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Volleyball earns third straight academic team championship, women's basketball and tennis also earn nation's top achievement; Twenty-one Barton Athletic teams garner NJCAA academic honors #GoBarton

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Twenty-one athletic teams within Barton Community College were recognized recently by the NJCAA in announcing its 2021-22 Academic Teams of the Year achievements.

Earning a cumulative 3.308 GPA across Barton's twenty-two athletic teams reporting to the NJCAA list, seventeen placed among their respective sport's Top-20 leaderboard as 1,061 NJCAA teams achieved a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher.

Three Barton squads earned the NJCAA Academic Team of the Year honor led by Head Coach Alan Segal's volleyball team winning their third straight title. The Cougars accumulated a 3.95 GPA to also sit atop all NJCAA teams' academic performance for the second straight season. Individually, each of the fifteen Cougar roster earned NJCAA All-Academic honors with twelve having a perfect 4.0 GPA classroom performance.



Tied with Monroe college (NY) for the most academic team titles for the 2021-22 academic year, Barton's other two best of the classroom also came from a women's squad.

Coming off a third straight season of reaching the Region VI title game, off the court Head Coach Alan Clark's women's basketball team had seven 4.0 GPA earners to hele compiled a team 3.79 GPA to lead the nation while Head Coach Lyle Stickney's women's tennis team had four NJCAA All-America academic earners leading to an accumulated 3.76 GPA to follow their 10th placing at the national championships.

In addition to the trio of national titles, Barton also had a pair of national academic runner-up teams as men's soccer accumulated a 3.58 GPA as women's swimming compiled a 3.41 GPA.

Amongst fellow KJCCC (Kansas Jayhawk Community College Conference) members, Barton added conference academic titles in women's cross country and men's golf on top of, the three national title achieving teams.

List of Barton Athletic Teams and Grade Point Average (NJCAA):

- Baseball (3.44) – 15th national placing (120 Teams over 3.0 GPA); 3rd in Region VI (16 Teams over 3.0 GPA)
- Basketball - Men's (3.03) – 35th national placing (39 Teams over 3.0 GPA); 7th in Region VI (7 Teams over 3.0 GPA)
- Basketball – Women's (3.79) – 1st national placing (109 Teams over 3.0 GPA); 1st in Region VI (12 Teams over 3.0 GPA)
- Bowling – Men's (3.08) – 5th national placing (6 Teams over 3.0 GPA); *No other Region VI teams
- Bowling – Women's (3.35) – 5th national placing (7 Teams over 3.0 GPA); *No other Region VI teams
- Cross Country – Men's (3.43) – 5th national placing (36 Teams over 3.0 GPA); 2nd in Region VI (6 Teams over 3.0 GPA)
- Cross County – Women's (3.67) – 5th national placing (48 Teams over 3.0 GPA); 1st in Region VI (8 Teams over 3.0 GPA)
- eSports (2.92) - *NJCAA did not provide a national list; **2nd in Region VI (Not all 6 teams reported)
- Golf - Men's (3.48) – 13th national placing (64 Teams over 3.0 GPA); 2nd in Region VI (6 Teams over 3.0 GPA)
- Golf - Women's (3.11) – 23rd national placing (26 Teams over 3.0 GPA); 3rd in Region VI (3 Teams over 3.0 GPA)
- Indoor Track – Men's (3.10) – 6th national placing (8 Teams over 3.0 GPA); 2nd in Region VI (3 Teams over 3.0 GPA)
- Indoor Track – Women's (3.31) – 7th national placing (15 Teams over 3.0 GPA); 2nd in Region VI (6 Teams over 3.0 GPA)
- Outdoor Track – Men's (3.10) – 8th national placing (12 Teams over 3.0 GPA); 2nd in Region VI (2 Teams over 3.0 GPA)
- Outdoor Track – Women's (3.31) – 11th national placing (26 Teams over 3.0 GPA); 2nd in Region VI (7 Teams over 3.0 GPA)
- Soccer - Men's (3.58) – 2nd national placing (33 Teams over 3.0 GPA); 1st in Region VI (8 Teams over 3.0 GPA)
- Soccer - Women's (3.29) – 39th national placing (73 Teams over 3.0 GPA); 5th in Region VI (11 Teams over 3.0 GPA)
- Softball (3.43) – 66th national placing (178 Teams over 3.0 GPA); 10th in Region VI (19 Teams over 3.0 GPA)
- Swimming – Men's (2.41) – 2 teams nationally; *No other Region VI teams
- Swimming – Women's (3.41) – 2nd national placing (4 Teams over 3.0 GPA); *No other Region VI teams

Tennis - Men's (3.53) – 8th national placing (26 Teams over 3.0 GPA); 2nd in Region VI (4 Teams over 3.0 GPA)
Tennis - Women's (3.79) – 1st national placing (32 Teams over 3.0 GPA); 1st in Region VI (3 Teams over 3.0 GPA)
Volleyball (3.95) – 1st national placing (127 Teams over 3.0 GPA); 1st in Region VI (19 Teams over 3.0 GPA)
Wrestling (3.04) – 4th national placing (5 Teams over 3.0 GPA); 2nd in Region VI (3 Teams over 3.0 GPA)

More regarding the NJCAA academic team awards can be found online at www.njcaa.org.



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Nearly half of Barton student-athletes garner NJCAA All-Academic Awards #GoBarton

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Forty-five percent of student-athletes from Barton Community College have been awarded All-Academic honors announced by the National Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA).

Barton's 126 student-athletes were among 9,912 across the NJCAA earning a spot on one of three All-Academic teams for the 2021-22 school year. Overall, the Department carried a 3.30 GPA to exceed the previous year's 3.25 GPA average.

Fifty-eight Cougars joined 2,852 nation-wide recipients earning a perfect 4.0 GPA achievement to earn 1st team distinction.

Barton had twenty-eight total on the second team of 3.80-3.99 GPA earners with an additional forty on the third squad of having a 3.60-3.79 GPA.

The Barton volleyball team captured its third consecutive "Academic Team of the Year" crown under Head Coach Alan Segal. Compiling a 3.95 combined GPA, the Cougars led the entire NJCAA membership for the second straight year as all fifteen roster members earned All-Academic honors including twelve with perfect 4.0 classroom performances.

Also earning the top team awards were the women's basketball and women's tennis teams.

Head Coach Alan Clark's women's basketball team had seven perfect 4.0 students amongst their twelve academic honor achievers while Head Coach Lyle Stickney's women's tennis squad had three of their five honorees earning first team distinction.

In addition to team champion's 1st team selections, Brent Biggs' baseball team placed seven on the first team with Ousmane Camara's women's soccer team earning six of the perfect classroom achievements.

Biggs' baseball program led all Barton squads with seventeen total academic awards behind a 3.44 cumulative GPA in placing 15th nationally overall.

Two teams finished national runner-up in their respective sport. The men's soccer squad, who tied the volleyball team for a department second most honorees with fifteen, accumulated a runner-up 3.58 GPA while the women's swimming team also placed second in carrying a 3.41 team average.

List of Barton's NJCAA All-Academic Student-Athletes

First Team (4.0 GPA): **Denotes repeat 1st Team earner*

Baseball:

Beau Baumgardner, Ben Cordova, Jordan Ellison, Hollis Huff, Brock Merkel, JoJo Nieves, Quinton Robertson

Basketball (Men):

Josh Jordan

Basketball (Women):

Erin Foxhall, Addison Crites, Mikaela Hall, Morgan Meyers, Britney Schroer, Lili Shubert, Quezia Bertoni

Bowling (Men):

Connor Eastman

Bowling (Women):

*Jaden Boden

Cross Country (Men):

Djordje Racic

Golf (Men):

*Tom Gehring, Toby Woolf

Golf (Women):



Matilyn Newman

Indoor Track and Field (Men):

Djordje Racic, Almond Small

Indoor Track and Field (Women):

Efe Latham, Deborah Lowe

Outdoor Track and Field (Men):

Djordje Racic, Almond Small

Outdoor Track and Field (Women):

Efe Latham, Deborah Lowe

Soccer (Men):

Jaime Arellanes, Chase Clausing, Victor Lucca Ferraz, Tajay Grant, Ricardo Sepulveda

Soccer (Women):

Sara Rodriguez, Mercy Azanapo, *Annika Gerdau, Caiden Duerksen, Vanessa Rivero, Maria Paulino

Softball:

Julia Carey, Jordan Magette, *Jaycee Patton

Swimming (Men):

Jonathan Beers, Justus Hampton

Tennis (Men):

Marno Du Plesis

Tennis (Women):

Paulina Curci, Clara Penido

Volleyball:

*Jaden Boden, *Jadyn Brown, *Addison Crites, Victoria Monteiro, *Isabella Guedes, *Joelle LaForce, *Hanna Miller, Molly Norris, Tasiah Nunnery, Beatriz Rissi, Maria Santos, Mylena Testoni

Second Team (3.80-3.99):

Baseball:

David Stuart

Basketball (Men):

Devon Lizana

Basketball (Women):

Acorionna Lard, Lyndi Rumford, Jenny Nkem Womsi

Golf (Men):

Marshall Woolf

Indoor Track and Field (Men):

Xavier Madden, Marcus Purcell

Indoor Track and Field (Women):

Danae Nembhard, Karina Herrera, Lillian Thomas

Outdoor Track and Field (Men):

Xavier Madden, Marcus Purcell

Outdoor Track and Field (Women):

Danae Nembhard, Karina Herrera, Lillian Thomas

Soccer (Men):

Miguel Da Silva, Wilber Landaverde, Kotaro Natsume

Softball:

Teegan Krol, Jessica Morgan

Swimming (Men):

Daniel Wheatman

Swimming (Women):

Vali Bequette, Cindy Broadrick, Koe Schultz

Tennis (Men):

Sebastiao Vilas, Gustavo Campos, Samyak Bajracharya

Tennis (Women):

Jacie Roth, Azul Barrios

Volleyball:

Buse Kocakaya, Mya Maxwell

Third Team (3.60-3.79):

Baseball:

Kade Walker, Shawn Marquis, Chandler Miller, Logan Phillips, Zach Thornton, Hunter Hesseltine, Ethan Haufler, Jaden Wiley, Cade Kohlmeier

Basketball (Men):

Andri Basovets, Hannes Saar

Basketball (Women):

Dayjsha Fanning, Keeley Wolf

Bowling (Men):

Griffin Peterson

Bowling (Women):

Kylie Lowe, Courtney Kitchen, Anastasia Stanton, Taylor Cessna

Golf (Women):

Pawinee Sukasem

Indoor Track and Field (Men):

Zander Von Stade

Outdoor Track and Field (Men):

Zander Von Stade

Soccer (Men):

Cedric Morales, Hidetaka Nakao, Manaka Sato, Arthur Seelig Orth, Felipe Ramos, Rui Aoki, Nuntawat Nithilertvijit

Soccer (Women):

Julie Derenemesnil, Marina Angiolini, Francesca Martella, Alisia Solis, Amanda Coppeti

Softball:

Halie Stoneking, Savannah Benson, Adreanna Lance, Lexi Dryden

Swimming (Men):

Kyle Iselin

Tennis (Men):

Alistair Dick-Vercammen

Volleyball:

Jada Davis

Wrestling:

Jonah Clarke

More regarding the NJCAA individual awards can be found online at www.njcaa.org.

Barton Volleyball earns distinguished AVCA Team Academic Award #GoBarton

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The Barton Community College volleyball program received distinguished Honor Roll academic honors as announced by the United States Marine Corps (USMC) and the American Volleyball Coaches Association (AVCA) for the 2021-22 academic year.

The award completes another outstanding year in the classroom under third year Head Coach Alan Segal as the Cougars were also named the National Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA) Academic Team of the Year for the third straight year.

Accumulating a 3.95 GPA, the Cougars compiled the highest GPA across all sports and division within the NJCAA.

A national classroom champion four of the past six years, this season's Cougars had each of its fifteen member roster earn NJCAA academic awards of over a 3.60 GPA including twelve earning first team distinction of a perfect 4.0 GPA.

The award, which was initiated in the 1992-93 academic year, honors collegiate and high school volleyball teams that displayed excellence in the classroom during the school year by maintaining at least a 3.30 cumulative team grade-point average.

Barton led just six teams to earn the Academic Honor Roll award, given to the top 20% of the twenty-five teams exceeding the GPA requirements. It is the third straight year and fifth of the last six years Barton has received Honor Roll distinction among their fourteen times on landing on the academic list.

More information regarding the AVCA can be found at www.avca.org.

