

## **AU equestrian team competes at Nazareth**

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PITTSFORD, NY The Alfred University equestrian team competed at Nazareth College Saturday and placed eighth of 14 teams. Senior Danielle Lownes (Richboro, PA/Council Rock) placed second in novice equitation on the flat. Lownes, who earned five points for her team, has now compiled enough individual points to qualify to compete in the Intercollegiate Horse Show Association (IHSA) Zone 2, Region 2 championships in April. Other AU riders who earned points Saturday were: freshman Shana Muir (Dublin, OH/Dublin-Scioto), fourth in intermediate equitation over fences (three points) and third in intermediate equitation on the flat (four points); freshman Caitlin Hartman (Henrietta, NY/Rush-Henrietta), first in advanced walk-trot-canter (seven points); freshman Stacy Eaker (Addison, NY/Addison), second in walk-trot (five points); and freshman Maria Koronkiewicz (Bellport, NY/Bellport), sixth in open equitation over fences (one point). Other top riders for AU included freshman Theresa Wills (Ransomville, NY/Lewiston-Porter), third in open equitation over fences and open equitation on the flat; senior Bethany Cohen (Saratoga Springs/Saratoga), third in walk-trot; sophomore Lisa Landis (New City, NY/Clarkstown North), fourth in intermediate equitation over fences; and freshman Katherine Kennedy (Horseheads, NY/Horseheads), fourth in intermediate equitation over fences and intermediate equitation on the flat. AU is in action next on Dec. 3 at St. Lawrence.