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GPAC Volleyball All-Conference Team Announced for 2006

(Sioux City, IA) – The 2006 Great Plains Athletic Conference (GPAC) Volleyball All-Conference Team has been selected. Celeste Bauer from Hastings was the selected as the Hauff Mid-America Sports/GPAC Player-of-the-Year, while Renee Faimon from Hastings and Linsey Thomsen from Nebraska Wesleyan were named the Co-Liberos-of-the-Year. Fred Aubuchon from Hastings was named the Hauff Mid-America Sports/GPAC Coach-of-the-Year. Hastings was the regular season champion for 2006 with a 16-0 record. The GPAC All-Conference teams were selected by the league coaches.

GPAC Volleyball First Team 2006

Position	Name	School	Class	Hometown
Outside Hitter	Celeste Bauer	Hastings	Sr.	Alma, Nebraska
Middle Blocker	Katie Schnoes	Northwestern	Sr.	Sheffield, Iowa
Setter	Rachel Hagerman	Doane	Sr.	Lincoln, Nebraska
Outside Hitter	Lindsey Van Wyk	Dordt	Sr.	Sully, Iowa
Libero	Renee Faimon	Hastings	Sr.	Lawrence, Nebraska
Middle Blocker	Katie Werner	Concordia	Jr.	Syracuse, Nebraska
Outside Hitter	Megan Meyer	Northwestern	Jr.	Aplington, Iowa
Middle Blocker	Cassie Cheever	Morningside	Jr.	South Sioux City, Nebraska
Middle Blocker	Kristen DeRonde	Dordt	So.	Oskaloosa, Iowa
Libero	Kate Boettcher	Briar Cliff	Jr.	Owatonna, Minnesota
Middle Blocker	Kari Hochstein	Doane	Jr.	Wayne, Nebraska
Middle Blocker	Alyssa Montgomery	Hastings	So.	Guide Rock, Nebraska
Libero	Linsey Thomsen	Nebraska Wesleyan	Jr.	Beatrice, Nebraska
Middle Blocker	Katie Prunty	Mount Marty	Sr.	Welcome, Minnesota

Hauff Mid-America Sports/GPAC Volleyball Player-of-the-Year:

Celeste Bauer, Outside Hitter – Hastings

GPAC Co-Liberos-of-the-Year:

Renee Faimon – Hastings, Linsey Thomsen – Nebraska Wesleyan

Hauff Mid-America Sports/GPAC Volleyball Coach-of-the-Year:

Fred Aubuchon, Hastings

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<u>Position</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Hometown</u>
Libero	Alison Waggie	Northwestern	Sr.	Wall Lake, Iowa
Outside Hitter	Allison Weaver	Doane	Sr.	Falls City, Nebraska
Outside Hitter	Natalie Koopman-Meyers	Concordia	Sr.	Scribner, Nebraska
Setter	Emily Van Voorst	Dordt	Jr.	Rock Valley, Iowa
Middle Blocker	Blythe Novotny	Dakota Wesleyan	Sr.	De Smet, South Dakota
Right Side	Renee Beiermann	Briar Cliff	Sr.	Columbus, Nebraska
Outside Hitter	Cara DeStigter	Morningside	So.	Sioux City, Iowa
Middle Blocker	Amy Vanderkolk	Nebraska Wesleyan	Sr.	Malcolm, Nebraska
Outside Hitter	Karrisa Davelaar	Northwestern	Jr.	Sioux Center, Iowa
Setter/Right Side	Kelli Ziegler	Concordia	Fr.	Lincoln, Nebraska
Outside Hitter	Rachel Nisi	Midland Lutheran	Fr.	Omaha, Nebraska
Setter	Halley VanLaningham	Hastings	So.	Lincoln, Nebraska
Middle Blocker	Darcy Gross	Dana	Sr.	Earling, Iowa
Right Side	Juliann Schoeneman	Sioux Falls	Sr.	Brandon, South Dakota
Middle Blocker	Kalie Whealy	Dakota Wesleyan	Jr.	Madison, South Dakota

Honorable Mention

Briar Cliff- Alex Anstine
Concordia- Jaelle Rodenbeck
Dakota Wesleyan- Beth Kopfmann, Cheri Klabenes
Dana- Kali Brayfield
Doane- Chelsee Marvin
Dordt- Traci Kooima
Hastings- Kelsea Jones
Midland Lutheran- Jen Williams
Morningside- Andra Pedersen
Mount Marty- Laura Starman
Nebraska Wesleyan- Kirsten Foster
Northwestern- Rachel Gosselink, Randa Hulstein
Sioux Falls- Beth Mathes

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