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***GOLF WORLD* ANNOUNCES RESULTS OF THIRD  
WOMEN'S COLLEGE COACHES' POLL OF THE SPRING SEASON**

***Methodist Retains Top Spot in D-III Poll***

NEW YORK, NY—The third *Golf World*/NGCA Division III Coaches' Poll of the spring season has been released, combining the resources of *Golf World* magazine and the National Golf Coaches Association (NGCA). The complete results, including results from Divisions I and II, will appear in the April 13 issue of *Golf World* and can be viewed online now at [www.golfworld.com](http://www.golfworld.com).

Methodist remained the number one team in the poll, earning 12 of the 16 first-place votes. The Monarchs, who have been atop the Division III poll since the start of the season, finished tied for third at the Tina Barrett Longwood Invitational (behind two Division I schools).

Rounding out the top-five are Wisconsin-Stevens Pt. (No. 2), Gustavus Adolphus (No. 3), Southwestern (No. 4) and Illinois Wesleyan (No. 5).

Southwestern, ranked 12<sup>th</sup> in the previous coaches' poll, won two of its last three tournaments this spring to move into the top five. Olivet (No. 10) also cracked the top-10, after being ranked 13<sup>th</sup> in the last poll.

Hope (No. 25) moved into the top-25.

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***GOLF WORLD*/NGCA GOLF COACHES' POLL**  
**Women's Division III**

<b><u>Rank</u></b>	<b><u>Team</u></b>	<b><u>Points</u></b>	<b><u>Last</u></b>
1.	Methodist (12)	396	1
2.	Wisconsin-Stevens Pt. (4)	384	3
3.	Gustavus Adolphus	358	2
4.	Southwestern	344	12
5.	Illinois Wesleyan	327	4
6.	Otterbein	302	7
7.	Middlebury	299	5

8.	Saint Thomas	286	6
9.	Amherst	279	8
10.	Olivet	269	13
11.	DePauw	244	10
12.	Wisconsin-Eau Claire	227	11
13.	Allegheny	211	14
14.	Wisconsin-Whitewater	170	17
15.	Williams	164	15
16.	St. Lawrence	150	18
17.	Wartburg	145	9
18.	Mount Holyoke	139	16
19.	Ohio Northern	108	19
20.	Centre	89	20
21.	Wheaton	78	21
22.	St. Mary's (Ind.)	67	22
23.	Carleton	38	25
24.	Luther	28	24
25.	Hope	21	NR

Others receiving votes: St. Benedict, 18; Rhodes, 16; UC Santa Cruz, 15; Vassar, 13; George Fox, 7; Hardin-Simmons, 3; Pacific Lutheran, 3; Mary Hardin-Baylor, 2.  
First-place votes in parenthesis

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