



# NEW JERSEY ATHLETIC CONFERENCE

## FOOTBALL PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

WEEK ENDING 11/10/18



### **OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK**

**FRANK PIPICH, JR • Salisbury University**  
**Senior • Quarterback • Sewell, NJ/Clearview Regional**

Pipich becomes the second different Sea Gull to earn NJAC Offensive Player of the Week honors after being named Salisbury's Most Valuable Player during the 20th Annual Regents Cup Game at Frostburg State. A wide receiver just weeks ago, Pipich made his first career start at QB and rushed for a career-high 189 yards on 30 carries with two rushing touchdowns. He also passed for 31 yards and a touchdown for 220 total yards of offense in the final NJAC game of his career. The performance by Pipich represented the second most rushing yards by an NJAC player in a game this season.



### **DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK**

**DAVID GAJDEROWICZ • Rowan University**  
**Junior • Defensive Line • Medford, NJ/Shawnee**

Gajderowicz earns NJAC Defensive Player of the Week honors for the second time this season after helping the Profs close out their year with a 35-20 NJAC win over Kean. He wrapped up his junior campaign with eight tackles, including four solo stops and 3.5 tackles for a loss. He also registered two sacks in the win for his fourth multi-sack game of the season. Gajderowicz currently leads the NJAC in total sacks (11.5).



### **SPECIAL TEAMS PLAYER OF THE WEEK**

**DYLAN CURRAN • Christopher Newport University**  
**Junior • Kicker/Punter • Virginia Beach, VA/First Colonial**

Curran earns NJAC Special Teams Player of the Week honors for the second time this season after helping the Captains wrap up their season with a 16-14 NJAC win over Wesley. He accounted for all 16 of CNU's points, connecting on field goals of 32, 47, and 45 yards apiece. He also kicked an extra point and rushed for a 5-yard touchdown off of a fake field goal attempt. He also contributed in the punting game by averaging 45.3 yards per punt on three attempts. Curran, who finished the season 6-for-6 on FG attempts, currently leads the NJAC in both field goal percentage (1.000) and field goals made per game (0.86).



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

**DAVE JACHERA • The College of New Jersey**  
**Freshman • Quarterback • Pompton Plains, NJ/Pequannock**

Jachera earns NJAC Offensive Rookie of the Week honors for the fourth time this season and the third consecutive week after leading TCNJ to a 33-30 NJAC road win at Southern Virginia. He wrapped up his rookie season by completing 12-of-28 passes for 196 yards and two touchdowns. He also was factor in the run game, finishing with 69 yards and TD on just 12 carries. Jachera, who threw the game-winning touchdown pass with just 0:26 remaining in the fourth quarter, currently ranks sixth in the NJAC in total offense (119.8 yards per game).



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

**TREVOR CRAIG • Frostburg State University**  
**Freshman • Linebacker • Stuarts Draft, VA/Stuarts Draft**

Craig earns NJAC Defensive Rookie of the Week honors for the second consecutive week after helping the Bobcats clinch the NJAC title outright and retain the Regents Cup with a 38-35 overtime win over rival Salisbury. He helped Frostburg wrap up an undefeated regular season by tallying a career-high seven tackles, including four solo stops. He also registered 2.0 tackles for a loss in the victory, marking the third game this season in which he has secured a TFL.