2017 VASSAR COLLEGE

MEN'S SOCCER

2017 VASSAR SCHEDULE (3-2-0, 0-0-0 LIBERTY)

September
1 (Fri.) Western Connecticut State Gordon Field W, 4-0
3 (Sun.) Mount Saint Mary Gordon Field W, 3-1
6 (Wed.) Manhattanville College Purchase, NY L, 1-2 (OT)
9 (Sat.) Stevens Institute of Technology Hoboken, NJ L, 0-1
13 (Wed.) New Paltz New Paltz, NY W, 3-2
16 (Sat.) Oneonta Gordon Field 12:00 p.m.
19 (Tue.) Wesleyan Middletown, CT 4:30 p.m.
23 (Sat.) Rochester Institute of Technology * Rochester, NY 7:30 p.m.
27 (Wed.) Bard College * Gordon Field 4:00 p.m.
30 (Sat.) Union College * Schenectady, NY 2:00 p.m.

October
7 (Sat.) Skidmore College * Gordon Field 2:00 p.m.
13 (Fri.) Clarkson University * Gordon Field 4:00 p.m.
14 (Sat.) St. Lawrence University * Gordon Field 2:00 p.m.
21 (Sat.) Hobart College * Geneva, NY 3:00 p.m.
25 (Wed.) Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute * Troy, NY 7:30 p.m.
28 (Sat.) Ithaca College * Gordon Field 2:00 p.m.

* - Liberty League game

Live stats at http://www.sidearmstats.com/vassar/msoc/

BOLD denotes home game played at Gordon Field unless designated

All dates and times (ET) are subject to change

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AGAINST ONEONTA ALL-TIME

The Brewers are 0-3-2 against the Red Dragons all-time, dating back to their first meeting in 2012. Last season, the two sides squared off on September 17th, with Oneonta winning 4-2.

OTHER LIBERTY LEAGUE ACTION & RESULTS

September 9 - Union 1, WCSU 0; Ithaca 2, Elmira 0; Sage 1, Clarkson 0; St. Lawrence 4, Rhode Island 0; Bard 5, Green Mountain 0; Rochester 1, Hobart 1; Oneonta 2, RPI 1; Skidmore 2, Geneseo 2
September 10 - Ithaca 0, Brockport 0
September 13 - RIT 3, Elmira 0; Hamilton 3, Ithaca 2; Williams 1, RPI 0
September 14 - Hobart @ Potsdam (7pm)
September 15 - St. Lawrence @ Oswego (4pm); Skidmore @ Union (7pm)
September 16 - Rochester @ RIT (12pm); Geneseo @ Hobart (2pm); SUNY Poly @ Bard (2pm); Potsdam @ RPI (4pm); St. Lawrence @ Cortland (6pm); Clarkson @ Plattsburgh (7pm)

A REMINDER...
The NCAA, the Liberty League and Vassar College promote good sportsmanship by student-athletes, coaches and spectators. We request your cooperation by supporting the participants and officials in a positive manner. Profanity, racial or sexist comments or other intimidating actions directed at officials, student-athletes, coaches or team representatives - as well as public intoxication, the consumption or possession of alcoholic beverages and tobacco products are grounds for removal from the site of competition and other disciplinary actions. Thank you!

A LOOK AT THE BREWERS

Sophomore defender Henrik Olsson’s goal in the 77th minute stopped the Vassar men’s soccer team’s losing streak at two games. The Brewers picked up a 3-2 win at New Paltz on Wednesday evening. The Hawks got out to an early lead, but it was Vassar who finished with three unanswered goals to grab their first road victory of the season. New Paltz controlled the pace of play in the first 45 minutes, only allowing four Brewer shots while capitalizing on two of their own six shots.

Vassar trailed by two at the half, but came out determined and firing on all cylinders in the second half. The Brewers managed 12 shots in the final 45 minutes while only allowing three for New Paltz.

Matti Mrlik got Vassar on the board in the 54th minute when Jose Novas set in a cross to Mrlik at the 18-yard line and finished with a goal to the near side. Five minutes later, Kevin Balbi found Mrlik in a similar spot and this time he shot over the goalie for the game-tying goal.

The game remained tied for about 20 minutes more before Olsson was the hero of the day. Tyler Gilmore aimed a header at the goal that was blocked by the New Paltz defense, but collected the rebound and knocked in the go-ahead goal.

A LOOK AT THE RED DRAGONS

Oneonta is sitting at 4-0 in the early part of their season with wins over Manhattanville, Stevens, St. Lawrence, and RPI. As a team, they have scored 11 goals while only conceding one.

Sophomore Whitman Hernandez and freshman Roberto Ventura lead the squad with three goals apiece. In the assist category, junior Carlos Martinez has three to lead his team in that category.

The Red Dragons have score multiple goals in every outing this and have shutout their opponents three times in four games. In the thier latest contest against RPI, they secured their fourth consecutive Mayor’s Cup title with a 2-1 win over RPI. Oneonta got down early after the opposition tallied a score in the 16th minute. In the second half, the team gained control and tied the game with a goal by Hernandez in the 51st minute. Then later in the game at the 82:37 mark, Ventura knocked in the game winner when he dribbled down the right side and fired off a shot to beat the keeper.

2017 LIBERTY LEAGUE STANDINGS

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BREWER BIO ON...

MATT MARCELINO

Matt Marcelino has two starts under his belt this season, picking up 172 minutes of action. The senior has recorded five saves against 14 total shots with a 0.625 save percentage.

Last season, he played in 15 games, notching 48 saves while posting a 0.750 save percentage and a 1.07 goals against average. He also recorded 15 shutouts against Mount Saint Mary, New Paltz, and RIT.

He ranks sixth on the all-time wins list at Vassar with 12, eighth all-time with a 1.09 goals against average, and ninth all-time with 66 saves through three plus seasons as a Brewer.

Prior to Vassar, he was a four-year starter and letter-winner at Notre Dame (Sherman Oaks) High School in Valencia, California. Marcelino also served one season as a team captain. He earned First Team All-Mission League honors as a sophomore and junior, and was named Mission League MVP Goalkeeper as a junior.