adams	202-1,112	1988
Anthony Crenshaw	204-1,092	1984
Bobby Williams	270-1,070	1987
Gregg Warfield	308-1,027	1976
Travis Lynch	195-1,011	2001

### RECORD BREAKER

Senior All-American candidate **Jason Dirting** is now Shepherd's all-time leading receiver in receptions (151), receiving yards (2,265), and touchdowns (22). Below he is listed on the SC career receiving lists.

### CAREER TOUCHDOWN RECEPTIONS

Rk.	Name	Last Year	TDs	Needs To Break
1T.	Jason Dirting	Active	22	1
	Kelvin Stevens	1997	22	--

### CAREER RECEPTIONS

Rk.	Name	Last Year	Rec.	Breaks Old Mark By
1T.	Jason Dirting	Active	151	36
	Kelvin Stevens	1997	115	--

### CAREER RECEIVING YARDS

Rk.	Name	Last Year	Rec. Yds.	Breaks Old Mark By
1.	Jason Dirting	Active	2,265	419
2.	Kelvin Stevens	1997	1,846	--

### GORDON CONTINUES TO CLIMB CHARTS

Junior quarterback **Joel Gordon** is already among the top quarterbacks in school history in just his third year as the Ram starter. He is ranked fifth or better on the Shepherd career lists for completions, attempts, and touchdown passes. Below is a list of where he ranks in each of the career categories at SC.

### CAREER PASS COMPLETIONS

Rk.	Name	Last Year	Comp.	Needs To Tie
1.	Chad Broadwater	1997	455	79
2.	Joel Gordon	Active	376	--

### CAREER PASS ATTEMPTS

Rk.	Name	Last Year	Att.	Needs To Tie
2.	Jay Mason	1994	806	118
3.	Jim Signora	1991	722	34
4.	Joel Gordon	Active	688	---

### CAREER TD PASSES

Rk.	Name	Last Year	TDs	Needs To Tie
1.	Chad Broadwater	1997	60	12
2.	Joel Gordon	Active	48	--

### DYNAMIC DUO

The passing combination of **Joel Gordon** and **Jason Dirting** have accounted for 20 touchdowns. This tops the old top mark on the Shepherd all-time list set of 19 set by **Chad Broadwater** and **Kelvin Stevens**.

### CAREER TD PASSING COMBINATIONS

Rk.	Combination	TDs
1T.	Joel Gordon-Jason Dirting	20
2.	Chad Broadwater-Kelvin Stevens	19

### ON THIS DATE

The Rams have played eight games in their history on November 10, with a 3-4-1 mark, including a 1-2 record on the road. SC's all-time results on this date:

Year	Opponent	W/L	Score
1923	@ WVU Freshman	L	0-110
1928	@ Bridgewater	W	12-0
1939	Glenville	L	0-34
1951	Wilson Teachers	W	20-7
1962	WV Wesleyan	T	13-13
1973	Hampden-Sydney	L	13-14
1979	@ WV State	L	7-15
1984	WV State	W	34-14

# SCOUTING CONCORD

## GENERAL INFORMATION

**Location:** ..... Athens, WV  
**Founded:** ..... 1872  
**Enrollment:** ..... 3,000  
**Nickname:** ..... Mountain Lions  
**Colors:** ..... Maroon & Grey  
**Conference:** ..... WVIAC  
**Affiliation:** ..... NCAA Division II  
**President:** ..... Dr. Jerry Beasley  
**Alma Mater/Year:** ..... Harvard/1969  
**Athletic Director:** ..... Ron Macosko  
**Alma Mater/Year:** ..... Ohio University/1983  
**Stadium (Cap.):** ..... Cebe Ross Field (3,000)  
**Playing Surface:** ..... Grass  
**Web Site:** ..... athletics.concord.edu  
**Sports Info. Director:** ..... Ron Macosko

## THE MOUNTAIN LIONS

**Basic Offense:** ..... Pro I  
**Basic Defense:** ..... 4-4  
**2000 Overall Record:** ..... 3-8  
**2000 Conf. Rec.(Finish):** ..... 1-6 (8th/WVIAC)  
**Letterwinners returning:** ..... 26  
**Starters returning/lost:** ..... 12/12  
**Offensive starters returning/lost:** ..... 6/5  
**Defensive starters returning/lost:** ..... 6/5  
**Specialists returning/lost:** ..... 0/2

Concord is 1-8, 0-6 in conference entering Saturday's game against the Rams in Athens. The Mountain Lion offense is led by sophomore quarterback Josh Aliveto (6-2, 195). Aliveto has completed 220-of-443 passes for 2,414 yards and 10 touchdowns.

His favorite receivers are sophomore tight end Kory Wright (6-2, 220) and junior wide receiver Ryshaune Ward (5-9, 160). Wright had 79 catches for 991 yards and four touchdowns, while Ward adds 55 receptions for 708 yards and four scores.

Leading the Concord running game is freshman running back Carl Rogers (6-0, 220). Rogers has rushed 68 times for 212 yards for a 3.1 average.

Junior linebacker Josh Bradley (6-2, 228) leads the Mountain Lions defense. Bradley has a team-best 89 tackles, including 10 tackles-for-loss. Senior defensive back Jeff Davis (6-1, 200) adds 70 stops and 10 tackles-for-loss.

## CONCORD - SHEPHERD SERIES INFORMATION

**Series Record:** ..... Shepherd leads, 24-21-2  
**Last meeting (result):** ..... 2000, Shepherd 24 Concord 22  
**Last meeting at CC:** ..... 1999, Shepherd 43 Concord 20  
**Current SC streak:** ..... Won seven  
**Most SC points vs. CC:** ..... 64 (1997)  
**Most CC points vs. SC:** ..... 67 (1965)  
**All-time SC shutouts vs. CC:** ..... Four  
**All-time CC shutouts vs. SC:** ..... Five  
**Coach Cater vs. CC:** ..... 11-3  
**Coach Cater vs. CC at CC:** ..... 5-3  
**Cater's team scoring offense vs. CC:** ..... 364

## CONCORD STATISTICAL LEADERS

### • PASSING •

No.	Name	Comp.	Att.	Yds.	TD	Int.
12	Josh Aliveto	220	443	2,414	10	20

### • RUSHING •

No.	Name	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
25	Carl Rogers	68	212	3.1	0
22	Vincent Brown	21	54	2.6	0

### • RECEIVING •

No.	Name	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
14	Kory Wright	79	991	12.5	4
3	Ryshaune Ward	55	708	12.9	4

### • SCORING •

No.	Name	TD	PAT	2PT	FG	Pts.
16	Dustin Ferrell	0	14-16	0	7-10	35
12	Josh Aliveto	5	0	0	0	30

### • PUNTING •

No.	Name	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Lng.
16	Dustin Ferrell	61	2,358	38.7	57

### • TACKLES •

No.	Name	UT	AT	TT	Other
53	Josh Bradley	45	44	89	10 TFLs
2	Jeff Davis	40	30	70	10 TFLs
30	Eddie Rivers	37	18	55	4 PBU's

## LAST MEETING

SEPTEMBER 30, 2000

SHEPHERDSTOWN, WV

## SCORING SUMMARY & STATISTICS

Concord	0	3	0	19	-22
Shepherd	0	17	0	7	-24

SC - Burkey 25 field goal

SC - Smith 7 run (Burkey kick)

SC - Rooths 29 pass from Gordon (Burkey kick)

CC - Greene 36 field goal

SC - Snyder 21 pass from Gordon (Burkey kick)

CC - Clackler 24 pass from Hull (kick blocked)

CC - Stallings 15 pass from Hull (pass failed)

CC - Clackler 35 pass from Hull (Greene kick)

CC	SC	
22	First Downs	18
35-81	Rushes-Yards	39-138
343	Passing Yards	239
28-47-2	Passes	16-26-0
82-424	Plays-Total Off.	65-377
82	Return Yards	136
8/38.3	Punts/Avg.	7/35.3
1-0	Fumbles-Lost	6-5
5-50	Penalties-Yards	3-40
35:45	Time of Possession	24:15

**Rushing:** CC - Fuller 16-44-0, Thomas 5-33-0, Thornton 7-12-0, Hull 7-(8)-0. SC - Smith 27-91-1, Lynch 3-24-0, Gordon 9-23-0.

**Passing:** CC - Hull 28-47-343-3-2. SC - Gordon 16-26-239-2-0.

**Receiving:** CC - Trawick 9-135-0, Clackler 8-102-2, Thomas 4-16-0, Stallings 2-54-1, Thornton 2-22-0, Byus 1-10-0, Fuller 1-3-0, Tabor 1-1-0.

SC - Snyder 5-64-1, Cunningham 3-36-0, Boyd 3-20-0, Smith 2-60-0, Dirting 2-30-0, Rooths 1-29-1.