



# Baseball

Mountain Hawks

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## Lehigh (19-22, 9-11 Patriot) at Patriot League Tournament May 10-11 -- Depew Field -- Lewisburg, Pa.

### LEHIGH PLAYERS TO WATCH

No.	P	Name	AVG	Hits	RBI	2B	3B	HR	SLG	SB-ATT
6	2B	John Zaszewski	.292	40	15	10	0	3	.431	2-3
8	SS	Eric Hoffman	.360	41	13	9	0	0	.439	3-6
10	3B	Jesse Novalis	.331	44	34	11	1	9	.632	7-7
21	CF	Jeremy Mack	.278	37	27	5	2	6	.481	7-10
28	C	Jeff Quiros	.292	35	23	7	0	1	.375	0-1

### LEHIGH PITCHERS TO WATCH

No.	Name	W-L	ERA	APP	GS	IP	CG	SH	K	B/AVG
20	Jack Muscalus	6-3	2.36	11	9	68.2	5	2	42	.219
27	Adam Marr	3-3	4.11	9	9	46.0	2	1	33	.263
29	Jack Lyons	3-4	2.56	9	8	56.1	3	0	27	.278

### LEHIGH FAST FACTS

1. The Mountain Hawks are making their second straight and third overall appearance in the Patriot League tournament, with the others coming in 1996 and 2002.
2. Third baseman Jesse Novalis was named the league's Player of the Year after leading the league in home runs, runs batted in, walks, and total bases, among other categories.
3. All-league shortstop Eric Hoffman has reached base safely in each of his last nine games.
4. Lehigh has made fewer errors than any other league team, and the Mountain Hawks boast the highest fielding percentage (96.5%) of any Patriot League squad.
5. Sophomore Jack Muscalus threw four complete games in five Patriot League starts.
6. Muscalus leads the league in complete games and innings pitched.
7. Senior center fielder Jeremy Mack belted five homers against league opponents, more than anyone else. Four of those five blasts proved to provide the game-winning run.
8. The Mountain Hawks lead the Patriot League with 21 home runs on the season.
9. Lehigh split its series with Navy this season, while dropping three of four to Bucknell.
10. Lehigh has won three of its last four games played in Lewisburg.

### BY THE NUMBERS

	Lehigh	Bucknell	Navy
Runs	193	188	203
Runs Allowed	209	166	211
Batting Avg.	.262	.272	.282
HR	21	14	11
2B	56	46	72
3B	7	14	13
SB	36	48	73
Errors	49	60	79
ERA	4.62	3.87	4.71
K/BB Ratio	1.49	1.73	2.03

### MEDIA INFORMATION

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### ON THE AIR

All post-season Mountain Hawks games will be broadcast live on the Lehigh web site at [www.lehigh.edu](http://www.lehigh.edu) with Jeff Tourial and Jason Honsel calling the action.



# AROUND THE DIAMOND

## #28 Jeff Quiros

6-1 ▼ Catcher ▼ Junior

Mamaroneck, NY

- ☞ Has a fielding percentage of .978 on the season
- ☞ Hitting .292 on the season with more BB than K
- ☞ Has started 40 games behind the dish

## #23 Matt Yarnold

6-2 ▼ First Base ▼ Senior

Hackettstown, NJ

- ☞ Has missed over half the season with a broken arm
- ☞ Has not made an error in over 100 chances

## #6 John Zaszewski

5-10 ▼ Second Base ▼ Freshman

Bayonne, NJ

- ☞ Has played in every game
- ☞ Is third on the team in hits, second in runs scored
- ☞ Leads team with a .317 average against league opponents

## #8 Eric Hoffman

5-10 ▼ Shortstop ▼ Junior

Malvern, PA

- ☞ Has reached base safely in last nine contests
- ☞ Leads team with a .360 batting average
- ☞ Ranks second on the team in runs despite missing eight games due to injury
- ☞ Two-time Patriot League Player of the Week
- ☞ 2003 All-Patriot League second team selection

## #10 Jesse Novalis

5-10 ▼ Third Base ▼ Junior

Florham Park, NJ

- ☞ Named the Patriot League Player of the Year in 2003
- ☞ Led the league in numerous offensive categories, including home runs, RBIs, total bases, walks, and slugging percentage
- ☞ Is already Lehigh's career leader in home runs with 23, and needs only five more to tie the league mark
- ☞ Has 11 multi-hit games so far this season

## #38 Forrest Doane

6-5 ▼ Designated Hitter ▼ Soph.

Springfield, VA

- ☞ Hitting .342 on the season in 73 at bats
- ☞ Was team's first baseman prior to injury

## #33 Andrew Smith

6-2 ▼ Left Field ▼ Freshman

Palo Alto, CA

- ☞ Hit his first collegiate homer in a win over Navy
- ☞ Has been perfect defensively for Lehigh in left

## #21 Jeremy Mack

5-11 ▼ Center Field ▼ Senior

Coopersburg, PA

- ☞ Leads the league with five homers in league contests
- ☞ Four of five league homers have been game winners
- ☞ Second on the team and in the league with 6 long balls

## #16 Jeff Baker

6-0 ▼ Right Field ▼ Junior

Neptune, NJ

- ☞ Has been a consistent defensive performer in right field all season
- ☞ Leads the squad with nine stolen bases

## #20 Jack Muscalus

5-11 ▼ Pitcher ▼ Sophomore

Harrisburg, PA

- ☞ Named a Louisville Slugger Freshman All-American last year
- ☞ Has posted a 6-3 record and 2.36 ERA so far this season
- ☞ Has hurled 5 complete games and two shutouts
- ☞ Has more innings pitched and more complete games than anyone else in the Patriot League
- ☞ Four time Patriot League Pitcher of the Week

## #27 Adam Marr

5-10 ▼ Pitcher ▼ Sophomore

Greenwich, CT

- ☞ Is 2-2 with a 3.19 ERA against league opponents
- ☞ Named Patriot League Pitcher of the Week after shutting out Bucknell on a two-hitter
- ☞ League opponents are hitting only .232 against the southpaw