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PITCHER OF THE YEAR WATCH LIST ANNOUNCED

LUBBOCK, Texas — As starting pitchers across the country continue to impact the success of their teams, the College Baseball Foundation has released the first Pitcher of the Year Watch List for 2010.

The Pitcher of the Year Award will be presented in Lubbock, Texas, on July 2 as part of the College Baseball Awards Show.

“This watch list is full of great pitchers from across the country,” said Landon Holly, who together with Justin Knowles serve as co-chairs for the Pitcher of the Year committee. “We worked closely with the College Baseball Blog to make sure we could create a list that was as comprehensive as possible. There are some truly impressive pitchers on this list.”

All of the major conferences across the country have multiple representatives on the list, with the Pac 10 leading with nine. Many of the smaller conferences also have representation on the list.

This is the second year the CBF will present the Pitcher of the Year Award and one finalist from 2009 appears on the watch list for 2010. Deck McGuire of Georgia Tech has a .87 ERA in 31.0 innings. He has recorded 33 strikeouts and given up only five walks this season.

Addison Reed, who won the 2009 Stopper of the Year Award presented by the National Collegiate Baseball Writers of America, makes the Pitcher of the Year Watch List with 21

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strikeouts, nine walks and a 2.36 ERA in 26.2 innings.

Eric Johnson from the University of California brings a 0.0 ERA to the watch list. Johnson has recorded 20 strikeouts and four walks in 19.0 innings pitched.

The College Baseball Awards Show is part of a nearly weeklong schedule of festivities sponsored by the College Baseball Foundation. The events also include the induction ceremony for the National College Baseball Hall of Fame.

PITCHER OF THE YEAR AWARD WATCH LIST

Player	School	Conference
Jimmy Nelson	Alabama	SEC
Jake Borup	Arizona State	PAC-10
Mitchell Lambson	Arizona State	PAC-10
Josh Spence	Arizona State	PAC-10
Drew Smyly	Arkansas	SEC
Logan Verrett	Baylor	Big 12
Eric Johnson	California	PAC-10
Asher Wojciechowski	Citadel	Southern
Matt Rein	Coastal Carolina	Big South
Cody Wheeler	Coastal Carolina	Big South
Alex Panteliodis	Florida	SEC
John Gast	Florida State	ACC
Sean Gilmartin	Florida State	ACC
Deck McGuire	Georgia Tech	ACC
Drew Leininger	Indiana	Big 10
Matt Little	Kentucky	SEC
Shawn Teufel	Liberty	Big South
Anthony Ranaudo	Louisiana State	SEC
Neil Holland	Louisville	Big East
Thomas Royse	Louisville	Big East
Matt Harvey	North Carolina	ACC
Francis Brooke	Northwestern	Big 10
Alex Wimmers	Ohio State	Big 10
Jeremy Erben	Oklahoma	Big 12
Aaron Barrett	Mississippi	SEC
Drew Pomeranz	Mississippi	SEC
Tyler Anderson	Oregon	PAC-10

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Greg Peavey	Oregon State	PAC-10
Tanner Robles	Oregon State	PAC-10
Addison Reed	San Diego State	Mountain West
D.D. Hanks	South Alabama	Sun Belt
Trever Vermeulen	South Dakota State	Summit
Josh Janway	Southeastern Louisiana	Southland
Scott Copeland	Southern Mississippi	Conference USA
Todd McInnis	Southern Mississippi	Conference USA
Cole Green	Texas	Big 12
Taylor Jungmann	Texas	Big 12
Chance Ruffin	Texas	Big 12
Barret Loux	Texas A&M	Big 12
John Stilson	Texas A&M	Big 12
Daniel Bibona	UC Irvine	Big West
Eric Pettis	UC Irvine	Big West
Mario Hollands	UC Santa Barbara	Big West
Trevor Bauer	UCLA	PAC-10
Gerrit Cole	UCLA	PAC-10
Jason Mitchell	UT Arlington	Southland
Sonny Gray	Vanderbilt	SEC
Danny Hultzen	Virginia	ACC
Jesse Hahn	Virginia Tech	ACC

