

Atlantic Sun Conference

2014 Baseball Preseason Honors and Awards

Preseason Player of the Year: Chesny Young, Mercer

Preseason Pitcher of the Year: Chad Sobotka, USC Upstate

Preseason Defensive Player of the Year: Michael Massi, Mercer

Preseason All-Conference Team

<i>Pos.</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>School</i>	<i>CL</i>	<i>Hometown</i>	<i>Academic Major</i>
SP	Tyler Moore	North Florida	Sr.	Ormond Beach, Fla.	Criminal Justice
SP	Chad Sobotka	USC Upstate	Jr.	Sarasota, Fla.	Physical Education
SP	Brandon Barker	Mercer	Sr.	Woodstock, Ga.	Engineering
RP	Dimitri Kourits	Mercer	Jr.	Alpharetta, Ga.	Business
C	Max Pentecost	Kennesaw State	Jr.	Winder, Ga.	Biochemistry
*1B	Patrick Mazeika	Stetson	So.	Wilbraham, Mass.	Sport Management
2B	Michael Massi	Mercer	Sr.	Powder Springs, Ga.	Accounting
*3B	Chesny Young	Mercer	Jr.	Atlanta, Ga.	Business
SS	Kal Simmons	Kennesaw State	So.	Nashville, Ga.	Undeclared
OF	Clinton Freeman	ETSU	Sr.	Jonesborough, Tenn.	History
OF	Donnie Dewees	North Florida	So.	Crystal River, Fla.	Health Science
OF	Bo Way	Kennesaw State	Sr.	Brunswick, Ga.	Psychology
*DH	Nick Backlund	Mercer	Sr.	San Jose, Calif.	Economics
* Unanimous Choice					

A-Sun Preseason Coaches Poll

1.	Mercer (7)	97
2.	North Florida (1)	86
3.	FGCU (2)	73
4.	ETSU	69
5.	Kennesaw State	64
6.	Stetson	60
7.	Lipscomb	34
8.	USC Upstate	30
9.	Jacksonville	27
10.	Northern Kentucky	10

Fan-Voted Preseason Player of the Year: Zack Tillery, FGCU

Fan-Voted Preseason Pitcher of the Year: Michael Murray, FGCU

Fan-Voted Preseason Defensive Player of the Year: Alex Diaz, FGCU