



# News from the Hockey Commissioners Association

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## UVM's Schafzahl, Michigan's Beniers & St. Cloud's Perbix Top Honors

Here are the men's and women's monthly honorees and runners-up for January as chosen by the Hockey Commissioners Association.

### Women's Player of the Month:

**Theresa Schafzahl, SR F, University of Vermont (Weiz, Austria)**

Schafzahl led the NCAA in goals and points as she went 9-8-17 in nine contests. She enjoyed six multi-point games as the Catamounts went 8-1 in January, punctuating the success with a 2-1 win over then #1 Northeastern, ending NU's 20-game unbeaten streak.

*Runner-Up: Sophie Jacques, SR D, Ohio State, (Toronto, ON) (6 GP, 5-9-14, 2.3 PPG)*



### Men's Co-Players of the Month:

**Matty Beniers, SO F, University of Michigan (Hingham, MA)**

Beniers was a major reason the Wolverines went 7-1 against a tough schedule that included four games against nationally-ranked UMass and Minnesota. His line in those games was 5-9-14.

**Nick Perbix, SR D, St. Cloud State (Elk River, MN)**

Recorded 2-10-12 in just five games, eight of those points coming in a sweep of Miami, including a 6-point night (1-5-6).

*Runners-Up: Julian Napravnik, SR F, Minnesota State (Bad Nauheim, Germany) (9 GP, 6-8-14)*

*Chris Theodore, SR F, AIC (Beaconsfield, PQ) (11 GP, 4-8-12)*



*Rookie of the Month and Goaltender of the Month can be found on Page Two.*

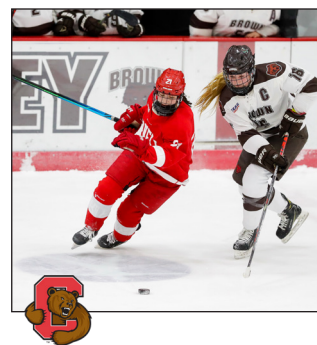


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### Women's Rookie of the Month: Lily Delianedis, SO F, Cornell University (Edina, MN)

Registered eight points via a line of 5-3-8 in seven games, including four points in games against nationally ranked Yale (1-0-1) and Clarkson (1-2-3). She was a solid +8 on the month.

*Runner-Up: Abby Newhook, FR F, Boston College  
(St. John's, NF) (7 GP, 5-4-9, 1.3 PPG)*



### Men's Rookie of the Month: Ian Carpentier, SO F, Yale University (Worcester, MA)

Carpentier averaged 1.33 PPG in the month of January, going 6-2-8 in the Elis' six contests. He was influential in Yale's three-game unbeaten stretch in mid-month, going 5-1-6 in wins over RPI and Union and a tie with Colgate.

*Runners-Up: Brady Risk, FR F, Alaska  
(Medicine Hat, AB) (7GP, 4-5-9, 1.29 PPG)  
Josh Doan, FR F, Arizona State  
(Scottsdale, AZ) (9 GP, 6-5-11, 1.22 PPG)  
Cam Thiesing, FR F, Ohio State  
(Nashville, TN) (9 GP, 4-7-11, 1.22 PPG)*



### Women's Goaltender of the Month: Jessie McPherson, SO G, University of Vermont (Chatham, ON)

McPherson went 6-0 in January, with a 1.00 GAA and a save percentage of .963. She allowed a single goal or less in five of the six outings with her highlights being a 20-save shutout at Holy Cross and a 35-save effort in knocking off then #1 in the country Northeastern, 2-1. That Cats' road win ended a 20-game unbeaten streak for NU.

*Runners-Up: Becky Dutton SO G, Harvard University  
(Milford, CT) (7 GP, 1.43 GAA, 6-1-0, .944)  
Allie Kelley JR G, Saint Anselm  
(East Berne, NY) (4 GP, 1.71 GAA, 2-1-1, .952)*



### Men's Co-Goaltender of the Month: Yaniv Perets, FR G, Quinnipiac University (Dollard des Ormeaux, PQ)

Perets allowed just three goals in five games, recording three shutouts as the Bobcats flirted with a #1 in the nation ranking. QU went 4-1 on the month, the one loss a tough 2-1 setback at Cornell's Lynah Rink. Perets had a 0.59 GAA and a save percentage of .970.

### Men's Co-Goaltender of the Month: Jakub Dobeš, FR G, The Ohio State University (Ostrava, Czech Republic)

Had a 5-1-2 record while averaging 39 saves per game. His numbers: 1.71 GAA and a save percentage of .957. He capped off the month with a 51-save shutout (6-0) at Penn State.

*Runners-Up: Blake Pietila, JR G, Michigan Tech  
(Howell, MI) (4 GP, 1.00, .952, 4-0-0)  
Drew Comesso, SO G, Boston University  
(Norwell, MA) (1.70, .946, 6-1-0)*



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## 2021-22 Hockey Commissioners Association Monthly Honorees

### Men's Honorees

Month	Player of the Month	Rookie of the Month	Goalie of the Month
October	Taylor Ward, SR F Omaha - NCHC	Jakub Dobes, FR G Ohio State - Big Ten	Gavin Abric, SO G Army West Point - AHA
November	Owen Sillinger, SR F Bemidji State - CCHA	Devon Levi, SO G Northeastern - HEA	Ryan Fanti, JR G Minnesota Duluth - NCHC
December	Brett Stapley, SR F Denver - NCHC	Corson Ceulemans, FR D Wisconsin - Big Ten	Dryden McKay, SR G Minnesota State - CCHA
January	Matty Beniers, SO F Michigan - Big Ten and Nick Perbix, SR D St. Cloud State - NCHC	Ian Carpentier, SO F Yale - ECAC Hockey	Yaniv Perets, FR G Quinnipiac - ECAC Hockey and Jakub Dobeš, FR G Ohio State - Big Ten

### Women's Honorees

Month	Player of the Month	Rookie of the Month	Goalie of the Month
October	Makenna Webster, SO F Wisconsin - WCHA	Vanessa Upson, FR F Mercyhurst - CHA	Aerin Frankel, GR G Northeastern - HEA and Suzette Faucher, SO G Franklin Pierce - NEWHA
November	Taylor Heise, SR F Minnesota - WCHA	Tindra Holm, FR G LIU - NEWHA	Aerin Frankel, GR G Northeastern - HEA and Jenna Silvonen, JR G Mercyhurst - CHA
December	Gabbie Hughes, SR F Minnesota Duluth - WCHA	Sophie Matsoukas, FR G Union - ECAC Hockey	Calla Frank, JR G Minnesota State - WCHA and Josie Bothun, SO G Penn State - CHA
January	Theresa Schafzahl, SR F Vermont - HEA	Lily Delianedis, SO F Cornell - ECAC Hockey	Jessie McPherson, SO G Vermont - HEA

#### Number of Selections by Conference

Men - Atlantic, 1; Big Ten, 4; CCHA, 2; ECAC Hockey, 2; Hockey East, 1; NCHC, 4; Independents, 0.

Women: CHA, 3; ECAC Hockey, 2; Hockey East, 4; NEWHA, 2; WCHA, 4; Independents, 0.