

2001-02 MIAC Men's Swimming & Diving Athletes of the Week

February 4, 2002

Saint John's University junior **Luke Vestrum** (Alexandria, Minn.) put the finishing touches on his dual meet season and swam impressively going into the MIAC Championships. Vestrum turned in a 59.72 in the 100 Breaststroke which is a Saint John's school record.

January 28, 2002

St. Olaf College All-American senior diver **Gabe Korteum** (Blaine, Minn.) won both the 1 Meter and 3 Meter diving events at the UW-Stevens Point Invitational. Korteum scored 482 on the 1 Meter and 490 on the 3 Meter. Both scores were NCAA qualifying standards.

January 22, 2002

Gustavus Adolphus College junior **Chris Kramer** (Forest Lake, Minn.) helped the Gusties in a win over Saint John's. Kraemer lead the way by finishing first in both the 200 Free (1:47.33) and the 500 Free (4:52.79) . His time in the 500 Free was a Gustavus pool record.

January 14, 2002

Saint John's University junior **Luke Vestrum** (Alexandria, Minn.) was victorious in three individual events at the Saint John's/Saint Benedict Swimming and Diving Invitational meet, held on January 11 & 12th. Vestrum had winning times in 200 IM (1:59.16), 100 fly (52.87), 100 fr (48.33), and lead off 400 fr relay (47.81).

December 10, 2001

St. Olaf College sophomore **Eric Palmer** (Roseville, Minn.) had an impressive 200 Breaststroke this past weeknd, posting a time of 2:14.39. Palmer also split a 1:00.39 100 Breaststroke as part of the 400 Medley Relay.

December 3, 2001

Gustavus Adolphus College junior **Charlie Kimball** (Red Wing, Minn.) won both the 1 Meter and 3 Meter Diving events vs. UW-Stevens Point. Kimball scored 246.95 on 1 Meter and 302.15 on 3 Meter. This is the third time he has surpassed 300 points in the 3 Meter this year and remains undefeated on the high board.

November 19, 2001

Macalester College junior **Joe Hanes** (Neenah, Wisc.) was named Athlete of the Week for MIAC Swimming and Diving with an outstanding weekend of swimming. In a dual meet with Gustavus, Hanes won both the 200 Meter Free (2:04.99) and the 400 Meter Free (4:29.24) and was a part of the 200 Meter Medley Relay which broke the Macalester School Record. Hanes turned around Saturday to win and brake the meet record in 3 events- 400 Meter Free (4:27.42), 800 Meter Free (9:32.84), and the 200 Meter Individual Medley (2:21.67).

November 12, 2001

Gustavus Adolphus College junior **Sam Wigersma** (Mankato, Minn. / Mankato East HS) broke three pool records this weekend. Wigersma, a MIAC All conference swimmer, won the 200 Free (1:44.94) and 200 Butterfly (2:00.26) and anchored the 400 Free Relay (3:14.04) in front of the home crowd.

November 5, 2001

University of St. Thomas first-year Dave Linn (Milwaukee, WI / Marquette HS) looks to be one of the top backstrokers in the conference starting his collegiate career with a 1:57 in the 200 Back, breaking the school record by 3 seconds. Linn also swam a 1:47 in the 200 Free over the weekend.