



# **NEW JERSEY ATHLETIC CONFERENCE**

## ***MEN'S OUTDOOR TRACK & FIELD ATHLETES OF THE WEEK***

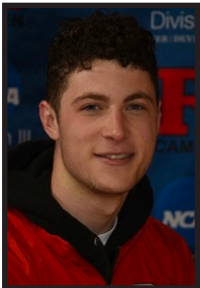
**WEEK ENDING 5/26/19**



### ***TRACK ATHLETE OF THE WEEK***

**TYLER GARLAND • Rowan University**  
**Sophomore • Glassboro, NJ/Deptford Twp.**

Garland collects the final NJAC Outdoor Track Athlete of the Week honor for the 2019 season after an All-America performance at the NCAA Championships in Geneva, Ohio, over the weekend. Garland finished third in the nation in the 110 meter hurdles, clocking a 14.40 to earn All-America honors in that event. He advanced to the finals via a fifth place finish in the preliminaries (14.38). He also ran a leg of the Profs' 4x100 meter relay which finished 12th nationally with a time of 41.50. Garland wrapped up an illustrious outdoor season that saw him win conference titles in both the 110 hurdles and 4x100 relay, and garner the NJAC's Thomas M. Gerrity Most Outstanding Athlete honor. He also won the All-Atlantic Region Championship in both of those events, including a PR of 14.28 in the AARTFC prelims.



### ***FIELD ATHLETE OF THE WEEK***

**MATT GROSS • Rutgers-Camden**  
**Junior • Marlton, NJ/Cherokee**

Gross earns the final NJAC Outdoor Field Athlete of the Week honors of the 2019 season after an All-America javelin performance at the NCAA Championships over the weekend. Gross set a new personal record, heaving the javelin 60.75 meters to finish sixth in the nation. With that finish, he became the Scarlet Raptors' first outdoor All-American since 2014 and became the 12th in program history. Earlier this month, he finished second in the javelin at the NJAC Championship and then won the ECAC javelin title with a then-PR of 60.04 meters.



### ***ROOKIE OF THE WEEK***

**DAYQUAN MURRAY • Rowan University**  
**Freshman • Atco, NJ/Hammonton**

Murray earns the final NJAC Rookie of the Week honor after a strong sprint on the Profs' 4x100 meter relay squad at the NCAA Championships in Geneva, Ohio, over the weekend. He helped the Profs finish 12th in the nation with a time of 41.50, teaming up with Tyler Garland, Julian Pratt, and Shai Mumford. Murray wrapped up a strong rookie campaign that saw him not only qualify for nationals, but help the Profs 4x100 squad to NJAC and AARTFC titles. He also captured NJAC silver in the 200 meter dash three weeks ago.