Northeast-10 Indoor Track & Field Report For Contests Through December 7, 2008

Northeast-10 Men’s Track Athlete of the Week
McNeil Johnson, Southern Connecticut (Sr., East Hartford, Conn.) - Took first in the 60 meter hurdles with a time of 8.24 seconds and second in the 500 meter run with a time of 1:04.85 at the Lidifter Invitational.

Northeast-10 Women’s Track Athlete of the Week
Letecia Taylor, Southern Connecticut (Jr., Plainfield, N.J.) - Won the 60 meter hurdles with a NCAA provisional qualifying time of 8.93 seconds at the Lidifter Invitational.

Northeast-10 Men’s Track Freshman of the Week
Dominic Smith, American International (Fr., Bloomfield, Conn.) - Placed third in the 55-meter dash with a finals time of 6.60 seconds at the Northeastern Husky Winter Carnival. Also placed fourth in the 200-meter dash with a time of 22.78 seconds and finished 11th in the 400-meter dash in 51.35 seconds.

Northeast-10 Women’s Track Freshman of the Week
Janine Daly, Southern Connecticut (Fr., Griswold, Conn.) - Took second in the 1,000 meter run with a time of 3:19.46 at the Lidifter Invitational.

Northeast-10 Men’s Field Athlete of the Week
Diwani Augustine, Southern Connecticut (Jr., East Hartford, Conn.) - Finished first in the triple jump with a leap of 14.64 meters and second place in the long jump with a jump of 6.81 meters at the Lidifter Invitational.

Northeast-10 Women’s Field Athlete of the Week
Jacqui Barrett, UMass Lowell (Jr., Woburn, Mass.) - Placed second overall - first among Division II-III throwers - and provisionally qualified for the NCAA Championship in the shot put at the Northeastern Husky Carnival. Threw for a distance of 44’ 3.25”.

Northeast-10 Men’s Field Freshman of the Week
Shaddi Ali, UMass Lowell (Fr., Stoneham, Mass.) - Placed second overall and tops among Division II and III athletes in the high jump at the Northeastern Husky Invitational. Cleared 6 feet, 8.0 inches and fell just 0.75 inches shy of provisionally qualifying for the NCAA Championship.

Northeast-10 Women’s Field Freshman of the Week
No Nominations
Weekly Honor Roll:

Alex Joseph, American International (So., New Britain, Conn.) - Placed third in the long jump with a distance of 6.82 meters (22-4.5) at the Northeastern Husky Winter Carnival.

Olivia Thibou, American International (Jr., Boston, Mass.) - Placed fourth in the triple jump and 19th in the long jump with respective distances of 11.06 meters (36-3.50) and 4.87 meters (15-11.75) at the Northeastern Husky Winter Carnival.

Mike Vatti, Bentley (Fr., Easton, Pa.) - In his collegiate debut at the Northeastern Husky Winter Carnival, was 3rd of 51 in the 400 (49.81) and 18th of 111 in the 200 (23.25). Also ran anchor leg on Bentley’s 4x400 relay team that was 8th of 24 overall and 2nd amongst non-Division I-teams in 3:29.44.

Tim Guerin, UMass Lowell (Jr., Auburn, Mass.) - Placed third overall and tops among Division II-III athletes at the Northeastern Husky Carnival. Posted a time of 8:44.96.

Cory Murray, UMass Lowell (So., Methuen, Mass.) - Placed sixth overall and first among Division II-III throwers in the shot put at the Northeastern Husky Carnival. Threw for a distance of 49’ 2.5’.

Jayson-Ann Wright, UMass Lowell (So., Bronx, N.Y.) - Placed third overall and tops among Division II and III athletes in the 800 meters at the Northeastern Husky Carnival. Posted a time of 2:23.02.

Alaric Best, Southern Connecticut (Jr., Pleasantville, N.J.) - Won the 800-meter run at the Yale Season Opener with a time of 1:59.90.

Sasha Mathelier, Southern Connecticut (Sr., Freeport, N.Y.) - Took first place in the pole vault with a vault of 3.50 meters and placed second in the finals of the 60 meter hurdles with a time of 9.12 seconds in the Lidifter Invitational.

Danielle Moore, Southern Connecticut (Sr., Palmdale, Calif.) - Broke the school record in the 500 meter run with a time of 1:15.66 to win the event at the Lidifter Invitation.

Tyrone Sawyer, Southern Connecticut (Sr., Nassau, Bahamas) - Captured the 60-meter dash title at the Yale Opener with a time of 6.91.

Sasha Saylor, Southern Connecticut (So., Hartford, Conn.) - Finshed first in the triple jump with a leap of 10.93 meters and placed second in the long jump with a jump of 5.03 meters at the Lidifter Invitational.

Courtni Walker, Southern Connecticut (So., Uniondale, N.Y.) - Claimed first place in the long jump with a leap of 5.07 meters and placed third in the triple jump with a jump of 10.48 meters at the Lidifter Invitational.

Ryan Whitehead, Southern Connecticut (Jr., Darien, Conn.) - Claimed first in the pole vault with a leap of 4.90 meters at the Lidifter Invitational.

Nate Morse, Stonehill (So., Whitinsville, Mass.) - Finished second in the 800 meter run at Northeastern's Winter Carnival in a time of 1:59.25, which was almost four seconds ahead of the next Division II runner.

Torrey Price, Stonehill (Sr., Sleepy Hollow, N.Y.) - Recorded a win in the 55 meter dash and then finished fifth in the 200 meters at the season-opening Northeastern University Winter Carnival. Completed the 55 meter dash in 6.42 and the 200 meters in 22.87.