



Men's Co-Track & Field Athletes of the Week

Nate Brannen, Michigan SR, Cambridge, Ontario/Preston

Brannen shares Athlete of the Week honors for the second straight week after running the second-fastest indoor mile in collegiate history. He finished fifth at the Reebok Boston Indoor Games with a time of 3:55.11. The senior bettered his personal best in the event by almost three seconds and missed the 31-year old collegiate record by just 0.11 seconds. With the performance, the Cambridge, Ont., native set a new Canadian senior indoor and Wolverines' school record, as well as an NCAA automatic qualifying time. Brannen was also named national athlete of the week for Division I by the United States Track Coaches Association (USTCA).

Demi Omole, Wisconsin SO, Whitefish Bay, Wis./Dominican

Omole ran the third fastest time in the nation and set a UW record in the 60-meter dash at the Illinois Invitational on Saturday. The sophomore won the event in 6.62 seconds which was an NCAA automatic qualifying mark and an Illinois facility record. The Whitefish Bay, Wis., native picks up the first weekly accolade of his career and is the first Badger to win the award since Matt Tegenkamp on Feb. 12, 2002.

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

January

- 29 ILL at Carle/Health Alliance Invite, 218.5 (1 of 5)
- IOWA at Carle/Health Alliance Invite, 93 (3 of 5)
- WIS at Carle/Health Alliance Invite, 57 (4 of 5)
- IND at Hoosier Relays, NTS
- MINN at Northern Iowa Invitational, NTS
- MICH at Boston Indoor Games & Boston Univ. Invite, NTS
- MSU at Notre Dame Invitational
- OSU at Ohio State Invitational, NTS
- PSU at Penn State National Open, NTS
- PUR at Rod McCravy Memorial, NTS

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

February

- 4 ILL at New Balance Invite (Manhattan, N.Y.)
- IND, MICH, MSU, WIS at Meyo Invitational (South Bend, Ind.)
- MINN at Husker Invitational (Lincoln, Neb.)
- OSU at Armory Collegiate Invitational (New York, N.Y.)
- 5 ILL at New Balance Invite (Manhattan, N.Y.)
- IND, MICH, MSU, WIS at Meyo Invitational (South Bend, Ind.)
- IOWA at Panther Classic (Cedar Falls, Iowa)
- MINN at Husker Invitational (Lincoln, Neb.)
- OSU at Armory Collegiate Invitational (New York, N.Y.)
- UCONN, Princeton at PSU
- PUR at Gene Edmonds Cup (West Lafayette, Ind.)

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1.	Arkansas	73
2.	Michigan	40
3.	Indiana	32
4.	Texas	28
	Wisconsin	28
6.	Florida	27
7.	LSU	26
8.	Florida State	23
9.	Arizona	20
	Texas Tech	20
11.	UCLA	18
	Colorado State	18
13.	Tennessee	17
14.	BYU	16
	Oregon	16
16.	Stanford	15
	Arizona State	15
	Auburn	15
19.	Oklahoma	14
20.	Baylor	13
	USC	13
22.	Kansas State	12
	Mississippi	12
	East Carolina	12
25.	Nebraska	11
	Virginia Tech	11

2005 Athletes of the Week

- J11 Ryan Ketchum, IND
- J18 Aarik Wilson, IND
- J25 Nate Brannen, MICH
- Nedzad Mulabegovic, PUR
- F1 Nate Brannen, MICH
- Demi Omole, WIS

Big Ten Men's Indoor Championships

The 2005 Big Ten Men's Indoor Track & Field Championships will be held at Purdue University on February 26-27.

