

Alfred University women's volleyball makes state tournament

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POUGHKEEPSIE The Alfred University women's volleyball team has been selected to compete in the New York State Women's Collegiate Athletic Association (NYSWCAA) championships. The Lady Saxons (24-13, 6-6 Empire Eight) are seeded fifth out of 12 teams competing in the state tournament at Vassar College in Poughkeepsie, Friday and Saturday, Nov. 3 and 4. In the first round, AU will take on 12th seed St John Fisher. The Lady Saxons played Fisher once this season, losing 3-0 on the road. If the Lady Saxons win, they would advance to the quarterfinals to face fourth seed Skidmore, which swept two matches from AU this year. Alfred is coming off a disappointing performance at the Empire Eight conference tournament, where the Lady Saxons defeated Utica before dropping consecutive matches to Ithaca and Elmira.