Sports

The Pendulum



Phoenix

#### Linebacker award Player of the Month

Junior linebacker Chad Nkang was named SoCon defensive player of the month for September. Nkang led a defense that finished first in the conference and 14th in the nation in both rushing defense and total defense. Elon finished second in the conference and 10th in the nation in scoring defense. Nkang currently leads the conference in tackles per game at seventh in the nation with 49; Nkang also has four sacks and a forced fumble.

## **Baseball posts 2006 schedule**

The Elon baseball team announced their schedule Tuesday, which will include 16 games against teams who competed in last year's Division I Regionals. Coach Mike Kennedy and the rest of the team will open the season against the nationally competitive South Carolina Gamecocks and will play national recognized teams such as Auburn, Coastal Carolina, Wake Forest, Clemson and North Carolina.

# Forward nabs All-Conference award

Senior power forward Jackson Atoyebi was named to the All-conference team this year. This is Atoyebi's second consecutive preseason selection. Last year Atoyebi was sidelined during the fourth game of the year with a season-ending shoulder injury. Prior to the injury Atoyebi averaged 14 points and 3.8 rebounds per game for the men's basketball team.

SoCon Standings					
Conference	Overall				
WL	WL				
3 1	4 2				
2 1	3 2				
1 1	5 1				
	4 2				
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# SoCon Standings

Men's Soccer	Confer	Unit	
	WL	T	WLI
UNC-Greensboro	3 0	0	8 3 4
Furman	2 1	0	4 4 2
Elon	1 0	1	5 0 -
Davidson	1 1	0	7 5 2
College of Charleston	1 1	0	5 5 1 1
Georgia Southern	1 2	0	6 4 1
Appalachian State	0 2	1	5 5 2
Wofford	0 2	0	3 5 -

### SoCon Standings

Women's Soccer Conference			Overau	
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Davidson	5	0	0	8 4 1
Furman	3	0	1	8 4 0
UNC-Greensboro	3	1	0	7 4 2
College of Charleston	2	0	2	3 5 1
Appalachian State	2	2	1	9 3 1
Chattanooga	2	2	0	5 7 1
Georgia Southern	2	2	0	3 9 1
Western Carolina	1	2	0	10 3 1
Wofford	1	2	0	2 9 2
Elon	0	5	õ	2 9 0
The Citadel	0	5	0	2 10

# This week in sports ..

Friday Men's Cross Country @Boone, N.C., 5:30 p.m. Women's Cross County @ Boone, N.C., 5 p.m. Volleyball @ Chattanooga, 7 p.m.

<u>Saturday</u> Football vs. Chattanooga, 6 p.m. Volleyball @ Western Carolina, 7 p.m. Sunday Men's Soccer vs. Georgia Southern, 3:30 p.m. Women's Soccer vs Chattanooga, 1 p.m.

> Monday No scheduled games

Tuesday Volleyball @ The Citadel, 5 p.m.

> Wednesday No scheduled games

\*Note\*

The men's and women's cross country teams will be competing in the Blue Ridge Open in Boone, N.C., on Oct. 14