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Pudlo Named First Team All-UMAC

ST. PAUL, Minn. – Four members of the MLC baseball team were honored for their play on the field with All-UMAC recognition by the conference coaches Friday, with third baseman/pitcher Zac Pudlo being named First Team All-UMAC.

Also honored were Jake Scott, Tyler Morgan and Greg Holzhueter, who were named Honorable Mention All-UMAC.

Pudlo led the Knights' pitching staff in wins (three), ERA (4.13), strikeouts (66) and innings pitched (56.2) in nine starts. He also was the Knights starting third baseman in 23 other contests, and hit .340 for the season with 35 hits, 22 runs and 23 RBI. As a pitcher, Pudlo finished second in the UMAC in strikeouts.

Scott played 20 games for the Knights on the season, with most of them coming at second base. Scott hit .309 for the season, but really took off during UMAC play, batting .394 with 13 hits and nine RBI in 33 at bats. In the field, Scott committed just two errors in 62 chances for a fielding percentage of .968.

Morgan finished the season as the Knights' leader in batting average (.388), home runs (four), doubles (12), RBI (24), slugging percentage (.660) and on-base percentage (.442) from the catcher position. He also tied for the team lead in hits (40) and tied for second in runs scored (23).

Holzhueter recovered from a slow start with the glove to be a force in the middle of the diamond during the conference season, committing just five errors in 19 starts at shortstop during the conference year. At the plate, Holzhueter hit .351 for the season with a team-best 24 runs scored, as well as tying the team-lead with 40 hits.

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