Alfred University s Harwood earns softball honors from ECAC 6/06/02

ALFRED Tara Harwood (Hornell/Hornell), shortstop on the Alfred University softball team, was named an honorable mention Eastern College Athletic Conference (ECAC) Upstate NY all-star. Harwood, who graduated in May with a bachelor's degree in business administration, led Alfred with a .386 batting average and a .543 slugging percentage and tied for team lead with a .400 on-base percentage. She also led the team with 15 stolen bases (in 15 attempts), 27 hits, 15 runs, six doubles, 12 sacrifices and 75 assists. She tied for the team lead in homeruns (one). She was sixth in the Empire 8 conference in batting and second in stolen bases. A four-year starter at shortstop, Harwood finished as the school's career leader in games played (106), games started (106), homeruns (6), stolen bases (32), sacrifices (25) and assists (287). She holds single season records in homeruns (three, 2001), stolen bases (15, 2002) and assists (104, 2001); and single-game records in RBIs (five) and runs (five). For her career she had a .311 batting average and .437 slugging percentage. She had previously been named a First Team Empire 8 Conference softball all-star.