

MASON CITY (November 27, 2007) – North Iowa Area Community College freshmen Mike Unwin and Simon Cook earned second-team honors as the National Junior College Athletic Association announced the 2007 men’s soccer Division I All-American team.

Unwin, a forward from Yatley, England, scored a school-record 27 goals and had nine assists for 63 points as NIACC broke school records for wins (13) and victories in the Iowa Community College Athletic Conference (11). His point total as tied for sixth in the country and he was third in goals at the NJCAA Division I level. Unwin began the season in style, scoring the lone goal in a 1-0 victory over Scott Community College. He added a pair of four-goal games and had five goals in a victory over Indian Hills Community College.

Cook, who is from Hampshire, England, finished eighth nationally with a 0.833 goals against average, allowing just 15 goals while making 104 saves in 18 games. He had nine shutouts on the season. Unwin, Cook and Chris Bazen were NIACC’s first-team All-Region XI players as the Trojans’ first-year head coach Mike Regan was named Coach of the Year. Cook also received Athlete of the Week honors in the ICCAC once this fall.

NIACC’s 13-5 record bettered the previous season victory mark by five and the team’s 71 goals set a school record as well. More about the NJCAA All-American team can be found on [www.njcaa.org](http://www.njcaa.org) under the Soccer Division I link. More on NIACC soccer can be found at [www.niacc.edu/athletics](http://www.niacc.edu/athletics).