AU's Chapman chosen to coach in Division III lacrosse all-star game 1/23/03

ALFRED - Alfred University head men's lacrosse coach Preston Chapman has been chosen to coach in the North-South Division III All-Star Game, June 7 at Sacred Heart University in Fairfield, CT.Chapman and Vassar coach Dick Sipperly will be co-coaches on the North Team. Coaches for the game, played by some of the best senior men's lacrosse players in Division III, were chosen by a committee made up of athletic directors from Hobart College, Goucher College and Washington College."This is the biggest honor of my career," said Chapman, a 1989 Alfred graduate who is set to begin his fifth year at the Saxons' helm. Prior to coming to Alfred, he coached eight seasons at Elmira College. In four seasons at AU, he has a 23-30 record, including an 8-5 mark last season."When I was told I'd been chosen, I was kid of blown away," said Chapman, who also serves on the national Division III All-American Selection Committee. "It's a distinct privilege and I'm really looking forward to it."A native of Penn Yan, Chapman played two years on the AU men's lacrosse team, earning a pair of varsity letters. He served one season as an assistant under former coach Al Brown before taking the head coaching job at Elmira.