

SPORTS DIGEST

USD's Westbrook To Play In Portsmouth Invite

PORTSMOUTH — Charlie Westbrook, the leading scorer from the University of South Dakota men's basketball team, said Sunday night that he has accepted an invite to the Portsmouth Invitational.

The tournament, held April 11-14 in Portsmouth, Va., showcases the top 64 seniors from all divisions in the country for a 4-day tournament in front of NBA scouts. Among the players already announced at the tournament are Yancy Gates (Cincinnati), Scoop Jardine (Syracuse), Miles Plumlee (Duke) and Ralph Sampson III (Minnesota).

A second team All-Summit League selection, Westbrook led the Coyotes in scoring (18.7 ppg) this past season. He became the first two-year, junior college player to eclipse 1,000 points under USD head coach Dave Boots.

Bucks Wrestling Banquet April 2

The Yankton High School wrestling team will host its

awards banquet on Monday, April 2, starting at 5:30 p.m. in the YHS Commons.

All wrestlers, cheerleaders, managers, coaches, family members and fans are invited to attend.

S.D. Basketball Academic All-State Honors Announced

WATERTOWN — The South Dakota Basketball Coaches Association announced its boys' and girls' basketball academic all-state selections for the 2011-12 season.

To be honored, a senior student-athlete or manager must have a 3.5 grade-point average on a 4.0 scale and have participated for at least three years.

BOYS' BASKETBALL
BERESFORD: Austin Carlson, Hayden Palmer, Matt Hoines
BON HOMME: Travis McDonald, Scott Olmer, Charlie Bentzen
ELK POINT-JEFFERSON: Mike Wurtz, Tyler Koupal, Nick Murphy, Tony Metzgar
PARKER: Cedric Hay
PLATTE-GEDDES: Derek Steele
TRIPP-DELMONT-ARMOUR: Dylan Peters, Reece Weber

VERMILLION: Caleb Miller, Mitch Ellison
VIBORG-HURLEY: Matt Jensen, Zach Kranning
WAGNER: Branson Tolliver, Tyler Krcil

GIRLS' BASKETBALL
BERESFORD: Molly Kenedy, Jessica Begue, Chelsea Cahen
BON HOMME: Tara Ranke, Jesi Vicek, Sara Burbach, Raquel Sutura, Britney Rezac, Emily Robertson
CENTERVILLE: Samantha Blake
ELK POINT-JEFFERSON: Ashley Fejfar, Tony McCreary
FREEMAN: Paige Herbold, Carly Uecker, Kaitlyn Stern, Christa Roth
MARION: Stephanie Harris
MENNON: Tessa Goehring, Erika Hauck
PARKER: Anna Leloux, Alycia Pesicka
TRIPP-DELMONT-ARMOUR: Julie Mingo, Macey Fuerst
VIBORG-HURLEY: Michelle Miller, Dana Mach
YANKTON: Choe Casmussen, Emily Fadders, Audrey Fuks, Tony Gross, Vanessa Rockne, Courtney True

Coyote Women's Tennis Downs Oakland, 7-0

VERMILLION — The South Dakota women's tennis team won all six singles matches and also claimed the team doubles point in a 7-0 win over Oakland in Summit League action Saturday in Fort Wayne, Ind. The Coyotes

improved to 14-8 overall and 4-4 in the Summit League, while Oakland fell to 1-13 and 0-4 in the conference.

The Coyotes claimed the team doubles point, winning two of three matches. Freshman Yamini Reddy and junior Veronika Makashov won 8-0 at No. 3 doubles in the first match completed, before Oakland claimed the win at No. 2 doubles. That left the match at No. 1 doubles as seniors Shadi Soleymani and Alena Sergeyevich won 9-7.

The Coyotes rolled in singles, sweeping all six matches. Sergeyevich, Katelyn Stern, freshman Nina Barudzic, Makashov and Reddy all won their singles matches in straight sets. Sophomore Michelle Elkin won a hard-fought 2-6, 6-1, 10-8 win over Oakland's Caitlin Young at No. 1 singles.

South Dakota plays host to Nebraska-Omaha in a non-conference match at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the USD tennis courts.

Lakeview Women's Golf Meeting April 4

CROFTON, Neb. — The Crofton Lakeview ladies golf

SCOREBOARD

BASKETBALL

NCAA WOMEN'S TOURN.	
FINAL FOUR	
At Pepsi Center, Denver	
National Semifinals	
Sunday, April 1	Notre Dame 83, UConn 75, OT
April 2	Baylor (38-0) vs. Stanford (35-1), 8 p.m.
National Championship	
Tuesday, April 3	Notre Dame (35-3) vs. Baylor-Stanford winner, 7:30 p.m.

NCAA TOURNAMENT	
FINAL FOUR	
At The Superdome, New Orleans	
National Semifinals	
Saturday, March 31	Kentucky 69, Louisville 61
Kansas 64, Ohio State 62	
National Championship	
Monday, April 2	Kentucky (37-2) vs. Kansas (32-6), 8 p.m.

WOMEN'S NAT. INV. TOURN.	
Championship	
Saturday, March 31	Oklahoma ST. 75, James Madison 68

NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOC.	
EASTERN CONFERENCE	
Atlantic Division	
Boston	30 22 577 —
Philadelphia	29 23 558 —
New York	27 26 539 3 1/2
New Jersey	19 35 352 12
Toronto	18 35 340 12 1/2

Southeast Division	
W	L Pct GB
Miami	37 14 725 —
Orlando	32 21 604 —
Atlanta	31 23 574 7 1/2
Washington	12 40 231 25 1/2
Charlotte	7 43 140 29 1/2

Central Division	
W	L Pct GB
x-Chicago	42 12 778 —
Indiana	31 21 596 10 —
Milwaukee	24 28 462 17
Detroit	19 33 365 22
Cleveland	17 38 340 23

WESTERN CONFERENCE	
Southwest Division	
W	L Pct GB
San Antonio	36 14 720 —
Dallas	30 23 566 7 1/2
Memphis	28 22 560 8
Houston	28 25 528 9 1/2
New Orleans	13 38 250 24

Northwest Division	
W	L Pct GB
x-Oklahoma City	40 12 769 —
Denver	29 24 547 11 1/2
Utah	27 26 509 13 1/2
Minnesota	25 28 472 15 1/2
Portland	24 38 462 16

BASEBALL

Central Division	
W	L Pct GB
L.A. Lakers	32 20 615 —
L.A. Clippers	31 21 596 1 —
Phoenix	25 26 490 6 1/2
Golden State	20 30 400 11
Sacramento	x-18 34 346 14
x-clinched playoff spot	

Friday's Games	
Denver 99, Charlotte 88	
Miami 113, Toronto 101	
Washington 97, Philadelphia 76	
Atlanta 100, New York 90	
Milwaukee 121, Cleveland 84	
Chicago 83, Detroit 71	
Houston 98, Memphis 89	
Boston 100, Minnesota 79	
Dallas 100, Orlando 98	
Sacramento 104, Utah 103	
New Jersey 102, Golden State 100	
L.A. Clippers 98, Portland 97	

Saturday's Games	
L.A. Lakers 85, New Orleans 85	
Detroit 110, Charlotte 107, OT	
New York 91, Cleveland 75	
Philadelphia 95, Atlanta 90	
San Antonio 112, Indiana 103	
Memphis 99, Milwaukee 95	
New Jersey 111, Sacramento 99	
L.A. Clippers 105, Utah 96	

Sunday's Games	
Oklahoma City 92, Chicago 78	
Boston 91, Miami 72	
Toronto 99, Washington 92	
Denver 104, Orlando 101	
Indiana 104, Houston 102, OT	
Minnesota at Portland, 9 p.m.	
New Orleans at Phoenix, 9 p.m.	
Golden State at L.A. Lakers, 9:30 p.m.	

Monday's Games	
Milwaukee at Washington, 6 p.m.	
Houston at Chicago, 7 p.m.	
Memphis at Oklahoma City, 7 p.m.	
L.A. Clippers at Dallas, 7:30 p.m.	
L.A. Clippers at Sacramento, 9 p.m.	
Utah at Portland, 9 p.m.	

Tuesday's Games	
San Antonio at Cleveland, 6 p.m.	
New York at Indiana, 6 p.m.	
Charlotte at Toronto, 6 p.m.	
Orlando at Detroit, 6:30 p.m.	
Philadelphia at Miami, 6:30 p.m.	
Golden State at Memphis, 7 p.m.	
Phoenix at Sacramento, 9 p.m.	
New Jersey at L.A. Lakers, 9:30 p.m.	

HOCKEY

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE	
EASTERN CONFERENCE	
Atlantic Division	
GP	W L OT Pts GF GA
x-N.Y. Rangers	79 50 22 7 107 218 175
x-Pittsburgh	79 48 25 6 102 286 214
x-Philadelphia	79 46 24 9 101 257 222
x-New Jersey	79 45 28 6 96 219 205
N.Y. Islanders	79 33 35 11 77 194 241

Northwest Division	
GP	W L OT Pts GF GA
y-Boston	79 47 28 4 98 259 193
x-Ottawa	79 41 28 10 92 245 231
Toronto	79 38 31 10 86 208 219
Toronto	79 34 36 9 77 222 252
Montreal	79 29 35 15 73 202 221

Southeast Division	
GP	W L OT Pts GF GA
Florida	79 37 25 17 91 193 217
Washington	79 40 31 8 88 212 223
Winnipeg	79 36 34 8 81 213 233
Tampa Bay	76 35 37 5 79 223 269
Carolina	79 31 32 16 78 208 237

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Pacific Division	
GP	W L OT Pts GF GA
Los Angeles	79 39 27 13 91 185 170
Phoenix	79 39 27 13 91 206 202
San Jose	79 40 29 10 90 214 201
Dallas	79 42 32 5 89 207 212
Anaheim	78 33 34 11 77 194 217

NOTE:

Two points for a win, one point for overtime loss. x-clinched playoff spot. y-clinched division.

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Winnipeg 4, Carolina 3, OT
Columbus 4, Florida 1
N.Y. Rangers 4, Montreal 1
Pittsburgh 5, Buffalo 3
Nashville 4, Detroit 1
Colorado 4, Calgary 1
Los Angeles 4, Edmonton 1
Vancouver 5, Dallas 2

Saturday's Games

Ottawa 4, Philadelphia 3, SO
Washington 3, Montreal 2, SO
Minnesota 4, Los Angeles 3, SO
Boston 6, N.Y. Islanders 3
Toronto 4, Buffalo 3
New Jersey 5, Winnipeg 2, OT
Columbus 5, St. Louis 2
Chicago 5, Nashville 4
Phoenix 4, Anaheim 0
Vancouver 3, Calgary 2, OT
San Jose 3, Dallas 0

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Detroit 2, Florida 1, SO
Minnesota 5, Chicago 4, SO
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