

2007 MEN'S TRACK AND FIELD ROSTER

NAME	YR.	EVENTS	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL)
Scott Balcao	So.	5000, 10K	Stockton, Calif. (St. Mary's HS)
Tyler Beal	Fr.	110H	Alder, Mont. (Sheridan HS)
Jason Beck	Sr.	3000SC	Cincinnati, Ohio (La Salle HS)
Thomas Bernard	Fr.	Javelin	Gainesville, Ga. (North Hall HS)
Brent Byrd	Fr.	Long Jump, Triple Jump	Colorado Springs, Colo. (Harrison HS)
Jon Butcher	Jr.	400H	Toledo, Ohio (Sylvania Northview HS)
Daniel Castle	So.	1500	St. Joseph, Mo. (St. Joseph Christian School)
Parker Cowles	So.	5000, 10K	Ramstein AFB, Germany (Ramstein American HS)
Joe Curran	So.	5000, 10K	Naperville, Ill. (Naperville North HS)
Kellen Curry	So.	100H	Midwest City, Okla. (Carl Albert HS)
Kirk Devine	So.	Shot, Discus, Hammer	Reading, Pa. (Governor Mifflin HS)
Nathan Dial	Fr.	400, 200	Colonial Heights, Va. (Thomas Dale HS)
Richard Elmore	Sr.	1500, 800	Napa, Calif. (Justin Siena HS)
Kyle Ellsworth	Fr.	Pole Vault	Chandler, Ariz. (Chandler HS)
Nick Frawley	Fr.	Pole Vault	Midlothian, Texas (Midlothian HS)
Austin Fritzsche	Fr.	5000	Mount Shasta, Calif. (Mount Shasta HS)
Harmon Gage	So.	Javelin	Madison, Ala. (Bob Jones HS)
Matt Gensic	Jr.	Decathlon	Fort Wayne, Ind. (Carroll HS)
Calvin Glass	Jr.	1500, 800	Antelope, Calif. (Woodcreek HS)
Kevin Goldsmith	Fr.	High Jump	Temperance, Mich. (Saint Mary Catholic HS)
Arthur Grijalva	Fr.	1500, 5000	El Paso, Texas (Americas HS)
Kenny Grosselin	Jr.	5000, 10K	Ramstein AFB, Germany (Ramstein American HS)
Devin Hart	Jr.	Long Jump, Triple Jump	Colorado Springs, Colo. (Widefield HS)
Kevin Hawkins	Jr.	800	Bonney Lake, Wash. (Sumner HS)
Sean Houseworth	So.	10K, 5000, 3000SC	Carlock, Ill. (Eureka HS)
Ian Hurdle	So.	Decathlon	Clifton, Va. (Centreville HS)
Dane Jansson	Fr.	Shot, Discus	Wichita, Kan. (Wichita Collegiate HS)
Troy Jensen	Jr.	400, 200	Santa Ana, Calif. (Foothill HS)
Bryan Jones	Sr.	Shot, Discus	Fort Walton Beach, Fla. (Fort Walton Beach HS)
Kyle Jones	So.	1500, 5000	Winter Springs, Fla. (Winter Springs HS)
Michael Kemp	So.	Hammer	Daytona Beach, Fla. (Seabreeze HS)
Roland Kern	Fr.	Decathlon	Los Lunas, N.M. (Los Lunas HS)
Cutter Knox	Fr.	400H	Sundown, Texas (Sundown HS)
Justin Kluk	So.	Shot, Discus	Rapid City, S.D. (Stevens HS)
Brandon Lassiter	Fr.	Long Jump	Lawrence, Kan. (Lawrence HS)
David Lissy	Jr.	Shot, Discus	Sandpoint, Idaho (Sandpoint HS)
Nick Luina	Sr.	400, 200	Yorktown, Va. (Tabb HS)
Justin Mason	So.	1500, 800	Fishers, Ind. (Cathedral HS)
Myles McDowell	Fr.	Pole Vault	Murrieta, Calif. (Murrieta Valley HS)
Ian McFarland	Jr.	5000, 10K	West Plains, Mo. (West Plains HS)
Kyle Meakins	Jr.	400, 200	Salt Lake City, Utah (Judge Memorial HS)
Erik Mirandette	Jr.	Pole Vault	Kentwood, Mich. (East Kentwood HS)
Creighton Moorman	Jr.	Discus	Centerville, Iowa (Centerville HS)
Skylar Morgan	So.	Decathlon	Klamath Falls, Ore. (Henley HS)
Conor Murphy	Fr.	1500, 800	Delmar, N.Y. (Bethlehem HS)
Brandon Murphy	Sr.	Javelin	Overland Park, Kan. (Blue Valley North HS)
Aaron Nelson	So.	400H	Kenosha, Wis. (Tremper HS)
Zachary Nordahl	Fr.	Distance	Molt, Mont. (Rapeye HS)
Olufemi "Sam" Oke	So.	Long Jump, Triple Jump	Houston, Texas (Cypress Ridge HS)
John Oliphint	Fr.	800	Colorado Springs, Colo. (Cheyenne Mountain HS)
Sebastian Ortiz	So.	800, 1500	Columbia, Pa. (Columbia HS)
Daniel Paladino	Fr.	Hammer	Monroe, N.Y. (Monroe-Woodbury HS)
John Payne	Jr.	110H, 400H	Tupelo, Miss. (Tupelo HS)
Travis Picou	Jr.	100, 200	Spring Valley, Calif. (Mt. Miguel HS)
Matthew Pinson	Sr.	Shot, Hammer	Prosser, Wash. (Prosser HS)
Thomas Richter	Fr.	1500, 5000	East Amherst, N.Y. (Serrano HS)
Matt Schwandt	Sr.	Javelin	Manhattan, Kan. (Manhattan HS)
Andy Schweitzer	Fr.	Mid-Distance	Macedonia, Ohio (Cuyahoga Valley Christian Academy)
Christopher Smith	Fr.	1500, 800	Ferndale, Wash. (Ferndale HS)
Brian Stewart	Fr.	High Jump	Stafford, Va. (Ramstein American HS / Germany)
Trevor Trujillo	Jr.	Shot, Discus, Hammer	Weatherford, Okla. (Weatherford HS)
Josh Van Wyngaarden	Jr.	3000SC, 5000	La Vista, Neb. (Papillion-La Vista HS)
Daniel Velo	So.	400	29 Palms, Calif. (Boerne HS)
Brian Walsh	Sr.	Decathlon, Pole Vault, Long Jump	Redlands, Calif. (Redlands HS)
Marcus Wells	Sr.	Javelin	Joseph, Ore. (Joseph HS)
Matt Williams	So.	5000, 3000SC, 1500	Colorado Springs, Colo. (Air Academy HS)
Marshall Wills	Fr.	Pole Vault	Dimmitt, Texas (Dimmitt HS)
Ryan Workman	Fr.	5000	Chapel Hill, N.C. (Chapel Hill HS)

CAPTAINS

Richard Elmore
Nick Luina
Matt Schwandt

ROSTER BREAKDOWN

BY CLASS	
Senior	.9
Junior	.15
Sophomore	.19
Freshman	.24

BY PRIMARY EVENT	
Track	.33
Field	.26
Combined	.5

BY STATE/COUNTRY	
California	.9
Texas	.5
Colorado	.4
Kansas	.4
Virginia	.4
Florida	.3
New York	.3
Ohio	.3
Washington	.3
Germany	.2
Illinois	.2
Indiana	.2
Michigan	.2
Missouri	.2
Montana	.2
Oklahoma	.2
Oregon	.2
Pennsylvania	.2
Alabama	.1
Arizona	.1
Georgia	.1
Idaho	.1
Iowa	.1
Mississippi	.1
Nebraska	.1
New Mexico	.1
North Carolina	.1
South Dakota	.1
Utah	.1
Wisconsin	.1

2007 WOMEN'S TRACK AND FIELD ROSTER

CAPTAINS

Caitie Holliday
Dierra Poland

ROSTER BREAKDOWN

BY CLASS

Senior	10
Junior	4
Sophomore	3
Freshman	18

BY PRIMARY EVENT

Track	17
Field	18
Combined	2

BY STATE

California	5
Colorado	4
Michigan	2
Montana	2
New York	2
North Dakota	2
Pennsylvania	2
Alaska	1
Arizona	1
Connecticut	1
Florida	1
Illinois	1
Indiana	1
Iowa	1
Kansas	1
Minnesota	1
Missouri	1
Nevada	1
New Jersey	1
North Carolina	1
Ohio	1
Oregon	1
Washington	1

NAME	YR.	EVENTS	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL)
Katherine Anderson	Fr.	1500, 800	Coon Rapids, Minn. (Blaine Senior HS)
Katie Avena	Fr.	Heptathlon	Las Vegas, Nev. (Bishop Gorman HS)
Casey Bayne	Sr.	Javelin	El Segundo, Calif. (El Segundo HS)
Melissa Beerse	Fr.	Pole Vault	Morrow, Ohio (Little Miami HS)
Lindsay Bengard	Sr.	High Jump, Heptathlon	St. Louis, Mo. (Visitation Academy)
Kim Brady	Sr.	400, 800	New Rochelle, N.Y. (New Rochelle HS)
Rebecca Burditt	Fr.	400	Colorado Springs, Colo. (The Classical Academy)
Madison Burgess	Fr.	Long Jump, Triple Jump	Gunnison, Colo. (Gunnison HS)
Deb Durey	Jr.	100H, 400H, Long Jump	Manchester, Iowa (West Delaware HS)
Nicole Elliott	Fr.	100H	Colorado Springs, Colo. (Liberty HS)
Ayana Floyd-James	Sr.	400, 200	Vallejo, Calif. (Hogan HS)
Michelle Fryling	So.	Pole Vault	Kentwood, Mich. (East Kentwood HS)
Dawn Higginbotham	Sr.	High Jump	Colorado Springs, Colo. (Cheyenne Mountain HS)
Caitie Holliday	Sr.	High Jump, Javelin	Kalispell, Mont. (Flathead HS)
Casey Johnson	Sr.	Long Jump, Triple Jump	Los Angeles, Calif. (Notre Dame-Sherman Oaks HS)
Yvonne Johnston	So.	Javelin	Kennewick, Wash. (Southridge HS)
Sara Juback	Fr.	Distance	Eagle River, Alaska (Eagle River HS)
Olivia Korte	Sr.	Discus, Shot, Hammer	Seneca, Kan. (Nemaha Valley HS)
Jessica Mapes	Fr.	400	Minot, N.D. (Our Redeemer's Christian School)
Danielle McCarty	Fr.	Heptathlon, Triple Jump	South Beloit, Ill. (Boylan Catholic HS)
Lauren McKinnon	Fr.	Triple Jump	Haddam, Conn. (Haddam-Killingworth HS)
Megan Miller	Fr.	Pole Vault	Boca Raton, Fla. (Florida Atlantic University HS)
Tiffany Moore	Jr.	Javelin	Tucson, Ariz. (Sahuaro HS)
Brittany Morreale	Fr.	5000, 3000, 10K	Rancho Palo Verdes, Calif. (Peninsula HS)
Sara Neubauer	Fr.	Shot, Discus, Javelin	Bottineau, N.D. (Bottineau HS)
Kate Papenberg	Jr.	3000SC, 3000, 5000	Red Lion, Pa. (Red Lion Area Senior HS)
Dierra Poland	Sr.	100H, Long Jump, Pentathlon	Deptford, N.J. (Deptford Township HS)
Danielle Pozun	So.	5000, 3000	Johnston, Pa. (Westmont Hilltop HS)
Kelly Robinson	Jr.	1500, 800	Holt, Mich. (Holt HS)
Alison Romanko	Fr.	800	North Bend, Ore. (North Bend HS)
Jessica Schafer	Fr.	Pole Vault, Sprints	Fayetteville, N.C. (Terry Sanford HS)
Erica Sieg	Fr.	400	Canton, N.Y. (Canton HS)
Danielle Snider	Fr.	Distance	Fishers, Ind. (Hamilton Southeastern HS)
Becky Stone	Sr.	Pole Vault	Danville, Calif. (Carondelet HS)
Katie Weber	Fr.	Javelin	Malta, Mont. (Malta HS)

ROSTER BREAKDOWN

BY CLASS

Senior	2
Junior	4
Sophomore	1
Freshman	7

BY STATE

Georgia	2
Illinois	2
Pennsylvania	2
Colorado	1
Iowa	1
Maryland	1
Massachusetts	1
New Hampshire	1
North Carolina	1
Oregon	1
Rhode Island	1

2007 AIR FORCE TRACK AND FIELD MANAGERS

NAME	YR.	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL)
Matt Berszoner	So.	Bolingbrook, Ill. (Bolingbrook HS)
Samuel Esplin	Jr.	Sheridan, Ore. (Willamina HS)
Bruce Fritz	Jr.	Fulton, Ill. (Fulton HS)
Joshua Gelsomino	Fr.	North Scituate, R.I. (Ponaganset HS)
Vincent Gillmore	Fr.	Warner Robins, Ga. (Warner Robins HS)
Valencia Gore	Jr.	Atlanta, Ga. (Benjamin Mays HS)
Josh Heacock	Sr.	Hellerton, Pa. (Saucon Valley HS)
Joe Lopez	Fr.	Nashua, N.H. (Nashua South HS)
Nikita Martin	Jr.	Lillington, N.C. (Lillington HS)
Marcus Mosher	Fr.	Colfax, Iowa (Colfax-Mingo HS)
Brian O'Connor	Fr.	Potomac, Md. (Richard Montgomery HS)
Ross Perry	Fr.	Somerset, Mass. (Somerset HS)
Joseph Scioscia	Fr.	Pittsburgh, Pa. (Pittsburgh Central Catholic HS)
Jamie Shea	Sr.	Alamosa, Colo. (Alamosa HS)



CASEY BAYNE

Senior - C1C

El Segundo, Calif.
El Segundo HS

Javelin Throw

2006: Tossed a season-best javelin throw of 133'4" at the Pomona-Pitzer Invitational to finish fourth... placed second at the Colorado Invitational with a throw of 131'5"...was one of four Falcons to sweep the top four spots at that meet...**2005:** First season throwing the javelin...tossed a season-long distance of 136'0" to place second in the javelin at the Risdon Westen-Air Force Twilight Invitational... that throw is the fifth-best distance in Academy history...won the javelin at the Colorado College Invitational with a throw of 125'6"...**2004:** Spent freshman season as a goalkeeper for the Academy's varsity soccer team...**HIGH SCHOOL:** Three-year member of the varsity soccer team...also a member of the varsity softball team...president of the Student Body...California Seal bearer (honors distinction)...graduated with a cumulative GPA of 4.02...served as a youth camp counselor for the Developed Mentally Disabled...also served as a river rafting, backpacking and rock climbing guide...**PERSONAL:** Daughter of James and Tracy Bayne and adoptive parents Mike and Denise Mitchell...has five siblings - Carly, Chris, Jimbo, McCall and Shea... majoring in management...plans on attending pilot training after graduation...named to the Commandant's and Athletic Director's lists... served as a group staff member in the fall of 2005...was the Assistant Director of Operations for CS-38...received a nomination for the position of Wing Commander...hobbies include snowboarding, going to the beach, river rafting, wakeboarding, being outdoors, watching movies, reading "People" magazine and eating ice cream.



BAYNE



JASON BECK

Senior - C1C

Cincinnati, Ohio
La Salle HS

Steeplechase

2006: Did not compete as a junior (injured)...**2005:** Clocking the third-best 3000-meter run time on the team at the Husky Classic, clocking an 8:23.02...also recorded a season-best 4:17.15 (adjusted for altitude) time in the mile at the Air Force Invite...posted the team's second-best time of the season in the 3000-meter steeplechase at 9:21.48...**2004:** Collected season-best times of 4:23.33a in the mile at the Air Force Open and 9:18.84a in the 3000-meter run at the Air Force Invitational...recorded a season-best time of 4:01.81 in the outdoor 1500-meter run at Colorado State...had the third-best 3000-meter steeplechase time on the team at 9:37.19a...earned the "Newcomer of the Week" award after running the leadoff leg on the distance medley relay team that finished third at the Air Force Invite...won the weekly "Breakthrough Performance" award after a sixth-place debut in the steeplechase...**HIGH SCHOOL:** Four-year letterwinner in track and cross country...all-state in cross country as a senior...finished ninth in the 1600-meter run at the state meet as a junior...two-time all-state in the 4x800-meter relay...**PERSONAL:** Parents are Greg and Barb Beck...has an older brother (Joe) and a younger sister (Jenni)...majoring in legal studies...attending undergraduate pilot training after graduation...served as Flight Commander for Cadet Squadron 25...hobbies include watching the Cincinnati Bengals and Reds play...member of the Air Force cross country team...academic all-MWC team member in both track and cross country...served as co-captain of the 2006 cross country team.



BECK



LINDSAY BENGARD

Senior - C1C

St. Louis, Mo.
Visitation Academy

High Jump

2006: Was a member of the Academy record-setting shuttle hurdle relay team...team clocked a time of 61.62 that broke the previous standard by over a second...moved into eighth on the program's all-time heptathlon list with 3742...earned that total with a fourth-place finish at the Air Force Combined Events meet...led the team during the indoor season with a high jump mark of 5'2 1/4"...set that seasonal standard at the Air Force Open...**2004-05:** Did not compete on the track and field team...spent two seasons as a member of the Air Force volleyball team...**HIGH SCHOOL:** Lettered one year in track...set Visitation Academy's high jump record (5'2")...named to the all-metro second team...first-team all-district selection...three-year letterwinner in volleyball... led team to school's best finish at sectionals...**PERSONAL:** Daughter of Mark and Nancy Bengard...has one younger brother, Aaron (17)...majoring in social science...earning a minor in French...named to the Athletic Director's List every semester...served as the Squadron Athletic NCO, Element Leader, Squadron Operations NCO for First Basic Cadet Training, Squadron Athletic Officer and Group Executive Officer for First BCT...hobbies include skiing, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, sports and outdoor activities.



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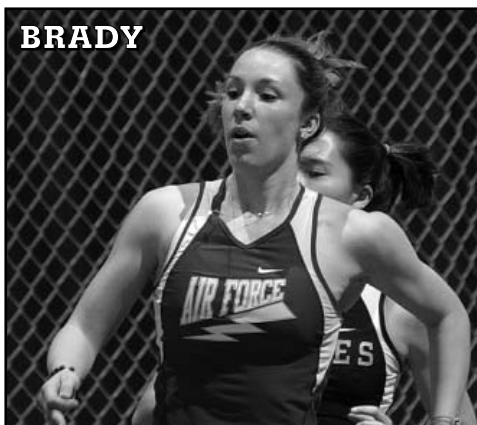
KIM BRADY

Senior - C1C

New Rochelle, N.Y.
New Rochelle HS

**400-Meter Dash
800-Meter Run**

2006: Posted the second-best time of the season in the 800-meter run (2:48.91-adjusted for altitude) at the Air Force Invitational...also clocked the team's third-best time in the 400-meter dash (63.17) at the Adidas Invitational in Nebraska... ran the 400-meter hurdles in a season-best 66.35 at the Risdon-Westen Air Force Twilight Invitational...was a member of the 4x400-meter relay team that won the Air Force All-Comers Meet... **2005:** Clocked a season-best 61.72 in the 400-meter dash at the Air Force All-Comers Meet...ran a 2:23.15 (adjusted for altitude) at the Colorado School of Mines Open...ran the opening leg of the two-mile relay team that finished in 9:38.35 at the Air Force Classic...clocked times during the outdoor season of 61.85 in the 400-meter dash and 2:23.73 in the 800-meter run...collected a season-best time of 64.75 in the 400-meter dash at the Don Kirby Invitational in New Mexico... **2004:** Recorded a time of 62.55 in the indoor 400-meter dash at the Air Force Classic... also posted a season-best time of 2:28.84 in the indoor 800-meter run at the Air Force Open...clocked a 61.15 in the 400-meter dash at Colorado State... **HIGH SCHOOL:** Member of the track and field team... four-time selection to the all-league, all-county and all-section teams as a part of the 4x800-meter relay team...three-time all-league selection for the 1000-meter run...4x800-meter relay team finished fifth at the Penn Relays Championship of America High School Girls Meet in 2002... **PERSONAL:** Daughter of Kevin and Marianne Brady...has one brother Tom...hopes to become a pilot in the future...named to the Superintendent's List for excellence in military, academic and athletic performance... academic all-MWC honoree...served as Squadron Commander...hobbies include dancing, art, music, reading and watching TV.



KELLEN CURRY

Sophomore - C3C

Midwest City, Okla.
Carl Albert HS

110-Meter Hurdles

2006: Spent freshman year as a member of the Air Force football team... **HIGH SCHOOL:** State 5A champion in the 110- and 300-meter hurdles...posted season-best times of 13.87 in the 110-meter high hurdles and 38.71 in the 300-meter intermediate hurdles... **PERSONAL:** Son of John Curry and Celeste Burden...has four sisters: Michelle, Chelsea, Shareen and Erin...majoring in legal studies...hopes to become a JAG officer...hobbies include politics and working out...attended the Air Force Academy's Prep School.



KIRK DEVINE

Sophomore - C3C

Reading, Pa.
Gov. Milfin HS

**Shot Put, Discus
Hammer Throw**

2006: Set a new Freshman Class record in the weight throw with a toss of 47'1½" at the Air Force Invitational...also set a Freshman Class record in the hammer throw (162'1") at New Mexico...competed in the shot put during the indoor season...recorded a career-best shot of 47'2¼" at the Albuquerque Invitational... posted the third best distances on the team during the outdoor season in the discus and hammer throws... recorded a career-best discus distance of 151'0" at the MWC championships... **HIGH SCHOOL:** County champion for the discus and shot put as a junior and senior...earned all-state honors as a junior...was the runner-up in the discus at the Pennsylvania state meet as a junior...earned the Outstanding School Citizen award...earned the Outstanding Male Athlete award...member of the National Honor Society...member of the Ski Club... **PERSONAL:** Son of James and Deborah Devine...has one brother Eric...majoring in aeronautical systems engineering... would like to attend pilot training following graduation...named to the Dean's List...earned the Outstanding Group 1 Performer award for October 2005...hobbies include snowboarding.



DEB DUREY

Junior - C2C

Manchester, Iowa
West Delaware HS

**Hurdles
Long Jump**

2006: Was a member of the Academy record-setting shuttle hurdles relay team that competed at the Drake Relays...finished third in the heptathlon at the Air Force Combine with a season-best total of 4052 points...recorded the team's second-best long jump score of the season (17'7")...was the Falcons' only competitor in the pentathlon, scoring a career-best 3046 points at the MWC Championships...that total is the sixth-best in Academy history...recorded the team's second-best marks of the season in the 60-meter hurdles (9.63), high jump (4'10¼"), long jump (16'5") and shot put (31'4½")...was a member of the 4x400-meter relay team that clocked the Falcons' top time at the MWC indoor meet... **2005:** Posted a season-best indoor long jump distance of 17'3½" at the Air Force Open...that mark was the second-best distance on the team...led the team in the 400-meter hurdles, clocking a career-best time of 64.02...that is the seventh-best mark in Academy history...also collected the seventh-best mark in program history in the long jump, after leading the squad with a distance of 17'11½"...competed in the Wildcat Combine, collecting 4347 points...that total is fourth on the Academy's all-time list...tallied the third-fastest 100-meter hurdles time of the season (15.35) at the Glenn Morris Multi-Event Meet...the team's only competitor in the high jump, claiming a season-best 4'7½" at the Wildcat Combine...ran the final leg of the 4x100-meter relay that set an Academy record of 47.61...also ran the final leg of the shuttle hurdles relay that finished in 1:03.14 to shatter the previous Academy record...ran the leadoff leg of the of the 4x400-meter relay the claimed the third-best time in school history at 3:52.66... **HIGH SCHOOL:** Iowa state 100- and 400-meter hurdles champion...Drake Relays 400-meter hurdles champion... recorded high school-best times of 14.43 (100-meter hurdles) and 63.70 (400-meter hurdles)... **PERSONAL:** Daughter of Allyn and Ilona Durey...has one brother, David...a management major...hopes to become a pilot in the future...named to the Commandant's and Athletic Director's List every semester...also named to the Superintendent's List for excellence in military, academic and athletic performance...currently serving as Element Leader, PEER Counselor and the Athletic NCO for CS-38.



RICHARD ELMORE

Senior - C1C

Napa, Calif.
Justin Sienna HS

1500-Meter Run
800-Meter Run

2006: Ran the third leg of the 4x800-meter relay team that set a new Academy record (7:27.37) at the Drake Relays...that time crushed the previous record by nearly 10 seconds...posted a time in the 1500-meter run at the MWC Championships, finishing in 3:49.27 (adjusted for altitude)...was fourth on the team in the 800-meter run at 1:54.07a...earned the team's Track Athlete of the Week... finished second in the 800-meter dash at the Jack Christiansen Invitational... ranked among the team's top-five during the indoor season in the 800-meter run (1:56.21a) and mile run (4:13.88a)...selected as a captain for the 2007 season...**2005:** Ran the opening leg of the season's best distance medley relay team that timed in at 10:08.99 to win the Husky Classic...finished the indoor 800-meter run with a season-best time of 1:57.20a at the Air Force Invitational...time was the fifth-fastest on the team all season...claimed the fourth-best time of the season in the mile, clocking 4:15.59...ran the 3000-meter run in 8:38.92a at the MWC Indoor Championships... placed seventh in the 1500-meter run at the MWC outdoor meet, with a time of 3:57.25...clocked a season-best 1500-meter run time of 3:50.53a at the Jack Christiansen Invitational...ran a season-best 1:55.68 in the outdoor 800-meter run at the Stanford Invitational...took the leadoff leg of the 4x1600-meter relay that finished in 16:45.02 at the Drake Relays...**2004:** Recorded season-best indoor times of 2:00.58 in the 800-meter run at the Air Force Invitational and 4:22.20a in the mile at the Air Force Open... named "Newcomer of the Week" after winning the mile in that career-best time...also ran the indoor 3000-meter run in a season-best time of 9:23.09a...collected the team's fourth-best time in the 800-meter run with a 1:55.34 ...also ranked fifth on the team in the steeplechase (10:09.06) and sixth in the 1500-meters (3:52.34a)... tied for the team's weekly Breakthrough Performer award following the personal-best time in the 1500-meter run...**HIGH SCHOOL:** Recorded best times of 4:26 in the mile and 1:58 in the 800-meter run...**PERSONAL:** Son of Richard and Deborah Elmore...has one sister, Catherine, who is a freshman at the Academy...majoring in biology...hobbies include hiking, hunting, fishing, reading and spending time with kind people...plans on becoming a pilot...named to the Athletic Director's List...member of the Air Force cross country team...earned MWC Athlete of the Week cross country honors in 2004...finished ninth at the 2006 MWC Championships to earn all-conference accolades...served as co-captain of the cross country team in 2006.



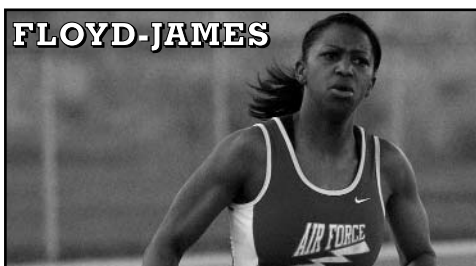
AYANA FLOYD-JAMES

Senior - C1C

Vallejo, Calif.
Hogan HS

400-Meter Dash
200-Meter Dash

2006: Recorded the fastest 200-meter dash time of the indoor season...clocked 26.55 at the Mountain West Conference Championships... also tallied the team's second-fastest 60-meter dash time (8.06) at that meet...led the Falcons in the 100-meter dash during the outdoor season... recorded a time of 12.48 at the Don Kirby Invitational...was a member of the fastest 4x400-meter relay team of the season (3:57.45) at the MWC outdoor meet...also posted the second-best 200-meter dash time of the season (25.88) at that meet...**2005:** Competed in the 60- and 200-meter sprints during the indoor season...clocked a season-best time of 8.06 in the 60-meter dash at the Air Force Classic...ran the 200-meter dash in a season-best 28.09 (converted for track size) at the Wyoming Triangular...also participated in the dashes during the outdoor season...clocked a 12.86 in the 100-meter dash at the Risdon Western-Air Force Twilight Invitational...ran the 200-meter dash in 27.13...**2004:** Named Newcomer of the Week following a career-best 7.95 in the 60-meter finals of the Air Force Invitational...ran the third-fastest time on the team in the indoor 200-meter dash, finishing in 26.47 at the MWC Championships...recorded the team's fourth-best time in the 60-meter dash at the Air Force Invitational (7.95)...set season-best outdoor times of 12.65 in the 100-meter dash and 26.47 in the 200-meter dash...both marks were the second-best times on the team...**PERSONAL:** Daughter of Lorelei Floyd...has one brother (Ari) and one sister (Artisha)...majoring in political science with a minor in Spanish...attended the Academy's Prep School...was prior enlisted in the Air Force...served as the Global Engagement Element Leader during the summer...has also served as the Cadet Command Center Superintendent...worked as the Communications NCO, Safety and Security NCO, Drill and Ceremonies NCO and the Cadet Command Center Controller for Cadet Squadron 11 during the fall of 2005...two-year manager of the powerlifting club...hobbies include reading, writing, cooking and baking...plans to become a JAG in the future.



FLOYD-JAMES



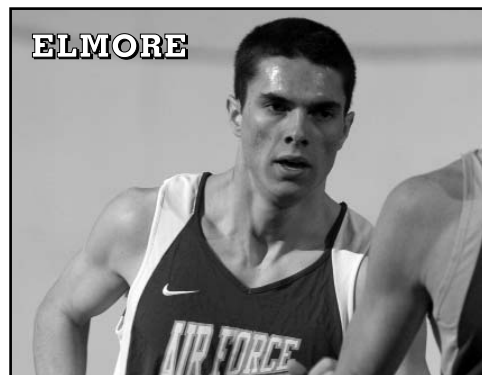
MICHELLE FRYLING

Sophomore - C3C

Kentwood, Mich.
East Kentwood HS

Pole Vault

2006: Earned the team's Newcomer of the Year award...cracked the Academy's all-time pole vault records during both the indoor and outdoor seasons...moved into fifth on the all-time indoor list after clearing 10'11 $\frac{3}{4}$ " at the Pole Vault Summit...finished sixth at that meet...vaulted into fourth on the all-time outdoor list with a mark of 10'8" at the Jack Christiansen Invitational...finished fourth at that meet...earned the team's Field Athlete of the Week award following the Jack Christiansen Invitational...**PERSONAL:** Daughter of Jack and Deborah Fryling...has one sister, Melissa Charles (24)...a biochemistry major... future plans include attending medical school... hobbies include snowboarding, surfing, rock climbing, rafting, camping and dancing...attended the Academy's Prep School.



ELMORE



FRYLING



HARMON GAGE

Sophomore - C3C

Madison, Ala.
Bob Jones HS

Javelin Throw

2006: Threw a career-best 186'5" in the javelin at the Air Force Twilight Meet...that was the best throw of the season by a rookie...earned the team's Field Athlete of the Week award following that meet...**HIGH SCHOOL:** Served as co-captain of baseball team...super all-metro honoree...named to the Alabama Super 100...played in the East-West All-Star game...also a member of the football team...was team co-captain...earned all-region honors...member of the Student Government Association (SGA)...member of the National Honor Society...**PERSONAL:** Son of Jerry and Mary Gage...has one sister (Jenny) and one brother (Justin)...named to the Dean's List and Athletic Director's List...undecided on major...hobbies include watching and playing sports, listening to music, sleeping and eating...earned MWC academic all-conference honors as a freshman.



GAGE



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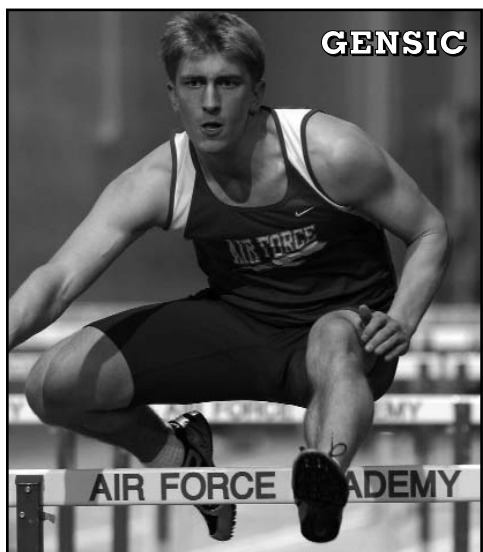
MATT GENSIK

Junior - C2C

Fort Wayne, Ind.
Carroll HS

Decathlon

2006: Finished seventh in the decathlon at the MWC Championships with a career-best 5993 point total...posted the second-best javelin throw (162'0") of any of the Air Force decathletes at the Mt. SAC/Cal Combined Events Meet...posted a career-best 4604 points in the heptathlon at the MWC Indoor Championships to finish eighth...that score was backed by fourth-place finishes in the pole vault (14'5¼") and 1000-meter run (2:52.08)...that score is sixth on the program's all-time list...**2005:** Moved into fifth on the program's all-time list after scoring a career-best 4363 points at the MWC Indoor Championships...tallied a career-high 5588 points in the decathlon at the Glenn Morris Multi-Events Meet...recorded the best javelin throw (160'5") of the season by any of the three decathletes at the Risdon Western-Air Force Twilight Invitational...**HIGH SCHOOL:** Named team captain of the basketball and track teams during senior year...**PERSONAL:** Son of Mark and Betty Gensic...three older brothers (Jake, Ben and Paul) graduated from the Air Force Academy and are all listed on the program's top-10 lists in the pole vault...other brother, Sam, played basketball at Bethel College...named to the Athletic Director's List...attended the Academy's Prep School...served as the Squadron Commander of the B-Squad at the Prep School...an economics major...future plans include "graduating, serving my time in the Air Force and returning home to live with my parents"...recently discovered the joys that come with not owning a mobile phone...hobbies include reading, listening to music, taking naps, snowboarding and surfing (the Internet).



GENSIK



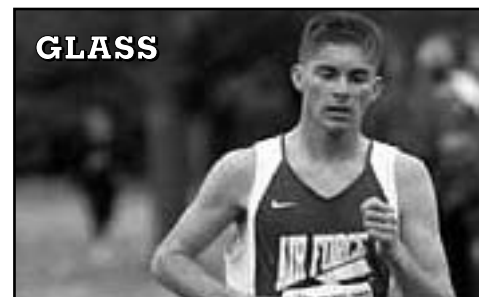
CALVIN GLASS

Junior - C2C

Antelope, Calif.
Woodcreek HS

1500-Meter Run
800-Meter Run

2006: Ran the opening leg of the 4x800-meter relay team that set a new Academy record (7:27.37) at the Drake Relays...that time crushed the previous record by nearly 10 seconds...moved to fourth on the Academy's all-time 800-meter run records after clocking a time of 1:49.93 (adjusted for altitude) at the MWC Championships...that time was a NCAA regional qualifying time...posted the team's third-best 1500-meter time (3:53.68a) at the Jack Christiansen Invitational...clocked the second-best 800-meter run time on the team during the indoor season, recording 1:53.93a at the Albuquerque Invitational...won the 800-meter dash at the Air Force Invitational...**2005:** Led the squad in the outdoor 800-meter run with a time of 1:51.25a... claimed that time at the MWC Outdoor Championships, picking up a seventh-place finish...that time is the eighth-best mark in Academy history and a new Freshman Class record...clocked a season-best time of 3:54.05a in the 1500-meter run at the Don Kirby Invitational...member of the two-mile relay team that crossed the finish line in 7:56.86 at the Air Force Classic...also competed in the 800-meter (2:03.54a), mile (4:27.06a) and 3000-meter (9:14.86a) runs during the indoor season...**HIGH SCHOOL:** Earned all-state honors in track...finished fourth in the 1600-meter run and eighth in the 800-meter run at state championships as a senior...fifth-place finisher at the D2 cross country meet...has a best time of 4:13.39 in the 1600-meter run and 1:52.84 in the 800-meter run...named Scholar Athlete of the Year as a senior...**PERSONAL:** Son of Cal and Esther Glass...is an only child...majoring in behavioral science - human factors engineering...hopes to become a pilot and eventually serve as the Commandant of Cadets...named to the Athletic Director's and Commandant's Lists...hobbies include hanging out with the guys on the team and doing pretty much anything...served as Element Leader and PEER Counselor... was a participant at the AETC Summer Leadership program...member of the Air Force cross country team.



GLASS



KENNY GROSSELIN

Junior - C2C

Ramstein AFB, Germany
Ramstein American HS

5000-Meter Run
10,000-Meter Run

2006: Won the 3000-meter run at the Air Force Twilight Meet with a team-best 8:44.66 (adjusted for altitude)... posted the second-fastest time of the season in the 10,000-meter run...clocked that time of 32:04.89 at the Pomona-Pitzer Invitational...also competed in the 5000-meter run during the outdoor season...competed in the 3000-meter run (8:46.86a) and 5000-meter run (15:34.00a) during the indoor season...one of four Falcons to finish within the top-five in the 5000-meter run at the Air Force Invitational...**2005:** Clocked a season-best 5000-meter time of 16:05.79 at the Jack Christiansen Invitational during the outdoor season...competed in the mile (4:35.95a) and 3000-meter run (9:06.09a) during the indoor season...**PERSONAL:** Son of Ken and Cecilia Groselin...has one sister Kristy (20) and two brothers Karl (18) and Kyle (10)...majoring in mathematics...would like to go into the intelligence or space and missiles fields following graduation...named to the Superintendent's List for excellence in military, academic and athletic excellence every semester...hobbies include reading, bowling and photography...served as Squadron Superintendent for Basic Cadet Training...also served as the Group Academic NCO...member of the Air Force cross country team...named to the academic all-conference squad as a freshman and sophomore...named MWC Scholar-Athlete.



DEVIN HART

Junior - C2C

Colorado Springs, Colo.
Widefield HS

Long Jump
Triple Jump

2006: Moved into ninth-place on the Academy's all-time long jump (outdoor) list with a career-long distance of 23'6¼" at the Colorado Invitational...earned the team's Field Athlete of the Week award following that meet...led the team in the triple jump with a career-best mark of 46'5¼" at the same meet...won the long jump (23'6¼") at the Colorado Invitational...recorded the second-best triple jump of the indoor season at the Air Force Invitational with a mark of 43'0½"...nearly matched his personal-best long jump (22'9¾") at the MWC Indoor Championships...earned all-conference honors behind a third-place finish at the conference meet...**2005:** Led the team in the long and triple jumps during the outdoor seasons...posted a career-best 22'10½" in the long jump at the Jack Christiansen Invitational...jumped to a season-best triple jump mark of 44'5¼" at the Mountain West Conference Outdoor Championships...placed fourth in the long jump at the indoor conference meet (22'2½")...posted season-best distances of 22'7¾" in the indoor long jump at the Wyoming Triangular and 44'6" in the indoor triple jump at the MWC Championships...that triple jump mark was the team's second-best distance of the season...placed sixth in the long jump at the conference outdoor meet with a jump of 22'5¼"...**HIGH SCHOOL:** Four-year letterwinner in football and track...attended Leesville High School in Louisiana for three years, before moving to Colorado Springs to attend Widefield High School...captain of the football team as a senior...named first-team academic all-state as a senior...all-conference honorable mention...member of the National Honor Society...listed in the "Who's Who Among American High School Students"...graduated with a 4.0 GPA...**PERSONAL:** Son of Mark Hart and Belinda Andujar...has three brothers (Michael, Jonathan and Nathan)...majoring in behavioral sciences...future plans include becoming an agent within the Office of Special Investigation...named to the Commandant's List for excellence in military performance...currently serving as the Fourth Group Honor NCO and Vice-President of the Way of Life Committee (WLC)...served as Wing Operations NCO during the summer (second period) of 2006...attended the Academy Prep School...was a member of the football team as a freshman...hobbies include playing sports, Playstation, chilling with friends, working out and sleeping...was in the Steven Spielberg-directed movie "Amistad".



KEVIN HAWKINS

Junior - C2C

Bonney Lake, Wash.
Sumner HS

800-Meter Run

2006: Earned the team's Most Improved award...competed in the 800-meter run at the NCAA Outdoor Championships, finishing 25th in the first session...was the runner-up in the 800-meter run at the MWC Championships, earning all-conference honors...posted a career-best time in the 800-meter run at the conference championships (1:48.78-adjusted for altitude)...that time is the second-best in Academy history and a new Sophomore Class record...ran the final leg of the 4x800-meter relay team that set an Academy record (7:27.37)...earned the team's Track Athlete of the Week on three occasions...ran three relays for the Falcons at Drake...posted the third-best time on the team (48.37) at the Jack Christiansen Invitational...first qualified to the NCAA Regionals at the Pomona-Pitzer Invitational with a time of 1:50.37...finished third in the 800-meter run at the Mt. SAC Relays...moved into fifth on the Academy's all-time 800-meter run (indoor) list with a career-best time of 1:50.78 at Notre Dame...was a part of the two fastest relay teams of the indoor season...won the 800-meter run at Albuquerque...three-time Track Athlete of the Week during the outdoor season...also earned the honor once during the indoor season...**2005:** Earned the program's Runner of the Week award after finishing second in the 800-meter run at the Brutus Hamilton Invitational with a time of 1:52.35...went on to top that time at the Don Kirby Invitational with a 1:52.20 (adjusted for altitude)...that time was third-best mark of the season for the Falcons...tallied a season-best time of 49.24 in the 400-meter dash at the Falcon Open, which was the fourth-best time on the team...was a member of the team's fastest distance medley relay team, which clocked 10:08.99 to win the Husky Classic...also competed in the 400-meter dash during the indoor season, clocking a season-best time of 51.14 at the Air Force Open...**HIGH SCHOOL:** Finished second at the state meet in the 800-meter run...recorded a career-best time of 1:51.03...two-time captain of the track team...also captained the cross country and swimming teams...clocked a personal-best time of 48.99 in the 400-meter dash...**PERSONAL:** Son of Robert and Fay Hawkins...has one younger sister Aleah...a behavioral sciences major...plans on becoming a pilot following graduation...donated 14 inches of hair to Locks of Love prior to Basic Cadet Training as a freshman...hobbies include hiking, reading and guitar.



HART



HAWKINS



DAWN HIGGINBOTHAM

Senior - C1C

Colorado Springs, Colo.
Cheyenne Mtn. HS

High Jump

2006: 2006: Led the Falcons with a season-best jump of 5'5" at the Jack Christiansen Invitational...tied for ninth at the MWC Championships with a jump of 5'2½"...cleared 5'3" at the Ris Westen Air Force Twilight Meet to take second...**2005:** Did not compete for the Falcons...**2004:** Led the team with an outdoor high jump mark of 5'6"...mark is the third-best height in Academy history...named "Newcomer of the Week" after debuting in the high jump with a mark of 5'3" at the Tom Benich Classic...repeated the award at New Mexico after upping her personal-record to 5'5"...earned the award again after clearing 5'6" at the Ris Westen Air Force Twilight Invitational...finished 10th at the MWC Outdoor Championships with a 5'5" mark...**HIGH SCHOOL:** Four-year letterwinner in track...qualified for state track championships in seven events...lettered three years in basketball...averaged 16.7 points and 12.5 rebounds per game...all-state selection...three-time first-team all-conference honoree...three-time team captain...two-time team MVP...named Cheyenne Mountain HS female athlete of the year...academic all-state...also lettered one year in volleyball...**PERSONAL:** Daughter of Tom and Bernadette Higginbotham...has three younger siblings - Thomas (20), Nikki (18) and Keith (9)...a social sciences major...hobbies include sports of all kinds, reading, hiking, camping and dancing...named to the Commandant's List for excellence in military performance and the Athletic Director's List for excellence in athletic performance...a four-year member of the Air Force women's basketball team.



HIGGINBOTHAM



CATTIE HOLLIDAY

Senior - C1C

Kalispell, Mont.
Flathead HS

Javelin Throw

2006: Recorded a season-best javelin throw of 142'10" at the Stanford Invitational...qualified for the NCAA Regionals with that throw...that mark was the second-best distance on the team...finished 21st at the NCAA Regional Championships...was a part of Air Force's top-four sweep at the Colorado Invitational...selected as captain for the 2007 season...**2005:** Recorded a career-best javelin throw of 149'10" at the Jack Christiansen Invitational to take over fourth in the program's all-time record book...won the Jack Christiansen Invitational by over a foot with the toss...earned the team's Field Athlete of the Week award following the meet...throw was the second-best on the team...also won the Falcon Open with a toss of 140'2"...tallied a pair of ninth-place finishes at the Willie Williams Classic (132'1") and the Brutus Hamilton Invitational (136'4")...qualified for the NCAA Midwest Regionals...placed 21st at the regional meet with a throw of 129'2"...**2004:** Named the program's Laura Piper 'Ironman' Award...threw a career-long javelin of 148'4" at the NCAA Regional Championships...throw is fourth on the program's all-time list...named Field Athlete of the Week at the Tom Benich Classic after winning the javelin...earned Newcomer of the Week honors following a first-place throw of 147'3" at the Pomona-Pitzer Invitational...finished fourth at the MWC Outdoor Championships in the javelin...finished ninth at the NCAA regional meet with a throw of 148'4"...also led the team with a 5'1" high jump mark during the indoor season...**HIGH SCHOOL:** 2002 Montana State AA javelin champion...four-year letterwinner in track...competed at the state championships in both the javelin and high jump all four years...also lettered two years in volleyball...**PERSONAL:** Daughter of Larry and Ruby Holliday and Carl and Christine Cain...has two brothers, Don and Brady...named to the Dean's List and the Athletic Director's List...hobbies include snowboarding, volunteering, dancing, hiking, camping and running...a civil engineering major...future plans include becoming a CE officer...three-time academic all-MWC team member...served as Athletic Officer for squadron...member of the FCA Leadership Team...earned Academic All-America honors by the U.S. Track Coaches Association as a sophomore.



SEAN HOUSEWORTH

Sophomore - C3C

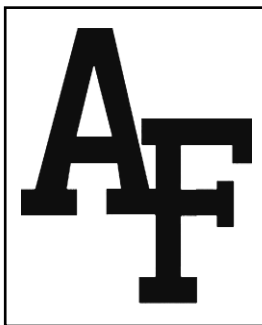
Carlock, Ill.
Eureka HS

10K, 5K
Steeplechase

2006: Clocked the third-best 3000-meter steeplechase time on the team...ran a career-best 9:31.06 at the Stanford Invitational...also participated in the 1500-meter run...recorded a season-best 4:11.98 (adjusted for altitude) at the Jack Christiansen Invitational...competed in the mile and 3000-meter run during the indoor season...ran the mile in 4:18.65a at the Albuquerque Invitational to finish sixth...posted a season-best time of 8:48.47a at the Mountain West Conference Championships...**2005:** Competed in the mile and 3000-meter run events during the indoor season...was one of four Falcons to finish within the top-six in the mile at the Albuquerque Invitational...participated in the 1500-meter run and 3000-meter steeplechase during the outdoor season...posted the third-best steeplechase time on the team at 9:31.06...**HIGH SCHOOL:** Illinois state champion in the 3200-meter run...finished third at the Illinois A cross country championships...also placed third in the 1600-meter run...posted best times of 4:18 and 9:15...**PERSONAL:** Son of Steve and Patty Houseworth...has one brother, Jon, who is a member of the track and field team at the University of Illinois...majoring in environmental engineering...hobbies include reading...named to the Superintendent's List for excellence in military, academic and athletic performances...served as Athletic Clerk for squadron...member of the Air Force cross country team...competed at the conference and regional meets during freshman and sophomore seasons.



HOLLIDAY



TROY JENSEN

Junior - C2C
Santa Ana, Calif.
Foothill HS
400, 200

2004: Recorded the seventh-best time in Academy history in the indoor 200-meter dash with a 22.07 at the Air Force Open...clocked the second-best time on the team in the 200- and 400-meter dashes during the indoor season...clocked a 48.73 at the 400-meter dash at the PAC-10 Invitational...posted the team's best time in the 400-meter dash...ran a 47.94 at the Mountain West Conference Outdoor Championships...was the second-fastest in the 200-meter dash, clocking a time of 21.80 at New Mexico...was a member of the two fastest relay teams that season...ran the third leg of the 4x100-meter relay team...ran the second leg of the 4x400-meter relay team...**2003:** Posted the second-best time on the team in the 400-meter dash during the outdoor season...clocked a time of 49.69 at Colorado...set a personal-best time of 22.76 in the 200-meter dash at the Air Force Twilight Meet...recorded a 200-meter dash (indoor) time of 22.97 at the Air Force Open...also clocked an indoor time of 51.46 in the 400-meter dash at the same meet...**PERSONAL:** Son of Gary and Wendy Jensen...oldest of six children...has three sisters - Amy (21), Lesley (18) and Melany (14)...has two brothers - Timothy (12) and Jeffrey (8)...a management major...future plans include becoming a pilot and foreign attaché...hobbies include sports and surfing...attended Northwestern Prep School...returned to the Academy following a two-year mission in Taiwan.

HOUSEWORTH



CASEY JOHNSON

Senior - C1C
Los Angeles, Calif.
Notre Dame HS
Long Jump
Triple Jump

2006: Moved up the Academy's record book with career-best performances in the indoor and outdoor triple jumps...moved into sixth on the all-time list with a 37'4" (indoor) triple jump at the Air Force All-Comers Meet...improved standing in the indoor triple jump (17'6¼") at that meet as well...earned the team's Field Athlete of the Week following the All-Comers Meet...moved into third all-time during the outdoor season with a 38'7½" triple jump at the Colorado Invitational...finished second in the Potts Invitational triple jump with a then-best distance of 38'5"...earned second Field Athlete of the Week honor of the season following that meet...won the triple jump at the Ris Westen Air Force Twilight Meet...earned a top-three finish in the same event at the Don Kirby Invitational...**2005:** Moved into the Academy's top-10 triple jump records during both the indoor and outdoor seasons...placed eighth in the triple jump at the Mountain West Conference Outdoor Championships...recorded a career-best distance of 37'2½" at the MWC Indoor Championships...distance is the sixth-best triple jump mark in Academy history...earned the team's Field Athlete of the Week after placing second in the event at the Colorado School of Mines Open with a then-career-best mark of 36'8¾"...also competed in the indoor long jump, recording a distance of 17'3½" at the Mines Open...recorded an outdoor career-best triple jump mark of 37'1¼" at the MWC Outdoor Championships en route to the eighth-place finish...that mark is the eighth-best distance in program history...posted an outdoor long jump distance of 17'1½" at the Willie Williams Classic...**2004:** Competed in the high jump, as well as the long and triple jumps...participated in the MWC Championships...recorded a career-best 4'11" in the high jump...posted distances of 17'3" and 36'4" in the long and triple jumps, respectively...during the outdoor season, claimed a 16'8" in the long jump and 35'8½" in the triple jump.



JOHNSON



YVONNE JOHNSTON

Sophomore - C3C
Kennewick, Wash.
Southridge HS
Javelin Throw

2006: Recorded a career-best javelin throw of 130'2" at the Ris Westen Air Force Twilight Meet...that mark is the fourth-best mark on the team and eighth on the Academy's all-time list...earned the team's Field Athlete of the Week following the Twilight Meet...finished third in the event at the Colorado Invitational - one of four Falcons to place within the top four...**PERSONAL:** Daughter of James and Elizabeth Johnston...has seven older siblings - Lucy (41), Mary (38), Amy (34), Teresa (31), Clara (28) and Barbara (26)...majoring in social sciences, while obtaining a minor in philosophy...planning on entering the personnel or services career fields following graduation...served as an Element NCO...hobbies include snowboarding, reading, bowling, juggling, basketball and cooking...attended the Academy's Prep School...nominated for the Outstanding Cadet Candidate award in English...served as Flight Commander and Group First Sergeant...was a member of the prep school's basketball team...was enlisted for two years...stationed at Fairchild AFB, Wash., as a munitions systems specialist.



JOHNSTON



JONES



BRYAN JONES

Senior - C1C

Fort Walton Beach, Fla.
Fort Walton Beach HS

Shot, Discus

2006: Moved into fourth all-time on the Academy's indoor shot put list...threw a 55'4¾" to finish fourth at the Mountain West Conference Indoor Championships... jumped four spots on the all-time list at the All-Comers Meet with a third-place throw of 53'11"...won the shot put (53'0") by four feet at the Albuquerque Invitational... earned the team's Field Athlete of the Week award following that meet...led the Falcons during the outdoor season with a season-best distance of 54'3¼" at the Jack Christiansen Invitational...picked up a sixth-place finish (52'3") at the conference outdoor meet...**2005:** Led the team with a career-best shot of 54'5½"...that mark is fifth on the program's all-time list...placed fourth in the shot put at the MWC Outdoor Championships with a throw of 53'11¾"...won the shot put at the Colorado College Invitational (54'5½")...earned the team's Field Athlete of the Week award following the meet...**2004:** Led the team in the shot put during both the indoor (51'7") and outdoor (51'8½") seasons...moved into 10th-place on the program's all-time indoor shot put list with a toss of 51'7" at the Air Force Open...earned top outdoor distance at the Ris Westen/AF Twilight Invitational... named "Newcomer of the Week" following a 50'8" debut at the All-Comers Meet...repeated the honor following the AF Twilight Invite...**HIGH SCHOOL:** Fort Walton Beach High School record-holder in the shot put...competed in the state championships three years ...placed fourth at the state meet as a junior and senior... lettered three years in football and four in track and weightlifting...earned the Wendy's High School Heisman Award for the state of Florida...member of the National Honor Society...graduated with a grade-point-average of over 4.0...**PERSONAL:** Parents are Scott and Becky Keefe...has one brother, Scott (21)...majoring in social science...will cross-commission into the Marine Corps to become an Infantry Officer...served as Ops Flight Commander for Cadet Squadron 38...named to the Commandant's List...recipient of the Lightning Bolt award for excellence in athletics and academics...hobbies include sleeping, eating and lifting ("normal thrower-type things")...member of the Air Force football team as the starting deep snapper.



OLIVIA KORTE

Senior - C1C

Seneca, Kan.
Nemaha Valley HS

Discus, Shot
Hammer

2006: Earned the team's Outstanding Competitor award for the second straight season...received All-America status in the discus...threw a 170'5" at the national meet to finish seventh...became just the second female All-American at the Division I level...all-conference honoree in the discus throw (third-place finish)... Academy record-holder in the weight throw (57'1½")...scored in every one of her throwing events at the Mountain West Conference Championships... matched her own Academy record in the weight throw, tossing a 54'10¼" at Nebraska...picked up another top-five finish at that meet in the shot put, after recording a personal-best throw of 44'10¼"...that mark is the second-best throw in Academy history...broke the Academy's weight throw record one week later with a toss of 56'10¼" to finish seventh at the Air Force Invitational...reset the program's weight throw record again at the Mountain West Conference Indoor Championships, placing eighth with a throw of 57'1½"...also picked up a sixth-place finish in the shot put (43'1¾") at the conference meet...won the shot put and took third in the weight throw at the Air Force Open...opened the outdoor season with a victory in the discus throw at the Potts Invitational...was the runner-up in the shot put...won the discus throw at the Colorado Invitational, while also finishing second in the shot put...used a throw of 168'2" to win the discus throw at the prestigious Mt. SAC Relays...finished 14th in the Drake Relays discus...finished third in the discus at the MWC Championships with another NCAA Regional Qualifying Throw of 164'0"...also earned a career-best 165'6" in the hammer to place seventh...that distance is fifth on the Academy's all-time list...used a 44'8" in the shot put to place sixth at the conference meet...placed 10th in the discus at the NCAA Regional Meet with a throw of 166'8"...earned an at-large bid into the national meet...earned the program's Field Athlete of the Week on four occasions during the indoor season and once during the outdoor season...**2005:** Earned the team's Outstanding Competitor award...regional and national qualifier...all-conference honoree in the discus and shot following third- and eighth-place finishes, respectively...set Academy record in the weight throw (54'10¼"), discus throw (175'5") and outdoor shot (47'9¾")...led the team during the indoor season in both the shot and weight throw...broke her own program mark in the weight throw at the All-Comers Meet, before setting it again the very next week at the AF Invitational...placed eighth in the shot put at the MWC Championships with a

throw of 44'3¼"...opened the outdoor season with a second-place finish in the discus...picked up three top-10 finishes in the discus (154'3"), hammer (160'3") and shot (44'8¾") at the Brutus Hamilton Invite...established a Sophomore Class record in the shot put, discus and weight throws...placed fifth in the discus at Pomona Pitzer...finished third in the discus at the prestigious Mt. SAC Relays with a throw of 155'10"...finished third in the discus at Colorado State...finished ninth at the Drake Relays in the discus with a throw of 157'1"...broke her own Academy record in the discus at the Air Force Twilight Meet with a toss of 170'6"...also finished second in the shot (45'3") with a mark that ranks second on the team's all-time list...named MWC Athlete of the Week after her record-setting performance... placed third in the discus at the MWC Championships...also placed fourth in the shot with an Academy record throw of 47'9¾"...broke her own Academy discus record once again at the Midwest Regionals with a third-place throw of 175'5"...participated at regionals in the shot put, finishing 12th...placed 18th at the NCAA Outdoor Championships in the discus with a throw of 158'3"...earned the team's Field Athlete of the Week award on five different occasions...**2004:** Named Newcomer of the Year...earned the team's High Point Award...set the program record in the weight (53'10¼") and discus (166'6") throws...set the discus throw record at the Mt. SAC Relays and broke it again the very next day at Long Beach State...led the team in the indoor shot put (44'0") - a mark that is ranked second on the program's all-time list...recorded a distance of 43'7¾" in the outdoor shot put that is ranked third in the all-time list...season-best throw of 161'6" in the hammer throw is ranked sixth all-time...set Freshman Class records in the weight throw and discus...named weekly Breakthrough Performer after debuting in the shot put with a 41'6½" at the All-Comers Meet...named Outstanding Competitor following the AFI with another career-best shot...repeated the honor with personal-bests in the shot and weight throw...earned another Outstanding Competitor honor at the Air Force Open for setting new career records in the shot and weight throw...named Newcomer of the Week at the UC-Irvine Quad with a 156'6" debut in the discus throw...received the weekly Breakthrough Performance award at Wichita State with a personal-best throw in the hammer...earned Field Athlete of the Week honors after the record-breaking discus performances in California... placed 25th at the NCAA Regional Championships in the discus...**HIGH SCHOOL:** Four-year letterwinner in track...state champion in the discus as a junior and senior...finished fourth in the event as a sophomore...also earned a fourth-place finish in the shot put as a senior...two-year letterwinner in basketball...team finished third at the state finals during junior and senior years...all-state honorable mention as a senior...lettered in volleyball one year...team finished third in the state during senior year...**PERSONAL:** Parents are Tom and Wilma Korte...a management major...attended USAFA Prep School...named Offensive Player of the Year for volleyball and basketball.



**DAVID
LISSY**

Junior - C2C

Sandpoint, Idaho
Sandpoint HS

Shot, Discus

2006: Moved into the Academy record books with a discus throw of 167'10" at the Jack Christiansen Invitational...that mark is the eighth-best throw in program history...ranked second on the team in the shot put behind a winning 52'7 $\frac{3}{4}$ " performance at the Spring Break Collegiate Classic...posted the second-best shot put distance on the team after recording a distance of 50'6 $\frac{3}{4}$ " at the Air Force All-Comers Meet...**2005:** Led the team in the indoor shot put with a toss of 48'8 $\frac{1}{4}$ " at the Air Force Classic...ranked second on the team in the outdoor shot behind a career-best throw of 52'4 $\frac{3}{4}$ " at the Mountain West Conference Outdoor Championships...finished sixth at the conference meet...also ranked second on the team in the discus throw with a toss of 164'11" at the Colorado College Invitational...won the discus at CC with that throw...**PERSONAL:** Son of Bob and Jeannie Lyon...has one younger brother...majoring in biology...earned an Athletic Pin...served as Element Leader and two-time Element NCO...attended the Academy's Prep School...hobbies include hunting, fishing, snowboarding, water sports and all outdoor activities.



LISSY



LUINA



**NICK
LUINA**

Senior - C1C

Yorktown, Va.
Tabb HS

400, 200

2006: Earned the team's Brett Hyde Award for Drive and Determination...moved up the Academy record books in four events during the indoor and outdoor seasons...ran a 21.34 in the outdoor 200-meter dash at the Colorado Invitational...that matches the fourth-best time in Academy history...clocked a 400-meter dash time of 46.90 at the Mountain West Conference Outdoor Championships to move to fifth on the all-time list...was the top collegiate finisher in the 400-meter dash at the Spring Break Classic and Colorado Invitational...clocked 21.88 in the indoor 200-meter dash at the Albuquerque Invitational...that is the sixth-best time in Academy history...won that meet and earned the team's Track Athlete of the Week award following the Albuquerque meet...also picked up a team-leading 47.64 in the indoor 400-meter dash at the Alex Wilson Invitational...that is the seventh-best time in program history...was a member of the team's top relay teams during the indoor season...ran the final leg of both relay teams in the outdoor season...also a member of the sprint medley relay team that finished second at the Drake Relays...selected as a captain for the 2007 season...**2005:** Earned the team's Most Improved award...selected as the team's Track Athlete of the Week on two occasions...recorded the second-fastest times on the team in the indoor 200-meter dash (22.58) and 400-meter dash (49.39)...ran the final leg of the mile relay team that finished fourth at the Mountain West Conference Championships in a time of 3:20.26...led the team during the outdoor season in the 400-meter dash, clocking a career-best time of 47.71 at the MWC Outdoor Championships...also ranked second on the team in the 200-meter dash (21.65) and fourth in the 100-meter dash (11.22)...placed fourth at the MWC Championships in the 200-meter dash (21.65) and 400-meter dash (47.71)...ran the final leg of the 4x400-meter relay team that placed third at the conference meet...selected as a captain for the 2006 season...**2004:** Recorded a season-best time of 22.68 in the indoor 200-meter dash at the All-Comers meet...also clocked a personal-best 400-meter indoor dash time of 50.31 at the Air Force Open...ran the 400-meter dash in 49.64, which was the second-best time on the team...recorded an outdoor 200-meter dash time of 22.26 - the third-best time on the team...earned Newcomer of the Week honors following a fifth-place finish at the meet with Colorado State and Wyoming...repeated the honor after setting personal-best marks in the 200- and 400-meter dashes at the Jack Christiansen Invitational...**HIGH SCHOOL:** 2002 Virginia state 300-

meter dash champion...runner-up in the 500-meter dash as a senior...member of the state champion 4X400-meter relay team as a junior and senior...**PERSONAL:** Son of Joe and Angela Luina...has two older brothers, Trey and Scott...majoring in systems engineering...planning on attending pilot training after graduation...named to the Dean's List every semester...also named to the Athletic Director's List...hobbies include running, playing soccer, skiing and anything outside...served as the Athletic Officer...attended the Academy's Prep School...named to the academic all-conference list.



**IAN
McFARLAND**

Junior - C2C

West Plains, Mo.
West Plains HS

5K, 10K

2006: Clocked a season-best 5000-meter time of 15:17.31 (adjusted for altitude) at the Air Force Invitational...was the event runner-up in that event at the AFL...time was the fifth-best mark of the season...earned a fifth-place mark in that event at the Adidas Classic...also ran the mile (4:27.84a) and 3000-meter run (8:33.02a)...third on the team in the 5000-meter run during the outdoor season...clocked a season-best time of 14:53.80 at the Pomona-Pitzer Invitational...**2005:** Did not compete as a freshman...**HIGH SCHOOL:** Finished fifth at the Missouri state cross country meet...also placed fifth in the 3200-meter run at the Missouri state track and field championships...recorded a career-best time of 9:24 in the 3200-meter run...**PERSONAL:** Son of Jim and Cindy McFarland...has one sister Kitty (25) and one brother Adam (22)...majoring in civil engineering...hopes to fly helicopters in the future...enjoys spending time outdoors...named to the academic all-conference team as a junior...member of the Air Force cross country team.



McFARLAND



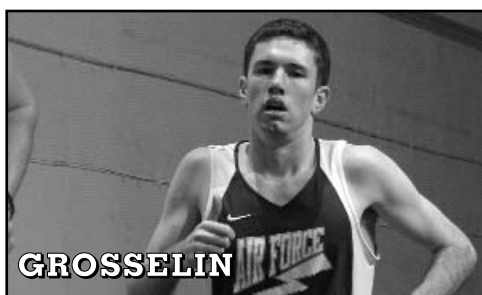
KYLE MEAKINS

Junior - C2C

Salt Lake City, Utah
Judge Memorial HS

400, 200

2006: Posted the team's second-best time on the 400-meter dash (47.76) at the Mountain West Conference Outdoor Championships...clocked the third-best 200-meter dash time of the season (22.06) at the Air Force Twilight Meet...earned Track Athlete of the Week honors following that meet...ran the lead-off leg of the 4x400-meter relay squad that posted a team-best 3:14.94 at the conference meet...ran the second-fastest indoor time of the 400-meter dash (49.22) at Albuquerque...**2005:** Recorded the team's third-best time of the year in the indoor 400-meter dash, clocking 50.65 at the Air Force Classic...also earned the event's third-best time during the outdoor season after finishing fifth with a career-best time of 48.94 at the Jack Christiansen Invitational...ran a career-best time of 22.99 in the 200-meter dash at the Willie Williams Classic...also competed in the 800-meter run during the outdoor season...**HIGH SCHOOL:** Participated in six different sports and earned 14 letters...was a member of the golf, football, track, cross country, swimming and soccer teams...was a member of the state championship track team as a senior...won state titles in the 400-meter dash and 800-meter run (1:56.59)...time in the 400-meter dash (48.81) remains the school record...finished second in the 200-meter dash (22.11)...ran a leg of the 4x400-meter relay team that set a new state record...served as team captain during senior season...was a member of two state championship swim teams...holds the school record in the 100-meter breaststroke...served as team captain as a senior...**PERSONAL:** Son of Mark and Gail Meakins...father graduated from the Academy in 1977 and was a member of the Falcons' baseball team...mother was an assistant coach for the USAFA gymnastics team and served as an P.E. instructor...she is currently an assistant swim coach at Cornell...has one older sister, who graduated from Colgate in 2005...a management major...would like to work in environmental conservation...hobbies include skiing, fly-fishing, hiking, biking and backpacking.



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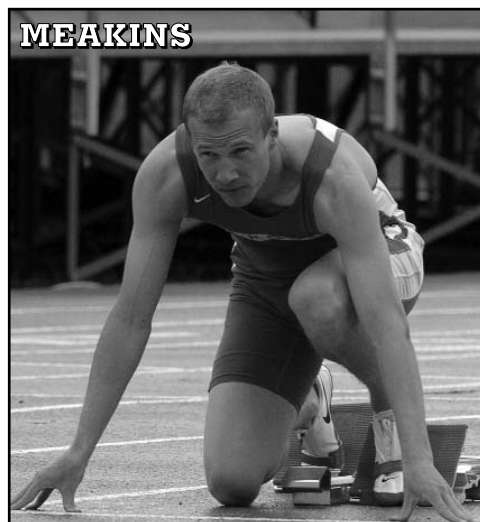
ERIK MIRANDETTE

Junior - C2C

Kentwood, Mich.
East Kentwood HS

Pole Vault

2003: Cleared a career-best 14'9½" at the Colorado School of Mines Open during the indoor season...recorded a season-best outdoor mark of 14'1¼" at the Air Force Twilight Meet...**2002:** Cleared a season-best 14'7¼" on the pole vault at Colorado during the outdoor season...posted a season-best indoor height of 13'7¼" at the Air Force All-Comers Meet...**HIGH SCHOOL:** Michigan state champion in the pole vault...recorded the third-best height (15'3") in the state...**PERSONAL:** Spent two years in Africa with a missionary group, delivering aid to villagers...severely injured in a terrorist bombing in Cairo shortly before returning the United States...it took nearly 30 surgeries to recover from the injuries in order to be readmitted to the Academy.



MEAKINS



KORTE



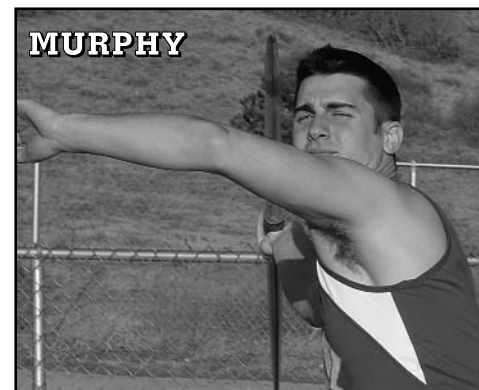
BRANDON MURPHY

Senior - C1C

Overland Park, Kan.
Blue Valley North HS

Javelin Throw

2006: Posted a season-best toss of 199'11" at the Don Kirby Invitational...earned a third-place finish at that meet...that mark was the third-best throw of the season for Air Force...also finished third at the Jack Christiansen Invitational...was one of five Falcons to finish within the top six spots...**2005:** Improved career-best mark in the javelin, throwing a 208'4" to finish fourth at the Brutus Hamilton Invitational...that mark ranks fifth in the Academy's all-time record book...qualified for the NCAA Midwest Regionals, placing 15th...placed sixth at the Mountain West Conference Outdoor Championships - one of four Air Force javelin throwers to finish within the top eight...toss of 204'9" was second at the Mt. SAC Relays...placed third (203'6") at the Arizona State Meet...recorded a fifth-place finish of 205'6" at the Willie Williams Invitational...**2004:** Named Newcomer of the Year...recorded the best javelin throw distance on the team with a 202'9" at the Ris Westen-Air Force Twilight Invitational...distance is the fourth-best in Academy history...mark also set a new Freshman Class record...finished third at the MWC Outdoor Championships...qualified for the NCAA Regionals...earned an 11th-place finish at the regional meet with a throw of 197'8"...named Field Athlete of the Week after setting a then-best mark of 198'1" to take third at New Mexico...**HIGH SCHOOL:** Three-sport athlete, participating in track and field, football and wrestling...all-state, all-region and all-conference honoree as a defensive end in football...won the regional in the javelin throw as a senior...finished third in the javelin at the state competition...**PERSONAL:** Parents are Mike and Terry Murphy...has one sister, Melissa...majoring in systems engineering management...named to the Dean's List and Commandant's List...hobbies include snowboarding, mountain biking and guitar...named to the academic all-conference list.



MURPHY



SAM OKE

Sophomore - C3C

Houston, Texas
Cypress Ridge HS

Triple Jump
Long Jump

2006: Spent freshman year as a member of the Air Force football team...**HIGH SCHOOL:** Was a member of the track team, competing in the hurdles...played wide receiver on the football team...member of the National Honor Society...also a member of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes...**PERSONAL:** Son of Charles and Dee Oke...has one brother, Charles (21)...an electrical engineering major...selected to the Dean's List both semesters of freshman year...hobbies include listening to music.



SEBASTIAN ORTIZ

Sophomore - C3C

Columbia, Pa.
Columbia HS

800, 1500

2006: Competed in the 800-meter and 1500-meter events during the outdoor season...clocked a personal-best 1:54.15 (adjusted for altitude) in the 800-meter run at the Jack Christiansen Invitational...personal-best time of 3:55.25a in the 1500-meter run came at the Ris Westen Air Force Twilight Meet...posted an indoor 800-meter run time of 1:55.55a at the Air Force Invitational...that time was the team's third-best of the season...recorded an indoor mile time of 4:20.43a at the Albuquerque Invitational.



ORTIZ



KATE PAPENBERG

Junior - C2C

Red Lion, Pa.
Red Lion HS

Steeplechase, 3K, 5K

2006: Moved into fourth on the Academy's all-time 3000-meter steeplechase list with a time of 11:22.82...clocked that time with a third-place finish at the Spring Break Classic...earned the team's Track Athlete of the Week award following that meet...also ran the 5000 meters during the outdoor season...picked up a season-best 18:36.20 (adjusted for altitude) at the Mountain West Conference Outdoor Championships...that was the second-best on the team...posted the second-best time of the season in the 5000-meter run (18:35.56a) at the Mountain West Conference Championships...also set a season-best 3000-meter run time of 10:49.18a at the conference meet...**2005:** Was the Falcons' only competitor in the 5000-meter run during the indoor season...clocked a time of 20:06.28a at the Air Force Invitational...also competed in the 3000-meter run with a time of 11:47.80a (converted for track size)...clocked the second-best time on the team in the 3000-meter steeplechase during the outdoor season...ran the event in 12:30.15a at the conference championships...**HIGH SCHOOL:** Placed fourth at the Pennsylvania state AAA cross country championships...posted personal-best times of 5:05 in the 1600-meters and 10:48.8 in the 3200-meters...**PERSONAL:** Daughter of Albert and Mary Papenberg...has one brother Mike and one sister Rachel...majoring in Foreign Area Studies...future plans include becoming a pilot...served as the Flight NCO...hobbies include spending time with friends and family...named to the Athletic Director's List...academic all-conference in cross country and track...member of the Air Force cross country team.



PAPENBERG



JOHN PAYNE

Junior - C2C

Tupelo, Miss.
Tupelo HS

Hurdles

2006: Led the team in the 60-meter hurdles (indoor) and 400-meter hurdles (outdoor)...clocked a season-best 8.45 in the 60-meter hurdles at the Air Force All-Comers Meet...earned the team's Track Athlete of the Week award following that meet...also competed in the 60-meter dash...collected a season-best time of 7.14 at the All-Comers Meet...won the 400-meter hurdles at the Ris Westen Air Force Twilight Meet after collecting a career-best time of 54.74...collected a season-best time of 15.42 in the 110-meter hurdles at the Colorado Invitational...**2005:** Competed in the outdoor season...recorded the second-best 400-meter hurdles time of the season...clocked a 57.79 at the Jack Christiansen Invitational...also recorded a career-best time of 15.83 in the 110-meter hurdles at that meet...ran the 200-meter dash at the Falcon Open, posting a season-best time of 23:34...**HIGH SCHOOL:** Competed on the track team...finished fourth in the 300-meter hurdles at the Mississippi state championships as a junior...placed fifth in the 110-meter hurdles at the state meet as a senior...also a member of the football team...served as captain of squad...top receiver for 5A Mississippi football...member of the soccer team...served as captain of team...played in two state soccer championships (2001, 2004)...president of the National French Honor Society...vice-president of the Key Club...member of Mu Alpha Theta...served as a Mississippi Boys State Delegate in 2003...member of the National Honor Society...member of the Tupelo High School Wave Connection (show choir)...voted Most Handsome in 2004...one of eight males and eight females to be voted Class Favorite in 2003...repeated that honor in 2004...**PERSONAL:** Son of Hiram (Lela) Payne and Deborah Payne...siblings include one sister Amy, one brother Nathan (deceased) and three step-brothers John Hall, Eric Faris, Jordan Faris...majoring in political science...also earning a minor in French and philosophy...future plans include receiving a master's and doctorate in political science and philosophy...hobbies include reading, skiing and cooking...served as First Sergeant of the BCT Cobras Squadron...also served as First Sergeant of Cadet Squadron 23.



TRAVIS PICOU

Junior - C2C

Spring Valley, Calif.
Mt. Miguel HS

100, 200

2006: Earned the team's Alonzo Babers Performance Award...Mountain West Conference champion in the indoor 200-meter dash for the second straight year...MWC championship-meet record holder in the 200-meter dash (21.11)...Academy record-holder in the outdoor 100- and 200-meter dashes...competed at the NCAA Indoor and Outdoor Championships...won the 200-meter dash at the season-opening Air Force All-Comers Meet with a time of 21.37...followed that up with a 200-meter dash win at the Adidas Classic (21.50)...also finished third in the 60-meter dash with a time of 6.92...continued the win streak with another top finish at the Air Force Invitational, clocking 21.41...had a three-meet win streak that was snapped with a second-place finish at Albuquerque (21.46)...clocked a career-best, NCAA Qualifying Time of 21.11 in the 200-meter dash at the MWC Indoor Championships to win his second straight title...that time is a new MWC championship-meet record and the second-best time in Academy history...closed out the indoor regular season with victories in the 60- (6.89) and 200-meter dashes (21.21) at the Air Force Open...finished 13th in the 200-meter dash at the NCAA Indoor Championships with a time of 21.24...won the 100- and 200-meter dashes at the Spring Break Classic...clocked a 200-meter dash time of 21.32 to finish fourth at the prestigious Stanford Invitational...shattered the Academy's 100-meter dash record in Boulder...won the event with a time of 10.46, a mark that bettered the previous record which had stood for 18 years...also set the program's 200-meter dash record with a winning time of 20.73...was a member of the winning 4x400-meter relay team as well...finished third in the 100-meter dash at the Pomona-Pitzer Invite...was the top collegiate finisher in the 100-meter dash at the Jack Christiansen Invitational...placed sixth in the "special division" of the Drake Relays' 200-meter dash - an event primarily composed of non-collegiate competitors...was a member of the 4x400-meter relay team that finished 19th at the Drake Relays... placed sixth in the 200-meter dash and seventh in the 100-meter dash at the MWC Outdoor Championships...placed ninth in the 200-meter dash preliminary heat at the NCAA Midwest Regional...earned MWC Athlete of the Week honors...**2005:** Named Mountain West Conference Freshman of the Year following the indoor and outdoor seasons...three-time MWC champion...won the 200-meter dash at the indoor meet with a time of 21.32...finished first in the 100-meter and 200-meter dashes at the outdoor championships with

respective times of 10.53 and 21.06...named the program's Newcomer of the Year...also earned the team's High Point award, after claiming 38.75 points at the conference and NCAA regional meets...named to the All-Midwest Region Team after finishing eighth in the 200-meter dash...recorded the second-fastest times in Academy history in the indoor 200-meter (21.32), 100-meter (10.53) and outdoor 200-meter (21.01) dashes...established Freshman Class records in the 100- and 200-meter dashes...five-time Air Force Track Athlete of the Week honoree...led the team with a 6.85 in the 60-meter dash at the MWC Championships, en route to a third-place finish...ran a leg of the 4x400-meter relay team that finished third at the conference's outdoor meet...also competed in the indoor long jump, collecting a distance of 21'7¾"...ran the 400-meter dash at the Falcon Open in a time of 51.50...**HIGH SCHOOL:** Named Mt. Miguel High School Athlete of the Year during senior year...finished 11th in the 200-meter dash at the state championships as a senior...earned the Grossmont Union High School District Sportsmanship award...ran a 21.75 in the 200-meter dash...also recorded best marks of 23'1" in the long jump and 10.63 in the 100-meter dash...**PERSONAL:** Son of John and Norma Picou...has three sisters (Alexis Picou, Angela Shanahan, Lynne Trones) and one brother (Scott Shanahan)...majoring in management...named to the Dean's List...earned an Athletics Pin during three semesters...served as Element Leader of CS-06...also served as Athletic NCO...hobbies include running, music, saxophone, flute, soccer, "World of Warcraft", other video games, "Star Wars" and talking to fiancé...hopes to qualify for the World Class Athlete Program (WCAP) following graduation... future plans include becoming the CEO of a Fortune 500 company.



PINSON



PAYNE



MATT PINSON

Senior - C1C

Prosser, Wash.
Prosser HS

Shot Put, Hammer

2006: Recorded a career-best weight throw (49'11¼") at the Air Force Invitational...that was the third-best distance on the team...also tallied the team's third-best shot put mark of the season with a 47'3" at the Mountain West Conference Indoor Championships...posted a distance of 44'4¼" in the outdoor shot put at the Don Kirby Invitational...recorded a throw of 152'6" in the hammer throw at the Ris Westen Air Force Twilight Meet...**2005:** Recorded the second-best pound weight throw of the season, with a 42'6" at the Air Force Invitational...posted the team's third-best shot put of the indoor season at 48'3¼" (Air Force Open)...set a season-best outdoor shot put mark of 48'1¾" at the Jack Christiansen Invitational...tossed a 147'11" in the hammer throw at the Don Kirby Invitational...both marks were the team's third-best distances of the season...**HIGH SCHOOL:** Member of the track team...earned all-conference honors...competed at the state championships...also a member of the football team...collected numerous conference and state awards, as well as academic awards...member of the National Honor Society...**PERSONAL:** Son of Jim and Cathy Pinson...is an only child...majoring in physics...will be attending pilot training directly after graduation...Dean's List honoree...currently serving as Academic Officer for squadron...named to the academic all-MWC list...honored as a MWC Scholar-Athlete.



PICOU



DIERRA POLAND

Senior - C1C

Deptford, N.J.
Deptford Township HS

**Hurdles, Long Jump
Heptathlon**

2006: Earned the team's Laura Piper 'Ironman' Award...entered the Academy record books in five events...crushed the program's 100-meter hurdles record at the Colorado Invitational...won the event with a time of 13.77...that shattered the Academy's 21-year-old record and was an NCAA qualifying time...ran the last leg of the shuttle hurdles relay team that broke the Academy record at the Drake Relays...team clocked a time of 61.62...won the high jump at the Potts Invitational with a jump of 5'3 $\frac{3}{4}$ "...in addition to the 100-meter hurdles, led the team in the 200-meter dash, long jump and heptathlon...ran a season-best 200-meter time of 25.87 at the Mt. SAC/Cal Hephthathlon...also tallied a season-best 4576 points at that meet...that total is a new Junior Class record and the second-most points in Academy history...recorded a team-leading distance of 18'1" in the long jump at the Mountain West Conference Outdoor Championships...that mark is fifth on the program's all-time list...is the second on the team in the 800-meter run (2:45.54), high jump (5'3") and shot put (41'5 $\frac{1}{4}$ ")...shot put mark is the sixth-best distance in Academy history...was a three-time honoree of the team's Track Athlete of the Week award...also earned the Falcons' Field Athlete of the Week...redshirted the indoor season...selected as captain for the 2007 team...**2005:** Earned the Mountain West Conference Sportsmanship Award for Track and Field...shattered the Academy's pentathlon record at the MWC Indoor Championships...tallied 3586 points to break the previous total by 350 points...finished sixth in the multi-event meet with that total...finished fourth in the 60-meter hurdles at the MWC Championships with a time of 8.63...hurdles time is the second-best in Academy history...set new Sophomore Class records in the pentathlon and 60-meter hurdles...named the team's Field Athlete of the Week following the conference meet...also led the team in the long jump with a distance of 17'10 $\frac{1}{4}$ "...ranked second on the team in the high jump with a height of 5'1" ...ranked third on the team in the 200-meter dash (27.06) fourth on the team in the 60-meter dash (8.09) and ninth in the shot put (41'2 $\frac{1}{4}$ ")...did not compete in the outdoor season... selected as a captain for the 2006 season...**2004:** Named Newcomer of the Week at the All-Comers Meet, Outstanding Competitor at the Wyoming Triangular and Clutch Performer at the KT Woodman Classic...repeated Newcomer of the Week honors at the Glenn Morris Heptathlon (GMH) after setting personal-best marks in five events...ran a career-best 60-meter hurdles time of

8.81 at the Air Force Open, which is the second-best time in Academy history...team-leading 14.62 in the 100-meter hurdles at the GMH is the third-best time in Academy history...scored 4282 heptathlon at the GMH...time is fourth in program history...ranked second on the team in the high jump (5'0 $\frac{1}{4}$ ") and long jump (16'8 $\frac{3}{4}$ ")...**HIGH SCHOOL:** Two-time New Jersey Group 2 state champion in the 55-meter hurdles and 100-meter hurdles...New Jersey Group 2 state champion in the high jump (1998)...three-time All-South jersey outdoor team honoree...two-time All-South Jersey indoor team honoree...ranked fifth in the state in the 100-meter hurdles as a senior...**PERSONAL:** Parents are Yvonne and Carl Bagby and Darryl Poland...has one older brother Derrell (27) and one younger sister DeAnna (21)...a social science major...future plans include becoming a contracting officer within the Air Force...USAF Fitness Club competitor...earned a Commandant's Pin and Athletic Director's Pin...hobbies include drawing... was a member of the Academy's junior varsity volleyball team as a freshman...attended the Academy's Prep School...transferred from Seton Hall...spent 1999-2000 as a member of the SHU outdoor track and field team.



KELLY ROBINSON

Junior - C2C

Holt, Mich
Holt HS

1500, 800

2006: Received the team's Callie Calhoun Award for Drive and Determination...recorded the second-best 1500-meter run time in Academy history...ran the event in 4:26.81 to finish second at the prestigious Drake Relays...that mark is a new Sophomore Class record and a NCAA Regional Qualifying Time...won the 800-meter run at the Air Force Twilight Meet with a season-best time of 2:13.96...that was the best time of the season for Air Force by 32 seconds...posted the Falcons' best times of the season in the 800-meter run and mile...won the 800-meter run at the Air Force Invitational with a season-best time of 2:16.59 (adjusted for altitude)...earned the team's Track Athlete of the Week award...ran the mile in 4:53.16 at Notre Dame...member of the 4x400-meter relay team that won the Air Force All-Comers Meet...also a member of the relay squad that clocked a season-best time of 4:08.05 at the Mountain West Conference Indoor Championships...**2005:** Named the team's Newcomer of the Year...set the school record in the mile (4:49.29) at the Alex Wilson Invitational...led off the Academy's record-setting outdoor distance medley relay team (11:26.41)...was named the team's Track Athlete of the Week on four separate occasions...earned all-conference honors following a third-place finish in the mile at the

Mountain West Conference Indoor Championships...led the team in the 3000-meter run after finishing in 10:24.03a at the Air Force Invitational...had the second-best time of the season in the 800-meter run (2:14.97)...that time is sixth in the program's record books...ran the second-leg of the season's top mile relay team (3:56.04) that posted the sixth-best time ever...also ran a leg of the team's best 4x400-meter relay team (3:52.66) and sprint medley relay team (4:07.19)...was the second-fastest Falcon of the season in the 400-meter dash (58.18), 800-meter run (2:11.01) and 1500-meter run (4:30.21) during the outdoor season...all three times rank among the program's all-time top-10, highlighted by a third-place ranking in the 1500-meter run...finished fifth in the 1500-meter run at the MWC Outdoor Championships...**HIGH SCHOOL:** Earned All-America status in the 800-meter run at the Adidas Outdoor Championships... named Academic All-American in swimming and track...honored by the "Detroit Free Press" as one of the top-10 student-athletes in Michigan...three-time runner-up in the mile and 800-meter run at the state championships...named Athlete of the Year by the "Lansing State Journal" for swimming and track...salutatorian...homecoming queen...recorded personal-best times of 2:12.59 in the 800-meter run and 4:55.6 in the 1600-meter run...**PERSONAL:** Daughter of Rick and Karen Robinson...has two brothers, Aaron and Nathan... Aaron is an Air Force Security Forces enlisted...majoring in political science...named to the Dean's and Athletic Director's Lists...academic all-conference in cross country and track as a freshman and sophomore...earned all-conference honors following a 13th-place finish at the 2004 MWC Cross Country Championships - the first female to earn an all-MWC nod since 1999...two-time MVP (2004, 2006) of the Air Force cross country team.





MATT SCHWANDT

Senior - C1C
Manhattan, Kan.
Manhattan HS
Javelin Throw

2006: Improved standing on the Academy's all-time javelin list (218'6")...earned all-conference honors following a second-place finish (212'9") at the Mountain West Conference Championships...threw a career-best 218'6" to win the Jack Christiansen Invitational...that mark was the third-best throw in program history and a NCAA regional qualifier...led an Air Force sweep of the top four spots...earned the team's Field Athlete of the Week award following that meet...placed fifth at the Drake Relays with a throw of 206'9"...was one of just five athletes in the 29-member field to clear the 205' mark...repeated the Field Athlete of the Week honor following the Relays...finished second in the javelin at the Spring Break Classic...selected as captain of the 2007 team...**2005:** Moved into third on the Academy's all-time list with a throw of 214'6" at the Jack Christiansen Invitational...that mark is a new Sophomore Class record...earned the team's Field Athlete of the Week award following that meet...was the runner-up at the Mountain West Conference Outdoor Championships with a toss of 210'11"...was the runner-up at the Drake Relays (University/College Division) after throwing a 204'3"...placed ninth at the NCAA Midwest Regionals with a throw of 193'6"...finished fourth at the Arizona State Invitational with a throw of 202'10"...**2004:** Recorded a season-best throw of 195'0" to win the event at Colorado State...throw ranks 10th on the program's all-time list...earned Newcomer of the Week honors at Wichita State with a 191'4" throw in javelin debut...**HIGH SCHOOL:** Two-time Kansas 6A state champion in the javelin throw...High School All-America honoree as a senior...Kansas state record holder...ranked second in the nation for high school javelin throwers with a distance of 219'5"...state runner-up in the event as a senior...**PERSONAL:** Son of Gary and Connie Schwandt...has one sister, Sarah...majoring in management...future plans include becoming an acquisitions officer...served as Flight Commander...hobbies include water skiing, basketball and snow skiing.



SCHWANDT



BECKY STONE

Senior - C1C
Danville, Calif.
Cardonelet HS
Pole Vault

2006: Moved up the all-time pole vault rankings during both the indoor and outdoor seasons...improved to fourth on the Academy's all-time pole vault list during the indoor season...cleared a career-best 11'0³/₄" to place fifth at the Air Force Invitational...that was the second-best mark on the team...jumped to fifth on the all-time list for outdoor pole vaults...cleared a personal-best 10'6" at the Potts Invitational...finished as the runner-up at that meet...**2005:** Recorded an indoor career-best height of 10'8" at the Colorado School of Mines Open...that mark is the second-best height on the team and ranks third on the Academy's all-time list...finished in a tie for third at the Mines Open...cleared a season-best outdoor pole vault mark of 10'0" to finish second at the Falcon Open...**2004:** Posted an indoor season-best height of 10'4" at the Air Force Invitational...mark is fourth on the program's all-time list...recorded an outdoor-best mark of 10'0" at Sacramento, which is tied for fourth on the all-time list...earned the team's weekly Clutch Performer award following performance at the Air Force Invitational...**HIGH SCHOOL:** Two-time BVAL league champion in the pole vault...finished third in the North Coast Sectionals as a senior...finished fourth in the Meet of Champions to secure a spot in the California state meet...**PERSONAL:** Daughter of William and Carolyn Stone...a chemistry major...selected to the Dean's List for excellence in academics...named to the Commandant's List for excellence in military duties...honored with the Athletic Pin, which recognizes excellence in physical fitness...served as the chief of the Commandant's Challenge...three-time academic all-MWC team member...earned MWC Scholar-Athlete honors as a junior.



STONE



JOSH VAN WYNGAARDEN

Junior - C2C
La Vista, Neb.
Papillion La Vista HS
Steeplechase, 5K

2006: Posted the Falcons' second-best time of the season in the 3000-meter steeplechase...clocked in at 9:29.75 (adjusted for altitude) at the Don Kirby Invitational...also participated in the 1500-meter run...posted a season-best time of 4:02.48a at the Jack Christiansen Invitational...recorded the third-best 5000 meter time on the team (15:00.83a) at the Mountain West Conference Indoor Championships...one of five Falcons to finish within the top-five of the 5000-meter run at the Air Force Invitational...also competed in the 3000-meter run...posted season-best time of 8:39.30a at the Albuquerque Invitational...**2005:** Recorded a career-best 3000-meter run time of 8:46a at the Air Force Open...competed in the 3000-meter steeplechase and 5000-meter run during the outdoor season...posted a career-best steeplechase time of 9:50.02a at the Jack Christiansen Invitational...**HIGH SCHOOL:** Named all-state cross country...finished eighth as a senior in state cross country meet...ran the mile in 4:24...also has a career-best time of 1:58.5 in the 800-meter run...**PERSONAL:** Son of Fritz and Jill Van Wyngaarden...has one sister, Kristin...majoring in biology...plans on attending medical school...named to the Superintendent's List for excellence in military, academic and athletic performance...served as the Group NCO...hobbies include running, sports and spending time with family, friends and girlfriend...member of the Air Force cross country team...named to the academic all-conference team for cross country and track...selected as a Mountain West Conference Scholar-Athlete.



VAN WYNGAARDEN



BRIAN WALSH

Senior - C1C

Redlands, Calif.
Redlands HS

Decathlon
Pole Vault, Long Jump

2006: Named the team's Most Valuable Player...also earned the High Point Award for the men's team...Mountain West Conference champion in the heptathlon...Academy record-holder in that event...competed at the NCAA Indoor Championships...two-time all-conference honoree...topped his own program standard in the indoor multi-event with a winning score of 5412 at the MWC Championships...became the second straight Falcon to win the MWC heptathlon...won final event - the 1000-meter run - to secure the title...led the Falcons with a 6'4¼" high jump at the conference meet...also posted the team's top long jump distance of the season...jumped to 23'0¼" at the NCAA Indoor Championships...originally set the Academy record in the heptathlon at the Air Force Invitational, posting a score of 5318 points...was the second-fastest Falcon in the 60-meter dash (7.03) and 60-meter hurdles (8.45)...ran a leg of the 4x400-meter relay team that timed a 3:17.77 at the conference meet...earned the team's Field Athlete of the Week award on two occasions during the indoor season...moved into fourth on the program's all-time decathlon list...scored 6940 points at the MWC Outdoor Championships...finished third at the conference meet...placed second out of 26 competitors at the Mt. SAC/Cal Combined Events Meet...clocked the team's second-best 100-meter dash time of the season (11.02)...also ranked second in the long jump (22'7¼")...was third on the team in the 110-meter hurdles (15.53), high jump (6'2") and pole vault (15'3")...earned the team's Field Athlete of the Week award once during the outdoor season...**2005:** Earned the team's Laura Piper 'Ironman' Award...finished second in the decathlon at the Mountain West Conference Outdoor Championships with 6716 points...that total is the fifth-most in Academy history...also set a personal-best distance in the long jump (22'1½") to finish fifth at the conference meet...tied for the team lead on the outdoor high jump with a height of 6'4"...was a member of the team-leading 4x100-meter relay team that clocked in at 42.53 to finish fourth at the conference meet...ran the second leg of the 4x400-meter relay team that finished third at the MWC Championships in a season-best time of 3:13.23...earned a fourth-place mark in the heptathlon at the MWC Indoor Championships with a career-best 5012 points...that total is the third-best ever in Academy history and a new Sophomore Class record...finished second in the heptathlon at the Air Force Invitational with 4803 points...led the Falcons during the indoor season with a long jump mark of 22'11¾"...ranked third on the team in the high jump with a height of

6'2¼"...also ranked third on the team in the 60-meter dash with a time of 7.11...earned the team's Field Athlete of the Week on three occasions...**2004:** Recorded 4662 points in the heptathlon at the MWC indoor championships to finish eighth...total is fourth on the program's all-time list and a new Freshman Class record...tallied a career-best 6188 points in the decathlon at the conference outdoor meet, which is the 10th-best total all-time at the Academy...ran the indoor 400-meter dash in 50.26 at the Air Force Open...ran the race during the outdoor season with a time of 50.34 at the CSU Decathlon...ranked fourth on the team in the outdoor high jump (6'0¾"), long jump (21'10¼") and triple jump (41'6")...shared the program's weekly Outstanding Competitor award with mile relay teammates following a season-best performance at the quadrangular with Arizona, Colorado State and Colorado...ranked sixth in the country in the decathlon for those 19 and under...**HIGH SCHOOL:** Four-time track MVP...league champion in the 200-meter (22.10) and 400-meter (49.49) dashes, as well as the triple jump (45'2¼")...also lettered three years in football and soccer...first-team Division I all-CIF southern section wide receiver...2003 Ken Hubbs Award recipient for athlete of the year in San Bernardino country...named 2002-03 Male Prep Athlete of the Year by the "San Bernardino Sun"...**PERSONAL:** Son of Brian and Sherry Walsh...has one sister, Janee, who is a sophomore at UC-Irvine...majoring in social sciences...attending undergraduate pilot training after graduation...named to the Dean's List and Athletic Director's List...hobbies include golf, snowboarding, wakeboarding and traveling.



MARCUS WELLS

Senior - C1C

Joseph, Ore.
Joseph HS

Javelin Throw

2006: Improved standing in the Academy's all-time record book for the javelin...recorded a career-best 207'6" at the Mountain West Conference Outdoor Championships...that mark is the sixth-best time in Academy history and a NCAA Regional Qualifying Mark...finished fourth at the conference meet...won the javelin throw at the Spring Break Classic...led the Falcons to four of the top-five spots in that event...finished second at the Jack Christiansen Invitational with a throw of 195'9" as the Falcons took the top-four spots...**2005:** Recorded a career-best throw of 203'1" to finish third at the Jack Christiansen Invitational...that mark ranks sixth in the Academy's all-time record book...qualified for the NCAA Midwest Regionals...won his flight at the regional meet with a toss of 199'5", finishing sixth overall...earned all-conference honors after finishing third at the Mountain

West Conference Outdoor Championships behind a throw of 201'3"...won the event at the Mt. SAC Relays (University/Open) with a throw of 199'9"...named the team's Field Athlete of the Week after setting a then career-best mark of 200'0" to win the javelin throw at the Falcon Open...**2004:** Threw a season-best throw of 198'0" in the javelin at the MWC Outdoor Championships to finish fourth...distance is ranked sixth in the program's all-time record books and was the second-best throw of the season... named Newcomer of the Week after debuting in the javelin at the UC-Irvine Quad with a fourth-place finish of 178'1"...repeated the honor at the Tom Benich Classic following a personal-best distance by over 10 feet...received the honor again at the Cardinal Invitational with an improved toss of 195'2"...**HIGH SCHOOL:** Four-year letterwinner in track and basketball...state champion in the javelin throw during 2002...**PERSONAL:** Parents are Bill and Christy Wells...has one brother, Benson...an economics major...hobbies include sports, snowboarding and basketball.



MATT WILLIAMS

Sophomore - C3C

Colorado Springs, Colo.
Air Academy HS

5K, Steeplechase, 1500

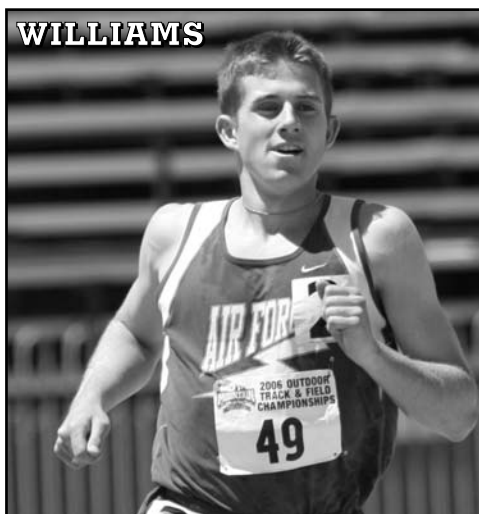
2006: Earned the team's Newcomer of the Year award...clocked the Falcons' fastest 3000-meter steeplechase time of the season...finished the event in 9:21.31 at the Stanford Invitational...ranked fourth on the team in the 5000-meter run...clocked career-best 14:57.66 (adjusted for altitude) in that event at the Mountain West Conference Outdoor Championships...also competed in the 1500-meter run, clocking 3:55.44a...was one of four Falcons to finish within the top-six at the Colorado Invitational...during the indoor season, posted the fastest times by a non-senior in the 3000-meter run (8:27.14a) and the 5000-meter run (14:49.18a)...also competed in the mile, clocking a season-best time of 4:15.76a...finished second in the 3000-meter run at the Albuquerque Invitational...part of an Air Force sweep of the top three spots...place fourth in the same event at the Adidas Classic...**HIGH SCHOOL:** Runner-up at the Colorado 5A state cross country championships...posted best times of 4:19 and 9:28 (both converted for altitude)...**PERSONAL:** Son of Jim and Mary Williams...has one sister, Katie...majoring in behavioral sciences...plans on attending graduate school in the future...named to the Superintendent's List for excellence in military, academic and athletic performance...hobbies include playing basketball and watching movies...member of the Air Force cross country team...two-time academic all-conference honoree for both cross country and track.



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WILLIAMS



**MELISSA
BEERSE**

Freshman - C4C

Morrow, Ohio
Little Miami HS

Pole Vault

HIGH SCHOOL: Placed third in pole vault at 2006 Ohio Division I state championships with a jump of 11'9"...placed eighth in the state meet as a sophomore and fifth as a junior...career-best vault was 12'2".



**NICK
FRAWLEY**

Freshman - C4C

Midlothian, Texas
Midlothian HS

Pole Vault

HIGH SCHOOL: Won the pole vault at the Texas 4A state high school championship with a leap of 17'0"...followed that up with a win at the Great Southwest Invitational in Albuquerque, clearing a mark of 17'0³/₄"...that mark ranked him as the fifth-best high school senior in the U.S. for 2006...that mark also broke 2000 Olympic Gold Medalist Nick Hysong's meet record...placed sixth at the Nike High School Outdoor Nationals...recorded a seventh-place finish at the USA Junior Championships...earned national champion honors at the 2003 USATF Youth Outdoor Meet...claimed back-to-back national champion titles at the AAU Championships (2004-05)...also lettered in football and baseball...earned all-4A District honors as a wide receiver...**PERSONAL:** Selected as the top-ranked basic cadet of the Class of 2010 during BCT.



**BRITTANY
MORREALE**

Freshman - C4C

Rancho Palo Verdes, Calif.
Peninsula HS

5K, 3K, 10K

HIGH SCHOOL: Place eighth in California state meet in the 3200-meter run...had season-best times of 10:42.56 (3200-meter run) and 5:03.58 (1600-meter run)...placed seventh at the California Division I cross country championships as a senior.



**SARA
NEUBAUER**

Freshman - C4C

Bottineau, N.D.
Bottineau HS

Shot, Hammer, Discus

HIGH SCHOOL: Set the North Dakota high school Division-B state meet record in the discus throw with a winning toss of 148'8"...that mark established her as the nation's 10th-ranked discus thrower from the class of 2006...also won the 2006 state javelin title with a throw of 143'2"...won the 2005 shot put state title with a personal best throw of 43'7".



**DAN
PALADINO**

Freshman - C4C

Monroe, N.Y.
Monroe-Woodbury HS

Hammer Throw

HIGH SCHOOL: Posted a season-best hammer throw (12-lbs.) of 200'1"...that mark ranked him as the nation's fifth-best high school senior in 2006...also posted a 16-lb. hammer distance of 163'10"...that mark was surpassed by only one other high school thrower from the Class of 2006...threw the 25-lb. weight 67'3³/₄" and the 35-lb. weight 47'5¹/₄"...both marks are ranked among the leading marks in the country for 2006 indoor season.



**ALISON
ROMANKO**

Freshman - C4C

North Bend, Ore.
North Bend HS

800

HIGH SCHOOL: Won the Oregon 3A state high school championships in the pole vault at 11'6"... also placed second in the 800-meter run and sixth in the 300-meter hurdles...recorded a season-best time of 2:13.13 in the 800-meter run that ranked second in Oregon among all classifications.