

Athletics at Southeastern Louisiana University

Notable Highlights 2003 - 2004

- ❑ High jumper Janice Ezeibunam became the fifth player in school history to be named Academic All-American and was one of the top high jumpers in the state of Louisiana.
- ❑ Janice Ezeibunam and tennis player Milos Vasovic received the F. L. McDonald Scholarship, awarded to the graduating seniors with the top grade point averages in the Southland Conference.
- ❑ Volleyball star Sarah Gascon led the nation in digs for the second straight season, winning nine straight Southland Conference Player of the Week awards to close out the season.
- ❑ Alexis Tramacchi (women's soccer) and Brett Bergeron (men's golf) were each named Southland Conference Student-Athlete of the Year for their respective sports.
- ❑ Nate Lofton (men's basketball) and Nakeya Downing (women's basketball) were each named Louisiana and Southland Conference Newcomer of the Year for their respective sports, while Summer Delaneuville (softball) took home state Newcomer accolades.
- ❑ Catcher Karin Smith set new single-season and career home run records for the Southeastern softball team, on the way to being named First-Team All-Southland Conference and All-Louisiana.
- ❑ Men's golf came from behind to finish third at the Southland Conference Championships. Steven Tiley was named Louisiana Golfer of the Year.
- ❑ The men's basketball team had its most successful season in quite some time, as Amir Abdur-Rahim and Nate Lofton led the Lions to a 20-9 record and a share of the Southland Conference championship. Southeastern head coach Billy Kennedy earned four Coach of the Year awards.
- ❑ Led by Southland Conference and Louisiana Player of the Year Kendra Oney, the Southeastern women's soccer team won their second straight Southland Conference championship and finished with a 15-2-4 record, the best single-season mark in school history.
- ❑ The women's tennis team advanced to the Southland Conference Tournament for the first time since 2001, while their male counterparts advanced to the semifinals of the tourney for the third time in the last four years.
- ❑ The Southeastern football team made its return to the field after an 18-year absence. Over 46,000 fans packed Strawberry Stadium during the season to cheer on Southeastern's team to a 5-7 record.

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