

# The National Tenpin Coaches Association DII/DIII February Poll

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## **McKendree, Maryville Top DII/III February Poll**

ELMHURST, IL---McKendree maintained its grip on first place for the NCAA Division II/III bowling institutions in the latest polling by the National Ten Pin Coaches Association. The Bearcats had a commanding lead over second place Maryville in the February polling.

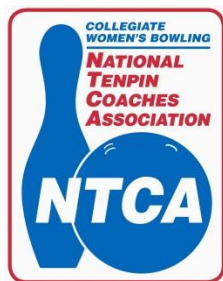
McKendree, 65-13 and also the leader in the NTCA's All-Division Poll, won the Vegas Stormin' Blue and White Classic to start its new year and followed that with a pair of fourth place efforts at the Northeast Classic and Prairie View Invitational.

Maryville, 62-29, was seventh in Vegas, sixth at the Northeast and third in the Columbia 300 Saints Invitational.

Coming in third was Newman with a 50-25 won-loss chart. Newman was eighth in Vegas and had impressive championships at the Peacock Classic and the Columbia 300 Saints.

Mercyhurst, 44-28, had just one January outing and was 12<sup>th</sup> at the Northeast while Medaille, 46-15, was fifth in the voting by the head coaches. Medaille was 19<sup>th</sup> in the 33-team Northeast Classic.

Central Missouri, Wisconsin-Whitewater, Lincoln Memorial, Lewis and Marion round out the top 10. Daemen, Wilmington, Saint Vincent, Carthage and Kutztown complete the DII/III top 15.



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	1st Place Votes	Overall Points	Previously Ranked
1 McKendree University, <i>Lebanon, IL</i>		638	1
2 Maryville University, <i>St. Louis, MO</i>		520	2
3 Newman University, <i>Wichita, KS</i>		463	12
4 Mercyhurst University, <i>Erie, PA</i>		415	8
5 Medaille College, <i>Buffalo, NY</i>		337	10
6 University of Central Missouri, <i>Warrensburg, MO</i>		309	5
7 University of Wisconsin-Whitewater, <i>Whitewater, WI</i>		268	3
8 Lincoln Memorial University, <i>Harrogate, TN</i>		251	9
9 Lewis University, <i>Romeoville, IL</i>		188	4
10 Marian University, <i>Fond du Lac, WI</i>		110	11
11 Daemen University, <i>Amherst, NY</i>		97	NR
12 Wilmington University, <i>New Castle, DE</i>		82	6
13 Saint Vincent College, <i>Latrobe, PA</i>		69	NR
14 Carthage College, <i>Kenosha, WI</i>		60	NR
15 Kutztown University, <i>Kutztown, PA</i>		37	15

Also receiving points (must be on 1 in 8 ballots):

Caldwell University, Emmanuel College, Fayetteville State University, Kentucky Wesleyan College, Molloy University, Tusculum University, Upper Iowa University, Walsh University

*NTCA voters rank the top 25 teams on their ballot. Each position has a designated point value, ranging from 40 points for first place and one point for twenty-fifth place. To be ranked teams need to equal or surpass the minimum vote criteria, which is one vote for every eight ballots submitted. The actual ranking position is determined by using the adjusted point standings, which lists in priority order the total points a school has accumulated after the highest and lowest votes are dropped.*

*The specific point values follow: 1st place = 40 points, 2nd =37, 3rd =35, 4th =33, 5th =31, 6th =29, 7th =27, 8th =25, 9th =23, 10th =21, 11th =19, 12th =17, 13th =15, 14th =13, 15th =11, 16th =10, 17th =9, 18th =8, 19th =7, 20th =6, 21st =5, 22nd =4, 23rd =3, 24th =2, 25th =1.*