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GSC Women's Golf Championship Settled

Hot Springs, Ark. - The 2006 Region's Bank/Gulf South Conference Women's Golf Championship has been decided. West Florida led defending champion Central Arkansas by a single stroke after Tuesday's first round. Wednesday, after the final round was complete, the UWF-UCA scores were an identical 305. This allowed the Argonauts to eke past the Sugar Bears, 612-613, for the title. The championship match was held at the Hot Springs Country Club.

GSC first-year programs West Georgia and Arkansas Tech placed third and fourth, respectively, with scores of 640 and 669. Montevallo was fifth with 696, Harding sixth with 705, Lincoln Memorial seventh with 722, Henderson State eighth with 761, Christian Brothers ninth with 841, and another first-year program, Southern Arkansas, 10th with 935.

Central Arkansas placed the top two players of the tournament, led by GSC Individual Medalist, and Freshman of the Year, Nicole Forshner. Forshner paced the five-member All-GSC First Team, firing the only under-par score, -1, 145. Teammate Christian Lecuyer was second with a three over 149. Others on the team were Natalie Beach and Amanda Horn of West Georgia, and Sarah Nicholson of West Florida.

Second Team All-GSC laurels went to West Florida's Victoria Jackson, Lorena Fortlage, Jackie Gonzalez, and Clara Fornella, and Central Arkansas' Jenna Chadwick. UWF Coach Robin Cook-Dezarn was chosen GSC Coach of the Year.

SAU players and scores were Emily Poff, 189 for a tie for 33rd; Tabatha Neely, 215 for 36th; Whitney Rummel, 237 for 44th; and Ashley Gillaspay, 294 for 45th.

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