

# Suffolk community athletics ranked No. 1 in nation

Suffolk County Community College athletics is ranked No. 1 in the country and has been recognized by The National Alliance of Two Year College Athletic Administrators with the group's and prestigious NATYCAA Directors' Cup.

The NATYCAA Cup program began in 2004 to highlight excellence in two-year athletics based on success in championship competition. Awards are given to the National Junior College Athletic Association member colleges based on performance at national championship events throughout the academic year.

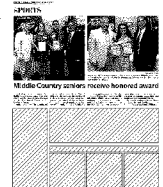
Suffolk bested more than 200 college athletic programs nationally for the award in the non-scholarship Division III collegiate level.

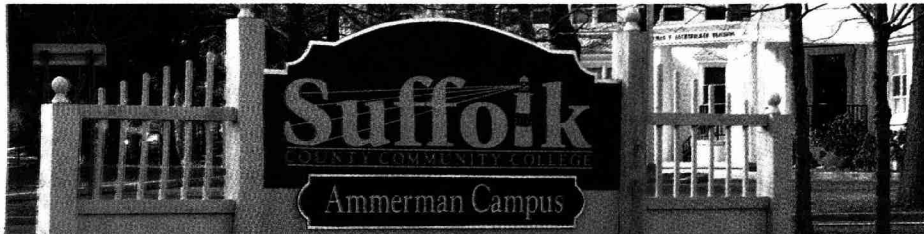
Suffolk County Community College also received national recognition from the National Association of College Director of Athletics for placing second in the country in the Learfield Directors' Cup standing that is composed of 538 Division I, Division II, and Division III two-year colleges.

Suffolk County Community College Athletics garnered four national championships this year, in women's cross country, women's track and field, men's track and field and men's bowling.

The school also placed in the top 10 in other contests, including 5th place in men's cross country national tournament, 5th place in baseball's College World Series, 8th in the men's tennis national tournament, 3rd in the women's tennis national tournament, 5th in the women's bowling national tournament, and 7th in the women's soccer national tournament.

"Congratulations to our student athletes, Athletic Director Kevin Foley, our coaches and the entire athletic department for their continued commitment to excellence and an outstanding nationally-recognized athletic program," said Suffolk County Community College President Shaun L. McKay. "I am very proud of our student-athletes who dedicate so much time and effort to excel in their respective sports."





Above file photo: photo left from SCCC athletics  
Above, Suffolk County Community College in Selden received The National Alliance of Two Year College Athletic Administrators Directors' Cup, and was ranked No. 1 in the country. On Left, athletic director Kevin Foley holds the school's award.