

Swampscott, Gloucester dominate NEC All-Stars

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The Swampscott High football team had a superb season and that fact was reflected with the selection of seven players to the Northeastern Conference South All-Stars.

Meanwhile, Gloucester's 11-0 season was also duly noted as senior running back Andrew Fulford, who scored 27 touchdowns this season, was named MVP of the NEC North All-Stars and Paul Ingram was named Coach of the Year. Eight Gloucester players made the all-star team.

Swampscott senior quarterback Peter Kinchley, who will get a chance to add to his 1,693 passing yards in tonight's playoff game against Arlington Catholic, was one of four Big Blue players chosen on offense. The others were Trevor Wheeler at wide receiver, Chris Gioiosa at tackle and Dorsey Dobias at tackle.

Swampscott, which posted a 10-1 record, also placed Brian Palangi at defensive tackle, Ilya Levin at linebacker and Justin Mitchell at defensive back.

Further recognizing Swampscott's excellence, Bill Ryan was named Assistant Coach of the Year.

In addition to Fulford and coach Ingram, Gloucester landed senior center Sal Taormina, senior tight end Cam Marston, senior defensive end/lineman Anthony Anderle, senior defensive tackles Mario Peritore and John Celata, junior linebacker Robert Lowe and junior offensive lineman Dylan Morrissey on the all-star team. The Fishermen also received the Team Sportsmanship award in the NEC North.

Winthrop High's Chris Beranger was named MVP for the South. Saugus High's Mike Broderick, who guided the Sachems to a 7-3 mark, was cited as Coach of the Year while Beverly High received the Sportsmanship Award.

Nick Markos of Lynn English was the South Division Assistant Coach of the Year.

Below is a list of all of the Northeastern Conference North and South All-Stars:

Quarterback - Peter Kinchley, Swampscott, Sr.; Bret Reid, Saugus, Jr.; Alex Watler, Lynn Classical.

Running backs - Greg Pierce, Beverly, Sr.; Joe McDermott, Winthrop, Sr.; Mike Dean, Saugus, Jr.; Andrew Fulford, Sr., Gloucester; Quivari Jackson, Sr., Lynn Classical; Melikke Van Alstyne, Jr., Salem; Anthony DeFeo, Sr., Revere; Scott Diefenbach, Sr., Peabody.

Wide receivers - Vinny Eruzione, Winthrop, Sr.; Sean Deady, Beverly, Sr.; Trevor Wheeler, Swampscott, Jr.; Charlie Rucker, Lynn English.

Tight ends - Cam Marston, Sr., Gloucester.

Center - Rob Hamilton, Winthrop, Sr.; Sal Taormina, Sr., Gloucester.

Offensive guards - Liam Blodgett, Sr., Beverly; Anthony Barasso, Saugus, Sr.; Chris Dunston, Jr., Salem.; Sebastian Bejin, Sr., Lynn Classical.

Offensive tackles - Chris Gioiosa, Swampscott, Sr.; Dorsey Dobias, Swampscott, Sr.; Manny Velez, Jr., Revere; Dylan Morrissey, Jr., Gloucester.

Defensive tackles - Brian Kureta, Beverly, Sr.; Brian Palangi, Swampscott, Sr.; Mario Peritore, Sr., Gloucester; John Celata, Sr., Gloucester.

Defensive ends - Kahlid Ekaidat, Winthrop, Sr.; Sam Perlow, Marblehead, Sr.; Paul Sullivan, Saugus, Sr.; Anthony Enderle, Sr., Gloucester.

Linebackers - Ilya Levin, Swampscott, Jr.; Chris Martin, Danvers, Sr.; Dave Patnaude, Beverly, Sr.; Tyler Trainor, Saugus, Sr.; Robert Lowe, Jr., Gloucester; Tony Johnson, Sr., Lynn Classical; Stanley Sam, Sr., Lynn Classical; Chad Quintana, Sr., Lynn Classical; Al Soedomo, Sr., Lynn English.

Defensive backs - Justin Mitchell, Swampscott, Sr; Mike Sahagian, Marblehead, Sr.; Cam Smith, Jr., Lynn Classical; Colby Boulay, Jr., Salem; Byron Brown, Sr., Lynn English.

MVP - Chris Beranger, Winthrop, Sr.

Coach of the Year - Mike Broderick, Saugus

Assistant Coach of the Year - Billy Ryan, Swampscott

Team Sportsmanship Award - Beverly

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