

LOCK HAVEN UNIVERSITY MEN'S BASKETBALL

Dec. 3 -- Game #4 at Penn State University

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Lock Haven Men's Basketball Quick Facts

Name of School Lock Haven University
 City/State/Zip Lock Haven, PA 17745
 Founded 1870
 Enrollment 4500
 Nickname Bald Eagles
 School Colors Crimson and White
 Home Field Thomas Field House
 Affiliation NCAA Division II
 Conference Pennsylvania State Athletic Conference West
 President Dr. Keith T. Miller
 Alma Mater University of Arizona
 Athletics Director Sharon E. Taylor
 Alma Mater Lock Haven
 First Year of Basketball 1899
 All-Time Record 585-918 (from 1925 to present)
 Years in NCAA Tournament 2
 Most Recent NCAA Playoff Appearance 1989, Lost to
 Millersville (97-84), First Round - NCAA Eastern Regional
 Most Recent Conference Post-Season Appearance 2003,
 Lost to California (63-60), First Round - PSAC Playoffs
 Head Coach John Wilson, Jr. (Washburn '80)
 Record at School/Year 39-93 (5 yrs)
 Career Record/Years same
 Assistant Coach Doug Wingard (Millersville '91)
 Assistant Coach John Wilson, Sr. (Anderson '49)
 G.A. Coach: Kristopher Holtzer (Lock Haven '04)



As **John Wilson Jr.** begins his sixth season as head coach of the Bald Eagles, he has an important task ahead of him. His job, and the job of the 2004-05 team, is to put last year's 4-23 season behind them and use every bit of their experienced and talented roster to do battle in the Pennsylvania State Athletic Conference.

Wilson is no stranger to the PSAC, as he has spent the majority of his coaching career in the Pennsylvania State Athletic Conference, having served as the assistant coach at Millersville University of Pennsylvania for 10 years.

While 2003-04 was a rebuilding season, losing key seniors from a playoff team, the squad did record three conference wins, finishing at 3-8, good for fifth in the PSAC West. Joe Walker earned a second-team all-PSAC West nomination.

Wilson, the 2003 PSAC Western Division Coach of the Year, has posted an overall 35-70 mark in his four years at the helm of the Bald Eagle program. Just last season he guided the Bald Eagles to a 10-17 overall record and a 6-6 mark in the PSAC, earning a trip to the PSAC playoffs as the fourth seed in the Western Division.



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Lock Haven (0-3)

55.7 Points per game
 78.0 Points allowed p.g.
 .383 FG pct.
 .348 3pt. FG pct.
 .561 FT pct.
 -9.7 Rebounding margin
 0.5 Assist/turnover ratio

Penn State (3-2)

67.2 Points per game
 66.6 Points allowed p.g.
 388 FG pct.
 299 3pt. FG pct.
 680 FT pct.
 +4.4 Rebounding margin
 0.9 Assist/turnover ratio

Probable Starters

Lock Haven

Pos. #	Name	Yr.	Stats
G 23	James Chappell	So.	14.0 ppg., 5.0 rpg.
G 20	Eddie Christiano	Sr.	9.3 ppg., 1.7 rpg.
F 33	Joe Walker	Sr.	13.7 ppg., 5.3 rpg.
F 22	Quentin Terry	Sr.	6.3 ppg., 6.0 rpg.
F 34	Michael Dye	So.	2.0 ppg., 0.7 rpg.

Penn State

G 4	Mike Walker	Fr.	6.4 ppg., 2.6 apg.
G 20	Marlon Smith	So.	11.8 ppg., 3.8 apg.
F 00	Aaron Johnson	Jr.	16.2 ppg., 14.8 rpg.
F 5	Geary Claxton	Fr.	9.6 ppg., 6.8 rpg.
F 11	Travis Parker	Jr.	9.6 ppg., 4.6 rpg.

The Game

The Lock Haven University men's basketball team (0-3) will head up route 64 to State College, Pa., to take on the Penn State University Nittany Lions (3-2) Friday, Dec. 3 at 7:30 p.m.

The Bald Eagles face their second Division I opponent of the 2004-05 season in PSU, as they battled to a 70-56 defeat at Youngstown State University Nov. 21. LHU held a halftime lead, and led by as many as 10 in the first half, but couldn't withstand some hot shooting by the Penguins in the second stanza.

Last Time Out for LHU

The Lock Haven men's basketball team slipped behind early and couldn't recover, eventually falling at the University of Charleston (1-0), 82-51. Sophomore guard **James Chappell (Coatesville, Pa./Coatesville Area)** had a team-high 13 points tonight, and has hit for double-figures in points in each of the team's three games this season.

UC began a 20-5 run just six minutes into the contest, powered by five LHU turnovers. Once the smoke cleared, the Bald

Eagles were down 31-14 with 3:14 left in the half.

The Bald Eagles would get no closer than 11 points from that point on, doing so on a lay-up by **Michael Dye (Milford, Pa./Delaware Valley)** with 17:16 left in the game.

Scouting the Nittany Lions

The Nittany Lions are led by junior forward Aaron Johnson, who has averaged a double-double this season, with 16.2 points and 14.8 rebounds per game. Joining Johnson in double-figure scoring is sophomore guard Marlon Smith with 11.8 per game.

Penn State will have an interstate showdown at Rutgers University on Wednesday, Dec. 1, before returning home to battle the Bald Eagles.

PSU is working on a two-game winning streak, the most recent victory coming in a 69-61 escape over Sacred Heart University. Johnson led the way in that win, scoring 18 and pulling down 20 rebounds.

Familiar Faces

Head coach **John Wilson's** Bald Eagles retain three of last year's starters, including Pennsylvania State Athletic Conference (PSAC) West second-teamer **Joe Walker (Lock Haven, Pa./Central Mountain)**. Joining Walker are senior guard **Eddie Christiano (Coal Township, Pa./Lourdes Regional)** and sophomore guard **Durell Moore (Wallingford, Pa./Strath Haven)**. The trio scored 563 total points a season ago.

The squad also has a mix of youth and experience. Joining LHU's five seniors are three freshmen and seven sophomores. Among the second-year players is leading scorer **James Chappell**.

I Am Iron Man

Senior **Eddie Christiano** has played in every possible game in his four seasons with the Bald Eagles, an amazing streak of 83-straight games without missing a contest. He has averaged 5.4 points per game and has hit 87 total three-point shots during that stretch. Christiano is on pace to break the school's consecutive games played record at home against Shippensburg University Jan. 26.

Scoring

Guard **James Chappell** has scored in double figures in each of the team's three games this season. The speedy sophomore has also led the team in scoring in the last two games, with 14 against Division I Youngstown State, and 13 against the University of Charleston.

PSAC Standings

West		East			
W	L	W	L		
Clarion	4	1	West Chester	5	0
Edinboro	4	1	Millersville	1	0
IUP	4	2	Kutztown	4	1
Shippensburg	2	3	Mansfield	2	2
California	1	2	Bloomsburg	2	4
Slippery Rock	0	2	E. Stroudsburg	1	3
Lock Haven	0	3	Cheyney	1	4

LHU Men's Basketball Schedule/Results

11/15	.....	GRAND VALLEY STATE UNIVERSITY	.....	L, 60-82
11/21	.....	at Youngstown State University	.....	L, 56-70
11/23	.....	at University of Charleston	.....	L, 51-82
12/3	.....	at Penn State University	.....	7:30 p.m.
12/4	.....	CHEYNEY UNIVERSITY	.....	3 p.m.
12/5	.....	MILLERSVILLE UNIVERSITY	.....	3 p.m.
12/21	.....	at West Chester University	.....	8 p.m.
12/22	.....	at Kutztown University	.....	8 p.m.
12/29-30	.....	at Gannon University - Porecco Cup	..	8 p.m./8 p.m.
1/5	.....	at Fairmont State College	.....	7:30 p.m.
1/8	.....	EAST STROUDSBURG UNIVERSITY	.....	3 p.m.
1/9	.....	MANSFIELD UNIVERSITY*	.....	3 p.m.
1/12	.....	INDIANA UNIVERSITY*	.....	8 p.m.
1/16	.....	at Bloomsburg University	.....	3 p.m.
1/19	.....	at Clarion University*	.....	8 p.m.
1/22	.....	at Slippery Rock University*	.....	3 p.m.
1/26	.....	SHIPPENSBURG UNIVERSITY*	.....	8 p.m.
1/29	.....	at Edinboro University*	.....	3 p.m.
2/5	.....	CALIFORNIA UNIVERSITY*	.....	5 p.m.
2/7	.....	at Indiana University*	.....	7:30 p.m.
2/9	.....	CLARION UNIVERSITY*	.....	8 p.m.
2/12	.....	SLIPPERY ROCK UNIVERSITY*	.....	3 p.m.
2/16	.....	at Shippensburg University*	.....	8 p.m.
2/19	.....	EDINBORO UNIVERSITY*	.....	3 p.m.
2/23	.....	UNIVERSITY OF PITT-JOHNSTOWN	.....	7 p.m.
2/26	.....	at California University*	.....	5 p.m.

*PSAC Western Division contest

BOLD CAPS indicate home contest (Thomas Fieldhouse)

LHU Picked Sixth in Preseason Poll

The PSAC announced its basketball preseason polls and all PSAC teams during their annual video conference Nov. 10. Lock Haven University men were chosen sixth in the West Division in a poll of the PSAC's head coaches.

The Bald Eagles are looking for huge improvement this season coming off of a 4-23 season last year. The first conference game for the Bald Eagles will be against the Wolves of Cheyney University on Dec. 4, at a 3 p.m. tip-off in Thomas Field House.

The Bald Eagles have some key players returning this upcoming season including senior **Joe Walker**. He is one of several veterans that will be looked upon this upcoming year to help lead the underclass and the rest of his teammates to an improvement this season.

From Way Downtown

Coming into the 2004-05 season, Lock Haven knew it would have to rely on its outside shooting to have any success. A bit undersized, the Bald Eagles needed to spread the floor and hit the long-range jumper.

Thus far, LHU has won the long-range battle, averaging 5.3 three-pointers per game, with opponents hitting for 4.0. The Bald Eagles are 16-46 (.348) and their opponents are 12-41 (.293).

2003-04 Bald Eagle Basketball Alphabetical Roster

#	Player	Pos.	Cl.	Ht.	Wt.	Hometown/High School
3	Ryan Carson	G	So.	6-3	180	Landisville, Pa./Hempfield
4	Kranthi Senadhi	G	So.	5-8	160	North Wales, Pa./North Penn
11	Adam Holtzer	G	Sr.	6-0	175	Matamoras, Pa./Delaware Valley
13	Durell Moore	G	So.	6-1	175	Wallingford, Pa./Strath Haven
15	Justin Wilson	G	Fr.	6-3	170	Lock Haven, Pa./Central Mountain
20	Eddie Christiano	G	Sr.	6-0	165	Coal Township, Pa./Lourdes Regional
22	Quentin Terry	F	Sr.	6-5	220	York, Pa./Central York
23	James Chappell	G	So.	5-11	150	Coatesville, Pa./Coatesville Area
24	Julien Grandgirard	G	So.	6-1	165	Vesoul, France/Dayton Christian
32	David Gooch	G	Fr.	6-2	175	Lewis Center, Ohio/Reading
33	Joe Walker	F	Sr.	6-5	205	Lock Haven, Pa./Central Mountain
34	Michael Dye	F	So.	6-6	205	Milford, Pa./Delaware Valley
40	Todd Nally	F	So.	6-4	200	Erdenheim, Pa./Bishop McDevitt
42	Domenique Wilson	C	Fr.	6-6	215	Philadelphia/West Philadelphia
45	Dan Tomcavage	F/C	Sr.	6-6	215	Danville, Pa./Danville

HEAD COACH: John Wilson, Jr. (sixth season)

Assistant Coaches: Doug Wingard, Johnny Wilson

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James Chappellsha-PELL
 Julien Grandgirard .JEW-lee-in gran-JEER-ard

Eddie ChristianoCHRIS-chee-AHN-o
 Kranthi Senadhi . . .KRAHN-thee sen-ODD-hee



2004-05 Lock Haven Men's Basketball
 Lock Haven University Combined Team Statistics (as of Dec 01, 2004)
 All games

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES.....	(0-3)	(0-1)	(0-2)	(0-0)
CONFERENCE.....	(0-0)	(0-0)	(0-0)	(0-0)
NON-CONFERENCE.....	(0-3)	(0-1)	(0-2)	(0-0)

##	Player	GP-GS	Min--Avg	|---TOTAL---		|---3-PTS---		FT-FTA	Pct	|---REBOUNDS---				PF	FO	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
				FG-FGA	Pct	3FG-FGA	Pct			Off	Def	Tot	Avg								
23	CHAPPELL, James....	3-3	96 32.0	18-34	.529	6-14	.429	0-0	.000	4	12	16	5.3	2	0	13	21	1	7	42	14.0
33	WALKER, Joe.....	3-3	93 31.0	14-39	.359	0-2	.000	13-20	.650	5	11	16	5.3	11	1	5	9	2	5	41	13.7
20	CHRISTIANO, Eddie..	3-3	78 26.0	10-26	.385	7-15	.467	1-1	1.000	1	4	5	1.7	6	0	4	5	0	3	28	9.3
22	TERRY, Quentin.....	3-3	87 29.0	9-23	.391	0-0	.000	1-1	1.000	7	11	18	6.0	8	0	2	7	0	1	19	6.3
24	GRANDGIRARD, Julien	2-0	24 12.0	3-11	.273	2-6	.333	0-1	.000	1	2	3	1.5	2	0	0	2	0	0	8	4.0
11	HOLTZER, Adam.....	2-0	20 10.0	1-6	.167	1-5	.200	4-4	1.000	1	0	1	0.5	4	0	0	3	0	2	7	3.5
45	TOMCAVAGE, Dan.....	3-0	43 14.3	3-4	.750	0-0	.000	1-4	.250	2	3	5	1.7	7	0	3	6	1	0	7	2.3
34	Michael Dye.....	3-2	49 16.3	2-12	.167	0-2	.000	2-4	.500	1	1	2	0.7	8	0	1	4	1	0	6	2.0
13	MOORE, Durell.....	2-0	24 12.0	2-4	.500	0-0	.000	0-1	.000	2	1	3	1.5	3	0	2	6	1	3	4	2.0
03	CARSON, Ryan.....	3-1	58 19.3	2-7	.286	0-2	.000	1-4	.250	1	6	7	2.3	3	0	5	5	0	1	5	1.7
04	SENADHI, Kranthi...	3-0	28 9.3	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-1	.000	2	2	4	1.3	3	0	4	4	0	1	0	0.0
TEAM.....										9	9	18	6.0	0				0			
Total.....		3	600	64-167	.383	16-46	.348	23-41	.561	36	62	98	32.7	57	1	39	72	6	23	167	55.7
Opponents.....		3	600	90-179	.503	12-41	.293	42-70	.600	48	79	127	42.3	56	-	54	50	9	38	234	78.0

TEAM STATISTICS	LHU-M	OPP	DATE	OPPONENT	W/L	SCORE	ATTEND
SCORING.....	167	234	11/15/04	GRAND VALLEY STATE	L	60-82	350
Points per game.....	55.7	78.0	11/21/04	at Youngstown State	L	56-70	1399
Scoring margin.....	-22.3	-	11/23/04	at University of Charleston	L	51-82	400
FIELD GOALS-ATT.....	64-167	90-179					
Field goal pct.....	.383	.503					
3 POINT FG-ATT.....	16-46	12-41					
3-point FG pct.....	.348	.293					
3-pt FG made per game..	5.3	4.0					
FREE THROWS-ATT.....	23-41	42-70					
Free throw pct.....	.561	.600					
REBOUNDS.....	98	127					
Rebounds per game.....	32.7	42.3					
Rebounding margin.....	-9.7	-					
ASSISTS.....	39	54					
Assists per game.....	13.0	18.0					
TURNOVERS.....	72	50					
Turnovers per game....	24.0	16.7					
Turnover margin.....	-7.3	-					
Assist/turnover ratio..	0.5	1.1					
STEALS.....	23	38					
Steals per game.....	7.7	12.7					
BLOCKS.....	6	9					
Blocks per game.....	2.0	3.0					
WINNING STREAK.....	0	-					
Home win streak.....	0	-					
ATTENDANCE.....	350	1799					
Home games-Avg/Game...	1-350	2-900					
Neutral site-Avg/Game..	-	0-0					

SCORE BY PERIODS:	1st	2nd	Total
Lock Haven University.....	86	81	167
Opponents.....	105	129	234