



**2007-08**  
**RIPON RED HAWK**  
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**2007-08 Ripon Schedule**

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
Nov. 21	Marian (WI)	7:00 p.m.
Nov. 24	@ UW-LaCrosse	7:00 p.m.
Nov. 30	@ Knox*	7:00 p.m.
Dec. 1	@ Illinois College*	4:00 p.m.
Dec. 5	St. Norbert*	8:00 p.m.
Dec. 15	UW-Stevens Point	7:00 p.m.
Dec. 28	Land of Magic Classic @ Daytona, Fla. vs. St. Lawrence (N.Y.)	4:00 p.m.
Dec. 29	Land of Magic Classic @ Daytona, Fla. vs. Ithica (N.Y.)	1:00 p.m.
Jan. 5	Rockford	3:00 p.m.
Jan. 9	UW-Stout	7:00 p.m.
Jan. 12	@ Lawrence*	4:00 p.m.
Jan. 18	Lake Forest*	7:30 p.m.
Jan. 19	Monmouth*	3:00 p.m.
Jan. 25	@ Grinnell*	7:00 p.m.
Jan. 26	@ Lake Forest*	4:00 p.m.
Jan. 30	@ Carroll*	7:30 p.m.
Feb. 2	Beloit* (Alumni Game)	4:00 p.m.
Feb. 5	@ St. Norbert*	8:00 p.m.
Feb. 8	Illinois College*	7:00 p.m.
Feb. 9	Knox*	3:00 p.m.
Feb. 13	Lawrence*	7:30 p.m.
Feb. 20	Carroll*	7:30 p.m.
Feb. 23	@ Beloit*	4:00 p.m.
Feb. 29	MWC Tournament	TBA

\*Denotes Midwest Conference game

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**GAME NO. 1 - MARIAN COLLEGE (WI)**  
Wednesday, November 21, 7:00 p.m.  
at J.M. Storzer Center (1,250); Ripon, Wis.

**TV:** Channel 19 (tape-delay; Frank Bush, play-by-play; Howard Hansen, color)  
**Radio:** None  
**Webcast:** www.midwestconference.tv

**\*\*PROJECTED STARTERS\*\***

**RIPON RED HAWKS (13-10, 11-5 Midwest Conference)**

- G - 5 Scott Gillespie, 6-0, Fr., Ripon, Wis./Ripon  
(No statistics)
- G - 25 Paul Wise, 6-3, Sr., Wautoma, Wis./Wautoma  
(11.6 ppg, 3.8 rpg, 2.9 apg)
- F - 20 Chris Kellett, 6-4, Sr., Neenah, Wis./Neenah  
(8.7 ppg, 3.7 rpg, 1.1 apg)
- F - 40 Tyler Fischer, 6-5, Sr., Randolph, Wis./Randolph  
(2.7 ppg, 1.9 rpg, 0.7 apg)
- F - 44 Martin Esters, 6-5, Fr., Germany/St. John's Northwestern  
(No statistics)

**HEAD COACH:** Bob Gillespie (Lewis University '71)  
**RC Record:** 446-194 (27 years); **CAREER RECORD:** 446-194 (27 years)  
**ASSISTANT COACHES:** John Dinegan and Brian Schmitting

**MARIAN SABRES (2-0, 0-0 Northern Athletics)**

- G - 25 Jarid Holewinski, 5-9, So., Menasha, Wis./Menasha  
(11.0 ppg, 5.0 rpg, 5.5 apg)
- G - 3 Kevin Hudak, 5-10, So., Ashwaubenon, Wis./Ashwaubenon  
(12.5 ppg, 2.5 rpg, 0.5 apg)
- F - Jordan Van Ess, 6-7, Sr., Oostburg, Wis./Oostburg  
(13.0 ppg, 3.5 rpg, 1.0 apg)
- F - Derek Arndt - 6-4, Sr., Fond du Lac, Wis./Fond du Lac  
(5.5 ppg, 2.5 rpg, 2.0 apg)
- F - 21 Logan Rankin, 6-5, So., Algoma, Wis./Algoma  
(10.5 ppg, 5.0 rpg, 0.5 apg)

**HEAD COACH:** Mark Boyle (UW-Eau Claire '78)  
**ASSISTANT COACHES:** Grant Monroe and Tony Draves



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Red Hawk's Last 10 Years

Year	Record	MWC Finish
2006-07	13-10 (11-5)	3
2005-06	7-15 (6-10)	6
2004-05	18-7 (11-5)	2
2003-04	14-9 (8-8)	6
2002-03	15-9 (9-7)	t-3
2001-02	19-7 (11-5)	t-4
2000-01	12-10 (9-7)	2
1999-00	19-7 (10-6)	t-2
1998-99	21-5 (13-3)	1
1997-98	23-2 (13-0)	1

2007-08 MWC Preseason Poll

Rank	Team (1st place votes)
1.	Grinnell (6)
2.	Lawrence (3)
3.	Lake Forest (1)
4.	St. Norbert
5.	Carroll
6.	<b>Ripon</b>
7.	Monmouth
8.	Illinois College
9.	Knox
10.	Beloit

2007-08 MWC Standings

	MWC	Overall
	W-L	W-L
Grinnell	0-0	2-0
Lawrence	0-0	2-0
Illinois College	0-0	1-1
St. Norbert	0-0	1-1
<b>Ripon</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>
Carroll	0-0	0-1
Knox	0-0	0-1
Monmouth	0-0	0-1
Beloit	0-0	0-2
Lake Forest	0-0	0-2

RIPON COLLEGE ROSTER

#	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Yr.	Hometown/High School
4	Mike King	G	6-0	Fr.	Seymour, Wis./Seymour
5	Scott Gillespie	G	6-0	Fr.	Ripon, Wis./Ripon
10	Andrew Handeland	G	6-1	Fr.	Mequon, Wis./Mequon
12	Eric Wright	G	6-0	Sr.	St. Charles, Ill./St. Charles East
14	Andy Perrine	G	6-0	So.	Appleton, Wis./Appleton East
20	Chris Kellett	F	6-4	Sr.	Neenah, Wis./Neenah
22	Matt Nelson	F	6-4	Fr.	Willowbrook, Ill./Willowbrook
24	Grant Oleson	G	6-2	Jr.	Genoa, Ill./Genoa Kingston
25	Paul Wise	G/F	6-3	Sr.	Wautoma, Wis./Wautoma
32	Rich Cloeter	F	6-4	Jr.	Clintonville, Wis./Clintonville
34	Marc Leisgang	F	6-6	Fr.	Seymour, Wis./Seymour
40	Tyler Fischer	F	6-5	Sr.	Randolph, Wis./Randolph
42	Josh Bailen	F	6-2	So.	Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla./Nease
44	Martin Esters	F/C	6-5	Fr.	Germany/St. John's Northwestern
50	Shawn Karsten	F	6-5	Jr.	Ripon, Wis./Ripon
52	Garret Weisenbeck	G	6-2	Fr.	Wisconsin Rapids, Wis./Assumption
54	Alex Tomscheck	C	6-6	Fr.	Michigan City, Ind./Michigan City

Coaches Information:

**Ripon – Bob Gillespie** is in his 27th season as head coach of the Red Hawks. Gillespie's teams have eclipsed the 15-win mark 21 times and the 20-win plateau in five different years. Gillespie is currently one of the top 15 Division III active coaches in the country in winning percentage (.697), while also being Ripon's all-time winningest coach (446-194). As head coach of the Red Hawks, Gillespie has led his teams to conference championships in 1986, 1987, 1991, 1992, 1998 and 1999. He also has led his squad to the NCAA Tournament on 10 occasions, most recently in 2002. Gillespie was honored for his brilliance during the 1997-98 season as he was named Midwest Conference Coach of the Year.

**Marian – Mark Boyle** is in his 20th season as head coach of the Sabres. He has coached more games and has more victories to his credit (260) than any other Marian basketball coach in the history of the program. The Madison, Wisconsin native has a wide variety of coaching experience that has included stops at Eau Claire Regis High School, Lawrence University, and UW-Green Bay. At UW-Green Bay, Boyle's teams have claimed four Lake Michigan Conference Tournament titles (2001, 1991, 1990, & 1989) and in 2001 they advanced to the NCAA D-III National Championship Tournament for the first time in school history. He also earned four Lake Michigan Conference Coach-of-the-Year honors in his illustrious career.



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2007-08 Preseason All-America Team

**First Team**

- G Andrew Olson, Sr., Amherst
- G James Cooper, Sr., Wooster
- F Larry Welton, Sr., Aurora
- F Troy Ruths, Sr., Washington U.
- C Ben Strong, Sr., Guilford

**Second Team**

- G Kent Raymond, Jr., Wheaton (Ill.)
- G Sherod Harris, Sr., Brockport State
- F Pete Rortvedt, Jr., UW-Stevens Point
- F Steve DeLuca, Sr., Brandeis
- C Mardochee Jean, Sr., Hardin-Simmons

**Third Team**

- G John Grothberg, Jr., Grinnell
- G Sean Wallis, Jr., Washington U.
- F Tyler Winford, Sr., Mississippi College
- F Chad McGowan, Jr., York (Pa.)
- C Kevin Hopkins, Sr., Amherst

**Fourth Team**

- G TonTon Balenga, Sr., Virginia Wesleyan
- G Dana John, Jr., New Jersey City
- F Tyler Kathan, Jr., Keene State
- F Jake Baldwin, Sr., Piedmont
- C Brent Ruch, Jr., Elmhurst

**Honorable Mention**

- G Waleed Farid, Sr., Stevens
- G Anthony Williams, Sr., Plattsburgh State
- F Antoine Coleman, Sr., Worcester Tech
- F Russ Martin, Sr., Trinity (Conn.)
- C Jeff Skemp, Jr., UW-Platteville

**MARIAN COLLEGE ROSTER**

#	Name	Yr.	Pos.	Ht.	Hometown/High School
3	Kevin Hudak	So.	5-10	G	Ashwaubenon, Wis./Ashwaubenon
4	Bryan Ashbeck	So.	5-9	G	Wabeno, Wis./Wabeno
5	Colin Loheny	Fr.	6-7	C	Algoma, Wis./Algoma
10	Andrew Georgson	So.	6-4	F	Jefferson, Wis./Lakeside Lutheran
12	Justin Bestor	Jr.	6-0	G	North Fond du Lac, Wis./Horace Mann
13	Romero Dixon	Fr.	6-1	G	Bellwood, Ill./Providence St. Mel
14	Wayne Franklin	Jr.	5-11	G	Chicago, Ill./Providence St. Mel
15	Derek Arndt	Sr.	6-4	F	Fond du Lac, Wis./Fond du Lac
20	Marcus Wiegert	Sr.	6-0	G	Deerbrook, Wis./Antigo
21	Logan Rankin	So.	6-5	C	Algoma, Wis./Algoma
22	Josh Washington	Fr.	6-2	F	Milwaukee, Wis./Nicolet
25	Jerid Holewinski	So.	5-9	G	Menasha, Wis./Menasha
30	Joe Horsch	Jr.	6-4	G/F	Marytown, Wis./New Holstein
32	Jordan Van Ess	Sr.	6-7	F	Oostburg, Wis./Oostburg
34	Brad Aguilar	Fr.	6-3	F	Brodhead, Wis./Brodhead
35	Timothy Schmidt	So.	6-0	G/F	Bonduel, Wis./N.E.W. Lutheran
42	Brock Boettcher	So.	6-7	C	Hilbert, Wis./Hilbert
43	Zach Damrow	Fr.	6-4	F	Juneau, WI Hustisford

**Scouting The Opponent:** Marian is off to a great start to the 2007-08 season. The Sabres won their opening two games last weekend, with wins over Cornell and Coe. Marian shot lights out in those two games, making 53 percent of their shots, including 43.2 percent from three-point range. The Sabres have five players that are shooting at least 40 percent from behind the arc this year. Their offense has been clicking early, as they have averaged 80.5 points per game in their two games thus far, while allowing 66.5 on defense. After finishing last season with a 13-12 record, the Sabres hope to take the next step in their development this year.

**Player To Watch:** Jerid Holewinski has been rock solid as the point guard for the Sabres, as he ranks in the top three on the team in scoring, rebounding, and assists. The sophomore from Menasha, Wis. is averaging 11 points, which is third on the team, while also averaging five rebounds and 5.5 assists per game, leading the team in both categories. Holewinski has started both games this season, while averaging 22 minutes per contest.



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**SINGLE GAME RECORDS**

Points	Tom Reader	48
3-Pointers	Bo Johnson	9
Assists	David McMullen	15
Rebounds	Tim Gera	20
	Brian Schmitting	20

**SINGLE SEASON RECORDS**

Points	Ludwig Wurtz	697
Rebounds	Tim Barnes	284
Assists	Steve Kohl	175
Blocked shots	Mickey Augustyn	68
Field goal pct.	Brian Schmitting	.737
3-Pointers	Brad Alberts	91
3-Point pct.	Scott Young	.559
Free throw pct.	Brad Alberts	.906

**CAREER RECORDS**

Points	Brad Alberts	1,865
Rebounds	Tim Barnes	773
Assists	Steve Kohl	499
Blocks	Mickey Augustyn	127
Steals	David McMullen	211
Field goal pct.	Brian Schmitting	.688
3-Pointers	Brad Alberts	277
3-Point pct.	Brad Alberts	.492
Free throw pct.	Steve Kohl	.849

**COACHING RECORDS**

Coach	Record	Win pct.
1 Bob Gillespie	446-194	.697
2 "Doc" Weiske	203-148	.570
3 John Weinert	76-55	.580

**Looking Ahead:** After Wednesday's game, the Red Hawks will hit the road for a while, beginning with Saturday's game at UW-LaCrosse. Ripon lost last year's match up with the Eagles 78-62. UW-L, which is coming off a season that saw them finish 19-7, including a 12-1 record at home, defeated Lakeland College in their season opening game. After that game, Ripon will remain on the road, as they'll start up conference play at Knox and Illinois College on back-to-back days, starting with the Prairie Fire on November 30.

**Playing Smart:** Paul Wise will be counted on to take another step as the leader of the Red Hawks this year. The senior from Wautoma, Wis. is the team's top returning scorer, after averaging 11.6 points per game last season. He is also Ripon's top returning rebounder and assist man, coming off a season in which he averaged 3.8 rebunds and 2.9 assists per game. Wise will need an incredible season if he is to reach the 1,000 point club. He has scored 600 points in his three seasons with the Red Hawks, which means he must average about 16 points per game this season in order to reach the 1,000 point plateau.

**Big Shoes To Fill:** One of the most noticeable differences about this year's team will be the absence of center Brian Schmitting, who was lost to graduation. Schmitting was a first team all-conference and second team all-region selection last season, after averaging team-bests of 17.7 points and 10.0 rebounds per game, while also shooting a team-best 64.7 percent from the field. His spot in the lineup will be attempted to be filled by a pair of freshmen in Martin Esters and Alex Tomscheck. Those two will have a chance to grow up fast however, as Schmitting has joined the coaching staff for this season, in an assistant role, where he will be able to drop his knowledge on the younger players.

**Sharpening The Point:** The other hole besides center that Ripon must fill this season will be at the point guard position, where David McMullen vacates the position due to his graduation last year, after starting four straight years. Taking over for McMullen will be another pair of freshmen in Scott Gillespie and Mike King. Senior Eric Wright and Sophomore Andy Perrine will also see some time running the offense.

# RIPON COLLEGE 2006-07 FINAL SEASON STATISTICS

TEAM STATISTICS	RCMEN	OPP				
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SCORING.....	1745	1735				
Points per game.....	75.9	75.4				
Scoring margin.....	+0.4	-				
FIELD GOALS-ATT.....	671-1360	623-1356				
Field goal pct.....	.493	.459				
3 POINT FG-ATT.....	111-341	213-579				
3-point FG pct.....	.326	.368				
3-pt FG made per game..	4.8	9.3				
FREE THROWS-ATT.....	292-453	276-400				
Free throw pct.....	.645	.690				
REBOUNDS.....	823	747				
Rebounds per game.....	35.8	32.5				
Rebounding margin.....	+3.3	-				
ASSISTS.....	391	355				
Assists per game.....	17.0	15.4				
TURNOVERS.....	360	368				
Turnovers per game.....	15.7	16.0				
Turnover margin.....	+0.3	-				
Assist/turnover ratio..	1.1	1.0				
STEALS.....	205	168				
Steals per game.....	8.9	7.3				
BLOCKS.....	55	62				
Blocks per game.....	2.4	2.7				
WINNING STREAK.....	0	-				
Home win streak.....	3	-				
ATTENDANCE.....	2784	7233				
Home games-Avg/Game....	8-348	11-558				
Neutral site-Avg/Game..	-	4-275				
SCORE BY PERIODS:	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total	
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Ripon College.....	845	875	15	10	-	1745
Opponents.....	849	860	20	6	-	1735

## SUMMARY	GP-GS	Min	FG%	3PT%	FT%	R/G	A/G	STL	BLK	PTS/G
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10 Matt Nowak.....	4-0	1.8	.000	.000	.000	0.5	0.3	0	0	0.0
12 Eric Wright.....	21-0	6.1	.450	.364	.667	0.6	0.9	5	0	1.1
14 Andy Perrine.....	8-0	1.8	.500	1.000	.500	0.1	0.0	0	0	0.8
20 Chris Kellett.....	23-11	25.2	.443	.377	.842	3.7	1.1	26	10	8.7
22 Jonathan Murphy.....	15-1	6.5	.591	.125	1.000	0.9	0.9	5	1	2.2
24 David McMullen.....	23-23	33.8	.437	.327	.711	3.9	5.5	62	4	10.3
25 Paul Wise.....	23-23	32.9	.502	.286	.621	3.8	2.9	31	7	11.6
30 Vehantre Brown.....	23-9	17.3	.457	.167	.778	3.6	1.6	21	2	6.6
32 Rich Cloeter.....	17-0	6.1	.280	.200	1.000	0.6	0.4	3	0	1.0
34 Bo Johnson.....	23-20	30.1	.415	.344	.820	3.6	1.6	14	4	13.8
40 Tyler Fischer.....	23-5	14.9	.609	.250	.385	1.9	0.7	10	3	2.7
42 Josh Bailen.....	17-0	3.6	.800	.000	.750	0.5	0.2	0	0	0.6
44 Grant Oleson.....	8-0	2.4	.400	.000	.000	0.5	0.0	1	0	0.5
50 Shawn Karsten.....	9-0	1.9	1.000	.000	.000	0.3	0.1	0	1	0.2
52 Jared Brown.....	5-0	1.2	.500	.000	.000	0.8	0.0	1	1	0.8
54 Brian Schmitting....	23-23	29.5	.647	.000	.470	10.0	1.8	26	22	17.7
Total.....	23		.493	.326	.645	35.8	17.0	205	55	75.9
Opponents.....	23		.459	.368	.690	32.5	15.4	168	62	75.4

# RIPON COLLEGE 2006-07 FINAL SEASON RESULTS

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES.....	(13-10)	(6-2)	(5-6)	(2-2)
CONFERENCE.....	(11-6)	(6-2)	(5-3)	(0-1)
NON-CONFERENCE.....	(2-4)	(0-0)	(0-3)	(2-1)

DATE	OPPONENT	W/L	SCORE	ATTEND
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11/17/06	vs Buena Vista	LOT	<u>80-85</u>	175
11/18/06	vs Viterbo	W	<u>76-65</u>	125
11/24/06	at UW-Stevens Point	L	<u>76-90</u>	1035
11/25/06	at UW-La Crosse	L	<u>62-78</u>	310
*12/01/06	KNOX COLLEGE	W	<u>89-75</u>	225
*12/6/06	at St. Norbert College	W	<u>67-65</u>	626
12/29/06	vs Hardin-Simmons Univ.	W	<u>80-69</u>	300
12/30/06	at Mary Hardin-Baylor	L	<u>72-86</u>	525
*01/04/07	ILLINOIS COLLEGE	W	<u>72-70</u>	-
*01/06/07	LAWRENCE UNIVERSITY	W	<u>60-56</u>	575
*1/12/07	at Lake Forest College	W	<u>73-72</u>	215
*1-13-07	at Monmouth College	L	<u>79-80</u>	250
*01/19/07	GRINNELL COLLEGE	L	<u>118-120</u>	500
*01/20/07	LAKE FOREST COLLEGE	L	<u>49-62</u>	350
*01/23/07	CARROLL COLLEGE	W	<u>80-76</u>	311
*1/27/07	at Beloit College	W O2	<u>81-77</u>	500
*01/30/07	ST. NORBERT COLLEGE	W	<u>71-53</u>	371
*2-2-07	at Illinois College	W	<u>91-77</u>	445
*02/03/07	at Knox College	W	<u>76-66</u>	250
*2/7/07	at Lawrence University	L	<u>57-72</u>	1100
*2/14/07	at Carroll College	L	<u>75-89</u>	877
*02/17/07	BELOIT COLLEGE	W	<u>82-60</u>	452
*2/23/07	vs Carroll College	L	<u>79-92</u>	500