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Eagles ink eight girls on signing day
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STATESBORO, Ga. – Head coach Brian Dunleavy completed his 2018 signing class last Wednesday signing eight new girls for the 2018 season. This is the second year in a row Dunleavy has recruited seven plus girls. The 2018 class consists of three international student-athletes and five student-athletes from all over the East Coast.

The Eagles finished the 2017 season with an 8-9-2 record and advanced to the Sun Belt Conference Semifinals for just the second time in program history. With the addition of the eight new signees, the women's soccer program splits the Florida/Georgia line at eight members a piece. The Eagles have had success in these areas for recruiting and look to building upon the culture they have instilled in the program.

"We are really excited about the 2018 signing class," Head coach Brian Dunleavy said. "We've got eight players coming in and one is already here on campus with us this spring. We are really excited about the group because of the athletic ability across the board. We feel we have a really good group coming back in 2018 and the core of our team is here. The culture of our team has been set and we feel these eight players are really going to enhance that."
BROOKE BARRETT
Brooke Barrett joins the Eagles from Hiawassee, Georgia, playing under head coach John Cornett for four years. She attended Towns County High School where she was named four-time offensive MVP and was the MVP of the Georgia High School Soccer All-Star Game. During her time at Towns County, she recorded 26 goals and five assists, leading the High School women's soccer team as the All-time scorer. She played her prep soccer under head coach Dom Martelli at the Atlanta Fire United ECNL club.

HANNAH ALLEN
Hannah Allen joins the Eagles from Brisbane, Queensland, playing under head coach Mel Andretta. She attended Cavendish Road State High School where she scored seven goals and recorded 12 assists. She placed fourth in the Australia Bill Turner Cup and was the 2012-2013 Ulfsport Champion. She also added a 2014, 2016, and 2017 school premier league championships.

VICTORIA HOWELL
Victoria Howell was an early enrollee for the Eagles 2018 signing class out of Seminole Ridge High School in Loxahatchee, Florida. She played her club soccer with Boca United (ECNL and DA) and was the No. 45 ranked player in the state of Florida. She finished her high school career rated a three-star recruit by Top Drawer Soccer.

ALANA LUTCHMANSINGH
Alana Lutchmansingh joins the Eagles from Fort Lauderdale, Florida, playing under head coach Margo Flack. She attended Cardinal Gibbons High School where she was a four year letter winner and earned a 2015 Honorable mention by the Sun Sentinel and Miami Herald. She was awarded multiple awards by the Sun Sentinel and Miami Herald in 2016 and 2017. Won the 2014, 2015, and 2017 State Championships in Florida.

TAYLOR REGENSBURGER
Taylor Regensburger joins the Eagles from Selden, New York, playing under head coach Dominick Veraldi. She attended Newfield High School where she was a four year letter winner. In the fall of 2015 she was awarded MVP for her team and was named Suffolk County Girls Soccer All-League. She added Suffolk All-League, All-Conference, and All-County awards in 2016, and collected the same awards plus Athlete of the Month in 2017. Regensburger also ran track during her time in high school and was awarded athlete of the month for May 2016. She played club soccer with SUFC under head coach Jaime Gonzalez and won the NY State Cup in 2017, as well as the Disney Soccer Showcase.

PATRICIA CARBALLO
Patricia Carballo joins the Eagles from Madrid, Spain, where she was a part of the Spanish National Team under-15 and under-17. Placed first in the Spanish Championship in 2010 and was a Championship runner-up in 2011. Won the Championship in 2012 and was a Spanish National Team Component. She also ran track and field during her time in high school.

LAYNE GREENFIELD
Layne Greenfield joins the Eagles from Cocoa, Florida, playing under head coach Craig Calhoun. She attended Edgewood Jr/Sr High School, where she recorded 24 goals and five assists. She broke the girls soccer scoring record as a sophomore and was named MVP three consecutive years (2016, 2017, 2018). Greenfield also won the 2016 and 2017 Florida Cup Championships with Space Coast United Soccer Club under head coach Teresa Moon.

SARA EZQUERRO
Sara Ezquerro joins the Eagles from Torrelodones, Madrid, playing goalkeeper for Ortega y Gasset M-86. She has played soccer since she was four years old and was awarded as the best goalkeeper and important future goalkeeper in her hometown. During her time playing in Madrid she won three Spain Championships and attended the Spanish National Team several times. In her final prep season she scored a goal, despite playing as a goalkeeper. Her prep team of CD Tacon, under head coach Marta Tejedor, was the least scored on team in the league and also scored the most goals. Her team won the Champions of Madrid's Cup in 2016.