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St. Francis (PA) Claims NEC Women's Golf Crown

Red Flash Take Home Fourth Title In Last Five Years And Sixth Overall

Orlando, FL -- Led by individual champion **Samantha Milosh (Aliquippa, PA/Center)**, who shot a tournament single-round record three-under par 69, St. Francis (PA) rallied on the final day of competition to earn its fourth NEC Women's Golf Championship in the last five years and sixth overall with a slim two-stroke victory over Long Island at Disney's par-72 Lake Buena Vista Golf Course in Orlando, FL.

As a team, the Red Flash erased a nine-stroke deficit heading into round two play on Sunday, shooting 322 for a two-day score of 663. Long Island moved from third to second by carding a 319 on Sunday - the low round in the tournament - and 665 for the event. Monmouth, which led by nine shots at the start of play on Sunday, came in third (672), nine strokes off the pace. Wagner finished fourth (700), followed by Mount St. Mary's (702), Robert Morris (703), Sacred Heart (718) and Central Connecticut State (726).

Milosh, who shot a nine-over-par 81 in the first round on Saturday, shattered the previous 18-hole mark of 73 held by St. Francis (PA)'s Katie Thorne (2003) and Long Island's Shauna Wilde (2005). Her scorching round of 69 gave her a two-day total of six-over-par 150, the second lowest score in tournament annals and two shots ahead of runner-up **Rae Johnson (Edgewater, NJ/St. Winifreds (Barbados))** of Monmouth (152). Long Island's **Erica Chong (Hilo, HA/Hilo)** took third with 157, followed by Robert Morris' **Rachael Malenich (Alexandria, VA/Hayfield)** (158) in fourth, and Long Island's **Natalie Desjardins (Haileybury, Ontario/Ecole Secondaire Ste.-Marie)** and CCSU's **Leah Steinmiller (Wethersfield, CT/Wethersfield)**, who finished tied for fifth at 161.

Rounding out the all-conference team were Wagner's **Alysse Sweeney (Wayne, NJ/Wayne Hills)** in seventh (163), St. Francis (PA)'s **Megan Schaeffer (Richland, PA/Eastern Lebanon)** (166) in eighth and a three-way tie for ninth place between Monmouth's **Rylee Plitz (Innisfail, Alberta/Innisfail)** and Wagner teammates **Caitlin Miller (Sutter Creek, CA/Amador)** and **Emily Noelker (Southbury, CT/Pomperaug)**, who carded 167.

St. Francis (PA), which won the inaugural NEC Women's Golf Tournament in 1998, has also claimed league titles in 1999 and 2002-04. The Red Flash now move on to NCAA regional competition from May 11-13.

Final Team Scores

Fin.	School	Scores
1.	St. Francis (PA)	341 322 663 +87
2.	Long Island	346 319 665 +89
3.	Monmouth	332 340 672 +96
4.	Wagner	357 343 700 +124
5.	Mount St. Mary's	357 345 702 +126
6.	Robert Morris	359 344 703 +127
7.	Sacred Heart	367 351 718 +142
8.	Central Conn. St.	366 360 726 +150

Top-10 Individual Scores (All-Conference Team)

Fin.	Name	School	Scores
1.	Samantha Milosh	SFPA	81 69 150 +6
2.	Rae Johnson	MU	77 75 152 +8
3.	Erica Chong	LIU	78 79 157 +13
4.	Rachel Malenich	RMU	81 77 158 +14
5.	Natalie Desjardins	LIU	87 74 161 +17
	Leah Steinmiller	CCSU	83 78 161 +17
7.	Alysse Sweeney	WC	83 80 163 +19
8.	Megan Schaeffer	SFPA	82 84 166 +22
9.	Rylee Plitz	MU	83 84 167 +23
	Caitlin Miller	WC	82 85 167 +23
	Emily Noelker	WC	87 80 167 +23

Central Connecticut State University • Fairleigh Dickinson University • Long Island University
Monmouth University • Mount St. Mary's University • Quinnipiac University
Robert Morris University • Sacred Heart University • St. Francis (NY) College
St. Francis (PA) University • Wagner College

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Par-Yardage: 72-5919

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1 St. Francis Univ.-PA	341	322	663	+87
2 Long Island U-Brklyn	346	319	665	+89
3 Monmouth University	332	340	672	+96
4 Wagner College	357	343	700	+124
5 Mount St. Mary's	357	345	702	+126
6 Robert Morris Univ.	359	344	703	+127
7 Sacred Heart Univ.	367	351	718	+142
8 Central Conn. St. U.	366	360	726	+150



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4	Rachel Malenich	RMU	81	77	158	+14
5	Natalie Desjardins	LIU	87	74	161	+17
	Leah Steinmiller	CCSU	83	78	161	+17
7	Alysse Sweeney	Wagner	83	80	163	+19
8	Megan Schaeffer	St Fran-PA	82	84	166	+22
9	Rylee Plitz	Monmouth U	83	84	167	+23
	Caitlin Miller	Wagner	82	85	167	+23
	Emily Noelker	Wagner	87	80	167	+23
12	Heather Pothier	LIU	88	80	168	+24
13	Jennifer Tierney	Sac. Heart	87	82	169	+25
	Mary Kate Williams	St Fran-PA	84	85	169	+25
15	Katie Letsch	The Mount	85	86	171	+27
16	Kristen Videtto	CCSU	90	82	172	+28
17	Morgan Beikirch	RMU	90	84	174	+30
18	Shannon Prettyman	The Mount	92	83	175	+31
	Brigid Cahill	Monmouth U	86	89	175	+31
20	Lauren Foster	Sac. Heart	90	87	177	+33
21	Julia Drygas	Monmouth U	86	92	178	+34
	Stephanie Switzer	St Fran-PA	94	84	178	+34
23	Megan Wertner	The Mount	87	92	179	+35
	Molly Gormam	The Mount	93	86	179	+35
	Emma Lister	LIU	93	86	179	+35
26	Jillian Nery	Sac. Heart	93	89	182	+38
27	Lauren Laneia	RMU	93	91	184	+40
28	Rochelle Brown	LIU	98	88	186	+42
29	Heather Mulvaney	RMU	95	92	187	+43
	Kelly Leonard	The Mount	97	90	187	+43
31	Kathleen Cummings	Sac. Heart	97	93	190	+46
32	Danielle Duque	CCSU	97	97	194	+50
33	Melissa Wenger	RMU	99	96	195	+51
34	Kerri Tracy	CCSU	96	103	199	+55
35	Jessica Nees	Wagner	105	98	203	+59
	Annie Pollock	Monmouth U	105	98	203	+59
37	Kathleen Norton	Wagner	105	100	205	+61
38	Ashleigh O'Rourke	Sac. Heart	111	108	219	+75
39	Ashley Rake	CCSU	139	129	268	+124
40	Amber Hein	St Fran-PA	162	156	318	+174



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T 18	Shannon Prettyman	92	83	175
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