The WOMEN'S TRACK AND FIELD team saw their 2019-20 season come to an unfortunate end prior to the NCAA Indoor Championships as the Cardinals were set to send the defending NCAA Champion in the weight throw – junior Ivie Uzamere – along with the fastest freshman in the Division III ranks – Grace Devanny. The 2019 NCAA Champ Uzamere threw a school record at last year's national meet to claim first place and the individual title. Meanwhile, Devanny won the New England Div. III Indoor 400m title with a season-best time of 57.18 seconds, which also stood as the fastest 400m time for any freshman in Div. III heading into the NCAA Championship meet. Due to the COVID-19 precautions, the NCAA canceled all winter sport championships in the week leading up to nationals.

The MEN'S TRACK AND FIELD team wrapped up their indoor season with nine different Cardinals landing at least one first place finish. Sophomore Christian Denny picked up six first place finishes, across three different events, to lead the team. Among the seniors that saw their careers come to an end include Bill Bajohr, Adam Linsky, Kevin McMorrow, Jack Northrop and Grant van Inwegen. McMorrow and Northrop were each recently named to the NESCAC All-Academic Team for the third time in their careers.

The MEN'S BASKETBALL team battled a series of injuries all-year long and finished the season with a 14-10 overall record, while ending the year on a strong note with a 65-59 win on the road against Bowdoin. The Cardinals defeated their archrival and then-No. 15 Amherst this winter in a thriller at home, 79-77. Head Coach Joe Reilly’s young squad will return its top-seven scorers in 2020-21.

The WOMEN'S BASKETBALL team to their third-straight NESCAC Championship appearance as the Cardinals went 14-11 overall and 4-6 in conference play, earning the No. 8 seed. Wesleyan went up against undefeated and top-ranked Tufts in the quarterfinals and put up a valiant effort on the road before ultimately falling short, 58-48. Junior Katy O'Connor tied for the league-lead in rebounds as she averaged 9.0 per game while sophomores Marina Petruzzi and Caleigh Ryan ranked eighth (14.0 ppg) and 11th (13.2 ppg) in scoring, respectively. Additionally, their classmate Maddie Clark set a Wesleyan program record with 53 three-pointers made in a season.

The WRESTLING team dealt with multiple injuries throughout the year but the 2019-20 campaign was highlighted by the excellent seasons from senior Tristan Stetson and sophomore Marco Gaita. Stetson posted a 29-12 record in the 133-pound weight class with 16 wins by decision, six by major decision, and two pins. Gaita excelled in his second season donning the Wesleyan uniform as he went 32-4 overall with a team-high eight pins, and at the Northeast Regionals, he claimed the 174-pound title to qualify for the NCAA Championships. Unfortunately, Gaita was unable to compete in the postseason tournament due to the NCAA’s decision to cancel all winter and spring championships amid the growing concern over the COVID-19 virus.
The MEN’S HOCKEY team stormed to the program’s first-ever NESCAC Championship, pulling off three straight upsets on the road as the five-seed to claim the title. Trailing 1-0 in the title game, the Cardinals scored seven goals in just over 30 minutes of action to erase the early deficit to thunder past No. 8 Trinity, 7-2, securing the program’s first league championship. Wesleyan’s seven goals set a league record for the most goals scored in a NESCAC title game while Walker Harris tallied one goal and three assists to match the record for most points scored by a single player in a league final. That resounding win came a day following a 3-2 semifinal win in overtime at top-seeded Williams as Jake Lachance’s first career goal in OT sent the Cardinals to the title game. Ranked No. 15 in the nation following the NESCAC Championship win, Wesleyan was slated to play in their first-ever NCAA Tournament game at No. 10 Babson prior to the cancelation of winter sport championships made by the NCAA. Harris was named a Third Team All-American to become the first two-time All-American in program history. He was also crowned the Joe Concannon Award winner which is presented annually to the top American-born player in Div. II/III in New England.

The WOMEN’S HOCKEY team saw a group of seven seniors finish off their careers including Allegra Grant, Miranda Nestor, Caroline Seibold, Colleen Castro, Allie Damren, Alicia Nickolenko and Sam Smith. Grant is a two-sport star as she was named an All-American in both hockey and lacrosse in 2018-19, finishing her junior year on the ice with a .943 save percentage and 2.00 goals-against average to become the program’s first-ever All-American. Grant closes out her career with 2346 saves, a 2.12 goals-against average and a .939 save percentage in 73 games played. Also of note are seniors Castro, Nickolenko and Smith who were all three-time NESCAC All-Academic Team honorees. Seibold was distinguished for her leadership as she was named to the NESCAC All-Sportsmanship Team in 2019-20.

The future is bright for the MEN’S SWIMMING AND DIVING program as the Cardinals saw some standout performers on the year turned in by a strong freshmen class. That first-year contingent was spearheaded by Eric Tran who tallied 11 first place finishes in individual events in 2019-20. Tran picked up nine combined first place results in butterfly events, six in the 200 butterfly and three in the 100. Tran’s classmate Richard Ettinger had a productive rookie season, earning seven first place finishes in four different events while fellow freshman Mason Polaner had four victories in distance freestyle events on the season.

Caroline Murphy put up another banner year for the WOMEN’S SWIMMING AND DIVING program, winning her third straight NESCAC title in the 100 backstroke. The two-time All-American was set to compete in her fourth NCAA Division III Championships prior to the cancelation of winter sport championships made by the NCAA. Murphy completes her career as a 10-time All-NESCAC performer (individual and relay events) across her stellar four-year career. Other standouts on the season for Wesleyan in 2019-20 included sophomore Mengmeng Gibbs (15 first place finishes), senior Grace Middletown (six), freshman Zoe Paglia (five), sophomore Amanda McHugh (two) and sophomore Rachel Townsend (two) – each of which won at least two individual events on the season. Senior Hannah O’Halloran narrowly missed qualification for the NCAA Championships as she ranked 27th in the 200 backstroke (only 20 selected for nationals).

WOMEN’S SQUASH posted a 13-10 overall record this season and earned a draw in the Walker Cup (C Division) of the CSA Individual Championships. The Cardinals won their first round match against NESCAC rival Bowdoin, 7-2. The team was led by junior Aditi Prasad who earned her third all-conference award of her career as she was named to the Second Team. Prasad also competed in the CSA Individual National Championships and earned a draw in the Holleran North bracket where she went 2-2 overall en route to an appearance in the consolation finals.

The MEN’S SQUASH team capped off the 2019-20 season by winning the consolation finals of the Conroy Cup (D Division) in the College Squash Association (CSA) National Team Championships by going 2-1 overall in the tournament. Junior Sean Choi, the 2018 NESCAC Rookie of the Year, was named an All-NESCAC Second Team selection for his third all-conference honor of his career. He also represented Wesleyan at the CSA Individual Championships and earned a draw in the Molloy West Division.