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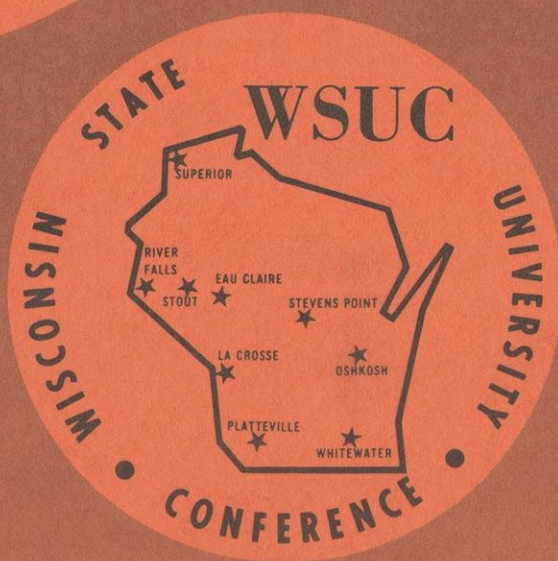
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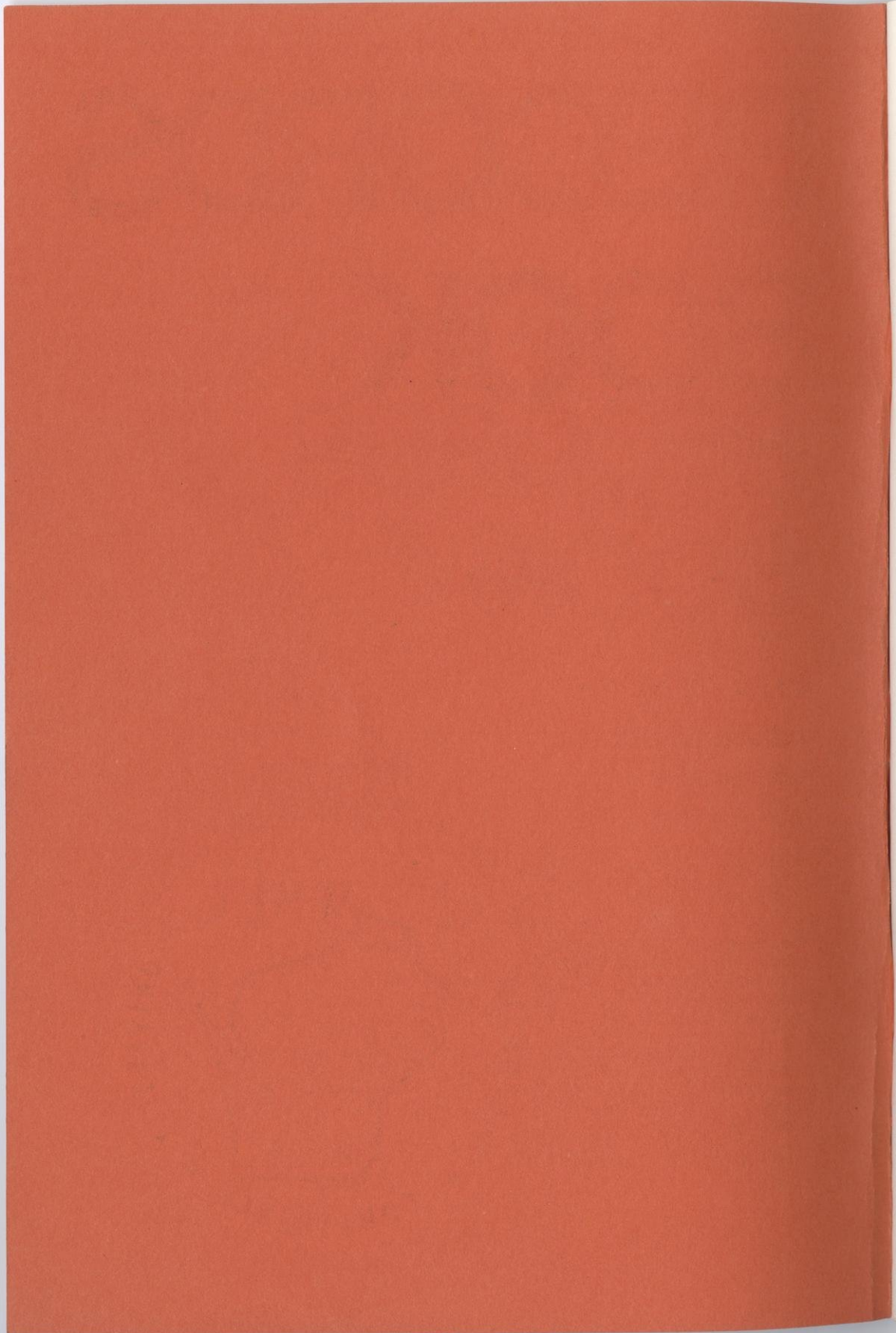
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The Wisconsin State University Conference presents the eighth edition of its Records Book as a means of informing the educators, writers, broadcasters and staff of the excellence of athletic competition displayed by teams and individual student-athletes of member institutions. This booklet will be published annually to provide a record of all sports in the Conference-sponsored program.

It is the function of the Wisconsin State University Conference to encourage intercollegiate athletics on an amateur basis, with institutional control, and under the instruction of coaches who have faculty status, in order to assure maximum educational benefit from intercollegiate athletic contests among the member institutions.

Max Sparger  
Commissioner of Athletics



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Office of the Commissioner of Athletics  
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**MAX R. SPARGER, COMMISSIONER OF ATHLETICS**



Max R. Sparger was named athletic commissioner of the Wisconsin State University Conference in July of 1971, succeeding Fred Jacoby.

Sparger, who has experienced a varied and successful career in athletics as a participant, coach, administrator and official, remarked at the time of his appointment:

"This is a very exciting thing for my family and me. It's a great opportunity and I am looking forward to the challenge."

A native of Wichita Falls, Texas, Sparger was a member of the UW-Stout athletic staff from 1959 to 1971 and athletic director his last two years there.

The Commissioner grew up in St. Paul Park, Minnesota, graduating from high school there in 1952. He earned his bachelor's degree in 1956 from Dubuque (Iowa) University, where he played football four years and was named captain and most valuable player his senior year.

Following graduation from college, Sparger coached high school and junior college sports in Fort Dodge, Iowa, leaving to join the Stout staff as assistant football and basketball coach in 1959. He received his master's degree in education from Macalester College, St. Paul, Minnesota, in 1961 and since then has done advance work at the University of Minnesota.

He became head football coach in 1963 and was selected to receive an award for "Outstanding Teaching" during that year. He guided the Blue Devils of Stout to a Conference Championship in 1965 after which he was named "Coach of the Year" in N.A.I.A. District 14. He gave up his football coaching duties after becoming athletic director in 1969.

Although football dominated his attention as a coach and player, Sparger's administrative duties keep him in close contact with all sports and he remains an enthusiastic backer of the Conference's varied program.

He credits the success of the W.S.U.C. to the capable and dedicated personnel on the nine campuses, saying, "We have excellent leadership at our member schools. This is our greatest asset. The faculty representatives, athletic directors, and coaches are top flight people."

Max and his wife, Eloise, are the parents of five children -- Michael, Jane, Tracy, Susan, and David. The Spargers live at 713 Thomas Drive in Sun Prairie.

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Gene Calhoun, Supervisor of Officials	244-3032	249-3962

## TOM BUTLER, SPORTS INFORMATION DIRECTOR



Tom Butler joined the W.S.U.C. staff part-time May 1, 1967, to assist the Commissioner with the dissemination of sports information. The Madison native was born May 19, 1924, and graduated from East High School in 1942; and after a semester at the University of Wisconsin, entered the Navy on January 25, 1943, serving until February 18, 1946.

He re-enrolled at the University of Wisconsin and received a B.A. degree in journalism in January of 1950. After working as sports editor of the Stevens Point Daily Journal and the Daily Jefferson County Union (Fort Atkinson), Butler joined the Wisconsin State Journal as a sports writer on February 1, 1953. His duties there include covering University of Wisconsin football and basketball. Butler was named Sportswriter of the Year

in Wisconsin in 1964 and 1965 and was nominated for the honor five straight years. He and his wife, Bonnie, have five children -- Terence, Kathleen, Jeffrey, Jayme, and Peggy. They live at 636 Sheldon Street in Madison.

## GENE CALHOUN, SUPERVISOR OF OFFICIALS

Gene Calhoun, a veteran Wisconsin athletic official, became supervisor of Wisconsin State University Conference officials in 1966. He has more than 25 years experience in officiating.

Calhoun, a Madison native was born October 15, 1924, graduated from Madison East High School in 1941, served in the Army Air Corps during World War II, and is a retired Lieutenant Colonel in the Air Force Reserves. He earned his bachelor's degree from the University of Wisconsin in 1947 and his law degree in 1950. He is a practicing attorney in Madison.

Formerly freshman baseball coach at the University of Wisconsin, Calhoun also has represented many Badger athletes pursuing professional careers. He began officiating in 1947

and has worked in the Big 10 since 1963. He was the referee in the 1968 Rose Bowl game between Indiana and Southern California, the 1971 Cotton Bowl game between Notre Dame and Texas, and the 1974 (December 31, 1973) Sugar Bowl game between Alabama and Notre Dame. Gene and his wife, Louise, live at 4014 Zeno Street in Madison with their two children -- Gary and Kim.



# CONFERENCE SCHOLAR-ATHLETE AWARD

In 1967, the Conference established the Scholar-Athlete Award, the highest honor achieved by a Conference athlete, to be given each year to the most outstanding junior or senior scholar-athlete from each member institution. The award is made to the athlete exhibiting the greatest combination of performance and achievement in scholarship, athletics, and leadership.

Following is a list of past winners:

## Eau Claire

1967 - Stan Johnson  
1968 - Vern Willers  
1969 - Thomas Clark  
1970 - Thomas Clark  
1971 - Steven Johnson  
1972 - Steven P. Johnson  
1973 - Paul C. Christopher  
1974 - John Christopher

## La Crosse

1967 - Dave Neuberger  
1968 - Warren Bear  
1969 - Gary Klug  
1970 - Ned Pellmann  
1971 - Charles Smith  
1972 - Keith Morin  
1973 - Jack Engsberg  
1974 - Mike Rapp

## Oshkosh

1967 - William Helmuth  
1968 - Rolland Jahns  
1969 - Dan Buhr  
1970 - Frank Kinatader  
1971 - Robert Luedtke  
1972 - Brian Felda  
1973 - Charles Ebert  
1974 - Pete Koupal

## Platteville

1967 - Rich Rollins  
1968 - James Patz  
1969 - George Faherty  
1970 - Tom Barth  
1971 - Tom Barth  
1972 - John Steffen  
1973 - Brent Sherry  
1974 - Bill Gardner

## River Falls

1967 - Dennis Erno  
1968 - Ronald Knutston  
1969 - Terry Frerker  
1970 - Ken Flouro  
1971 - Stuart Krueger  
1972 - Thomas G. Uvaas  
1973 - Paul Rozak  
1974 - Mike McDaniels

## Stevens Point

1967 - Ken Falkinham  
1968 - Phil Birkel  
1969 - Ken Ritzenthaler  
1970 - Ken Ritzenthaler  
1971 - Gordon Stevenson  
1972 - Bill Hamilton  
1973 - Mike Blasczyk  
1974 - Greg Hauser

## Stout

1967 - Richard Erickson  
1968 - Greg Mickelson  
1969 - Vernon Johnson  
1970 - Louis Menako  
1971 - John Peterson  
1972 - Hector Cruz  
1973 - Timothy Kruse  
1974 - Ken Obermueller

## Superior

1967 - William Hollister  
1968 - Bob Peck  
1969 - Gary Hoffman  
1970 - Dave Pettit  
1971 - Garry Lapenskie  
1972 - Brad Kennedy  
1973 - Jeff Ernster  
1974 - Ed Langham

## Whitewater

1967 - Robert Baade  
1968 - Reynold Maier  
1969 - Terry Hayes  
1970 - Jeffrey Huttenburg  
1971 - Syd Foster  
1972 - Toby Ackerman  
1973 - Mark Dennis  
1974 - Tom Van De Bogart





UPPER RIGHT: Floyd Krause, Faculty Representative

LOWER LEFT: Dr. James Rice, Director of Athletics

SCENES OF: Hilltop Center and McPhee Physical Education Center

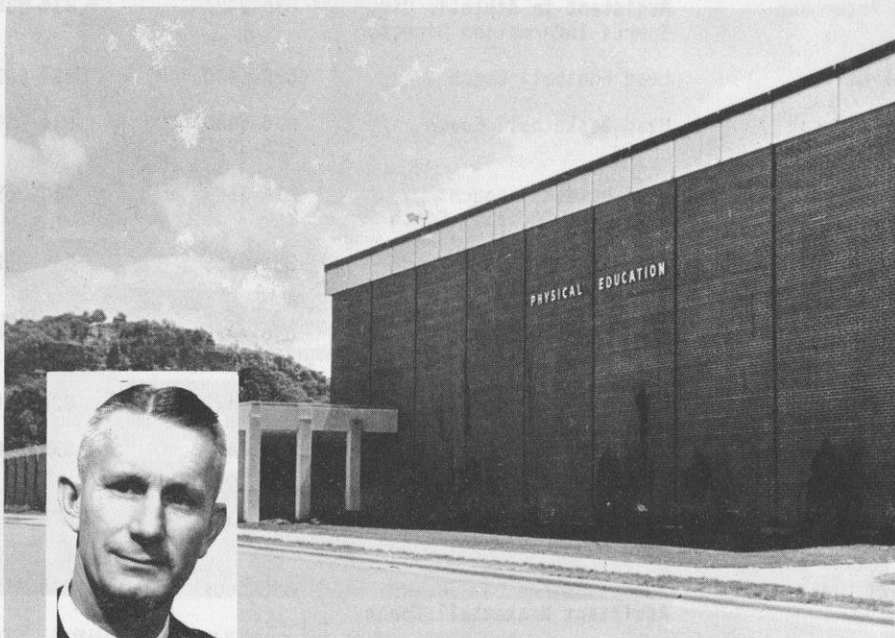
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## GENERAL INFORMATION

Chancellor . . . . .	Leonard Haas
Faculty Representative . . . . .	Floyd Krause
Athletic Director . . . . .	James Rice
Nickname . . . . .	Blugolds
School Colors . . . . .	Blue and Old Gold
School Founded . . . . .	1916
Enrollment . . . . .	8,360

TELEPHONE DIRECTORY  
Area Code 715

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James Rice	Athletic Director	836-2427	832-4007
Tim Petermann	Assistant to Athletic Dir. Sports Information Director	836-2427	834-8363
Link Walker	Head Football Coach	836-5480	834-5885
Ken Anderson	Head Basketball Coach	836-5480 836-3737	834-7095
Frank Wrigglesworth	Head Baseball Coach Assistant Football Coach	836-3509	834-2656
Keith Daniels	Head Cross Country Coach Assistant Track Coach	836-2183	834-3078
Robert Scott	Head Golf Coach Head Tennis Coach	836-4422	834-9667
Tom Prior	Head Swimming Coach	836-4422	834-7564
Bill Meiser	Head Track Coach Head Trainer	836-3401	835-6685
Bill Yeagle	Head Wrestling Coach Assistant Football Coach	836-3374	878-4419
Steve Kurth	Assistant Football Coach Assistant Basketball Coach	836-3401	874-5153
Ade Olson	Assistant Football Coach	836-3509	835-6878



UPPER RIGHT: Leo Schnur, Faculty Representative

LOWER LEFT: E. Wm. Vickroy, Director of Athletics

SCENES OF: Whitney Student Center and Mitchell Hall



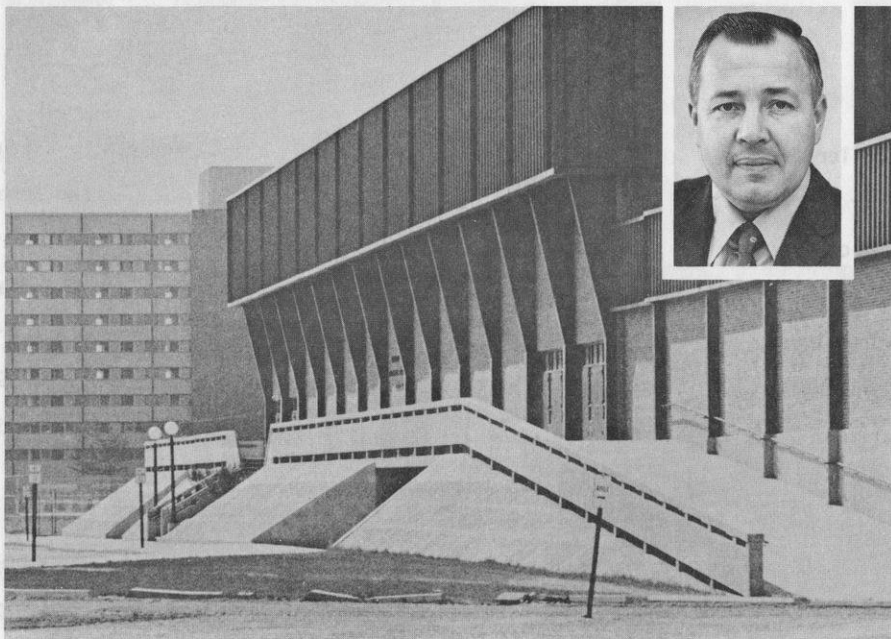
LA CROSSE

GENERAL INFORMATION

Chancellor . . . . . Kenneth E. Lindner  
 Faculty Representative . . . . . Leo Schnur  
 Athletic Director . . . . . E. Wm. Vickroy  
 Nickname . . . . . Indians  
 School Colors . . . . . Maroon and Gray  
 School Founded . . . . . 1909  
 Enrollment . . . . . 6,345

TELEPHONE DIRECTORY  
 Area Code 608

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Mary McLaughlin	Sports Information Director	784-6050 Ext. 229	895-2531 LaCrescent, MN (507)
Roger Harring	Head Football Coach	784-6050 Ext. 448	784-4333
Burt McDonald	Head Basketball Coach Head Golf Coach	784-6050 Ext. 441	782-2914
William Terry	Head Baseball Coach Assistant Football Coach	784-6050 Ext. 427	634-3609 (Westby)
Phil Esten	Head Cross Country Coach	784-6050 Ext. 441	782-1410
James Howard	Head Gymnastics Coach	784-6050 Ext. 448	788-1958
Mike Miller	Head Swimming Coach	784-6050 Ext. 401	783-4752
Douglas Goar	Head Tennis Coach	784-6050 Ext. 453	788-5705
Ralph Jones	Head Track Coach	784-6050 Ext. 443	783-3439
Roland Christensen	Assistant Football Coach Assistant Baseball Coach	784-6050 Ext. 273	788-2039
Barry Schockmel	Assistant Football Coach Assistant Swimming Coach	784-6050 Ext. 447	788-4507
Rollo Taylor	Freshman Basketball Coach	784-6050 Ext. 401	784-9636
Arthur Brownell	Freshman Baseball Coach	784-6050 Ext. 273	784-5138
John Leary	Assistant Gymnastics Coach	784-6050 Ext. 340	784-4859
John Eggart	Athletic Trainer	784-6050 Ext. 311	783-4164



UPPER RIGHT: Joe Piper UW-O Faculty Representative

LOWER LEFT: James J. Flood, Director of Athletics

SCENES OF: R. M. Kolf Sport Center and Titan Stadium

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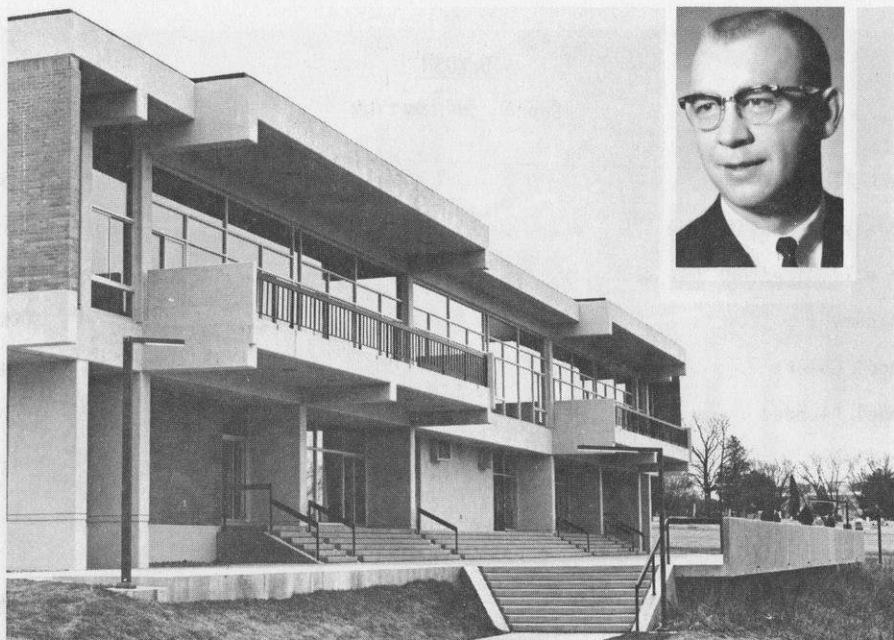
Chancellor . . . . . Robert Birnbaum  
 Faculty Representative . . . . . Vaughn J. Piper  
 Athletic Director . . . . . James J. Flood  
 Nickname . . . . . Titans  
 School Colors . . . . . Gold and White  
 School Founded . . . . . 1871  
 Enrollment . . . . . 9,495

TELEPHONE DIRECTORY  
 Area Code 414

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Office Phone</u>	<u>Home Phone</u>
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Russell Young	Head Football Coach	424-1226	685-6286
Robert E. White	Head Basketball Coach	424-1225	233-1089
Russell Tiedemann	Head Baseball Coach Assistant Basketball Coach	424-1201	233-3773
Ron Akin	Head Cross Country Coach Assistant Track Coach	424-1206	233-0831
Eric W. Kitzman	Head Golf Coach		
Kenneth Allen	Head Gymnastics Coach	424-1206	
James Davies	Head Swimming Coach Head Tennis Coach	424-1203	235-2514
Tom Eitter	Head Wrestling Coach Assistant Football Coach	424-1205	233-4546
Dave Hochtritt	Assistant Football Coach Assistant Track Coach	424-1205	233-1924
Jerry Nauert	Head Trainer	424-1200	235-0855
Ron Nigl	Equipment	424-2283 (Stadium) 424-0363 (Kolf)	231-2721
Gene Drecktrah	Chariman, Athletic Committee	424-5128	233-3860



# PLATTEVILLE



UPPER RIGHT: Dr. Al Jared, Faculty Representative

LOWER LEFT: John Barth, Director of Athletics

SCENES OF: Glenview Commons and Williams Fieldhouse

PLATTEVILLE

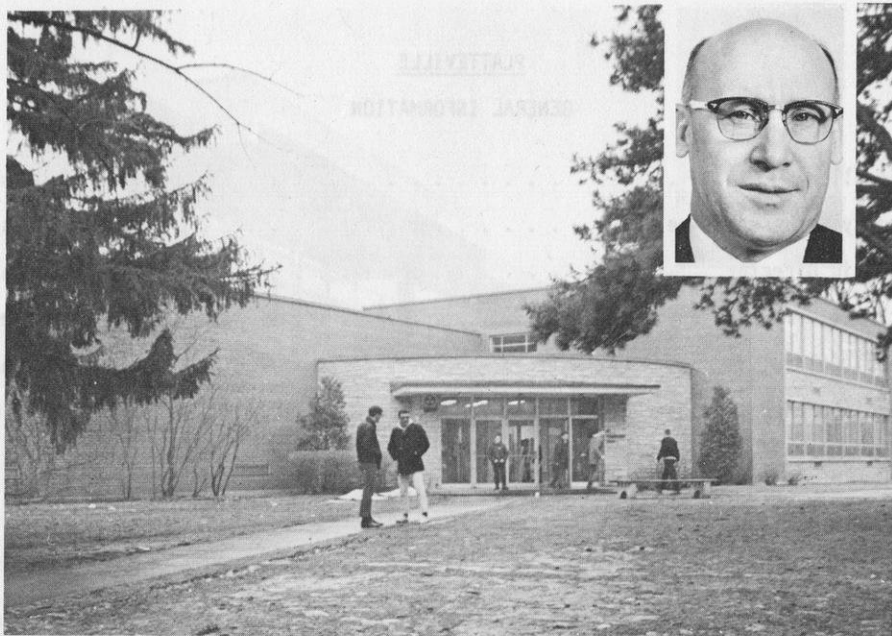
GENERAL INFORMATION

Chancellor . . . . . Bjarne R. Ullsvik  
 Faculty Representative . . . . . Al Jared  
 Athletic Director . . . . . John Barth  
 Nickname . . . . . Pioneers  
 School Colors . . . . . Blue and Orange  
 School Founded . . . . . 1866  
 Enrollment . . . . . 3,615

TELEPHONE DIRECTORY  
 Area Code 608

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Office Phone</u>	<u>Home Phone</u>
Al Jared	Faculty Representative	342-1246	348-7401
John Barth	Athletic Director Sports Information Director	342-1573	348-8555
Bob Seamans	Head Football Coach	342-1579	348-4236
Dick Wadewitz	Head Basketball Coach	342-1579	348-2496
Bob Garcia	Head Baseball Coach Head Wrestling Coach	342-1579	348-7418
Tom Vail	Head Cross Country Coach Head Track Coach	342-1578	348-6031
Ed Noltner	Head Gymnastics Coach	342-1579	348-8405
Fred Eberlein	Head Soccer Coach Intramural Director	342-1571	348-6009
Glen Bestor	Head Swimming Coach	342-1571	348-9094
Vernon Vradenburg	Head Tennis Coach	342-1578	348-3521

# RIVER FALLS



UPPER RIGHT: Dr. Marvin Thompson, Faculty Representative  
 LOWER LEFT: Don Page, Director of Athletics  
 SCENES OF: Chalmer Davee Library and Football, Track and Baseball Field

RIVER FALLS

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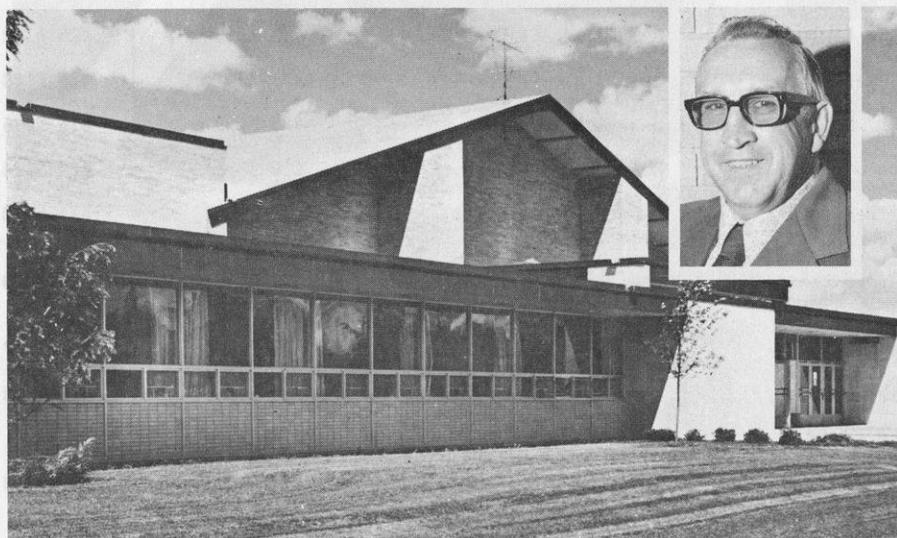
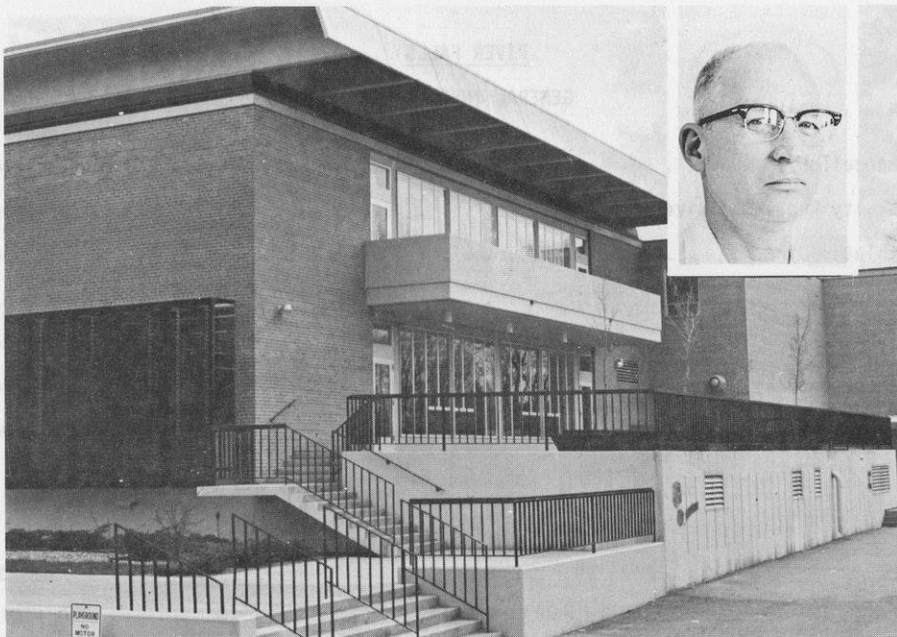
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 Faculty Representative . . . . . Marvin D. Thompson  
 Athletic Director . . . . . Don Page  
 Nickname . . . . . Falcons  
 School Colors . . . . . Red and White  
 School Founded . . . . . 1874  
 Enrollment . . . . . 3,790

 TELEPHONE DIRECTORY  
 Area Code 715

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Office Phone</u>	<u>Home Phone</u>
Marvin Thompson	Faculty Representative	425-3555	425-2774
Russ Gerber	Chairman, Athletic Committee	425-3985	425-9393
Don Page	Athletic Director Head Baseball Coach	425-3900	425-5162
Steve Schulte	Sports Information Director	425-3705	
Pat Mandli	Sports Information Director	425-3705	
Mike Farley	Head Football Coach	425-3135	425-6362
Newman Benson	Head Basketball Coach	425-3257	425-7168
O.B. "Ben" Bergsrud	Head Golf Coach	425-3966	425-5236
Don Joseph	Head Hockey Coach	425-3381	425-9894
Michael Davis	Head Swimming Coach Head Tennis Coach	425-3705	425-5270
Warren Kinzel	Head Track Coach Head Cross Country	425-3135	425-9159
Byron James	Head Wrestling Coach	425-3966	425-6137
Jerry Carter	Assistant Baseball Coach	425-3900	425-2543
Bob Bloom	Assistant Football Coach	425-3135	
Newt Greaser	Assistant Football Coach	425-3135	425-7303
Daryl Herrick	Assistant Football Coach	425-3135	
Jim Helminiak	Assistant Football Coach	425-3246	425-9894
Dave Landgraf	Assistant Football Coach	425-3135	
Jim Schmidt	Arena Manager	425-3381	425-6562
Pat Gharrity	Student Sports Information	425-3705	425-2543



## STEVENS POINT



UPPER RIGHT: Dr. Bernard Wievel, Faculty Representative

LOWER RIGHT: Bob Krueger, Director of Athletics

SCENES OF: Classroom Center and Fieldhouse

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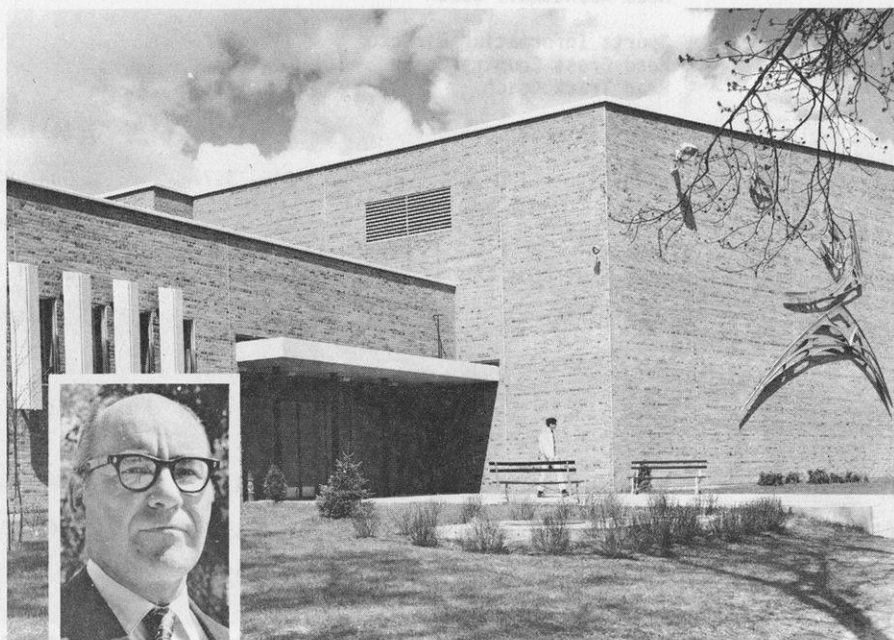
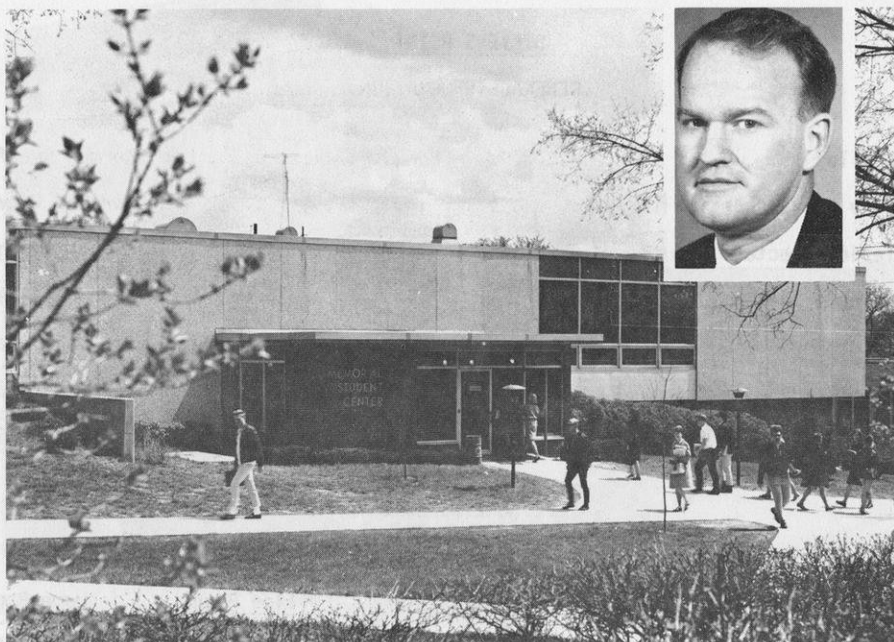
## GENERAL INFORMATION

Chancellor . . . . .	Lee Sherman Dreyfus
Faculty Representative . . . . .	Bernard Wievel
Athletic Director . . . . .	Bob Krueger
Nickname . . . . .	Pointers
School Colors . . . . .	Purple and Gold
School Founded . . . . .	1894
Enrollment . . . . .	7,360

## TELEPHONE DIRECTORY

Area Code 715

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Office Phone</u>	<u>Home Phone</u>
Bernard Wievel	Faculty Representative	346-3618	344-4967
Bob Krueger	Athletic Director Head Basketball Coach	346-3257	341-0186
Don Amiot	Sports Information Director Head Cross Country Coach Head Track Coach	346-3677	
Monte Charles	Head Football Coach	346-3758	341-6219
Jim Clark	Head Baseball Coach	346-3397	344-8833
Pete Kasson	Head Golf Coach	346-2200	344-0603
Robert Bowen	Head Gymnastic Coach	346-3147	341-1751
Dick Kottke	Head Hockey Coach	346-3257	341-6960
"Red" Blair	Head Swimming Coach	346-2200	344-8756
Jerry Gotham	Head Tennis Coach Assistant Basketball Coach	346-4118	344-8179
Reg Wicks	Head Wrestling Coach	346-4118	341-5381
Ron Steiner	Assistant Baseball Coach	346-4118	341-1372
Jack Renken	Assistant Football Coach Assistant Track Coach	346-3758	
John Schiess	Assistant Gymnastics Coach	346-3257	344-8892
Charles Crandall	Trainer	346-4118	344-0774
Frank Eble	Business Manager	346-3888	341-2892



UPPER RIGHT: Dr. Orville Nelson, Faculty Representative

LOWER LEFT: Bill Burns, Director of Athletics

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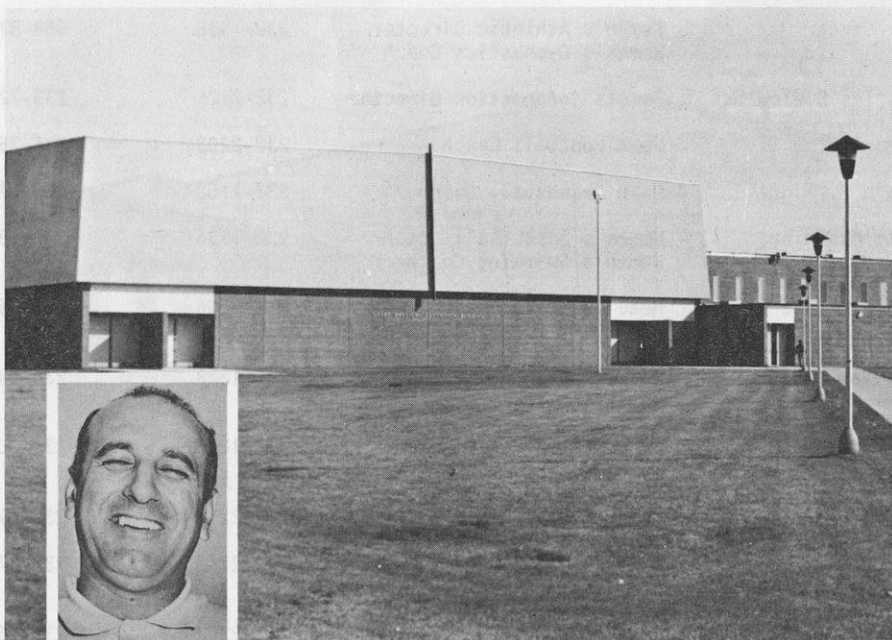
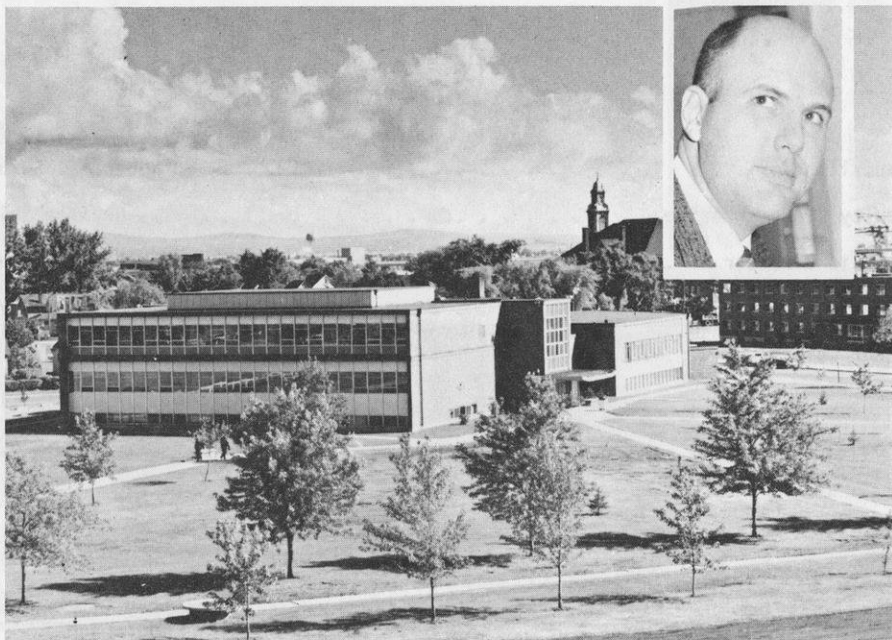
GENERAL INFORMATION

Chancellor . . . . .	Robert S. Swanson
Faculty Representative . . . . .	Orville Nelson
Athletic Director . . . . .	William P. Burns
Nickname . . . . .	Blue Devils
School Colors . . . . .	Blue and White
School Founded . . . . .	1893
Enrollment . . . . .	4,595

TELEPHONE DIRECTORY  
Area Code 715

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Office Phone</u>	<u>Home Phone</u>
Orville Nelson	Faculty Representative	232-1382	235-7631
William P. Burns	Athletic Director	232-2116	235-3755
Kay Carter	Women's Athletic Director Women's Gymnastics Coach	232-1336	664-8794
Charles Buelow	Sports Information Director	232-2425	235-7255
Sten Pierce	Head Football Coach	232-2203	235-7513
Dwain P. Mintz	Head Basketball Coach	232-1162	235-2744
Rita McKinley	Women's Basketball Coach Women's Swimming Coach	232-1336	235-5852
Terry Petrie	Head Baseball Coach Assistant Basketball Coach	232-2106	235-2589
Douglas Stallsmith	Head Cross Country Coach Assistant Track Coach	232-1579	235-9465
John Zuerlein	Head Gymnastics Coach Intramural Director	232-1227	235-2085
Thomas Slupe	Head Hockey Coach	232-2224	235-4183
Robert Smith	Head Swimming Coach Head Tennis Coach	232-2106	235-9763
Robert Kamish	Head Track Coach Assistant Football Coach	232-2203	235-9614
Hector Cruz	Head Wrestling Coach	232-2229	235-0509





UPPER RIGHT: Dr. Joe Mengel, Faculty Representative

LOWER LEFT: Mertz Mortorelli, Director of Athletics

SCENES OF: Rothwell Student Center and Gates Physical Education Building

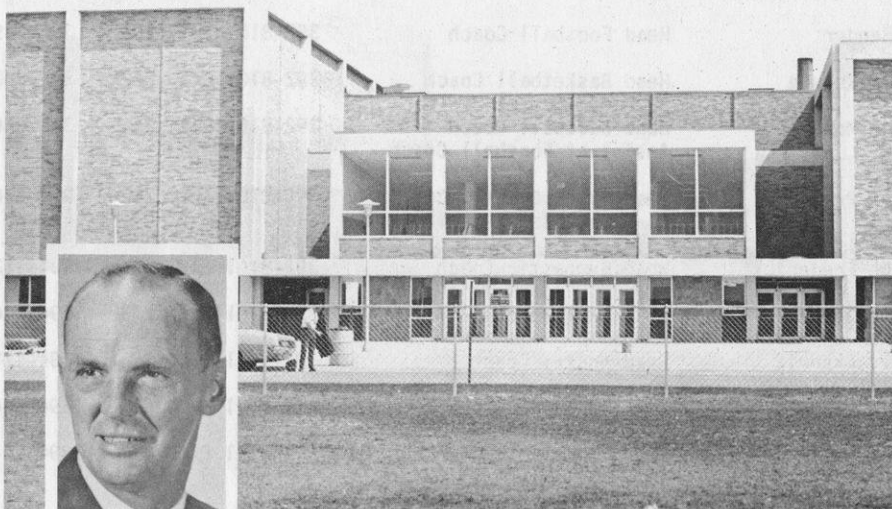
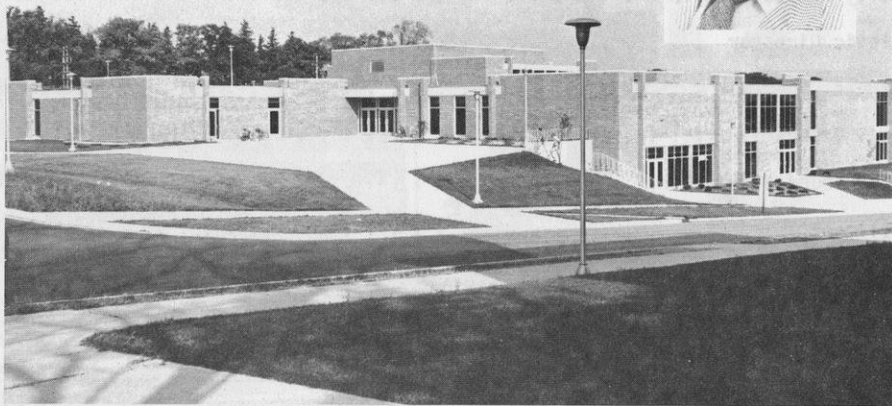
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GENERAL INFORMATION

Chancellor . . . . . Karl W. Meyer  
Faculty Representative . . . . . Joe Mengel  
Athletic Director . . . . . Mertz Mortorelli  
Nickname . . . . . Yellowjackets  
School Colors . . . . . Orange and Black  
School Founded . . . . . 1896  
Enrollment . . . . . 2,590

TELEPHONE DIRECTORY  
Area Code 715

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Office Phone</u>	<u>Home Phone</u>
Joe Mengel	Faculty Representative	392-8101 Ext. 261	392-1610
Mertz Mortorelli	Athletic Director Sports Information Director Trainer Head Wrestling Coach Assistant Football Coach	392-8101 Ext. 371	392-1802
Lydia Binger	Assistant Athletic Director	392-8101 Ext. 252	394-5758
Ed Bender	Head Football Coach	392-8101 Ext. 251	392-4490
Terry Krause	Head Basketball Coach	392-8101 Ext. 272	394-3081
Vince McMahon	Head Baseball Coach Assistant Football Coach	392-8101 Ext. 251	394-9468
Roger Prescott	Head Cross Country Coach Assistant Basketball Coach	392-8101 Ext. 272	394-6369
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Glenn Gerdes	Head Golf Coach	392-8101 Ext. 273	394-4365
Wally Akervik	Head Hockey Coach	392-8101 Ext. 361	394-4755
Jim McCormick	Head Swimming Coach	392-8101 Ext. 277	394-4664
Dom Moselle	Head Track Coach Assistant Football Coach	392-8101 Ext. 272	394-6446
John Byrd	Assistant Wrestling Coach Head Tennis Coach	392-8101 Ext. 277	394-7149
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Dr. Richard Fruehauf	Team Physician	392-8101 Ext. 236 394-5557 (office)	394-5847

# WHITEWATER



UPPER RIGHT: Dr. Charles Morpew, Faculty Representative

LOWER LEFT: Forrest Perkins, Director of Athletics

SCENES OF: Esker Dining Hall and Williams Gymnasium

WHITEWATER

GENERAL INFORMATION

Chancellor . . . . .	James R. Connor
Faculty Representative . . . . .	Charles Morphew
Athletic Director . . . . .	Forrest Perkins
Nickname . . . . .	Warhawks
School Colors . . . . .	Purple and White
School Founded . . . . .	1868
Enrollment . . . . .	7,510

TELEPHONE DIRECTORY  
Area Code 414

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Office Phone</u>	<u>Home Phone</u>
Charles Morphew	Faculty Representative	472-1010	473-3118
Forrest Perkins	Athletic Director Head Football Coach	472-4661	473-2722
James Miller	Sports Information Director Freshmen Basketball Coach	472-1147	563-4375
Eli Crogan	Head Basketball Coach Assistant Baseball Coach	472-1154	261-7454
Gene Cardinal	Head Baseball Coach Assistant Football Coach	472-1867	473-4733
Robert Fiskum	Head Cross Country Coach Head Swimming Coach	472-1153	723-2811
Don Voeller	Head Golf Coach	472-1074	473-4165
Ron Wangerin	Head Tennis Coach	472-1155	563-5083
Rex Foster	Head Track Coach Assistant Football Coach	472-1146	473-3518
Willie Myers	Head Wrestling Coach Assistant Football Coach	472-1867	473-3200
James Raffini	Assistant Football Coach	472-4836	473-5090
William Berry	Head Trainer	472-1150	473-2854



# ALL SPORTS CHAMPIONSHIP SUMMARY

## 1973-74 CHAMPIONSHIP STANDINGS

<u>Cross Country</u>		<u>Football</u>			<u>Basketball</u>		
Points			W	L	T		W L
La Crosse	28	La Crosse (9-2)	7	1	0	Eau Claire (24-5)	14 2
Stevens Point	86	Platteville (8-1-1)	6	1	1	Whitewater (21-5)	14 2
Platteville	97	Whitewater (6-2-2)	4	2	2	Platteville (21-4)	13 3
River Falls	103	Eau Claire (5-5)	4	4	0	Stout (14-12)	10 6
Oshkosh	133	Oshkosh (4-6)	4	4	0	La Crosse (13-11)	7 9
Stout	147	River Falls (4-5-1)	3	4	1	Oshkosh (9-15)	6 10
Whitewater	151	Stevens Point (4-6)	3	5	0	Stevens Point (9-17)	4 12
Eau Claire	174	Superior (2-8)	2	6	0	Superior (6-17)	3 13
Superior	285	Stout (1-9)	1	7	0	River Falls (2-19)	1 15

### GYMNASTICS

	Dual Meets		Conf.		Tot.
	W L	Pts.	Meet	Pts.	Pts.
Oshkosh	6 0	9	310.05	9	18
La Crosse	5 1	8	308.50	8	16
Platteville	4 2	7	231.35	6	13
Stout	2 4	5	259.30	7	12
Stevens Point	3 3	6	186.50	5	11
Eau Claire	1 5	4	175.55	4	8
Superior	0 6	3	97.00	3	6
River Falls	- -	-	-----	-	-
Whitewater	- -	-	-----	-	-

### Golf

	Trian.		Conf.		Tot.
	Points	Meet	Pts.		Pts.
Oshkosh	12	12	24		
La Crosse	11	8	19		
Whitewater	8	10	18		
Platteville	9	6	15		
Stevens Point	7	5	12		
Eau Claire	8	3½	11½		
River Falls	7	3½	10½		
Superior	6	2	8		
Stout	4	1	5		

### Wrestling

	Points
Whitewater	110½
Platteville	97
Stevens Point	86
River Falls	77
La Crosse	51
Superior	47½
Oshkosh	31½
Stout	28½
Eau Claire	17½

### Swimming

	Points
Eau Claire	623
Stout	343
La Crosse	242
Superior	192
Stevens Point	169
Oshkosh	150
Platteville	97
River Falls	65
Whitewater	25

### Baseball

	W	L
Oshkosh (28-11)	13	3
Whitewater (16-10)	9	5
Stevens Point (9-5)	9	5
Superior (17-8)	9	7
Eau Claire (8-8)	8	8
La Crosse (14-16)	7	7
Stout (8-10)	5	9
Platteville (6-17)	5	11
River Falls (7-13)	3	13

### Tennis

	Points
Eau Claire	61
La Crosse	40
Oshkosh	36½
Stevens Point	30
Whitewater	23½
River Falls	12½
Stout	7
Platteville	5½
Superior	0

### Indoor Track

	Points
Stevens Point	77
La Crosse	62
Oshkosh	51
Whitewater	23
Stout	19½
Eau Claire	17
Platteville	15
River Falls	7½
Superior	0

### Outdoor Track

	Points
Stevens Point	74
La Crosse	74
Oshkosh	38
Stout	31
River Falls	27
Whitewater	24
Eau Claire	16
Platteville	16
Superior	4

1974-75 WSUC CHAMPIONSHIP  
MEET SITES AND DATES

<u>SPORT</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>SITE</u>	<u>MEET DIRECTOR</u>
Cross Country	November 2, 1974	UW-Stevens Point	Don Amiot
Wrestling	February 21-22, 1975	UW-Stevens Point	Reg Wicks
Swimming	February 20-21-22, 1975	UW-La Crosse	Mike Miller
Gymnastics	March 7-8, 1975	UW-Stout	John Zuerlein
Indoor Track	March 21-22, 1975	UW-La Crosse	Ralph Jones
Golf	October 11-12-13, 1974	UW-Eau Claire	James Rice
Tennis	May 2-3, 1975	UW-La Crosse	Doug Goar
Outdoor Track	May 2-3, 1975	UW-Stevens Point	Don Amiot

1974-75 N.A.I.A. CHAMPIONSHIP  
MEET SITES AND DATES

<u>SPORT</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>SITE</u>
Cross Country	November 16, 1974	Marymount (Salina, KS)
Football		
Division II	December 7, 1974	To be determined
Division I	December 14, 1974	To be determined
Indoor Track	To be determined	To be determined
Ice Hockey	February 28-March 2, 1975	Superior, WI
Swimming	March 6-8, 1975	Southwest Minnesota (Marshall, MN)
Wrestling	March 6-8, 1975	Fort Hays, KS
Basketball	March 10-15, 1975	Kansas City
Gymnastics	March 21-22, 1975	Oshkosh, WI
Bowling	April 18-19, 1975	Kansas City
Baseball	May 30-June 4, 1975	St. Joseph, MO
Tennis	June 2-6, 1975	Kansas City
Golf	June 3-6, 1975	To be determined
Outdoor Track	June 22-24, 1975	Henderson State (Arkadelphia, AR)

1974 FINAL ALL-SPORTS STANDINGS

	<u>CC</u>	<u>FB</u>	<u>Golf</u>	<u>BB</u>	<u>Wr</u>	<u>Sw</u>	<u>Gm</u>	<u>In</u> <u>Tr</u>	<u>Base</u>	<u>Ten</u>	<u>Out</u> <u>Tr</u>	<u>Total</u>
La Crosse	9	9	8	5	5	7	8	8	4½	8	8½	80
Oshkosh	5	5½	9	4	3	4	9	7	9	7	7	69½
Stevens Point	8	3	5	3	7	5	5	9	7½	6	8½	67
Whitewater	3	7	7	8½	9	1	--	6	7½	5	4	58
Platteville	7	8	6	7	8	3	7	3	2	2	2½	55½
Eau Claire	2	5½	4	8½	1	9	4	4	4½	9	2½	54
Stout	4	1	1	6	2	8	6	5	3	3	6	45
River Falls	6	4	3	1	6	2	--	2	1	4	5	34
Superior	1	2	2	2	4	6	3	1	6	1	1	29

KEY: CC--Cross Country; FB--Football; BB--Basketball; Wr--Wrestling; Sw--Swimming; Gm--Gymnastics; In Tr--Indoor Track; Base--Baseball; Ten--Tennis; Out Tr--Outdoor Track.

# FOOTBALL COACHES



Link Walker  
Eau Claire



Roger Harring  
La Crosse



Russ Young  
Oshkosh



Bob  
Seamans



Mike Farley  
River Falls



Monte Charles  
Stevens Point



Sten Pierce  
Stout



Ed W. Bender  
Superior



Forrest Perkins  
Whitewater

## ALL-TIME CONFERENCE FOOTBALL RECORDS

### INDIVIDUAL SINGLE GAME RECORDS

#### SCORING

Most Points: 32 by Sonny Redders (Stevens Point) vs. UW-Milwaukee, 1962.  
 Most Touchdowns: 4 by Gene Conger (La Crosse) vs. Eau Claire, 1959;  
 J. Gilbertson (La Crosse) vs. UW-Milwaukee, 1962; Jim Knoblauch (Whitewater)  
 vs. Eau Claire, 1964; Jim Baier (River Falls) vs. Stevens Point, 1966;  
 Tom Knoble (Platteville) vs. Eau Claire, 1970.  
 Most PAT: 8 by Steve Hanaman (Whitewater) vs. River Falls, 1970; by Mike  
 Capodarco (Whitewater) vs. Stout, 1972.  
 Most FG: 3 by Marv McMahon (Eau Claire) vs. Superior, 1923; Steve Hanaman  
 (Whitewater) vs. Eau Claire, 1969; Doug Bloom (Eau Claire) vs. La Crosse,  
 1969; Pat McFaul (Stevens Point) vs. Oshkosh, 1970.

#### TOTAL OFFENSE

Most Plays: 63 by Al Charnish (Platteville) vs. Eau Claire, 1966.  
 Most Yards Gained: 434 by Jim Van Gorden (Eau Claire) vs. Whitewater, 1964.

#### RUSHING

Longest Run From Scrimmage: 95 yards by Jim Baier (River Falls) vs. Superior,  
 1965; Jim Knoblauch (Whitewater) vs. Stevens Point, 1963.  
 Most Rushes: 37 by Mel Thake (Superior) vs. La Crosse, 1966.  
 Most Yards Gained: 370 by Jim Baier (River Falls) vs. Stevens Point, 1966.

#### PASSING

Longest Completed Forward Pass Play: 99 yards by Jerry Trooien to Joe Rozak  
 (River Falls) vs. Superior, 1969.  
 Most Attempts: 56 by Mark Olejniczak (Stevens Point) vs. Eau Claire, 1972.  
 Most Completions: 31 by Mark Olejniczak (Stevens Point) vs. Eau Claire, 1972.  
 Most Yards Gained: 387 (23-42) by Chris Charnish (Platteville) vs. Eau Claire,  
 1968.  
 Most TD Passes: 6 by Chris Charnish (Platteville) vs. La Crosse, 1970.  
 Best Completion Percentage (10 or more attempts): .850 by Bob Berezowitz (White-  
 water), 17 of 20, vs. Superior, 1966.  
 Most Had Intercepted: 5 by Greg Hoffman (Eau Claire) vs. Stevens Point, 1972;  
 Tom Bauer, (Eau Claire) vs. La Crosse, 1973, and vs. Platteville, 1973.

#### PASS RECEIVING

Most Caught: 13 by Jerry Uchtyl (Superior) vs. La Crosse, 1971.  
 Most Yards Gained: 201 yards by Roger Gename (Whitewater) vs. Superior, 1973.  
 Most TD Passes Caught: 4 by J. Gilbertson (La Crosse) vs. UW-Milwaukee, 1962;  
 Bob Faherty (Platteville) vs. La Crosse, 1970; Dick Bilda (Whitewater) vs.  
 Superior, 1972; Jeff Gosa (Stevens Point) vs. Stout, 1973.

#### OTHERS

Longest Kickoff Return: 97 yards by Greg Montgomery (Whitewater) vs. Stout, 1973.  
 Longest Run With Recovered Fumble: 85 yards by Greg Ams (Superior) vs. La Crosse,  
 1971.  
 Longest Punt: 83 yards by Mel Thake (Superior) vs. Whitewater, 1966.  
 Longest FG: 52 yards by Don Ryskoski (Stevens Point) vs. Platteville, 1958; 48  
 yards by Larry Cramberg (Oshkosh) vs. Platteville, 1965; Dewey Stendahl  
 (La Crosse) vs. River Falls, 1969.  
 Longest Punt Return: 90 yards by Jim Baier (River Falls) vs. Whitewater, 1965.  
 Longest Run With Intercepted Pass: 105 yards by Mick Hansen (River Falls) vs.  
 Eau Claire, 1971.  
 Longest Return With Blocked FG: 92 yards for TD by Lester Jones (Whitewater) vs.  
 Eau Claire, 1972.



## OTHERS (Continued)

Most Punts: 15 by Roger Tollefson (Eau Claire) vs. Stevens Point, 1967.  
Best Punting Average: 4 for 51.0 yards by Brian Kreibich (River Falls) vs. Stout (55, 71, 36, 42), 1969.  
Most Punt Returns: 3 for 88 yards by Jim Knoblauch (Whitewater) vs. La Crosse, 1966.  
Best Punt Return Average: 29.3 yards by Jim Knoblauch (Whitewater) vs. La Crosse 1966.  
Most Pass Interceptions: 4 by Roger Zell (Stout) vs. Oshkosh, 1969 and River Falls, 1969, several tied with three.

## INDIVIDUAL SEASON RECORDS

### SCORING

Most Points: 102 by Jim Baier (River Falls), 1966.  
Most TD: 17 by Jim Baier (River Falls), 1966.  
Most PAT: 31 by Mike Capodarco (Whitewater), 1972.  
Most FG: 8 by Pat McFaul (Stevens Point), 1970.

### TOTAL OFFENSE

Most Plays: 418 by Al Charnish (Platteville), 1966.  
Most Yards Gained: 2,204 by Chris Charnish (Platteville), 1969.

### RUSHING

Most Rushes: 227 by Jim Baier (River Falls), 1966.  
Most Yards Gained: 1,557 by Jim Baier (River Falls), 1966.

### PASSING

Most Attempts: 350 by Mark Olejniczak (Stevens Point), 1973.  
Most Completions: 179 by Mark Olejniczak (Stevens Point), 1973.  
Most Yards Gained: 2,209 by Mark Olejniczak (Stevens Point), 1973.  
Most TD Passes: 27 by Chris Charnish (Platteville), 1969.  
Best Completion Percentage (50 or more attempts): .629 by Jack Wohlt, (Stevens Point), 56 of 89, 1967.  
Most Had Intercepted: 25 by Mark Olejniczak (Stevens Point), 1973.

### PASS RECEIVING

Most Caught: 55 by Bob Peck (Superior), 1966.  
Most Yards Gained: 829 by Jerry Uchtyl (Superior), 1971.  
Most TD Passes Caught: 13 by Rich Smigielski (Platteville), 1969.

### OTHERS

Most Punts: 64 by Doug Sutherland (Superior), 1969.  
Best Punting Average: 40.8 yards by Greg Zastrow (Eau Claire), 1966.  
Most Punt Returns: 25 by Larry Myhra (La Crosse), 1972.  
Best Punt Return Average: 30.0 yards by Jim Baier (River Falls), 1965.  
Most Pass Interceptions: 11 by Brian Kreibich (River Falls), 1968; Roger Zell (Stout), 1969.

## INDIVIDUAL CAREER RECORDS

### SCORING

Most Points: 189 by Harry Nordentoft (Whitewater), 1957-60.  
 Most TD: 31 by Jim Knoblauch (Whitewater), 1963-66.  
 Most FG: 13 by Mike Capodarco (Whitewater), 1971-73.  
 Most PAT: 73 by Mike Capodarco (Whitewater), 1971-73.  
 Most Consecutive PAT: 24 by Mike Capodarco (Whitewater), 1972.

### TOTAL OFFENSE

Most Yards Gained: 5,651 by Chris Charnish (Platteville), 1968-70.

### RUSHING

Most Yards Gained: 3,154 by Jim Baier (River Falls), 1963-66.

### PASSING

Most Attempts: 603 by Chris Charnish (Platteville), 1968-70.  
 Most Completed: 307 by Chris Charnish (Platteville), 1968-70.  
 Most Yards Gained: 5,086 by Chris Charnish (Platteville), 1968-70.  
 Most TD Passes: 60 by Chris Charnish (Platteville), 1968-70.  
 Best Completion Percentage: .612 by Mike Gorecki (Whitewater), (151 of 247), 1971-72.

### PASS RECEIVING

Most Caught: 142 by Bob Peck (Superior), 1965-68.  
 Most Yards Gained: 1,885 by Bob Peck (Superior), 1,883 by Steve Cooley (Eau Claire) 1969-70-72-73.  
 Most TD Passes Caught: 21 by Rich Smigielski (Platteville), 1968-69.

### OTHERS

Most Punt Returns: 40 by Jim Knoblauch (Whitewater), 1963-66.  
 Most Pass Interceptions: 24 by Brian Kreibich (River Falls), 1967-69; 22 by Ted Ragatz (River Falls), 1963-66.

## TEAM SINGLE GAME RECORDS

Most Points by One Team: 70 by Whitewater vs. Eau Claire, 1958; 70 by Platteville vs. Stout, 1970.  
 Most Points by Two Teams: 80 by Eau Claire (56) vs. Stevens Point (24), 1973.  
 Most Yards Rushing: 386 by River Falls vs. Stout, 1972.  
 Fewest Yards Rushing: Minus 58 by Platteville vs. Whitewater, 1966.  
 Most Yards Passing: 405 by Platteville vs. Stout, 1970.  
 Most Passes Attempted: 57 by Stevens Point vs. Eau Claire, 1972.  
 Fewest Passes Attempted: 1 by Stout vs. La Crosse, 1963.  
 Most Passes Completed: 31 by Stevens Point vs. Eau Claire, 1972.  
 Most Total Offense: 687 by Platteville vs. Stout, 1970.  
 Fewest Yards Total Offense: 15 (1 rushing, 14 passing) by La Crosse vs. Whitewater, 1972.  
 Largest Victory Margin: 70 by Whitewater (70) vs. Eau Claire (0), 1958.  
 Highest Losing Score: 34 by Stout vs. La Crosse (41), 1973.  
 Most Fumbles Lost: 7 by Platteville vs. Whitewater, 1972.  
 Most Passes Intercepted: 6 by Stevens Point vs. Eau Claire, 1972.  
 Most Punts: 15 by Eau Claire vs. Stevens Point, 1967.

## TEAM SEASON RECORDS

Most Points Scored: 338 by Platteville, 1970.  
 Fewest Points Scored: 41 by Superior, 1969.  
 Most Points Allowed: 284 by River Falls, 1970.  
 Fewest Points Allowed: 44 by Platteville, 1970.

## TEAM SEASON RECORDS (Continued)

Most Yards Rushing: 2,232 by River Falls, 1966.  
 Fewest Yards Rushing: 108 by Stevens Point, 1972.  
 Most Yards Rushing Allowed: 1,893 by River Falls, 1970.  
 Fewest Yards Rushing Allowed: 86 by Whitewater, 1971.  
 Most Yards Passing: 2,360 by Stevens Point, 1973.  
 Fewest Yards Passing: 391 by River Falls, 1972.  
 Fewest Yards Passing Allowed: 613 by Whitewater, 1972.  
 Most Passes Attempted: 372 by Stevens Point, 1973.  
 Fewest Passes Attempted: 82 by River Falls, 1966.  
 Most Passes Completed: 192 by Stevens Point, 1973.  
 Fewest Passes Completed: 23 by River Falls, 1972.  
 Most Passes Had Intercepted: 26 by Stevens Point, 1973.  
 Best Total Offense: 3,289 (1,263 rushing, 2,019 passing) by Platteville, 1969;  
 3,256 (1,554 rushing, 702 passing) by Platteville, 1970.  
 Best Total Defense: 860 by Whitewater, 1971.  
 Most Interceptions: 23 by Superior, 1970; Stevens Point, 1972.

LONGEST WINNING STREAK: 29 games by La Crosse, 1949-54.

## PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

During each week of the season an outstanding player is chosen on his performance in games of that week. The coaching staff of each member institution nominates a Player-of-the-Week and the Conference office selects a WSUC OFFENSIVE PLAYER-OF-THE-WEEK and a WSUC DEFENSIVE PLAYER-OF-THE-WEEK. These players were chosen during the 1973 season:

### Offense

September 11, 1973 -- Mike Perteete, UW-Platteville  
 September 18, 1973 -- Harvey Woodard - UW-La Crosse  
 September 25, 1973 -- Roger Gename - UW-Whitewater  
 October 2, 1973 -- Mark Olejniczak - UW-Stevens Point  
 October 9, 1973 -- Bill Roper - UW-Whitewater  
 October 16, 1973 -- Jeff Gosa - UW-Stevens Point  
 October 23, 1973 -- Tom Jakubowski - UW-Platteville  
 October 30, 1973 -- Joe Wagner - UW-La Crosse  
 November 6, 1973 -- Tom Bauer - UW-Eau Claire  
 November 13, 1973 -- Pete Koupal - UW-Oshkosh

### Defense

September 11, 1973 -- Steve Martin, UW-Eau Claire  
 September 18, 1973 -- Mike McDaniels, UW-River Falls  
 September 25, 1973 -- Bill Vander Velden, UW-Platteville  
 October 2, 1973 -- Craig Hinke, UW-Eau Claire  
 October 9, 1973 -- Mike Curtis, UW-La Crosse  
 October 16, 1973 -- Brian Zuhse, UW-Oshkosh  
 October 23, 1973 -- Jim Shattuck, UW-La Crosse  
 October 30, 1973 -- Rich Barnes, UW-Whitewater  
 November 6, 1973 -- John Beck, UW-Superior  
 November 13, 1973 -- John O'Grady, UW-River Falls

## WSUC INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS FOR 1973

RUSHING

<u>Player, School</u>	<u>Games</u>	<u>Att.</u>	<u>Yards</u>	<u>Game Ave.</u>	<u>Ave. Gain</u>
Tom Jakubowski, Platteville	8	192	797	100	4.2
Tim VanderVelden, Oshkosh	8	175	721	90	4.1
Bill Roper, Whitewater	7	111	553	79	5.0
Dan Feldt, Oshkosh	8	123	618	77	5.0
Art Kasper, La Crosse	7	108	521	74	4.8
Mark Anderson, Eau Claire	8	140	486	61	3.8
Paul Hintgen, Platteville	7	117	416	59	3.5
Mike Raskovich, Superior	8	103	372	47	3.6

\*PASSING

<u>Player, School</u>	<u>G</u>	<u>Att.</u>	<u>Comp.</u>	<u>Had Incp.</u>	<u>Comp. Pct.</u>	<u>TD</u>	<u>Yds.</u>	<u>Game Ave.</u>
Mark Olejniczak, Stevens Point	8	350	179	25	.511	16	2209	276
Tom Bauer, Eau Claire	8	183	81	17	.442	7	1110	139
Ed Nowell, Whitewater	8	128	79	11	.617	11	1078	135
Pete Koupal, Oshkosh	8	162	72	13	.444	5	933	117
Bud Nystrom, Platteville	8	170	62	14	.365	10	887	111
Joe Wagner, La Crosse	8	112	50	7	.446	5	817	102
Frank Lee, Superior	8	151	58	9	.384	5	711	89
Gary Johnson, Stout	6	128	59	9	.460	3	653	109
John Elkin, Stout	6	124	41	9	.330	3	547	91

\*Ranked on a semi-weighted grading system with one point for position in yards gained and touchdown; one-half point for position in completions, and average interceptions.

PASS RECEIVING

<u>Player, School</u>	<u>Catches</u>	<u>Yards</u>	<u>TD</u>	<u>Ave. Gain</u>
Jeff Gosa, Stevens Point	49	671	7	13.7
Roger Gename, Whitewater	37	526	6	14.2
Steve Cooley, Eau Claire	35	549	6	15.7
Bill Kyle, Stout	34	552	1	16.2
Gerry Uchytel, Superior	29	326	2	11.2
Dave Saeger, La Crosse	26	454	3	17.5
Steve Brenza, Oshkosh	26	348	1	13.4
Doug Krueger, Stevens Point	26	441	3	17.0
Joe Pilecky, Stevens Point	26	245	2	9.4
Don Sager, Stevens Point	24	180	0	7.5
Steve Woletz, Eau Claire	23	271	2	11.8
Mike Perteete, Platteville	22	424	4	19.3

PUNTING

<u>Player, School</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Yards</u>	<u>Ave.</u>
Mark Cieslewicz, River Falls	43	1638	38.1
Greg Hoffman, Eau Claire	44	1610	36.6
Bob Prah, Stout	43	1567	36.4
Jim Shattuck, La Crosse	45	1635	36.3
Brian Zuhse, Oshkosh	42	1495	35.6
Dennis Eskritt, Stevens Point	50	1750	35.0
Dan Burchik, Platteville	46	1594	34.7
Mark Dennis, Whitewater	28	955	34.1



### PUNT RETURNS

<u>Player, School</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Yards</u>	<u>Ave.</u>
Gary Beckman, Superior	16	193	12.1
Roger Gename, Whitewater	12	126	10.5
Gary Wild, Oshkosh	17	131	7.7
Ron Myhra, La Crosse	24	161	6.7
Rick Czechowicz, Eau Claire	20	122	6.1
Greg Montgomery, Whitewater	10	61	6.1

### KICKOFF RETURNS

<u>Player, School</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Yards</u>	<u>Ave.</u>
Greg Montgomery, Whitewater	16	486	30.4
Gary Wild, Oshkosh	17	483	28.4
Rick Czechowicz, Eau Claire	8	225	28.1
Ron Myhra, La Crosse	11	273	24.8
Craig Hinke, Eau Claire	12	291	24.3
Mike Perteete, Platteville	14	284	20.3
Jack Voigt, Stout	12	243	20.2

### TOTAL OFFENSE

<u>Player, School</u>	<u>G</u>	<u>Plays</u>	<u>Rush</u>	<u>Pass</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Game Ave.</u>
Mark Olejniczak, Stevens Point	8	392	-153	2209	2056	257
Tom Bauer, Eau Claire	8	285	276	1110	1386	173
Ed Nowell, Whitewater	8	175	69	1078	1147	143
Pete Koupal, Oshkosh	8	229	5	933	938	117
Gary Johnson, Stout	6	166	19	653	672	112
Tom Jakubowski, Platteville	8	195	797	45	842	105
Bud Nystrom, Platteville	8	212	-112	887	775	97
Frank Lee, Superior	8	197	52	711	763	95
Joe Wagner, La Crosse	8	137	- 68	817	749	94

### SCORING

<u>Player, School</u>	<u>TD</u>	<u>Conv. 1-Pt.</u>	<u>Conv. 2-Pt.</u>	<u>FG</u>	<u>TP</u>
Tom Jakubowski, Platteville	7	0	0	0	42
Jeff Gosa, Stevens Point	7	0	0	0	42
Dan Feldt, Oshkosh	6	0	0	0	36
Tim VanderVelden, Oshkosh	6	0	0	0	36
Roger Gename, Whitewater	6	0	0	0	36
Bill Roper, Whitewater	6	0	0	0	36
Mike Capodarco, Whitewater	0	18	0	6	36
John Osmanski, Stout	5	0	1	0	32
Art Kasper, La Crosse	5	0	0	0	30
Pat Robbins, Stevens Point	0	13	0	5	28
Dan Wadie, Oshkosh	0	15	0	4	27
Steve Cooley, Eau Claire	4	0	0	0	24
Mark Anderson, Eau Claire	4	0	0	0	24
Bob DeKeyser, Platteville	0	12	0	3	21

WSUC TEAM STATISTICS FOR 1973

OFFENSE

RUSHING

<u>School</u>	<u>Att.</u>	<u>Yards</u>	<u>Game Ave.</u>
Whitewater	393	1418	177
River Falls	403	1409	176
La Crosse	481	1384	173
Platteville	420	1371	171
Oshkosh	377	1324	166
Superior	376	1269	159
Eau Claire	426	1261	158
Stout	312	869	109
Stevens Point	154	195	24

PASSING

<u>School</u>	<u>Att.</u>	<u>Com.</u>	<u>Had Incp.</u>	<u>Yds.</u>	<u>Game Ave.</u>
Stevens Point	372	192	26	2360	294
Whitewater	183	108	16	1427	178
Stout	231	99	18	1250	156
Eau Claire	191	83	19	1138	142
La Crosse	144	64	9	1002	125
Platteville	187	69	16	984	123
Oshkosh	177	77	14	968	121
Superior	165	60	12	736	92
River Falls	97	37	5	466	58

TOTAL OFFENSE

<u>School</u>	<u>Rush</u>	<u>Pass</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Game Ave.</u>
Whitewater	1418	1427	2845	356
Stevens Point	195	2360	2555	319
Eau Claire	1261	1138	2399	300
La Crosse	1384	1002	2386	298
Platteville	1371	984	2355	294
Oshkosh	1324	968	2292	287
Stout	869	1250	2119	265
Superior	1269	736	2005	251
River Falls	1409	466	1876	234

DEFENSE

RUSHING

<u>School</u>	<u>Att.</u>	<u>Yards</u>	<u>Game Ave.</u>
Platteville	298	564	71
Whitewater	303	642	80
La Crosse	354	1108	138
Oshkosh	357	1129	141
Superior	358	1189	149
Eau Claire	327	1190	149
River Falls	383	1396	175
Stout	393	1423	178
Stevens Point	441	1663	208

PASSING

<u>School</u>	<u>Att.</u>	<u>Com.</u>	<u>Had Incp.</u>	<u>Yds.</u>	<u>Game Ave.</u>
La Crosse	223	89	22	843	105
River Falls	187	73	16	887	111
Oshkosh	185	73	19	962	120
Eau Claire	179	78	21	979	122
Platteville	193	82	21	1019	127
Whitewater	182	68	10	1167	146
Stevens Point	193	92	18	1206	151
Stout	201	108	5	1400	175
Superior	201	111	5	1615	202

TOTAL DEFENSE

<u>School</u>	<u>Rush</u>	<u>Pass</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Game Ave.</u>
Platteville	564	1019	1583	198
Whitewater	642	1167	1809	226
La Crosse	1108	843	1951	243
Oshkosh	1129	962	2091	261
Eau Claire	1190	979	2169	271
River Falls	1396	887	2283	285
Superior	1189	1615	2804	351
Stout	1423	1400	2823	353
Stevens Point	1663	1206	2869	359

# FINAL 1973 STANDINGS

## Conference

## All Games

	W	L	T	Pts.	OP	W	L	T	Pts.	OP
La Crosse	7	1	0	153	107	9	2	0	211	130
Platteville	6	1	1	163	65	8	1	1	230	83
Whitewater	4	2	2	176	135	6	2	2	186	135
Eau Claire	4	4	0	142	97	5	5	0	190	131
Oshkosh	4	4	0	147	124	4	6	0	164	154
River Falls	3	4	1	75	91	4	5	1	102	117
Stevens Point	3	5	0	157	202	4	6	0	181	248
Superior	2	6	0	93	180	2	8	0	105	245
Stout	1	7	0	118	223	1	9	0	155	305

## TEAM CHAMPIONS

Eau Claire - 1922, '48, '56, '63, '64.

La Crosse - 1917, '19, '27, '33, '34, '39, '40, '41, '42, '49, '50, '51, '52, '53, '54, '71, '73.

Oshkosh - 1920, '23, '28, '35, '68, '72.

Platteville - 1938, '41, '42, '52, '53, '56, '57, '68, '69, '70, '71.

River Falls - 1915, '16, '24, '25, '26, '33, '38, '47, '58.

Stevens Point - 1928, '33, '34, '36, '46, '49, '55, '61.

Stout - 1921, '41, '49, '65.

Superior - 1913, '28, '35, '36, '37, '46.

Whitewater - 1913, '14, '22, '32, '37, '40, '41, '50, '59, '60, '62, '66, '67, '69.

UW-Milwaukee - 1929, '30, '31, '38, '39, '42, '46, '47.

1918 - No organized conference (WWI)

1943-1945 -- No organized conference (WWII)

## WSUC FOOTBALL TEAMS IN POST SEASON GAMES

1951 -- Cigar Bowl at Tampa, Florida -- La Crosse 47, Valparaiso 14.

1954 -- Cigar Bowl at Tampa, Florida -- La Crosse 12, Missouri Valley 12 (Tie).

1966 -- NAIA Playoffs

Whitewater 41, Central Iowa 18 (semi-finals)

Waynesburg, Pennsylvania 42, Whitewater 21 (finals)

1970 -- NAIA Playoffs

Texas A & I 16, Platteville 0 (semi-finals)

1973 -- NAIA Playoffs

Elon, North Carolina 35, La Crosse 24 (semi-finals)

1973 WSUC ALL-CONFERENCE FOOTBALL TEAM

OFFENSE

<u>Pos.</u>	<u>Player, School</u>	<u>Hgt.</u>	<u>Wgt.</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Hometown</u>
WR	Roger Gename, Whitewater	6-3	195	So.	Kenosha (Tremper)
TE	Steve Woletz, Eau Claire	6-4	224	Sr.	Eau Claire (Regis)
T	Al Steffen, La Crosse	6-1	210	Sr.	Greenwood
T	Paul Cudd, River Falls	6-1	210	Jr.	River Falls
G	George Elkinton, La Crosse	5-11	205	Sr.	Mondovi
G	Dan Burchik, Platteville	5-10	222	Jr.	Madison (LaFollette)
C	Ken Bergeson, Eau Claire	6-0	239	Sr.	Marinette
QB	Mark Olejniczak, Stevens Point	6-3	209	Sr.	Green Bay (Premontre)
HB	Tom Jakubowski, Platteville	5-11	206	So.	Hales Corners
HB	Tim VanderVelden, Oshkosh	6-2	215	Sr.	Kimberly
WR	Dave Saeger, La Crosse	6-2	190	Jr.	Wisconsin Rapids (Lincoln)
Kicker	Mike Capodarco, Whitewater	5-10	210	Sr.	Kenosha (Tremper)

HONORABLE MENTION

WR--Steve Cooley, Eau Claire; Mike Perteete, Platteville; Jeff Goza, Stevens Point; Jerry Uchytil, Superior. TE--Jim Miazga, Oshkosh; Dan Brunner, Whitewater. T--Ron Leichtfuss, Oshkosh; Jack Schibrowsky, Superior; Doug Swenson, Whitewater. G--Mark Anderson, Stevens Point; John Miller, Stout; Bill Barwick, Whitewater. C--Orrie Sjoberg, Stevens Point; Bill Simons, Whitewater. QB--Tom Bauer, Eau Claire; Joe Wagner, La Crosse; Roy Nystrom, Platteville; Ed Nowell, Whitewater. HB--Art Kasper, La Crosse; Dan Feldt, Oshkosh; Jim Lohman, River Falls; Kerry Larsen, and Bill Roper, Whitewater. K--Dan Wadie, Oshkosh; Mark Cieslewicz, River Falls; Pat Robbins, Stevens Point.

DEFENSE

<u>Pos.</u>	<u>Player, School</u>	<u>Hgt.</u>	<u>Wgt.</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Hometown</u>
E	Bill VanderVelden, Platteville	6-4	213	Sr.	Kimberly
E	Jeff Waukau, Oshkosh	6-2	225	Sr.	Shawano
T	Jim Walters, Whitewater	6-1	245	Sr.	Pottsville, PA
T	Larry Wisniewski, La Crosse	6-3	230	Jr.	Brookfield (Central)
G	Ray Jackson, Platteville	6-0	204	Jr.	Racine (Horlick)
LB	Jerry Ring, Platteville	6-0	198	Jr.	Rio
LB	Mike McDaniels, River Falls	5-11	210	Sr.	Janesville (Parker)
LB	Rich Barnes, Whitewater	5-11	230	Jr.	Washington, PA
HB	Brian Zuhse, Oshkosh	6-1	190	Sr.	Clintonville
HB	Guy Nelson, Platteville	6-3	187	Sr.	Racine (Park)
S	Jim Shattuck, La Crosse	6-2	190	Sr.	Frederic

HONORABLE MENTION

E--Craig Mohr, Eau Claire; Dirk Leemkuil, River Falls; Ken Bluse, Superior. T--Len Luedtke, Eau Claire; Roger Hanson, Oshkosh; Charles Vobora, River Falls; Greg Wright, Superior. G--Phil Martinelli, Eau Claire; Tom Rozina, Oshkosh; Gary Phillips, Whitewater. LB--Steve Martin, Eau Claire; Bob Johnson, and John Stanek, La Crosse; Scott Kronenwetter, Oshkosh; Jim Quaerna, and Bob Rivard, Stevens Point. HB--Pat Robbins, Stevens Point; Jack Voigt, Stout; Dan Ditter, Whitewater. S--Dale Augustine, Oshkosh; Mark Dennis, Whitewater.



# MOST VALUABLE PLAYERS

## 1967

Eau Claire  
La Crosse  
Oshkosh  
Platteville  
River Falls  
Stevens Point  
Stout  
Superior  
Whitewater

Tom Perault, DS  
Bill Turnquist, DHB  
Dan Torrison, LB  
Al Charnish, QB\*  
Dick Sievert, T  
Jim Hansen, E  
Jim Warrington, T  
Dan Christus, MG  
Al Equi, LB

## 1968

Eau Claire  
La Crosse  
Oshkosh  
Platteville  
River Falls  
Stevens Point  
Stout  
Superior  
Whitewater

Greg Kinart, G  
Rocky Falaschi, QB  
Ron Cardo, HB  
Bob Bergum, T  
Brian Kreibich, DHB  
Bob Rohde, HB  
Roger Zell, LB  
Bob Peck, E  
Al Equi, LB\*

## 1969

Eau Claire  
La Crosse  
Oshkosh  
Platteville  
River Falls  
Stevens Point  
Stout  
Superior  
Whitewater

Rod Harschlip, LB  
Dewey Stendahl, E  
Brian Burbey, FB  
Chris Charnish, QB\*  
Brian Kreibich, DB  
Karl Kolodzak, WB  
Roger Zell, LB  
Todd Jarzyna, LB  
Bruce Rasmussen, HB

## 1970

Eau Claire  
La Crosse  
Oshkosh  
Platteville  
River Falls  
Stevens Point  
Stout  
Superior  
Whitewater

Tim Hanson, G  
Tom Gorski, HB  
Dave Kanas, LB  
Chris Charnish, QB\*  
Joe Rozak, E  
Mike Breaker, DB  
Nick Misch, HB  
Greg Amys, Safety  
Steve Hanaman, HB

## 1971

Eau Claire  
La Crosse  
Oshkosh  
Platteville  
River Falls  
Stevens Point  
Stout  
Superior  
Whitewater

Joe Aase, DT  
Bob Coulter, DT  
William Peshel, HB  
Bob Faherty, FL\*  
Daryl Herrick, DB, WB  
Steve Groeschel, HB  
Jeff Towner, DT  
Jerry Uchytil, SE  
Lon Kolstad, MLB

## 1972

Eau Claire  
La Crosse  
  
Oshkosh  
Platteville  
River Falls  
Stevens Point  
Stout  
Superior  
  
Whitewater

Ed Petkovsek, FB  
Roger Buswell, DB  
John Richmond, DE  
Charles Ebert, Safety  
Jerry Ring, LB  
Daryl Herrick, Safety  
Mike Blasczyk, LB  
Rick Henneberry, LB  
Jerry Uchytil, SE and  
Safety  
Toby Ackerman, DT\*  
Mike Gorecki, QB

## 1973

Eau Claire  
La Crosse  
Oshkosh  
Platteville  
River Falls  
Stevens Point  
Stout  
Superior  
Whitewater

Tom Bauer, QB  
Jim Shattuck, DS\*  
Scott Kronenwetter, LB  
Bill Vander Velden, DE  
Mike McDaniels, LB  
Pat Robbins, DB  
John Osmanski, RB  
Ken Blueuse, DE  
Bill Roper, RB

\* Received Milwaukee Journal Trophy as Most Valuable Player in Conference.

PREVIEW 1974 FOOTBALL SEASON  
WISCONSIN STATE UNIVERSITY CONFERENCE

Defending champion La Crosse is given a slight edge over the field in what Wisconsin State University Conference football coaches expect will be a close title race in 1974.

Overall Conference balance seems to preclude declaring any team a decided favorite, according to the consensus of opinion among the coaching fraternity.

For instance, Stevens Point Coach Monte Charles points out, "Every year the Conference improves and all teams have a chance at the title".

Of course, La Crosse, Whitewater, Oshkosh, and Platteville always receive strong support as front-runners but no team ever can afford the luxury of overconfidence when going against any Conference opponent.

There's an old bromide that starts out, "On any given Saturday, etc." Originally it was used to describe the balance in the Big 10 Conference but with the emergence of Ohio State and Michigan as perennial co-champions, NFL publicists have picked up this adage as their own.

The old "saw" also could be used as a preface to the Wisconsin State University Conference schedule. As Stout Coach Sten Pierce explains, "The strength of our Conference is balance. Any team on any given day can beat another."

Here's an example of the way things can go in the WSUC football race: Whitewater traveled to Superior early in the 1973 season and demolished the Yellowjackets, 42-14. Later Superior upset Oshkosh, 28-27, on the Titans' home grounds.

So, dethroned unceremoniously and the victim of three straight defeats, Oshkosh closed the season at Whitewater last November 10. Although embarrassed and disconsolate, the Titans did anything but roll over and play dead. Instead they stung the Warhawks, 24-6, with their best performance of the season.

This example also tends to support the contention of Stout's Pierce, who points out, "The greatest strength is that our athletes play the game because it is fun and that educational goals are the dominant figure".

On paper, though, La Crosse possesses the balance and experience to make another strong run at the championship with energetic Coach Roger Harring again guiding the way.

Defense should be the Indians' forte, led by All-Conference defensive tackle Larry Wisniewski. Solid, if not overpowering running backs and receivers will provide adequate scoring punch. Included in this group is All-Conference end Dave Saeger, who caught 26 passes for an average gain of 17.5 yards a completion last fall.

The Conference's leading rusher, Tom Jakubowski of Platteville, and the top pass receiver, Stevens Point's Jeff Gosa, will be bidding to improve on last year's performances. The two also shared the scoring title with 42 points.

Stevens Point quarterback Mark Olejniczak, the Conference's passing and total offense leader, has graduated but Point backers are confident Charles will come up with an adequate replacement.

"Our players have really worked during the offseason," Charles says. "They want to be good and this will pay off."

Much of Oshkosh's success will depend on the development of a quarterback, according to Coach Russ Young, while River Falls' Mike Farley, always the optimist, enthuses, "The Falcons eagerly await '74."

First year Head Coach Bob Seamans, who replaces Gil Krueger at Platteville, sounds an ominous warning, though, contending "La Crosse and Whitewater have the experience, size, and speed to make it a two-team race".

# COMPOSITE 1974 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

## September 7

Winona at Eau Claire - 7:30  
 Northland at La Crosse - 1:30  
 Oshkosh at UW-Milwaukee - 7:30  
 Kentucky State at Platteville - 1:30  
 Augsburg at River Falls - 7:30  
 (Shrine Game)  
 Stevens Point at Morningside - 1:30  
 Hamline at Stout - 1:30  
 UM-Duluth at Superior - 7:30  
 No. Michigan at Whitewater - 1:30

## September 14

Eau Claire at Capital (Ohio) - 1:30  
 La Crosse at Stevens Point - 1:30  
 (Shrine Game)  
 River Falls at Oshkosh - 1:30  
 Whitewater at Platteville - 1:30  
 (Band Day)  
 Stout at Superior - 7:30

## September 21

Eau Claire at River Falls - 7:30  
 Platteville at La Crosse - 1:30  
 Oshkosh at Stout - 1:30  
 St. Norbert at Stevens Point - 1:30  
 Superior at Whitewater - 7:30

## September 28

Stout at Eau Claire - 7:30  
 Superior at La Crosse - 1:30  
 Platteville at Oshkosh - 1:30  
 River Falls at Northland - 1:30  
 Stevens Point at Whitewater - 7:30

## October 5

Eau Claire at Superior - 1:30  
 (Homecoming)  
 Oshkosh at Stevens Point - 1:30  
 River Falls at Platteville - 7:30  
 (Shrine Game)  
 Whitewater at Stout - 1:30

## October 12

Oshkosh at Eau Claire - 1:30  
 (Homecoming)  
 La Crosse at River Falls - 1:30  
 (Homecoming)  
 Stevens Point at Stout - 1:30  
 (Homecoming)  
 Platteville at Superior - 1:30  
 Whitewater at St. Norbert - 1:30

## October 19

Eau Claire at La Crosse - 1:30  
 (Homecoming)  
 St. Norbert at Oshkosh - 1:30  
 (Homecoming)  
 Stout at Platteville - 1:30  
 (Homecoming)  
 River Falls at Whitewater - 1:30  
 Superior at Stevens Point - 1:30  
 (Homecoming)

## October 26

Whitewater at Eau Claire - 7:30  
 La Crosse at Oshkosh - 1:30  
 Platteville at Stevens Point - 1:30  
 Superior at River Falls - 1:30  
 Stout at Bemidji, MN

## November 2

Stevens Point at Eau Claire - 1:30  
 La Crosse at Whitewater - 1:30  
 Oshkosh at Superior - 1:30  
 Platteville at St. Norbert - 1:30  
 River Falls at Stout - 1:30

## November 9

Eau Claire at Platteville - 1:30  
 (Parents' Day)  
 Stout at La Crosse - 1:30  
 Whitewater at Oshkosh - 1:30  
 Stevens Point at River Falls - 1:30  
 (Parents' Day)  
 Superior at Northland - 1:30

## November 16

La Crosse at Morehead (KY) - 1:30  
 Whitewater at UW-Milwaukee - 1:00

# CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER OF CHAMPIONS

1913 - Superior, Whitewater	1943 - No Conference Play
1914 - Whitewater	1944 - No Conference Play
1915 - River Falls	1945 - No Conference Play
1916 - River Falls	1946 - Stevens Point, Superior, Milwaukee
1917 - La Crosse	1947 - River Falls, Milwaukee
1918 - No Conference Play	1948 - Eau Claire
1919 - La Crosse	1949 - La Crosse, Stevens Point, Stout
1920 - Oshkosh	1950 - La Crosse, Whitewater
1921 - Stout	1951 - La Crosse
1922 - Eau Claire, Whitewater	1952 - La Crosse, Platteville
1923 - Oshkosh	1953 - La Crosse, Platteville
1924 - River Falls	1954 - La Crosse
1925 - River Falls	1955 - Stevens Point
1926 - River Falls	1956 - Eau Claire, Platteville
1927 - La Crosse	1957 - Platteville
1928 - Oshkosh, Stevens Point, Superior	1958 - River Falls
1929 - Milwaukee	1959 - Whitewater
1930 - Milwaukee	1960 - Whitewater
1931 - Milwaukee	1961 - Stevens Point
1932 - Whitewater	1962 - Whitewater
1933 - La Crosse, River Falls, Stevens Point	1963 - Eau Claire
1934 - La Crosse, Stevens Point	1964 - Eau Claire
1935 - Oshkosh, Superior	1965 - Stout
1936 - Stevens Point, Superior	1966 - Whitewater
1937 - Superior, Whitewater	1967 - Whitewater
1938 - Platteville, River Falls, Milwaukee	1968 - Oshkosh, Platteville
1939 - La Crosse, Milwaukee	1969 - Platteville, Whitewater
1940 - La Crosse, Whitewater	1970 - Platteville
1941 - La Crosse, Platteville, Stout, Whitewater	1971 - La Crosse, Platteville
1942 - La Crosse, Platteville, Milwaukee	1972 - Oshkosh
	1973 - La Crosse



# UW-EAU CLAIRE

HEAD COACH: Link Walker

ASSISTANT COACHES: Steve Kurth  
Bill Yeagle  
Frank Wrigglesworth  
Ade Olson

## BLUGOLDS PREVIEW

### 1974 Schedule

### 1973 Results (5-5)

Sept. 7	Winona (NC)	7:30	Eau Claire	31	Winona	13
Sept. 14	at Capital (Ohio)	1:30	Eau Claire	17	Augsburg	21
Sept. 21	at River Falls	7:30	Eau Claire	13	River Falls	6
Sept. 28	Stout	7:30	Eau Claire	23	Stout	12
Oct. 5	at Superior	1:30	Eau Claire	21	Superior	0
Oct. 12	Oshkosh (HC)	1:30	Eau Claire	9	Oshkosh	15
Oct. 19	at La Crosse	1:30	Eau Claire	7	La Crosse	14
Oct. 26	Whitewater	7:30	Eau Claire	7	Whitewater	13
Nov. 2	Stevens Point	1:30	Eau Claire	56	Stevens Point	24
Nov. 9	at Platteville	1:30	Eau Claire	6	Platteville	13

## PROSPECTS FOR 1974

The search for a quarterback continues in earnest as Blugold Coach Link Walker attempts to replace graduated Tom Bauer, who last fall finished second in Conference passing and total offense. Bauer influenced Eau Claire football fortunes for five years, even when he injured a knee and missed the 1972 campaign.

The only returning quarterback with experience is Greg Hoffman, a 5-10, 200-pounder who filled in for Bauer during the latter's one-year sabbatical. Hoffman's consistency as a passer is suspect and Walker might find himself delving into the ranks of newcomers. The Blugolds return a big offensive plus in running back Mark Anderson, who ranked sixth in the Conference rushing last fall.

Among key lettermen lost with Bauer are All-Conference center Ken Bergeson; Steve Cooley, the second leading pass receiver in WSUC history; All-Conference end Steve Woletz; and Tom Grossklaus, an outstanding offensive tackle. Replacing Bauer and rebuilding the offensive line are major problems confronting Walker.

Twenty-one lettermen return, including five offensive starters and seven defensive regulars from the team that finished 4-4 in the Conference and 5-5 overall in 1973. While the Blugolds are hurting in the so-called skilled positions, the defense shows a strong nucleus with guards Dave Biemeier and Phil Martinelli, tackle Len Luedtke, linebacker Steve Martin, and halfback Craig Hinke.

UW-EAU CLAIRE FOOTBALL TEAM ROSTER  
(Returning Lettermen Only)

Name	Pos.	Hgt.	Wgt.	Class	Hometown-High School
Anderson, Mark	TB	5-11	180	Sr.	Janesville (Craig)
Bielmeier, Dave	DG	6-2	242	Jr.	Wautoma
Cress, Mike	DG	5-10	200	Sr.	Phillips
Czechowicz, Rick	DHB	6-1	200	Sr.	Racine (Case)
Dowell, John	OG	5-10	200	So.	Janesville (Craig)
Frese, Jeff	DT	6-0½	225	Jr.	Reedsburg (Webb)
Hauser, Mark	DHB	6-1	195	Jr.	Jackson (Slinger)
Healless, Marv	TE	6-0½	190	Sr.	Beloit (Memorial)
Hinke, Craig	DHB	5-8	155	Jr.	Fond du Lac (Goodrich)
Hintz, Garry	OT	6-1	208	Jr.	Wausau (West)
Hoffman, Greg	QB-P	5-10	204	Sr.	Burlington
Luedtke, Len	DT	5-10	225	Sr.	New London (Dale)
Martin, Steve	LB	5-10	200	Jr.	Watertown
Martinelli, Phil	DG	5-8	195	Jr.	Madison (Edgewood)
Masel, Jim	OG	6-3½	235	Sr.	Milwaukee (Don Bosco)
Miller, Keith	TB	5-8½	170	So.	Eau Claire (Memorial)
Mundscha, Paul	DT	6-2½	210	Sr.	Waukesha
Ostrom, Rick	OG	5-10	190	Jr.	Eau Claire (Memorial)
Roessler, Paul	DHB	5-11	155	So.	Eau Claire (Regis)
Ross, Roger	OT	6-5	235	Sr.	Bloomer
Woznicki, Clark	TB	6-0	175	Sr.	Schofield (Wausau Newman)

UW-LA CROSSE

HEAD COACH: Roger Harring

ASSISTANT COACHES: Roland Christensen  
 Barry Schockmel  
 Bill Terry  
 Jerry Lafferty

INDIANS PREVIEW1974 Schedule

Sept. 7	Northland (NC)	1:30
Sept. 14	at Stevens Point	1:30
Sept. 21	Platteville	1:30
Sept. 28	Superior	1:30
Oct. 5		
Oct. 12	at River Falls	1:30
Oct. 19	Eau Claire (HC)	1:30
Oct. 26	at Oshkosh	1:30
Nov. 2	at Whitewater	1:30
Nov. 9	Stout	1:30
Nov. 16	at Morehead-Kentucky	1:30

1973 Results (9-1)

La Crosse	38	Northland	7
La Crosse	21	Stevens Point	0
La Crosse	3	Platteville	19
La Crosse	16	Superior	9
La Crosse	20	Northern State	16
La Crosse	21	River Falls	6
La Crosse	14	Eau Claire	7
La Crosse	21	Oshkosh	17
La Crosse	16	Whitewater	15
La Crosse	41	Stout	34
La Crosse	24	Elon College	35
(NAIA Division I Semi-Final)			

PROSPECTS FOR 1974

The Indians stand an excellent chance of repeating as Conference champions and are eager for another crack at the NAIA playoffs after losing to Elon College, 35-24, at Burlington, N.C., last fall in the Division I semi-finals. Returning from that team are 34 lettermen, including six offensive regulars and eight from the defense.

At least 12 key lettermen graduated, including quarterback Joe Wagner, linebacker Mike Curtis, and two All-Conference performers, offensive guard George Elkinton and defensive back Tom Dufault. Actually, three seniors graduated from the defensive backfield and this area, along with the quarterback, are the biggest voids to fill for Coach Roger Harring.

The strengths lie in an able receiving corps, led by All-Conference flanker Dave Saeger, and running backs Mike Hammes, Art Kasper, and Harvey Woodard. Saeger caught 26 passes in eight Conference games last fall, averaging 17.5 yards with each reception. Kasper averaged 4.8 yards a carry and 74 yards per game rushing.

The defensive front four returns intact, headed by All-Conference tackle Larry Wisniewski. Seven freshmen won letters last fall, including Ron Myhra, who finished among Conference leaders in punt and kickoff returns. Considerable help also is expected from fullback Chuck Burke, quarterback Chris Haugen, and halfback Dennis Grusnick, who led the freshman team to an unbeaten season.

UW-LA CROSSE FOOTBALL TEAM ROSTER  
(Returning Lettermen Only)

Name	Pos.	Hgt.	Wgt.	Class	Hometown-High School
Arkin, Guy	QB	5-10	175	Sr.	West Allis (Central)
Becherer, Dave	DE-K	6-1	200	Jr.	Colby
Bertolini, John	DHB	5-11	175	Jr.	Darlington
Davis, Robert	DE	6-0	190	Jr.	Appleton (East)
Dums, Rich	DHB	5-11	175	Jr.	Colby
Fifarek, Shelly	DHB	6-2	200	Jr.	Marinette
Griffin, Rich	T	6-0	235	Sr.	Marshfield
Hammes, Mike	HB	5-8	185	Sr.	La Crosse (Aquinas)
Heckendorf, Bart	E	6-2	185	Sr.	Wausau (West)
Hollmaier, Scott	DHB	5-8	170	Jr.	Berlin
Johnson, Robert	LB	5-10	205	Sr.	Frederic
Johnson, Dennis	LB	6-2	210	Sr.	Milwaukee (West)
Johnson, Don	G	6-0	185	Jr.	Colby
Kasper, Art	HB	5-10	180	Jr.	Milwaukee (Hamilton)
Kraemer, Bill	C	6-1	235	Sr.	Marshfield
McIntyre, Jeff	G	6-1	190	Jr.	Platteville
Ming, Jerry	DT	6-1	220	Sr.	West Salem
Myhra, Ron	HB	5-9	175	So.	Menomonee Falls (North)
Patz, Steve	E	6-1	190	Sr.	Marinette
Potter, Kevin	DE	6-2	210	So.	Wisconsin Rapids (Assumption)
Riese, Mike	DE	6-2	205	So.	Oshkosh (North)
Sackmaster, Jim	DHB	6-2	190	Sr.	La Crosse (Aquinas)
Saeger, Dave	E	6-2	190	Sr.	Wisconsin Rapids (Lincoln)
Servais, Sam	E	6-1	175	So.	La Crosse (Aquinas)
Solberg, Lee	DHB	5-11	180	Jr.	Waupaca
Stanek, John	LB	6-2	225	Jr.	La Crosse (Aquinas)
Stuhr, Jeff	LB	6-0	215	So.	La Crosse (Logan)
Suchla, Al	DT	6-2	235	Jr.	Independence
Taake, Mike	FB	6-0	195	So.	Beaver Dam
Thompson, Randy	T	6-2	250	So.	Baltimore, MD
Vickroy, Bill	E	6-0	205	Sr.	La Crosse (Central)
Wells, Roger	T	6-3	215	So.	Orfordville
Wisniewski, Larry	DT	6-3	230	Sr.	Brookfield (Central)
Woodard, Harvey	FB	6-0	195	Jr.	Baltimore, MD



# UW-OSHKOSH

HEAD COACH: Russ Young

ASSISTANT COACHES: Dave Hochtritt  
Tom Eitter  
Alex Inciong

## TITANS PREVIEW

### 1974 Schedule

Sept. 7	at UW-Milwaukee (NC)	7:30
Sept. 14	River Falls	1:30
Sept. 21	at Stout	1:30
Sept. 28	Platteville	1:30
Oct. 5	at Stevens Point	1:30
Oct. 12	at Eau Claire	1:30
Oct. 19	St. Norbert (NC, HC)	1:30
Oct. 26	La Crosse	1:30
Nov. 2	at Superior	1:30
Nov. 9	Whitewater	1:30

### 1973 Results (4-6)

Oshkosh	7	Gustavus Adolphus	13
Oshkosh	12	River Falls	19
Oshkosh	17	Stout	13
Oshkosh	0	Platteville	9
Oshkosh	35	Stevens Point	19
Oshkosh	15	Eau Claire	9
Oshkosh	10	St. Norbert	17
Oshkosh	17	La Crosse	21
Oshkosh	27	Superior	28
Oshkosh	24	Whitewater	6

## PROSPECTS FOR 1974

The Titans are trying to recapture the championship they won in 1972 and saw slip away early last fall. Their play became erratic. For instance, they dropped a 28-27 decision at home to Superior and a week later closed the season with an impressive 24-6 victory at arch rival Whitewater.

Coach Russ Young, starting his 12th year as Titan head man, hopes his team can fit the pieces together earlier this year. Key to his Veer-T offense is hard-running Dan Feldt, who ranked fourth in Conference rushing last fall and averaged five yards a carry. However, Tim Vander Velden, the other half of Oshkosh's potent running tandem and second in the league last fall, has graduated.

Also missing is quarterback Pete Koupal, fourth in Conference passing and total offense in 1973, along with offensive tackle Ron Leichtfuss, and a pair of All-Conference defensive performers--tackle Jeff Waukau and cornerback Brian Zuhse.

Much will depend on the development of a quarterback and offensive line, according to Young. Team speed has improved both offensively and defensively. The secondary has played together almost intact for a year and linebacking ranks with the best in the Conference. Young considers Scott Kronenwetter the finest linebacker in the league, Feldt among the top running backs, and Gary Wild the most exciting punt and kickoff return man.

UW-OSHKOSH FOOTBALL TEAM ROSTER  
(Returning Lettermen Only)

Name	Pos.	Hgt.	Wgt.	Class	Hometown-High School
Anacker, Bill	SS	6-0	190	Jr.	Janesville (Parker)
Augustine, Dale	DB	6-1	195	Jr.	Kewaunee
Bohn, Mike	LB	5-8	190	Jr.	Omro
Brinza, Steve	FL	6-0	170	Jr.	Cudahy
Cleveland, Dave	TE	6-1	190	Sr.	Brodhead
Cozza, John	RB	6-0	185	So.	East Palestine, OH
Fatigati, Jim	SE	5-8	160	Sr.	Milwaukee (Pius XI)
Feldt, Dan	RB	6-0	205	Sr.	Oconto
Finke, Rich	DB	6-0	180	Jr.	West Bend (West)
Hanson, Roger	DT	6-2	210	So.	Fond du Lac (Goodrich)
Hartman, Bob	DE	6-0	210	Jr.	Oshkosh
Holt, Mike	DT	6-0	235	Jr.	Pittsburgh, PA
Klosinski, Steve	MG	5-11	205	Jr.	Wausau (Newman)
Koronkiewicz, John	QB	6-0	160	Sr.	Oconto
Kronenwetter, Scott	LB	6-0	205	Sr.	Wausau (Newman)
Lehman, Mike	OT	6-1	210	Jr.	Defiance, OH
Lenz, Bob	DB	6-0	160	Jr.	Omro
Lewallen, Dallas	DT	6-4	235	Jr.	Wild Rose
McHugh, Dan	OG	6-1	205	Jr.	Chicago (Brother Rice)
Meiselwitz, Mark	LB	5-10	210	So.	Kiel
Netzer, John	S	5-9	165	Jr.	Oshkosh
Smith, Chuck	OG	6-0	210	Jr.	Tiffin Calvert, IL
Storck, Jim	DE	6-1	200	Sr.	Union Grove
Stowe, Gary	FL	5-9	170	Sr.	Oshkosh
Taraska, Tom	DB	6-0	180	Sr.	West Allis (Hale)
Thacker, Mike	DT	6-2	220	Sr.	Brecksville, OH
Thorman, Terry	DE	6-3	210	Jr.	Lake Mills
Trabbold, Dennis	RB	5-9	185	Sr.	Milwaukee (Wis. Lutheran)
Venne, Dan	SE	5-10	185	Jr.	Milwaukee (South)
Ventura, Frank	DT	6-0	210	Sr.	Kenosha (St. Joseph)
Wadie, Dan	K	5-10	200	Sr.	Appleton (West)
Wild, Gary	SE	5-8	160	So.	Juneau
Wyngaard, Lee	C	6-0	180	Jr.	Kimberly

# UW-PLATTEVILLE

HEAD COACH: Bob Seamans

ASSISTANT COACHES: Vernon Vradenburg  
Ed Noltner  
Glen Bestor

## PIONEERS PREVIEW

### 1974 Schedule

Sept. 7	Kentucky State (NC)	1:30
Sept. 14	Whitewater	1:30
Sept. 21	at La Crosse	1:30
Sept. 28	at Oshkosh	1:30
Oct. 5	River Falls	7:30
Oct. 12	at Superior	1:30
Oct. 19	Stout (HC)	1:30
Oct. 26	at Stevens Point	1:30
Nov. 2	at St. Norbert (NC)	1:30
Nov. 9	Eau Claire	1:30

### 1973 Results (8-1-1)

Platteville	14	St. Norbert	12
Platteville	14	Whitewater	14
Platteville	19	La Crosse	3
Platteville	9	Oshkosh	0
Platteville	12	River Falls	7
Platteville	27	Superior	0
Platteville	55	Stout	18
Platteville	14	Stevens Point	17
Platteville	53	UI-Chicago	6
Platteville	13	Eau Claire	6

## PROSPECTS FOR 1974

The Pioneers have the only new coach in the Conference this season, Bob Seamans, who succeeds Gil Krueger, now guiding football fortunes at Northern Michigan. Seamans, an assistant under Krueger, plans no major changes but figures the team will take a certain amount of time adjusting to a new coach.

Krueger's teams figured in three championships during his five years at the helm so Seamans has a tough act to follow. He has some capable performers among 26 returning lettermen, including three All-Conference players--halfback Tom Jakubowski, middle guard Ray Jackson, and linebacker Jerry Ring. Jakubowski was the Conference's leading rusher last fall, averaging 4.2 yards a carry and 100 yards per game.

Missing from the 1973 team that finished second with a 6-1-1 record and 8-1-1 overall are defensive end Bill Vander Velden, last year's most valuable player, and quarterback Bud Nystrom, who passed for 10 touchdowns in eight games. Also gone are All-Conference defensive back Guy Nelson, and outstanding pass receiver Mike Perteete.

Seamans considers the search for a quarterback and wide receivers his priority items heading into pre-season practice. Gary Pedley, a 6-1, 193 senior is the only quarterback with any previous experience. Adequate replacements at defensive end and halfback as well as tight end also are needed for the Pioneers to rank as contenders.

**UW-PLATTEVILLE FOOTBALL TEAM ROSTER**  
**(Returning Lettermen Only)**

Name	Pos.	Hgt.	Wgt.	Class	Hometown-High School
Alexander, Dave	TE	6-2	190	Jr.	Benton
Bibis, Gene	SE	5-11	180	Sr.	Oak Creek
Burchik, Dan	G	5-9	226	Sr.	Madison (LaFollette)
Cronin, Jon	C	6-2	208	Sr.	Racine (Horlick)
David, John	SE	5-11	184	Jr.	Platteville
Hill, Steve	DHB	5-9	166	Jr.	Bloomington
Hintgen, Paul	FB	5-9	188	Jr.	Moline, IL
Jackson, Ray	MG	6-1	206	Sr.	Racine (Horlick)
Jakubowski, Tom	TB	5-11	212	Jr.	St. Francis
Jeske, Mike	DT	6-5	210	So.	Milwaukee
Klimala, Frank	T	6-1	216	So.	Chicago, IL
Kurzynski, Len	LB	6-1	208	So.	Oshkosh
Lenz, Bill	DHB	6-0	190	So.	Appleton
Loker, Terry	DHB	6-0	187	Sr.	Mineral Point
McCarthy, Jim	T	6-3	251	Jr.	Hazel Green
Patterson, Pat	TB	6-2	187	Sr.	Bloomington
Pedley, Gary	QB	6-1	193	Sr.	Dundee, IL
Peterson, Jeff	DHB	6-0	185	Sr.	Sturgeon Bay
Reynolds, Larry	DT	6-1	221	Jr.	Boscobel
Ring, Jerry	LB	6-0	196	Sr.	Rio
Saldivar, Eliseo	G	5-10	220	Sr.	Round Lake, IL
Simms, Dennis	C	6-2	197	Jr.	Middleton
Sinclair, Glenn	DHB	5-9	170	So.	Chicago, IL
Skubal, Tom	G	6-1	210	Jr.	Manitowoc
Vander Velden, Dave	DE	6-3	200	So.	Kimberly
Widen, Mike	T	6-2	221	Sr.	Madison (East)



# UW-RIVER FALLS

HEAD COACH: Mike Farley

ASSISTANT COACHES: Bob Bloom  
Dave Landgraf  
Newt Greaser  
Jim Helminiak  
Steve Vail  
Harold Tiffany  
Mike McDaniels  
Lew Ritcherson

## FALCONS PREVIEW

### 1974 Schedule

Sept. 7	Augsburg (NC)	7:30
Sept. 14	at Oshkosh	1:30
Sept. 21	Eau Claire	7:30
Sept. 28	at Northland (NC)	1:30
Oct. 5	at Platteville	7:30
Oct. 12	La Crosse (HC)	1:30
Oct. 19	at Whitewater	1:30
Oct. 26	Superior	1:30
Nov. 2	at Stout	1:30
Nov. 9	Stevens Point	1:30

### 1973 Results (4-5-1)

River Falls	7	Augsburg	13
River Falls	19	Oshkosh	12
River Falls	6	Eau Claire	13
River Falls	20	Northland	13
River Falls	7	Platteville	12
River Falls	6	La Crosse	21
River Falls	14	Whitewater	14
River Falls	0	Superior	13
River Falls	9	Stout	6
River Falls	14	Stevens Point	0

## PROSPECTS FOR 1974

The Falcons haven't won a WSUC championship since 1958 and every team in the league except Superior claimed a title during the intervening years. Coach Mike Farley confidently predicts his team will finish in the top three this season and admits he eagerly awaits the campaign.

Sixteen starters return among 35 lettermen, eight from each of the offensive and defensive platoons. The Falcons finished 3-4-1 in the Conference last fall, their most lopsided loss being to eventual champion La Crosse, 21-6. Farley considers "being in every ball game in '73 and developing a new positive attitude that has the players believing in themselves" team strengths this year.

A potent Wishbone attack vaulted the Falcons among the Conference rushing leaders last fall, when they averaged almost 200 yards a game on the ground. But, inadequate passing caused an imbalance in the offense that created problems as the season wore on. Developing a "precision passing attack" is one of Farley's principle goals.

Retaining their strong rushing game could be a problem with the graduation of running backs Doug Vezina and Jim Lohman. All-Conference tackle Paul Cudd returns to provide some Wishbone blocking, while juniors Rodger Weyman and Tom Linehan get the first crack at trying to provide needed passing from the quarterback spot.

UW-RIVER FALLS FOOTBALL TEAM ROSTER  
(Returning Lettermen Only)

Name	Pos.	Hgt.	Wgt.	Class	Hometown-High School
Barlow, Dave	FB	5-7	203	Jr.	Soldiers Grove (No. Crawford)
Brenna, Bob	TE	6-3	201	Jr.	River Falls
Cieslewicz, Mark	DE	6-0	188	Jr.	Green Bay (East)
Cobb, Keith	HB	5-10	161	Jr.	Chicago (Dunbar)
Cudd, Paul	OT	6-1	204	Sr.	River Falls
Ditlefsen, Jeff	C	6-0	193	So.	Unity
Dumond, Jeff	DHB	5-8	168	Jr.	River Falls
Evans, Don	FB	6-0	193	So.	Unity
Franklin, Terry	DE	6-0	213	Jr.	Chicago, IL (Hirsch)
Freeman, Jasper	HB	5-10	180	So.	Philadelphia, PA
Gagnon, Jim	LB	6-4	227	So.	Eau Claire (Regis)
Geotsch, Mark	LB	6-0	197	Sr.	Plymouth
Hoff, Roland	G	6-0	220	Jr.	Westby
Hoffman, Scott	DHB	5-11	186	Sr.	Burlington
King, Eddie	LB	5-10	206	So.	North Miami, FL
Klicka, Tom	C	6-1	197	Jr.	Omro
Leemkuil, Dirk	DE	6-1	206	Sr.	Burlington
Linehan, Tom	QB	6-0	188	Jr.	River Falls
Mangano, Jim	DT	6-1	236	So.	Miami Beach, FL
Nerdahl, Dave	TE	6-0	189	So.	Robbinsdale, MN
Niekamp, Randy	G	5-10	197	Sr.	Camp Point (Central)
O'Grady, John	MLB	5-10	179	Jr.	Chicago, IL (Sullivan)
Phillips, Butch	DHB	5-10	180	So.	Racine (Park)
Ritscher, Barry	DHB	5-10	175	So.	Alma
Rogers, Bob	FB	5-5	170	Jr.	Chicago, IL (Leo)
Rouse, Gene	HB	5-9	182	Jr.	Chicago, IL (Mendel)
Taylor, Randy	TE	5-11	209	Jr.	Chicago, IL (Calumet)
Thomas, Ken	OT	6-3	230	Jr.	Chicago, IL (Kenwood)
Vobora, Chuck	DT	6-1	200	Sr.	Marshfield
Voss, Jeff	K	5-11	165	Sr.	Madison (Edgewood)
Walters, Mike	DT	6-0	215	So.	Chicago, IL (Austin)
Weyman, Rodger	QB	5-11	171	Jr.	Glen Riddle, PA
Will, Mike	DHB	5-11	173	Jr.	Valparaiso, IN
Wilson, Scott	G	6-0	210	So.	Counsel Rock, PA
Zahalka, John	LB	5-9	190	Jr.	Oshkosh (Lourdes)

UW-STEVENS POINT

HEAD COACH: Monte Charles

ASSISTANT COACHES: Jack Renken  
Norbert Miller

## POINTERS PREVIEW

1974 Schedule1973 Results (4-6)

Sept. 7	at Morningside (NC)	1:30	Stevens Point	21	Eastern Illinois	20
Sept. 14	La Crosse	1:30	Stevens Point	0	La Crosse	21
Sept. 21	St. Norbert (NC)	1:30	Stevens Point	3	St. Norbert	26
Sept. 28	at Whitewater	1:30	Stevens Point	30	Whitewater	37
Oct. 5	Oshkosh	1:30	Stevens Point	19	Oshkosh	35
Oct. 12	at Stout	1:30	Stevens Point	33	Stout	6
Oct. 19	Superior (HC)	1:30	Stevens Point	34	Superior	19
Oct. 26	Platteville	1:30	Stevens Point	17	Platteville	14
Nov. 2	at Eau Claire	1:30	Stevens Point	24	Eau Claire	56
Nov. 9	at River Falls	1:30	Stevens Point	0	River Falls	14

## PROSPECTS FOR 1974

Coach Monte Charles continued his rejuvenation of the Pointers last year but the team still wound up seventh and far out of the running. They presented a crowd-pleasing wide open attack but most of the offense was negated by a porous defense. The problem this fall will be to generate the same kind of attack but stop opponents more consistently.

Charles this year is searching for a new quarterback to replace Mark Olejniczak, whose passing had a great deal to do with establishing 22 school and 15 Conference records in 1973. Olejniczak averaged more than 40 passes a game and his 350 attempts, 179 completions, and 2,209 yards are Conference season records.

Whoever replaces Olejniczak has the Conference's leading receiver back as the major target. Jeff Gosa caught 49 aerials for 671 yards and seven touchdowns as a freshman last fall. He is one of 32 lettermen back.

Point's rushing was almost non-existent. The Pointers managed only 195 yards on the ground all season. This can be deceiving, though, because even Charles' running game is predicated on short passes. Shoring up the defense remains a major problem. While scoring fairly well, the Pointers also gave up 56 points to Eau Claire, 37 to Whitewater, and 35 to Oshkosh.

**UW-STEVENS POINT FOOTBALL TEAM ROSTER**  
(Returning Lettermen Only)

Name	Pos.	Hgt.	Wgt.	Class	Hometown-High School
Brewer, Dave	DE	5-10	205	Sr.	Port Washington
DeFatti, Tony	DE	6-3	235	Jr.	Colby
Denninson, Steve	DE	6-0	170	So.	Westfield
DeVillers, Gary	DT	6-1	205	Jr.	Green Bay
Diercks, Mike	OH	6-0	180	Jr.	Antigo
Duerst, LeRoy	DT	6-3	225	So.	Verona
Eskritt, Dennis	SE	6-0	175	Sr.	Wisconsin Rapids
Golla, Russ	LB	5-1	190	Jr.	Stevens Point
Gosa, Jeff	SE	6-1	185	So.	Waukesha
Hauser, Dan	OG	5-10	190	So.	Janesville
Hoffman, Bob	WR	6-1	195	So.	Antigo
Jenkins, Jeff	OT	6-0	220	Jr.	Highland Park, IL
Kent, Rod	DT	6-3	240	So.	Schofield
Krueger, Doug	TE	6-1	190	So.	Stevens Point
Mattei, Monte	Q	5-11	170	So.	Wisconsin Dells
Miech, John	C	6-1	195	Sr.	Muskego
Moll, Kevin	OT	6-0	200	Sr.	Wayne, NJ
Nevins, John	DT	6-0	205	Sr.	Blanchardville
Nistler, Paul	OT	6-1	205	Jr.	Green Bay
Pilecky, Joe	OH	5-9	175	So.	Antigo
Platson, Lloyd	DE	6-0	195	Jr.	Janesville
Quaerna, Jim	LB	5-11	215	Jr.	Janesville
Raeder, Jerry	DT	6-0	225	Sr.	Sheboygan
Rivara, Bob	LB	6-0	215	Sr.	Superior
Sexton, Pat	DE	6-2	215	Sr.	New London
Sjoberg, Orie	C	6-3	235	Jr.	Wausau
Sowka, Larry	OB	5-10	180	So.	Stevens Point
Stalzinski, Gary	DH	6-2	195	Sr.	Marathon
Van Beaver, Gene	DT	5-11	210	Sr.	Green Bay



# UW-STOUT

HEAD COACH: Sten Pierce

ASSISTANT COACHES: Bob Kamish  
John Salo  
Wayne Nero  
Jack Davis  
Bill Rowe

## BLUE DEVILS PREVIEW

### 1974 Schedule

Sept. 7	Hamline (NC)	1:30
Sept. 14	at Superior	7:30
Sept. 21	Oshkosh	1:30
Sept. 28	at Eau Claire	7:30
Oct. 5	Whitewater	1:30
Oct. 12	Stevens Point (HC)	1:30
Oct. 19	at Platteville	1:30
Oct. 26	at Bemidji (NC)	1:30
Nov. 2	River Falls	1:30
Nov. 9	at La Crosse	1:30

### 1973 Results (1-9)

Stout	3	Hamline	19
Stout	13	Superior	10
Stout	13	Oshkosh	17
Stout	12	Eau Claire	23
Stout	16	Whitewater	35
Stout	6	Stevens Point	33
Stout	18	Platteville	55
Stout	34	Winona	63
Stout	6	River Falls	9
Stout	34	La Crosse	41

## PROSPECTS FOR 1974

Coch Sten Pierce struggled through a losing season last fall. The Blue Devils finished last in the Conference, winning only one of eight games, and wound up 1-9 overall. He feels a major problem confronting the coaching staff and squad will be a rededication to a winning effort following last year's disappointment.

Nothing helps rededication and morale like a contingent of big, tough people up front and that's the major challenge facing Pierce and his staff. They must find competent linemen, both offensively and defensively. Best of the returnees is senior offensive guard John Miller.

The Blue Devils return 35 lettermen, including 10 offensive and nine defensive starters, but those come from a last place team, and overcoming the losing stigma remains a major obstacle. The biggest void in the lineup was left by the graduation of running back John Osmanski.

Still, Pierce lists "good team speed, balance, and outstanding receivers" as pluses in his announced bid for a first division finish this season. Of those returning lettermen 16 are sophomores, who won their spurs at a tender age in 1973. Among this group are quarterbacks John Elkin and Gary Johnson, who shared that difficult assignment as frosh. The receiving corps is headed by junior Bill Kyle, who caught 34 passes last fall. Jack Voigt returns to the defensive secondary.

UW-STOUT FOOTBALL TEAM ROSTER  
(Returning Lettermen Only)

Name	Pos.	Hgt.	Wgt.	Class	Hometown-High School
Annis, Jeff	LB	6-0	180	Sr.	Elkhart Lake
Campbell, Brad	G	6-0	190	Jr.	Janesville (Parker)
Coe, Brian	DB	6-1	190	So.	Muskego
DePottay, Dan	LB	6-2	215	Jr.	Wisconsin Rapids
Dietzen, Kurt	DB	6-1	170	Jr.	Appleton (West)
Dobner, Steve	TE	6-5	215	Jr.	Lake Zurich, IL
Elkin, John	QB	6-1	175	So.	New Richmond
Gjovik, Tim	DB	5-11	180	Sr.	Spring Valley
Glinski, Tom	SE	6-0	170	Sr.	Green Bay
Gove, Jeff	OT	6-2	220	Sr.	Mound, MN
Goebelt, Tom	SE	6-2	190	So.	Skokie, IL (Niles North)
Johnson, Gary	QB	6-1	195	So.	Milwaukee (Wis. Lutheran)
Klosiewski, Mike	HB	5-11	190	So.	Franklin
Kyle, William	SE	6-2	185	Jr.	Chicago (Prosser)
Liter, Mark	DE	6-4	200	So.	Mosinee
Luer, Dan	FB	6-3	220	Jr.	Colfax
Miller, John	G	6-0	190	Sr.	Jackson, MI
Nelson, Dennis	G	6-2	215	Sr.	Menomonie
Nelson, Gary	C	6-1	200	So.	Menomonie
Nissenbaum, Mike	OT	6-6	230	So.	Baraboo
Peterson, Pete	HB-K	6-0	200	So.	Port Edwards
Ploof, Jack	MG	6-0	200	So.	Grafton
Prahl, Bob	DB	6-0	180	So.	Delavan (Delavan-Darien)
Ross, Dan	DB	5-11	175	Jr.	Racine (Parker)
Rubash, Tom	DT	6-3	230	Jr.	New Lisbon
Schuknecht, Steve	FB	6-1	215	So.	Menomonie
Schoknecht, Kurt	LB	6-1	200	So.	Whiting, IN
Shore, Jim	LB	6-3	205	Sr.	Antioch, IL
Strzok, Mark	DE	6-3	200	So.	Muskego
Tauchen, Don	DB	6-1	180	Jr.	Villa Park, IL (Willowbrook)
Voigt, Jack	DB	6-1	180	Jr.	Kiel
Vondra, Fred	C	6-0	205	So.	Union Grove
Ware, Lang	OT	6-1	265	Sr.	Milwaukee (Boys Tech)
Weyenberg, Dick	FLK	6-1	195	So.	Appleton (West)
Youngbauer, Scott	DB	5-10	175	Jr.	Sussex (Hamilton)

# UW-SUPERIOR

HEAD COACH: Ed Bender

ASSISTANT COACHES: Dom Moselle  
Vincent McMahon

## YELLOWJACKETS PREVIEW

### 1974 Schedule

Sept. 7	UM-Duluth (NC)	7:30
Sept. 14	Stout	7:30
Sept. 21	at Whitewater	1:30
Sept. 28	at La Crosse	1:30
Oct. 5	Eau Claire (HC)	1:30
Oct. 12	Platteville	1:30
Oct. 19	at Stevens Point	1:30
Oct. 26	at River Falls	1:30
Nov. 2	Oshkosh	1:30
Nov. 9	at Northland (NC)	1:30

### 1973 Results (2-8)

Superior	0	UM-Duluth	29
Superior	10	Stout	13
Superior	14	Whitewater	42
Superior	9	La Crosse	16
Superior	0	Eau Claire	21
Superior	0	Platteville	27
Superior	19	Stevens Point	34
Superior	13	River Falls	0
Superior	28	Oshkosh	27
Superior	12	St. Thomas	36

## PROSPECTS FOR 1974

The Yellowjackets haven't won a Conference football championship in 28 years and that goal appears unlikely again this season, but Coach Ed Bender is confident his team can produce a winning record in 1974. Bender is starting his third year at the helm after the Yellowjackets finished ninth in 1972 and eighth last fall.

Edging into first division is a more realistic goal and Bender hopes the 38 returning lettermen, including 10 offensive starters and nine from the defense, bring enough experience and moxy to attain that objective. Returnees include last year's quarterback, Frank Lee; Mike Raskovich, the team's best rusher in 1973; and Gary Beckman, who led the Conference in punt return average with 12.1 yards.

Probably the most potent offensive weapon returning is split end Jerry Uchtyl, who has ranked among Conference leaders the past three seasons. He led the league as a freshman in 1971 with 43 receptions for 829 yards, the latter a Conference record. He was fourth in '72 with 39 catches and fifth a year ago with 29. He needs 32 receptions and 188 yards this season to eclipse WSUC career records of 142 catches and 1,885 yards.

Bender can field a hefty forward wall on defense with the likes of 6-1, 260 John Beck, 6-1, 240 Oscar Hampton, and 6-2, 230 John Nye at tackles along with 6-1, 220 Greg Knoll and 6-5, 220 Tom Milanovich at ends. But, the Yellowjackets were shut out in three games last fall and they need to generate some offense most of all.

UW-SUPERIOR FOOTBALL TEAM ROSTER  
 (Returning Lettermen Only)

Name	Pos.	Hgt.	Wgt.	Class	Hometown-High School
Beck, John	DT	6-1	260	Sr.	Chicago, IL
Beckman, Gary	HB	5-11	179	Sr.	Embarrass, MN
Burchill, Steve	LB	6-0	205	So.	Brainerd, MN
Daniels, Daryl	SE	5-9	160	So.	Oakhurst, NJ
Downs, Robert	DB	5-11	185	So.	Superior
Gander, Fidel	OG	5-11	225	Jr.	Solon Springs
Gorenflo, Dan	DB	6-0	180	Jr.	Marion, OH
Hampton, Oscar	DT	6-1	240	Jr.	Danville, IL
Jansheski, Dean	C	6-1	212	Jr.	Elyria, OH
Kammert, Bill	OT	6-0	225	Sr.	Calumet City, IL
Kittleson, Jim	K	5-10	175	So.	Barron
Knoll, Greg	DE	6-1	220	Sr.	Lake Nebagamon
Langham, Ed	DB	6-0	192	Jr.	Birchwood
Laughlin, Brian	DE	6-3	205	Sr.	Pontiac, IL
Lee, Frank	QB	6-0	195	Jr.	Sterling, IL
Lenz, Richard	C	6-0	214	Sr.	Riverdale, IL
Lepperd, Jerry	DB	5-10	180	Jr.	New Rochelle, IL
Levar, Steve	DG	6-1	220	Sr.	Ely, MN
Metzger, Lee	LB	6-1	225	Jr.	Rochelle, IL
Milanovich, Tom	DE	6-5	220	Sr.	Dalton, IL
Mini, Dan	DB	6-1	190	Sr.	Dalzell, IL
Mowen, Mike	DT	6-0	221	Sr.	Lanark, IL
Nass, Steve	DT	6-3	230	Jr.	Jefferson
Nye, John	OT	6-2	230	Sr.	South Glastonbury, CT
Payne, Mike	DB	5-11	160	Sr.	Phoenix, IL
Peck, Jim	TE	6-3	210	Sr.	Superior
Peterson, James	DB	6-0	170	So.	Curtiss
Phelps, Bill	HB	5-9	185	So.	Peru, IL
Polkoski, Mike	OG	6-0	223	Jr.	Iron River
Porter, Jim	DB	6-0	182	Sr.	Markham, IL
Raskovich, Mike	HB	5-8	164	Sr.	Nashwauk, MN
Schilling, Steve	FB	5-11	205	So.	Duluth, MN
Simek, Dick	HB	5-9	175	So.	Brookfield, IL
Tarasewicz, Don	DB	5-10	169	Jr.	Ashland
Uchytel, Gerry	SE	5-9	160	Sr.	Superior
Walsh, Tim	OT	6-4	250	So.	Morton Grove, IL
Wirtala, Myron	LB	5-9	195	Sr.	Withee
Zanutto, Larry	TE	6-3	202	Jr.	Montreal



UW-WHITEWATER

HEAD COACH: Forrest Perkins

ASSISTANT COACHES: Gene Cardinal  
Rex Foster  
Jim Raffini  
Willie Myers

WARHAWKS PREVIEW

1974 Schedule

Sept. 7	Northern Michigan (NC)	1:30
Sept. 14	at Platteville	1:30
Sept. 21	Superior	7:30
Sept. 28	Stevens Point	7:30
Oct. 5	at Stout	1:30
Oct. 12	at St. Norbert (NC)	1:30
Oct. 19	River Falls (HC)	1:30
Oct. 26	at Eau Claire	1:30
Nov. 2	La Crosse	1:30
Nov. 9	at Oshkosh	1:30
Nov. 16	at UW-Milwaukee (NC)	1:00

1973 Results (6-2-2)

Whitewater	7	Northern Michigan	0
Whitewater	14	Platteville	14
Whitewater	42	Superior	14
Whitewater	37	Stevens Point	30
Whitewater	35	Stout	16
Whitewater	3	St. Norbert	0
Whitewater	14	River Falls	14
Whitewater	13	Eau Claire	7
Whitewater	15	La Crosse	16
Whitewater	6	Oshkosh	24

PROSPECTS FOR 1974

The Warhawks are perennial contenders who expect to be among the leaders again this season because the offensive unit returns almost intact. The Warhawks last figured in the championship in 1969 when they shared the crown with Platteville. A pair of 14-14 ties with Platteville and a 16-15 loss to eventual champion La Crosse dropped them to third at 4-2-2 last fall.

Quarterback Ed Nowell heads 32 returning lettermen and the senior has a highly competent backup man in junior Rich Murphy. Nowell completed almost 62 per cent of his passes last fall and threw for 11 touchdowns. Also returning to the offensive are 6-3, 230 fullback Kerry Larsen and 5-10, 195 halfback Jeff Hanaman.

Halfback Bill Roper, who averaged five yards a carry as the Warhawks' top rusher last fall, is gone, along with such outstanding defenders as All-Conference Jim Walters, Bob Behnke, and Gary Phillips at tackle, and backs Mark Dennis and Dan Ditter. Also gone is kicking specialist Mike Capodarco, who left with Conference career records for field goals, 13, and conversions, 73.

Rebuilding the defense is the major project facing the Warhawk staff but Coach Forrest Perkins earned a reputation for fashioning strong defensive units. While the defense matures, the offense should be able to keep the Warhawks in contention, particularly with people like split end Roger Gename, second in pass receiving last fall with 37 catches.

UW-WHITEWATER FOOTBALL TEAM ROSTER  
(Returning Lettermen Only)

Name	Pos.	Hgt.	Wgt.	Class	Hometown-High School
Barnes, Richard	LB	5-11	230	Sr.	Washington, PA
Barwick, Bill	G	6-2	225	Jr.	Beloit (Memorial)
Brunner, Dan	E	6-2	230	Sr.	Milwaukee (Boys Tech)
Caspari, Bruce	SE	6-2	190	Jr.	Milwaukee (Dominican)
DiSalvo, Steve	DT	6-1	220	Jr.	Madison (Edgewood)
Dombrowski, Daryl	C	6-3	230	Jr.	Green Bay (Southwest)
Evans, William "G"	G	6-0	210	So.	Milwaukee (West Division)
Fischer, Steve	DB	5-11	180	Sr.	Jefferson
Gename, Roger	SE	6-3	195	Jr.	Kenosha (Tremper)
Gerber, Greg	DB	6-1	195	Sr.	Lake Geneva (Badger)
Gerber, Steve	DE	6-1	190	Jr.	Lake Geneva (Badger)
Haidinger, Ron	HB	5-9	185	Jr.	Boscobel
Hanaman, Jeff	HB	5-10	195	Sr.	Beloit (Memorial)
Iser, Charles	DHB	6-0	185	Jr.	Oak Brook, IL
Johnson, Pat	HB	6-0	200	Sr.	Oconomowoc
Kordich, John	FB	6-0	190	Jr.	West Allis (Nathan Hale)
Krause, Frank	G	6-0	225	Jr.	Glenbard East, IL
Larsen, Kerry	FB	6-3	230	Sr.	Ithaca
Mesick, Dave	G	6-1	220	Jr.	Sheboygan (North)
Mirsberger, Tom	DT	6-2	290	So.	Hilbert
Morgan, Brian	LB	6-0	190	Jr.	Oconomowoc
Murphy, Rich	QB	6-0	180	Jr.	Chicago (Leo)
Nelson, Paul	FB	6-0	200	Jr.	Kenosha (Tremper)
Nowell, Ed	QB	6-0	160	Sr.	Kenosha (St. Joseph)
Rathjen, Jeff	G	5-9	185	Jr.	Kenosha (Tremper)
Romberg, Dave	TE	6-3	200	Sr.	Fox Valley Lutheran
Shalbrack, Tim	DB	6-2	185	Jr.	Racine (Case)
Simons, Bill	C	5-11	185	Sr.	Green Bay (Preble)
Spanton, Victor	LB	6-3	210	Jr.	Evansville
Stelzer, Robert	FB	6-0	190	Jr.	Manitowoc (Lincoln)
Swenson, Doug	T	6-4	225	Jr.	Monona Grove
Wycklendt, Curt	LB	6-0	180	Jr.	Milwaukee (Nicolet)

# 1973 CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS

(Results of 12th Annual Conference Meet,  
Stout, November 3, 1973)

Distance - 5 Miles

Place	Name and School	Time	Place	Name and School	Time
1.	Jim Drews, La Crosse	24:53	37.	Al Lien, River Falls	26:57
2.	Jim McFadden, Stout	25:29	38.	Don Buntman, Stevens Point	26:58
3.	Shawn Flanigan, Platteville	25:35	39.	Joel Peebles, Whitewater	26:58
4.	Jim Rehbein, La Crosse	25:38	40.	Mark Petrowski, Eau Claire	27:00
5.	Paul Viner, La Crosse	25:41	41.	Al Vandenhouten, Oshkosh	27:00
6.	Kirk Ruhnke, Oshkosh	25:46	42.	Jon Vodacek, Eau Claire	27:04
7.	Gerhart Sasman, Stout	25:46	43.	Gary Krueger, Oshkosh	27:10
8.	Pat McGuire, La Crosse	25:47	--	Tom Hopfensperger, St. Pt.	27:13
9.	Don Trzebiatowski, Stevens Pt.	25:48	44.	Paul Matyas, Eau Claire	27:14
10.	Greg Riederer, La Crosse	25:49	45.	Selwyn Griffith, Oshkosh	27:17
11.	Jim Stevens, La Crosse	25:59	46.	Darron Schmitz, Platteville	27:19
12.	Dave Coggins, River Falls	26:06	47.	Chuck Fisher, Platteville	27:21
13.	Dave Elger, Stevens Point	26:07	48.	Dave Nettakoven, Whitewater	27:33
14.	Al Gamroth, Stevens Point	26:08	49.	Terry DesJarlais, River Fls.	27:35
15.	Dave Merritt, Oshkosh	26:09	--	Barry Weber, River Falls	27:35
16.	Ian Dziubinski, Platteville	26:12	50.	Steve Ross, Oshkosh	27:37
17.	Larry Schmidt, La Crosse	26:17	51.	Gary Waint, Superior	27:38
18.	Steve Wros, River Falls	26:21	52.	Craig Brooks, Eau Claire	27:41
19.	Jay Nuedling, Whitewater	26:22	53.	Joe Belanger, Whitewater	27:42
--	Dave Franke, La Crosse	26:24	--	Dan Worsham, Stevens Point	27:43
20.	John Moody, River Falls	26:26	--	Neil Vandenhouten, Oshkosh	27:51
21.	Donn Behnke, Stevens Point	26:28	54.	Tom Stodola, Superior	27:52
22.	Gary Yanke, Platteville	26:30	--	Rick Terhune, Platteville	27:54
23.	Terry Werner, River Falls	26:31	55.	Mike Olson, Stout	27:56
24.	Dave Schroeder, Eau Claire	26:32	56.	Rick Burdick, Stout	27:57
25.	Mike Braun, Platteville	26:33	--	Jim Barron, River Falls	28:03
--	Will Heidt, La Crosse	26:36	--	Rick Kocaja, Oshkosh	28:15
26.	Ken Gehrt, Whitewater	26:38	--	Roland Fisher, Platteville	28:18
27.	Bob Sandstrom, Stout	26:40	--	Dennis Brooks, Eau Claire	28:22
28.	Tom Klenke, Oshkosh	26:43	57.	John Berg, Stout	28:35
29.	Joe Young, Stevens Point	26:44	--	Jeff Stumbras, Eau Claire	28:38
30.	Dave Poethke, River Falls	26:45	--	Mark Pflueger, River Falls	28:48
31.	Vince Lease, Platteville	26:45	--	Steve Wrolstad, Eau Claire	28:56
--	Kevin Mahoney, La Crosse	26:51	--	Wayne Jentz, Platteville	29:47
32.	Tim LeGore, Eau Claire	26:52	58.	Charles Jones, Stout	30:33
33.	Wes Babcock, Whitewater	26:53	59.	Olli Rahkola, Superior	30:36
34.	Frank Burns, Whitewater	26:54	60.	Bruce Aunet, Superior	31:49
35.	Rick Zaborske, Stevens Point	26:55	--	Ted Lewis, Stout	31:55
36.	Thain Jones, Eau Claire	26:55	61.	Jeff Oliver, Superior	38:58

## TEAM SCORING

1.	La Crosse	1-4-5-8-10	--	28
2.	Stevens Point	9-13-14-21-29	--	86
3.	Platteville	3-16-22-25-31	--	97
4.	River Falls	12-18-20-23-30	--	103
5.	Oshkosh	6-15-28-41-43	--	133
6.	Stout	2-7-27-55-56	--	147
7.	Whitewater	19-26-33-34-39	--	151
8.	Eau Claire	24-32-36-40-42	--	174
9.	Superior	51-54-59-60-61	--	285

## CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER OF CHAMPIONS

1961	- Platteville
1962	- Milwaukee
1963	- Whitewater
1964	- Platteville
1965	- River Falls
1966	- Whitewater
1967	- Eau Claire
1968	- La Crosse
*1969	- Oshkosh
*1970	- Platteville
*1971	- River Falls
*1972	- Stevens Point
*1973	- La Crosse

\* Five Mile Course

# BASKETBALL COACHES



Ken Anderson  
Eau Claire



Burt McDonald  
La Crosse



Bob White  
Oshkosh



Dick Wadewitz  
Platteville



Newman Benson  
River Falls



Bob Krueger  
Stevens Point



Dwain Mintz  
Stout



Terry Krause  
Superior



Eli Crogan  
Whitewater



ALL-TIME CONFERENCE BASKETBALL RECORDS  
(Conference Games Only)

INDIVIDUAL SINGLE GAME RECORDS

Most Points: 57 by Roger Kuss (River Falls) vs. Stout, 1953.  
Most Field Goals Attempted: 46 by Lafayette Collins (Superior) vs. La Crosse, 1974.  
Most Field Goals Made: 22 by Jim Sevals (Superior) vs. Eau Claire, 1966.  
Most Free Throws Attempted: 24 by Larry Marshall (Platteville) vs. UW-Milwaukee, 1956.  
Most Free Throws Made: 21 by Larry Marshall (Platteville) vs. UW-Milwaukee, 1955 and 1956.  
Best Free Throw Average: 1.000 by Cal Glover (Stout) (16-16) vs. Superior, 1971.  
Most Rebounds: 35 by John Lallensack (Oshkosh) vs. Superior, 1967.

INDIVIDUAL SEASON RECORDS

Most Points: 436 by Jim Sevals (Superior), 1966.  
Highest Point Average: 27.25 by Jim Sevals (Superior), 1966.  
Most Field Goals Attempted: 435 by Lafayette Collins (Superior), 1974.  
Most Field Goals Made: 175 by Jim Sevals (Superior), 1966.  
Best Field Goal Percentage: 61.2 (71-116) by Dale Magedanz (Stout), 1971.  
Most Free Throws Attempted: 164 by Cal Glover (Stout), 1971.  
Most Free Throws Made: 123 by Stan Johnson (Eau Claire), 1967.  
Best Free Throw Percentage: 90.0 (54-60) by Pat Hammond (Eau Claire), 1968.  
Most Consecutive Free Throws Made: 29 by Pat Hammond (Eau Claire), 1968.  
Most Rebounds: 306 by Mel Coleman (Stout), 1968.  
Best Rebound Average: 19.1 by Mel Coleman (Stout), 1968.

TEAM SINGLE GAME RECORDS

Most Points: 133 by Oshkosh vs. Whitewater, 1968.  
Most Points (Both Teams): 233 by Oshkosh (133) vs. Whitewater (100), 1968.  
Most Field Goals Attempted: 119 by Whitewater vs. Oshkosh, 1968.  
Most Field Goals Made: 52 by Stevens Point vs. Superior, 1968.  
Best Field Goal Percentage: 65.2 (30-46) by Stevens Point vs. Platteville, 1969.  
Most Free Throws Attempted: 67 by Platteville vs. Superior, 1968.  
Most Free Throws Made: 54 by Platteville vs. Superior, 1968.  
Best Free Throw Percentage: 91.3 (21-23) by Oshkosh vs. Superior, 1967.

TEAM SEASON RECORDS

Most Points: 1,481 by Oshkosh, 1968.  
Best Point Average: 95.8 by La Crosse, 1964.  
Best Defensive Average: 62.6 by Eau Claire, 1971.  
Most Field Goals Attempted: 1,477 by Whitewater, 1968.  
Most Field Goals Made: 609 by Eau Claire, 1972.  
Best Field Goal Percentage: 48.6 (475-976) by Stout, 1973.  
Most Free Throws Attempted: 591 by Superior, 1969.  
Most Free Throws Made: 366 by Platteville, 1968.  
Best Free Throw Percentage: .731 (285-390) by Whitewater, 1970.  
Best Rebound Average: 58.8 by Eau Claire, 1970.

# SCHOOL RECORDS (Conference Games Only)

## SINGLE GAME SCORING, INDIVIDUAL

Eau Claire	39, Stan Johnson vs. Stout, 1967.
La Crosse	38, Joel Hafner vs. River Falls, 1968.
Oshkosh	36, Ron Hayek vs. Superior, 1967.
Platteville	42, Don Braun vs. UW-Milwaukee, 1961.
River Falls	57, Roger Kuss vs. Stout, 1953.
Stevens Point	39, Mike Hughes vs. River Falls, 1968.
Stout	42, Bill Heidemann vs. River Falls, 1968.
Superior	48, Jim Sevals vs. Eau Claire, 1966.
Whitewater	38, J. P. Fisher vs. Oshkosh, 1960.

## SINGLE GAME SCORING, TEAM

Eau Claire	117, vs. La Crosse (87), 1971-72.
La Crosse	117, vs. Superior (85), 1970.
Oshkosh	133, vs. Whitewater (100), 1968.
Platteville	126, vs. UW-Milwaukee (96), 1960.
River Falls	110, vs. Eau Claire (83), 1950.
Stevens Point	123, vs. Superior (73), 1968.
Stout	114, vs. Superior (72), 1971-72.
Superior	111, vs. River Falls (87), 1967.
Whitewater	106, vs. Stevens Point (69), 1960; La Crosse (90), 1968; River Falls (72), 1972.

## HIGHEST OPPONENTS SCORE

Eau Claire	113, by Oshkosh, 1966.
La Crosse	117, by Eau Claire, 1972.
Oshkosh	119, by Platteville, 1956.
Platteville	114, by Oshkosh, 1971.
River Falls	113, by Stevens Point, 1968; La Crosse, 1968.
Stevens Point	110, by River Falls, 1953.
Stout	122, by Platteville, 1963.
Superior	123, by Stevens Point, 1968.
Whitewater	133, by Oshkosh, 1968.

## HIGHEST LOSING SCORE

Eau Claire	92, vs. Superior (106), 1966; Whitewater (101), 1968.
La Crosse	96, vs. Stout (103), 1968.
Oshkosh	95, vs. Whitewater (100), 1971.
Platteville	101, vs. Oshkosh (103), 1964.
River Falls	99, vs. Whitewater (105), 1968.
Stevens Point	97, vs. Oshkosh ( ), 1960; Whitewater (100), 1968.
Stout	98, vs. Superior (107), 1964.
Superior	99, vs. La Crosse (101) overtime, 1972.
Whitewater	100, vs. Oshkosh (133), 1968.

# FINAL 1973-74 TEAM STATISTICS

(16 Conference Games Only)

School	FGA-FGM	FG Ave.	FTA-FTM	FT Ave.	Reb.	Reb. Ave.	Pts.	Scoring Ave.
Whitewater	1184-539	.455	259-187	.722	749	46.9	1265	79.1
Platteville	1061-505	.476	358-252	.704	712	44.5	1262	78.9
Stout	1075-475	.441	433-296	.683	635	39.7	1246	77.9
Superior	1236-504	.408	296-216	.730	638	39.9	1224	76.5
Eau Claire	1055-481	.456	329-236	.717	773	48.3	1198	74.9
Oshkosh	1238-487	.393	296-168	.568	824	51.5	1142	71.4
Stevens Point	1012-447	.442	300-211	.703	561	35.1	1105	69.1
La Crosse	1031-459	.445	232-162	.698	605	37.8	1080	67.5
River Falls	1090-445	.408	275-162	.589	600	37.5	1052	65.8

# FINAL 1973-74 INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

(16 Conference Games Only)

Player and School	G	FGA-FGM	FG Ave.	FTA-FTM	FT Ave.	Reb.	Reb. Ave.	Pts.	Scoring Ave.
1. Lafayette Collins, Sup	16	435-167	.384	105-88	.838	104	6.5	422	26.4
2. Steve Kundert, Pl	16	263-134	.510	90-73	.811	128	8.0	341	21.3
3. Bill Lyons, Stout	16	260-118	.446	104-73	.702	52	3.2	309	19.3
4. Eric Haug, LaX	16	287-123	.429	60-48	.800	145	9.1	294	18.4
5. Bruce Weinkauf, SP	16	253-112	.443	64-50	.781	57	3.6	274	17.1
6. Jim Happ, Sup	16	263-126	.479	30-16	.533	122	7.6	268	16.8
7. Bob Stone, WW	16	213-104	.488	52-37	.712	149	9.3	245	15.3
8. Romie Thomas, EC	14	187- 87	.465	52-39	.750	39	2.8	213	15.2
9. Ken Obermueller, St	15	153- 75	.490	91-76	.835	37	2.3	226	15.1
10. Larry Grimes, WW	16	225-113	.502	14-12	.857	123	7.7	238	14.9
11. Ralph Rasmuson, EC	14	162- 82	.506	55-36	.655	189	13.5	200	14.3
12. Emile Etheridge, RF	16	203- 90	.443	36-25	.694	109	7.3	205	13.7
13. Garry Grimes, WW	16	172- 91	.528	47-36	.766	148	9.3	218	13.6
14. Jack Renkens, RF	16	228- 92	.404	52-29	.558	88	5.5	213	13.3
15. Bill Rozakis, St	16	173- 82	.474	76-44	.579	129	8.1	208	13.0
16. Elmer Polk, WW	16	214- 92	.430	35-22	.629	67	4.2	206	12.9
17. Greg Holmon, Osh	16	208- 89	.428	59-27	.458	270	16.9	205	12.8
18. Randy Wade, EC	16	172- 73	.424	78-52	.667	103	6.4	198	12.4
19. Larry Halverson, LaX	13	126- 69	.548	26-16	.615	85	6.5	154	11.8
20. Ken Kaiser, EC	15	157- 71	.452	37-27	.730	134	8.9	169	11.3
21. Al Olson, Sup	15	168- 73	.435	29-22	.759	92	6.1	168	11.2
22. Tom Enlund, SP	16	165- 81	.491	15-12	.800	58	3.6	174	10.9
Bruce Gibson, Pl	15	142- 66	.465	40-32	.800	85	5.7	164	10.9
24. Jim Milton, RF	16	197- 74	.376	33-23	.697	87	5.4	171	10.7
25. Virgil Dortch, St	16	172- 73	.424	38-24	.632	63	4.0	170	10.6
26. Steve Krebsbach, Pl	16	126- 65	.516	48-37	.771	74	4.6	167	10.4
27. Clarence Thomas, Osh	16	166- 70	.422	27-15	.556	19	1.2	155	9.7
28. Mark Thibodeau, LaX	16	141- 61	.433	36-31	.861	43	2.7	153	9.6
29. Matt Smith, SP	16	117- 54	.462	56-43	.768	106	6.6	151	9.4
30. Doug Knutson, Pl	16	136- 65	.478	36-19	.528	114	7.1	149	9.3
Henry Goodes, Osh	12	142- 46	.324	30-20	.667	26	2.2	112	9.3
32. Rich Reitzner, EC	16	127- 63	.496	20-20	1.000	35	2.2	146	9.1
33. Bill Gardner, Pl	16	94-56	.596	45-31	.689	119	7.4	143	8.9
34. Steve Zmyewski, St	16	133- 55	.413	35-25	.714	160	10.0	135	8.4
35. Dave Welsh, SP	15	116- 48	.414	33-25	.758	95	6.3	121	8.1
Bob Omelina, SP	15	104- 50	.481	34-21	.618	51	3.4	121	8.1
37. Jim Gardner, Pl	16	103- 48	.466	48-32	.667	69	4.3	128	8.0
Mike DeBakker, Osh	14	135- 52	.385	17- 8	.471	68	4.9	112	8.0
39. Bob Mitchell, LaX	16	124- 54	.435	26-18	.692	96	6.0	126	7.9
Dwight Jordan, RF	16	109- 54	.495	35-18	.514	98	6.1	126	7.9

# FINAL 1973-74 STANDINGS

<u>School</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>Pts.</u>	<u>Off. Ave.</u>	<u>OP</u>	<u>Def. Ave.</u>
Eau Claire (24-5)	14	2	1198	74.9	1014	63.4
Whitewater (21-5)	14	2	1265	79.1	1034	64.6
Platteville (21-4)	13	3	1262	78.9	1145	71.6
Stout (14-12)	10	6	1246	77.9	1209	75.6
La Crosse (13-11)	7	9	1080	67.5	1081	67.6
Oshkosh (9-15)	6	10	1142	71.4	1209	75.6
Stevens Point (9-17)	4	12	1105	69.1	1259	78.7
Superior (6-17)	3	13	1224	76.5	1350	84.4
River Falls (2-19)	1	15	1052	65.8	1273	79.6

## 1973-74 ALL-CONFERENCE TEAM

<u>Player</u>	<u>University</u>	<u>Hgt.</u>	<u>Wgt.</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Hometown-High School</u>
Lafayette Collins	Superior	6-0	155	Fr.	Alton, IL
Garry Grimes	Whitewater	6-4	180	Jr.	Indianapolis, IN
Larry Grimes	Whitewater	6-4	180	Jr.	Indianapolis, IN
Eric Haug	La Crosse	6-5	170	Jr.	Holmen
Greg Holmon	Oshkosh	6-6	210	Jr.	Waukegan, IL
Steve Kundert	Platteville	6-5	210	Sr.	Evansville
Bill Lyons	Stout	6-4	185	Sr.	Downers Grove, IL
Ralph Rasmuson	Eau Claire	6-8	235	Sr.	Whitehall
Randy Wade	Eau Claire	6-5	180	Jr.	Omro
Bruce Weinkauff	Stevens Point	6-2	185	Sr.	Wausau

## Honorable Mention

Eau Claire--Ken Kaiser, Rich Reitzner, Romie Thomas; La Crosse--Mark Thibodeau; Platteville--Bill Gardner, Bruce Gibson, Doug Knutson; River Falls--Jack Renkins; Stout--Bill Rozakis; Whitewater--Elmer Polk, Robert Stone, Tom Van De Bogart.

## MOST VALUABLE PLAYERS

### 1968

Eau Claire	James Severson, F
La Crosse	Joel Hafner, F
Oshkosh	John Lallensack, F*
Platteville	Guy Gust, G
River Falls	Bill Van Dyke, F
Stevens Point	Mike Hughes, C
Stout	Bill Heidemann, F
Superior	Don Hartlund, G
Whitewater	Don Paulsen, F

### 1969

Eau Claire	Larry Sturz, F
La Crosse	LeRoy Young, G
Oshkosh	Rick Rehm, C
Platteville	Doug Knutson, C
River Falls	Steve Gustafson, F
Stevens Point	Mike Hughes, C
Stout	Mel Coleman, C*
Superior	Don Hartlund, G
Whitewater	Don Paulsen, F

\*Received Milwaukee Journal Trophy as Most Valuable Player in Conference.

1970

Eau Claire	Mike Ratliff, F*
La Crosse	Mike Heidemann, F
Oshkosh	Ken Ver Gowe, F
Platteville	Jim Lawinger, G
River Falls	Robert Parker, F
Stevens Point	Ken Ritzenthaler, F
Stout	Cal Glover, F
Superior	Bob Boettcher, G
Whitewater	Don Paulsen, F

1971

Eau Claire	Mike Ratliff, C*
La Crosse	Marty Thompson, F
Oshkosh	Ken Ver Gowe, F
Platteville	Jim Lawinger, G
River Falls	Ron Penning, C
Stevens Point	Tom Ritzenthaler, F
Stout	Cal Glover, F
Superior	Jim McCorison, G
Whitewater	Tom Van De Bogart, F

1972

Eau Claire	Mike Ratliff, C*
	Frank Schade, G*
La Crosse	Dave Selbo, G
Oshkosh	Greg Seibold, F
Platteville	Dennis Brown, G
River Falls	Bob Parker, F
Stevens Point	Jim Olsen, F
Stout	Terry Alexa, F
Superior	Jim McCorison, G
Whitewater	Bob Stone, C

1973

Eau Claire	Jeff Ellenson, C'
La Crosse	Dave Selbo, G
Oshkosh	Greg Seibold, F
Platteville	Steve Kundert, F
River Falls	Ray Swetalla, F
Stevens Point	Cal Kuphall, G
Stout	Doug Eha, F*
Superior	Jeff Ernster, G
Whitewater	Bob Stone, C

1974

Eau Claire	Ralph Rasmuson, F-C
La Crosse	Eric Haug, G-F
Oshkosh	Greg Holmon, C
Platteville	Steve Kundert, F*
River Falls	Jack Renkens, F
Stevens Point	Bruce Weinkauff, G
Stout	Bill Lyons, F
Superior	Jim Moreland, C
Whitewater	Bob Stone, C

\*Received Milwaukee Journal Trophy as Most Valuable Player in Conference.

TEAM CHAMPIONS

Eau Claire - 1938, '39, '55, '56, '70, '71, '72, '73 (Tie), '74 (Tie).  
 La Crosse - 1915, '19, '22, '24, '25, '31, '32, '37, '51, '64, '65.  
 Oshkosh - 1914, '21, '25, '38, '39, '47, '48, '63, '67, '68.  
 Platteville - 1927, '28, '43, '48, '53, '54, '56, '58, '59.  
 River Falls - 1916, '17, '20, '23, '27, '29, '30, '36, '47, '48, '49, '50.  
 Stevens Point - 1918, '33, '35, '36, '37, '42, '48, '57, '61, '69.  
 Stout - 1926, '42, '43, '66, '69.  
 Superior - 1934, '35, '39, '40, '41.  
 Whitewater - 1943, '52, '62, '73 (Tie), '74 (Tie).  
 UW-Milwaukee - 1913, '34, '40, '41, '43, '48, '60.

1944-1946 -- No organized Conference (WWII).



# INDIVIDUAL SCORING CHAMPION

Year	Player	School	Points
*1955	Rog Hanson	Eau Claire	316
*1956	Dave Herum	River Falls	259
*1957	Dave Herum	River Falls	303
*1958	Jack Evans	Superior	288
*1959	Jack Evans	Superior	288
*1960	Ron Diebelius	Oshkosh	295
*1961	Don Braun	Platteville	318
*1962	Bob Blizzard	Eau Claire	257
*1963	Don Kopnick	River Falls	311
*1964	Chuck Barnard	Superior	279
1965	Jim Sevals	Superior	341
1966	Jim Sevals	Superior	436
1967	Stan Johnson	Eau Claire	431
1968	Ron Hayek	Oshkosh	362
	Bill Heidemann	Stout	362
1969	Mel Coleman	Stout	338
1970	Don Paulsen	Whitewater	342
1971	Tom Ritzenthaler	Stevens Point	372
1972	Mike Ratliff	Eau Claire	379
1973	Eric Haug	La Crosse	362
1974	Lafayette Collins	Superior	422

\* 12-game schedule.

After 1964 went to 16-game schedule.

## PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

During each week of the season an outstanding player is chosen on his performance in games of that week. The coaching staff of each member institution nominates a Player-of-the-Week and the Conference office selects the WSUC PLAYER OF THE WEEK. These players were chosen during the 1973-74 season:

December 11, 1973	-- Elmer Polk, UW-Whitewater
December 18, 1973	-- Ray Adams, UW-Eau Claire
January 15, 1974	-- Emile Etheridge, UW-River Falls
January 22, 1974	-- Bruce Weinkauff, UW-Stevens Point
January 29, 1974	-- Bruce Gibson, UW-Platteville
February 5, 1974	-- Ralph Rasmuson, UW-Eau Claire
February 12, 1974	-- Eric Haug, UW-La Crosse
February 19, 1974	-- Steve Kundert, UW-Platteville
February 26, 1974	-- Bob Stone, UW-Whitewater
March 5, 1974	-- Bill Lyons, UW-Stout

PREVIEW OF 1974-75 BASKETBALL SEASON  
WISCONSIN STATE UNIVERSITY CONFERENCE

"Eau Claire against the world" seems to emerge as the lament of rival Wisconsin State University Conference basketball coaches at the start of each season.

The coming campaign appears to be no exception. Following Coach Ken Anderson's orientation season, the Blugolds have been perennial champions for the past five years. After winning three straight titles, they shared the crown with Whitewater the past two years.

"Eau Claire and Whitewater are defending champions and would have to be rated the favorites", is the way Stevens Point Coach Bob Krueger sums up the situation.

Oshkosh Coach Bob White says, "Whitewater and Eau Claire appear to be the top teams but La Crosse also should be a contender".

"Eau Claire!" is the succinct response of River Falls Coach Newman Benson.

Anderson, though, while quietly preparing to run his string of championships to six, insists, "Whitewater, Platteville, Stout, La Crosse, and Oshkosh all have good nucleuses returning, which means the Conference will have good overall strength".

Coach Eli Crogan, whose rebuilding efforts have paid such handsome dividends at Whitewater, agrees that "Eau Claire, Platteville, La Crosse, and Oshkosh all have a lot of experience coming back".

Anderson concedes the Blugolds should be in contention again despite the fact he has no All-Conference performers returning. Veterans Romie Thomas, Ken Kaiser, and Rich Reitzner, though, bring strong credentials into the 1974-75 season.

The Blugolds are 86-10 in Conference play since Anderson became head coach and 75-5 against league opponents during the past five years. Don't shed any tears because Anderson has no All-Conference players back. Two years ago he lost his entire starting lineup and still got a piece of the 1972-73 championship.

Five of the 10-man All-Conference team were seniors. Platteville experience the most critical loss with the graduation of Steve Kundert, the league's most valuable player. Others gone are Eau Claire's Ralph Rasmuson and Randy Wade, Stevens Point's Bruce Weinkauff, and Stout's Bill Lyons.

Whitewater needs backcourt help but two-thirds of its front line returns -- the Grimes twins, All-Conference stars Garry and Larry.

Superior has the Conference's defending scoring champion in Lafayette Collins, who won the title as a freshman, and Coach Terry Krause figures the Yellowjacket chances hinge on "how much our freshmen have grown up over the summer".

High-scoring Eric Haug and improved Larry Halverson form the nucleus at La Crosse, while Oshkosh will depend heavily on center Greg Holmon, the Titans' most valuable player last season and the Conference's defending rebound champion.

Most other teams are rebuilding, searching for the key that will end a domination that started with Eau Claire and more recently has included Whitewater.

COMPOSITE 1974-75 BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Tuesday, November 19  
Milton at Platteville

Thursday, November 21  
College of Great Falls at Eau Claire

Friday, November 22  
La Crosse Tournament

Saturday, November 23  
La Crosse Tournament  
Bethel at Stout  
Eau Claire at St. Cloud

Monday, November 25  
Milton at Eau Claire

Tuesday, November 26  
Winona at Stevens Point  
St. Ambrose at Platteville

Friday, November 29  
Racine at Whitewater  
Stevens Point at St. Louis, MO  
River Falls at St. Cloud

Saturday, November 30  
Stevens Point at U. of Missouri (Rolla)  
Oshkosh at U. of Missouri  
Minnesota Morris at Stout  
Platteville at Dubuque  
Whitewater at Parkside  
Bemidji, MN at Superior

Monday, December 2  
St. Mary's (Winona, MN) at La Crosse

Tuesday, December 3  
River Falls at Eau Claire  
Winona at Stout  
Oshkosh at Lakeland  
Milton at Superior

Wednesday, December 4  
Stevens Point at Platteville  
Whitewater at Drake U.

Thursday, December 5  
Carlton College at River Falls

Saturday, December 7  
Stout at La Crosse  
Whitewater at Platteville  
Eau Claire at Superior  
River Falls at Stevens Point  
Bethel at Superior

Monday, December 9  
Stevens Point at Whitewater

Tuesday, December 10  
Stout at St. Thomas

Wednesday, December 11  
Eau Claire at La Crosse  
Platteville at Oshkosh  
Superior at River Falls

Friday, December 13  
Winona at Platteville  
Superior at UM-Duluth Tournament

Saturday, December 14  
Superior at UM-Duluth Tournament  
Stout at River Falls  
La Crosse at Whitewater  
Upper Iowa at Eau Claire  
Parkside at Oshkosh

Tuesday, December 17  
UM-Duluth at River Falls  
Winona at Whitewater

Wednesday, December 18  
Stevens Point at St. Mary's  
Michigan Tech at Superior

Thursday, December 19  
River Falls at Southwest Minnesota  
Platteville at Augustana Tournament  
Eau Claire at UM-Duluth

Friday, December 20  
Stevens Point at Macalester  
Platteville at Augustana Tournament  
La Crosse at Dubuque

Saturday, December 21  
Stevens Point at St. Thomas  
Oshkosh at UW-Milwaukee  
Eau Claire at Superior

Thursday, December 26  
La Crosse at St. Cloud Tournament

Friday, December 27  
Superior at Copper Classic (Ladysmith)  
Eau Claire Holiday Tournament  
Stevens Point Tournament  
La Crosse at St. Cloud Tournament  
River Falls at Wayne, Nebraska  
(Christmas Tournament)

Saturday, December 28  
Superior at Copper Classic (Ladysmith)  
Eau Claire Holiday Tournament  
Stevens Point Tournament  
La Crosse at St. Cloud Tournament  
River Falls at Wayne, Nebraska  
(Christmas Tournament)

Monday, December 30

Whitewater at Chicago, IL  
(Christmas Classic)

Thursday, January 2

UM-Duluth at Superior

Friday, January 3

Oshkosh Holiday Tournament  
Platteville at Hamline U.

Saturday, January 4

No. Michigan at Eau Claire  
St. Cloud at Stout  
Oshkosh Holiday Tournament  
Platteville at North Dakota

Monday, January 6

River Falls at North Dakota  
Oshkosh at Iowa State  
West. Illinois at Eau Claire  
Platteville at Bemidji, MN

Wednesday, January 8

Valparaiso at Oshkosh  
Stout at Loras

Thursday, January 9

Superior at Northland

Friday, January 10

Ogelthorpe at Eau Claire

Saturday, January 11

Stevens Point at River Falls

Monday, January 13

La Crosse at Stevens Point  
Stout at Eau Claire  
Whitewater at Oshkosh  
River Falls at Superior  
Parkside at Platteville

Friday, January 17

Oshkosh at Eau Claire  
Platteville at Superior  
Stevens Point at Stout  
Whitewater at River Falls

Saturday, January 18

Oshkosh at Stout  
Platteville at River Falls  
Stevens Point at Eau Claire  
Whitewater at Superior

Tuesday, January 21

River Falls at Stout  
Platteville at La Crosse  
Oshkosh at Stevens Point  
Whitewater at Winona

Friday, January 24

River Falls at Oshkosh  
Eau Claire at Platteville  
Superior at La Crosse  
Stout at Whitewater

Saturday, January 25

Superior at Oshkosh  
Stout at Platteville  
River Falls at La Crosse  
Eau Claire at Whitewater  
Stevens Point at St. Norbert

Wednesday, January 29

Whitewater at Green Bay  
Platteville at Stevens Point  
La Crosse at Oshkosh  
Superior at Stout  
Eau Claire at River Falls

Saturday, February 1

La Crosse at Stout  
Platteville at Whitewater  
Stevens Point at Superior  
Oshkosh at St. Norbert

Monday, February 3

La Crosse at Eau Claire  
Oshkosh at Platteville  
River Falls at St. Mary's

Tuesday, February 4

Parkside at Whitewater

Friday, February 7

Eau Claire at Oshkosh  
Superior at Platteville  
Stout at Stevens Point  
River Falls at Whitewater  
La Crosse at Northland

Saturday, February 8

Stout at Oshkosh  
River Falls at Platteville  
Eau Claire at Stevens Point  
Superior at Whitewater

Tuesday, February 11

Superior at Eau Claire  
Oshkosh at La Crosse  
Stevens Point at Whitewater

Friday, February 14

Oshkosh at River Falls  
Platteville at Eau Claire  
La Crosse at Superior  
Whitewater at Stout

Saturday, February 15

Oshkosh at Superior  
 Platteville at Stout  
 La Crosse at River Falls  
 Whitewater at Eau Claire  
 Stevens Point at Green Bay

Wednesday, February 19

La Crosse at Platteville  
 Stout at Superior  
 Stevens Point at Oshkosh

Saturday, February 22

Stevens Point at La Crosse  
 Eau Claire at Stout  
 Oshkosh at Whitewater

Wednesday, February 26

Superior at Stevens Point  
 Whitewater at La Crosse

Thursday, February 27

WICA Play-offs

Monday, March 3

NAIA District 14 Play-offs

Wednesday, March 5

NAIA District 14 Championship

CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER OF CHAMPIONS

1913 - Milwaukee  
 1914 - Oshkosh  
 1915 - La Crosse  
 1916 - River Falls  
 1917 - River Falls  
 1918 - Stevens Point  
 1919 - La Crosse  
 1920 - River Falls  
 1921 - Oshkosh  
 1922 - La Crosse  
 1923 - River Falls  
 1924 - La Crosse  
 1925 - La Crosse, Oshkosh  
 1926 - Stout  
 1927 - Platteville, River Falls  
 1928 - Platteville  
 1929 - River Falls  
 1930 - River Falls  
 1931 - La Crosse  
 1932 - La Crosse  
 1933 - Stevens Point  
 1934 - Superior, Milwaukee  
 1935 - Stevens Point, Superior  
 1936 - River Falls, Stevens Point  
 1937 - La Crosse, Stevens Point  
 1938 - Eau Claire, Oshkosh  
 1939 - Eau Claire, Oshkosh, Superior  
 1940 - Milwaukee  
 1941 - Superior, Milwaukee  
 1942 - Stevens Point, Stout  
 1943 - Platteville, Stout, Whitewater,  
     Milwaukee  
 1944 - No Conference Play

1945 - No Conference Play  
 1946 - No Conference Play  
 1947 - Oshkosh, River Falls  
 1948 - Oshkosh, Platteville,  
     River Falls, Stevens Point,  
     Milwaukee  
 1949 - River Falls  
 1950 - River Falls  
 1951 - La Crosse  
 1952 - Whitewater  
 1953 - Platteville  
 1954 - Platteville  
 1955 - Eau Claire  
 1956 - Platteville, Eau Claire  
 1957 - Stevens Point  
 1958 - Platteville  
 1959 - Platteville  
 1960 - Milwaukee  
 1961 - Stevens Point  
 1962 - Whitewater  
 1963 - Oshkosh  
 1964 - La Crosse  
 1965 - La Crosse  
 1966 - Stout  
 1967 - Oshkosh  
 1968 - Oshkosh  
 1969 - Stevens Point, Stout  
 1970 - Eau Claire  
 1971 - Eau Claire  
 1972 - Eau Claire  
 1973 - Eau Claire, Whitewater  
 1974 - Eau Claire, Whitewater



UW-EAU CLAIRE

HEAD COACH: Ken Anderson

ASSISTANT COACH: Steve Kurth

1973-74 BASKETBALL RESULTS (24-5)

Eau Claire 79	Montana Tech	71	Eau Claire 86	Superior	72
Eau Claire 69	Montana Tech	61	Eau Claire 80	River Falls	64
Eau Claire 88	St. Cloud	69	Eau Claire 62	Whitewater	48
Eau Claire 67	North Dakota	60	Eau Claire 77	Stevens Point	68
Eau Claire 82	River Falls	44	Eau Claire 74	Stout	52
Eau Claire 67	S.W. Texas State	59	Eau Claire 76	Oshkosh	66
Eau Claire 53	Whitewater	65	Eau Claire 77	Platteville	71
Eau Claire 76	Wabash	70	Eau Claire 54	La Crosse	52
Eau Claire 94	Armstrong State	76	Eau Claire 114	Superior	76
Eau Claire 83	Eastern Michigan	74	Eau Claire 81	Stout	98
Eau Claire 80	Western Illinois	94	NAIA District 14 Playoff		
Eau Claire 60	Northern Michigan	64	Eau Claire 50	Parkside	46
Eau Claire 82	Stevens Point	54	Eau Claire 70	Whitewater	63
Eau Claire 56	Oshkosh	52	NAIA Tournament		
Eau Claire 78	Platteville	77	at Kansas City		
Eau Claire 66	La Crosse	55	Eau Claire 50	Washburn (Kansas)	67

PROSPECTS FOR 1974-75

Every year opponents expect the Bugolds to falter but it never seems to happen. Coach Ken Anderson has guided his teams to the championship or a share of the title five straight years. Last season the Bugolds tied Whitewater for the WSUC crown and represented NAIA District 14 in the national meet at Kansas City for the fourth time in five years.

Anderson has seven lettermen returning from this outfit that compiled an overall record of 24-5 last season, including 1973-74 starters Romie Thomas, Ken Kaiser, and Rich Reitzner. Thomas, a 6-3 senior guard, finished eighth in Conference scoring last season with a 15.2 average.

Two All-Conference performers will be missing from the lineup, center Ralph Rasmuson and Randy Wade, who played forward or guard. Rasmuson averaged 13.5 points and 12.2 rebounds, the latter statistic ranking him second in the WSUC. Wade contributed 12 points, almost seven rebounds, and five assists a game.

Newcomers to watch are Jeff Lund of Antigo and Guy Rossato of Eau Claire Memorial, both All-Staters. Anderson, starting his seventh season as head coach, has led the Bugolds to an 86-10 record in Conference play and expects the current group to contend also.

RETURNING LETTERMEN

Name	Pos.	Hgt.	Wgt.	Class	Hometown-High School
Blunk, Dennis	C	6-11	210	So.	Shawano
Brost, Mark	F	6-5	185	So.	Green Bay (Southwest)
Healy, Jeff	F	6-5	230	Sr.	Clear Lake
Kaiser, Ken	C	6-7	210	Jr.	Burlington
Martell, Jim	F-G	6-6	180	Sr.	Wausau (East)
Reitzner, Rich	G	6-1	180	Sr.	Appleton (West)
Thomas, Romie	G	6-3	175	Sr.	Philadelphia, PA

UW-LA CROSSE

HEAD COACH: Burt A. McDonald

ASSISTANT COACH: Rollo Taylor

## 1973-74 BASKETBALL RESULTS (13-11)

La Crosse	82	College of Racine	66	La Crosse	53	Superior	51
La Crosse	64	Winona	56	La Crosse	55	Eau Claire	66
La Crosse	61	Whitewater	78	La Crosse	79	Stevens Point	68
La Crosse	72	St. Mary's	65	La Crosse	94	Northland	78
La Crosse	59	Stout	61	La Crosse	91	River Falls	71
La Crosse	115	Danish Nationals	88	La Crosse	57	Whitewater	73
La Crosse	69	Georgia Tech	73	La Crosse	66	Stevens Point	73
La Crosse	78	N. Carolina-Charlotte	86	La Crosse	68	Platteville	72
La Crosse	97	Presbyterian	80	La Crosse	92	Oshkosh	80
La Crosse	69	River Falls	67	La Crosse	52	Eau Claire	54
La Crosse	55	Platteville	65	La Crosse	72	Stout	73
La Crosse	68	Oshkosh	55	La Crosse	83	Superior	74

## PROSPECTS FOR 1974-75

Youth, enthusiasm, and Eric Haug are principal attributes as the Indians head into the 1974-75 basketball season under Coach Burt McDonald. They hope to improve on a fifth place finish (7-9) and last season's overall 13-11 record.

Haug, who won the Conference scoring championship two years ago as a sophomore, finished fourth last season with an 18.4 average and was named to the all-WSUC team for the second straight year. The 6-6, 185-pound forward also was voted La Crosse's most valuable player by his teammates.

McDonald lost two lettermen due to graduation, Mark Thibodeau and Dave Holmes, but nine veterans return, including 6-7 Larry Halverson, 6-7 Merle Oelke, and 6-6 Gerry Wenzel, who gained considerable experience as freshmen and are expected to contribute much this season as sophomores.

Halverson, a sharpshooting center, finished 19th in Conference scoring with an 11.8 average and led the WSUC in field goal accuracy, making 69 of 126 shots for .548. But, he managed only 6.5 rebounds a game and McDonald is searching for more height and rebounding strength, plus a playmaker in the backcourt to go with the scoring potential of Haug and Halverson.

RETURNING LETTERMEN

Name	Pos.	Hgt.	Wgt.	Class	Hometown-High School
Arpin, John	G	6-½	180	Sr.	Neenah
Checkai, Tom	G	6-½	160	Sr.	So. Watertown
Halvorson, Larry	C	6-7	215	So.	Dodgeville
Haug, Eric	G	6-6	185	Sr.	Holmen
Mitchell, Bob	F	6-6	206	Sr.	Mineral Point
Oelke, Merle	C	6-7½	220	So.	Wausau
Teschke, Dave	G	6-3	180	Jr.	New London
Wenzel, Gerry	C	6-6	200	So.	Wausau
Young, David	G	5-10	175	Jr.	So. Black River Falls

UW-OSHKOSH

HEAD COACH: Bob White

ASSISTANT COACH: Russ Tiedeman

1973-74 BASKETBALL RESULTS (9-15)

Oshkosh 80	Lakeland	70	Oshkosh 74	Stout	69
Oshkosh 69	Valparaiso	94	Oshkosh 67	Northland	58
Oshkosh 67	St. Norbert	87	Oshkosh 62	Stevens Point	67
Oshkosh 62	River Falls	54	Oshkosh 73	Western Illinois	99
Oshkosh 79	Superior	77	Oshkosh 82	Stout	93
Oshkosh 78	Whitewater	86	Oshkosh 68	Platteville	76
Oshkosh 43	UW-Green Bay	67	Oshkosh 77	River Falls	65
Oshkosh 75	St. Joseph	108	Oshkosh 81	Superior	79
Oshkosh 82	College of Racine	70	Oshkosh 66	Eau Claire	76
Oshkosh 82	Platteville	90	Oshkosh 80	La Crosse	92
Oshkosh 52	Eau Claire	56	Oshkosh 71	Whitewater	92
Oshkosh 55	La Crosse	68	Oshkosh 73	Stevens Point	69

PROSPECTS FOR 1974-75

The Titans haven't won a Conference basketball championship since putting titles back-to-back in 1967 and '68. Coach Bob White, a 10-year man as head coach, starts this season with eight returning lettermen from a squad that finished sixth in the WSUC at 6-10 last season and wound up 9-15 overall.

Included in the list of returnees are three starters, headed by most valuable player Greg Holmon, a 6-6, 200-pound center who led the Conference last season with an average of 16.9 rebounds a game. Holmon's rebounding prowess remains the major asset on this year's squad.

In order to contend, though, White's Titans must sharpen their shooting eyes and shore up a defense that allowed opponents 75.6 points a game last season. The Titans feature a fastbreak offense that Holmon's rebounding triggers. But, the Titans must throw up a tougher defense and then hit their shots consistently at the other end.

Principal help is expected from a couple sophomores who sparked the freshman team last season, 6-3 guard Larry Carpenter and 6-4 center Jim Clay. Carpenter averaged 21 points a game with the frosh, while Clay contributed 15 points and 15 rebounds for the yearlings.

RETURNING LETTERMEN

Name	Pos.	Hgt.	Wgt.	Class	Hometown-High School
Boyland, Dorian	F	6-4	190	So.	Chicago, IL (So. Shore)
DeBakker, Mike	F	6-4	200	Jr.	Norway, MI
Goodes, Henry	G	6-0	160	Jr.	Gary, IN (Tolletson)
Holmon, Greg	C	6-6	200	Sr.	Waukegan, IL
Jamison, Mark	G	6-0	165	Sr.	Rhineland
Steif, Bob	C	6-5	220	Sr.	Wausau (East)
Thomas, Clarence	G	6-2	165	Sr.	Chicago, IL (Austin)
White, Charles	F	6-4	185	Jr.	Zion, IL (Zion-Benton)

UW-PLATTEVILLE

HEAD COACH: Richard Wadewitz

ASSISTANT COACH: Fred Eberlein

1973-74 BASKETBALL RESULTS (21-4)

Platteville	94	Milton	60	Platteville	77	Eau Claire	78
Platteville	94	St. Ambrose	73	Platteville	83	Whitewater	79
Platteville	97	Dubuque	53	Platteville	75	Stout	72
Platteville	66	Augustana	39	Platteville	79	Stevens Point	66
Platteville	67	Superior	59	Platteville	76	Oshkosh	68
Platteville	74	River Falls	63	Platteville	111	Superior	94
Platteville	76	Winona	82	Platteville	85	River Falls	72
Platteville	104	Loras	83	Platteville	72	La Crosse	68
Platteville	72	Culver-Stockton	66	Platteville	71	Eau Claire	77
Platteville	111	Chicago State	83	Platteville	81	Stevens Point	71
Platteville	82	UW-Parkside	70	Platteville	62	Whitewater	63
Platteville	90	Oshkosh	82	Platteville	94	Stout	78
Platteville	65	La Crosse	55				

PROSPECTS FOR 1974-75

The Pioneers lost some high caliber performers off their third place team of last season but there is confidence from Coach Dick Wadewitz on down that the psychological boost from a winning record during 1973-74 will generate enthusiasm which could produce another successful campaign.

Most difficult vacancy to fill was created by the loss of 6-5 forward Steve Kundert, who capped his career by being named the WSUC most valuable player for 1973-74. Someone must be found to pick up the slack from his 21.3 points, second in the Conference, and his eight rebounds a game.

Also gone are reliable performers Bruce Gibson and Doug Knutson, and now Wadewitz must find replacements in the front line who can generate some scoring. Sophomore John Krajewski, a 6-5, 200-pounder, is the leading candidate.

The Pioneers are solid in the backcourt with Bill and Jim Gardner and Tom Gilbank, all strong 6-3 guards, and 6-1 Rod Bush. Bill Gardner is a sharpshooter who also can rebound. The Pioneers need more punch, especially rebounding, from 6-6 center Steve Krebsbach, a junior who matured considerably during the 13-3 WSUC season and 21-4 overall campaign.

RETURNING LETTERMEN

Name	Pos.	Hgt.	Wgt.	Class	Hometown-High School
Bush, Rod	G	6-1	185	Sr.	Morrison, IL
Gardner, Bill	G	6-3	165	Sr.	Madison (West)
Gardner, Jim	G	6-3	170	Jr.	Madison (West)
Gilbank, Tom	G	6-3	168	Sr.	Clinton
Krajewski, John	F	6-5	200	So.	Milwaukee (Don Bosco)
Krebsbach, Steve	C	6-6	200	Jr.	Menomonee Falls (North)
McQuade, John	G	6-1	165	So.	Cuba City
Zaharias, Jeff	C	6-7	211	So.	Milwaukee (Don Bosco)

# UW-RIVER FALLS

HEAD COACH: Newman Benson

## 1973-74 BASKETBALL RESULTS (2-19)

River Falls 72	St. Cloud	77	River Falls 75	Stevens Point	65
River Falls 54	Oshkosh	62	River Falls 70	Stout	76
River Falls 63	Platteville	74	River Falls 64	Eau Claire	80
River Falls 44	Eau Claire	82	River Falls 71	Superior	77
River Falls 63	Stout	77	River Falls 71	La Crosse	91
River Falls 69	Coe	80	River Falls 65	Oshkosh	77
River Falls 61	Iowa State	107	River Falls 72	Platteville	85
River Falls 65	Hamline	85	River Falls 79	Superior	94
River Falls 94	Valley City	80	River Falls 70	Whitewater	107
River Falls 67	La Crosse	69	River Falls 72	Stevens Point	80
River Falls 52	Whitewater	77			

## PROSPECTS FOR 1974-75

"This will be a complete rebuilding year", Coach Newman Benson says after his River Falls basketball team finished dead last with a 1-15 record in the Conference last season. The job must start practically from scratch.

The Falcons lost Jack Renkens, John Langlois, Dwight Jordan, Jim Milton, and Tom Mestemacher through graduation. Renkens averaged 13.3 points a game and Milton 10.7. Benson is looking for consistency and some quickness to rev up his free lance, running offense.

The ranks aren't depleted, however. Among returning lettermen is Emile Etheridge, a 6-7 junior center who led the Falcons in scoring last season, averaging 13.7 points a game. He also accounted for 7.3 rebounds. Also among returning lettermen are 6-3 forward Jim Baecker and 6-0 guard Ed Kaminske.

Benson expects help from transfer student Tom Hanson, a 6-5, 195-pound sophomore from New Richmond. With Hanson, a handful of veterans, and a couple more newcomers Benson hopes to find some additional board strength and develop a more aggressive defensive team.

## RETURNING LETTERMEN

Name	Pos.	Hgt.	Wgt.	Class	Hometown-High School
Baecker, Jim	F	6-3	190	Jr.	Alma
Etheridge, Emile	C	6-7	198	Jr.	Uniontown, PA
Kaminske, Ed	G	6-0	165	Jr.	Round Lake, IL
Mertz, Robert	F	6-1	175	Jr.	Kewaskum
Nelson, Mark	G	6-0	170	Jr.	Cumberland
Rosenow, Rich	G	5-11	160	Jr.	Chippewa Falls
Pittman, Larry	G	6-0	170	So.	Philadelphia, PA



# UW-STEVENS POINT

HEAD COACH: Bob Krueger

ASSISTANT COACH: Jerry Gotham

## 1973-74 BASKETBALL RESULTS (9-17)

Stevens Point	69	Montana Tech	66	Stevens Point	65	River Falls	75
Stevens Point	53	UW-Green Bay	58	Stevens Point	59	Whitewater	83
Stevens Point	69	St. Mary's	66	Stevens Point	67	Oshkosh	62
Stevens Point	72	Northern Iowa	56	Stevens Point	68	La Crosse	79
Stevens Point	63	Stout	89	Stevens Point	66	Platteville	79
Stevens Point	68	Nebraska (Omaha)	78	Stevens Point	68	Eau Claire	77
Stevens Point	78	Missouri (Rolla)	81	Stevens Point	87	Stout (ot)	92
Stevens Point	94	Anderson (IN)	85	Stevens Point	73	La Crosse	66
Stevens Point	73	Lakehead (Ont.)	78	Stevens Point	63	Superior	91
Stevens Point	76	Lakehead (Ont.)	71	Stevens Point	80	River Falls	72
Stevens Point	70	Winona	76	Stevens Point	71	Platteville	81
Stevens Point	54	Eau Claire	82	Stevens Point	69	Oshkosh	73
Stevens Point	93	Superior	81	Stevens Point	59	Whitewater	77

## PROSPECTS FOR 1974-75

Stevens Point and Stout were the last teams to occupy the WSUC basketball throne before Eau Claire and later Whitewater took what seems to be permanent possession. The Pointers slumped to seventh place last season and need a complete resurgence.

Veteran Coach Bob Krueger lost most of the scoring punch from last season, including Bruce Weinkauff, the Conference's fifth ranked scorer who averaged 17.1 points a game. Also gone is Tom Enlund with his 10.9 average.

Krueger does have a group of sophomores who gained considerable experience as freshmen and could blossom this season, including Bob Omelina, Curt Hinz, Linn Lederman, and Brian Leigh. Also, several transfers figure to bolster the lineup, headed by guard Paul Woita, who came from UW-Eau Claire.

The Pointers this season should have good outside shooting, stronger rebounding, and better ball-handling, but Krueger says, "We need a big man who would be a strong rebounder and we must play more consistently". Senior Matt Smith at 6-6 and 200 pounds has the first shot at the center spot where he averaged 9.4 points a game last season.

## RETURNING LETTERMEN

Name	Pos.	Hgt.	Wgt.	Class	Hometown-High School
Hinz, Curt	F	6-4	185	So.	Madison (West)
Kuphall, Cal	G	5-10	150	Sr.	Wauwatosa (Wis. Lutheran)
Lederman, Linn	F	6-4	185	So.	Brodhead
Leigh, Brian	G	6-0	170	So.	Madison (West)
Omelina, Bob	F	6-4	185	So.	Cudahy
Smith, Matt	C	6-6	200	Sr.	Stevens Point
Welsh, Dave	F	6-5	200	Jr.	Beloit (Turner)
*Woita, Paul	G	6-2	183	Jr.	Rhineland

\*Transfer from UW-Eau Claire

UW-STOUT

HEAD COACH: Dwain Mintz

ASSISTANT COACH: Terry Petrie

## 1973-74 BASKETBALL RESULTS (14-12)

Stout 94	Bethel	72	Stout 83	Winona	89
Stout 80	Minnesota-Morris	63	Stout 69	Oshkosh	74
Stout 82	Augsburg	99	Stout 76	River Falls	70
Stout 89	Stevens Point	63	Stout 72	Platteville	75
Stout 58	Whitewater	74	Stout 93	Oshkosh	80
Stout 61	La Crosse	59	Stout 96	Superior	84
Stout 77	River Falls	63	Stout 92	Stevens Point (ot)	87
Stout 59	St. Cloud	69	Stout 68	Whitewater	83
Stout 62	SW Texas State	63	Stout 52	Eau Claire	74
Stout 97	Black Hills State	75	Stout 94	Superior	74
Stout 96	Kearney State	97	Stout 73	La Crosse	72
Stout 79	Slippery Rock	81	Stout 98	Eau Claire	81
Stout 75	Wayne State (MI)	67	Stout 78	Platteville	94

## PROSPECTS FOR 1974-75

The Blue Devils seem capable of rising to the occasion and whipping any team on a given night, as they did last season in a 98-81 victory over co-champion Eau Claire. Now, though, Coach Dwain Mintz is striving for consistency, so his team can end the Blugold-Whitewater domination of basketball in the Conference.

Mintz has lost Bill Lyons, Stout's leading scorer and third ranked in the Conference with a 19.3 average, but eight lettermen return, including guards Ken Obermueller and Virgil Dortch, forward Bill Rozakis, and center Steve Zmyewski. Obermueller averaged 15.1 points in the Conference last season and Rozakis 13.0.

Mintz is concerned about a lack of quickness, speed, and rebounding, some defensive weaknesses, and a dearth of "original shot-getters". There is potential, though, to improve all these areas. For instance, Sandy Beasley from last season's freshman team, could provide considerable help on the boards.

On the bright side, the squad shows more overall experience which should enhance teamwork. The bench is stronger with more depth at all positions. Mintz conceded, "The Blue Devils are a questionmark. If we get super improvement out of three of our players, we could be in the running."

RETURNING LETTERMEN

Name	Pos.	Hgt.	Wgt.	Class	Hometown-High School
Baran, Don	F	6-3	190	Jr.	Hayward
Buechner, Bill	F	6-7	230	Jr.	Sturgeon Bay
Dodge, Scott	F	6-7	195	Jr.	Baldwin
Dortch, Virgil	G	6-1	175	So.	Chicago, IL
Luecke, Gary	C	6-7	210	Jr.	La Crosse
Obermueller, Ken	G	6-1	175	Sr.	Colfax
Rozakis, Bill	G	6-3	175	Sr.	Chicago, IL
Zmyewski, Steve	F	6-7	210	Jr.	Mechanicville, NY

UW-SUPERIOR

HEAD COACH: Terry L. Krause

ASSISTANT COACH: Roger Prescott

## 1973-74 BASKETBALL RESULTS (6-17)

Superior 66	Bemidji	69	Superior 72	Eau Claire	86
Superior 79	Northland	72	Superior 77	River Falls	71
Superior 59	Platteville	67	Superior 84	Stout	96
Superior 77	Oshkosh	79	Superior 94	Platteville	111
Superior 53	UM-Duluth	78	Superior 79	Oshkosh	81
Superior 90	Danish Nationals	70	Superior 94	River Falls	79
Superior 72	Carlton	63	Superior 91	Stevens Point	63
Superior 76	Northland	81	Superior 66	Whitewater	89
Superior 81	Stevens Point	93	Superior 74	Stout	94
Superior 75	Whitewater	91	Superior 76	Eau Claire	114
Superior 71	Milton	75	Superior 74	La Crosse	83
Superior 51	La Crosse	53			

## PROSPECTS FOR 1974-75

Superior finished eighth in the Conference last season with a 3-13 record but a feeling persists around the league that the Yellowjackets are on the rise. For instance, Stevens Point Coach Bob Krueger pointed out, "If Superior comes up with a big man to go along with their two fine freshmen, they could be very competitive".

The "two fine freshmen" to whom Krueger refers are 6-0 guard Lafayette Collins and 6-5 forward Jim Happ. Collins took the Conference by storm, leading all scorers his first season with 422 points and a 26-4 average. Happ ranked sixth in the league with a 16.8 mark.

Coach Terry Krause can see a "possibility to finish in the middle of the race" with improved rebounding and more balanced scoring. The Yellowjackets also must shore up the defense, which yielded 84.4 points a game to opponents last season, highest in the Conference.

Superior's "big" man last season was 6-6 Al Olson, who averaged 11.2 points a game but only 6.1 rebounds. A dramatic improvement on the boards in his senior year would bolster the Yellowjacket chances. Krause also is searching for newcomers who might help.

RETURNING LETTERMEN

Name	Pos.	Hgt.	Wgt.	Class	Hometown-High School
Collins, Lafayette	G	6-0	160	So.	Alton, IL
Happ, Jim	F	6-5	185	So.	Peru, IL (La Salle)
Keith, J. B.	F	6-5	175	So.	Park Forest, IL
Olson, Al	C	6-6	185	Sr.	Curtiss
Padgett, Curt	G	5-9	160	So.	Newark, NJ
Scholze, Jim	G	5-8	155	So.	Humbird
Wallek, Gus	G	6-1	165	So.	Chicago Heights, IL

UW-WHITEWATER

HEAD COACH: Eli Crogan

ASSISTANT COACH: Jim Miller

1973-74 BASKETBALL RESULTS (21-5)

Whitewater	70	UW-Parkside	56	Whitewater	83	Stevens Point	59
Whitewater	94	Valparaiso	64	Whitewater	79	Platteville	83
Whitewater	78	La Crosse	61	Whitewater	48	Eau Claire	62
Whitewater	74	Stout	58	Whitewater	73	La Crosse	57
Whitewater	86	Oshkosh	78	Whitewater	83	Stout	68
Whitewater	81	UW-Parkside	69	Whitewater	107	River Falls	70
Whitewater	65	Eau Claire	53	Whitewater	89	Superior	66
Whitewater	72	Georgetown (KY)	73	Whitewater	92	Oshkosh	71
Whitewater	84	Quincy	83	Whitewater	63	Platteville	62
Whitewater	72	Sam Houston State	78	Whitewater	77	Stevens Point	59
Whitewater	68	UW-Green Bay	55	NAIA District 14 Playoffs			
Whitewater	93	Carthage	66	Whitewater	94	Milton	69
Whitewater	77	River Falls	52	Whitewater	63	Eau Claire	70
Whitewater	91	Superior	75				

PROSPECTS FOR 1974-75

The Warhawks have shared the Conference championship with Eau Claire the past two seasons and Coach Eli Crogan, who has rebuilt Whitewater basketball so dramatically, needs some staunch replacements to continue the high caliber performance his clubs have displayed during those successes.

Gone are 6-6 Bob Stone, a sensational leaper, along with guards Tom Van De Bogart, Elmer Polk, and Hugh Gnatzig. Stone led Warhawk scoring last season with a 15.3 average while also hauling down 9.3 rebounds a game.

On the credit side of the ledger is the return of the Grimes twins, Garry and Larry, who will man the forward positions again in this their senior year. Larry averaged 14.9 points and 7.7 rebounds in the Conference last season, while Garry accounted for 13.6 points and 9.3 caroms. Both earned All-Conference recognition and hold the key to this season's success.

Crogan must rebuild the backcourt from scratch and retain the quickness and defensive strength which have been hallmarks of his four years at the helm. Ken Peyer and Jeff Vorwald probably will get first crack at the guard spots. Newcomer Gerland Coleman, a 6-6, 205-pounder, should pick up considerable slack in the front line.

RETURNING LETTERMEN

Name	Pos.	Hgt.	Wgt.	Class	Hometown-High School
Anderson, Hank	C	6-5	195	So.	Flint, MI
Bildsten, Pete	F	6-6	180	Sr.	Baraboo
Grimes, Garry	F	6-4	180	Sr.	Indianapolis, IN
Grimes, Larry	F	6-4	180	Sr.	Indianapolis, IN
Peyer, Ken	G	6-3	180	Jr.	Whitewater
Vorwald, Jeff	G	6-3	180	So.	Bloomington

GYMNASTICS

1974 GYMNASTICS CHAMPIONSHIP  
(UW-Eau Claire, March 15-16, 1974)

All-Around

1.	Brad Ruhland, La Crosse	102.40
2.	Bill Sands, Oshkosh	96.10
3.	Mike Bellos, Oshkosh	90.80
4.	Glen Farny, Platteville	86.20
5.	Greg LaFleur, Oshkosh	84.45
6.	Glenn Pepsick, Stout	84.20

Pommel Horse

1.	Todd Downing, Stout	16.825
2.	John Mentz, Oshkosh	16.525
3.	Brad Ruhland, La Crosse	16.500
4.	Chuck Martin, Oshkosh	15.650
	Randy Wray, La Crosse	15.650
6.	Todd Dillman, Stevens Point	15.500

Still Rings

1.	Dave Farina, La Crosse	18.675
2.	Dave Stangel, La Crosse	18.175
3.	Mike Bellos, Oshkosh	18.075
4.	Rich Behnke, Platteville	17.600
5.	Brad Ruhland, La Crosse	17.400
6.	Greg Dattilo, Stout	8.625

Long Horse

1.	Mark Szymanski, Oshkosh	18.000
2.	Ron Hanson, Oshkosh	17.650
3.	Bob Kolinek, La Crosse	17.575
4.	Mark Celeste, La Crosse	17.400
5.	John Melcarek, La Crosse	17.325
6.	Bill Sands, Oshkosh	17.300

Parallel Bars

1.	Mike Kavanagh, Oshkosh	18.700
2.	Bill Sands, Oshkosh	17.500
3.	Brad Ruhland, La Crosse	17.125
4.	Mike Bellos, Oshkosh	16.875
5.	George Grainger, Oshkosh	16.050
6.	Louis Smith, La Crosse	13.950

Horizontal Bar

1.	Stuart Stuller, La Crosse	17.975
2.	Jack McNeill, Oshkosh	17.300
3.	Bob Kolinek, La Crosse	17.075
4.	Brad Ruhland, La Crosse	16.925
5.	Mark Larsen, La Crosse	16.800
	Randy Schrade, Oshkosh	16.800

Floor Exercise

1.	Ron Hanson, Oshkosh	18.125
2.	Fred Hugunin, La Crosse	17.700
3.	Mark Szymanski, Oshkosh	17.675
4.	Dave Coutley, La Crosse	17.000
5.	Bill Sands, Oshkosh	16.775
6.	Greg LaFleur, Oshkosh	16.725

\*TEAM STANDINGS

	Dual Meets		Conf. Meet	Overall Total
	W	L		
1.	Oshkosh	6 0	310.05	18
2.	La Crosse	5 1	308.50	16
3.	Platteville	4 2	231.35	13
4.	Stout	2 4	259.30	12
5.	Stevens Point	3 3	186.50	11
6.	Eau Claire	1 5	175.55	8
7.	Superior	0 6	97.00	6

\*River Falls and Whitewater did not compete.

CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER OF CHAMPIONS

1962 - La Crosse  
1963 - La Crosse  
1964 - No Meet  
1965 - Stout  
1966 - Stout  
1967 - Eau Claire  
1968 - La Crosse

1969 - Oshkosh  
1970 - Platteville  
1971 - Superior  
1972 - Stevens Point  
1973 - Stout  
1974 - Oshkosh



SWIMMING

WSUC SHORT COURSE (75 FT.) RECORDS  
(Annual Championship Meet)

<u>Event</u>	<u>Individual</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Place</u>
50-Yd. Freestyle	Chris Keefe	Oshkosh	:21.99*	1974	Stout
100-Yd. Freestyle	Chris Keefe	Oshkosh	:48.2	1973	Platteville
200-Yd. Freestyle	Rick Klabecek	Stout	1:50.14*	1972	La Crosse
500-Yd. Freestyle	Mike Slagle	Stevens Point	4:58.77*	1974	Stout
1650-Yd. Freestyle	Mike Slagle	Stevens Point	17:22.528	1974	Stout
100-Yd. Backstroke	Steve Ward	Eau Claire	56.850	1974	Stout
200-Yd. Backstroke	Steve Ward	Eau Claire	2:04.665	1974	Stout
100-Yd. Butterfly	Jim Senne	Eau Claire	:54.8 *	1973	Platteville
200-Yd. Butterfly	Paul Laes	La Crosse	2:05.075	1974	Stout
100-Yd. Breaststroke	Jeff Voelz	Eau Claire	1:02.95	1974	Stout
200-Yd. Breaststroke	Jeff Voelz	Eau Claire	2:18.3	1973	Platteville
200-Yd. Indiv. Medley	James Young	Superior	2:03.82	1972	La Crosse
400-Yd. Indiv. Medley	James Young	Superior	4:30.65	1972	La Crosse
400-Yd. Medley Relay	Steve Ward Tim White Jeff Voelz Steve Forrer	Eau Claire	3:42.710	1974	Stout
400-Yd. Freestyle Relay	Kel Kling Scott Morrison Riff Yeager Steve Forrer	Eau Claire	3:18.540	1974	Stout
800-Yd. Freestyle Relay	Jon Morrow Ron Morrow Rick Klabecek Ben Kowalski	Stout	7:28.45	1972	La Crosse
	Kel Kling Paul Holznecht Mark Henrikson Paul Fugere	Eau Claire	7:28.45#	1974	Stout
One Meter Diving	Robert Schneider	Superior	455.30	1970	Whitewater
Three Meter Diving	Robert Schneider	Superior	495.75	1970	Whitewater

\*Set in preliminary heat.

#Tied Conference Record.

1974 CHAMPIONSHIPS

(Results of 12th Annual Conference Meet,  
University of Wisconsin-Stout, February 28, March 1-2, 1974)

50-Yard Freestyle

1. Chris Keefe, Oshkosh, :22.128
2. Riff Yeager, Eau Claire, :22.152
3. Steve Forrer, Eau Claire, :22.307
4. Garry Novak, Stout, :22.653
5. Pete Schrock, La Crosse, :22.851
6. Kel Kling, Eau Claire, :23.134

200-Yard Freestyle

1. Keith Erickson, Superior, 1:51.041
2. Garry Novak, Stout, 1:51.245
3. Paul Fugere, Eau Claire, 1:51.706
4. Mike Slagle, Stevens Point, 1:52.301
5. Rick Klabecek, Stout, 1:53.614
6. Steve Kollrose, La Crosse, 1:53.967

100-Yard Freestyle

1. Chris Keefe, Oshkosh, :48.986
2. Garry Novak, Stout, :49.122
3. Steve Forrer, Eau Claire, :49.529
4. Pete Schrock, La Crosse, :50.410
5. Riff Yeager, Eau Claire, :50.779
6. Scott Morrison, Eau Claire, :51.278

500-Yard Freestyle

1. Mike Slagle, Stevens Point, 5:00.434
2. Mark Hendrikson, Eau Claire, 5:01.298
3. Keith Ericksen, Superior, 5:01.704
4. John Mullenix, Stout, 5:07.867
5. Jim Chovanec, La Crosse, 5:09.975
6. Mike Jajter, Eau Claire, 5:13.689

### 1650-Yard Freestyle

1. Mike Slagle, Stevens Point, 17:22.528\*
2. Keith Ericksen, Superior, 17:41.214
3. Mark Henrikson, Eau Claire, 17:43.938
4. John Mullenix, Stout, 17:46.797
5. Paul Fugere, Eau Claire, 18:04.855
6. James Chovanec, La Crosse, 18:34.091

### 100-Yard Backstroke

1. Steve Ward, Eau Claire, 56.850\*
2. Dale LaViolette, Stout, 57.336
3. Bruce Godmare, Superior, 58:530
4. Chris Keefe, Oshkosh, 58.560
5. Bill Brocker, Eau Claire, 58.783
6. Ron Morgan, La Crosse, 1:00.202

### 200-Yard Backstroke

1. Steve Ward, Eau Claire, 2:04.665\*
2. Dale LaViolette, Stout, 2:06.691
3. Bruce Godmare, Superior, 2:09.727
4. Bill Brocker, Eau Claire, 2:10.558
5. Jim Wannemaker, La Crosse, 2:11.598
6. Ron Morgan, La Crosse, 2:17.627

### 100-Yard Butterfly

1. Mike Jajter, Eau Claire, 55.536
2. Paul Laes, La Crosse, 55.578
3. Tim White, Eau Claire, 55.741
4. Dan Lase, Eau Claire, 56.330
5. Gregg Messerschmitt, Stout, 56.625
6. Dave Wolff, Oshkosh, 57.854

### 200-Yard Butterfly

1. Paul Laes, La Crosse, 2:05.075\*
2. Mike Jajtner, Eau Claire, 2:05.091
3. Tim White, Eau Claire, 2:05.575
4. Gregg Messerschmitt, Stout, 2:07.000
5. Dan Lasse, Eau Claire, 2:10.183
6. Mark Helling, River Falls, 2:11.204

### 100-Yard Breaststroke

1. Jeff Voelz, Eau Claire, 1:02.957\*
2. Rich Lampe, Eau Claire, 1:04.318
3. Jim Ludeman, Stout, 1:06.100
4. Mickey Eaton, Stout, 1:07.049
5. Dean Albright, Platteville, 1:07.364
6. Dave Winderl, Stevens Point, 1:07.693

### 200-Yard Breaststroke

1. Jeff Voelz, Eau Claire, 2:20.675
2. Jeff Hill, Stevens Point, 2:22.571
3. Mickey Eaton, Stout, 2:25.377
4. Tom Wencel, Eau Claire, 2:26.278
5. Rich Lampe, Eau Claire, 2:27.717
6. Jerry House, Superior, 2:28.007

### 200-Yard Individual Medley

1. Paul Holznecht, Eau Claire, 2:06.404
2. Tom Wencel, Eau Claire, 2:07.762
3. Steve Ward, Eau Claire, 2:08.235
4. Dave Wolff, Oshkosh, 2:08.916
5. Gregg Messerschmitt, Stout, 2:10.946
6. Jeff Hill, Stevens Point, 2:12.343

### 400-Yard Individual Medley

1. Mark Henrikson, Eau Claire, 4:35.369
2. Jeff Hill, Stevens Point, 4:36.051
3. Paul Holznecht, Eau Claire, 4:41.102
4. Tom Wencel, Eau Claire, 4:43.128
5. Mark Helling, River Falls, 4:44.206
6. John Mullenix, Stout, 4:49.298

### 400-Yard Medley Relay

1. Eau Claire (Steve Ward, Tim White, Jeff Voelz, Steve Forrer) 3:42.710\*
2. Stout, 3:44.048
3. La Crosse, 3:53.023
4. Superior, 3:57.535
5. Oshkosh, 3:58.235
6. Platteville, 3:58.759

### 400-Yard Freestyle Relay

1. Eau Claire (Kel Kling, Scott Morrison, Riff Yeager, Steve Forrer) 3:18.540\*
2. La Crosse, 3:20.834
3. Stout, 3:22.7
4. Oshkosh, 3:26.861
5. Platteville, 3:29.486
6. Superior, 3:37.188

### 800-Yard Freestyle Relay

1. Eau Claire (Kel Kling, Paul Holznecht, Mark Henrikson, Paul Fugere) 7:28.451\* #
2. Stout, 7:31.925
3. La Crosse, 7:34.251
4. Stevens Point, 7:43.673
5. Platteville, 7:59.493
6. Superior, 8:02.784

### One Meter Diving

1. Tom Loftus, Eau Claire, 447.45
2. Russell Drobot, Superior, 401.91
3. Guy Hrushka, Stout, 393.36
4. Rick McCarten, Eau Claire, 382.98
5. Jeff Wilkins, Stout, 365.31
6. Mark Joss, Eau Claire, 360.93

### Three Meter Diving

1. Tom Loftus, Eau Claire, 493.68
2. Russell Drobot, Superior, 449.79
3. Guy Hruska, Stout, 424.29
4. Mark Schafer, Eau Claire, 413.76
5. Mark Joss, Eau Claire, 395.64
6. Dennis McKenney, La Crosse, 388.80

\* Set Conference Record  
# Tied Conference Record

### FINAL TEAM STANDINGS

Eau Claire . . . . .	623
Stout . . . . .	343
La Crosse . . . . .	242
Superior . . . . .	192
Stevens Point . . . . .	169
Oshkosh . . . . .	150
Platteville . . . . .	97
River Falls . . . . .	65
Whitewater . . . . .	35

### TEAM CHAMPIONS

Eau Claire - 1972, '73, '74  
La Crosse - 1964, '69, '70, '71  
Platteville - 1965, '66, '67, '68  
UW-Milwaukee - 1963

### CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER OF CHAMPIONS

- 1963 - Milwaukee
- 1964 - La Crosse
- 1965 - Platteville
- 1966 - Platteville
- 1967 - Platteville
- 1968 - Platteville
- 1969 - La Crosse
- 1970 - La Crosse
- 1971 - La Crosse
- 1972 - Eau Claire
- 1973 - Eau Claire
- 1974 - Eau Claire

### CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER OF CHAMPIONS

### WRESTLING

- 1956 - Stevens Point
- 1957 - Stevens Point
- 1958 - Stevens Point
- 1959 - Stevens Point
- 1960 - River Falls
- 1961 - Superior
- 1962 - River Falls
- 1963 - River Falls
- 1964 - Superior
- 1965 - Superior

- 1966 - Stout
- 1967 - River Falls
- 1968 - Superior
- 1969 - Whitewater
- 1970 - Stout
- 1971 - Superior
- 1972 - Superior
- 1973 - River Falls
- 1974 - Whitewater

# WRESTLING

## 1974 CHAMPIONSHIPS (Results of the 19th Annual Conference Tournament, UW-Whitewater, March 1-2)

### 118 Pounds

1. Gary Zizzo, Whitewater
2. Don Gordner, Superior
3. Jeff Jorgensen, Platteville
4. Bill McCartney, Eau Claire

### 126 Pounds

1. Jerry Brusletten, Superior
2. Steve Hennings, Stout
3. Fred Townsend, Whitewater
4. Rick Hughes, Stevens Point

### 134 Pounds

1. Gee Pope, River Falls
2. Greg Smith, Platteville
3. Ed Perry, Whitewater
4. Jerry Weyer, La Crosse

### 142 Pounds

1. Ron Dworak, Oshkosh
2. Pat Kelly, Stout
3. Bob Bassuener, La Crosse
4. Steve Weigel, Platteville

### 150 Pounds

1. Joe Schambow, La Crosse
2. Carl Polk, Platteville
3. Don Moe, Whitewater
4. Len Jackson, Superior

### 158 Pounds

1. Phil Mueller, Stevens Point
2. Tom Kubiak, River Falls
3. Ron Haidinger, Whitewater
4. Gerald Bohm, Platteville

### 167 Pounds

1. Tom Hass, River Falls
2. Wayne Hintz, Stevens Point
3. Francis McCauley, Platteville
4. Doug LeClair, La Crosse

### 177 Pounds

1. Mike Stanek, Whitewater
2. Harry Larson, River Falls
3. Rick Neipert, Stevens Point
4. Bob Beyerl, Eau Claire

### 190 Pounds

1. Steve Piddington, Platteville
2. Russ Krueger, Stevens Point
3. Dan Riley, Whitewater
4. John Larson, River Falls

### Heavyweight

1. Fred Boskovich, Whitewater
2. Joe Johnson, Stevens Point
3. Gar Ausloos, Oshkosh
4. Dan Burchik, Platteville

### TEAM SCORING

1. Whitewater	110½
2. Platteville	97
3. Stevens Point	86
4. River Falls	77
5. La Crosse	51
6. Superior	47½
7. Oshkosh	31½
8. Stout	28½
9. Eau Claire	17½

Phil Mueller, Stevens Point, won the John Peterson Award as the tournament's outstanding wrestler.

### TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS

River Falls - 1960, '62, '63, '67, '73  
Stevens Point - 1956, '57, '58, '59  
Stout - 1966, '70  
Superior - 1961, '64, '65, '68, '71, '72  
Whitewater - 1969, '74

BASEBALL

## FINAL 1974 STATISTICS

Team Standings

	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>Pct.</u>	<u>Runs Scored</u>	<u>Runs Allowed</u>
Oshkosh (28-11)	13	3	.813	121	43
Whitewater (16-10)	9	5	.643	129	85
Stevens Point (9-5)	9	5	.643	82	58
Superior (17-8)	9	7	.563	82	60
Eau Claire (8-8)	8	8	.500	81	76
La Crosse (14-16)	7	7	.500	45	51
Stout (8-10)	5	9	.357	74	111
Platteville (6-17)	5	11	.313	48	109
River Falls (7-13)	3	13	.188	38	107

Team Batting

	<u>AB</u>	<u>R</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>Ave.</u>	<u>RBI</u>	<u>2B</u>	<u>3B</u>	<u>HR</u>
Whitewater	424	129	152	.358	126	26	2	19
Oshkosh	445	121	134	.301	95	21	7	9
Stevens Point	394	82	107	.272	72	19	4	12
Eau Claire	447	81	118	.264	72	18	6	12
Superior	428	82	113	.264	69	19	0	13
Stout	388	74	96	.247	67	11	1	8
Platteville	410	48	93	.227	43	14	1	5
La Crosse	357	45	79	.221	41	12	0	9
River Falls	417	38	82	.197	33	12	3	7

Team Pitching

	<u>IP</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>ER</u>	<u>ERA</u>	<u>BB</u>	<u>SO</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>
Oshkosh	112.0	93	28	2.25	65	84	13	3
Stevens Point	97.1	91	53	4.90	42	83	9	5
Whitewater	97.0	111	66	6.12	62	59	9	5
Superior	109.2	105	52	4.27	51	106	9	7
La Crosse	95.0	80	35	3.32	50	94	7	7
Eau Claire	114.1	123	45	3.46	53	87	8	8
Stout	97.0	124	70	6.49	57	90	5	9
Platteville	108.0	120	86	7.17	88	76	5	11
River Falls	107.0	126	83	6.98	81	66	3	13

Individual Pitching

<u>Player and School</u>	<u>IP</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>ER</u>	<u>ERA</u>	<u>BB</u>	<u>SO</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>
Dorian Boyland, Osh (L)	25.2	23	4	1.40	17	23	3	1
Howard Moe, EC (R)	30.1	18	7	2.08	16	34	3	3
Dave Engler, EC (R)	27.0	29	7	2.33	16	22	1	2
Tim Fenn, Osh (L)	30.0	28	8	2.40	18	28	3	1
Jerry Augustine, LaX (L)	26.0	25	7	2.42	13	35	2	2
John Rosenberg, Sup (L)	33.1	34	10	2.70	11	30	3	2
Phil Klismith, Osh (R)	26.0	18	8	2.77	13	13	3	0
Gary Fritch, Sup (R)	32.1	20	10	2.78	14	36	3	2
Ron Joten, LaX (R)	22.1	18	7	2.82	14	24	2	1
Jim Gehler, WW (L)	29.1	30	13	3.99	16	12	4	0
John Pieper, SP (L)	36.2	35	17	4.17	4	30	4	0



# INDIVIDUAL BATTING

Player and School	AB	R	H	Ave.	RBI	2B	3B	HR
Al Hanke, Whitewater	45	5	24	.533	15	2	0	5
Jeff Cavanaugh, Whitewater	42	18	19	.452	21	1	0	2
Ken Hartwig, Oshkosh	55	14	23	.418	11	5	0	1
Terry Tesch, Oshkosh	30	11	12	.400	6	4	0	1
George Simon, Whitewater	42	10	16	.381	12	3	1	1
Dan Anderson, Whitewater	45	17	17	.378	15	2	1	2
Mark Fish, Whitewater	45	9	17	.378	15	3	0	4
Ron Gust, Eau Claire	51	15	19	.373	13	4	0	5
Greg Rajanen, Superior	46	9	17	.370	10	3	0	2
Jeff Couey, Stout	38	10	14	.368	9	0	0	2
Pete Susens, Superior	30	7	11	.367	5	0	0	2
Reid Nelson, Stevens Point	41	9	15	.366	11	2	0	2
Joe Netzler, Stevens Point	44	8	16	.364	10	1	1	2
Jim Gantner, Oshkosh	44	23	16	.364	15	1	4	3
Pat Robbins, Stevens Point	50	14	18	.360	9	6	1	0
Len Campbell, Superior	50	11	18	.360	11	0	0	2
Steve Gerber, Whitewater	53	16	19	.358	16	6	0	2
Dave Protz, Eau Claire	43	6	15	.349	10	1	0	1
Steve Schuknecht, Stout	32	5	11	.344	5	3	0	2
Bob O'Keefe, Whitewater	51	19	17	.333	9	4	0	0
Rod Bush, Platteville	43	6	14	.326	3	3	0	1
Lynn Held, Oshkosh	47	17	15	.319	9	2	0	0
Bruce Krahn, River Falls	47	9	15	.319	6	2	1	3
Sam Eddy, Eau Claire	44	9	14	.318	6	3	0	0
Lee Wyngaard, Oshkosh	54	1	17	.315	8	0	0	1
Ron Gayhart, Platteville	32	6	10	.313	3	0	0	1
Mike Rapp, La Crosse	42	7	13	.310	7	3	0	1
Ray Piagentini, Stout	47	13	14	.298	4	1	0	0
Scott Kreiser, Platteville	41	5	12	.293	2	1	0	0
Greg Hauser, Stevens Point	41	11	12	.293	7	3	0	0
Steve Anderson, Superior	41	14	12	.293	11	3	0	3

# CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER OF CHAMPIONS

1957 - Eau Claire, Whitewater	1966 - Superior
1958 - La Crosse, Whitewater	1967 - Stevens Point
1959 - Eau Claire, Stevens Point	1968 - Oshkosh
1960 - La Crosse, Whitewater	1969 - Oshkosh
1961 - Stevens Point, Stout	1970 - Oshkosh
1962 - Stevens Point	1971 - Oshkosh
1963 - La Crosse, Oshkosh	1972 - La Crosse
1964 - River Falls	1973 - La Crosse
1965 - River Falls, Whitewater	1974 - Oshkosh

1974 ALL-CONFERENCE BASEBALL TEAM

Pos.	Player and School	Hometown	B-T	Yr.	Batting Ave.
C	Al Hanke, Whitewater	Wilmut	R-R	Sr.	.533
1B	Ken Hartwig, Oshkosh	Mayville	L-L	Sr.	.418
2B	Greg Rajanen, Superior	Superior	R-R	Jr.	.370
3B	Jeff Cavanaugh, Whitewater	Wauwatosa	R-R	So.	.452
SS	Jim Gantner, Oshkosh	Campbellsport	L-R	So.	.364
OF	Ron Gust, Eau Claire	Eau Claire (Memorial)	R-R	Jr.	.373
OF	Pat Robbins, Stevens Point	Waterloo	L-R	Sr.	.360
OF	Lynn Held, Oshkosh	Hustisford	L-L	Jr.	.319
UM	Steve Anderson, Superior	Duluth, Minnesota	R-R	So.	.293
				W-L	ERA
P	Phil Klismith, Oshkosh	Stevens Point (Pacelli)	R-R	So.	3-0 2.77
P	John Pieper, Stevens Point	Wausau	L-L	Sr.	4-1 4.17
P	Jim Gehler, Whitewater	Watertown	L-L	Sr.	4-0 3.99
P	Howard Moe, Eau Claire	Chetek	R-R	Jr.	3-3 2.08
P	Gary Fritch, Superior	Duluth, Minnesota	R-R	So.	3-2 2.78

Honorable Mention

C--Lee Wyngaard, Oshkosh; Greg Hauser, Stevens Point; Steve Schuknecht, Stout; Len Campbell, Superior; 1B--John Page, River Falls. 2B--Pete Koupal, Oshkosh; Bruce Krahn, River Falls; Bob O'Keefe, Whitewater. 3B--Kirk Heimstead, Oshkosh. SS--Reid Nelson, Stevens Point. OF--Mike Rapp, La Crosse; Rod Bush, Platteville; Joe Netzler, Stevens Point; Jeff Couey, Stout; Steve Gerber and Mark Fish, Whitewater. UM--Steve Kamla, La Crosse; Jerry Leonard, Stout; Jerry Gerber and Bob O'Keefe, Whitewater. P--Jerry Augustine and Ron Joten, La Crosse; Dorian Boyland, Tim Fenn, and Dan Olson, Oshkosh; John Rosenberg, Superior; Jerry Leonard, Stout.

TEAM CHAMPIONS

Eau Claire - 1957, '59

La Crosse - 1958, '60, '63, '72, '73

Oshkosh - 1963, '68, '69, '70, '71, '74

River Falls - 1964, '65

Stevens Point - 1959, '61, '62, '67

Stout - 1961

Superior - 1966

Whitewater - 1957, '58, '60, '65

# GOLF

## 1974 CHAMPIONSHIP

(Results of 20th Conference Tournament, September 29-30, 1973,  
at Lawsonia Country Club, Green Lake, Wisconsin)

### Individual

1. *Eric Haug, La Crosse	79-74--153
2. Mike Spiczenski, Oshkosh	73-80--153
3. Les Webster, Oshkosh	77-76--153
4. Dan Jensen, River Falls	74-79--153
5. Joe Springer, Stout	77-76--153
6. Jeff Johnson, Platteville	78-76--154
Steve Shaw, Whitewater	77-77--154
8. Rick Stoggeman, Oshkosh	80-75--155
Jeff Lehman, La Crosse	80-75--155
Ron Pulak, Superior	78-77--155

### Team

1. Oshkosh	777
2. Whitewater	789
3. La Crosse	796
4. Platteville	807
5. Stevens Point	820
6. Eau Claire	825
River Falls	825
8. Superior	835
9. Stout	874

\*Standings after sudden death playoff.

## FINAL TEAM STANDINGS

	<u>Triangular Points</u>	<u>Tournament Points</u>	<u>Total Points</u>
Oshkosh	12	12	24
La Crosse	11	8	19
Whitewater	8	10	18
Platteville	9	6	15
Stevens Point	7	5	12
Eau Claire	8	3½	11½
River Falls	7	3½	10½
Superior	6	2	8
Stout	4	1	5

NOTE: Team championship determined by a combination of triangular match points and team points earned in Conference Tournament.

## TEAM CHAMPIONS

La Crosse - 1956, '57, '58, '60, '61, '62, '63, '66, '71, '72, '73  
Oshkosh - 1955, '65, '67, '68, '69, '70, '74  
UW-Milwaukee - 1959  
Whitewater - 1964, '71

## CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER OF CHAMPIONS

1955 - Oshkosh	1966 - La Crosse
1956 - La Crosse	1967 - Oshkosh
1957 - La Crosse	1968 - Oshkosh
1958 - La Crosse	1969 - Oshkosh
1959 - UW-Milwaukee	1970 - Oshkosh
1960 - La Crosse	1971 - La Crosse
1961 - La Crosse	Whitewater
1962 - La Crosse	1972 - La Crosse
1963 - La Crosse	1973 - La Crosse
1964 - Whitewater	1974 - Oshkosh
1965 - Oshkosh	

# TENNIS

## CONFERENCE TOURNAMENTS

Year	Singles Winner	School	Doubles Winner	School	Team Champion
1955	Bob Potthast	La Crosse	Novak & Hays	La Crosse	La Crosse
1956	Miller	Stout	Del Olson & Bruce York	Whitewater	WW-Stout
1957	Roger Vel Verde	La Crosse	Dernbach & Bartelt	La Crosse	La Crosse
1958	Malchow	Oshkosh	Dernbach & Bartelt	La Crosse	Oshkosh
1959					Oshkosh
1960	Bill Normand	Oshkosh	Zietler & Simon	Oshkosh	Oshkosh
1961	Brainger Zietler	Oshkosh	Stoebe & Vollmer	La Crosse	La Crosse
1962					Oshkosh
1963	Brainger Zietler	Oshkosh	Werner & Diedrich	Oshkosh	UW-M
1964	Glenn Meier	UW-M	Boight & Galans		UW-M
1965	Ralph Kjornes	Oshkosh	Diedrich & Yellich	Oshkosh	Oshkosh
1966	John Wambold	Oshkosh	Diedrich & Witasek	Oshkosh	Oshkosh
1967	Vilas Cakans	Oshkosh	Maier & Mueller	Whitewater	WW-Oshkosh
1968	Vilas Cakans	Oshkosh	Cakans & Kringel	Oshkosh	Oshkosh
1969	Galen Johnson	Oshkosh	Koehn & Hamachek	Oshkosh	Oshkosh
1970	Bob Luedtke	Oshkosh	Luedtke & Hamachek	Oshkosh	Oshkosh
1971	Bob Luedtke	Oshkosh	Luedtke & Ford	Oshkosh	Oshkosh
1972	Leigh Ford	Oshkosh	Paul & John Christopher	Eau Claire	Oshkosh
1973	Larry Gagnon	Oshkosh	Larry Gagnon & Leigh Ford	Oshkosh	Oshkosh
1974	Paul Christopher	Eau Claire	Vinh Pham & Dave Fletcher	Stevens Point	Eau Claire

## 1974 CHAMPIONSHIP

(Results of 20th Annual Conference Tournament,  
UW-Eau Claire, May 3, 4)

### Champions

- Singles --
1. Paul Christopher, Eau Claire
  2. John Christopher, Eau Claire
  3. Phil Kelbe, Oshkosh
  4. Randy Lauters, La Crosse
  5. Joe Moschkau, Eau Claire
  6. Dave Zielke, La Crosse

- Doubles --
1. Vinh Pham and Dave Fletcher, Stevens Point
  2. Phil Kelbe and Tom Gibbs, Oshkosh
  3. Dave Zielke and Randy Lauters, La Crosse

### TEAM SCORES

1. Eau Claire . . . . . 61
2. La Crosse . . . . . 40
3. Oshkosh . . . . . 36½
4. Stevens Point . . . . . 30
5. Whitewater . . . . . 23½
6. River Falls . . . . . 12½
7. Stout . . . . . 7
8. Platteville . . . . . 5½
9. Superior . . . . . 0

TRACK AND FIELD

CONFERENCE INDOOR MEET RECORDS  
(Established at WSUC Conference Meet)

<u>Event</u>	<u>Individual</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Year</u>
60-Yard Dash	Jeff Forslund	Oshkosh	6.1 sec.	1973
300-Yard Dash	Stan Druckrey	La Crosse	31.2 sec.	1969
440-Yard Dash	Gary Brink	Platteville	50.0 sec.	1970
600-Yard Dash	Ted Clarke	Stevens Point	1:13.2	1973
880-Yard Run	Don Trzebiatowski	Stevens Point	1:57.3	1972
1,000-Yard Run	Bob Hertel	Whitewater	2:15.6	1969
One Mile Run	Jim Drews	La Crosse	4:12.9	1972
Two Mile Run	Tom Hoffman	Whitewater	9:09.4	1969
70-Yard Low Hurdles	Stan Druckrey	La Crosse	7.9 sec.	1970
	Harold Nedoma	Oshkosh	7.9 sec.	1973-74
70-Yard High Hurdles	Stan Druckrey	La Crosse	8.5 sec.	1969
One Mile Relay	Phil Zuehlke	Oshkosh	3:23.3	1973
	Esrold Nurse			
	Ray Barran			
	Rick Uttech			
Shot Put	William Wright	Stevens Point	55' 7-1/2"	1974
High Jump	Ron LaFond	Stevens Point	6' 8-1/4"	1974
Long Jump	Bill Mier	Oshkosh	22' 11-3/4"	1973
Triple Jump	Ken Peterson	Whitewater	47' 1/2"	1971
Pole Vault	Mark Krattiger	La Crosse	15' 1-1/2"	1974
880 Relay	Jerry Johnson	Whitewater	1:31.5	1973
	Tom Rewolinski			
	Bill Goodman			
	Steve Hirsch			

## 1974 INDOOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

(Results of Sixth Annual Conference Meet, UW-La Crosse, March 22-23, 1974)

60-Yard Dash

1. Jeff Forslund, Oshkosh, 6.4
2. Mike Perteete, Platteville, 6.5
3. Craig Hinke, Eau Claire, 6.5
4. Mark Dresen, Whitewater, 6.5
5. Mike Brown, Whitewater, 6.5

300-Yard Dash

1. Esrold Nurse, Oshkosh, 32.4
2. John Williams, Stevens Point, 32.6
3. John Zellmer, Stout, 32.9
4. Tom Rewolinski, Whitewater, 32.9
5. Gary Bork, Stevens Point, 33.2

440-Yard Dash

1. John Williams, Stevens Point, 50.6
2. Esrold Nurse, Oshkosh, 51.1
3. Gary Bork, Stevens Point, 52.0
4. Dave DeMerit, La Crosse, 52.1
5. Don Holmes, La Crosse, 52.3

600-Yard Dash

1. Daron Schmitz, Platteville, 1:15.0
2. Ray Barran, Oshkosh, 1:15.3
3. Dan Bonk, La Crosse, 1:15.3
4. Jerry Krier, Oshkosh, 1:15.3
5. Mark Chandler, Whitewater, 1:15.4

880-Yard Run

1. Joe Hanson, La Crosse, 1:57.7
2. Don Trzebiatowski, Stevens Point, 1:58
3. Don Knaack, Stout, 1:58.3
4. Scott Bork, La Crosse, 1:59.5
5. Mark Engelson, La Crosse, 1:59.5

1,000-Yard Run

1. Don Trzebiatowski, Stevens Point, 2:16
2. Selwyn Griffith, Oshkosh, 2:16.8
3. Joel Peebles, Whitewater, 2:17.0
4. Cliff Bira, Whitewater, 2:17.0
5. Vince Lease, Platteville, 2:18.2



# One Mile Run

1. Jim Drews, La Crosse, 4:16.0
2. Joe Hanson, La Crosse, 4:18.4
3. Kirk Ruhnke, Oshkosh, 4:18.6
4. Jim McFadden, Stout, 4:20.2
5. Ken Gehrt, Whitewater, 4:22.7

# Two Mile Run

1. Jim Drews, La Crosse, 9:11.6
2. Jim McFadden, Stout, 9:15.7
3. Kirk Ruhnke, Oshkosh, 9:16.2
4. Pat Timm, Stevens Point, 9:16.3
5. Rick Zaborske, Stevens Point, 9:27.3

# 70-Yard Low Hurdles

1. Harold Nedoma, Oshkosh, 8.0#
2. Tom Zamis, Stevens Point, 8.2
3. Dennis Fechhelm, Stout, 8.
4. Mark Adams, La Crosse, 8.4
5. Dan Henney, Platteville, 8.5

# 70-Yard High Hurdles

1. Jim Geisthardt, Whitewater, 9.0
2. Tom Zamis, Stevens Point, 9.1
3. Dennis Fechhelm, Stout, 9.1
4. Dan Henney, Platteville, 9.1
5. Sam Servais, La Crosse, 9.1

# One Mile Relay

1. Oshkosh (Nurse, Krier, Barbarich, Barran), 3:27.4
2. Stevens Point, 3:27.4
3. La Crosse, 3:28.9
4. Stout, 3:30.7
5. River Falls, 3:31.9  
Whitewater, 3:31.9

# Shot Put

1. William Wright, Stevens Point, 55' 7-1/2"\*
2. Gary Rayeske, River Falls, 54' 8-3/4"
3. Jerry Rayeske, River Falls, 54' 6-3/4"
4. Dave Bielmeyer, Eau Claire, 52' 1/2"
5. Randy Canham, Oshkosh, 51' 8-3/4"

# TEAM SCORES

1. Stevens Point . . . . . 77
2. La Crosse . . . . . 62
3. Oshkosh . . . . . 51
4. Whitewater . . . . . 23
5. Stout . . . . . 19½
6. Eau Claire . . . . . 17
7. Platteville . . . . . 15
8. River Falls . . . . . 7½
9. Superior . . . . . 0

# High Jump

1. Ron LaFond, Stevens Point, 6' 8-1/4"\*
2. Steve Norlin, Stevens Point, 6' 5"
3. Paul Roessler, Eau Claire, 6' 5"
4. Dan Lee, La Crosse, 6' 5"
5. Kim Behnke, La Crosse, 6' 4"

# Long Jump

1. Mark Flood, La Crosse, 22' 0"
2. Jim Shattuck, La Crosse, 21' 10-1/2"
3. John Williams, Stevens Point, 21' 8-1/4"
4. Craig Hinke, Eau Claire, 21' 5-3/4"
5. Joe Siefkes, Whitewater, 21' 4-3/4"

# Triple Jump

1. Dennis Rue, Stevens Point, 45' 9"
2. Ron LaFond, Stevens Point, 45' 3-3/4"
3. Steve Norlin, Stevens Point, 44' 9-1/4"
4. Jeff Neubauer, La Crosse, 44' 6-1/2"
5. Bob Zahn, Whitewater, 44' 2-1/2"

# Pole Vault

1. Mark Krattiger, La Crosse, 15' 1-1/2"\*
2. Tim Gartzke, La Crosse, 14' 6"
3. Jim Lichty, Eau Claire, 14' 0"
4. Jeff Patt, Stevens Point, 13' 6"
5. Dan Polkow, Eau Claire, 13' 6"

# 880 Yard Relay

1. Oshkosh (Nurse, Mowry, Barbarich, Forslund), 1:33.2
2. Stevens Point, 1:34.3
3. Eau Claire, 1:34.3
4. Whitewater, 1:34.4
5. Platteville, 1:36.3

\*Conference Record

#Ran 7.9 in prelims to tie  
WSUC record.

# CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER OF CHAMPIONS

- 1969 - La Crosse  
1970 - La Crosse  
1971 - Oshkosh  
1972 - La Crosse  
1973 - Oshkosh  
1974 - Stevens Point

RELAY RECORDS  
(Established at WSUC Relays Meets)

<u>Event</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Time/Dis</u>	<u>Year</u>
4 Mile Relay	Rick Zaborske, Donn Behnke, John Duwell, Don Buntman	Stevens Pt.	17:36.5	1974
440 Int. Hurdles	Dennis Ervin, Howie Jubeck, Neil Boyle, Jim Steffen	La Crosse	3:38.2	1973
Distance Medley	Don Holmes, Jim Opperman, Jim Stevens, Jim Drews	La Crosse	10:21.9	1973
480 High Hurdle Relay	John Hugo, Mark Kenfield, John Tassler, Jerry Piering	Stevens Pt.	:60.9	1971
440 Yard Relay	Tom McKay, Ron Whitt, Tom Lubner, Jerry Piering	Stevens Pt.	:42.0	1969
	McKay, Jeff Forslund, Lubner, Piering	Stevens Pt.	:42.0	1971
2 Mile Relay	Gene Hess, John Carlson, Scott Lindgren, Phil Bouche	La Crosse	7:46.1	1969
Shot Put	Jerry Rayeske, Mike McDaniels, Gary Rayeske	River Falls	154' 4.75"	1974
Javelin	Bob Kumenauer, Dave Geitzert, Gary Rattner	La Crosse	530' 5"	1973
880 Relay	Tim Dodds, Jim Lawinger, Larry Richey, Bob Holley	Platteville	1:28.4	1969
Sprint Medley	Ted Clarke, Gary Bork, Jim Neubert, Roger Ferrell	Stevens Pt.	3:29.6	1973
480 Low Hurdle Relay	Gunnar Rasmussen, John Hugo, John Tassler, Jerry Piering	Stevens Pt.	:53.1	1971
Long Jump	Phil Bednarek, Dan Sigurslid, Harland Flick	Platteville	66'4"	1971
Triple Jump	Ron LaFond, Steve Norlin, Dennis Rue	Stevens Pt.	137' 2.5"	1974
Mile Relay	Ted Clarke, Lloyd Jones, Tony Breden, Gary Bork	Stevens Pt.	3:16.95	1973
Discus	Jerry Rayeske, Gary Rayeske, Mike McDaniels	River Falls	436' 8.5"	1974
High Jump	Richard Geracie, Ned Pellman, Elden Engelbrecht	La Crosse	19' 6"	1969
Pole Vault	Chuck Kubicek, Tim Gartzke, Mark Krattiger	La Crosse	41' 0"	1974

CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER OF CHAMPIONS

1968 - La Crosse  
1969 - La Crosse  
1970 - La Crosse  
1971 - Stevens Point

1972 - La Crosse  
1973 - La Crosse  
1974 - Stevens Point

CONFERENCE OUTDOOR MEET RECORDS  
(Established at WSUC Conference Meet)

<u>Event</u>	<u>Individual</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Year</u>
100-Yard Dash	Jerry Johnson	Whitewater	9.6 sec.	1973
	Gary Gray	River Falls	*9.6 sec.	1973
220-Yard Dash	Ed Bogucki	Oshkosh	21.6 sec.	1927
	Leon Headley	River Falls	21.6 sec.	1961
440-Yard Dash	Jerry Johnson	Whitewater	*21.6 sec.	1973
	Bob Holley	Platteville	48.5 sec.	1969
	Ted Clarke	Stevens Point	48.5 sec.	1973
880-Yard Run	Jim Lawinger	Platteville	1:54.7	1969
	Paul Rozak	River Falls		
One-Mile Run	Jim Drews	La Crosse	4:14.4	1972
Three-Mile Run	Tom Hoffman	Whitewater	13:55.6	1969
Six-Mile Run	Jim Drews	La Crosse	28:54.9	1974
120-Yard High Hurdles	Stan Druckrey	La Crosse	14:3 sec.	1970
440-Yard Interm. Hurdles	Stan Druckrey	La Crosse	53.3 sec.	1968
High Jump	Ron LaFond	Stevens Point	6' 10"	1974
Long Jump	Tom Rath	Oshkosh	23' 7-1/4"	1968
Pole Vault	Jack Engsberg	La Crosse	15' 1-1/2"	1972
Shot Put	Gary Rayeske	River Falls	54' 9-1/2"	1974
Discus	Al Schroeder	Stevens Point	161' 9"	1968
Javelin	Tom Hendron	Whitewater	221' 6"	1966
One Mile Relay	Ted Clarke	Stevens Point	3:18.7	1973
	Tony Breden			
	Lloyd Jones			
440-Yard Relay	Gary Bork			
	Mike Brown	Whitewater	42.3 sec.	1973
	Tom Rewolinski			
	Bill Goodman			
	Jerry Johnson			
Triple Jump	Tom Rath	Oshkosh	46' 5-3/4"	1970

\*Set in trials

1974 OUTDOOR CHAMPIONSHIPS  
(Results of 59th Annual Conference Meet,  
UW-Stevens Point, May 3-4, 1974)

100-Yard Dash

1. Mike Perteete, Platteville, 9.8
2. Mike Brown, Whitewater, 9.95
3. Joe Siefkes, Whitewater, 10.0
4. Bob Burnett, La Crosse, 10.05
5. Gene Summerfield, Eau Claire, 10.1

220-Yard Dash

1. John Williams, Stevens Point, 22.55
2. Esrold Nurse, Oshkosh, 22.75
3. Gary Bork, Stevens Point, 22.8
4. Don Mowry, Oshkosh, 22.85
5. Jeff Forslund, Oshkosh, 23.05

440-Yard Dash

1. John Williams, Stevens Point, :49
2. Gary Bork, Stevens Point, :50
3. Esrold Nurse, Oshkosh, :50.3
4. Dave DeMerit, La Crosse, :50.6
5. Steve Zais, Stout, :50.65

880-Yard Run

1. Selwyn Griffith, Oshkosh, 1:56.2
2. Joe Hanson, La Crosse, 1:56.3
3. Cliff Bira, Whitewater, 1:56.4
4. Scott Bork, La Crosse, 1:56.5
5. Gary McVicar, Platteville, 1:57.3

3000 Steeple Chase

1. Dave Merritt, Oshkosh, 9:25.7
2. Mark Ardington, La Crosse, 9:32.1
3. Rick Zaborske, Stevens Point, 9:39.7
4. Jim Drews, La Crosse, 9:40.5
5. Tom Rachubinski, La Crosse, 9:51.15

### One-Mile Run

1. Joe Hanson, La Crosse, 4:14.5
2. Ken Gehrt, Whitewater, 4:15.2
3. Don Trzebiatowski, Stevens Point, 4:15.7
4. Jim McFadden, Stout, 4:15.73
5. Steven Wros, River Falls, 4:16.6

### Three-Mile Run

1. Jim Drews, La Crosse, 14:15.5
2. Gerhardt Sasman, Stout, 14:35.35
3. Jim McFadden, Stout, 14:42.4
4. David Coggins, River Falls, 14:51.4
5. Mike Zeigle, Platteville, 14:53.2

### Six-Mile Run

1. Jim Drews, La Crosse, 28:54.9\*
2. Gerhart Sassman, Stout, 30:08.0
3. Pat McGuire, La Crosse, 30:08.8
4. Greg Riederer, La Crosse, 30:29.3
5. Mike Zeigle, Platteville, 30:37.7

### 120-Yard High Hurdles

1. Dennis Fechhelm, Stout, 14.7
2. Dan Henney, Platteville, 14.85
3. Tom Zamis, Stevens Point, 15.02
4. Jim Geisthardt, Whitewater, 15.1
5. Mark Adams, La Crosse, 15.15

### 440-Yard Intermediate Hurdles

1. Dennis Fechheim, Stout, 53.4
2. Tom Zamis, Stevens Point, 54.6
3. Jim Foreman, River Falls, 55.5
4. Howie Jubeck, La Crosse, 55.7
5. Larry Terry, La Crosse, 56.05

### 440-Yard Relay

1. Oshkosh, 43.2  
(Esrold Nurse, Don Mowry,  
Bob Barbarich, Jeff Forslund)
2. Whitewater, 43.45
3. Stout, 43.65
4. La Crosse 43.7
5. Eau Claire, 43.75

### One-Mile Relay

1. Stevens Point, 3:18.9  
(John Williams, Jim Pasch,  
Don Trzebiatowski, Gary Bork)
2. La Crosse, 3:21.85
3. Oshkosh, 3:23.0
4. Stout, 3:24.5
5. Whitewater, 3:25.0

### Shot-Put

1. Gary Rayeske, River Falls, 54' 9-1/2"
2. Jerry Rayeske, River Falls, 53' 3-1/2"
3. Bill Wright, Stevens Point, 53' 1-3/4"
4. Randy Canham, Oshkosh, 51' 9-1/2"
5. Mike Curtis, La Crosse, 50' 10-1/4"

### Discus

1. Mike Curtis, La Crosse, 157' 4"
2. Gary Rayeske, River Falls, 151' 9"
3. Dave Holm, Stevens Point, 148' 4"
4. Dave Bielmier, Eau Claire, 145' 7"
5. Mike McDaniels, River Falls, 145' 1"

### High Jump

1. Ron LaFond, Stevens Point, 6' 10"
2. Dan Lee, La Crosse, 6' 9"
3. Steve Norlin, Stevens Point, 6' 6"
4. Glen Hennenthal, Oshkosh, 6' 6"
5. Jim Shattock, La Crosse, 6' 6"

### Long Jump

1. John Williams, Stevens Point, 22' 5-3/4"
2. Jim Shatuck, La Crosse, 22' 1/2"
3. Mark Flood, La Crosse, 21' 9-3/4"
4. Joe Siefkus, Whitewater, 21' 9-3/4"
5. Harry Nedoma, Oshkosh, 21' 1-3/4"

### Triple Jump

1. Steve Norlin, Stevens Point, 46' 1"
2. Ron LaFond, Stevens Point, 44' 5-1/2"
3. Dennis Rue, Stevens Point, 44' 2-1/4"
4. Gene Sprenger, Oshkosh, 44' 4-1/2"
5. Bob Zahn, Whitewater, 43' 5-1/2"

### Pole Vault

1. Jim Lichty, Eau Claire, 14' 0"
2. George Lehman, Superior, 14' 0"
3. Dan Polkow, Eau Claire, 13' 6"
4. Jeff Patt, Stevens Point, 13' 6"
5. Guy Nelson, Platteville, 13' 6"

### Javelin

1. Mike McDaniels, River Falls, 195' 0"
2. Dave Geisthardt, La Crosse, 184' 5"
3. Tom Joyner, Eau Claire, 179' 10"
4. Pat Simmons, Platteville, 173' 9"
5. Rick Warrens, La Crosse, 167' 4"

# TEAM SCORES

1. Stevens Point . . . . . 74
2. La Crosse . . . . . 74
3. Oshkosh . . . . . 38
4. Stout . . . . . 31
5. River Falls . . . . . 27
6. Whitewater . . . . . 24
7. Eau Claire . . . . . 16
8. Platteville . . . . . 16
9. Superior . . . . . 4

# TEAM CHAMPIONS

La Crosse - 1916, '17, '18, '54, '56, '57, '58, '62, '69, '70, '72 (Tie), '74 (Tie).  
 Oshkosh - 1927, '66, '67, '68, '71.  
 Stevens Point - 1920, '73, '74 (Tie).  
 Stout - 1972 (Tie).  
 Whitewater - 1925, '26, '65, '66.  
 UW-Milwaukee - 1915, '19, '21, '22, '23, '24, '28, '29, '30, '31, '32, '33, '34, '35, '36, '37, '38, '39, '40, '41, '42, '47, '48, '49, '50, '51, '52, '53, '55, '59, '60, '61, '63, '64.

# CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER OF CHAMPIONS

## OUTDOOR TRACK

1915 - Milwaukee	1945 - No Conference Play
1916 - La Crosse	1946 - No Conference Play
1917 - La Crosse	1947 - Milwaukee
1918 - La Crosse	1948 - Milwaukee
1919 - Milwaukee	1949 - Milwaukee
1920 - Stevens Point	1950 - Milwaukee
1921 - Milwaukee	1951 - Milwaukee
1922 - Milwaukee	1952 - Milwaukee
1923 - Milwaukee	1953 - Milwaukee
1924 - Milwaukee	1954 - La Crosse
1925 - Whitewater	1955 - Milwaukee
1926 - Whitewater	1956 - La Crosse
1927 - Oshkosh	1957 - La Crosse
1928 - Milwaukee	1958 - La Crosse
1929 - Milwaukee	1959 - Milwaukee
1930 - Milwaukee	1960 - Milwaukee
1931 - Milwaukee	1961 - Milwaukee
1932 - Milwaukee	1962 - La Crosse
1933 - Milwaukee	1963 - Milwaukee
1934 - Milwaukee	1964 - Milwaukee
1935 - Milwaukee	1965 - Whitewater
1936 - Milwaukee	1966 - Oshkosh, Whitewater
1937 - Milwaukee	1967 - Oshkosh
1938 - Milwaukee	1968 - Oshkosh
1939 - Milwaukee	1969 - La Crosse
1940 - Milwaukee	1970 - La Crosse
1941 - Milwaukee	1971 - Oshkosh
1942 - Milwaukee	1972 - La Crosse, Stout
1943 - No Conference Play	1973 - Stevens Point
1944 - No Conference Play	1974 - Stevens Point, La Crosse



