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First Atlantic 10 Cross Country Weekly Awards Announced

Duquesne's Andrade and UMass' MacLean Earn Weekly Honors

NEWPORT NEWS, Va.—Duquesne senior Dino Andrade was named the Atlantic 10 Conference Men's Cross Country Performer of the Week while Massachusetts' Heather MacLean was named the Women's Performer of the Week. Also honored were Richmond's Miles Clikeman, who was named the Men's Rookie of the Week, and Davidson's Maddie Hunter, who was named the Women's Rookie of the Week. The awards were based off performances from meets held September 2-4.

Andrade, a senior from Springdale, Ark., finished first overall in a 48-runner field with an 8K time of 26:14.4. As a team, the Dukes went on to post a 4-0 record and finished first at the Duquesne Duals.

MacLean, a redshirt junior from Peabody, Mass., finished first in a field of 80 runners at Richmond's Spider Alumni Open with a two-mile time of 10:35.7. MacLean finished 2.5 seconds ahead of the next closest finisher, and her performance led the Minutewomen to a third-place team finish with 64 points.

Clikeman, a freshman from Chesterfield, Va., recorded an 18th-place overall finish in his first collegiate action at the Spider Alumni Open. His time of 15:43.5 (5K) was the second best performance by a freshman at the meet.

Hunter, a freshman from Charlottesville, Va., finished fifth at this weekend's Charlotte Preview Meet with a time of 18:28.6 (5K).

About the Atlantic 10 Conference

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