HADLEY, Mass. – Middlebury golfer Chloe Levins has been selected as the NESCAC Player of the Year as voted on by the league’s coaches. The junior is the first golfer from Middlebury to earn NESCAC Player of the Year honors since the award’s inception in 2015. She also earned her third consecutive All-NESCAC accolade, after being named to the First Team in 2016 and the Second Team in 2017. She was the medalist at the NESCAC Championship, shooting back-to-back rounds of 76 for a two-day score of 152. She also won the Williams Invitational with a score of 146 (70-76).

Women’s Golf All-NESCAC Teams

First Team

- Cordelia Chan, Williams (Sr., Windsor, Ontario)
- Joanna Kim, Williams (Fy., Edina, Minn.)
- Chloe Levins, Middlebury (Fr., Rutland, Vt.)
- Blake Yaccino, Middlebury (Jr., Kenilworth, Ill.)
- Morgan Yurosek, Amherst (Jr., Irvine, Calif.)

Second Team

- Holly Davenport, Williams (So., Palm City, Fla.)
- India Gaume, Amherst (Fy., Mission Hill, Kan.)
- Celia Lau, Hamilton (So., Sarasota, Fla.)
- Isabelle Ouyang, Amherst (So., Edina, Minn.)
- Libbie Warner, Hamilton (Sr., Richmond, Va.)

Player of the Year: Chloe Levins, Middlebury

Rookie of the Year: Joanna Kim, Williams

Coach of the Year: Tomas Adalsteinsson, Williams

- The 2017 NESCAC Player of the Year and 2015 NESCAC Rookie of the Year, Williams senior Cordelia Chan makes the All-NESCAC First Team for the third time in her career. She also earned All-NESCAC Second Team honors in 2016. Chan won the Mount Holyoke Invitational with a 75 and a school-record round of 67 (142). She was runner-up at the NESCAC Championship (74-82-156), helping the Ephs win their fourth straight NESCAC title.
- Joanna Kim is the second Williams golfer to earn NESCAC Rookie of the Year honors, joining teammate Cordelia Chan, since the inception of the award in 2015. She finished fifth at the NESCAC Championship (81-80-161) and recorded the best finish among the first-year golfers. She shot a season-best 152 (75-77) at the Williams Invitational to place third overall.
- Middlebury junior Blake Yaccino moves to the All-NESCAC First Team after two years as a Second Team honoree in 2016 and 2017. She had three top 5 finishes in four tournaments and finished tied for third at the NESCAC Championship with a 160 (79-81).
- The 2016 NESCAC Rookie of the Year, Amherst junior Morgan Yurosek is an All-NESCAC First Team selection for the second straight year and was a Second Team honoree in 2016. She was the medalist or runner-up in the first three tournaments of the year, and placed among the top 5 in four of the five tournaments in the fall. She recorded a two-day total of 146 (76-70) to win the season-opening Ann S. Batchelder Invitational.

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