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## NATIONAL CHRISTIAN COLLEGE ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION OFFICIAL PRESS RELEASE

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**November 5, St. Paul, Minn.** – The National Christian College Athletic Association (NCCAA) announced the all-tournament team award winners following the completion of the division one volleyball national championship tournament, hosted by Northwestern College in St. Paul, Minnesota. The all-tournament team was comprised of twelve members, including the tournament's Most Valuable Player (MVP) honoree.

Highlighting the list of all-tournament team performers was the most valuable player in Cedarville University setter Kelsey Jones (Cedarville, Ohio/Cedarville OH). Jones guided the Yellow Jackets in securing the 2005 national title, averaging 14.8 assists per game in the tournament to lead all 10 teams participating. Cedarville junior middle hitter Julia Bradley (Valencia, Calif./Saugus HS) also reached the all-tournament team. Bradley led all players in the NCCAA tournament in kills and hitting percentage, also ranking 4<sup>th</sup> in blocking. She averaged 5.79 kills and 1.42 blocks per game for the Yellow Jackets, while posting a .471 individual attack percentage.

National runner-up Bethel College boasted two players on the all-tournament team, including senior outside hitter Deanna Gonzalez (LaPorte, Ind.) and junior outside hitter Cassie Koldyke (Hudson, Ohio). Gonzalez, who was selected as the 2005 NCCAA national player of the year, averaged 3.65 kills per game and ranked in the top ten in the final tournament statistics for kills and service aces. Cassie Koldyke pounded down 85 kills in the 6 NCCAA tournament matches, averaging 4.2 kills per game along with 5.35 digs. She ranked in the top ten in tournament statistics for kills, service aces, and digs.

Listed below is the complete listing of all-tournament performers from the 2005 National Christian College Athletic Association (NCCAA) national volleyball tournament, organized alphabetically by school name.

- . Ellen Adkinson (Asbury College)
- . Cassie Koldyke (Bethel College)
- . Deanne Gonzalez (Bethel College)
- . Julia Bradley (Cedarville University)
- . Kelsey Jones (Cedarville University) – Most Valuable Player
- . Alyson Lumley (Hope International University)
- . Shena Beheler (Mount Vernon Nazarene University)
- . Lindsey Sir (Northwestern College)
- . Meghan Cok (Palm Beach Atlantic University)
- . Ashley Bonvento (Palm Beach Atlantic University)
- . Krista Powalisz (Trinity International University)
- . Michelle Whelan (Trinity International University)

For more 2005 NCCAA volleyball national tournament information, including results, match recaps, statistics, and final standings, visit the official tournament website at <http://nwc.nwc.edu/index.php?id=2221>

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