



## Great Northwest Athletic Conference

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### 2012-13 Men's Basketball Report Week 5 (Dec. 11, 2012)

	Conference			All			
	W	L	W	L	H	A	N
Seattle Pacific	2	0	8	1	3-0	4-0	1-1
Western Oregon	2	0	6	3	4-2	1-1	1-0
Western Washington	1	0	7	0	4-0	3-0	0-0
Alaska Anchorage	1	1	7	2	7-2	0-0	0-0
Central Washington	1	1	5	2	1-0	2-1	2-1
Northwest Nazarene	1	1	6	3	3-0	2-3	1-0
Alaska Fairbanks	1	1	5	4	4-1	0-0	1-3
Simon Fraser	0	1	5	2	4-1	1-0	0-1
Montana State Billings	0	2	5	4	2-1	1-3	2-0
Saint Martin's	0	2	4	4	1-2	1-0	2-2

**LAST WEEK: Tuesday** – College of Idaho 66 at Northwest Nazarene 76. **Friday** – South Dakota Mines 73 at MSU Billings 87; New Hope Christian 53 at Northwest Nazarene 73; Saint Martin's 75 at Willamette 61. **Saturday** – Alumni 93 at MSU Billings 102; Evergreen State 45 at Seattle Pacific 80; Western Oregon 57 at Utah State 86; Quest 52 at Western Washington 117.

**THIS WEEK: Tuesday** – Evergreen State at Central Washington. **Wednesday** – Shorter at Western Oregon. **Friday** – MSU Billings at Grand Canyon, 7:30 p.m. **Saturday** – Northwest Indian at Alaska Anchorage. **Sunday** – Northwest Indian at Alaska Anchorage (exh).

**NEXT WEEK: Monday** – Multnomah at Alaska Fairbanks, 7:30 p.m.; Rocky Mountain at MSU Billings, 7:30 p.m.; Warner Pacific at Seattle Pacific; Simon Fraser at Dominican. **Tuesday** – Multnomah at Alaska Fairbanks, 7:30 p.m.; Great Western Shootout (Western Washington vs. Drury, 5 p.m.; Central Washington vs. Central Oklahoma, 7 p.m.; Saint Mary's vs. West Florida, 9 p.m.); Lynn Classic (Lynn vs. Saint Martin's, 7:30 p.m.). **Wednesday** – Great Western Shootout (Western Washington vs. Central Oklahoma, 5 p.m.; Saint Mary's vs. Drury, 7 p.m.; Central Washington vs. West Florida, 9 p.m.); Montana Western at MSU Billings, 7:30 p.m.; Lynn Classic (Barry vs. Saint Martin's, 5:30 p.m.); Simon Fraser at Academy of Art.

**POST-CHRISTMAS: Saturday, Dec. 29** – Carroll at Montana State Billings; Montana Tech at Northwest Nazarene. **Sunday, Dec. 30** – Thompson River at Western Washington, 3 p.m.

**ALL-TOURNAMENT: SPU (Nov. 9-10)** – David Downs, SPU; (MVP) Jobi Wall, SPU; Mark McLaughlin, CWU. **UAA (Nov. 9-10)** – Teancum Stafford, UAA (MVP); Kyle Fossman, UAA; Liam Gibcus, UAA; Stefan Tica, UAF. **BYU Hawaii (Nov. 16-17)** – David Downs, SPU; Mark McLaughlin, CWU; Patrick Simon, SPU. **UAF (Nov. 16-17)** – Pat Voeut, UAF (MVP); Stefan Tica, UAF; Sergej Pucar, UAF. **Great Alaska Shootout (Nov. 21-24)** – Kyle Fossman, UAA; Teancum Stafford, UAA. **Chico State (Nov. 23-24)** – David Downs, SPU; Jobi Wall, SPU. **Corban Capital City (Nov. 23-24)** – Andy Avgj, WOU (MVP); Jordan Wiley, WOU. **WWU Chuck Randall Classic (Nov. 23-24)** – John Allen, WWU (Co-MVP); Richard Woodworth, WWU (Co-MVP).

**POLLS: NABC (Dec. 11)** – 6. Western Washington, 9. Seattle Pacific, 25. Alaska Anchorage.

**NATIONAL STATISTICS (Through Dec. 9): Team (Top 30):** Scoring – 3. Central Washington 95.0; 4. Western Washington 93.6. Scoring Defense

– 7. Seattle Pacific 57.3. Scoring Margin – 4. Western Washington 25.4; 18. Seattle Pacific 17.3. Field Goal PCT. – 3. Western Washington 54.0; 22. Seattle Pacific 49.6; 27. Simon Fraser 49.4. Three-Point Field Goals – 18. Seattle Pacific 9.3; 29. Alaska Anchorage 8.9. Three-Point Percentage – 5. Seattle Pacific 44.2; 6. Western Washington 44.0; 29. Saint Martin's 41.0. Three-Point Field Goal Defense – 15. Western Oregon 27.1. Free Throw PCT. – 20. Western Washington 76.0; 21. Central Washington 75.9. Rebound Margin – 2. Western Washington 14.7; 9. Seattle Pacific 11.8. Assists – 11. Seattle Pacific 19.2; 16. Alaska Anchorage 18.9; 25. Western Washington 17.9; 29. Alaska Fairbanks 17.4. Assist Turnover Ratio – 8. Seattle Pacific 1.49; 21. Alaska Anchorage 1.32; 26. Western Washington 1.29. Blocked Shots – 26. Alaska Anchorage 4.6. Fewest Turnovers – 28. Saint Martin's 12.3. Turnover Margin – 12. MSU Billings 6.4. Fewest Fouls – 30. Saint Martin's 15.8. **Individuals (Top 30):** Scoring – 4. Mark McLaughlin, CWU, 25.6; 24. Andy Avgj, WOU, 21.0; 30. David Gebru, SFU, 20.8. Field Goal PCT. – 17. Paul Jones, WWU, 64.1; 24. Andy Avgj, WOU, 62.5. Three-Point Field Goals – 20. Elijah Matthews, SFU, 3.20; 30. Jordan Wiley, WOU, 3.00. Three-Point PCT. – 9. Elijah Matthews, SFU, 53.3; 12. Kyle Fossman, UAA, 52.2. Free Throw PCT. – 2. Jonathan Hawkins, NNU, 97.0; 18. Dominique Brinson, UAF, 92.6. Blocked Shots – 26. David Gebru, SFU, 2.00. Steals – 19. Matt Raivio, SFU, 3.00; 22. Devon Alexander, WOU, 2.89. Assist/Turnover Ratio – 10. Brady Bomber, SMU, 3.90; 15. Riley Stockton, SPU, 3.67; 18. Kalob Hatcher, MSUB, 3.58.

**GNAC RED LION PLAYER OF THE WEEK:** Kenny Jones, Northwest Nazarene (G, 6-2, Sr., Los Angeles, CA) scored 43 points in wins over College of Idaho and New Hope Christian. Jones had 27 against the Coyotes, making nine of 16 shots as NNU extended its win streak over its county rivals to seven. He then netted 16 points and had four steals in a 20-point win over New Hope Christian. **Honorable Mention** – John Allen, Western Washington; Jarrell Crayton, MSU Billings.

**FROM THE RECORD BOOK:** Alaska Anchorage guard Kyle Fossman ranks second in GNAC history in career three-point percentage (47.9) and Western Washington's John Allen ranks second in career free throw percentage (.896). Allen and Seattle Pacific center Andy Poling became the 51<sup>st</sup> and 52<sup>nd</sup> players to score 1,000 career points in wins Saturday against Quest and Evergreen State, respectively. Allen currently ranks 51<sup>st</sup> with 1,021 points, while Poling ranks 52<sup>nd</sup> on the GNAC career list with 1,010 points. WWU's win was the Vikings' 13<sup>th</sup> in a row, matching the fifth longest winning streak in conference history.

## GNAC CAREER LEADERS (Through Dec. 9)

\*Career Active Leader

### Scoring

1. Austin Nichols, Humboldt State (2001-04)	2501
51. *John Allen, Western Washington (2010-13)	1021
52. Andy Poling, Seattle Pacific (2010-13)	1010
65. Roger O'Neill, Saint Martin's (2009-13)	896

### Three-Pointers

1. Jake Linton, Saint Martin's (2006-09)	292
27. *John Allen, Western Washington (2010-13)	144
37. David Downs, Seattle Pacific (2010-13)	124

### Rebounds

1. Fred Hooks, Humboldt State (2001-04)	1268
34. *Andy Poling, Seattle Pacific (2010-13)	477

### Assists

1. Luke Cooper, Alaska Anchorage (2005-08)	880
14. *Brady Bomber, Saint Martin's (2009-13)	354
27. David Downs, Seattle Pacific (2010-13)	291

### Steals

1. Blair Wheadon, Western Oregon (2009-12)	216
24. *John Allen, Western Washington (2010-13)	123
42. Brady Bomber, Saint Martin's (2009-13)	100

### Blocks

1. Brannon Stone, Seattle Pacific (1999-02)	269
24. *Andy Poling, Seattle Pacific (2010-13)	71

Career stats are updated every Friday and Sunday at:

<http://www.gnacsports.com/media/Stats/mbasketball/carconf/carconf.htm>  
(All Games)

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(Conference Games)

### All-Time Double Digit Win Streaks

18	Alaska Anchorage (12-7-07 to 2-14-08)
15	Seattle Pacific (11-17-01 to 1-19-02)
15	Western Washington (11-25-05 to 1-25-06)
14	Humboldt State (11-16-01 to 1-12-02)
13	<b>Western Washington (3-9-12 to Current)</b>
13	Humboldt State (11-23-02 to 1-16-03)
12	Alaska Fairbanks (1-31-04 to 3-13-04)
12	Western Washington (11-1-09 to 1-2-10)
12	Alaska Anchorage (11-26-10 to 1-13-11)
11	Saint Martin's (11-15-08 to 12-18-08)
11	Central Washington (1-1-11 to 2-12-11)
10	Central Washington (2-2-08 to 3-8-08)
10	Western Washington (1-31-02 to 11-22-02)
10	Humboldt State (1-19-02 to 2-23-02)
10	Western Washington (1-12-12 to 2-16-12)
10	Alaska Anchorage (11-26-11 to 1-5-12)

### Multiple Overtime Games

#### Four Overtimes

Feb. 20, 2003 – \*Seattle Pacific 113, Humboldt State 108  
Dec. 15, 2006 – +CSU Monterey Bay 126, Western Oregon 122

#### Three Overtimes

Nov. 19, 2004 – \*Alaska Anchorage 92, Caldwell 87  
Jan. 7, 2010 - \*Saint Martin's 94, Western Washington 86  
Dec. 1, 2012 - \*Western Oregon 118, Central Washington 113

\*Home team +Neutral Site (Chico)

## TEAM NOTES

**Alaska Anchorage:** The Seawolves finish off the 2012 portion of their schedule with a pair of games Saturday and Sunday with Northwest Indian College. Sunday's game is being played as an exhibition.

**Alaska Fairbanks:** Multnomah visits The Patty Center for a pair of games next Monday and Tuesday as the Nanooks conclude their 2012 schedule.

**Central Washington:** The Wildcats host Evergreen State Tuesday, then head to Las Vegas next week to compete in the Great Western Shootout against Central Oklahoma and West Florida.

**Montana State Billings:** Jarrell Crayton led the Yellowjackets with 19 points, nine rebounds and three steals in a 87-73 win over South Dakota Mines. Crayton had six of MSUB's 11 offensive rebounds.

**Northwest Nazarene:** Kenny Jones made 13 of 25 field goal attempts and 14 of 15 free throws in wins over College of Idaho and New Hope Christian. He also had seven rebounds, six assists and five steals. Jonathan Hawkins made 10 of 10 foul shots. He's made 32 of 33 on the season (including his last 13) and ranks second nationally with a 97.0 percentage.

**Saint Martin's:** Roger O'Neill scored 18 points and Lucas Shannon came off the bench to score 16 points, converting on seven of eight shots in a 75-61 win at Willamette.

**Seattle Pacific:** David Downs scored 14 points to lead four players in double figures as the Falcons beat Evergreen State 80-45. SPU had 24 assists on its 28 baskets. They also outrebounded TESC 42-26 and had eight fewer turnovers (17-9).

**Simon Fraser:** The Clan travels to California next week for games Monday and Wednesday at Dominican and at the Academy of the Art to close out the 2012 portion of their schedule.

**Western Oregon:** The Wolves finish off their 2012 schedule Wednesday hosting Shorter before taking a 24-day break. Last week, WOU had its six-game win streak snapped by Utah State 86-57. Andy Avgi led the Wolves in that contest with 15 points.

**Western Washington:** John Allen, who is the GNAC active career scoring leader in points, three-pointers made and steals, scored 24 points in a 117-52 thrashing of Quest. Paul Jones had a double-double in the contest, scoring 15 points and grabbing 14 rebounds.

## PREVIOUS RED LION PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

**Week of Nov. 5-11:** David Downs, Seattle Pacific (G, 6-2, Jr., Kirkland, WA – Bellevue Christian) was named the Most Valuable Player leading the Falcons to the team title in Sodexo Tip Off Classic at Brougham Pavilion. Downs scored 31 points and also had a team-high nine assists as SPU debuted with 20- and 19-point victories. Downs made eight of 14 shots, including four of eight treys. He also led SPU with three steals and had just two turnovers.

**Week of Nov. 12-18:** Pat Voeut, Alaska Fairbanks (G, 5-11, Jr., Bellingham, WA – Whatcom CC) scored 46 points and also had 19 assists, nine rebounds and five steals leading the Nanooks to the team title in the GCI Alaska Invitational at Fairbanks. Voeut, who was named the tournament's Most Valuable Player, made 17 of 26 shots, including three of six three-pointers.

**Week of Nov. 19-25:** Andy Avgi, Western Oregon (F, 6-5, Fr., Woodburn, OR) scored 52 points and also had 15 rebounds in earning MVP honors in the Capital City Classic. Avgi, who leads the GNAC in field goal percentage shooting 71.0 percent (44 of 62), made 20 of 25 shots (including 10 of 11 against Corban), including his only three-pointer. He also blocked two shots and had three steals.

**Week of Nov. 26-Dec. 2:** Devon Alexander, Western Oregon (G, 6-1, Fr., Fontana, CA) came off the bench to score 48 points, including 28 in a 118-113 triple overtime win over Central Washington Saturday as the Wolves extended their win streak to six games with a pair of home victories. Alexander scored nine of WOU's 13 points in the decisive third overtime period. He also had 13 steals, including a GNAC-record tying eight (for conference contests) in a 92-84 win against Northwest Nazarene Thursday. In the two contests, Alexander made 16 of 29 shots, including four of six three-pointers. He also converted on 12 of 13 foul shots, grabbed eight rebounds and had four assists.

**GNAC TEAMS OF THE WEEK:** Aug. 27-Sept. 2 – Montana State Billings (Women's Soccer). Sept. 3-9 – Western Washington (Volleyball). Sept. 10-16 – Northwest Nazarene (Men's Soccer). Sept. 17-23 – Central Washington (Volleyball). Sept. 24-30 – Central Washington (Football). Oct. 1-7 – Western Oregon (Women's Soccer). Oct. 8-14 – Simon Fraser (Men's Soccer). Oct. 15-21 – Alaska Anchorage (Men's & Women's Cross Country). Oct. 22-28 – Western Oregon (Volleyball). Oct. 29-Nov. 4 – Western Washington (Women's Soccer). Nov. 5-11 – Simon Fraser (Women's Basketball). Nov. 12-18 – Alaska Fairbanks (Men's Basketball). Nov. 19-25 – Alaska Anchorage (Men's Basketball). Nov. 26-Dec. 2 – Seattle Pacific (Men's Basketball). Dec. 3-9 – Northwest Nazarene (Men's Basketball).