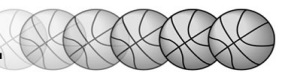


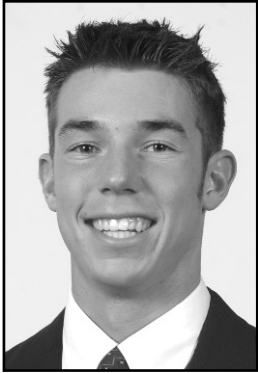


Ferris State Men's Basketball



MEET THE 2002-03 BULLDOGS

TIMOTHY O'BRIEN



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Bulldogs

6-3 ♦ 180 ♦ Sophomore ♦ Guard ♦
Traverse City, Mich./St. Francis

College: 2002-03: Solid all-around player ... Good athletic ability ... Continues to learn team concepts ... **2001-02:** Appeared in 25 contests ... Averaged 1.7 points and 1.2 rebounds per game ... Scored a personal career-high eight points vs. St. Joseph's (12/18) ... Tallied six points against Mercyhurst (12/8) ... Registered five points at Northern Michigan (2/3) ... Sank three of four free throw attempts at Hillsdale (1/3) ... Grabbed four rebounds in three games – at Lake Superior State (2/7), vs. Northwood (2/9) and against Northern Michigan (2/21) ... Recorded one blocked shot at Findlay (11/29) ... Tallied 10 steals and eight assists in 193 minutes of action.

High School: A 2001 graduate of St. Francis High School ... Was a three-sport standout in basketball, baseball and tennis ... Averaged 19.5 points per game as a senior (2000-01) ... Named to the *Traverse City Record-Eagle* All-Region Team ... Was an honorable mention all-state pick ... Also led St. Francis in rebounding (7.0 rpg) and assists (4.0 apg) ... Earned All-Lake Michigan Conference honors twice ... Served as a three-year team captain ... Selected to the Michigan USA Junior National Team as a junior ... Prepped by John Kiessel ... Earned six total varsity letters, including three in basketball ... Three-time conference all-academic pick ... Garnered honorable mention all-state accolades (1999-00) ... Picked first-team all-district and honorable mention all-conference in baseball (2000-01) ... Pitched a perfect game as a sophomore ... Held the squad's lowest earned run average two-straight years ... Named to the all-conference honorable mention tennis team as a senior.

Personal: Son of Leonard and Jane O'Brien of Traverse City, Mich. ... Born 3/28/83 in Traverse City, Mich. ... Compiled a 3.5 high school grade point average ... Earned the Michigan Merit Award, the State of Michigan Academic Achievement Award and the Scholar Athlete Award ... Served as vice-president of the student council and senior class president ... Was a four-year honor roll member ... Hobbies include tennis and music ... Mother works in the real estate business ... Majoring in music industry management.

CAREER HIGHS

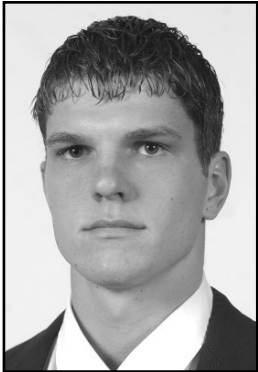
Points8 vs. St. Joseph's (Ind.), 12/18/01
Rebounds ..4, three times, last vs. Northern Michigan, 2/21/02
3-Pt. FG2, twice, last vs. St. Joseph's (Ind.), 12/18/01
Assists2 vs. Aquinas, 11/27/01
Steals2, twice, last at Michigan Tech, 1/31/02
Blocks1 at Findlay, 11/29/01
#Neutral Site

Career Statistics

Year	G-GS	Fg-Fga	Pct	3M-At	Pct	Ft-Fta	Pct	Reb	Avg	Ast	To	Blk	Stl	Min	Pts	Avg
2001-02	25-0	15-40	.375	5-17	.294	8-13	.615	29	1.2	8	24	1	10	193	43	1.7
Totals	25-0	15-40	.375	5-17	.294	8-13	.615	29	1.2	8	24	1	10	193	43	1.7



NATHAN WRUBLE



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Bulldogs

6-7 ♦ 225 ♦ Junior ♦ Forward ♦
Harbor Beach, Mich.

College: 2002-03: Has made great strides in overall game ... One of the team's strongest players ... Continues to improve quickness and reaction skills ... **2001-02:** Recorded 18 starts in 26 contests ... Posted a personal career-high 2.7 points and 4.2 rebounds per game ... Honored as FSU's Coaches Award winner ... Named to the GLIAC All-Academic Team ... Led the squad in free throw percentage (.767) and ranked second in blocked shots (10), fourth in total rebounds (108) and fifth in steals (22) ... Tallied a personal career-best 11 points vs. Grand Valley State (1/19) ... Grabbed 11 rebounds and scored nine points at Saginaw Valley State (2/16) ... Had 10 boards vs. Saginaw Valley State (1/24) ... Dished out three assists and had three steals against Lake Superior State (1/26) ... Netted five points and seven rebounds vs. Ashland (1/12) ... **2000-01:** Started six games and played in 21 contests ... Had a season-high eight points against Lake Superior State (2/8) ... Grabbed a career-best six rebounds at Mercyhurst (1/20) ... Scored in 10 games ... Blocked his first career shot vs. Findlay (11/30) ... Dished out five assists and sank his first three-point basket at Grand Valley State (1/22) ... Totaled 35 points and 32 rebounds in 197 minutes of action ... Was 4-of-5 from the charity stripe against Lake Superior State (2/8) ... Played a season-high 25 minutes and recorded four rebounds at Grand Valley State (1/22) ... Shot 60 percent from the field (12-20) ... Had two rebounds in two minutes in the season-opening win over NCAA Division I Oakland University (11/21).

High School: 2000 graduate of Harbor Beach High School ... Participated in both football and basketball for four years ... Also competed in track for two years ... Averaged 19.7 points per game and 12.7 rebounds as a senior ... Led the Pirates to a 13-8 mark his final season ... Was an all-state selection and first-team all-conference pick as both a junior and a senior ... Chosen as the team MVP and captain his final campaign ... Named the squad's most improved player as a sophomore ... Was a three-time all-academic choice ... Averaged 15.2 points per game and 9.5 rebounds as a junior ... Helped Harbor Beach to district championships in 1998 and 1999.

Personal: Son of Ron and Debby Wruble of Harbor Beach, Mich. ... Born 11/12/81 in Bad Axe, Mich. ... Majoring in surveying engineering technology at Ferris State ... Was a member of the high school National Honor Society and active in Habitat for Humanity.

CAREER HIGHS

Points11 vs. Grand Valley State, 1/19/02
Rebounds11 at Saginaw Valley State, 2/16/02
3-Pt. FG1 at Grand Valley State, 1/22/01
Assists5 at Grand Valley State, 1/22/01
Steals3, twice, last vs. Lake Superior State, 1/26/02
Blocks2, twice, last vs. Michigan Tech, 2/23/02
#Neutral Site

Career Statistics

Year	G-GS	Fg-Fga	Pct	3M-At	Pct	Ft-Fta	Pct	Reb	Avg	Ast	To	Blk	Stl	Min	Pts	Avg
2000-01	21-6	12-20	.600	1-3	.333	10-20	.500	32	1.5	15	13	1	3	197	35	1.7
2001-02	26-18	23-53	.434	0-0	.000	23-30	.767	108	4.2	9	25	10	22	477	69	2.7
Totals	47-24	35-73	.479	1-3	.333	33-50	.660	140	3.0	24	38	11	25	674	104	2.2

