

Joe Schmidgall, Concordia

Week of: 2002-05-06

Concordia College senior Joe Schmidgall (Morris, Minn.) beat pre-race favorite Joe McCarney of St. Thomas to win the MIAC Decathlon Championship with 6,264 points. Schmidgall also provisionally qualified for the NCAA Division III National Championship held at Macalester in St. Paul May 23-25.

Tom Kreger, Hamline

Week of: 2002-04-30

Track - Hamline University junior Tom Kreger (Milton, Wisc.) has been selected MIAC Men's Track Athlete of the Week. Kreger placed 5th in the Men's Invitational 10K at the Drake Relays with an NCAA automatic time of 30:35.00, which currently ranks him first in the MIAC and fourth in the nation. Kreger was a double champion in the MIAC Indoor Championships this year in the 3000 and 5000 meter runs.

Matt Hooley, Carleton

Week of: 2002-04-22

Track - Carleton College sophomore Matt Hooley (Columbia, MO / Hickman HS) has been selected MIAC Men's Track Athlete of the Week. Hooley won the 10K at the Carleton Relays with an NCAA provisional time of 31:14.7, which currently ranks him second in the MIAC and tenth in the nation.

Luke Speitz, Gustavus

Week of: 2002-04-22

Field - Gustavus Adolphus College junior Luke Speltz (Rollingstone, Minn./Winona Cotter HS) was named MIAC Men's Field Athlete of the Week. Speltz placed first in both the discus and the shot put with a throws of 172-10" and 52-8 1/4" respectively. The discus toss met the NCAA automatic standard and the shot put mark was a provisional qualifying throw. Speltz also hit the automatic standard with his 2nd place throw of 164-7" in the hammer throw.