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DOMINICAN TABBED PRESEASON FAVORITE IN CACC MEN'S SOCCER

NEW HAVEN (August 22, 2005) – Dominican College is the preseason choice to win the 2005 Central Atlantic Collegiate Conference (CACC) men's soccer title, according to balloting conducted by the conference's nine head coaches. Dominican, which received four of the nine first-place votes, garnered a total of 71 points in the poll, edging out Felician College, who picked up 65 points.

Dominican won both the CACC regular season and tournament titles last season after compiling a 15-6-1 overall record and a 7-1 league slate. The Chargers defeated Felician, 2-1, in overtime for the conference tournament title and rode the momentum to an ECAC Championship by getting past fellow CACC foe Caldwell by a 4-2 count.

Felician and Nyack finished second and third in the voting after posting identical 6-2 conference records last season. The Golden Falcons did not receive a first-place vote but picked up 65 total points after finishing 9-8-1 overall in 2004. The Warriors accumulated two first-place votes and 62 total points after going 14-10 last season. Caldwell College and Wilmington College round out the top five. The Cougars received two first-place nods and 56 total points and the Wildcats ended up with 42 tallies.

Conference favorite Dominican returns five All-Conference performers, including 2004 Player of the Year **Kyle Clancy** and first team defender, **Tom Rolston**. Also returning for the Chargers are 2004 second team selections, goalie **Kieran McGovern**, midfielder **Christian Quinga** and forward **Ryan Clancy**.

Defender **Dan Corti** and midfielder **Oswald Adu** are back to help lead Nyack after earning first team All-Conference accolades in 2004. Joining them is 2004 Newcomer of the Year, **Tim Conway**.

CACC Men's Soccer 2005 Preseason Coaches' Poll

School	2004 Records	Points
1. Dominican (4)	15-6-1/7-1	71
2. Felician	9-8-1/6-2	65
3. Nyack (2)	14-10/6-2	62
4. Caldwell (2)	14-8-2/3-3-2	56
5. Wilmington	4-10-4/4-3-1	42
6. Goldey-Beacom	3-14-1/2-5-1	39
7. Holy Family (1)	3-14-1/2-5-1	36
8. Post	4-16/3-5	22
9. Bloomfield	1-13-1/0-7-1	12
()-First Place Votes		

Bloomfield College ■ Caldwell College ■ Dominican (NY) College ■ Felician College ■ Georgian Court University
Goldey-Beacom College ■ Holy Family University ■ New Jersey Institute of Technology ■ Nyack College
Philadelphia University ■ University of the Sciences in Philadelphia ■ Post University ■ Wilmington (DE) College