

## Six LRU Swimmers Earn All-Academic Honors

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Six members of the Lenoir-Rhyne University Men's and Women's Swimming Teams were named to the Bluegrass Mountain Conference All-Academic Team.

To earn the honors, student-athletes must give a 3.5 grade point average or high for the semester and participated in this season's league championship meet.

L-R's six includes junior Lindsay Atkin (Hickory, N.C.), sophomore Gina Glenn (Matthews, N.C.), junior Hailey Mathison (Matthews, N.C.), junior Megan Neubauer (Taylors, S.C.), and freshmen Niall Courtney (Hendersonville, N.C.) and Shane Courtney (Hendersonville, N.C.). Atkin, who holds school records in the 100-meter (1:08.93) and 200-meter breaststrokes (2:29.42), carries a 3.08 grade point average while majoring in health and exercise science. Mathison has a 3.59 GPA and is majoring in elementary education while Glenn (3.19 grade point average) is the school's record-holder in the 100-meter backstroke (1:02.61).

Meanwhile, Neubauer holds four school records - 500-yard (5:26.18), 1,000-yard (11:04.96) and 1,650-yard (19:15.43) freestyle events and the 400-yard individual medley (4:51.71) - and is an elementary education major with a 3.78 GPA.

Both Niall (3.75) and Shane (3.79) Courtney are health and exercise science majors. Niall Courtney holds the L-R record in the 100-yard (1:05.03) and 200-yard (2:22.05) breaststrokes while Shane Courtney holds the school mark in the 1,650-yard freestyle (18:49.53).

The L-R Men's and Women's Swimming Teams will kick off the 2011-12 season on Wednesday, October 5, when the squads host Campbell at the Shuford P.E. Center.

### **Bluegrass Mountain Conference All-Academic Team**

Catawba

Jaimie Horton, Leah Constan-Tatos, Mikael Karlsson, Yakir Malul, Zach Owens, Alex Walpole

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### **Converse**

Christl Bradley, Jana Gentry, Rhianon Gluhosky, Ashley Johnson, Hillary Johnson

### **Fairmont State**

Cassie Annan, Michelle Stanbaugh, Alyson Wareing, Ryan Radcliff

### **Lenoir-Rhyne**

**Lindsay Atkin, Gina Glenn, Hailey Mathison, Megan Neubauer, Niall Courtney, Shane Courtney**

### **Limestone**

Joanna Mannan, Nathania LaPierre, Renee-Marie Pouchet, Lance Maxwell, Blake Schaeffer,

### **Pfeiffer**

Vera DeFusco, Morgan Diomme, Melissa Roberts, Andrew Corley, Zach McMichael, Matt Money

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### Queens

Kristina Bond, Alecia Payne, Caitlin Seed, Mary Strand, Dan Bowden

### Savannah College of Art and Design

Kelsey Christopher, Mary Ashley Krough, Claire Partlow, Liz Roberts, Kerry Stephens, Fanny Varga Alex Zimmerman, Sam Crawford, Michael DiPietro, Bartos Scharmach, Matt Stucky, Stephan Sullivan

### Transylvania

Claire Dorris, Samantha Washburn, Joseph Porter, Thomas Stephens, Yunan Yang

### Washington and Lee

Lauren Kasoff, Delaney Rolfe, Frank Cullo, Phillip Dishuch, Will Ericson, Ryan Hanson, Brad Harder, Ryan Hartman, Matt Hesser, Giovanni Marciano, Wayde Marsh, Eric Shuman, Brian Stirling, Rick Sykes

### Wingate

Kelly Crossen, Valerie Dambny, sarah Erickson, Malin Kersmark, Brittany Pales, Anna Rogers, Sarah Supcoe, Kelsey Trabue, Jeffery Autum, Mark Blazeovski, Reed Miller, Spence Wajanaar

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### West Virginia Wesleyan

Rachel Bailer, Maria Guillen-Munoz, Natalie Howard, Stephanie Kalentzis, Hope Lima, Vivian Minkemeyer, Kimberly Stephens, Thomas Bartleman, Jeffery Dye, Phil Fisher, Maxwell Garner, Travis McCann