The 2005 fall sports schedule has many surprising matchups on tap. Each of the four major teams -- football, volleyball and men's and women's soccer -- presents the ability to have exciting seasons with games that are sure to bring out the best in Truman's athletes and great memories. Below are my top five games to keep an eye on for the fall.

1) Men's soccer vs. Lewis University (11 a.m.; Oct. 14). This is the first chance to get back at the team that won the 2004 NCAA D-II title.

2) Women's soccer vs. Missouri State University (7 p.m.; Aug. 26-27). Four teams from the 2004 D-II Final Four will be in attendance, including Northern Michigan and one head coach (former Truman coach) Q Wang.

3) Football vs. Winona State University (3 p.m.; Oct. 26). This is the biggest regular season game in Truman history.

4) Women's soccer at Southern Indiana (2 p.m.; Sept. 9). Truman needed a win or tie in last year's NCAA Sweet Sixteen game in a game against No. 11 Wisconsin-Madison. The former coach, Qi Wang, in a game against No. 11 ranked Michigan Northern this fall as part of the Minne- sota State-Duluth Classic.

5) Women's soccer at Central Missouri State University (7 p.m.; Oct. 13). The season trip to Warrensburg comes late in the season. Could another first-set victory for Truman be in the works for this conference rivalry?