Gymnasts Finish Fourth At Nationals

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LA CROSSE - The UW-Eau Claire gymnastics team had its best finish in school history taking fourth place with a score of 184.450 at the National Collegiate Gymnastics Association Nationals held here today at Mitchell Hall.

UW-La Crosse took first for the fifth consecutive year with a score of 189.950. SUNY-Brockport took second with a 185.625 while SUNY-Cortland took third with a 185.375. Ithaca College finished fifth with a 182.700 followed by UW-Oshkosh with a 179.425.

La Crosse had the highest team score in three of the four events taking the uneven bars, balance beam and floor exercise. Cortland took first in the vault competition.

Alison Eagles *(Shoreview, MN/Mounds View)* and **Angie Cich** *(Plymouth, MN/Armstrong)* each advanced to tomorrow's vault competition. Eagles tied for fourth with a 9.450 while Cich tied for eighth with a 9.400.

Lynn Morris *(Monticello, IN/Twin Lakes)* and **Theresa Lynch** *(Vadnais Heights, MN/White Bear)* advanced to tomorrow's uneven bars competition. Morris tied for eighth with a 9.175 while Lynch tied for 10th with a 9.150.

Eagles, Lynch and **Ashley Brett** *(Forest Lake, MN)* all advanced to tomorrow's floor exercise competition. Eagles took fifth with a 9.650, Lynch took eighth with a 9.550 and Brett tied for ninth with a 9.475.

Lynch took sixth in the all-around competition with a 37.200 while Morris took eighth with a 37.075 and Eagles 10th with a 36.875.

Competition for individual titles starts tomorrow at 4 p.m. The tournament is set to conclude at 6 p.m.

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