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ATHLETES OF THE MONTH

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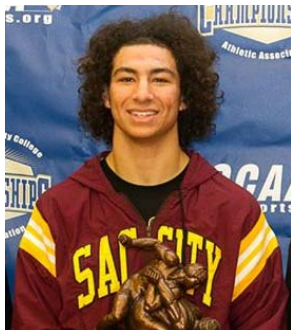
FEMALE ATHLETE OF THE MONTH



**Kelsey Shaver** | *Cabrillo College* | *Volleyball* | *Freshman*

Cabrillo College freshman Kelsey Shaver helped lead the Seahawks to the program's first ever California Community College Athletic Association State Women's Volleyball Championship. It was also the first ever CCCAA State Women's Volleyball Championship won by a Northern California community college, dating all the way back to 1977. In the opening match of the CCCAA State Championship Tournament, Shaver set a state tournament record with 31 kills in a four set win over Grossmont College, hitting a brilliant .540. Over the two-day tournament, Shaver had 62 kills in three total matches, and was named the Tournament's Most Valuable Player. Shaver is a 5'10 outside hitter, who attended Harbor High School and hails from Santa Cruz, CA.

MALE ATHLETE OF THE MONTH



**Alex Campos-Chambers** | *Sacramento City College* | *Wrestling* | *Sophomore*

Sacramento City College sophomore Alex Campos-Chambers capped off a great season with the State Championship at 174 pounds. Campos-Chambers finished the season with a 38-3 record. In that CCCAA State Championship meet, he recorded two falls in his three matches. In the final, he pinned returning State Finalist, Kevin Corbett of Fresno City College. He was voted the meet's Outstanding Wrestler and the Wrestler of the Year in the Big 8 Conference. During the 2013 season, Campos-Chambers set a school record with 32 falls, breaking the old record of 28 set in 1970. His 32 falls from this year and 20 from last year set a State Record of 52 falls in two seasons. Along with his prowess on the mat, Campos-Chambers posted a 3.77 GPA for the Fall of 2013, and was named to the CCCWCA Academic All-American Team as well as an All-American for wrestling. He helped lead SCC to back-to-back Big 8 Conference Titles, and was an All-Big 8 selection for the second year running. Campos-Chambers hails from Chico, CA where he attended Chico High School.

FEMALE ATHLETE OF THE MONTH  
HONORABLE MENTION

**Sonji Green** | *Merced College* | *Basketball* | *Sophomore*

In the month of December, Green led the Blue Devils to a 7-3 record and wins over the NorCal #1 and #4 ranked teams. During that stretch she averaged 20.4 points and 12.6 rebounds a contest.

**Gretchen Harrigan** | *Santa Rosa Junior College* | *Basketball* | *Freshman*

Harrigan averaged a whopping 27.5 points a game in December. In the Bear Cubs' first game of the San Jose City Tournament, Harrigan scored 40 points and grabbed 20 rebounds.

**Claudia Lopez** | *Cerritos College* | *Soccer* | *Sophomore*

Lopez helped lead the Falcons to their 2nd straight NSCAA Division III National Championship and CCCAA State Championship. In the State Championship Tournament, Lopez scored three goals and had an assist, while being named the tournament's MVP.

**Janie Myles** | *Cosumnes River College* | *Basketball* | *Sophomore*

Myles sprinted out of the gate in December for the Hawks averaging 21 points and 19.5 rebounds a game. Myles notched five double-doubles and shot 43% from the field.

**Miriam Zabinsky** | *Cuesta College* | *Basketball* | *Sophomore*

Zabinsky helped lead the Cougars to 12 straight wins to start out their 2013-2014 campaign, and the program's highest ranking since 1997. Zabinsky is averaging 17.9 points, 7.5 rebounds, 2.4 assists, and 2.2 steals a game.

MALE ATHLETE OF THE MONTH  
HONORABLE MENTION

**Dwayne Benjamin** | *Mt. San Jacinto College* | *Basketball* | *Sophomore*

In the month of December, Benjamin averaged 18.2 points and 7.2 rebounds a game, while leading his team to victories over the then #1 and #9 ranked teams in the State.

**Aaron Brown** | *Feather River College* | *Basketball* | *Sophomore*

Brown paced the Golden Eagles in the month of December, by scoring at least 20 points in each contest. He averaged 22.4 points a game during that stretch.

**Joni Cruz** | *Hartnell College* | *Soccer* | *Sophomore*

Cruz helped lead the Panthers to the 2013 CCCAA State Championship with a 1-0 win over four-time defending State Champs Mt. SAC in the title game. Cruz scored the lone goal in that game and was named the tournament's MVP.

**Richard Murphy** | *Butte College* | *Football* | *Sophomore*

In the CCCAA State Championship Game, Murphy had five catches for 143 yards and was named the game's Offensive MVP, helping lead the Roadrunners to the 2013 Title.

**Jovan Villalobos** | *Cuesta College* | *Wrestling* | *Freshman*

Villalobos went 24-8 on the season and finished fourth at the 2013 CCCAA State Championships. Villalobos was named an All-American and was a First-Team All-Southeast Conference selection on the year.