

BLOOMSBURG STATE COLLEGE

SPRING SPORTS

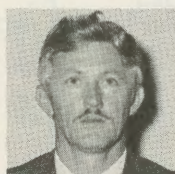
1970



BASEBALL COACH
CLARK BOLER



TRACK COACH
RONALD PUHL



GOLF COACH
JACK JONES



TENNIS COACH
BURTON REESE

General Information

Location	Bloomsburg, Pennsylvania
President	Dr. Robert J. Nossen
Athletic Director	Russell E. Houk
Director of Public Relations	Boyd F. Buckingham
Sports Information Director	Bruce "Nick" Dietterick
Member	NCAA, NAIA, Pa. Conference
Nickname	Huskies
Colors	Maroon and Gold
Enrollment	3,650
Year founded	1839
Conducted by	Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

Outlook

Nine returning lettermen should bolster the Huskies' chances of recording another winning season. Approximately 42 players have been vying for team positions.

Veteran pitchers, Dave Moharter and Bill Houser, along with two transfer hurlers, Bob Warner and Chris Penny, form the nucleus of the mound staff. Other prospects include John Lepley, up from last year's freshmen team, sophomores Phil Jordan and Greg Stahora, and freshmen (who are now eligible for varsity) Jeff Morser and Rick Twardzik.

Experienced catchers Bill Derr and Don Deitterick are expected to carry the load behind the plate. Freshmen candidates are Gary Ritter, Charles Howley, Tony Peluso, Tom Stover, Jeff White, and Floyd Hitchcock.

Dennis Weir returns again at third base and could be relieved from time to time by Sam Cass, Dave Zito, Bob Herring or Wayne Creasy. Joe Accardi, who hit .300 last year is back at short stop with sophomore candidates, Mark Vivian and Ron Woodring. The third base position is up for grabs among Joe Semion, Bob Parry, and Tom Sullivan.

Letterman Tom Fleeger, along with Dennis Sharkazy, Mike Costanzo, and Ed Darrah are working at first base. Outfielders include Rich Gatchell, last year's batting leader at .400; Dave Smith, who followed with .310; sophomores—Fred McCann, John Choyka, Bill Williams, and Mike Adams; Freshmen—Steve Rudy, Jim Roberts, Dave Pool, and Dave Thomas.

If the Huskies can make their hitting more timely and improve in pitching, the prospects of a good season and going into the NAIA District 19 playoffs are bright.

BASEBALL

Coach Clark Boler

Roderick "Clark" Boler joined the Health and Physical Education Department at Bloomsburg State College in September, 1968 replacing Eli McLaughlin as head baseball coach.

A native of Alabama, Boler received both his Bachelor of Science and his Master of Arts degrees from the University of Alabama where he was also a member of its 1961 National Championship Football team.

For three years prior to coming to Bloomsburg, he served as head baseball coach, assistant football coach, and assistant basketball coach at Gadsden High School in Alabama. While at Gadsden his baseball team posted a total of 26 wins against 16 losses. In 1968, his team won the Etowah County championships and the Northeast Alabama conference title. In addition to playing football at the University of Alabama, he was a member of the varsity baseball team. Following his graduation, he played on successful semi-pro baseball and basketball teams.

Last year Boler's B.S.C. baseball team posted a 6-3-1 record.

Bloomsburg State College Varsity Baseball Roster

Name	Age	Class	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Bats	Throws	Hometown
*Accardi, Joseph	20	Jr.	2B-SS	5'8	160	R	R	Bristol
Adams, Michael	20	So.	1B-OF	5'10	180	L	L	Harford
Cass, Samuel	19	So.	2B-3B	5'10	155	R	R	Towanda
Choyka, John	19	So.	LF	5'10	165	R	R	Clarks-Summit
Costanzo, Michael	18	Fr.	1B-CF	5'9	160	L	L	Dunmore
Creasy, Wayne	19	So.	3B-RF	6'	180	L	R	Bloomsburg
Darrah, Edward	18	Fr.	1B-2B-OF	6'	160	R	R	Abington
*Deitterick, Donald	21	Sr.	C-RF	5'8	155	R	R	Berwick
*Derr, William	21	Sr.	1B-C	6'	215	R	R	Mechanicsburg
*Fleeger, Thomas	20	Jr.	1B-OF	5'10	160	L	L	Turbotville
*Gatchell, Richard	20	Jr.	LF-RF	6'1	190	L	R	Linwood
Herring, Robert	18	Fr.	LF-2B-3B	5'8	150	L	R	Elysburg
Hitchcock, Floyd	18	Fr.	C-3B	5'10	185	R	R	Wyalusing
*Houser, William	20	Jr.	P	6'1	160	R	R	Selinsgrove
Howley, Charles	18	Fr.	C	6'1	175	R	R	Ridley Township
Jordan, Philip	19	So.	P-1B	6'1	170	R	L	Wilkes-Barre
Lepley, John	19	So.	P	5'9	160	R	R	Northumberland
McCann, Fred	19	So.	CF-LF	5'11	160	R	L	Mahanoy Plane
*Moharter, David	20	Jr.	P	5'11	165	L	L	Berwick
Mosser, Jeffrey	19	Fr.	SS-P-CF	5'11	160	R	R	Reading
Parry, Robert	19	So.	2B	5'9	165	R	R	Dallas
Peluso, Anthony	18	Fr.	C-3B-OF	5'7	155	R	R	Jersey Shore
Perry, Christopher	20	Jr.	P	6'1	180	R	R	Hazleton
Pool, David	18	Fr.	RF-LF-2B	5'10	170	R	R	Lansdale
Ritter, Gary	18	Fr.	C-P-OF	5'10	180	R	R	Selinsgrove
Roberts, James	18	Fr.	CF-LF-RF	5'7	145	L-R	R	Moravia, N. Y.
Rudy, Steven	18	Fr.	RF-LF-2B	5'11	175	R	R	Berwick
Semion, Joseph	18	Fr.	2B-SS-3B	5'10	168	R	R	Moosic
Sharkazy, Dennis	19	So.	1B	6'	200	R	R	Whitehall
*Smith, David	21	Sr.	CF	5'10	165	R	R	Reading
Stahora, Gregory	18	Fr.	P	5'11	163	R	R	Hazleton
Storer, Thomas	18	Fr.	C-LF-3B	6'2	175	R	R	Derrick City
Sullivan, Thomas	21	Sr.	2B	6'	195	R	R	Williamsport
Thomas, David	18	Fr.	OF	5'10	140	R	R	Jim Thorpe
Twardzik, Richard	18	Fr.	1B-P-RF	5'10	155	L	L	Mountaintop
Vivian, Mark	19	So.	SS	6'	155	R	R	Wilkes-Barre
Warner, Robert	21	Jr.	P	6'2	225	R	R	Stroudsburg
*Weir, Dennis	22	Sr.	3B	5'9	180	R	R	Sunbury
White, Jeffrey	19	Fr.	C-OF	5'11	190	R	R	Camp Hill
Williams, William	20	So.	RF	5'10	175	L	L	Forty Fort
Woodring, Ronald	20	So.	SS-2B-3B	5'11	170	R	R	Easton
Zito, Daniel	21	Jr.	3B-2B-OF	5'10	170	R	R	Easton
*Lettermen								

Outlook

The loss of eight participants who compiled 176 points last season leaves Coach Puhl with somewhat of a rebuilding job. Major losses were team captain Tom Houston, 1968 NCAA eastern regional college champion and Pennsylvania Conference 440 yard intermediate hurdle champion and ace shot putter and discuss thrower, Sam Jayne.

However, Puhl has indicated he has a nucleus of strong, young aspirants who possess a great working attitude and a tremendous will to win. Heading this group are tri-captains elect Jim Davis, sprinter; Bob Lacock, jumper/hurdler; and Jim Cavallero, a BSC javelin record holder (196'5" Western Frontier Relay Champion). Two other mainstays are Mark Yancheck, BSC high jump record holder at 6'4 $\frac{3}{4}$ ", and Pa. Conference triple jump champion, Steve Ryznar (44'9").

Other valuable team members are: **sprinters**—John Lucysyn, Greg Berger, John Masters, John Kulp, Rich Geise, Bruce Bittner, Ray Hendrickson, Rick Eckert, Henry Plumly; **hurdlers**—John Reeves, Bob Herb, Doug Morrow, Charles Graham, Walt Williams, Andy Kusma; **distance runners**—Mike Silveti, Terry Lee, Larry Strohl, Tim Waechter; **field events**—Mark Constable, Gary Melhorn, John Ficek, Charles Shields, Rich Brand, Dale Muchler, Allan Gryshuk, Carl Wilde, Malcolm Fleming, Kent Pricer, and Alan Decker.

The BSC initial indoor track season, (2-2), this year could be termed successful even under adverse training conditions. The Husky thinclads posted victories over Muhlenburg and Ursinus with two losses to East Stroudsburg.

Since the college track and field was removed several years ago due to the building program, the Huskies have been handicapped in many ways. Present conditions will be evident until the latter part of 1971 when part of the athletic complex on the upper campus will be ready for use.

TRACK

Coach Ronald Puhl

Ronald Puhl joined the Bloomsburg State College faculty and coaching staff in September of 1966. In addition to his teaching assignments in health and physical education, he also serves as head track coach and varsity offensive back-field football coach. His track team record last season was 4-3.

A native of Pottstown, Pennsylvania, Puhl was a three letter winner in football, swimming, and field and track while at Lock Haven State College from 1957 to 1961. He began his coaching career at the Phoenixville Area Senior High School where he served as varsity track and field coach for four years, assistant wrestling coach for one year, head gymnastics coach for three years, and varsity back-field coach for several years. He was named to the N.A.I.A. "Little All-American Team" in 1960 for football and was a Pennsylvania State College Champion in the 220-yard low hurdles in 1961.

Puhl is an excellent conditioner of men and has the ability to bring out in his team members a great desire to win.

Bloomsburg State College Varsity Track Team

Name	Class	Age	Hometown
*Berger, Greg	Sr.	21	Phoenixville
*Lucysyn, John	Sr.	21	Easton
*Shotwell, Craig	Sr.	21	Berwick
*Smither, Dave	Sr.	21	Reading
Wilde, Carl	Sr.	21	Abington
*Yancheck, Mark	Sr.	21	Phoenixville
*Bittner, Bruce	Jr.	20	Catawissa
*Brand, Rich	Jr.	20	Pennsburg
*Carlin, Jim	Jr.	20	Drexel Hill
*Cavallero, Jim	Jr.	20	Metuchen, N. J.
Geise, Rich	Jr.	20	Danville
Kelter, Dave	Jr.	20	Swarthmore
*Masters, John	Jr.	20	Phoenixville
*Reeves, John	Jr.	20	Philadelphia
Morrow, Doug	Jr.	20	Lafayette Hill
*Ryznar, Steve	Jr.	21	Pottstown
Comins, Randy	So.	19	Malvern
Davis, Jim	So.	19	Kingston
Decker, Allan	So.	19	Nazareth
Eckert, Rick	So.	19	Lititz
Hendrickson, Ray	So.	19	Lewisburg
Herb, Bob	So.	19	Easton
Keiner, Harold	So.	19	Wilkes Barre
Lacock, Bob	So.	19	Ardsley
Prizer, Kent	So.	20	Spring City
Shields, Charles	So.	20	Mechanicsburg
Silveti, Mike	So.	20	Berwick
Constable, Mark	Fr.	18	Norristown
Ficek, John	Fr.	20	Philadelphia
Graham, Charles	Fr.	19	King of Prussia
Kusma, Andy	Fr.	19	West Point
Lee, Terry	Fr.	18	Malvern
Melhorn, Gary	Fr.	18	York
Plumly, Henry	Fr.	18	Jenkintown
Waechter, Tim	Fr.	18	Camp Hill
*Lettermen			

GOLF

Outlook

The B.S.C. golfers will attempt to maintain their winning ways again this season. The stickmen have registered 21 victories against 2 losses over the past two seasons.

Returning from last year's squad, who represented NAIA District 19 in Houston, Texas, are seniors Bob Snyder John Marshall, and Bob Simons along with junior Ed Masich. This group will probably be regular starters. Two newcomers who worked out with the team in the fall are Steve Neumeyer and Jeff Hock, both potentially good swingers.

Freshmen Rick Jurbala, who was a member of last year's Berwick High championship team, may see action this season and certainly should develop into a regular as an upperclassman. Other untried candidates include Maher Terence, Dave Madden, Chris Elliott, George Chiodo, Randy Miller, Authur Pripa and Dick Adams.

For the first time in the history of the sport at B.S.C., a southern trip is planned over the Easter Holiday which should give the six potential starters some needed seasoning for a tough 15 meet schedule with the first home opponent being Susquehanna University on April 7.

The Huskies will again use Briar Heights Golf Club as the home course.

Coach Jack Jones

Dr. Jack A. Jones joined the faculty of Bloomsburg State College as Associate Professor of Physical Education in September, 1969. In taking over the helm as golf coach, he replaces Jerry Thomas, who is on sabbatical leave during the 1969-1970 college year pursuing his doctoral program.

A native of Fairfax, Alabama, Dr. Jones was awarded his Bachelor of Science degree from Livingston State College and his Master of Arts from the University of Alabama. He earned his Doctor of Physical Education from Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana. Dr. Jones has taught and coached football and basketball in a number of high schools in Alabama. He was also assistant football coach and head basketball coach at Livingston State College for a period of eight years. Prior to coming to Bloomsburg, he was a member of the faculty of Rhode Island University.

Dr. Jones has a keen interest in all sports and should instill great enthusiasm in his golf team.

B.S.C. Varsity Golf Team

Name	Class	Hometown
*John Marshall	Sr.	Bloomsburg
*Robert Simons	Sr.	Honesdale
*Robert Snyder	Sr.	Montrose
Jeffrey Hock	Jr.	Hatfield
Bruce Leauby	So.	Fort Washington
*Edward Masich	So.	Berwick
Stephen Neumyer	So.	Enola
Richard Adams	Fr.	Dornsife
George Chiodo	Fr.	Mahanoy City
Christopher Elliott	Fr.	Temple
Richard Jurbala	Fr.	Berwick
David Madden	Fr.	Mowry
Maher Terence	Fr.	Kingston
*Lettermen		

TENNIS

Outlook

While last year's team posted a winning record 5-4, the Maroon and Gold racketmen this year will be hard pressed to wind up on the winning side of the ledger.

Only two lettermen, Doyle Klinger and Dwight Ackerman, will be back in uniform. Klinger played No. 3 singles and No. 2 doubles, while Ackerman was primarily a doubles player. Other members from last year's squad who intend to make their presence felt are Jim Fauth, Barry Greb, and Charles Hess.

It is with the above group, plus Rich Schildt and Jim Brewer up from last year's frosh team along with several new faces, that the Husky tennis team faces a tough eleven match schedule.

Inclement weather and lack of indoor practicing areas have hampered Coach Reese in developing these inexperienced players. Once the squad is able to use the Town of Bloomsburg's courts regularly, the calibre of play should improve.

Coach Burt Reese

Burton Reese, head tennis coach, joined the Bloomsburg State College faculty at the start of the second semester of the 1968-69 college year.

A native of Scranton, Pennsylvania, he earned both his Bachelor of Science and Master of Education degrees at East Stroudsburg State College. While working on his Master's degree, he coached basketball and tennis as a graduate assistant at East Stroudsburg State College. He then joined the faculty of Old Forge High School (Pa.) where he was assistant basketball and football coach. He served as athletic director at Abington Heights for three and one half years where he also coached tennis and j.v. basketball.

On arriving at Bloomsburg, Reese took over as freshman basketball coach and replaced Dr. Mike Herbert as head tennis coach for the 1969 season.

A former star athlete at Taylor High School and East Stroudsburg State College, Reese has remained active in amateur circles of both tennis and basketball.

B.S.C. Varsity Tennis Team

Name	Class	Hometown
*Doyle Klinger, Jr.	Sr.	Bloomsburg
Ken Wagner	Sr.	Sunbury
*Dwight Ackerman	Jr.	Boyertown
Jim Fauth	Jr.	Lewistown
Charles Hess	Jr.	Bloomsburg
Jim Brewer	So.	Bloomsburg
E. Barry Greb	So.	Scranton
Curt Hannaman	So.	Emmaus
Robert E. Lee	So.	Scranton
John McLaughlin	So.	Bloomsburg
Richard S. Schildt	So.	Reading
Lee Sitler	So.	Berwick
Philip Brown	Fr.	Port Carbon
Robert Hess	Fr.	Bloomsburg
George Kmiecinski	Fr.	Bloomsburg

*Lettermen

SCHEDULES

BASEBALL

*April 13—Kings	H 1:00
April 15—Kutztown	H 2:00
*April 17—Shippensburg	A 1:00
*April 21—Mansfield	H 1:00
April 23—Millersville	H 3:00
*April 25—Lock Haven	A 1:00
*April 29—East Stroudsburg	H 1:00
*May 2—Mansfield	A 1:00
*May 5—Lock Haven	H 1:00
May 7—Kutztown	A 3:00
May 11—Wilkes	A 3:30
*Double Header	

TRACK

April 4—Kutztown	A 2:00
April 8—Cheyney	A 2:00
April 11—Mansfield	H 2:00
April 16—Millersville	A 3:00
April 22—E. Stroudsburg and Kutztown	A 3:00
April 24—Penn Relays	
April 25—Buffalo Meet	A 1:00
April 28—Lock Haven	A 2:00
May 2—Cedar Cliff Relays	
May 5—Shippensburg	H 3:00
May 8 & 9—State Meet—Slippery Rock	

GOLF

March 30—Presbyterian College	A 1:00
March 31—Furman	A 1:00
April 1—Davidson	A 1:00
April 7—Susquehanna U.	H 1:00
April 13—East Stroudsburg	A 1:00
April 15—U. of Scranton	A 2:00
April 17—Shippensburg	H 12:00
April 21—Kutztown	H 1:00
April 27—Wilkes	A 2:00
April 28—Millersville	H 2:00
April 30—Kings	H 1:00
May 2—Mansfield	A 1:00
May 6—Lycoming—Mansfield at Mansfield	1:00
May 7—Kutztown	A 1:00
May 11 & 12—State Meet—Hershey, Pennsylvania	

TENNIS

April 4—Susquehanna U.	A 2:00
April 9—Shippensburg	H 1:00
April 10—Kings	A 1:30
April 13—Kutztown	H 1:00
April 16—Kings	A 2:00
April 17—Wilkes	A 2:00
April 21—Lock Haven	A 3:00
April 23—Millersville	H 3:00
April 25—Kutztown	A 2:00
April 28—East Stroudsburg	H 1:00
April 30—Mansfield	H 1:00
May 5—U. of Scranton	H 1:00
May 8 & 9—State Meet—Lock Haven	