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NCAC Volleyball Special

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**ALL-NCAC VOLLEYBALL SQUAD ANNOUNCED;
KELLER NAMED PLAYER OF THE YEAR**

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CLEVELAND -- Wittenberg junior **Tiffany Keller (Massillon, OH/Tuslaw)** has been named Player of the Year to highlight the 2001 All-North Coast Athletic Conference volleyball selections.

Keller, a 5-11 outside hitter, was among the conference leaders in blocks (0.92 bpg) as the Tigers compiled a 26-9 record on the way to their fifth consecutive NCAC championship and a berth in the NCAA Tournament for the sixth straight year. She was voted MVP of the North Coast Athletic Conference tournament earlier this month.

Denison senior **Marti Coval (Gahanna, OH/St. Francis DeSales)**, Denison junior **Regann Goodwin (Gahanna, OH/St. Michael's Academy, TX)** and Wittenberg junior **Teresa Murphy (Blacklick, OH/Newark Catholic)** are repeat first-team selections. Murphy is a three-time first-team honoree, while Coval and Goodwin pick up their second first-team accolade. Coval makes her fourth appearance on the All-NCAC team, earning first team honors in 2001 and 1999, second-team honors in 2000 and honorable mention in 1998.

Rounding out the first team are Wittenberg freshman **Monica McDonald (Newark, OH/Catholic)** and Allegheny senior **Meghan Radkowski (St. Mary's PA/Elk County Christian)**. McDonald was voted the NCAC's Newcomer of the Year after she led the NCAC in kills per game (4.42)

Hiram's first-year coach **Ellen Dempsey** was voted NCAC Coach of the Year. She guided the Terriers to a 17-17 overall record, including a 4-4 mark in NCAC play good for a fifth-place tie, up from ninth place in 2000.

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2001 ALL-NCAC VOLLEYBALL

CLEVELAND -- The following performers have earned All-North Coast Athletic Conference honors for the 2001 season through balloting by the NCAC volleyball coaches.

FIRST TEAM	School	Yr.	Ht.	Pos.	Hometown/High School
Marti Coval#*%	Denison	Sr.	5-10	MH	Gahanna, OH/St. Francis DeSales
Regann Goodwin^\$	Denison	Jr.	5-7	S	Gahanna, OH/St. Michael's Academy, TX
Tiffany Keller%	Wittenberg	Jr.	5-11	OH	Massillon, OH/Tuslaw
Monica McDonald	Wittenberg	Fr.	5-9	OH	Newark, OH/Catholic
Teresa Murphy*\$	Wittenberg	Jr.	5-8	OH	Blacklick, OH/Newark Catholic
Meghan Radkowski&	Allegheny	Sr.	5-11	MH	St. Mary's. PA/Elk County Christian

Player of the Year: Tiffany Keller, Wittenberg

Newcomer of the Year: Monica McDonald, Wittenberg

Coach of the Year: Ellen Dempsey, Hiram

SECOND TEAM	School	Yr.	H.	Pos.	Hometown/High School
Cori Arnold%	Kenyon	Jr.	5-11	MH	West Lafayette, OH/Ridgewood
Shana Heilbron&	Ohio Wesleyan	Sr.	5-7	S	Shaker Hts., OH/Shaker Hts.
Vicki Kajder \$	Allegheny	So.	5-8	S	Trafford, PA/Penn-Trafford
Kelly McAllister	Wooster	Fr.	5-9	OH	West Chester, OH/Mount Notre Dame
Jen Petkovsek	Wooster	Sr.	5-8	MH	Amherst, OH/Steele
Stephanie Schnetz@&	Hiram	Sr.	5-9	OH	Stow, OH/Stow-Munroe Falls

HONORABLE MENTION	School	Yr.	H.	Pos.	Hometown/High School
Amber Coleman	Oberlin	So.	5-6	S/RS	Maple Heights, OH/Maple Heights
Salena Coletta #	Earlham	Sr.	5-8	MH	Norwalk, OH/St. Paul
Heather Guthrie	Denison	Jr.	6-0	OH	Hudson, OH/Hudson
Adrienne Knox	Ohio Wesleyan	Sr.	5-10	MH	Beavercreek, OH/Beavercreek
Becky Turk&	Denison	Jr.	5-11	MH	Middleburg Hts., OH/Midpark
Sarah Yuskewich	Wittenberg	Fr.	6-0	S/OH	Columbus, OH/Bishop Watterson

Key: \$1st team 2000, % 2nd team 2000; & honorable mention 2000; *1st team 1999, ^2nd team 1999, @ honorable mention 1999, #honorable mention 1998