

Six Bears Earn All-Southeast Region Honors

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Six members of the 2012 Lenoir-Rhyne Women's Soccer Team have been selected to the NSCAA/Continental Tire NCAA Division II All-Southeast Region Teams. NSCAA is the National Soccer

Coaches Association of America. Both senior goalkeeper Caitlin Scruggs (Torrance, Calif.) and freshman forward Leah Mullins (Kissimmee, Fla.) were named to the all-region first team for Lenoir-Rhyne.

Scruggs, who also garnered all-region honors in 2010 as well, led the conference in goals-against average (0.49) to go along with eight shutouts and 72 saves while Mullins led the Bears in goals scored (13) and total points (29) this fall.

Mullins was also named the 2012 South Atlantic Conference Freshman Of The Year and the Food Lion SAC Tournament MVP.

Senior midfielder Carley Griffin (Fresno, Calif.), freshman defender Brianna Belsky (Egg Harbour Township, N.J.) and sophomore midfielder Hanna Kiebel (Parker, Colo.) were all named to the NSCAA All-Southeast Region Second Team for the Bears.

Griffin finished with two goals, five assists and nine points this year en route to all-region accolades for the second year in a row while Belsky was named an Honorable Mention All-American by Daktronics last week.

Kiebel, last year's conference freshman of the year, totaled five goals, four assists and 14 points on the season.

Lenoir-Rhyne freshman defender Amber Madriaga (Wailuku, Hawaii) earned Third-Team All-Southeast Region honors by the NSCAA. Madriaga tallied three assists while starting all 20 matches and, along with Belsky, anchored a back line that allowed just 11 goals all season.

All five members were all-league first-team honorees in 2012 and led Lenoir-Rhyne to a 16-2-2 record this year including a 9-0 mark in the South Atlantic Conference.

The Bears also won the SAC Regular Season and Tournament Championships this fall and advanced to the NCAA Division II Playoffs for the third consecutive season.

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2012 NSCAA/Continental Tire NCAA Division II

Women's Soccer All-Southeast Region Teams

First Team

GK - Caitlin Scruggs, Sr., Lenoir-Rhyne University

D - Kansas Bayly, Jr., Columbus State University

D - Mary Dorn, Sr., Lees-McRae College

D - Emily Cattanach, Sr., Armstrong Atlantic State University

D - Fanny Forsman, Sr., University of North Carolina-Pembroke

MF - Nadima Skeff, Sr., Armstrong Atlantic State University

MF - Stephanie Lowery, Sr., Columbus State University

MF - Kelly Penston, Jr. North Georgia College & State University

MF - Alicia Robinson, Jr., Clayton State University

F - Morgan Mitchell, Sr., Armstrong Atlantic State University

F - Jamie Shaw, Sr., Lander University

F - Leah Mullins, Fr., Lenoir-Rhyne University

F - Tramicka James, Sr., Tusculum College

Second Team

GK - Mary Mancin, Sr., Columbus State University

D - Kayla Brown, Sr., Columbus State University

D - Anna Toole, Jr., Catawba College

D - Brianna Belsky, Fr., Lenoir-Rhyne University

D - Danielle Shaw, Jr., Lander University

MF - Hanna Kiebel, So., Lenoir-Rhyne University

MF - Catherine Lovin, Sr., Columbus State University

MF - Carley Griffin, Sr., Lenoir-Rhyne University

MF - Juliana Conte, Jr., Catawba College

F - Kristina Pascutti, Sr., Armstrong Atlantic State University

F - Gabriella Reid, So., Limestone College

F - Ashley Veilleux, So., Georgia College and State University

F - Brooke Foil, Jr., Queens University Of Charlotte

F - Natalia Valentine, Sr., Clayton State University

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Third Team

GK - Morgan Luckie, Fr., Armstrong Atlantic State University

D - Kourtney Kavic, Sr., Tusculum College

D - Taylor Lee, Sr., North Georgia College & State University

D - Holli Schwartz, Sr., Limestone College

D - Amber Madriaga, Fr., Lenoir-Rhyne University

MF - Jade Pennock, Fr., University of Montevallo

MF - Silvia Vazquez, Jr., Belmont Abbey College

MF - Kaitlyn Kerrigan, Jr., Lees-McRae College

MF - Cicely Taliaferro, So., North Georgia College & State University

MF - Gabrielle Brodie, So., Newberry College

F - Aaliyah Jackson, Fr., Pfeiffer University

F - Amalia Arvidsson, So., University of North Carolina-Pembroke

F - Sarah Mahar, Fr., Lees-McRae College

F - Rae-Shawna Campbell, Fr., University of North Carolina-Pembroke

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