



SKYLINE ANNOUNCES 2011 MEN'S SOCCER ALL-CONFERENCE TEAM

For Immediate Release

Junior forward John Dettori of St. Joseph's-L.I. has been named the 2011 Skyline Men's Soccer Player of the Year in voting conducted among the Conference's ten head coaches.

The Skyline coaches also selected Tana Weekes of Old Westbury as the Rookie of the Year and Gary Smith of St. Joseph's-L.I. as Coach of the Year. In addition, Yeshiva received the Team Sportsmanship Award.

Dettori ranks among the national leaders in goals (26) and points (58), while his five game-winning goals are tied for tops in the conference. The Bay Shore, N.Y., native was twice named the ECAC Metro Offensive Player of the Week this season and added six assists in 21 matches.

Weekes led Old Westbury with five goals and 12 points, while his 38 shots ranked second on the team. The forward from Baldwin, N.Y., was twice named the Skyline Conference Rookie of the Week and earned first-team All-Conference distinction.

In his 26th and final season leading the St. Joseph's-L.I. program, Smith guided the Golden Eagles to a perfect 9-0 mark in league play and 13-9-0 overall ledger. SJC advanced to the finals of the 2011 Skyline Championship and earned a berth in the six-team ECAC Metro Tournament. During his 26 years at St. Joseph's-L.I., Smith established both the men's soccer and women's softball programs and in 2000, he became the first coach to lead a team to a Skyline title and compete in the NCAA Division III Tournament with the women's softball team. Smith boasts a career record of 317-197-23.

Joining Weekes on the All-Conference first-team are forwards Wesley Finch of The Sage Colleges and Purchase's Blaise Bourgeois; midfielders William Kuhlwilm of St. Joseph's-L.I., Adam Lakawicz of NYU-Poly, Evan Southworth of The Sage Colleges and Maritime's Jason Tursi; backs Mike Bayne of Old Westbury, Michael Carroll of St. Joseph's-L.I. and Joe Gabor of NYU-Poly; and Purchase goalie David Kurzweil.

The second-team All-Conference features forwards Mamadou Dianko and Andres Torres of NYU-Poly and Mount Saint Mary's Matt Pagano; midfielders Jack Blunden of Maritime, Purchase's Stefan Gohler and German Parodis of Old Westbury; backs Mike Curatolo of Farmingdale State, Purchase's Shomari Dias, Nick Mauro of The Sage Colleges and Maritime's Arthur Melody; and goalie Chris Muhs of St. Joseph's-L.I.

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<i>First-Team</i>	<i>School</i>	<i>Cl.</i>	<i>Pos.</i>	<i>Hometown</i>
Blaise Bourgeois	Purchase	So.	F	Rochester, N.Y.
Wesley Finch	The Sage Colleges	So.	F	Newburgh, N.Y.
Tana Weekes	Old Westbury	Fr.	F	Baldwin, N.Y.
William Kuhlwilm	St. Joseph's-L.I.	Jr.	M	West Islip, N.Y.
Adam Lakawicz	NYU-Poly	Sr.	M	Butler, N.J.
Evan Southworth	The Sage Colleges	So.	M	Newburgh, N.Y.
Jason Tursi	Maritime	Sr.	M	Farmingdale, N.Y.
Mike Bayne	Old Westbury	So.	B	Coram, N.Y.
Michael Carroll	St. Joseph's-L.I.	Jr.	B	Patchogue, N.Y.
Joe Gabor	NYU-Poly	Sr.	B	Warwick, N.Y.
David Kurzweil	Purchase	Sr.	GK	Bedford, N.Y.
 <i>Second-Team</i>				
Mamadou Dianko	NYU-Poly	Jr.	F	Dakar, Senegal
Matt Pagano	Mount Saint Mary	Jr.	F	Mahopac, N.Y.
Andres Torres	NYU-Poly	Fr.	F	Weston, Fla.
Jack Blunden	Maritime	Sr.	M	Arlington, Va.
Stefan Gohler	Purchase	Fr.	M	Brooklyn, N.Y.
German Parodis	Old Westbury	Sr.	M	Mar Del Plata, Argentina
Mike Curatolo	Farmingdale State	Sr.	B	East Meadow, N.Y.
Shomari Dias	Purchase	Sr.	B	West Hempstead, N.Y.
Nick Mauro	The Sage Colleges	So.	B	Bristol, Conn.
Arthur Melody	Maritime	Sr.	B	East Fishkill, N.Y.
Chris Muhs	St. Joseph's-L.I.	Jr.	GK	West Babylon, N.Y.

Player of the Year: John Dettori, St. Joseph's-L.I.

Rookie of the Year: Tana Weekes, Old Westbury

Coach of the Year: Gary Smith, St. Joseph's-L.I.

Championship MVP: Michael Vanadia, Maritime

Team Sportsmanship Award: Yeshiva