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All-Patriot League Women's Lacrosse Team Announced

CENTER VALLEY, Pa. (April 25, 2007) -- The College of the Holy Cross placed a Patriot League-best eight student-athletes on the 2007 All-Patriot League Women's Lacrosse Team, Patriot League Executive Director Carolyn Schlie Femovich announced Wednesday. Each of the six Patriot League institutions was represented on the teams, as American and Colgate had six and five representatives respectively, followed by Lehigh (4), Bucknell (2) and Lafayette (2).

Tara Casey of Colgate and Patricia Sutton of Holy Cross became the eighth and ninth student-athletes to earn All-Patriot League accolades four times in the sport of women's lacrosse. Sutton was the 2006 Patriot League Offensive Player of the Year.

Sutton was among the seven Crusaders named to the First-Team All-Patriot League squad after leading the League with 47 goals in 16 games this season. Kristine Corkum of Holy Cross tied for second with 42 goals during the 2007 campaign, and she is joined on the First-Team by teammates Nikki Bolduc, defenders Darcy Wolcott and Cara O'Sullivan, at-large selection Megan Fenton and goalkeeper Megan Orr, who earned All-Patriot League honors for the third consecutive year. The Crusaders allowed a Patriot League best 8.63 goals per contest.

Amy Archambault of Holy Cross was named to the Second-Team after recording 23 goals and 12 assists in 16 games as the Crusaders won their second consecutive regular-season Patriot League title.

American's Jackie Lane registered 38 goals and 12 assists this season to power the Eagles offense. She is joined on the First-Team by teammates Lauren Askinoff, who added 33 goals on the year, and defender Caitlin Bell. Senior Caithlin Gorman, junior Brittany Finnegan and goalkeeper Kristine Vida represented the Eagles on the Second-Team.

In addition to Casey's First-Team recognition, Colgate placed a quartet of student-athletes on the Second-Team -- juniors Lindsay Pittard and Jessica Van der Meulen, plus sophomores Ashley Didio and Molly Carroll. Didio paced the Raiders with a team-high 33 goals in 2007, while Pittard and Van Der Meulen each tallied 25 goals this season.

Freshman Inneka Carmola and sophomore Sara MacIntyre were Lehigh's First-Team All-Patriot League selections. Carmola recorded 42 goals, which was tied for second in the Patriot League, while MacIntyre, last year's Patriot League Co-Rookie of the Year, compiled 30 goals in 14 contests. The Mountain Hawks placed a pair of student-athletes on the Second-Team -- junior Christy Smith and sophomore Sarah Fudin.

Sophomore Bonnie Buechel was Bucknell's lone First-Team All-Patriot League pick after scoring 36 goals and 49 points this season. Junior Lauren Deitrich represented the Bison on the Second-Team.

Madalyn Booth, a junior from Lafayette, registered a Patriot League-high 66 points on the season and was named to the Second-Team, along with freshman teammate Maria Drehwig.

The Patriot League will announce its major award winners in conjunction with the 2007 Patriot League Women's Lacrosse Championship Banquet held on the campus of Holy Cross on

Thurs., Apr. 26. The Crusaders will serve as the host of the tournament as the No. 1 seed, and face No. 4 Colgate at 1 p.m. on Fri., Apr. 27, while No. 2 Lehigh and No. 3 American face off in a 4 p.m. contest. The championship game will be held on Sun., Apr. 29 at 1 p.m.

All-Patriot League First-Team*

A: Lauren Aksinoff, American, Jr.
A: Kristine Corkum, Holy Cross, Jr.
A: Inneke Carmola, Lehigh, Fr.
A: Sara MacIntyre, Lehigh, So.
M: Jackie Lane, American, Jr.
M: Bonnie Buechel, Bucknell, So.
M: Tara Casey, Colgate, Sr.
M: Patricia Sutton, Holy Cross, Sr.
M: Nikki Bolduc, Holy Cross, Jr.
D: Caitlin Bell, American, Jr.
D: Darcy Wolcott, Holy Cross, Sr.
D: Cara O'Sullivan, Holy Cross, Jr.
GK: Megan Orr, Holy Cross, Sr.
At-Large: Megan Fenton, Holy Cross, Fr.

All-Patriot League Second-Team*

A: Ashley Didio, Colgate, So.
A: Lindsay Pittard, Colgate, Jr.
A: Amy Archambault, Holy Cross, Jr.
A: Madalyn Booth, Lafayette, Jr.
A: Maria Drehwig, Lafayette, Fr.
M: Caithlin Gorman, American, Sr.
M: Molly Carroll, Colgate, So.
M: Jessica Van der Meulen, Colgate, Jr.
D: Brittany Finnegan, American, Jr.
D: Lauren Deitrich, Bucknell, Jr.
D: Sarah Fudin, Lehigh, So.
GK: Kristine Vida, American, Jr.
At-Large: Christy Smith, Lehigh, Jr.

** - Due to ties in voting there are 14 members on the First-Team and 13 on the Second-Team.*