Kaclik reaches milestone

Grove City senior tailback Shane Kaclik (Mars, Pa./Mars) was selected to the First Team All-Presidents’ Athletic Conference. Kaclik led the conference in rushing yards (1,098) and yards from scrimmage (1,218) in 2012. The senior tailback scored a league-best 15 rushing touchdowns and finished second overall in the conference with 90 points.

He became the third Grove City back to run for 1,000 yards in a season, joining Doug Steiner (1996-97) and R.J. Bowers (1997-2000). His 1,098 yards rank sixth on Grove City’s all-time single-season rushing list.

Kaclik was voted Team MVP, as well as Offensive MVP, by his teammates. Pictured above is Kaclik with members of the offensive line after reaching 1,000 yards rushing vs. St. Vincent College on November 3.

Three Wolverines compete in Tazon de Estrellas (Bowl of the Stars) in Guadalajara

Three Grove City College football players competed for Team Stars and Stripes, a Division III all-star team, in the fourth annual Tazon de Estrellas (Bowl of the Stars) Saturday, December 15, at 1 p.m. at La Fortaleza Azul (The Blue Fortress) in Guadalajara, Mexico.

Senior guard Josh Bermann, senior inside linebacker Jason Ferguson and senior tailback Shane Kaclik helped Team Stars and Stripes to a 32-15 victory against a team of Mexican college all-stars from CONADIEP, the national conference of private schools in Mexico.

Bermann earned First Team All-Presidents’ Athletic see BOWL on page 2
Bermann earns All-Region

Senior offensive guard Josh Bermann (Youngstown, Ohio/Ursuline) earned Third Team All-South Region from D3Football.com, as well as First Team Offensive Line honors in the Presidents’ Athletic Conference.

The four-time letter winner helped anchor Grove City’s offensive line this year by starting all 10 games at right guard. Bermann and the offensive line paved the way for senior tailback Shane Kaclik to lead the PAC in rushing, while also helping the Wolverines’ offensive attack lead the conference in average time of possession and red zone scoring.

BOWL (continued)

Wolverines named to All-Conference Team

Offensive guard Josh Bermann and running back Shane Kaclik were named to the First Team All Presidents’ Athletic Conference. Linebacker Jason Ferguson and defensive back Shawn Mercer were named to the Second Team All Presidents’ Athletic Conference. Offensive tackle Andrew Pisorn, quarterback Brian Pell, wide receiver Anthony Ritchie, defensive linemen George Matthews IV and Marc Shamley and defensive back Joe Diani received PAC honorable mention. Joe Diani was also named to the honorable mention team as a punter, while Kurt Devlin was named as a placekicker.
Four earn CoSIDA Academic All-District; Gibbs All-American

Junior free safety Joe Diani (West Leechburg, Pa./Leechburg), junior cornerback Chris Gibbs (Akron, Ohio/Revere), sophomore wingback Sam Ivan (Whitehouse, Ohio/Toledo Christian) and junior wide receiver Anthony Ritchie (Big Rock, Ill./Wheaton Academy) all earned Capital One/CoSIDA Academic All-District recognition and advanced to the nationwide CoSIDA Academic All-America ballot. Gibbs was selected to the Academic All-America Second Team.

**Chris Gibbs** was a three-year starter in Grove City’s defensive backfield starting all 10 games. He was second on the team with 68 tackles, and six pass breakups. Gibbs maintains a 3.92 GPA as a molecular biology/pre-med major. In addition to being named to the Dean’s List with Distinction and to the conference’s Academic Honor Roll, he is also a Presidential Scholarship recipient.

A three-year letterman and two-year starter at safety, **Joe Diani** led the team with five interceptions while also compiling 41 tackles in 2012. He also served as the Wolverines’ punter. Diani owns a 3.69 GPA in mathematics, is a Dean’s List student, has been named to the PAC’s Academic Honor Roll, is a Presidential Scholarship recipient and has been inducted into the Kappa Mu Epsilon math honorary.

Lettering after his first two seasons, **Sam Ivan** served as a starting wingback in the Wolverine backfield. He boasts a 3.71 GPA as a molecular biology/pre-med major, a Dean’s List honoree and has also earned a spot on the PAC Academic Honor Roll. Ivan is a Presidential Scholarship and Trustee Scholarship recipient.

**Anthony Ritchie**, the three-year letter winner, led Grove City with 43 receptions for 488 yards, caught eight touchdowns and returned punts for the Wolverines. Ritchie holds a 3.49 GPA in mechanical engineering, is a Dean’s List student and has been named to the PAC’s Academic Honor Roll.
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2013 Schedule

Sept. 7, Carnegie Mellon (Home)
Sept. 14, Anderson, Ind. (Away)
Sept. 21, Washington & Jefferson (Home)
Sept. 28, Bethany (Away)
Oct. 5, Westminster, *Homecoming*
Oct. 12, Waynesburg (Home)
Oct. 26, Thomas More (Away)
Nov. 2, Geneva (Away)
Nov. 9, Saint Vincent (Home)
Nov. 16, Thiel, *Mercer County Cup*