



## NATYCAA NEWS SUMMER 2006

### President's Message

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It was exiting to help with the recovery of New Orleans. We were happy to be one of the first conferences to come back to the Big Easy. It is amazing the resolve of the Crescent City. We became in complete awe of the stories we heard about Hurricane Katrina. A special thanks to Tommy Smith from Delgado Community College for sharing his stories of what it was like to deal with Katrina professionally and personally. Many of us in the audience couldn't fathom what it must have been like to worry about your student-athletes well being but also your family. Thanks to Tommy for his insight. It was much appreciated. See you all in Orlando!



*NATYCAA President 2005-06 Lou Pullano from the Community College of Rhode Island  
Photo courtesy of Joan Tiefel*

## NATYCAA Awards Luncheon



*George Mason University's Head Coach Jim Larranaga – Photo courtesy of Joan Tiefel*

The 2006 Awards Luncheon was highlighted by Coach Jim Larranaga, Head Men's Basketball Coach at George Mason University, who was the Keynote speaker. Coach Larranaga had the NATYCAA members on their seats, with his experience in coaching from being an assistant at Virginia, to his final four run at George Mason University, and his inspirational stories his commitment to success of his student-athletes both on and off the court. NATYCAA appreciates Coach Larranaga taking time out of his busy schedule to visit us in New Orleans.

### PEPSI Cup

**Through the Pepsi NATYCAA Awards of Excellence, Pepsi annually awards over \$13,000 in scholarship to two-year colleges, recognizing excellence in athletics based on success in championship competition. In the NJCAA non-scholarship division, College of Dupage finished first with Mohawk Valley Community College and Herkimer County Community College finishing second and third. In the NJCAA scholarship division, Monroe College took top honors followed by Mesa Community College and Johnson County Community College. The State Association Division was won by Long Beach City College. Mt. San Antonio College and Santa Rosa College finished second and third respectively.**

### **NJCAA Non-Scholarship Division – Final Standings**

1.	College of DuPage	142.5
2.	Mohawk Valley CC	140.0
3.	Herkimer County CC	128.5
4.	William Rainey Harper	121.0
5.	Erie CC	120.0
6.	Gloucester CC	118.0
7.	SUNY Morrisville	86.0
8.	Ridgewater CC	84.5
9.	Anne Arundel CC	82.5
10.	SUNY Delhi	81.0



*Winner of the NJCAA Non-Scholarship Division-College of DuPage, Glen Ellyn, IL  
Left to right: Rich Wilson, Pepsi; Lou Pullano, 2005-06 NATYCAA President, LuAnn Zimmick, College of DuPage Assistant Athletic Director; and Keynote Speaker Jim Laranaga, Head Men's Basketball Coach at George Mason. Photo courtesy of Joan Tiefel*

### **Pepsi/NATYCAA Cup**

#### **NJCAA Scholarship Division Final Standings**

1.	Monroe CC	147.5
2.	Mesa CC	133.5
3.	Johnson County CC	123.5
4.	Cowley College	113.5
5.	Iowa Central CC	109.5
6.	Butler County CC	107.0
7.	Barton County CC	104.0
8.	Central Arizona CC	98.0
9.	Alfred CC	90.0
10.	CC-Rhode Island	89.5



*Winner of the NJCAA Scholarship Division-Monroe CC, Rochester, NY  
 Left to right: Rich Wilson, Pepsi; Lou Pullano, 2005-06 NATYCAA President; Susan Salvador, Monroe CC Vice President of Student Services; Bruce Shapiro, Monroe CC Athletic Director; and Keynote Speaker Jim Larranaga, Head Men's Basketball Coach at George Mason.  
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**State Association Division- Final Standings**

1.	Long Beach City	174.5
2.	Mt. San Antonio	154.0
3.	Santa Rosa	143.5
4.	Sierra	135.5
5.	Orange Coast	131.5
6.	Diablo Valley	129.5
7.	Riverside	126.0
8.	American River	125.5
9.	Fresno City	124.5
10T	San Francisco	119.5
10T	West Valley	119.5

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### **William L. Miller Award/NATYCAA Hall of Fame**

Each year during the NATYCAA luncheon, NATYCAA bestows its highest honor, the L. William Miller award, to recognize athletics administration excellence on the two-year college level. This year's award was presented to **John Stauff**. John served Ocean County College, in Toms River, NJ for 35 years. Congratulations John. **Warren Hansen**, the 2005 L. William Miller Award winner was also recognized, as Warren could not attend last year.

Three long time members and friends of NATYCAA, **William "Bill" Miller, Bob Dinenburg**, and **Ron Warnock** were inducted into the NATYCAA Hall of Fame. Bill Miller served twenty-eight years at St. Louis Community College at Florissant Valley and was a NATYCAA "Founding Father." Bob Dineburg served Santa Barbara City College for thirty-one years and was also a NATYCAA "Founding Father." Ron Warnock served Miami-Dade Community College for twenty-seven years and DeAnza College for six and one-half years. Congratulations gentlemen, an honor greatly deserved.

### **NACDA/Summit Insurance – Scholar Athlete Awards**

**Kathy Polanshek** and **Carol Malouf** presented the Annual NACDA / Summit Insurance scholar athlete awards to Sarah Gaffney of Mohawk Valley, Utica, NY and Brett Mieras of Iowa Western CC, Council Bluffs, IO. Each student will receive a \$500 scholarship in recognition of their academic and athletic accomplishments.

### **NATYCAA 2007**

NATYCAA encourages you to make plans now for next years convention scheduled for **June 6 and 7, 2007 at the Marriott World Resort in Orlando Florida**. The 2007 Convention will mark the **20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of NATYCAA** and is sure to be the best convention yet.

