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RE: 2006 GPAC Cross Country All-Conference Team and Honors
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GPAC Cross Country Individual and Coaching Honors Announced

(Sioux City, Iowa) – Brittany Hubbard from Nebraska Wesleyan has been named the Hauff Mid-America Sports/GPAC Cross Country Runner-of-the-Year, and headlines the 2006 GPAC Women's Cross Country All-Conference team.

Nebraska Wesleyan co-coaches Ted Bulling and Ann Ringlein, who led the Prairie Wolves to the conference title, have been named the Hauff Mid-America Sports/GPAC Women's Cross Country Coaches-of-the-Year.

On the men's side Luka Thor from Concordia is the Hauff Mid-America Sports/GPAC Cross Country Runner-of-the-Year, and headlines this year's GPAC Men's Cross Country All-Conference team.

Doane coach Brad Jenny, who led his men's team to a second place finish in the GPAC Championship, has been honored as the Hauff Mid-America Sports/GPAC Men's Cross Country Coach-of-the-Year.

The top-15 runners in each race last Saturday are GPAC All-Conference for 2006.

Here are the 2006 GPAC Women's Cross Country All-Conference Performers:

*Brittany Hubbard (NWU), Amber Brandenburger (NWU), Bridget Baldwin (NWU), Jen Kempers (DOR), Ashley Noel (Doane), Angela Matthews (CNC), Mikayla Rhone (NWU), Kyla Tysdal (USF), Kayla Engel (CNC), Ashley Sabin (NWU), Erin Lynn Keitges (MOR), Tami Wierenga (DOR), Valerie Crutchley (MOR), Laurel Johnson (NWU), Cortney Johansen (DOA)

Here are the 2006 GPAC Men's Cross Country All-Conference Performers:

*Luka Thor (CNC), Chris Dunker (NWU), Sufian Kumo (DOA), John Kaup (DAN), Justin Lana (NWU), Eric Noel (NWU), Joel De Haan (DOR), Jeremiah Danga (MOR), Ben DeLay (DOA), Andrew Laflin (NWU), Zach Meinke (CNC), Colin Johnston (DOA), Josh Peavy (DOA), Cody Waite (NWU), David Goeglein (CNC)

* Denotes GPAC/Hauff Mid-America Sports Runner-of-the-Year

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