

# PATRIOT LEAGUE SWIMMING & DIVING 2007.08



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## MALE SWIMMER OF THE WEEK

**JOE CORONATO, AMERICAN** *Sr., Toms River, N.J.*

Coronato led the Eagles to their first dual-meet victory of the season on Friday when they defeated Howard 108-89. The senior was one of two AU swimmers to win two individual events during the meet. He swam a time of 46:79 to win the 100 Free, and his time of 1:47:26 was good enough for first in the 200 Free.



## FEMALE SWIMMER OF THE WEEK

**DOROTHY ISAACS, AMERICAN** *Fr., San Jose, Calif.*

Isaacs continued her scorching start to her career by leading the Eagles to their first dual-meet victory of the season on Friday when they took down Howard 119-80. The newcomer was one of two American swimmers to win two individual events during the course of the meet. She won the 100 Breast in a time of 1:10.54 and also took home a victory in the 200 IM with a mark of 2:14.91.



## MALE DIVER OF THE WEEK

**MICHAEL O'BRIEN, AMERICAN** *Jr., LIVERPOOL, N.Y.*

O'Brien becomes the first American diver to win male diver of the week accolades this season after a strong performance in the team's dual-meet victory over Howard last week. He recorded a victory in the one-meter event with a score of 145.50.



## FEMALE DIVER OF THE WEEK

**KELSEY MONARCH, AMERICAN** *Fr., Downingtown, Pa.*

Monarch becomes the first American diver to win female diver of the week honors this season following her impressive performance in the dual-meet win over Howard. She posted a score of 200.55 in the one-meter event to help lead the Eagles to victory for the first time this season.



## December 11, 2007

### UPCOMING SCHEDULE

No Events Scheduled.

### LATEST RESULTS

**Friday, December 7**

American at HowardW, 108-89 (M); W, 119-80 (W)

#### "TODAY'S SCHOLAR-ATHLETES, TOMORROW'S LEADERS"

The Patriot League continually demonstrates that student-athletes can excel at both academics and athletics without sacrificing its high standards. The Patriot League's athletic success is achieved while its member institutions remain committed to its founding principle of admitting and graduating student-athletes that are academically representative of their class. Participation in athletics at Patriot League institutions is viewed as an important component of a well-rounded education.

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## HONORABLE MENTION

## PERFORMANCES LAST WEEK

## MEDIA SERVICES

### PATRIOT LEAGUE ON THE WEB

[www.patriotleague.com](http://www.patriotleague.com)

Patriot League.com features the latest news and stories on all eight Patriot League members. In addition, the site also contains the 2007 Patriot League media guide, up-to-date statistics, schedules, results and archives.

### WEEKLY RELEASE

Media can access a downloadable Adobe Acrobat PDF files of the complete Patriot League weekly swimming and diving release on the Patriot League Swimming and Diving page.

### E-MAIL DISTRIBUTION

Media may contact the Patriot League office to be included on the Patriot League's e-mail lists for swimming and diving releases and information (or any of the Patriot League's sports). Please contact Patriot League Media and External Relations Assistant Kerry Kenny ([kkenny@patriotleague.com](mailto:kkenny@patriotleague.com) / 610.289.1960) with requests or questions.

## PATRIOT LEAGUE NOTEBOOK

### A WINTER BREAK

Seven of the eight schools in the Patriot League have finished competing for the 2007 calendar year. The lone exception is American, who will compete on Dec. 29 in Spain. Teams will break from competition for exams, the holidays and the annual winter training trips to warmer locales.

### NAVY TOPS LIST OF MID-MAJOR PROGRAMS

The Navy men's swimming and diving team is currently ranked No. 1 in the CollegeSwimming.com Mid-Major Poll. The poll currently has 22 members, including the Bucknell men's program which comes in at No. 18. The Bucknell women are also ranked, as they find themselves at No. 19 in the women's poll. The poll has four release dates throughout the course of the season: November 14 (pre-Invite), December 20 (post-Invite), February 6 (pre-Conference) and March 6 (post-Conference).

### WANT TO KNOW MORE?

The 2008 NCAA Qualifying marks can be found on the sidebar of the Patriot League Swimming and Diving website.

### A FEW LANES AWAY

The 2008 Patriot League Swimming and Diving Championship meet will take place Thurs. - Sat., Feb. 21-23 at Lejeune Hall on the campus of Navy. The meet will begin at 10 a.m. on each of the three days of competition.

## PATRIOT LEAGUE IN THE POLLS (COLLEGESWIMMING.COM MID-MAJOR)

	AMERICAN	ARMY	BUCKNELL	COLGATE	HOLY CROSS	LAFAYETTE	LEHIGH	NAVY
11.14	-	-	18 M/19 W	-	-	-	-	1 (Men)
12.20								
2.6								
3.6								

## TEAM NOTEBOOKS



**AMERICAN** The Eagles finished out the U.S. portion of their 2007 schedule by earning their first dual-meet victory over cross-town rival Howard last week. The men recorded a 108-89 win while the women posted a 119-80 victory. Joe Coronato and Matt Pelletier each earned two individual victories for the men to lead the Eagles. Senior Meghan Thiel and freshman Dorothy Isaacs each notched two individual victories as well. The Eagles will return to action on Dec. 29 when they travel to Spain to compete in the XV Ciudad de San Sebastian.



**ARMY** The Black Knights did not compete last week, and will return to competition in January when they travel to Puerto Rico for the Puerto Rico Invite.



**BUCKNELL** The Bison were idle from competition last week, and will not return to action until Jan. 12 when they travel to Colgate for a dual meet.



**COLGATE** The Raiders have ended the 2007 portion of their schedule, and return to the pool for a dual meet against Bucknell on Jan. 12.



**HOLY CROSS** The Crusaders remained idle from competition last week, and will return to action in 2008, when the women host CCSU and Vermont on January 13.



**LAFAYETTE** The Leopards have finished competing in 2007, and will return to the pool on January 16 when they host Binghamton and Stony Brook.



**LEHIGH** The Mountain Hawks have finished the 2007 portion of their schedule, and return to competition on January 12 when they travel to Marist.



**NAVY** Navy will be idle from competition until January.

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## ALL-TIME PATRIOT LEAGUE CHAMPIONS

### MEN

9	ARMY	1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 2000, 2001
4	NAVY	2004, 2005, 2006, 2007
2	LEHIGH	1999, 2002
1	BUCKNELL	2003
1	FORDHAM	1991

### WOMEN

9	NAVY	1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1999, 2002, 2007
4	BUCKNELL	2003, 2004, 2005, 2006
3	LEHIGH	1998, 2000, 2001
1	ARMY	1991

## PATRIOT LEAGUE COACHES

### MARK DAVIN, AMERICAN

Years at American.....12  
Overall Years of Head Coaching .....16

### MICKEY WENDER, ARMY

Years at Army .....1  
Overall Years of Head Coaching .....17

### DAN SCHINNERER, BUCKNELL

Years at Bucknell .....1  
Overall Years of Head Coaching .....1

### STEPHEN JUNGBLUTH, COLGATE

Years at Colgate.....4  
Overall Years of Head Coaching .....6

### BARRY PARENTEAU, HOLY CROSS

Years at Holy Cross .....5  
Overall Years of Head Coaching .....31

### JIM DAILEY, LAFAYETTE

Years at Lafayette .....14  
Overall Years of Head Coaching .....14

### ROB HERB, LEHIGH

Years at Lehigh.....3  
Overall Years of Head Coaching .....3

### BILL ROBERTS, NAVY MEN

Years at Navy.....4  
Overall Years of Head Coaching .....7

### JOHN MORRISON, NAVY WOMEN

Years at Navy.....3  
Overall Years of Head Coaching .....6

## MEN'S PRESEASON POLL

- 1) Navy 98 (14)
- 2) Army 85 (2)
- 3) Bucknell 74
- 4) Colgate 51
- 5) Lehigh 48
- 6) American 40
- 7) Lafayette 36
- 8) Holy Cross 16

## WOMEN'S PRESEASON POLL

- 1) Navy 96 (12)
- 2) Colgate 85 (4)
- 3) Bucknell 77
- 4) Army 56
- 5) Lafayette 46
- 6) Lehigh 38
- 7) American 36
- 8) Holy Cross 14

## ATHLETES OF THE WEEK

### MALE SWIMMER OF THE WEEK

10.24.07 JAKE MENTELE, *Army, Senior*  
10.30.07 ADAM MEYER, *Navy, Sophomore*  
11.6.07 JAKE MENTELE, *Army, Senior*  
11.13.07 JAKE MENTELE, *Army, Senior*  
11.20.07 ADAM MEYER, *Navy, Sophomore*  
12.4.07 ADAM MEYER, *Navy, Sophomore*  
12.11.07 JOE CORONATO, *American, Senior*  
1.8.08  
1.15.08  
1.22.08  
1.29.08  
2.5.08

### FEMALE SWIMMER OF THE WEEK

10.24.07 TARA CHAPMON, *Navy, Sophomore*  
10.30.07 MEGHAN THIEL, *American, Senior*  
11.6.07 TARA CHAPMON, *Navy, Sophomore*  
11.13.07 ERIN MCGRAW, *Colgate, Freshman*  
11.20.07 TARA CHAPMON, *Navy, Sophomore*  
12.4.07 MEGHAN THIEL, *American, Senior*  
12.11.07 DOROTHY ISAACS, *American, Freshman*  
1.8.08  
1.15.08  
1.22.08  
1.29.08  
2.5.08

### MALE DIVER OF THE WEEK

10.24.07 OLAF OLSON, *Navy, Freshman*  
10.30.07 OLAF OLSON, *Navy, Freshman*  
11.6.07 GREG SIEVERS, *Army, Senior*  
11.13.07 ADAM NIEKRAS, *Navy, Senior*  
11.20.07 CLARK COHEN, *Lehigh, Senior*  
12.4.07 OLAF OLSON, *Navy, Freshman*  
12.11.07 MICHAEL O'BRIEN, *American, Junior*  
1.8.08  
1.15.08  
1.22.08  
1.29.08  
2.5.08

### FEMALE DIVER OF THE WEEK

10.24.07 KATIE GRIFFIN, *Navy, Senior*  
10.30.07 KATIE GRIFFIN, *Navy, Senior*  
11.6.07 KATIE GRIFFIN, *Navy, Senior*  
11.13.07 KATIE GRIFFIN, *Navy, Senior*  
11.20.07 REBECCA BERSANI, *Bucknell, Sophomore*  
12.4.07 KATIE GRIFFIN, *Navy, Senior*  
12.11.07 KELSEY MONARCH, *American, Freshman*  
1.8.08  
1.15.08  
1.22.08  
1.29.08  
2.5.08

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## AMERICAN EAGLES

10.26 vs. GW, at Catholic .....NTS  
 10.27 vs. GW, Catholic at AU .....NTS  
 11.10 at Navy \* .....  
 .....L, 169-98 (M); L, 221-70 (W)  
 vs. Bucknell \* .....  
 .....L, 236-57 (M); L, 223-71 (W)  
 vs. Lafayette \* .....  
 .....L, 163-126 (M); L, 201-93 (W)  
 11.16- at George Mason Invitational .....  
 11.18 .....8th of 8 (M); 7th of 8 (W)  
 11.29- at USA Swimming Nationals .....NTS  
 12.2  
 12.7 at Howard .....  
 W, 108-89 (M); W, 119-80 (W)  
 12.29 at XV Ciudad de San Sebastien .....TBA  
 1.18 vs. Georgetown .....5 p.m.  
 vs. James Madison (W) .....5 p.m.  
 1.26 at George Mason .....1 p.m.  
 vs. Army \* .....1 p.m.  
 vs. ODU .....1 p.m.  
 2.2 at Navy Invitational .....All Day  
 2.21- Patriot League Championship..10 a.m.  
 2.23  
 2.28- ECAC Championships .....All Day  
 3.2

## ARMY BLACK KNIGHTS

10.5 Stony Brook .....  
 .....W, 140-100 (M); W, 93-20 (W)  
 Vermont (W) .....W, 70-43  
 10.19- at Syracuse Invitational .....NTS  
 10.20  
 10.27 UMass .....  
 .....W, 165-135 (M); L, 164-136 (W)  
 11.2 at Holy Cross \* .....  
 .....W, 138.5-96.5 (M); W, 134-103 (W)  
 11.3 at Harvard, w/Florida State .....NTS  
 11.10 UConn .....  
 .....L, 161-139 (M); L, 161.5-124.5 (W)  
 11.17 at Columbia .....  
 .....L, 182-118 (M); L, 188-109 (W)  
 11.29 at Navy \* .....  
 .....L, 231-69 (M); L, 206-94 (W)  
 1.4 at Puerto Rico Invite .....TBA  
 1.19 Bucknell \* .....1 p.m.  
 1.20 Lehigh \* .....Noon  
 1.25 at George Washington .....3 p.m.  
 1.26 at George Mason .....1 p.m.  
 vs. American \* .....1 p.m.  
 vs. ODU .....1 p.m.  
 2.2 at Colgate \* .....1 p.m.  
 vs. Lafayette \* .....1 p.m.  
 2.21- Patriot League Championship..10 a.m.  
 2.23  
 2.24 at Navy Long Course Inv .....TBA  
 2.28- ECAC Championships .....All Day  
 3.2

## BUCKNELL BISON

10.6 UMBC .....NTS  
 11.3 at Duquesne .....  
 .....W, 151-100 (M); L, 138-124 (W)  
 11.10 at Navy \* .....  
 .....L, 159-125 (M); L, 163-137 (W)  
 vs. American \* .....  
 .....W, 236-57 (M); W, 223-71 (W)  
 vs. Lafayette \* .....  
 .....W, 202-92 (M); W, 170-130 (W)  
 11.17- Bucknell Invitational .....  
 11.18 .....2nd of 4 (M); 3rd of 5 (W)  
 11.30- Princeton Invitational .....  
 12.2 .....7th of 8 (M); 11th of 11 (W)  
 1.12 at Colgate \* .....1 p.m.  
 1.18 vs. Columbia .....5 p.m.  
 1.19 at Army \* .....1 p.m.  
 1.26 at Lehigh \* .....1 p.m.  
 2.2 at Navy Invitational .....1 p.m.  
 2.21- Patriot League Championship..10 a.m.  
 2.23  
 2.28- ECAC Championships .....All Day  
 3.2

## COLGATE RAIDERS

10.12 Syracuse .....  
 .....L, 170-61 (M); L, 129-94 (W)  
 10.20 at Boston College .....  
 .....L, 160.5-119.5 (M); L, 152-142 (W)  
 10.21 at Boston University .....  
 .....L, 165-104 (M); W, 148-146 (W)  
 11.3 at Lehigh \* .....  
 .....L, 160-70 (M); W, 151-75 (W)  
 vs. Navy \* .....  
 .....L, 150-87 (W)  
 11.11 at Dartmouth .....  
 .....L, 170-124 (M); W, 160-134 (W)  
 11.29- at Nike Invitational .....  
 12.1 .....7th of 7 (M); 3rd of 8 (W)  
 1.12 Bucknell \* .....1 p.m.  
 1.19 Cornell .....Noon  
 1.26 at Binghamton .....1 p.m.  
 1.27 UMass .....11 a.m.  
 2.2 Lafayette \* .....1 p.m.  
 Army \* .....1 p.m.  
 2.21- Patriot League Championship..10 a.m.  
 2.23

## HOLY CROSS CRUSADERS

10.12 at Fairfield .....  
 .....L, 119-117 (M); L, 133-110 (W)  
 10.24 Springfield College .....  
 .....W, 128-113 (M); L, 127-116 (W)  
 10.31 Siena .....L, 161-138 (W)  
 11.2 Army \* .....  
 .....L, 138.5-96.5 (M); L, 134-103 (W)  
 11.16- at Boston University Inv .....  
 11.18 .....5th of 5 (M); 9th of 10 (W)  
 1.13 CCSU (W) .....1 p.m.  
 Vermont (W) .....1 p.m.  
 1.15 Boston University .....7 p.m.  
 1.25- Worcester City Championship ...5 p.m.  
 1.26 Worcester City Championship ..10 a.m.  
 2.2 Providence .....1 p.m.  
 2.5 at Boston College (M) .....6 p.m.  
 2.21- Patriot League Championship..10 a.m.  
 2.23

## LAFAYETTE LEOPARDS

10.13 Lafayette Relay Invitational .....NTS  
 11.3 at Seton Hall .....  
 .....L, 192-105 (M); W, 163-136 (W)  
 vs. Georgetown .....  
 .....L, 151-140 (M); W, 184-115 (W)  
 vs. Loyola .....  
 .....L, 201-96 (M); W, 196-103 (W)  
 11.10 at Navy \* .....  
 .....L, 168-109 (M); L, 177-123 (W)  
 vs. American \* .....  
 .....W, 163-126 (M); W, 201-93 (W)  
 vs. Bucknell \* .....  
 .....L, 202-92 (M); L, 170-130 (W)  
 11.16 at Lehigh \* .....  
 .....L, 216-81 (M); W, 165-133 (W)  
 1.16 Binghamton .....2 p.m.  
 Stony Brook .....2 p.m.  
 1.26 Rider .....1 p.m.  
 2.2 at Colgate \* .....1 p.m.  
 vs. Army \* .....1 p.m.  
 2.2 at Navy Invitational .....Noon  
 2.21- Patriot League Championship..10 a.m.  
 2.23

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## LEHIGH MOUNTAIN HAWKS

- 10.13 Lafayette Relay Invitational .....NTS  
10.27 at West Chester.....  
.....L, 133-99 (M); L, 145-83 (W)  
10.28 UConn .....  
.....L, 154-89 (M); L, 174-67 (W)  
11.3 Colgate \* .....  
.....W, 160-70 (M); L, 151-75 (W)  
Navy \* .....L, 183.5-57.5 (W)  
11.10 Penn.....  
.....L, 182-111 (M); L, 227-66 (W)  
Rider .....  
.....L, 166-133 (M); L, 164-129 (W)  
11.11 Vermont .....L, 149-92 (W)  
11.16 Lafayette \* .....  
.....W, 216-81 (M); L, 165-133 (W)  
1.12 at Marist.....1 p.m.  
1.20 at Army \* .....Noon  
1.26 Bucknell \* .....Noon  
2.21- Patriot League Championship..10 a.m.  
2.23

## NAVY MIDSHIPMEN

- 10.5 at Potomac Relay Inv.....1st of 5 (M)  
10.13 Catholic.....  
.....W, 223-66 (M); W, 196-71 (W)  
George Washington .....  
.....W, 207.5-82.5 (M); W, 174-107 (W)  
Loyola (Md.).....  
.....W, 194-101 (M); W, 160-129 (W)  
10.19 Johns Hopkins.....  
.....W, 162-95 (M); W, 166-120 (W)  
10.27 at UMBC.....  
.....W, 137-101 (M); W, 123-119 (W)  
11.3 at Lehigh \* .....W, 183.5-57.5 (W)  
vs. Colgate \* .....W, 150-87 (W)  
11.10 American \* .....  
.....W, 169-98 (M); W, 221-70 (W)  
Bucknell \*W, 159-125 (M); 163-137 (W)  
Lafayette \*W, 168-109 (M); 177-123 (W)  
11.15- Terrapin Invitational .....6th of 9 (W)  
11.17  
11.17 at Brown .....W, 139.5-103.5 (M)  
Dartmouth.....W, 202.5-40.5 (M)  
11.29 Army \*.....  
.....W, 231-69 (M); W, 206-94 (W)  
12.1- at American Short Course Champ. NTS  
12.2  
1.15 Harvard (M) .....Noon  
1.12 Cornell .....Noon  
Yale .....Noon  
1.26 Penn .....2:30 p.m.  
2.2 Navy Invitational.....Noon  
2.8 Columbia.....4 p.m.  
2.9 at Princeton .....1 p.m.  
2.21- Patriot League Championship..10 a.m.  
2.23  
2.24 Navy Long Course Inv. ....All Day  
2.29- ECAC Championship (W) .....All Day  
3.2  
3.6- EISL Championship (M).....All Day  
3.8  
3.14- NCAA Zone Diving Champ. ....All Day  
3.16

NTS - No Team Scoring

\* - Patriot League Meets

All Times and Dates Subject to Change