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Bart Babineaux Named Horizon League Player Of The Week

Senior RF earns first weekly league award after hitting .400 with seven RBI over the weekend.

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Chicago, Ill.- UIC senior outfielder [Bart Babineaux](#) (New Iberia, La./Catholic H.S./El Camino C.C.) was named the first Horizon League Baseball Player of the Week of the 2006 season, the league announced on Tuesday.

Babineaux had a stellar start to the season this past weekend, batting .400 (6-for-15) with seven RBI in four games at HoHoKam Park, the spring training home of the Chicago Cubs. He also posted a .667 slugging percentage with a double and a home run.

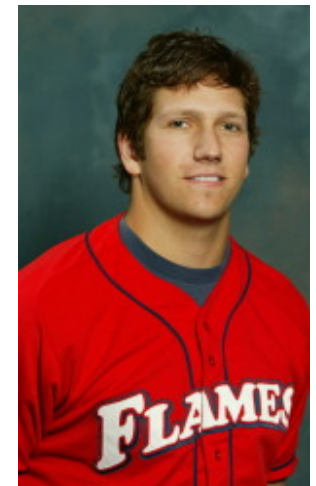
Against Air Force on Feb. 18, Babineaux cracked a two-run bomb to highlight a four RBI game in which he went 3-for-4 at the dish to help the Flames take a 14-1 victory.

Babineaux is a reigning All-Horizon League Second Team selection and was named to the All-Horizon League Newcomer Team in 2005 after batting .317 with six homers and 42 RBI in the Flames' league championship and NCAA Regional campaign.

UIC heads to Long Beach, Calif., to face off with No. 18 Long Beach State in a three-game series beginning this Friday.

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Senior Bart Babineaux went 6-for-15 at the plate in two two-game sets