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## **OAC Announces 2011 Football Academic All-OAC Recipients**

**Austintown, OH-** The Ohio Athletic Conference (OAC) has announced the 2011 Football Academic All-OAC winners. To qualify, a student-athlete must have maintained a 3.25 GPA, be a sophomore academically and is in at least his second year of participation. He must also have been a starter or key reserve who has made a significant athletic impact. The recipients are voted on by the faculty athletic representatives.

### **2011 Academic All-OAC**

| <b><u>Player, School</u></b>      | <b><u>Pos.</u></b> | <b><u>Yr.</u></b> | <b><u>Major</u></b>     | <b><u>GPA</u></b> | <b><u>Hometown/High School</u></b> |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|------------------------------------|
| Andy Parks, Ohio Northern         | WR                 | Sr.               | Pre-Med                 | 3.96              | Bryan                              |
| Derrick Arbogast, Heidelberg^     | OL                 | Sr.               | Educations              | 3.91              | Tiffin/Calvert                     |
| Alex Ferrara, Mount Union ^       | DB                 | Sr.               | Business Administration | 3.77              | Independence/Walsh Jesuit          |
| Brett McEvoy, Wilmington #^       | FB                 | Sr.               | Mathematics             | 3.70              | Pickerington/Pickerington North    |
| Matt Bowen, Baldwin-Wallace ^     | CB                 | Sr.               | Finance/Business        | 3.69              | Tiffin/Columbian                   |
| Brett Ekkens, Mount Union ^       | OL                 | Sr.               | Education               | 3.66              | East Kentwood, Mich.               |
| Jake Depp, Marietta !             | DB                 | Sr.               | Athletic Training       | 3.61              | Geneva                             |
| Emmett Lydon, John Carroll !      | LB                 | Sr.               | Education               | 3.54              | Rocky River/St. Ignatius           |
| Bob Stone, Otterbein              | OL                 | Sr.               | History Education       | 3.50              | Marion/Harding                     |
| Anthony Zarcone, Muskingum        | DB                 | Sr.               | Special Education       | 3.30              | Sunbury/Big Walnut                 |
| Nate Nasrallah, Capital           | DL                 | Jr.               | Philosophy/Pre-Law      | 3.97              | Norton/St. Vincent-St. Mary        |
| David Olach, Marietta !           | DL                 | Jr.               | Petroleum Engineering   | 3.96              | Avon                               |
| Jay Bondzeleske, Capital          | DL                 | Jr.               | Computer Science        | 3.91              | Columbus/Bishop Watterson          |
| Craig Sykes, Heidelberg           | LB                 | Jr.               | Pre-Med/Biology         | 3.88              | Centerburg                         |
| Aaron Kingcade, Otterbein         | QB/P               | Jr.               | Health Education        | 3.87              | Worthington/Kilbourne              |
| Cullen Zelachowski, Ohio Northern | OL                 | Jr.               | Civil Engineering       | 3.86              | West Chester/Lakota East           |
| Matt DeMore, Capital              | OL                 | Jr.               | Biology/Pre-Med         | 3.83              | Twinsburg                          |
| Tyler Joseph, Ohio Northern       | OL                 | Jr.               | Mechanical Engineering  | 3.76              | Findlay                            |
| Nick Driskill, Mount Union !      | DB                 | Jr.               | Biology                 | 3.96              | Wabash, Ind./Southwood             |
| Clay Wolf, Baldwin-Wallace        | OL                 | Jr.               | Accounting/Economics    | 3.67              | Parma Heights/Padua Franciscan     |
| Ryan O'Rourke, Baldwin-Wallace    | QB                 | Jr.               | Education               | 3.65              | Avon                               |

### **2011 Academic All-OAC Honorable Mention**

| <b><u>Player, School</u></b>       | <b><u>Pos.</u></b> | <b><u>Yr.</u></b> | <b><u>Major</u></b>     | <b><u>GPA</u></b> | <b><u>Hometown/High School</u></b>  |
|------------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Pat Arcaro, Ohio Northern          | WR                 | Sr.               | Pharmacy                | 3.61              | Eastlake/Willoughby South           |
| Jared Oehler, Ohio Northern        | TE                 | Sr.               | Accounting              | 3.50              | Trenton/Edgewood                    |
| Matt Higginbotham, Baldwin-Wallace | LB                 | Sr.               | Exercise Science        | 3.42              | Hartville/Union Lake                |
| Chris Creel, John Carroll          | RB                 | Sr.               | Exercise Science        | 3.37              | Cleveland Heights                   |
| Dan Starr, Marietta !              | LB                 | Sr.               | Education               | 3.30              | Senecaville/Buckeye Trail           |
| Nick Milano, Baldwin-Wallace       | LB                 | Jr.               | Criminal Justice        | 3.72              | North Royalton/Padua Franciscan     |
| Tom Goebel, Baldwin-Wallace        | LB                 | Jr.               | Business Administration | 3.66              | Parma/Padua Franciscan              |
| Andy Lovins, Heidelberg            | DL                 | Jr.               | Criminal Justice        | 3.60              | Clinton Twp., Mich./Lake Shore      |
| Mario Escalante, Heidelberg        | WR                 | Jr.               | Business Administration | 3.60              | Highland Hts., Ky./Newport Catholic |
| Stephen Fejedelem, Heidelberg      | DL                 | Jr.               | Computer Science        | 3.48              | Ravenna                             |
| Aaron Kapelka, Heidelberg          | RB                 | So.               | Education               | 4.00              | Fostoria/Hopewell-Loudon            |
| Brandon Arehart, Wilmington        | QB                 | So.               | Biology                 | 4.00              | Wilmington                          |

**Key: 2009 Acad. All-OAC\$...2009 Honorable Mention #...2010 Acad. All-OAC^...2010 Honorable Mention !**