

## **KISHWAUKEE COLLEGE STUDENT-ATHLETES HAILED FOR ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE**

Twenty-nine Kishwaukee College student-athletes have been honored with Arrowhead Academic All-Conference honors. Kishwaukee College Athletic Director has announced the names of the women and men whose accomplishments have extended well beyond the playing fields and courts and into the college classroom. "Credit needs to be given to these student-athletes and their coaches who have stressed the importance of academics. We are working well together here, between coaches, student-athletes, instructors and support staff. I am proud of these academic accomplishments. It speaks well of what we are doing here at KC."

Student-athletes must have completed in one or more sports throughout the year and maintained a 3.0 or above G.P.A. to qualify for the Arrowhead Conference All-Academic Honors. Female athletes and their sports: Volleyball- Elizabeth Anderson, Erin Anderson, Jena Karkos, Elizabeth Machurick, Ari Smith. Women's Basketball- Emily Alde, Stephanie Benninger, Nicole Dames, Christine Espe, Kia Rhodes, Schae Maxwell. Softball- Teresa Becker, Jessica Jones, Amanda Turner, Megan Schramer, Alissa Kelly.

Males and their respective sports: Soccer- Paul Aiken. Men's Basketball- Evan Lavery, Will Poterek, Tyler Smith, Mark Tometich, Paul Tometich. Baseball- Zach Barnes, Conrad Boron, Jacob Clark, Stephen Cox, Daniel Herrmann, Spencer Hogan, Mike Kubo, Kevin Poterek.

Congratulations also to Emily Alde-Women's Basketball, garnering NJCAA Academic All-American honors for completing four semesters and maintaining a 3.6 or higher. Garnering the highest honors of NJCAA Distinguished Academic All-American status is Elizabeth Anderson, Erin Anderson- Volleyball and Christine Espe- Women's Basketball, graduating with a 3.8 or higher.