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St. Andrews cited among best colleges nationally

St. Andrews Presbyterian College has again been named by U.S. News & World Report as one of the nation's top 248 liberal arts colleges. St. Andrews has been named to the list every year since 1996.

"The faculty and staff at St. Andrews work diligently to provide a high quality education for our students at a reasonable cost," said Paul Baldasare, president of the College. "We are gratified that *U.S. News* continues to recognize us in its report as an outstanding national liberal arts college offering a high quality education."

U.S. News bases its ranking of the top National Liberal Arts colleges and universities on 15 indicators including peer assessment, student selectivity, student retention rates, faculty resources, financial resources, graduation rate performance, and alumni giving rate.

"We have made a concerted effort to meet the academic needs of our students through our innovative general educational curriculum as well as offering new majors," said Baldasare. "We have expanded our majors to include Forensic Science and Sport/Recreational Management. In athletics, we have recently added intercollegiate competition in wrestling, men's and women's swimming, men's and women's track and field, and women's lacrosse."

The College also offers a wide array of academic and need-based scholarships, as well as athletic scholarships as a participant in NCAA Division II sports.

St. Andrews also is home to one of the nation's most highly recognized collegiate equestrian programs winning six national championships in recent years.

"It is heartening to those of us working here at St. Andrews to see these national rankings that recognize the high quality education we offer here in Laurinburg," said Baldasare. "Our greatest satisfaction comes from not only seeing our students at commencement, but to watch them succeed in their lives after college and especially celebrate their commitment to helping make the world a better place."

St. Andrews Presbyterian College is a four-year liberal arts and sciences college situated on 600 acres around a 70-acre lake in the Sandhills region of North Carolina. Long known for its innovation and academic excellence, the college boasts an unparalleled interdisciplinary curriculum, a study abroad program on three continents, a multidisciplinary science lab the size of an indoor arena, the first undergraduate college press in the country, the first four-year degree in therapeutic horsemanship and equine business management, and an award-winning bagpipe band. Students enrolled at St. Andrews come from 42 states and eleven countries.

Further information may be obtained by visiting the College's website www.sapc.edu or calling admissions at 800-763-0198 sending an e-mail to admissions@sapc.edu.