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NCAA 1-AA
Mid-Major
All-America Team

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San Diego's Harney, Duquesne's Tolan and Albany's Gudmundsen Highlight 2004 Football Gazette All-American Team

WESTMONT, Illinois -- School record-setting runningback, **Evan Harney**, from the University of San Diego, **Ryan Tolan** from Duquesne University, and the University at Albany's **Geir Gudmundsen** headline a talented 2004 *Don Hansen's Football Gazette* NCAA 1-AA Mid-Major All-America team. Monmouth's **Kevin Callahan**, who led the Hawks to the NCAA Division 1-AA Mid-Major No. 1 ranking and a 10-1 record, was named Coach of the Year.

Harney earned Offensive Back of the Year while Tolan garnered the Defensive Lineman of the Year Award and Gudmundsen is the offensive Lineman of the Year. Senior **Michel Warfield** from Duquesne University earned Offensive Receiver of the Year honors, while **Colin Disch** from the University at Albany received Defensive Linebacker of the Year honors. Dayton's **Doug Jones** claims the Defensive Back of the year award and Special Teams Player of the Year honors go to **Ryan Feely** from Jacksonville (FL) University.

Harney, a junior, from Fallbrook, California, 2004 First Team All-PFL... Had 303 carries for 1,334 yards and 18 touchdowns, while catching 29 passes for 233 yards and one more touchdown. Three-time PFL Player of the Week. Finished fourth in the country in scoring (10.36 ppg). Set USD single season records for rushing attempts and rushing TDs. He is the USD career leader in rushing yards (2,809), rushing attempts (588), rushing TDs (35), total TDs (39) and total points (236). Also is the national active career leader in points per game (11.2). Was a 2004 Sports Network Preseason All-American, 2003 First Team Football Gazette All-American, 2003 First Team Sports Network All-American and 2003 First Team All-PFL.

Tolan, a senior, from LaVerne, California, totaled 54 tackles (30 solo) with 17 TFL (-76 yards) including 12.5 QB sacks (-70 yards)... 3 FF, 1 FR and 1 PBU... Set a school record with 12.5 sacks this season ... started at OLB last year before making the move to DE this season ... also led team in tackles for loss (17) and tied for second with three fumbles forced.

Gudmundsen, a senior, from Saugerties, New York, fourth straight year on All-Northeast Conference squad, including three first-team selections ... made 44 consecutive starts at left tackle ... nominated for Hula Bowl & East-West Shrine Game ... Albany is 8th nationally in rushing at 254.7 yards per game ... quarterback rushed for more than 1,000 yards ... three-time Football Gazette All-American (1st team, 2nd team, HM) ... named to three postseason I-AA All-America teams in 2003.

Warfield, a senior, from Oxon Hill, Maryland, pulled in 49 passes for 790 yards and 12 touchdowns... Ranks fifth among active I-AA receivers with 29 career touchdown receptions (only one other mid-major player has more) ... finished third on Duquesne's all-time TD reception list ... averaged 19.4 ypc. for his career ... missed one game this season due to injury.

Disch, a RS-freshman, from North Plainfield, New Jersey, recorded 131 tackles with 15.0 TFLs (-43 yds) including 5.0 QB sacks (-21 yds)... 1 FFs, 2 FR (15 yards I TD), 2 PBUs, 2 INTs (22 yards)... first-team All-Northeast Conference ... 2004 NEC Defensive Rookie of the Year ... among the top-10 in Division I-AA in tackles with 131 ... ties third best-mark in school history and is the highest total since 1987 ... also established freshman single-season record ... recorded double-figure tackles in all 11 games, including career-high 16 vs. Robert Morris ... NEC Rookie of the Week four times.

Jones, a senior, from Zanesville, Ohio, registered 88 tackles with 7.0 TFLs (-35 yds) including 1.0 QB sack (-8 yds)... 4 FF, 1 FR, 5 PBU, 2 INT (67 yds 1 TD), 1 blocked FG... named UD's MVP, the Pioneer Football League' North Division Defensive

Player of the Year... Jones was UD's leading tackler in 2004 (88 hits) and he tied for team honors in passes broken up (5). He intercepted two passes and returned one for a touchdown. He finished his career with his best-ever game, getting a career-high 19 tackles, forcing three fumbles and batting away two passes.

Feely, a junior, from Odessa, Florida, punted 62 times for 2,535 yards (40.9 yds per kick) including 14 inside the 20-yard line with a long punt of 69 yards... He also converted 5-of-11 field goal tries, with a long of 38 yards and was 19-of-21 on x-point tries... Earned First-Team All-Pioneer Football League honors....Earned Division I-AA Mid-Major All-America honors from The Sports Network...Feely not only led the PFL, but ranked 18th in Division I-AA in punting with a 40.9 yard average, including 14 punts inside the opponents' 20-yard line and eight fair catches. He also booted 10 punts of 50-or-more yards during the season and tied a school record by nailing a 69-yarder. Feely connected on 19-of-21 point-after attempts and nailed five field goals, including a pair of career-long 38-yarders. One of Feely's biggest contributions in 2004 was on kickoffs, where he averaged 61.6 yards per kick and forced 12 touchbacks. Feely, who transferred to JU following three seasons at UCF, was slated to be the Dolphins' place kicker but assumed the punting duties, as well, when All-America punter Ryan Long did not return to school.

This marks the 12th year *Don Hansen's Football Gazette*, a recognized authority on small college football has selected an NCAA 1-AA Mid-Major All-America team. A total of 68 players have earned some form of *Football Gazette* All-America accolades.

Kevin Callahan, led Monmouth University to the NCAA 1-AA Mid-Major No. 1 ranking in 2004. Callahan had his Hawks repeat as Northeast Conference champions in 2004 with a 10-1 overall record and 6-1 record in the conference.

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First Team Offense

<u>POS</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>HT</u>	<u>WT</u>	<u>YR</u>	<u>SCHOOL</u>	<u>HOMETOWN</u>	<u>HIGH SCHOOL</u>
QB	Todd Mortensen	6-4	225	SR	Univ. of San Diego	Tempe, Arizona	
RB	Cory Harge	5-11	170	SO	Central Conn. State U.	Amherst, NY	Sweet Home
RB	Evan Harney	6-1	220	JR	Univ. of San Diego	Fallbrook, Calif.	Fallbrook-Union
RB	Ed Pricolo	5-10	210	JR	Sacred Heart Univ.	Johnston, Rhode Island	LaSalle Academy
WR	Michel Warfield	6-2	205	SR	Duquesne University	Oxon Hill, Maryland	Bishop McNamara
WR	John Zabel	6-2	198	JR	LaSalle University	Ellicot City, Maryland	Mount Hebron
TE	Rupert Rickards	6-2	210	SR	Robert Morris Univ.	Flushing, NY	Bayside
AP	Tyjuan Massey	5-11	180	SR	Robert Morris Univ.	Orlando, Fla.	William R. Boone
OL	Geir Gudmundsen	6-6	315	SR	University at Albany	Saugerties, NY	
OL	Dan Iskra	6-3	280	SR	Monmouth University	Middlesex, NJ	
OL	Grant Knowles	6-3	310	SR	Drake University	Lee's Summit, Mo.	North
OL	Rob Schwab	6-4	261	SR	University of Dayton	Middletown, Ohio	Fenwick
OL	Keith Zapalac	6-4	270	SR	Univ. of San Diego	Sealy, Texas	
PK	Jason Resch	6-0	203	SR	University of Dayton	Poland, Ohio	Seminary

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DL	Josh Antinopoulos	6-2	265	JR	Duquesne University	Monaca, Pa	
DL	David Bamiro	6-2	220	SR	Univ. of Stony Brook	Central Islip, NY	
DL	Jason Forest	6-2	290	JR	Robert Morris Univ.	Central Islip, NY	St. John the Baptist
DL	Ryan Tolan	6-1	230	SR	Duquesne University	LaVerne, Calif.	Bonita
LB	Brendan Dete	6-1	225	SR	Davidson College	Marietta, Ga.	Marist
LB	Colin Disch	6-1	208	FR	University at Albany	North Plainfield, NJ	Warwick
LB	Jeff Langdon	6-2	236	SR	Univ. of San Diego	San Bernardino, Calif.	St. Thomas Aquanis
LB	James Noel	6-0	225	SR	Robert Morris University	Miami, Fla.	North Miami
LB	Craig Unger	6-2	225	SR	Morehead State Univ.	Greenfield, Ohio	McClain
DB	Charles Byrd	5-11	202	SR	Morehead State Univ.	Oxford, Ohio	Talawanda
DB	Doug Jones	5-9	179	SR	Univ. of Dayton	Zanesville, Ohio	West Munskingum
DB	Donnie Rose	5-9	170	SR	Central Conn. State U.	Hartford, Conn.	Sports Science
DB	Mike Scott	5-11	190	SR	Sacred Heart University	Groton, Conn.	R.E. Fitch
KR	Dante Settles	5-7	175	SR	Robert Morris University	Washington, DC	Northwestern
P	Ryan Feely	5-8	170	JR	Jacksonville (FL) Univ.	Odessa, Fla.	Tampa Jesuit

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QB	Niel Loebig	6-3	215	SR	Duquesne University	McDonald, Pa.	South Fayette
RB	Rudy Arcara	5-11	185	SO	Iona College	Harrison, NY	
RB	John Leverett	6-0	205	SR	Davidson College	Atlanta, Ga.	Marist
RB	Sean Meyers	5-10	195	JR	St. Peter's College	Marlton, NJ	Cherokee
WR	Miles Austin	6-3	220	JR	Monmouth University	Garfield, NJ	

WR	Chris Turner	6-4	220	SO	Wagner College	Syracuse, NY	Henninger
TE	James Mickley	6-2	229	JR	Drake University	Geneseo, Illinois	J.D. Darnall
AP	Ryan Wroblewski	6-0	186	JR	University of Dayton	Northville, Mich.	Detroit Cent. Catholic
OL	David Charles	6-3	295	SR	Univ. of Stony Brook	Brooklyn, NY	Midwood
OL	Mark Curry	6-5	290	SR	St. Peter's College	East Orange, NJ	Seton Hall Prep
OL	Mike Daniluk	6-2	315	SR	Duquesne University	Cranberry Township, Pa.	Seneca Valley
OL	Brandon Shaw	6-0	295	SR	University at Albany	Auburn, NY	
OL	Mark Wilke	6-2	321	SR	Drake University	Naperville, Illinois	Benet Academy
PK	Steve Andriola	6-0	190	SR	Monmouth University	Union, NJ	

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DL	Charles Bryant	6-1	240	SO	Wagner College	Hamden, Conn.	
DL	Cedric Johnson	6-2	245	SR	Iona College	Mount Vernon, NY	Cardinal Spellman
DL	Chimezie Okobi	6-2	255	SR	Univ. of Stony Brook	Freeport, NY	
DL	James Spencer-Howell	6-1	235	JR	Morehead State Univ.	Gallipolis, Ohio	Gallia Academy
LB	Harry Carter	6-1	235	JR	Duquesne university	Lanham, Maryland	Eleanor Roosevelt
LB	Dave Dyson	5-8	191	SO	St. Peter's College	Rutherford, NJ	
LB	Craig Romano	6-1	240	JR	Wagner College	Syracuse, NY	Solvey
DB	Teddy Carruthers	5-10	160	SR	Austin Peay State Univ.	Memphis, Tenn.	Whitehaven
DB	Terek Henderson	5-9	175	SR	Wagner College	Neptune, NJ	
DB	Frank Meade	5-9	180	SR	Iona College	Yonkers, NY	Iona Prep
DB	Kevin Saunders	5-10	195	SR	Davidson College	Roanoke, Va.	Patrick Henry
KR	Nick Garton	6-1	190	JR	Univ. of San Diego	Dana Point, Calif.	
P	Sean Dennis	5-11	1754	SO	Monmouth University	Westampton, NJ	Holy Cross

Honorable Mention Offense

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QB	T.J. Moriarty	6-0	195	SR	Univ. of Stony Brook	Howell, NJ	Red Bank Catholic
RB	Ken Triboletti	6-0	208	SR	LaSalle University	Moorestown, Pa.	
WR	Michael Gasperson	6-4	222	JR	Univ. of San Diego	Monterey, Calif.	Palma
TE	Dan Campbell	6-3	235	SR	Iona College	Red Bank, NJ	Middletown South
AP	Chris Blackshear	5-10	180	SR	Central Conn. State U.	Fort Pierce, Fla.	Port St. Lucie
OL	Ryan Winner	6-6	294	JR	University of Dayton	Greenville, Ohio	
PK	Piotr Czech	6-5	210	FR	Wagner College	Keyport, NJ	

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DL	Shawn Poling	6-0	245	SR	St. Peter's College	Union Beach, NJ	Keyport
LB	Coree Tucker	6-0	210	JR	Central Conn. State U.	Warren, Ohio	Harding
DB	Drew Stafford	6-3	210	SR	Jacksonville (FL) Univ.	Rockville, Maryland	
KR	James Wright	5-9	165	SO	Sacred Heart University	New Haven, Conn.	Wilbur Cross
P	Ryan Horvath	6-1	207	JR	Drake University	Overland Park, Kansas	Blue Valley North