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RE: 2004 GPAC Softball All-Conference Team  
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### *2004 GPAC Softball All-Conference Team Announced*

(Sioux City, Iowa) - The 2004 Great Plains Athletic Conference (GPAC) Softball All-Conference team has been announced after a vote of league coaches. This years GPAC All-Conference Team consists of 19 first-team members, 20 second-team members, and an honorable mention list. Traci Bode from Midland Lutheran was named the SCHEELS/GPAC Player-of-the-Year while Valerie Reiman also from Midland Lutheran was named the SCHEELS/GPAC Pitcher-of-the-Year. Keith Kramme, Midland Lutheran, was named the 2004 SCHEELS/GPAC Coach-of-the-Year.

#### **FIRST TEAM:**

Infielder- Katie Bleeker, Dordt College  
Infielder- Traci Bode, Midland Lutheran College  
Infielder- Courtney Farrell, University Sioux Falls  
Infielder- Kristin Kono, University Sioux Falls  
Infielder- Lizette Snyder, Briar Cliff University  
Utility- Megan McHugh, Northwestern College  
Outfielder- Bethany Almquist, Midland Lutheran College  
Outfielder- Jana Bahrke, Briar Cliff University  
Outfielder- Marisa Bretschneider, Dana College  
Outfielder- Amanda Kershner, Nebraska Wesleyan University  
Outfielder- Jackie Smith, Nebraska Wesleyan University  
Catcher- Janelle Sager, Midland Lutheran College  
Catcher- Mandi Weiner, Nebraska Wesleyan University  
Pitcher- Shelby Albertsen, Midland Lutheran College  
Pitcher- Stacy Friedrichsen, Northwestern College  
Pitcher- Jody Monson, University Sioux Falls  
Pitcher- Megan Pleak, Concordia University  
Pitcher- Valerie Reiman, Midland Lutheran College  
Designated Player- Melissa Morrison, Concordia University

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**SECOND TEAM:**

Infielder- Kelly Cunningham, University Sioux Falls  
Infielder- Jenna Jurrens, Morningside College  
Infielder- LaNeal Lambley, Dakota Wesleyan University  
Infielder- Sarah Sempek, Dana College  
Infielder- Jamie Thiessen, Midland Lutheran College  
Utility- Erin Hughes, Nebraska Wesleyan University  
Outfielder- Jenni Alder, Doane College  
Outfielder- Steph Kettler, Mount Marty College  
Outfielder- Kristen Livingston, Hastings College  
Outfielder- Molly Moser, Morningside College  
Outfielder- Amy Schmidt, University Sioux Falls  
Catcher- Tracy Bruntz, Morningside College  
Catcher- Lisa Taylor, Northwestern College  
Catcher- Michelle Wever, Dana College  
Pitcher- Amanda Hehn, Concordia University  
Pitcher- Kelly Heller, Dana College  
Pitcher- LeAnn Ostendorf, Mount Marty College  
Pitcher- Erin Placke, Nebraska Wesleyan University  
Pitcher- Ashley Schuller, Dordt College  
Designated Player- Apryl Groteluschen, Dana College

**SCHEELS PLAYER OF THE YEAR:** Traci Bode, Midland Lutheran College  
**SCHEELS PITCHER OF THE YEAR:** Valerie Reiman, Midland Lutheran College  
**SCHEELS COACH OF THE YEAR:** Keith Kramme, Midland Lutheran College

**HONORABLE MENTION:**

**BRIAR CLIFF:** Jacque Simpson, Kelli Willett  
**CONCORDIA:** Mandy Ciochon, , Jennifer Davis, Meredith Peters, Cassandra Pralle, Tara Schumacher  
**DAKOTA WESLEYAN:** Katie Lewis  
**DANA:**  
**DOANE:** Megan Liedtke, Megan McKown, Amber Tierney  
**DORDT:** Denise Noorman  
**HASTINGS:** Bree Mabley  
**MIDLAND LUTHERAN:**  
**MORNINGSIDE:** B.J. Rohlena, Melissa Staley  
**MOUNT MARTY:**  
**NEBRASKA WESLEYAN:** Erin Amos, Vicki Ortmeier, Christina Robinson, Beth Singleton  
**NORTHWESTERN:** Cristin Vander Weerd, Alison Waggie  
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