

Cougar Athletics - Athlete of the Week (January 9-15, 2012)

Female – Julia Pasieka



Third-year Mount Royal Cougar Julia Pasieka continues to dominate the middle of the court this season, stringing together another pair of noteworthy performances versus the Briercrest Clippers.

In Friday's straight sets win at Briercrest, Julia led the match in kills, posting 11, as well as two service aces, eight digs and a solo block.

Saturday, Julia was even better, once again leading the match in kills with 14, while adding another 11 digs and two blocks, as the Cougars won their third straight match.

Through 14 matches this season, Julia is ranked in the top eight in kills per set (kps) and blocks per set (bps) in the ACAC, averaging 2.6 kps and 0.7 bps showing just how complete a player she's become in her time at MRU.

Originally from Calgary, Julia is enrolled in the Bachelor of Arts program at Mount Royal.

Awesome weekend and congratulations on your Athlete of the Week.

Male – Tyler Jewitt



Rookie Cougars forward Tyler Jewitt continues to help the team pile up the wins this season, contributing a pair of goals over the Grant MacEwan Griffins to keep the Cougars firmly entrenched in top spot in the ACAC.

While he didn't register any points in Friday's 3-2 (OT) win, Jewitt did bounce back on Saturday, scoring a pair of goals on the road, as the Cougars beat the Griffins for the second straight night, 5-3.

A Calgary native, Jewitt leads the team in scoring in his first season with the club, putting up 8 goals and 13 assists for 21 points in 18 games (9th best in the ACAC).

Jewitt spent last season playing the Camrose Kodiakas of the Alberta Junior Hockey League (AJHL) and is enrolled in the Bachelor of Physical Education program at Mount Royal.

Great job Tyler!