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WELCOME TO THE 2026 TEWAARATON AWARD CEREMONY

We are delighted to have you join us at the Andrew W. Mellon Auditorium for the Tewaaraton Award Ceremony. Each year, the award recognizes one of the Six Nations of the Haudenosaunee Confederacy: Mohawk, Oneida, Onondaga, Seneca, Tuscarora and Cayuga. This year is the Year of the Mohawk and we are delighted to be joined by Teiakotshatatenion Clute of the Mohawk Nation for the opening and closing prayers.

We'd like to thank our presenting sponsor, Stifel Financial Corp. The Tewaaraton Award Presented by Stifel has become a mainstay in college lacrosse. We thank Chairman and CEO Ron Kruszewski and Global Head of Investment Banking Brad Raymond for their long-term commitment to the Tewaaraton Award.

The University Club of Washington, DC hosted the finalists during their stay and is home to the Tewaaraton Award. On behalf of The University Club of Washington DC President, Steve Aubin, we hope everyone enjoyed their visits.

Special thanks to the Selection Committees for the Men's and Women's Award, led by Chairs Jack Emmer and Chris Sailer. This is an arduous process that is unique in awards of this kind. We appreciate the committee's wisdom, integrity and leadership throughout the season and many past seasons. It is this process that builds the credibility of the Award.

Most important gratitude to The Tewaaraton Foundation Board of Directors. The Award would not be possible without this committed group that upholds a standard of excellence for the game's most prestigious award.

Thank you to all of our attendees, partners, and supporters for our mission and the wonderful game of lacrosse.

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The Tewaaraton Foundation is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization tasked with fulfilling the mission of the Tewaaraton Award, which includes:

- Recognizing excellence in the sport of lacrosse by annually honoring the most outstanding men's and women's college players and legends of the game.
- Honoring the Native American heritage of the sport through the Award's name and by integrating Native American traditions and culture throughout the program.
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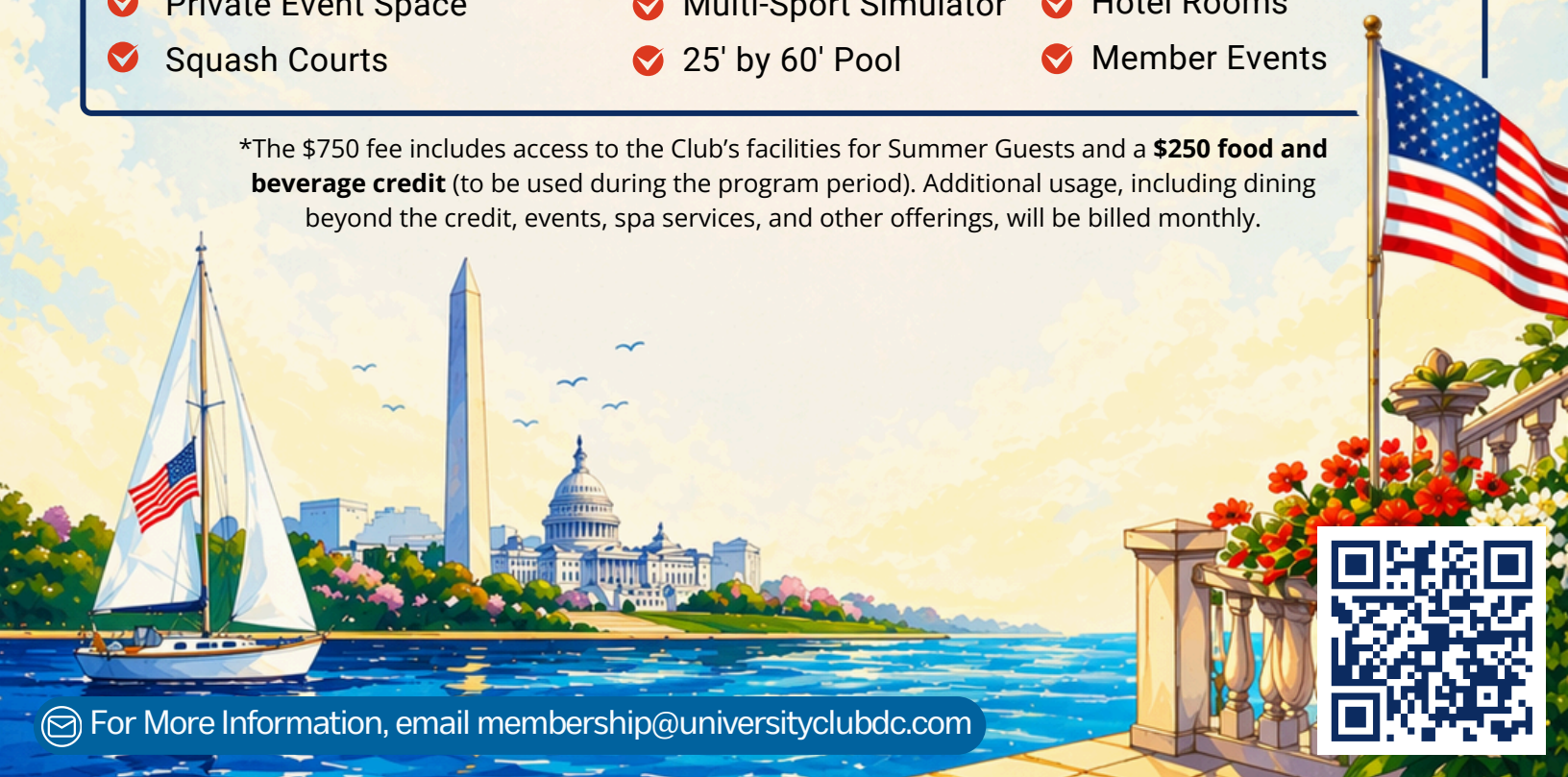
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Sheehan Stanwick Burch, Sportscaster

Sheehan Stanwick Burch been a TV analyst for lacrosse as well as a sideline reporter for football, working with ESPN and CBS Sports Network for over 20 years. Sheehan attended Georgetown University, where she was a four-time All-American for the Hoyas women's lacrosse team, as well as captain of the 2001 national finalist team and the 2001 National Attacker of the Year. Sheehan remains the Hoyas' career leader in goals and points. Sheehan is also a member of the Georgetown and National Lacrosse Hall of Fame. A native of Baltimore, Maryland, and the oldest of eight children, Sheehan resides in Baltimore with her husband and four children. Her brother Steele (Virginia) was the 2011 Tewaaraton Award recipient.



Jeremy Schaap, ESPN Host and Sportswriter

One of ESPN's most respected and longest-tenured personalities, Jeremy Schaap has been with the network since 1994. He hosts both E:60 and Outside the Lines, ESPN's showcase journalism shows, as well as The Sports Reporters, which his father Dick Schaap hosted from 1988 until his death in 2001. Over the course of his remarkable career, Jeremy has been honored with 14 Sports Emmy Awards, a testament to his excellence in storytelling and reporting.

Schaap has covered nearly every major sporting event, including the summer Olympics, the winter Olympics, the FIFA World Cup, the Tour de France, the European soccer championship, the World Series, the Super Bowl, the U.S. Open (golf and tennis), Wimbledon, the French Open, the men's Final Four, the women's Final Four, the New York City marathon, the NBA playoffs, the World Cup of Hockey, the Daytona 500, the Kentucky Derby, the Belmont Stakes, the college football national championship game, the Breeders' Cup, world championship boxing, the Special Olympics World Games, the Invictus Games, the X Games, and even, yes, chess boxing. In more than three decades in the business, Schaap has reported from five continents and more than 30 countries.

Born in New York City in 1969, Schaap is a 1991 graduate of Cornell University. He and his wife Joclyn live in Connecticut with their three children.

THE 2026 TEWAARATON AWARD

Former Recipients

2025	**Chloe Humphrey** North Carolina	**CJ Kirst** Cornell
2024	**Izzy Scane** Northwestern	**Pat Kavanagh** Notre Dame
2023	**Izzy Scane** Northwestern	**Brennan O'Neill** Duke
2022	**Charlotte North** Boston College	**Logan Wisnauskas** Maryland
2021	**Charlotte North** Boston College	**Jared Berhardt** Maryland
2019	**Megan Taylor** Maryland	**Pat Spencer** Loyola
2018	**Sam Apuzzo** Boston College	**Ben Reeves** Yale
2017	**Zoe Stukenberg** Maryland	**Matt Rambo** Maryland
2016	**Taylor Cummings** Maryland	**Dylan Molloy** Brown
2015	**Taylor Cummings** Maryland	**Lyle Thompson** Albany
2014	**Taylor Cummings** Maryland	**Lyle and Miles Thompson** Albany
2013	**Katie Schwarzmann** Maryland	**Rob Pannell** Cornell
2012	**Katie Schwarzmann** Maryland	**Peter Baum** Colgate
2011	**Shannon Smith** Northwestern	**Steele Stanwick** Virginia
2010	**Caitlyn McFadden** Maryland	**Ned Crotty** Duke
2009	**Hannah Nielsen** Northwestern	**Max Seibald** Cornell
2008	**Hannah Nielsen** Northwestern	**Mike Leveille** Syracuse
2007	**Kristen Kjellman** Northwestern	**Matt Danowski** Duke
2006	**Kristen Kjellman** Northwestern	**Matt Ward** Virginia
2005	**Katie Chrest** Duke	**Kyle Harrison** Johns Hopkins
2004	**Amy Appelt** Virginia	**Mike Powell** Syracuse
2003	**Rachael Becker** Princeton	**Chris Rotelli** Virginia
2002	**Erin Elbe** Georgetown	**Mike Powell** Syracuse
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The Tewaaraton Legends Award is presented to one recipient each year who played collegiately prior to 2001 when the first Tewaaraton Award was presented, whose performance during their college years would have earned them a Tewaaraton Award had the award existed.

2025 **Gary and Paul Gait,** Syracuse

2024 **Francesca DenHartog,** Harvard

2024 **Bill Miller,** Hobart

2023 **Kathleen Geiger,** Temple

2023 **Doug Schreiber,** Maryland

2022 **Kelly Amonte Hiller,** Maryland

2022 **Dave Pietramala,** Johns Hopkins

2019 **Karen Emas Borbee,** Delaware

2019 **Tom Sears,** North Carolina

2018 **Larry Quinn,** Johns Hopkins

2018 **Mandee Moore O'Leary,** Temple

2017 **Peter Cramblet,** Army

2017 **Cherie Greer Brown,** Virginia

2016 **Frank Urso,** Maryland

2016 **Candace Finn Rocha,** Penn State

2015 **Brad Kotz,** Syracuse

2014 **Jimmy Lewis,** Navy

2013 **Joe Cowan,** Johns Hopkins

2012 **Eamon McEneaney,** Cornell

2011 **Jim Brown,** Syracuse

SPIRIT OF TEWAARATON

The Spirit of Tewaaraton award is presented to an individual involved in the sport of lacrosse, who nobly reflects the finest virtues exemplified in the game, and who, over the course of his or her life, has made a significant contribution to society and to the lives of others.

2025 **Michael and Paul Rabil**

2024 **Chris Sailer**

2023 **Alfie Jacques**

2022 **Bill Belichick**

2019 **Ethel "Feffie" Barnhill**

2018 **Welles Crowther**

2017 **George Boiardi**

2016 **Tina Sloan Green**

2015 **Oren Lyons**

2014 **Brendan Looney**

2012 **Richie Moran**

2010 **Dick Edell**

2009 **Roy D. Simmons, Jr.**

2005 **Sid Jamieson**

2003 **A.B. "Buzzy" Krongard**

2003 **Diane M. Geppi-Aikens**

TEWAARATON HAUDENOSAUNEE SCHOLARSHIPS
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The Tewaaraton Native American Scholarship program has provided scholarships to Native American high school lacrosse players since 2006. Awarded to one male and one female student each year, the scholarship honors students of Haudenosaunee/ Iroquois heritage who exemplify high character, leadership and academics both on and off the lacrosse field. Applicants are asked to submit an essay describing what the sport of lacrosse means to them as a Native American as well as two letters of recommendation and a high school transcript.

2025

Jianna Lazore, Wolf Clan of the Akwesasne Mohawk Nation

Winter Rivera, Wolf Clan of the Senca Nation

2024

Brett Bucktooth, Jr, Wolf Clan of the Akwesasne Mohawk Nation

Avery Doran, Bear Clan of the St. Regis Mohawk Tribe

2023

Wynter Jock, Wolf Clan-Mohawks of Akwesasne and member of the St. Regis Mohawk Tribe

Vernon Cooke, Onondaga Beaver Clan

2022

Savannah Swamp, Bear Clan, Akwesasne Mohawk Nation

Crayton Cree, Bear Clan, Akwesasne Mohawk Nation

2021

Fantasy Jimerson-Kenjockety, Seneca Nation, Beaver Clan

Peter Thais, Mohawk Nation, Wolf Clan

2020

Yanenowi Logan, Seneca Nation, Deer Clan

Cobie Cree, Mohawk Nation, Bear Clan

2019

Jacelyn & Mirabella Lazore, Akwesasne Mohawk Nation, Wolf Clan

Isaiah Cree, Akwesasne Mohawk Nation, Wolf Clan **2018** **Ivy Santana,** Seneca Nation of Indians, Wolf Clan

Lyle Warrior, Seneca Nation of Indians

2017

Shayla Scanlan, Seneca Nation of Indians, Wolf Clan

Liam Anderson, Tuscarora Nation, Turtle Clan

2016

Jade Haumann, Seneca Nation, Wolf Clan

Emerson Shenandoah, Mohawk Nation, Snipe Clan

2015

Lynnzee Miller, Mohawk Nation, Wolf Clan

Chaunce Hill, Six Nations Seneca, Turtle Clan

2014

Alie Jimerson, Cayuga Nation, Bear Clan

Kason Tarbell, St. Regis Mohawk Tribe

2013

Cassandra Minerd, Onondaga Nation, Eel Clan

Robert McMicking, Cayuga Nation, Wolf Clan

2012

Marissa Haring, Seneca Nation

Bradley Thomas, Tuscarora Indian Nation

2011

Kristiana Ferguson, Tuscarora Indian Nation

Christopher White, Oneida Nation

2010

Taylor Hummel, Tuscarora Indian Nation, White Bear Clan

Kyle Henry, Tuscarora Indian Nation, White Bear Clan

2009

Issac "Ike" Hopper, Onondaga Nation

Trenna Hill, of Mohawk Decent

2008

Emmett Printup, Tonawanda Seneca, Turtle Clan

Corinne Abrams, Tuscarora Indian Nation, Turtle Clan

2007

Alexander Jimerson, Seneca Nations of Indians, Wolf Clan

Mia McKie, Tuscarora Indian Nation, Turtle Clan

2006

Lindsey Steeprock, Mohawk Nation

Justin Gill, Oglala Sioux and Seneca Nations

2026 TEWAARATON OUTSTANDING HAUDENOSAUNEE SCHOLARSHIPS PRESENTED BY HILDENE CAPITAL



JORDAN HILL-BUCKTOOTH

Turtle Clan, Upper Cayuga of the Grand River

Jordyn Hill-Bucktooth is a member of the Turtle Clan of the Upper Cayuga of the Grand River. She began her lacrosse career playing box lacrosse at age three and has developed into one of the premier goalkeepers in the country. At the Loomis Chaffee School, she has earned National Honor Society membership, consecutive Magna Cum Laude honors on the National Latin Exam, and recognition through the CollegeBoard National Indigenous Recognition Program, while recording 367 career saves and a 56% save percentage. Jordyn will matriculate at the University of Rochester this fall and will be joining the Yellowjackets women's lacrosse program.

In Jordyn's own words: "Lacrosse has always been more than a sport to me. Growing up, it was how I stayed connected to my culture and my people. I never want to lose that — no matter how far the game takes me."



JAYDEN JAMES

Akwesasne, St. Regis Mohawk

Jayden James is an enrolled member of the Saint Regis Mohawk Tribe and is also of African American descent. He attended St. John's College High School in Washington, D.C., where he was a four-year National Honor Society member and earned the Academic Honor with Distinction Award each year. Jayden was ranked the No. 1 defenseman in the country for the Class of 2026 and was named to the All-World Team for youth lacrosse, earning first-team All-Met and first-team All-Star honors in the Washington Catholic Athletic Conference. Jayden will matriculate at Syracuse University this fall and will be joining the Orange men's lacrosse program.

In Jayden's own words: "Lacrosse is more than a sport to me — it is a gift from my ancestors, a thread that connects me to my heritage and to every generation that carried this game forward before me."

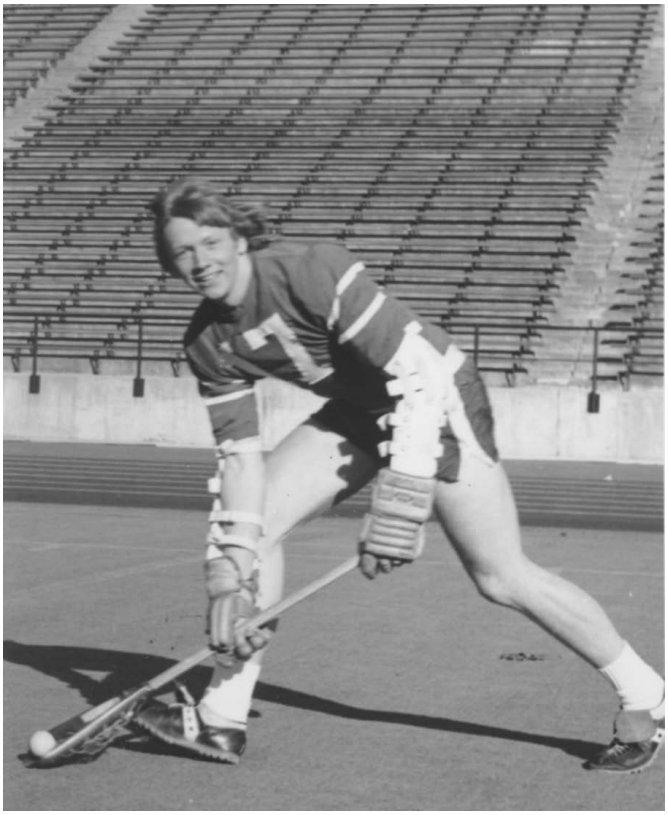
2026 TEWAARATON LEGEND

Michael French

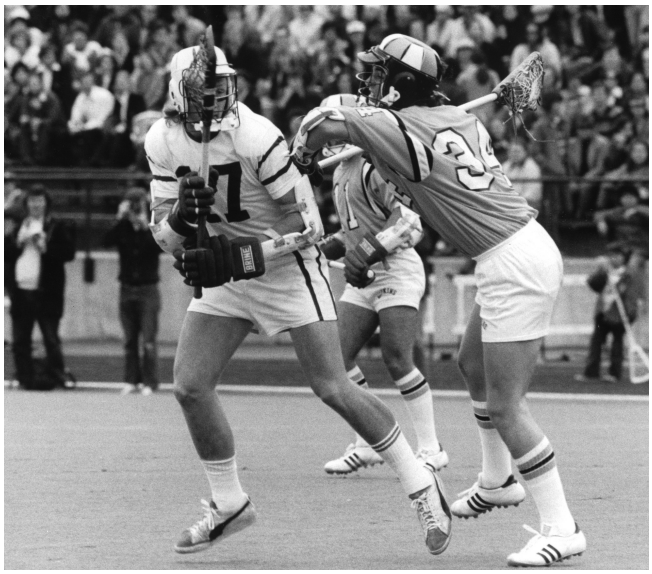
The Cornell great led the Big Red to the 1976 national title

A native of Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ontario, French began his lacrosse journey in the Canadian box game before arriving at Cornell, where he quickly became one of the sport's most dominant offensive forces. He led Cornell to three straight NCAA semifinals, including winning the 1976 national championship with an undefeated record as the recipient of the Lt. Raymond Enners Award as the nation's top player. A three-time All-American who topped 60 goals in each of his three varsity seasons, French's creativity, vision, and scoring ability defined one of the greatest dynasties in college lacrosse history and helped shape one of the sport's most exciting eras.

A member of the National Lacrosse Hall of Fame, the Canadian Lacrosse Hall of Fame, and the NLL Hall of Fame, French remains one of the rare figures enshrined in both the U.S. and Canadian halls, underscoring his global impact on the sport. Cornell's all-time leading scorer (in only three years of varsity lacrosse) until 2013 Tewaaraton Award winner Rob Pannell broke his goals record and 2025 Tewaaraton winner CJ Kirst broke his points record, French now sits third all-time in points with 296 and second in goals with 191.







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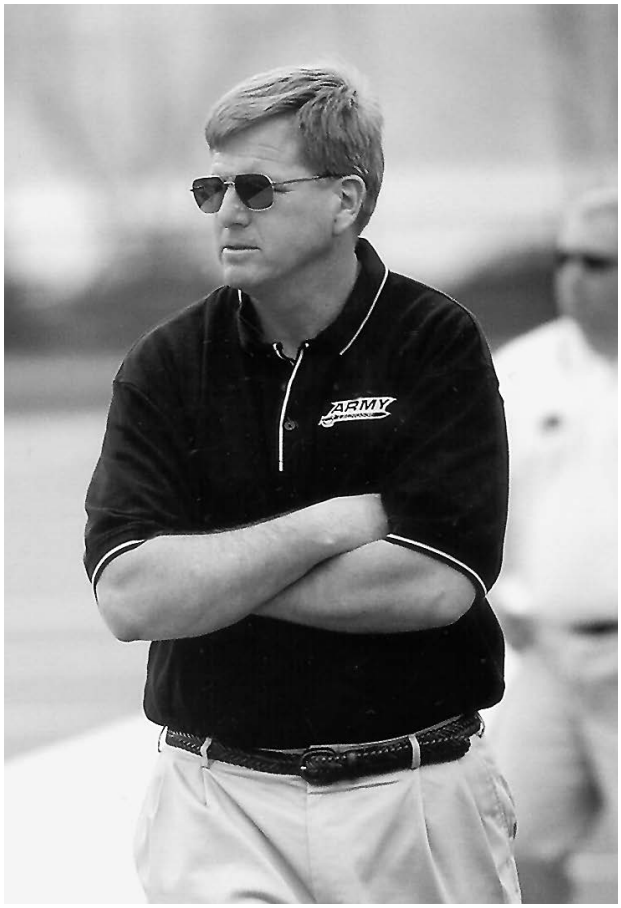
Jack Emmer

The legendary coach won more than 300 NCAA games.

One of the most respected coaches in lacrosse history, Emmer built a career defined by leadership, innovation, and sustained excellence. Over the course of his career, he guided his programs to 16 NCAA Tournament appearances and retired as the NCAA's all-time winningest coach with 326 career victories.

Emmer is one of only two coaches in lacrosse history to lead three different programs—Cortland, Washington & Lee, and Army—to NCAA semifinal appearances, reflecting his rare ability to build winning programs at multiple levels of the game.

Beyond wins and postseason success, Emmer's influence is perhaps best measured through the generations of players and coaches he has shaped. A former U.S. National Team head coach who led Team USA to the 2002 World Championship, Emmer's impact spans collegiate and international lacrosse, as well as decades of mentorship and leadership within the sport, including serving as co-chair of the Tewaaraton Selection Committee.







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Stanford | 5th Year, Defense

Isabella Caporuscio
Stony Brook | Jr., Midfield

Alyssa Chung
Navy | Soph., Attack

Lacey Downey
Johns Hopkins | Jr., Midfield

Brigid Duffy
Army | Sr., Midfield

Kori Edmondson
Maryland | Sr., Midfield

Sam Forrest
North Carolina | Grad. Student, Defense

Daniella Guyette
Syracuse | Sr., Goalie

Molly Guzik
Syracuse | Soph., Attack

Clark Hamilton
Florida | Soph., Attack

Chloe Humphrey
North Carolina | Soph., Attack

Lauren LaPointe
Maryland | Jr., Attack

Mae Murphy
Loyola Maryland | Fr., Draw Specialist

Reagan O'Brien
Johns Hopkins | Sr., Defense

Eliza Osburn
North Carolina | Soph., Midfield

Emmy Pascal
Yale | Sr., Defense

Addison Pattillo
North Carolina | Soph., Attack

Aliya Polisky
Stanford | Jr., Attack

Allison Reilly
Army | Sr., Attack

JJ Suriano
Maryland | Jr., Goalie

Madison Taylor
Northwestern | Sr., Attack

Kate Timarky
Notre Dame | Jr., Attack

Coco Vandiver
Syracuse | Sr., Defense

Ava Yovino
Navy | Sr., Midfield

25 Men's Nominees

Sean Byrne
Army | Sr., Goal

Matt Collison
Johns Hopkins | Sr., Midfield

Rory Connor
Georgetown | Grad. Student, Attack

Owen Duffy
North Carolina | Jr., Attack

Willem Firth
Cornell | Jr., Attack

Caleb Fyock
Ohio State | Jr., Goal

Ryan Goldstein
Cornell | Jr., Attack

Benn Johnston
Duke | Jr., Attack

Nate Kabiri
Princeton | Jr., Attack

Shawn Lyght
Notre Dame | Jr., Defense

Aidan Maguire
Duke | Sr., SSDM

Grayson Manning
Denver | Soph., Goalie

McCabe Millon
Virginia | Jr., Attack

Aidan O'Neil
Richmond | Sr., Attack

Chad Palumbo
Princeton | Sr., Attack

Dominic Pietramala
North Carolina | Jr., Attack

Evan Plunkett
Army | Sr., Midfield

Silas Richmond
Albany | Sr., Attack

Hunter Smith
Richmond | Sr., Defense

Joey Spallina
Syracuse | Sr., Attack

Eric Spanos
Maryland | Grad. Student, Attack

Jack Stahl
Princeton | Jr., Defense

Brady Wambach
North Carolina | Jr., FO

Mikey Weisshaar
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ALYSSA CHUNG

NAVY | SOPH, ATTACK

A breakout sophomore, Alyssa is just the sixth player in Navy women's lacrosse history to record 100 or more points in a season. She earned first-team All-Patriot League, Patriot League Tournament MVP, and USA Lacrosse All-American honors this season, finishing No. 8 nationally in points per game with 5.36.

Alyssa is the daughter of Elaine Gore. She grew up in lacrosse-rich Severna Park, Maryland, just a short drive from the Naval Academy, and was drawn to Navy not only for athletics but out of a deep desire to serve — inspired by accounts of American veterans and a dream of one day becoming a naval aviator.



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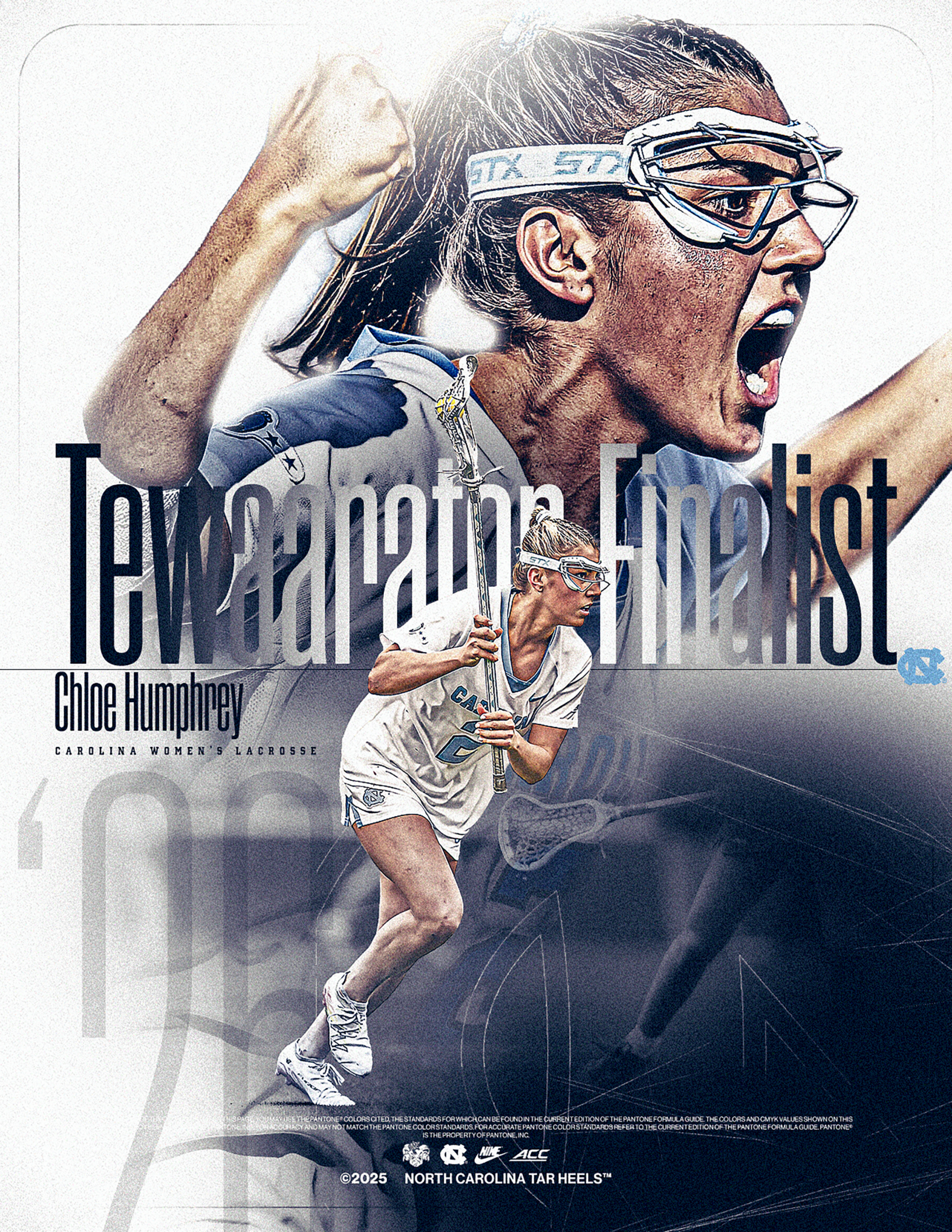
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Brigid finished her senior season at Army with 77 goals (good for 5th in the country) and 31 assists, while leading the Patriot League with 49 caused turnovers as well. She was named a first-team All-America midfielder by USA Lacrosse after earning Patriot League Midfielder of the Year honors.

She has made history as the first-ever women's finalist from Army for the Tewaaraton Award, and is one of only nine current collegiate players named to the U.S. Women's National Team for the 2026 World Championships in Tokyo.

Brigid is one of 10 siblings, with lacrosse running in the family — her sister Bayley plays at UMass and has credited Brigid with inspiring her own competitive drive. She was also drafted third overall by the Maryland Charm in the 2026 Women's Lacrosse League Collegiate Draft.





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CHLOE HUMPHREY

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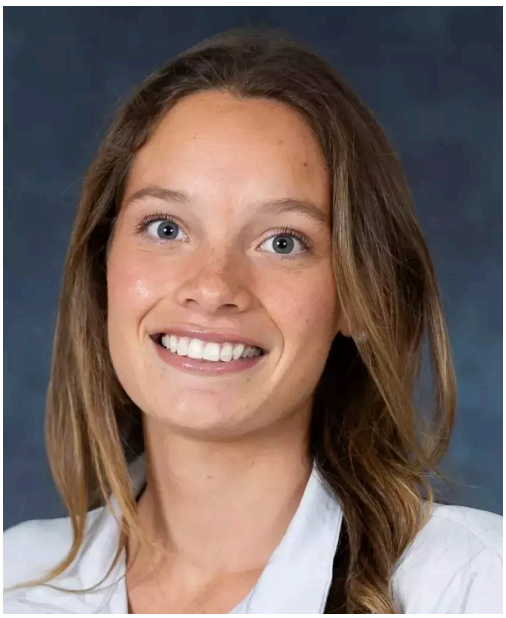
Chloe Humphrey delivered another record-breaking season, leading the nation with 109 goals (tying the NCAA record Madison Taylor set last year) and 159 points — both UNC single-season records. Named ACC Attacker of the Year and ACC Tournament MVP for the second consecutive year, she was also named Most Outstanding Player of the 2026 NCAA Tournament. She is the 2025 winner of the Tewaaraton Award Presented by Stifel.

Chloe is the daughter of Sarah and John Humphrey. She has two sisters, Nicole and Ashley, who also played lacrosse at North Carolina, and one brother, Brett. Both of her parents were collegiate athletes — her mother played lacrosse at Dartmouth, and her father is the all-time leading scorer in Middlebury basketball history.




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REAGAN O'BRIEN

JOHNS HOPKINS | SR., DEFENSE

Reagan led the nation in caused turnovers this season (4.4 per game) and is the two-time reigning Big Ten Defender of the Year. She owns the NCAA career record for caused turnovers and was named a 2026 first-team Nike Lacrosse and IWLCA All-American. She is the only defender among the five finalists (the first since 2021) and Johns Hopkins' first finalist since 2007.

Reagan is the daughter of Shayne Stump-O'Brien and Sean O'Brien. Her sister Quinlan also plays lacrosse at Johns Hopkins, and her grandfather George played football and baseball at Northwestern



Congratulations to Madison Taylor for an unbelievable senior year and an unforgettable record setting career. Your hard work, leadership, and impact on the game have been amazing to watch. We are so proud of you!

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MADISON TAYLOR

NORTHWESTERN | SR., ATTACK



A three-time finalist, Taylor grabbed a second national championship as a senior, finishing second nationally in goals per game (4.41) and third in points per game (6.32) after breaking the NCAA Division I single-season scoring record with 109 goals a year ago. The two-time Big Ten Attacker of the Year helped lead Northwestern to four consecutive Big Ten titles and three straight national championship game appearances, and was selected first overall in the inaugural WLL College Draft by the California Palms.

Madison is the daughter of Chris Taylor, who played college football at the University of New Haven, and Georgette Taylor, who played field hockey at Long Island University. Her brother Christian played college football and wrestled at Mercyhurst University.

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OWEN DUFFY

NORTH CAROLINA | JR., ATTACK

Owen Duffy earned first-team All-ACC and USILA All-America honors after putting up 40 assists and 71 points for the Tar Heels. The junior had at least three helpers in eight games this season as he set career highs in assists and points for the NCAA Quarterfinalist Tar Heels. A three-time All-ACC attackman, Duffy has posted at least 50 points in each of his thee seasons at UNC.

Owen is the son of William and Christine Duffy, both of whom attended Cornell — his father played lacrosse and his mother ran track. His sister Maureen plays lacrosse at Virginia.



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WILLEM FIRTH

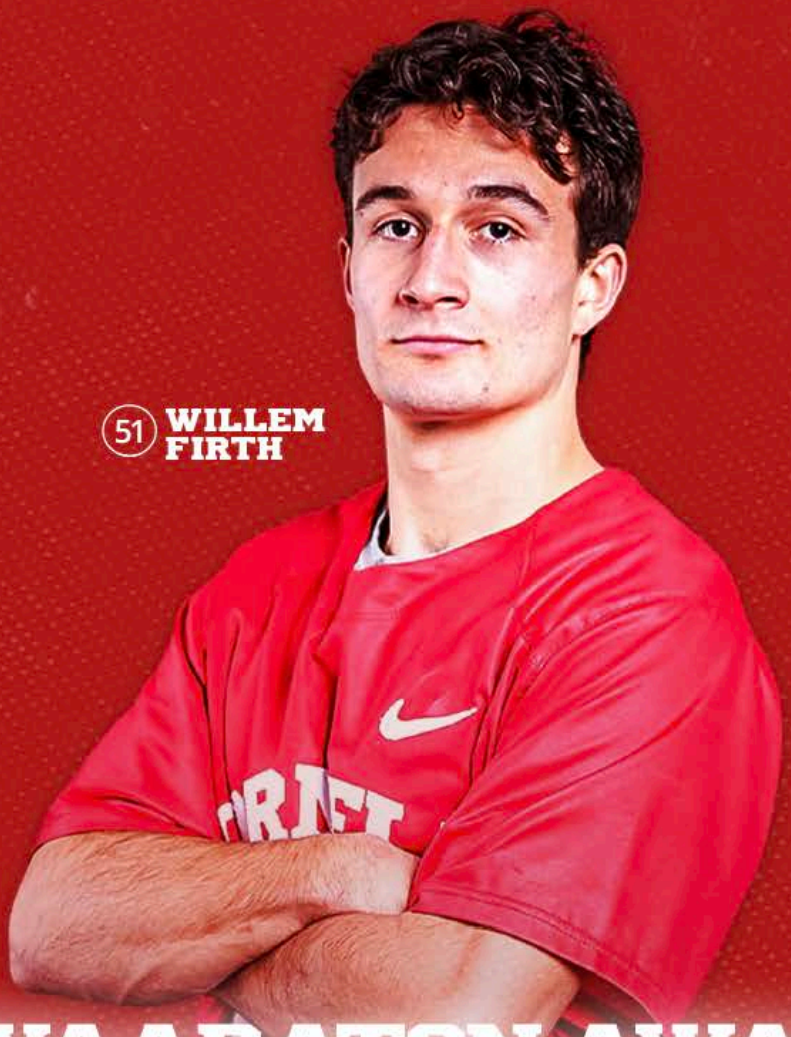
CORNELL | JR., ATTACK



Willem was one of the most dominant offensive players in the country in his junior season, putting up a Cornell-record 52 goals to go with 29 assists to rank fourth nationally in goals per game (3.25) and third in points per game (5.06). The Ivy League Attackman of the Year was also a first-team Nike Media All-American by Inside Lacrosse.

Willem is the son of Matthew and Andrea Firth and has one brother. He attended the Hill Academy, where he earned Offensive Player of the Year honors in back-to-back seasons before arriving in Ithaca.

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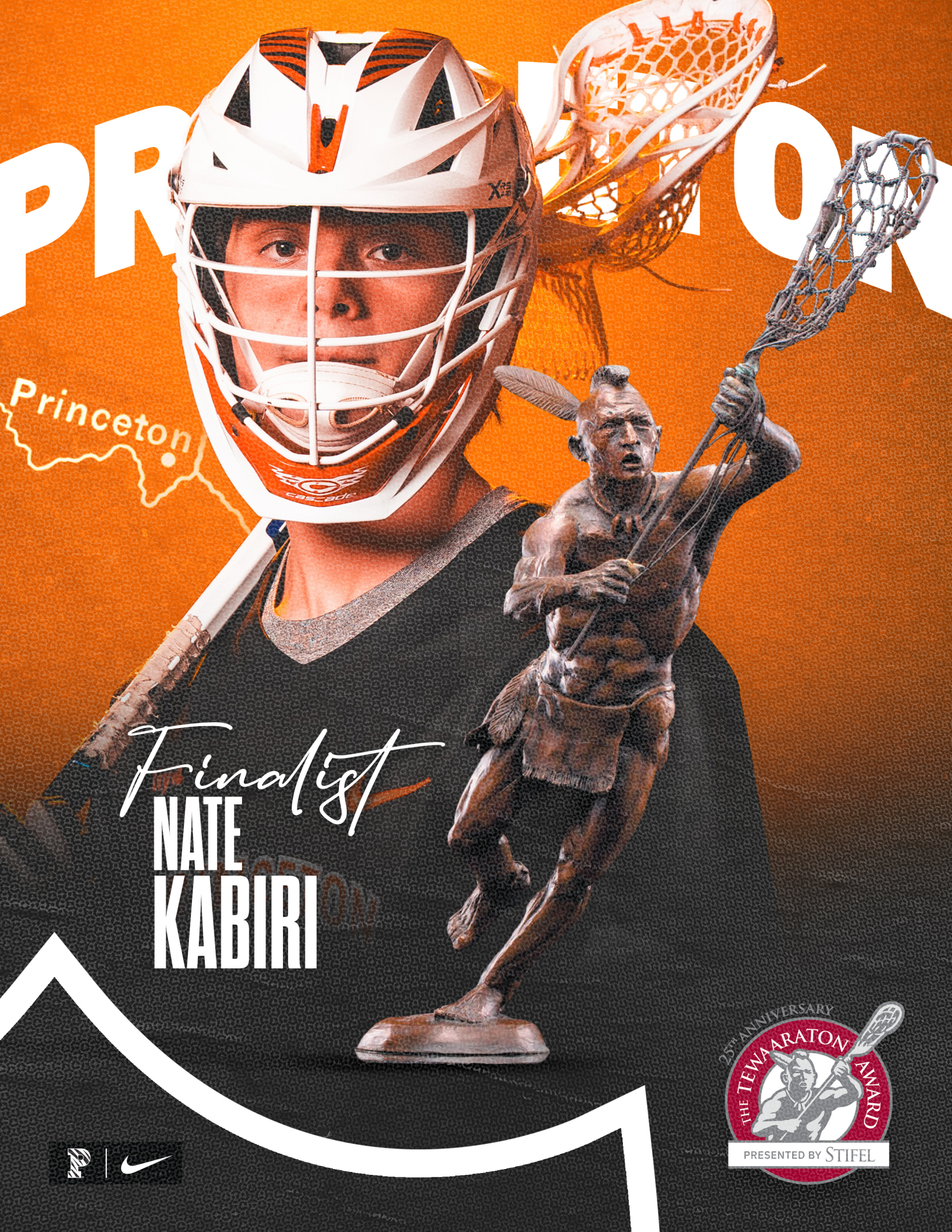
NATE KABIRI

PRINCETON | JR., ATTACK

Nate has become one of the most complete attackmen in the country in his junior season. His 87 points this season rank second all-time at Princeton. He was a unanimous first-team All-Ivy League selection, Most Outstanding Player at the Ivy League Tournament, and a first-team All-American by USA Lacrosse Magazine. He is the first Princeton player ever to record three seasons with at least 30 goals and 25 assists.

Nate is the son of Moe and Alicia Kabiri. He attended Georgetown Prep, where he won the C. Markland Kelly Award as the top high school player in the state of Maryland and was named Washington Post Player of the Year.




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SHAWN LYGHT

NOTRE DAME | JR., DEFENSE

Shawn was named Co-Defensive Player of the Year in the ACC (for the second straight season) while anchoring the nation's fourth-ranked defense that consistently plays against the top offenses in college lacrosse. Consistently matched up against opponents' top offensive threats, Lyght earned first-team All-American honors this year while shutting down a highlight reel of elite attackmen. He is the first defenseman to be named a Tewaaraton Finalist since fellow Notre Dame legend Matt Landis earned the honor in 2016, and just the seventh defender ever to reach the final five.

Shawn is the son of Eric and Rose-Marie Lyght — his mother played soccer at Villanova and his father played basketball at St. Anselm. He is also cousins with Todd Lyght, who played football at Notre Dame and went on to an NFL career.



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JOEY SPALLINA

SYRACUSE | SR., ATTACK



Joey put up one of the most decorated careers in college lacrosse history. He became Syracuse's all-time points leader this season, surpassing two-time Tewaaraton winner Mike Powell's previous record of 307, and finished his senior season with a national-best 87 points. He was the 2026 ACC Attackman of the Year, Lt. Col. J.I. Turnbull Outstanding Attackman of the Year, first-team All-American, and the No. 3 overall Premier Lacrosse League Draft pick by the Maryland Whipsnakes.

Joey is the son of Mary Beth and Joe Spallina. His father is the head coach of the Stony Brook University women's lacrosse team, and he has four siblings — Jake, Brett, Alexa, and Olivia.

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North Carolina, *Attack*

Willem Firth
Cornell, *Attack*

Nate Kabiri
Princeton, *Attack*

Shawn Lyght
Notre Dame, *Defense*

Joey Spallina
Syracuse, *Attack*

2026 WOMEN FINALISTS

Alyssa Chung
U.S. Naval Academy, *Attack*

Brigid Duffy
Army West Point, *Midfield*

Chloe Humphrey
North Carolina, *Attack*

Reagan O'Brien
Johns Hopkins, *Defense*

Madison Taylor
Northwestern, *Attack*



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