

# MEN'S BASKETBALL PROGRAM

**OHIO NORTHERN UNIV.  
POLAR BEARS**



**(9-8, 4-6 OAC)**

**VS.**

**OTTERBEIN UNIVERSITY  
CARDINALS**



**(11-6, 5-5 OAC)**

**RIKE CENTER - WESTERVILLE, OHIO (January 24, 2024)**

## GAME NOTES:

\* The Cardinals look to get one back against the Polar Bears and knot the season series after dropping a tough game in Ada to begin the new calendar year.

\* Westerville product Carter Reese dropped a game-high 23 pts in the first meeting, as Otterbein committed 18 turnovers and tried to play catch-up all evening. Reese sits eighth in the league for scoring at 15.2 ppg.

\* Otterbein handled rival Capital over the weekend in a game it never trailed, with Jack Clement and Cam Evans combining for 39 pts. The Comets missed 15-straight shots to begin that affair.

\* The Cards now look to avoid another potential "letdown spot" against ONU, having visited the Polar Bears in early January just after upsetting No. 23 Illinois College.

\* Otterbein ranks atop the league in team defense, holding opponents to just 68.7 ppg. ONU sits fourth by allowing just over 72.

\* The Cards have taken five of the last seven meetings, including four straight in Westerville.

\* This game marks Faculty/Staff Appreciation Night for the program, as each player and coach invite someone that has played a key role in their journey to be recognized.

## 2023-24 Schedule

10/8	<b>EARLHAM</b>	<b>W 92-68</b>
10/15	at Oberlin	W 92-69
10/18	<b>OHIO WESLEYAN</b>	<b>W 73-65</b>
10/21	<b>DENISON</b>	<b>L 72-70</b>
10/26	at Kenyon	W 84-67
12/2	at Capital *	L 61-58
12/9	<b>HEIDELBERG *</b>	<b>L 87-77</b>
12/16	at Baldwin Wallace *	W 75-67
12/19	<b>WILMINGTON *</b>	<b>W 77-49</b>
12/29	<b>ADRIAN</b>	<b>W 98-61</b>
12/30	#23 Illinois College	W 74-71
1/3	at Ohio Northern *	L 81-67
1/6	<b>#14 MOUNT UNION *</b>	<b>L 79-69</b>
1/10	<b>MARIETTA *</b>	<b>W 86-70</b>
1/13	at Muskingum *	W 68-62
1/17	at #3 John Carroll *	L 89-69
1/20	<b>CAPITAL *</b>	<b>W 75-58</b>
1/24	<b>OHIO NORTHERN *</b>	<b>7 p.m.</b>
1/27	at Heidelberg *	1 p.m.
1/31	at Wilmington *	7 p.m.
2/3	<b>BALDWIN WALLACE *</b>	<b>1 p.m.</b>
2/7	at Marietta *	7 p.m.
2/10	<b>MUSKINGUM *</b>	<b>1 p.m.</b>
2/14	<b>JOHN CARROLL *</b>	<b>7 p.m.</b>
2/17	at Mount Union *	1 p.m.

- Home Games in Bold

\* Denotes OAC game

## OTTERBEIN Roster

No.	Name	Yr.	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Hometown / High School
0	MJ Davis	Jr.	G	6-4	190	Westerville / Central
2	Jack Clement	Gr.	G	6-0	170	Bellefontaine / Bellefontaine
3	Jared Kreager	Jr.	G	6-3	190	Sunbury / Big Walnut
4	Brandon McLaughlin	So.	C	6-8	220	Heath / Heath
5	Cam Evans	Sr.	G	6-0	185	Chillicothe / Zane Trace
10	Brock Waits	So.	G	6-0	180	Grove City / Grove City
11	Alex Hannah	Jr.	F	6-6	215	Milford / Milford
12	Brennan Rains	Sr.	G	5-10	175	Middleburg Hts / St. Edward
13	Julian Heckman	So.	G	6-0	180	Reynoldsburg / Reynoldsburg
14	Sean Marks	R-Sr.	G	5-10	175	Delaware / Olentangy
15	Anthony Coppock	So.	F	6-4	220	Miamisburg / Miamisburg
20	Troy Scowden	So.	C	6-7	220	Ostrander / Buckeye Valley
21	Bryan Flannery	So.	G	6-2	185	Akron / Lakewood St. Edward
22	Mason Stuck	So.	F	6-6	210	Mount Victory / Ridgemont
23	Reece Huber	So.	G	6-3	175	Heath / Heath
24	Chase Garito	Fr.	C	6-8	230	Brecksville / Brecksville-Broadview Hts
25	Mike Steel	Fr.	F	6-7	215	Hudson / Hudson
32	Andrew Cleaver	So.	F	6-7	227	Lebanon / Lebanon



### COACHING STAFF:

**Head Coach:** Andy Winters (5th season)

**Assistant Coaches:** Matt Winters, AJ Dixon, Grant Spicer

## OHIO NORTHERN Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	Yr.	Ht.	Wt.	Hometown / High School
1	Mason Studer	G	So.	6-0	180	Galion / Colonel Crawford
2	Will Miller	G	So.	6-2	180	Ottoville / Ottoville
3	Noah Langford	G	Fr.	5-10	175	Perrysburg / Toledo Central Catholic
4	Blake Michael	G	Jr.	6-3	175	Fremont / St. Joseph Central Catholic
5	Carson Conley	G	Sr.	6-1	195	Newark / Licking Valley
10	Bryce Stuart	G	So.	6-3	175	Lucasville / Valley
11	Jackson Price	G	Fr.	6-3	194	Mishawaka, Ind. / Marian
12	Markus Malleschitz	G	Jr.	5-10	165	Hythe, U.K. / Oak Hill Academy
13	J.J. Morris	F	Fr.	6-5	200	Culver, Ind. / Argos
14	Jackson Courter	G	Fr.	6-5	180	Wapakoneta / Wapakoneta
15	Carter Reese	G	Fr.	6-3	200	Westerville / North
20	Hayden Hanson	F	So.	6-9	220	Cedarville / Cedarville
21	Jadi Cunningham Jr.	G	Fr.	6-0	160	Columbus / Westerville South
23	Brady Woodall	G	Fr.	6-0	175	Centerville / Dayton Christian
24	Gavin Etzler	G	Fr.	6-2	160	Convoy / Crestview
25	J.D. Kendall	F	Fr.	6-6	205	Cynthiana, Ky. / Harrison County
33	Theo Maag	F	Fr.	6-7	200	Ottawa / Ottawa-Glandorf
34	Cayden Jacoby	F	Fr.	6-8	192	Pettisville / Pettisville
35	Justin Chapman	C	Fr.	6-8	220	Sidney / Lehman



### COACHING STAFF:

**Head Coach:** Neal Young (2nd season)

**Assistant Coaches:** Jon Tropf, Guy Neal, Isaiah Boxell