

Press&Dakotan DAILY DOSE



NEW YORK (AP) — Former Texas Rangers president J. Thomas Schieffer was hired by Commissioner Bud Selig on Monday to run the Los Angeles Dodgers, less than a week after Major League Baseball took over operation of the franchise from owner Frank McCourt. Schieffer, younger brother of "Face the Nation" host Bob Schieffer, took over immediately. In seizing control of the franchise, MLB told the

Dodgers that any expenditure of \$5,000 or more would have to be approved. The 63-year-old Schieffer served three terms in the Texas House of Representatives in the 1970s after being elected at the age of 25. President George W. Bush appointed him ambassador to Australia in 2001, a job held until he became ambassador to Japan from 2005-09. In business, Schieffer managed investments in oil and gas.

YANKTON EVENTS

APRIL 28 First Dakota Relays 4 p.m.	MAY 6-7 Howard Wood Relays Sioux Falls	MAY 6 O'Gorman Inv. 3:30 p.m.
TODAY at Vermillion 4 p.m.	APRIL 28 vs. Heelan & SC West 2 p.m.	MAY 3 at S.F. Lincoln 4 p.m.
APRIL 29 Mitchell Inv. 10:30 a.m.	MAY 2 Sioux Falls Inv. 9 a.m.	MAY 7 ESD Champ. Mitchell 10 a.m.
TODAY at S.F. Washington 5 p.m.	APRIL 29 vs. S.F. Lincoln 5:30 p.m.	MAY 3 vs. Mitchell 6 p.m.

BUCKS & GAZELLES TRACK AND FIELD
BUCKS BOYS' TENNIS
GAZELLES GIRLS' GOLF
BUCKS BASEBALL

COLLEGE EVENTS

APRIL 28-30 Drake Relays	APRIL 29 Kip Janvrin Open	MAY 6-7 Howard Wood Relays Sioux Falls
APRIL 27 Sioux Falls DH, 4 p.m.	APRIL 29 College of St. Mary DH, 4 p.m.	MAY 15-16 Great West Conference Vermillion
APRIL 28 at Morningside DH, 4 p.m.	APRIL 30 at Midland DH, 1 p.m.	MAY 5-7 GPAC Tourney Sioux City
TODAY vs. Dordt DH, 4 p.m.	APRIL 27 vs. Nebraska Wesleyan DH, 4 p.m.	APRIL 28 vs. Dakota State DH, 4 p.m.

COYOTES TRACK & FIELD
COYOTES SOFTBALL
LANCERS BASEBALL
LANCERS SOFTBALL

OTHER EVENTS

Baseball
MOUNT MARTY JV: Wednesday, at University of South Dakota Club, DH, 5:30 p.m.
YANKTON JV: Tuesday, at S.F. Washington, 7 p.m.
YANKTON 9TH/10TH: Thursday, vs. S.F. O'Gorman, DH, 5 p.m.; **Saturday**, vs. Harrisburg, DH; **Monday**, at West Central, DH, 5 p.m.

Track & Field
MOUNT MARTY: Thursday-Saturday, at Drake Relays, Des Moines, Iowa

CORRECTION
In Monday's *Press & Dakotan*, a column on Mount Marty College softball inadvertently listed an incorrect site for one of their games.
Mount Marty is heading Dordt today (Tuesday), rather than at Dordt.
We apologize for the error.

Quick Hitters

GOLF
Freshman Whitney Wheeler shot an 84 to lead the University of South Dakota women's golf team at the opening day of the Great West Conference Championship Monday in Spring, Texas. The Coyotes are in sixth place as a team after shooting a 354 Monday at the event, which is being held at the Cypresswood Golf Club. Wheeler, a freshman from Sioux Falls, finished at 84, shooting a solid 39 on the back nine after carding 45 on the first. Freshman Hailey Sheldahl finished at 88, firing a 41 on the back nine after shooting a 41 on the first. Sophomore Nicole Funk (Dakota Dunes) carded an 89, while junior Katie Benedict finished at 93. Senior Steph Zavilla rounded out the Coyote lineup with a 103. The second round of the 54-hole event is slated to begin this morning (Tuesday).

BASEBALL
PHOENIX (AP) — Jose Contreras's strained right forearm was examined by team doctor Michael Ciccotti in Philadelphia on Monday and the Phillies' closer is sched-

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SCOREBOARD

TRACK & FIELD

HIGH SCHOOL
LINCOLN-YANKTON DUAL
April 25 at Varsity Fields
100: 1. Ravan Kott 17.2; 2. Allya Elsham 13.3; 3. Delmi Cuellar 13.8; 4. Jessica Johnson 13.8.
200: 1. Sappina Ruppert 1.28; 2. Brenna Fitzsimmons 1.29; 3. Taylor Dumke 1.29; 4. Meghan Lambert 1.29.
400: 1. Anna Ulhe 1:03.5; 2. Sappina Ruppert 1:05.9; 3. Taylor Hutchison 1:13.5.
800: 1. Whitee Larson 2:24.8; 2. Rylee Smith 2:46.6; 3. Maggie Sawyer 3:03.8.
1600: 1. Carly Holmstrom 5:54.2; 2. Emma Nykamp 5:45.7; 3. Senia Robinson 5:47.1; 4. Nikki Betzler 5:58.5.
3200: 1. Jenna Grossenburg 11:46.5; 2. Sara Watt 12:55.2.
100 HURDLES: 1. Evanie Drogok 15:7; 2. Savannah Murray 17.5; 3. Katie Reil 18.0; 4. Desi Beckmann 19.3.
300 HURDLES: 1. Jamie Ezslinger 48.9; 2. Chloe Coleman 51.2; 3. Desi Beckmann 53.9; 4. Savannah Murray 55.2.
400 RELAY: 1. Yankton 53.4; 2. Lincoln 53.8.
800 RELAY: 1. Lincoln 1:51.3; 2. Yankton 1:52.9.
1600 RELAY: 1. Lincoln 4:19.2; 2. Yankton 4:27.9; 3. Lincoln 'X'44.1; 4. Lincoln 'X'44.1.
3200 RELAY: 1. Yankton 10:25.78.
MEDLEY RELAY: 1. Lincoln 'B' 'X'43.3; 2. Yankton 50.15.
DISCUS: 1. Cera Ledbetter 120-1; 2. Lizzie Kinsey 87-3; 3. Katie Sim 84-1; 4. Kelsey Hecht 81-3.
SHOT PUT: 1. Cera Ledbetter 14-2; 2. Clara Schil 15-1; 3. Lizzie Kinsey 13-3; 4. Kelsey Hecht 13-8.
LONG JUMP: 1. Logan Ramey 19-3; 2. Brenna Fitzsimmons 18-11; 3. Jared Olson 15-7; 4. Zach Sage 15-5.
DISCUS: 1. Terry Huber 135-2; 2. Ty Souleky 130-4; 3. Powers Schurrer 129-4; 4. Brenny Ross 119-7.
HIGH JUMP: 1. Jordan Hejna 5-9; 2. Brett Michels 5-7; 3. Jared Olson 5-7; 4. Zach Sage 5-5.
LONG JUMP: 1. Chris Harner 20-1.5; 2. Patrick Leach 19-3; 3. Adam Belhaj 19-3.5; 4. Neil Hohenhaner 18-8.
DISCUS: 1. Terry Huber 135-2; 2. Ty Souleky 130-4; 3. Powers Schurrer 129-4; 4. Brenny Ross 119-7.
TRIPLE JUMP: 1. Connor Fitzsimmons 40-11; 2. Neil Hohenhaner 39-7; 3. Dylan Bartow 38-11.5; 4. Ethan Decosse 37-8.
SOPHOMORE GIRLS
800: 1. Logan Ramey 3:03.9.
400 RELAY: 1. Yankton 56.7.
POLE VAULT: 1. Banan Abdalkreem 5-0; 2. Tonia Montoya 5-0.
TRIPLE JUMP: 1. Jessica Johnson 29-5.5.
SOPHOMORE BOYS
100: 1. Zac Campbell 12.2; 2. Quincy Score 12.4.
200: 1. Zac Campbell 12.58; 2. Quincy Score 12.6.
300 HURDLES: 1. Matt Wagner 47.7; 2. Isaac Althoff 48.5.
3200 RELAY: 1. Yankton 9:58.9.
MEDLEY RELAY: 1. Yankton 43:15.
LONG JUMP: 1. Patrick Ryken 17-6; 2. Mike Brown 14-2.
POLE VAULT: 1. Casey Skillingstad 9-6; 1. James Holy 9-6; 3. Charles Agbonifo 7-0; 4. Trevor Naasz 17-0.
BASEBALL
COLLEGE
BASEBALL AMERICA TOP 25
DURHAM, N.C. (AP) — The top 25 teams in the Baseball America poll with records through April 24 and previous ranking (voting by the staff of Baseball America):
1. Virginia 40-4
2. South Carolina 31-8
3. Oregon State 29-8
4. Vanderbilt 31-5
5. Florida 31-10
6. Texas A&M 29-11
7. Texas 30-10
8. Arizona State 28-9
9. Florida State 31-10
10. Cal State Fullerton 28-11
11. TCU 29-11
12. Georgia Tech 30-11
13. Fresno State 28-7
14. Oklahoma State 29-11
15. Southern Miss. 30-9
16. Miami 27-13
17. Stetson 31-9
18. North Carolina 32-10
19. Oklahoma State 28-12
20. California 24-15
21. Stanford 19-13
22. Troy 30-10
23. Connecticut 26-12
24. UCLA 21-14
25. Rice 28-12
COLLEGIATE BASEBALL
TUCSON, Ariz. (AP) — The college baseball poll with records through April 24, points and previous rank. Voting is done by coaches, sports writers and sports information directors:
1. Virginia 40-4
2. South Carolina 31-8
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4. Texas A&M 29-11
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AMERICAN LEAGUE
East Division
W L Pct GB
New York 12 7 632 2
Tampa Bay 10 11 476 3
Boston 10 11 476 3
Toronto 10 12 455 3 1/2
Baltimore 8 12 400 4 1/2
Central Division
W L Pct GB
Cleveland 13 8 619 1
Detroit 12 10 545 1 1/2
Kansas City 12 10 545 1 1/2
Minnesota 9 12 429 4
Chicago 9 14 391 5
West Division
W L Pct GB
Texas 14 8 636 1
Los Angeles 12 10 545 2
Oakland 11 11 500 3
Seattle 8 15 348 6 1/2
Sunday's Games
Detroit 3, Chicago White Sox 0
Tampa Bay 2, Toronto 0
N.Y. Yankees 6, Baltimore 3, 11-innings
Kansas City (Hochevar 2-2) at Cleveland (Masterson 4-0), 6:05 p.m.
Oakland 11, Minnesota 2-2 at Detroit (Coke 1-3), 6:05 p.m.
Toronto (Litsch 1-1) at Texas (Harrison 3-1), 7:05 p.m.
Chicago White Sox (Floyd 2-1) at N.Y. Yankees (Nova 1-2), 6:05 p.m.
Kansas City (Hochevar 2-2) at Cleveland (Masterson 4-0), 6:05 p.m.
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Oakland 11, Minnesota 2-2 at Detroit (Coke 1-3), 6:05 p.m.

AREA CALENDAR

Monday, April 25
BASEBALL, COLLEGE MMC at Dakota State (DH, 3 p.m.)
BASEBALL, CLUB Dakota Valley vs. Wagner-Avon at Wagner (12:30 p.m.); Dakota Valley at Bon Homme (6 p.m.); Lemus at Vermillion (6 p.m.); Parkston at Beresford (5 p.m.); Winner-Colome vs. Platte-Geddes-Dakota Christian at Platte (5:30 p.m.)
BASEBALL, CLUB 9-10 Yankton at S.F. Washington (DH, 5 p.m.)
GOLF, BOYS' Mid-State Conf. at Albion (Hartington Cedar Catholic, 9 a.m.); Marion at Freeman Academy
GOLF, GIRLS' Marion at Freeman Academy
TRACK & FIELD, COLLEGE OUTDOOR South Dakota State Twilight (USD)
TRACK & FIELD, PREP S.F. Lincoln at YHS (4 p.m.)
Tuesday, April 26
BASEBALL, COLLEGE MMC at Morningside (DH, 4 p.m.)
BASEBALL, CLUB Corsica-Stickney-Armour-Plankinton at Bon Homme (7 p.m.); Wagner-Avon at Vermillion (6 p.m.)
BASEBALL, CLUB JV Yankton at S.F. Washington
GOLF, BOYS' Baltic Inv. (Freeman Academy, 9 a.m.); Hartington Inv. (Creighton, Crofton, Hartington, Hartington Cedar Catholic, Laurel-Concord-Coleridge, Ponca, Randolph, 9 a.m.); Niobrara Valley Conf. at Bassett CC (Niobrara-Vergde, Santee, 10 a.m.); West Sioux at Alcester-Hudson
GOLF, GIRLS' Baltic Inv. (Freeman Academy, 9 a.m.)
West Central Inv. at Central Valley GC (Beresford, Dakota Valley, Wagner, 9 a.m.); West Sioux at Alcester-Hudson
SOFTBALL, COLLEGE DORT at MMC (DH, 4 p.m.)
TENNIS, BOYS' YHS at Vermillion (4 p.m.)
TRACK & FIELD, PREP Creighton Inv. (Bloomfield, Bon Homme, Creighton, Crofton, Hartington Cedar Catholic, Laurel-Concord-Coleridge, Randolph, Wausa, 1:30 p.m.); Dakota Valley Inv. at North Sioux City (Beresford, Dakota Valley, Vermillion, 11 a.m.); Great Plains Conf. at Scotland (Andes Central, Avon, Scotland, Tripp-DeMort-Armour; McCook Central Inv. (Eihan-Parkston, 1 p.m.); Miller Inv. (Platte-Geddes); Ponca Inv. at South Sioux City (Elk Point-Jefferson, Newcastle, Ponca, 3 p.m.); West Boyd Inv. at O'Neill (Niobrara-Vergde, 10 a.m.)
TRACK & FIELD, MS Brandon Valley/Vermillion at YMS (4 p.m.)
Wednesday, April 27
BASEBALL, COLLEGE JV MMC at USD Club (DH, 5:30 p.m.)
GOLF, BOYS' Combelt Conf. at Valley View GC (Freeman, Marion, 8 a.m.); Ponca Tri. (Laurel-Concord-Coleridge, Ponca, 3:30 p.m.)
GOLF, GIRLS' Combelt Conf. at Valley View GC (Freeman, Marion, 8 a.m.)
SOFTBALL, COLLEGE Nebraska Wesleyan at MMC (DH, 4 p.m.)
Thursday, April 28
BASEBALL, COLLEGE MMC at Morningside (DH, 4 p.m.)
BASEBALL, CLUB Corsica-Stickney-Armour-Plankinton at Bon Homme (7 p.m.); Wagner-Avon at Vermillion (6 p.m.)
BASEBALL, CLUB JV Yankton at S.F. Washington
GOLF, BOYS' Alcester-Hudson Inv. at Alcester GC (Alcester-Hudson, 2 p.m.); O'Neill Inv. (Hartington, Hartington Cedar Catholic, Santee, 9 a.m.)
GOLF, GIRLS' Alcester-Hudson Inv. at Alcester GC (Alcester-Hudson, 2 p.m.)
SOFTBALL, COLLEGE Dakota State at MMC (DH, 4 p.m.)
TENNIS, BOYS' S.C. Heelan/S.C. West at YHS (2 p.m.)
TRACK & FIELD, COLLEGE OUTDOOR Drake Relays (USD)
TRACK & FIELD, PREP First Dakota Relays at Yankton (YHS, Beresford, Dakota Valley, Gayville-Volin, Irene-Wakonda, Vermillion, 4 p.m.); Northeast Neb. Classic at Norfolk (Creighton, Crofton, Hartington, Washington, 3 N.Y. Rangers 1, Washington wins series 4-1
Boston 2, Montreal 1, 2OT, Boston leads series 3-2
Los Angeles 3, San Jose 1, San Jose leads series 3-2
Sunday, April 24
Philadelphia 5, Buffalo 4, OT, series tied 3-3
Nashville 4, Anaheim 2, Nashville wins series 4-2
Chicago 4, Vancouver 3, OT, series tied 3-3
Monday, April 25
Tampa Bay 4, Pittsburgh 2, series tied 3-3
San Jose 5, Los Angeles, 9 p.m.
Tuesday, April 26
Boston at Montreal, 6 p.m.
Buffalo at Philadelphia, 6:30 p.m.
Chicago at Vancouver, 9 p.m.
Wednesday, April 27
x-Montreal at Boston TBA
Tampa Bay at Pittsburgh, 6:05 p.m.
St. Louis at Houston, 7:05 p.m.

Friday, April 29
BASEBALL, CLUB S.F. Lincoln at Yankton (5:30 p.m.); Bennett County vs. Platte-Geddes-Dakota Christian at Platte (5 p.m.)
GOLF, BOYS' Andes Central Inv. at Pickstown (Andes Central, Avon, Bon Homme, Freeman, Scotland, 9 a.m.); Big East Conf. at Dell Rapids (Parker, 8 a.m.); Osmond Inv. at Rolling Hills GC (Crofton, Hartington, Hartington Cedar Catholic, Niobrara-Vergde, Randolph, Ponca, 9 a.m.)
GOLF, GIRLS' Maxwell Inv. (YHS, 10:30 a.m.); Big East Conf. at Dell Rapids (Parker, 8 a.m.); Platte-Geddes Inv. (Andes Central, Avon, Bon Homme, Freeman, Scotland, 9 a.m.); Vermillion Inv. at The Bluffs GC (Beresford, Dakota Valley, Elk Point-Jefferson, Parkston, Vermillion, Wagner, 9 a.m.)
SOFTBALL, COLLEGE College of St. Mary at USD (DH, 4 p.m.)
TENNIS, BOYS' Vermillion at S.F. Roosevelt
TRACK & FIELD, COLLEGE OUTDOOR Drake Relays (USD); Kip Janvrin Open (USD)
Saturday, April 30
BASEBALL, COLLEGE MMC at Midland (DH, 1 p.m.)
BASEBALL, CLUB Parkston at Dakota Valley (DH), Vermillion at Bon Homme (6 p.m.)
BASEBALL, CLUB 9-10 Harrisburg at Yankton (1 p.m.)
GOLF, BOYS' Pierce Inv. (Crofton, Hartington Cedar Catholic, Laurel-Concord-Coleridge, Randolph, 9 a.m.); West Hot Inv. at Atkinson GC (Creighton, Niobrara-Vergde, Santee, 9 a.m.)
SOFTBALL, COLLEGE Concordia at MMC (Senior Day, DH, 1 p.m.)
TENNIS, BOYS' YHS/Mitchell/Watertown at Madison (9 a.m.); Brookings Inv. (Vermillion, Watertown 10 a.m.)
TRACK & FIELD, COLLEGE OUTDOOR Drake Relays (USD)
TRACK & FIELD, PREP Andes Central Inv. (Andes Central, Bon Homme, Platte-Geddes, Scotland, Wagner, 9 a.m.); Chester Inv. (Parker, 10 a.m.); Dan Barker Inv. at Madison (Centerville, 9 a.m.); Lewis & Clark Conf. at Winnebago (Bloomfield, Hartington, Newcastle, Ponca, Wausa, Wynot, 10 a.m.); Mid-State Conf. at Pierce (Hartington Cedar Catholic; Niobrara Valley Conf. at Atkinson (Niobrara-Vergde, 9:30 a.m.); Warrior Inv. at Sioux Falls (Freeman, 8 a.m.)
Sunday, May 1
BASEBALL, CLUB Platte-Geddes-Dakota Christian at Hot Springs (3 p.m.); Vermillion vs. Westington Springs-Mount Vernon-Ehan-Hanson-Moorsokpet at Mount Vernon; Wagner-Avon at Bon Homme (4 p.m.)
SOFTBALL, COLLEGE Sioux Falls at MMC (DH, 4 p.m.)
Monday, May 2
BASEBALL, CLUB Corsica-Stickney-Armour-Plankinton at Parkston (7 p.m.)
BASEBALL, CLUB 9-10 Yankton at West Central (DH, 5 p.m.)
GOLF, BOYS' Freeman Inv. at Valley View GC (Avon, Freeman, Scotland, 10 a.m.); Irene-Wakonda Inv. at Glennridge GC (Parker); Lewis & Clark Conf. at Wakefield (Hartington, Ponca); Scotland Inv. (Andes Central, Avon, Bon Homme, Freeman Academy, Gayville-Volin, Scotland, 9 a.m.); Crofton/Laurel-Concord-Coleridge at Wayne (4 p.m.); Plainview/Randolph at Hartington Cedar Catholic
GOLF, GIRLS' Sioux Falls Inv. at Willow Run (YHS, 9 a.m.); Avon Inv. (Andes Central, Avon, Bon Homme, Freeman Academy, Gayville-Volin, Scotland, Wagner, 9 a.m.); Freeman Inv. at Valley View GC (Avon, Freeman, Scotland, 10 a.m.); Irene-Wakonda Inv. at Glennridge GC (Parker); Elk Point-Jefferson at Dakota Valley
SOFTBALL, COLLEGE College of St. Mary at MMC (DH, 3 p.m.)
TRACK & FIELD, MS YMS at Mitchell (4:15 p.m.)

NFL Labor

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with an unfair negotiation charge against the players pending with the National Labor Relations Board.

In her ruling, Nelson rejected that contention. She recognized the NFL Players Association's decision to "de-unionize" as legitimate because it has "serious consequences" for the players.

Nelson even referenced her colleague, U.S. District Judge David Doty, who has frequently ruled for the players in the past. Not only did she declare that players are likely to suffer harm by the lockout, a legal requirement for granting the injunction, Nelson wrote that they're already feeling the hurt now.

She cited their short careers, arguing that monetary damages wouldn't be enough relief.

What Nelson didn't do, however, was tackle the issue of the antitrust lawsuit filed last month when the union broke up. That, she wrote, "must wait another day."

If the injunction is upheld, the NFL must resume business in some fashion.

Hockey

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The daughter of Bob and Helene Hegge, Holly said she is glad her collegiate decision is over so she can devote all of her attention to finishing her high school career.

"It's nice to finally make a decision, because after a while, I was ready for it to be over," said Hegge, who plans to major in Elementary Education at MMC. "It made me relax a little more. Now I can focus on finishing high school and graduation and everything else."

Transactions

BASEBALL COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE — Named J. Thomas Schieffer manager of the Los Angeles Dodgers.

American League
OAKLAND ATHLETICS—Activated RHP Michael Wertz from the 15-day DL. Optioned LHP Pedro Cramer to Sacramento (PCL).
National League
ARIZONA DIAMONDBACKS—Selected the contract of INF Josh Wilson from Reno (PCL). Placed INF Willie Bloomquist

PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES—Placed RHP Jose Contreras on the 15-day DL, retroactive to April 22. Selected the contract of RHP Michael Stutes from Lehigh Valley (IL). Promoted RHP Chance Chapman from Reading (EL) to Lehigh Valley and RHP Jordan Ellis from Clearwater (FSL) to Reading.
SAN DIEGO PADRES—Recalled RHP Evan Scribner from Tucson (PCL). Optioned LHP Wade LeBlanc to Tucson.
FARGO REDHAWKS—Signed INF Brian Ruggiano.
GRAND PRAIRIE AIRHOGS—Released RHP Ryan Tucker.
SIOUX CITY EXPLORERS—Acquired RHP Kyle Wright from Rockford (Frontier) for cash and a player to be named.
WICHITA WINGNUTS—Signed OF Jorge Cortes and RHP John Holzkrist.
Can-Am League
BROCKTON ROX—Signed OF Palmer Karr.
PITTSFIELD COLONIALS—Signed INF Jerod Edmondson and C Scott Knazek.
QUEBEC CAPITALES—Signed RHP Anthony Sullivan and INF Seth Henry.
Frontier League
EVANSVILLE OTTERS—Signed 3B

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It could invoke the 2010 rules for free agency, meaning players would need six seasons of service before becoming unrestricted free agents when their contracts expire; previously, it was four years. The requirement for restricted free agents would be four years rather than the three years before 2010. There also was no salary cap in 2010, meaning teams could spend as much — or as little — as they wanted.

And the NFL would need to determine whether offseason workouts can be held while the appeal is pending.

Owners imposed the lockout after talks broke down March 11 and the players disbanded their union. A group of players filed the injunction request along with a class-action antitrust lawsuit against the league.

Jim Quinn, an attorney for the players, said the pressure is on the league.

"They better act quickly, because as of right now there's no stay and, presumably, players could sign with teams," Quinn said. "There are no guidelines as of right now, so they have to put something in place quickly."

In a statement, the NFL again argued its belief that "federal law bars injunctions in labor disputes" and expressed confidence the appeals court would agree.

Track

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Dvorak did the same in the 100 hurdles, winning with a season-best time of 15.7, and Laura Buckman improved by six feet in winning the pole vault at 9-6.

Also earning first-place finishes for the Gazelles were Jenna Grossenburg in the 3200

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