All-MIAA Baseball Team announced

Seven from Central Missouri State earn unanimous first-team honors

(Overland Park, Kan.) -- Eight members of the MIAA champion Central Missouri State Mules earned first-team recognition -- seven being unanimous choices -- on the 2005 All-MIAA Baseball Team, in a vote of the conference’s coaches.

The Mules (52-7, 27-4 MIAA) also has a representative earn at least a piece of each major award – senior SS Shawn Callahan shared the Player of the Year award with senior OF Mickey Nichol of Pittsburg State (29-21, 16-14 MIAA).

Senior RHP Danny Powers was the unanimous choice as Pitcher of the Year, while 2B Brian McBryde also was the unanimous choice for Freshman of the Year. For the second time in as many seasons, Mules head coach Darin Hendrickson was chosen as Wilson Coach of the Year.

Nichol (.459) and Callahan (.431) are ranked 1-2 in the MIAA in batting average following the MIAA Postseason Tournament, while Callahan (79 -- 1.34 per game) has the edge in the RBI category over Nichol (56 -- 1.12 per game).

Callahan has 15 homers (0.25 per game) to rank third behind Nichol (14 -- 0.28 per game) in second. The first-team choice at designated hitter, senior Scott Smith (.392, 18 HR, 54 RBI) of regional-qualifier Emporia State (41-18, 19-11 MIAA), leads the league in homers (0.33 per game).

Both Callahan and Nichol were unanimous selections to the first team at their positions.

Powers enters the NCAA Division II Central Regional Tournament with a league-best 1.99 ERA and a 13-1 record, along with an opponents batting average of .203 and an average of 10.76 strikeouts per nine innings pitched. He was a unanimous choice for first-team pitcher along with junior teammate and RHP Jason Schutt (12-1, 3.58, .215 OppBA, 10.51 K/9IP).

Also an unanimous first-team choice, McBryde (.398, 6 HR, 47 RBI) tied an MIAA record with three triples in a May 5 game against Northwest Missouri State. He leads the MIAA in three-baggers (6 -- 0.10 per game) and is fifth in hitting.

Hendrickson sits at 109-15 in his two seasons guiding the Mules, and he is believed to be the fastest coach to reach 100 wins with one school in Division II history. His win marks the eight straight season a CMSU mentor has won the award, ninth time in the last 10 seasons, and 13th time in the past 19 seasons.

Joining Callahan, Powers, Schutt and McBryde as unanimous selections from CMSU are senior OF Will Bradley -- the only repeat choice from last season (.388, 10 HR, 50 RBI), junior RHP Nick Webber at relief pitcher (3-0, 9 Svs., .49 ERA) and junior 1B Tim VanMatre (.365, 10 HR, 54 RBI). Junior LHP/DH Josh Outman (.367, 6 HR, 36 RBI, 8-2, 3.50 ERA, 11.88 K/9IP) was a first-team choice as a utility player.

Rounding out the first team are senior RHP Chris Klick (7-3, 3.45 ERA, 1 Sv.) and senior C Beau Schultz (.382, 2 HR, 35 RBI) of PSU; junior 3B Justin Coffman (.414, 5 HR, 59 RBI) of Missouri Western (33-22, 21-10 MIAA) and senior OF Jared Myers (.381, 12 HR, 40 RBI, 42-46 SB) of ESU.

**First Team**

*Danny Powers, CMSU*  
P 6-1 195  Sr.  Carl Junction, Mo.

*Jason Schutt, CMSU*  
P 6-3 225  Jr.  St. Louis, Mo.

*Chris Klick, PSU*  
P 5-11 190  Sr.  Manhattan, Kan.

*Nick Webber, CMSU*  
RP 6-6 210  Jr.  Lee’s Summit, Mo.

*Beau Schultz, PSU*  
C 6-2 191  Sr.  Independence, Kan.

*Tim VanMatre, CMSU*  
1B 6-3 205  Jr.  St. Louis, Mo.

*Brian McBryde, CMSU*  
2B 6-0 170  Fr.  Humble, Texas

*Shawn Callahan, CMSU*  
SS 6-3 210  Sr.  Holdem, Okla.

*Justin Coffman, MWSC*  
3B 5-11 208  Jr.  Rainier, Ore.

*Will Bradley, CMSU*  
OF 5-9 172  Sr.  Monash, Australia

*Mickey Nichol, PSU*  
OF 6-2 198  Sr.  Broken Arrow, Okla.

Jared Myers, ESU  
OF 6-0 185  Sr.  Cairo, Neb.

Smith, ESU  
DH 5-11 185  Sr.  Lenexa, Kan.

Josh Outman, CMSU  
UT 6-0 180  Jr.  St. Louis, Mo.

**Second Team**

Scott Fogelson, ESU  
P 6-0 200  Sr.  Bemidji, Minn.

Clint Gilliland, MWSC  
P 5-11 173  Jr.  Ludlow, Mo.

Jake Lenherr, WU  

Matt Petty, ESU  

Brent Lacy, CMSU  
C 5-11 185  Sr.  Wildwood, Mo.

Ryley Westman, NWMSU  
OF 6-1 210  So.  Smithville, Mo.

Ryan Zenk, MWSC  
1B 6-4 226  Jr.  Noblesville, Ind.

Jeff Cammann, ESU  
2B 5-10 190  Sr.  Anchorage, Alaska

Kevin Miller, SBU  
SS 6-1 195  Sr.  Springfield, Mo.

Josh Eftink, CMSU  
3B 5-10 210  Sr.  Chaffee, Mo.

Brad Smith, PSU  
3B 6-1 190  Sr.  Wichita, Kan.

Kyle Gallagher, NWMSU  
OF 6-2 200  Sr.  Bellevue, Neb.

Patrick Hardin, TSU  
OF 6-0 185  Sr.  Festus, Mo.

T.J. Prentice, PSU  
OF 6-0 175  Jr.  Owasso, Okla.

Drew Schulte, PSU  
DH 5-11 203  So.  Webb City, Mo.

Matt Coons, NWMSU  
UT 6-1 199  Jr.  Dearborn, Mo.

**– Repeat first-team choice from 2004.**

Two catchers and two third basemen selected due to ties in voting.

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### 2005 All-MIAA Baseball Team...

**Honorable Mention**

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No honorable mention third baseman was selected.

**Co-Players of the Year**
Shawn Callahan, 3B, CMSU & Mickey Nichol, OF, PSU

**Pitcher of the Year**
Danny Powers, RHP, CMSU

**Freshman of the Year**
Brian McBryde, 2B, CMSU

**Wilson® Coach of the Year**
Darin Hendrickson, CMSU

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