

# AMERICAN MIDEAST CONFERENCE

## 2011 Volleyball Tournament

Nov. 8, 2011 • hosted by Point Park  
Student Center Gym • Pittsburgh, Pa.



## Tournament Schedule

### Semifinals



#1 Point Park vs.  
#4 Carlow, 12 p.m.



#2 Daemen vs.  
#3 Roberts Wesleyan  
2 p.m.



Finals — TBA, 6 p.m.

# #1 Point Park University Pioneers (33-5, 9-1 AMC)

**ON POINT PARK:** The Pioneers earned the AMC top seed with a 33-5 overall record and 9-1 in the AMC. They were a perfect 6-0 versus the postseason field, and their only conference loss was to regular season co-champ Walsh (9-1 AMC), which is not eligible for the playoffs.

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown/High School/Previous School
2	Rachel Stedina	MH	6-1	Sr.	South Beaver, Pa./Blackhawk
3	Nicole Wurstle	MH	6-1	So.	Valley City, Ohio/Buckeye (Medina Co.)
4	Brittany Lhota	MH/RS	6-2	So.	Latrobe, Pa./Latrobe/Pitt
5	Cassandra Maxwell	DS	5-8	Sr.	Burgettstown, Pa./Burgettstown
6	Amanda Wenger	OH	5-9	Jr.	Warren, Pa./Warren
8	Taylor Roddy	DS/S	5-5	So.	Greensburg, Pa./Greensburg Salem
9	Keaton Sausman	OH	5-11	Fr.	Canton, Ohio/GlenOak
10	Margaret Gillooly	DS	5-5	Jr.	Cranberry Twp., Pa./Seneca Valley
11	Alyssa Hall	DS/S	5-5	Jr.	Moon Twp., Pa./Moon Area
15	Taylor Pugliese	S	5-7	Jr.	Ashtabula, Ohio/Lakeside/Notre Dame (OH)
16	Lindsey Oberacker	OH	5-11	Jr.	Erie, Pa./McDowell
17	Amanda Ardinger	DS	5-5	Jr.	Moon Twp., Pa./Moon Area
18	Ashley Campbell	RS	5-11	Jr.	Chicora, Pa./Karns City/Butler Co. CC
19	Amanda Pato	S/OH	5-9	Fr.	Star Junction, Pa./Frazier
20	Liz Nester	OH	5-8	Fr.	Mansfield, Ohio/Mansfield Christian
22	Sarah Mathias	RS	5-11	So.	Glenshaw, Pa./Shaler/West Liberty
23	Amarys Dixon	DS	5-6	Fr.	Monaca, Pa./Central Valley
26	Brigitte Jones	OH	5-11	Fr.	Elyria, Ohio/Elyria/Notre Dame (OH)
32	Chelsea Katkich	OH	6-0	So.	Imperial, Pa./West Allegheny

**Head coach:** Mike Bruno (Robert Morris '90), seventh season

**Assistant coach:** Neal Brown (Penn State '03), fifth season



# #2 Daemen College Wildcats (25-14, 6-4 AMC)

**ON DAEMEN:** Daemen enters the AMC Tournament as a 25-win team and the #2 seed. The Wildcats had their four conference losses include two each to Point Park and Walsh, but they were unbeaten versus everyone else. Daemen is located in Amherst, N.Y., near Buffalo.

No.	Name	Yr.	Pos.	Ht.	Hometown/High School
1	Kaley Vazquez	So.	S	5-5	Kenmore, NY/Kenmore West HS
2	Natalie Meyer	Fr.	MB/RS	5-9	Orchard Park, NY/Orchard Park HS
3	Jacki Szeluga	Jr.	DS	5-5	Pendleton, NY/Starpoint HS
4	Chelsea Turcer	Fr.	S	5-7	Alexander, NY/Alexander Central HS
5	Kaitlin Watchey	So.	MB	5-11	Jamestown, NY/Jamestown HS
6	Lindsey Nowak	Fr.	OH/RS	5-10	West Seneca, NY/Immaculata Acad.
7	Ye Wang	Fr.	MB	6-1	Beijing, China/Hachioji Jissen HS
8	Brittany Anthon	So.	OH	5-9	Lancaster, NY/Lancaster HS
9	Samantha Snyder	Fr.	MB/RS	5-11	Adams, NY/South Jefferson HS
10	Kimmie Mack	Sr.	S	5-10	Livonia, NY/Livonia HS
11	Joanna Fretthold	Jr.	OH/MB	5-9	N.Tonawanda, NY/N.Tonawanda HS
12	Rachel Ottaway	So.	MB/RS	6-1	Sherman, NY/Sherman Central HS
13	Katie Auge	Jr.	L	5-9	Salamanca, NY/Salamanca HS
14	Rachael Bowler	Sr.	OH/RS	5-9	Tonawanda, NY/Kenmore West HS
15	Jenn Karan	So.	OH/RS	5-11	Orchard Park, NY/Orchard Park HS
17	Ashley Scrinzi	Jr.	DS	5-7	Gasport, NY/Royalton-Hartland HS

**Head coach:** Mark Parisi, 7<sup>th</sup> season

**Assistant coaches:** Robin Shifflet, Matt Parisi



## #3 Roberts Wesleyan College Raiders (19-12, 4-6 AMC)

**ON ROBERTS:** The Raiders have a strong overall record of 19-12 entering today and they took the AMC's #3 seed with a 4-6 league mark. Roberts boasts a 10-4 record on neutral courts and did not beat any teams ahead of them in the AMC standings. Roberts is in Rochester, N.Y.

No.	Name	Pos.	Yr.	Ht.	Hometown/High School
1	Judy Shultz	RS	Fr.	5-9	Hilton, NY
2	Katie Maher	L	Sr.	5-9	Baldwinsville, NY
3	Lisa Bierdeman	S/RS	Jr.	5-7	Albion, NY
4	Elisabeth Rosinke	DS/L	Jr.	5-7	League City, TX
5	Courtney Wyckoff	S/DS	Fr.	5-6	South Seneca, NY
6	Kendall Havener	MB	Fr.	6-2	Alpine, CA
7	Alexa Antoni	OH	Jr.	5-9	Rancho Cucamonga, CA
8	Gisela Ocasio	OH	Jr.	5-7	San Juan, Puerto Rico
9	Becca Maher	DS/L	Fr.	5-11	Baldwinsville, NY
11	Jordan Wilson	MB	Fr.	5-11	Vista, CA
12	Katie Eschner	MB/RS	So.	5-11	Eden, NY
13	Leigh Roberts	OH	Fr.	5-6	Wilmington, NC
17	Meghan Murray	MB	Fr.	5-10	Arlington, TX
22	Corey Phillips	OH	Jr.	5-8	Reno, NV

**Head coaches:** Jon & Kirsten Meyers

**Assistant coach:** Eric Bellinger



## #4 Carlow University Celtics (9-18, 1-9 AMC)

**ON CARLOW:** The Celtics got into the AMC Tournament with Friday's 3-1 win over Houghton that put them at 1-9 in the league. Carlow got the tiebreaker edge over Houghton, which was also 1-9 in the AMC. Carlow, located in Pittsburgh, draws Point Park for the fourth time this year.

No.	Name	Cl.	Pos.	Ht.	Hometown/High School or Prev. School
1	Abigail Bayer	Sr.	OH	5-6	Hermitage, Pa./PSU-Shenango
3	Karly Murray	Fr.	OH	5-6	Derry, Pa./Derry
5	Alysia Martini	Sr.	OH	5-7	Fairview, Pa./Fairview
6	Chelsea Scheutz	Jr.	OH	5-8	Bethel Park, Pa./Bethel Park
7	Caitlin McCormick	Jr.	S	5-2	Connellsville, Pa./Connellsville
9	Danielle Chamberlain	Jr.	MH	6-0	New Castle, Pa./Laurel
10	Erica Powell	Jr.	DS	5-2	Aliquippa, Pa./Aliquippa
12	Leah Stack	So.	OH	5-11	Glenshaw, Pa./Shaler
13	Gina Chesterfield	Sr.	MH	6-0	Greensburg, Pa./Greensburg Central Catholic
14	Amanda McKenzie	So.	DS	5-6	Pittsburgh, Pa./Shaler
16	Brianna DeVivo	Sr.	OH	5-8	Kittanning, Pa./West Shamokin
17	Amanda Knobloch	Fr.	S	5-6	Pittsburgh, Pa./North Allegheny

**Head coach:** Julie Gaul

**Assistant coaches:** Abby Tevis, Steve Talpas



## 2011 AMC Volleyball Final Standings (All Matches)

School	AMC	Overall
Point Park #	9-1	33-5
Walsh* #	9-1	24-6
Daemen	6-4	25-14
Roberts Wesleyan	4-6	19-12
Carlow	1-9	9-18
Houghton	1-9	6-26



\* Not eligible for AMC postseason # Regular season co-champions

### POSTSEASON SCHEDULE

Nov. 8 — AMC Tournament at Point Park

Nov. 12 — Unaffiliated Group Championship Match at AMC champion (TBA)

Nov. 19 — NAIA Opening Round at Campus Sites (24 teams, 12 teams get a bye)\*\*

Nov. 29-Dec. 3 — NAIA National Championship Final Site, Sioux City, Iowa (24 teams)

\*\*NAIA will announce Opening Rounds sites and Qualifiers Nov. 13

## 32nd Annual NAIA Volleyball National Championship Info

Dates: Nov. 29 to Dec. 3, 2011

Location: Sioux City, Iowa

(Tyson Events Center/Gateway Arena)

24 teams, Pool Play and Bracket Round

Tickets: Adults \$10, Students \$5

Tournament Pass \$35

Coverage: Live Stats and Live Video available on the NAIA national site. Live Video is pay-per view, Live Stats are free

