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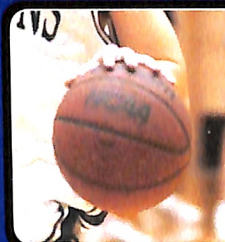
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GEORGE FOX UNIVERSITY

# Men's Basketball



**2003-04**

**BRUINS  
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**MEN'S BASKETBALL**  
**GEORGE FOX UNIVERSITY**

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# Bruin Boss

*Mark Sundquist is on a quest to return George Fox to the conference elite*

After three years of laying a foundation for his George Fox University men's basketball program, Mark Sundquist has his team poised to make a run at the upper echelon of the Northwest Conference.

Sundquist's teams have been known for their hustle and shooting. His first team finished second in the nation in three-point field goals per game (9.92).

Sundquist didn't travel far to take the George Fox post. During the 1999-2000 season, he served as the boys' basketball coach at Newberg High School, just eight blocks from George Fox. Prior to coaching at Newberg, he spent two seasons as the boys' basketball coach at Woodburn (Ore.) High School.

Born on Nov. 24, 1965, in St. Helens, Ore., Sundquist grew up in Hillsboro, Ore., where he attended Glencoe High School.

Sundquist played for Seattle Pacific University from 1984 to 1988, playing shooting guard for three seasons alongside point guard Ritchie McKay, ex-Oregon State University coach and now the head coach at the University of New Mexico. He led the team in free-throw percentage as a junior (.818) and a senior (.817), with his

career mark of .819 ranking seventh all-time at SPU. He was team captain and MVP as a senior, averaging 14.1 points a game while shooting a team-best .514 from the field and .482 from three-point range, a school record at the time. In an 83-78 overtime loss at Division I Stanford University that season, he scored a career-high 33 points while setting new records for three-pointers made (7) and attempted (12) in a game. He was named All-Great Northwest

year at SPU, he served as assistant women's basketball coach. He coached 1992 through 1997 as an assistant for the boys' basketball program at Glencoe High before taking the Woodburn job.

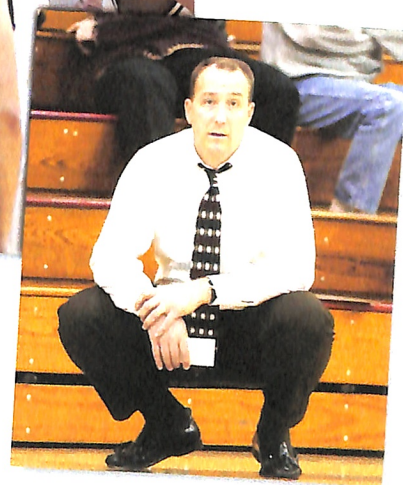
Selected from a pool of applicants from as far away as Massachusetts, Sundquist fulfilled one of his dreams when he stepped into a college coaching role. "This is a great fit for me," he says. "George Fox has a Christian atmosphere, a good conference, and wonderful facilities."

Sundquist and his wife, Sara, have a son, Jake, 7, and a daughter, Kaitlyn, 3.



Conference and All-NCAA Division II District VIII as a senior.

Sundquist graduated from Seattle Pacific in 1989 with a bachelor's degree in social sciences/secondary education. During his last

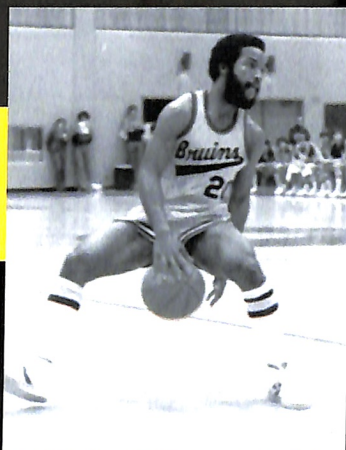




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1976-79



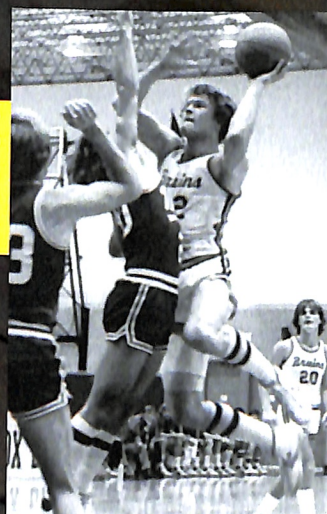
*Gary Chenault ranks in the Bruin top-10 in career steals. He now is a vice president at United Way of the Columbia-Willamette.*

*NBA draft pick Paul Cozens was an NAIA Second-Team All-American.*



1974-78

1981-84



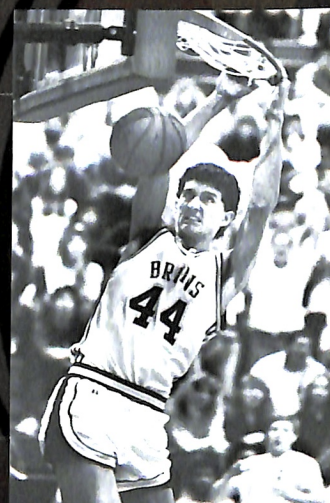
*NBA draft pick Randy Dunn was named Athlete of the Year for NAIA District 2.*

*NBA draft pick Kenny Stone went on to be an all-star in the New Zealand National Basketball League and is now coach of the Auckland Stars.*



1984-87

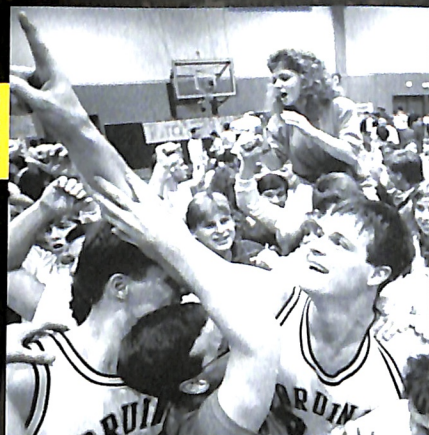
*NAIA Div. II First Team All-American Dave Wilson is one of three Bruins to score more than 2,000 points in their collegiate career (2,296).*



1987-88; 89-92

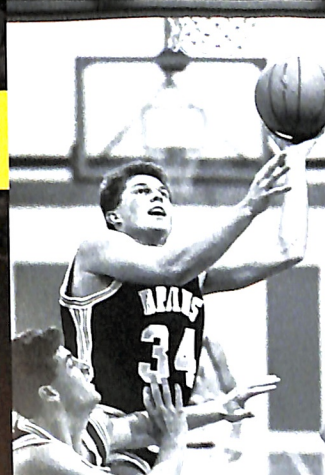


1990



*George Fox defeated Willamette in the 1990 NAIA District 2 championship game to advance to the NAIA National Championships.*

1991



*NAIA Honorable Mention All-American Jeff Hoffman scored 50 points in a game versus Columbia Christian College in 1991.*

1991-92



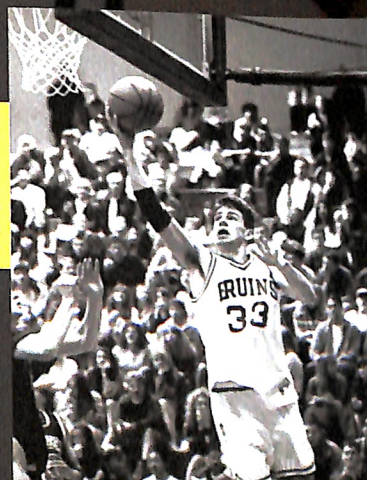
*7-0 center Dave Wilson blocked 3.91 shots a game during the 1991-92 season, setting a NAIA Div. II national record for blocks in a season (137).*

1992-96



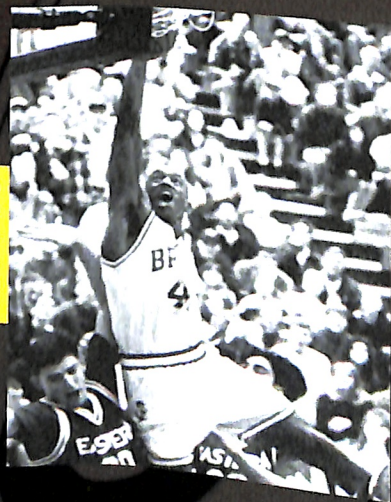
*Nick Haij holds George Fox records for 3-pointers made in a game (9), season (110), and career (369).*

1994-98



*NAIA Div. II First Team All-American Jared Gallop scored 30 points or more in 11 games during his George Fox career.*

1994-95



*Nique Stewart averaged a team-high 9.03 rebounds while providing aerial highlights in 1994-95.*





# Preparation for Life

by Coach Mark Sundquist

You often hear that the court or the field is the best classroom learning environment. At George Fox University that saying holds true and goes even further. Playing basketball at George Fox University prepares student-athletes for what lies ahead after the collegiate experience. We not only encourage our basketball players, we also challenge them in academics, athletics, and integration of faith in all they do.

Our basketball program concentrates on five concepts.

**Passion** | You must have passion for the game to be committed to our program. You must also have passion for making yourself a better student and person. Our goal is to help student-athletes find what they are passionate about on and off the court and challenge them to build upon those areas. We encourage a continual search.

**Integrity** | Dwight L. Moody says, "Character is what you are in the dark." A person of integrity has depth of character, a completeness, and soundness of foundation. This depth is shown as honesty, sincerity, reliability, respect, humility, and loyalty. We believe that these character traits can be developed on the court. Integrity involves courage and daily choices.

**Commitment** | In order to be a part of our program, you must be committed. We expect our student-athletes to be 100 percent committed in school and on the court. It is a privilege to be competing at the collegiate level, but it also is tough. We expect our athletes to go above and beyond

part of a selfless group working toward a common goal. "The power of we, is stronger than the power of me." — *Unknown*.

**Relationships** | Coaching is building relationships. In the men's basketball program, we value every player and we want to encourage, challenge, and support

**" Our goal is to help student-athletes find what they are passionate about on and off the court and challenge them to build upon those areas. "**

expectations when representing our program. Our coaches are committed to our players, and we expect the same in return. Our players need to see that same commitment modeled in our marriages, our faith, and our working environment.

**Teamwork** | The experience of being on a team is priceless. It is something that will influence who you are for the remainder of your life. Matthew 23:12 states, "All who exalt themselves will be humbled, and all humble themselves will be exalted." This is the idea of teamwork at George Fox and our men's basketball program takes pride in helping our student-athletes understand what it means. We want our athletes to experience the feeling of being

him spiritually, academically, and athletically. We want our players to graduate from George Fox having had an awesome experience on and off the court. We are committed to making our athletes better young men in all areas of life. We work to build positive relationships with the players and make them feel they can come back and visit and still feel part of a very special family.

Having a positive collegiate athletic experience at any school is a blessing. Our goal is to ensure that the experiences off the court at George Fox will be reflected on and lessons learned from. These life experiences will make each student athlete discover who they really are and what they represent.





# Excellence in Academics and Athletics

*The Northwest Conference and NCAA Division III Experience*

## National Collegiate Athletic Association Division III

Colleges and universities in the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) Division III place their highest priority on the overall quality of the educational experience and on the successful completion of all students' academic programs. Division III institutions seek to establish and maintain an environment in which athletics activities of a student-athlete are conducted as an integral part of the student-athlete's educational experience.

Division III consists of more than 400 institutions, making it the largest division in the NCAA. All Division III institutions award no athletically related financial aid to students. Division III sponsors 13 national championships in men's sports, 14 in women's, and eight national collegiate championships that are combined with other divisions.

George Fox University has been a member of the NCAA since 1995 when — along with the other institutions in the Northwest Conference — it elected to transfer its membership from the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics (NAIA).



## The Northwest Conference

The nine colleges and universities in the Northwest Conference are known for their academics and athletics.

The conference is building a reputation as one of the most competitive NCAA Division III alliances in the country. In the academic arena, every Northwest Conference institution has been ranked by *U.S. News and World Report* as a top-tier school in its category.

Formed in 1926, the conference is one of the oldest athletic alliances in the western United



States. Its nine members are all private colleges or universities located in Oregon or Washington.

George Fox left the Cascade Collegiate Conference to join the Northwest Conference in 1995, shortly before the Northwest Conference shifted national affiliation from the NAIA to the NCAA. Leaving behind years of success at the NAIA level, the conference embraced the move as one that would foster equity, sportsmanship, and genuine concern for the student-athlete in all endeavors of competition.



**George Fox University**, Newberg, Ore.  
**Lewis & Clark College**, Portland, Ore.  
**Linfield College**, McMinnville, Ore.  
**Pacific University**, Forest Grove, Ore.  
**Pacific Lutheran University**, Tacoma, Wash.  
**University of Puget Sound**, Tacoma, Wash.  
**Whitman College**, Walla Walla, Wash.  
**Whitworth College**, Spokane, Wash.  
**Willamette University**, Salem, Ore.





2003-04 MEN'S BASKETBALL  
**ABOUT THE  
UNIVERSITY**

# George Fox University

*Mind, Body, and Soul*

George Fox University is a Christian university of the liberal arts, sciences, and professional studies ranked by *U.S. News & World Report* as a "Best Value" and as a top-tier master's university in the West. More than 2,900

overseas study tour led by professors. Past trips have been taken to every continent but Antarctica.

George Fox University was established in 1885 by Quaker settlers as Friends Pacific Academy. Herbert Hoover, the 31st president of the United States, attended the academy

before it became a college in 1891. The George Fox name honors the founder of the Friends (Quaker) church.

George Fox offers bachelor's degrees in more than 30 majors, degree-completion programs for working adults, a seminary, and 14 master's and doctoral degrees.



students—including 1,500 traditional undergraduates—attend classes at the Newberg campus and at teaching sites in Oregon and Idaho. The George Fox faculty includes a former U.S. senator, the 2000 Oregon Professor of the Year, and three Fulbright Scholars.

George Fox offers unique programs. Every incoming freshman is provided a laptop computer to use and keep upon graduation. Students also can take advantage of the university's study-abroad program. George Fox pays transportation costs for a three-week





## WHEELER SPORTS CENTER/ MILLER GYM



# MEN'S BASKETBALL GAME SCHEDULE

2003-04



## NOVEMBER

21	Fri. ....	Northwest .....	7:30 p.m.
25	Tue. ....	Warner Pacific .....	10:00 a.m.

## DECEMBER

5	Fri. ....#	vs. Northwest Christian .....	5:30 p.m.
6	Sat. ....#	vs. TBA .....	TBA
13	Sat. ....	at Northwest .....	7:30 p.m.
27	Sat. .... +	vs. Ramapo .....	12:15 p.m.
29	Mon. .. +	vs. TBA .....	TBA
30	Tue. .... +	vs. TBA .....	TBA

## JANUARY

9	Fri. .... *	<b>Puget Sound (dh)</b> .....	8:00 p.m.
10	Sat. .... *	<b>Pacific Lutheran (dh)</b> .....	8:00 p.m.
13	Tue. .... *	<b>Pacific (dh)</b> .....	8:00 p.m.
16	Fri. .... *	at Lewis & Clark (dh) .....	8:00 p.m.
17	Sat. .... *	at Linfield (dh) .....	8:00 p.m.
20	Tue. .... *	<b>Willamette (dh)</b> .....	8:00 p.m.
27	Tue. ....	<b>Multnomah Bible</b> .....	7:30 p.m.
30	Fri. .... *	<b>Whitworth (dh)</b> .....	8:00 p.m.
31	Sat. .... *	<b>Whitman (dh) – Homecoming</b> .....	8:00 p.m.

## FEBRUARY

6	Fri. .... *	at Puget Sound (dh) .....	8:00 p.m.
7	Sat. .... *	at Pacific Lutheran (dh) .....	8:00 p.m.
10	Tue. .... *	<b>Linfield (dh)</b> .....	8:00 p.m.
13	Fri. .... *	at Willamette (dh) .....	8:00 p.m.
14	Sat. .... *	at Pacific (dh) .....	8:00 p.m.
17	Tue. .... *	<b>Lewis &amp; Clark (dh)</b> .....	8:00 p.m.
27	Fri. .... *	at Whitworth (dh) .....	8:00 p.m.
28	Sat. .... *	at Whitman (dh) .....	8:00 p.m.

## MARCH

4	Thur. ..	NCAA D-III Tournament First Round .....	TBA
6	Sat. ....	NCAA D-III Tournament Second Round ....	TBA
12-13	Fri.-Sat.	NCAA D-III Tournament Sectionals .....	TBA
19-20	Fri.-Sat.	NCAA D-III Tournament Final Four .....	TBA

# - at Concordia University-Portland Tournament, Portland, Ore. (GFU, Northwest Christian, Multnomah Bible, Concordia-Portland)

+ - at Cactus Jam Tournament, Phoenix, Ariz. (GFU, Ramapo, Watburg, Clark, Ohio Northern, Illinois College, Colorado College, Linfield)

\* - Northwest Conference game

(dh) - doubleheader with GFU women's team | All times Pacific and subject to change

Home games in **Bold** | Home games played at Wheeler Sports Center/Miller Gym

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