Alexandra Monteleone, Pace  
**Junior, Cold Spring, N.Y.**

Monteleone averaged 23.5 points and five rebounds in season-opening triumphs over NYIT and LIU Post over the weekend. The junior guard began the year with a 24-point effort against NYIT on Saturday, before pouring in 23 versus the Pioneers on Sunday. She also tallied three steals and a block in the win over LIU Post.

**WOMEN’S BASKETBALL**

**NE10 PLAYER OF THE WEEK**

November 13 - Alexandra Monteleone, PAC

**NE10 ROOKIE OF THE WEEK**

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**AROUND THE NE10**

- American International and Bentley were tabbed by the NE10 coaches to win their respective divisions of the conference this season.

- The 2016-17 NE10 Championship will begin on Friday, February 23 with First Round action, and will culminate with the Finals on Sunday, March 4.

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Dana Watts, American International
Jr., Rochester, N.Y.
Watts averaged 18.5 points, 11.0 rebounds, three assists and 1.5 steals per game to help the Yellow Jackets to a 1-1 showing over the weekend. She shot 44.8 percent from the field and 83 percent from the line.

Lauren Green, Bentley
Sr., Damascus, Md.
In two wins at Holy Family during the NE10/CACC Challenge, Green scored 17 points in both contests while shooting 12-for-20 overall and 8-for-12 from the arc. In addition to 34 points in 38 minutes, she also averaged two assists and 1.5 rebounds.

Cassie Smith, Bentley
Sr., Edison, N.J.
Smith averaged a double-double in Bentley’s first two games of the season with 11.5 points, 10 rebounds and two steals a game, while shooting 61.5 percent from the floor. In an 83-40 win over Wilmington, she had a career-best 15 points en route to her first collegiate double-double.

Jemma Thacker, Franklin Pierce
Sr., Nairne, South Australia
Thacker averaged 20.0 points on 48.3 percent shooting which included a 45.5 percent clip from long range to go with 7.5 rebounds and 4.5 assists over the 1-1 weekend at the NE10/CACC Conference Challenge at Holy Family. After trailing 19-5 after the first against the Tigers, Thacker led the Ravens to a 56-47 win notching her second career double-double with a career-high 26 points and 13 rebounds, while adding a game-best five assists. Thacker hit 58.8% of her shot attempts and scored 19 of her 26 markers in the second half.

Lindsay Werner, Merrimack
Jr., Groton, Mass.
Werner led Merrimack with an average of 21.5 points per game and shooting splits of .583/.600/1.000 over two games. Werner scored 20-plus points in both contests, the fourth and fifth 20-point efforts of her career. She shot 14-of-24 from the field and 9-of-15 from three-point range, while making all six of her free-throws. She scored a game-high 23 points in the Warriors’ near upset of No. 25 Caldwell on Sunday.

Alexandria Kerr, New Haven
Jr., Montclair, N.J.
Kerr led the Chargers as they tallied a season-opening victory over East Stroudsburg, the coaches pick to win the PSAC. Kerr finished just shy of a double-double with 17 points and nine boards, shooting 58.3 percent from the field. She also picked off a career-high six steals from the Warriors. Among her nine rebounds were seven on the offensive end, resulting eight second-chance points.

Katia Oge, New Haven
Jr., New City, N.Y.
Oge was a major factor in leading the Chargers to a season-opening win over East Stroudsburg, the coaches choice as preseason favorite to win the PSAC. The center finished just shy of a double-double with 17 points and nine boards, shooting 58.3 percent from the field. She also picked off a career-high six steals from the Warriors. Among her nine rebounds were seven on the offensive end, resulting eight second-chance points.

Shannon Ryan, Saint Anselm
So., Plattsburgh, N.Y.
Ryan posted back-to-back double-doubles to open her Saint Anselm career, scoring 30 points alongside 15 rebounds against Caldwell on Saturday, before recording 20 points and 15 rebounds against Concordia (N.Y.) in her team’s first victory of the year. To date, she is shooting north of 50 percent from the floor (22-41).

Samantha Delaney, Saint Michael's
Jr., Smithtown, N.Y.
Delaney averaged 15.5 points, 10.5 rebounds, 3.0 offensive rebounds and 1.5 blocks during a 2-0 weekend, shooting 57.9 percent (11-19) from the field and 90.0 percent (9-10) from the line. In a 69-61 win at Bridgeport on Saturday, she had 10 points, seven rebounds, three offensive boards and two blocks, before collecting a career-high 21 points, 14 rebounds, three offensive rebounds and one block in a 77-59 win against the District of Columbia on Sunday.

Leah Spencer, Saint Michael's
Sr., Brockton, Mass.
Spencer averaged 15.0 points on 52.4 percent (11-21) shooting with 2.5 rebounds and 3.0 assists during a 2-0 weekend. In a 69-61 win at Bridgeport on Saturday, she notched 14 of her 19 points in the second half, while adding three rebounds and two assists. During a 77-59 win over the District of Columbia on Sunday, Spencer totaled 11 points, two rebounds, four assists and a steal.

Courtney Clasen, Saint Rose
So., Shoreham, N.Y.
Clasen averaged 18.5 points per game as the Golden Knights went 2-0 at the Georgian Court Invitational. On Saturday, the sophomore guard led all players with 23 points on 9-of-12 shooting against Concordia.