

OHIO STATE'S ANGLE AND PENN STATE'S  
MARKOWITZ NAMED BIG TEN PLAYER AND  
PITCHER OF THE WEEK

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**THIS WEEK IN THE BIG TEN**

MARCH		
14	Indiana vs. Bradley [3] Purdue at Missouri State Minnesota at New Orleans	10:00 a.m. 3:00 p.m. 5:30 p.m.
15	Indiana vs. Fairfield [3] Purdue at Missouri State Minnesota at Southern Iowa vs. Southern Illinois [8]	3:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. 5:30 p.m.
16	Indiana vs. Eastern Kentucky [3] Iowa vs. Notre Dame [8] Iowa vs. Southern Illinois [8]	10:00 a.m. 1:30 p.m. 5:30 p.m.
17	Indiana vs. Vermont [3] Michigan vs. George Washington [12] Purdue at Saint Louis Michigan State at Ohio Minnesota at Louisiana-Lafayette Iowa vs. Notre Dame [8]	10:30 a.m. 12:30 p.m. 2:00 p.m. 4:00 p.m. 5:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
18	Illinois vs. Northern Iowa [3] Northwestern at Santa Clara Michigan at Winthrop [12] Michigan State at Ohio (DH) Minnesota at Louisiana-Lafayette Purdue at Saint Louis Penn State vs. Furman (DH) [15] Indiana vs. Illinois-Chicago [3]	12:00 p.m. 12:00 p.m. 1:00 p.m. 1:00 p.m. 1:00 p.m. 1:00 p.m. 2:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
19	Illinois vs. Illinois-Chicago [3] Michigan vs. Wagner [12] Minnesota at Louisiana-Lafayette Northwestern at Santa Clara (DH) Michigan State at Ohio Penn State vs. Furman [15] Purdue at Saint Louis Ohio State vs. Massachusetts [3]	9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 12:00 p.m. 1:00 p.m. 1:00 p.m. 1:00 p.m. 2:30 p.m.
20	Illinois vs. Massachusetts [3] Ohio State vs. Cornell [3]	9:30 a.m. 2:30 p.m.

**SCHEDULE KEY**

- [3] Played in Bradenton, Fla.
- [8] Notre Dame Tournament (San Antonio, Texas)
- [12] Coca-Cola Classic (Rock Hill, S.C.)
- [15] Played in Clearwater, Fla.

**BIG TEN PLAYER OF THE WEEK**

**Matt Angle, Ohio State**  
SO, CF, Whitehall, Ohio/Whitehall-Yearling

Angle was 11-for-17 as the Buckeyes won four games this past weekend in Clearwater, Fla. The OSU sophomore hit .647 with seven RBI and scored nine runs and had a hit in his first five at bats against Bethune-Cookman, including a triple in the sixth. In the four games, he posted a .765 slugging percentage and a .619 on-base percentage (one walk, one HBP, one strikeout). He also had a pair of sacrifice flies and a sac bunt. He was 3-for-4 on stolen bases and tallied 15 putouts (no errors). Currently, Angle is batting .452 for the season (19-for-42).

LAST OSU PLAYER OTW: Steve Caravati (5/17/04)

**LAST WEEK IN THE BIG TEN**

MARCH		
7	Penn State vs. Lehigh [15] Indiana at Indiana State Michigan State at Florida International	W, 4-0 W, 7-4 L, 3-2 (10)
8	Penn State vs. Jacksonville [15] Xavier at Indiana North Dakota State at Minnesota Michigan State at Miami (Fla.)	L, 7-3 PPD W, 5-4 L, 9-4
9	Michigan State vs. Seton Hall [16]	W, 4-3 (10)
10	Illinois vs. Louisiana-Lafayette [2] Ohio State vs. Lehigh [15] Michigan vs. Louisiana Tech [11] Iowa at Texas-San Antonio [2] Vermont at Minnesota [18] Ohio State vs. Lehigh [15] Purdue at Missouri Penn State vs. Bethune-Cookman [15]	W, 14-12 W, 17-10 L, 13-7 L, 3-1 W, 11-5 W, 13-6 W, 7-0 W, 6-5 (11)
11	Iowa vs. Notre Dame [2] Penn State vs. Toledo [15] Ohio State vs. Northern Iowa [15] Purdue at Missouri Michigan State vs. Rhode Island [16] Penn State vs. Bethune-Cookman [15] Michigan at Baylor [11] Ball State at Minnesota [18] Illinois at Texas-San Antonio	L, 16-2 L, 6-5 W, 9-6 L, 22-2 L, 7-4 (10) L, 2-1 L, 16-0 W, 2-0 L, 9-3
12	Iowa vs. Louisiana-Lafayette [2] Michigan vs. Pacific [11] Ohio State vs. Bethune-Cookman [15] Indiana vs. Eastern Illinois [3] Purdue at Missouri Illinois State at Minnesota [18] Illinois vs. Notre Dame [2]	L, 3-2 W, 13-9 W, 9-1 L, 12-11 W, 8-6 W, 9-0 L, 4-2
13	Illinois vs. Texas A&M [2] Iowa vs. Notre Dame [2] Indiana vs. Northern Iowa [3]	L, 11-1 L, 6-2 W, 3-1

**SCHEDULE KEY**

- [2] Baseball Express Collegiate Baseball Classic (San Antonio, Texas)
- [3] Played in Bradenton, Fla.
- [11] Baylor Ballpark Classic (Waco, Texas)
- [15] Played in Clearwater, Fla.
- [16] Played in Boca Raton, Fla.
- [18] Metrodome Tournament (Minneapolis, Minn.)

**BIG TEN PITCHER OF THE WEEK**

**Aaron Markowitz, Penn State**  
JR, P, Landsdale, Pa./North Penn

Markowitz put forth the best pitching performance of the year so far for Penn State as he pitched a complete-game shutout in the Nittany Lions' 4-0 win over Lehigh. The junior threw all nine innings and gave up just six hits and no runs, while equaling his career high with nine strikeouts. He did not walk one batter and also set a career best for innings pitched, surpassing his previous high of seven. Markowitz threw 81 of his 112 pitches for strikes and became the first Penn State pitcher to throw a complete-game shutout since Alan Stidfole against Northwestern last year. Lehigh had just seven base runners in the game and just two that reached beyond second base.

LAST PSU PITCHER OTW: Alan Stidfole (4/11/05)

**2006 STANDINGS**

	Conference			Overall		
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
Ohio State	0	0	0.000	6	4	0.600
Iowa	0	0	0.000	5	4	0.556
Minnesota	0	0	0.000	5	5	0.500
Purdue	0	0	0.000	4	4	0.500
Illinois	0	0	0.000	4	6	0.400
Michigan	0	0	0.000	4	6	0.400
Michigan State	0	0	0.000	4	6	0.400
Northwestern	0	0	0.000	3	8	0.273
Indiana	0	0	0.000	2	7	0.222
Penn State	0	0	0.000	3	11	0.214

**NCBWA TOP 30 POLL (MARCH 13)**

Rk.	School	Conference	Overall	Week	Pvs.
1.	Georgia Tech	Atlantic Coast	16-1	3-1	2
2.	Florida State	Atlantic Coast	18-1	4-0	5
3.	North Carolina	Atlantic Coast	13-2	3-1	3
4.	Rice	Conference USA	15-5	2-2	1
5.	Clemson	Atlantic Coast	10-3	3-1	4
	Nebraska	Big 12	11-2	3-0	6
7.	Arkansas	Southeastern	16-1	3-0	7
8.	Mississippi State	Southeastern	11-0	5-0	12
9.	Tennessee	Southeastern	13-2	2-0	8
10.	LSU	Southeastern	16-3	3-1	11
11.	Oregon State	Pacific-10	11-5	2-1	10
12.	South Carolina	Southeastern	13-2	4-0	15
13.	Arizona State	Pacific-10	17-5	3-0	14
	Florida	Southeastern	14-6	5-0	13
	Tulane	Conference USA	12-6	2-2	9
16.	Cal State Fullerton	Big West	14-6	4-0	16
17.	Wichita State	Missouri Valley	17-2	4-0	18
18.	Texas	Big 12	13-9	3-1	19
19.	N.C. State	Atlantic Coast	18-4	5-0	22
20.	Southern Miss	Conference USA	13-4	4-1	24
21.	Oklahoma	Big 12	16-4	4-0	26
22.	Miami (Fla.)	Atlantic Coast	16-6	4-0	25
23.	Stanford	Pacific-10	11-7	1-2	17
24.	Baylor	Big 12	12-4	3-1	27
	Long Beach State	Big West	12-9	2-2	20
26.	Georgia	Southeastern	11-2	4-0	-
27.	Winthrop	Big South	15-4	3-0	29
28.	Pepperdine	West Coast	12-10	3-1	28
29.	Mississippi	Southeastern	10-6	2-3	23
30.	Hawaii	Western Athletic	17-6	4-0	-

Others receiving votes (listed alphabetically): Alabama (13-6), Cal Poly (13-8), Charleston (12-4), Charlotte (14-4), Jacksonville (16-4), Kansas (15-6), Kansas State (12-1), Old Dominion (17-3), San Diego (12-8), South Alabama (14-6), Southern California (12-10), Texas A&M (13-6), UAB (12-4), Virginia (15-4), Wake Forest (13-5), Washington (15-5), West Virginia (11-3)

**BIG TEN PLAYERS OF THE WEEK**

- Feb. 14: F: Antonio Mule, So., NU  
P: Dan Schwartz, Jr., NU
- Feb. 21: F: Lance Thompson, Sr., PSU  
P: Dan Brauer, Jr., NU
- Feb. 28: F: Doug Pickens, So., MICH  
P: Jay Buenete, Sr., PUR
- Mar. 7: F: Ryan Basham, Jr., MSU  
P: Cory Luebke, So., OSU
- Mar. 14: F: Matt Angle, So., OSU  
P: Aaron Markowitz, Jr., PSU