

Press & Dakotan DAILY DOSE



MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — The Minnesota Twins placed pitcher Nick Blackburn on the 15-day disabled list with a strained right forearm and recalled reliever Lester Oliveros from Triple-A Rochester before Monday's game against the Baltimore Orioles. Blackburn left his start on Sunday against the Yankees after 1 2-3 innings. He had an MRI on Monday and will meet with a specialist on Tuesday. Oliveros will take Blackburn's spot in the rotation and start on Friday when the Twins play Detroit. Oliveros was one of two pitchers the Twins acquired in a trade that sent Delmon Young to Detroit on Aug. 16. The right-hander made three appearances in Rochester before getting recalled.

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YANKTON EVENTS

	SATURDAY vs. Pierre 7:30 p.m.	SEPT. 2 vs. Huron 7:30 p.m.	SEPT. 9 at Watertown 7:30 p.m.
	TODAY at Brandon Valley 2 p.m.	FRIDAY at Huron Tournament 10 a.m.	AUG. 30 at Mitchell 1 p.m.
	FRIDAY at Pierre 7 p.m.	SATURDAY vs. Huron 2:30 p.m.	SEPT. 1 vs. Brookings 7 p.m.
	FRIDAY at Brookings Quad 1 p.m.	SATURDAY at Brookings Jamboree 9 a.m.	SEPT. 2 at Mitchell Tri. 2 p.m.

COLLEGE EVENTS

	SEPT. 3 at Air Force 1 p.m.	SEPT. 10 vs. Eastern Washington 4 p.m.	SEPT. 17 vs. NW Okla. State 4 p.m.
	FRI.-SAT. at Wyoming Tournament	SEPT. 2-3 at Creighton Tournament	SEPT. 9-10 at Montana Tournament
	SUNDAY vs. Neb.-Omaha 1 p.m.	AUG. 31 vs. Wisc.-Green Bay 11 a.m.	SEPT. 4 at Creighton 1 p.m.
	SATURDAY vs. Grace 1 p.m.	SEPT. 3 at Mount Mercy 4 p.m.	SEPT. 5 vs. Jamestown 3 p.m.

OTHER EVENTS

Cross Country
YHS: Friday, at S.F. O'Gorman Invitational, 4 p.m.

Golf
DAKOTAS TOUR: Wednesday, Oxbow Open; Friday-Sunday, Bobcat North Dakota State Open; Monday, Pine Hills Open at Milbank; SDGA: Sunday, USGA Mid-Amateur Qualifying at Willow Run GC, Sioux Falls

Softball
YANKTON GAZELLES: Sunday, vs. Lennox, DH, 12:30 p.m.; Monday, vs. S.F. Lincoln, DH, 6 p.m.

RADIO & TELEVISION

Friday

TIME	EVENT	RADIO/TV
7 p.m.	Football: Elk Point-Jefferson at Dakota Valley	KVHT-FM
7 p.m.	Football: West Central at Vermillion	KVTK-AM

Saturday

TIME	EVENT	RADIO/TV
7:30 p.m.	Football: Pierre at YHS	KYNT-AM, KVHT-FM

Fans Critical Of New Cy-Hawk Trophy

DES MOINES, Iowa (AP) — Fans, a former coach and the governor all are unhappy with the new Cy-Hawk trophy awarded to the winner of the annual football game between Iowa and Iowa State. "I think they can do better," Gov. Terry Branstad chuckled Monday when asked about the trophy. "I'm sure they're going to take another look at that." Critics seem to find the trophy of a farm family around a bushel of corn and a corn stalk a little bit, well, corny. Since its unveiling Friday at the Iowa State Fair, the trophy has been widely panned and compared to a garage sale leftover or a fireplace mantle centerpiece. Newspaper and television websites have been filled with people unhappy about the new trophy, which was sponsored by the Iowa Corn Growers Association. Former coach and Hawkeye legend Hayden Fry said the trophy is "nice looking," but it doesn't relate to football. "The farmer, family and corn is all wonderful, but I don't really get the relationship to a football game," he told The Des Moines Register. Others were less diplomatic. "Gosh, you don't suppose it's advertising?" asked Bob Uetz, an Ames High School teacher who helped renew the football series in 1977. "That thing is awful, my God." Mike Ellis, who makes trophies for American Awards in Des Moines, said the new Cy-Hawk trophy was "a little weird for a sports trophy." "Seems like something you'd see at the state fair," he said.

SCOREBOARD

GOLF	Heat 2: 1. Craig Hanisch, Sioux Falls; 2. Tyler Johnson, Sioux Falls; 3. Tracy Johnson, Lake Preston; 4. Brad Haas, Sioux Falls; 5. Tyler Tesch, Lennox; 6. Danny Harmon, Sioux Falls; 7. Chris Goetz, Centerville	FOOTBALL	Record Pts Pw 1. Eastern Washington (23) 13-2 687 2. Appalachian State (1) 10-3 617 3. Georgia Southern (3) 10-5 615 4. William & Mary (1) 8-4 614 5. Delaware 12-3 559 6. Montana State 9-3 540 7. Northern Iowa 7-5 448 8. Wolford 10-3 431 9. Jacksonville State 9-3 425 10. New Hampshire 8-5 415 11. North Dakota State 9-5 392 12. Montana 7-4 318 13. Villanova 9-5 276 14. Stephen F. Austin 9-3 265 15. Lehigh 10-3 259 16. James Madison 6-5 226 17. Southern Illinois 5-6 181 18. Liberty 8-3 179 19. Richmond 6-5 177 20. McNeese State 6-5 170 21. South Carolina State 9-3 131 22. Central Arkansas 7-4 130 23. Chattanooga 6-5 113 24. Bethune-Cookman 10-2 84 25. TnA 9-1 84
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AUTO RACING

I-90 SPEEDWAY PARAMOUNT RACING SERIES

Aug. 20 Results

360 SPRINT CARS

Feature: 1. Ryan Bickett, Ramona; 2. Jordan Martens; 3. Justin Glaser, Sioux Falls; 4. Lane Brenden, Mitchell; 5. Brock Dump, Lennox; 6. Kevin Flowers, Hartford; 7. Dusty Balenger, Harrisburg; 8. John Lambert, Sioux Falls; 9. Jordan Martens; 10. Ryan Drosscher, Larchwood, Iowa; 10. Ty Hanten, West Fargo, N.D.; 11. Dustin Beenen, Sheldon, Iowa; 12. Daryl Reverts, Madison; 13. Zeb Larsen, Viborg; 14. Rex Stark, Sioux Falls; 15. Terry Chester, Parker; 16. Don Bickett, Ramona

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BASEBALL

UNITED STATES

Northwest: Billings, Mont., 2-0; WEST: Huntington Beach, Calif., 2-0; GREAT LAKES: LaGrange, Ky., 1-1; MID-ATLANTIC: Clinton County, Pa., 1-1; SOUTHWEST: Lafayette, La., 1-1; SOUTHEAST: Warner Robins, Ga., 1-1; NEW ENGLAND: Cumberland, R.I., 0-2; MID-WEST: Rapid City, S.D., 0-2.

INTERNATIONAL

LATIN AMERICA: Maracay, Venezuela, 2-0; JAPAN: Hamamatsu City, 1-0; MEXICO: Mexico, 1-0; MEA: Dhahran, Saudi Arabia, 1-1; ASIA-PACIFIC: Kaohsiung, Taiwan, 1-1; CANADA: Langley, British Columbia, 1-1;

USD

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tunity in the future to make more direct contributions, if they don't in 2010. Though as Pace said, the experience gained now is just as valuable. "The guys are all really helpful," Pace said. "Everyone has helped get you up to speed on what the program is all about."

A number of South Dakota natives are either primed for big-time roles or are also working their way through the ranks. Junior wide receiver Will Powell (Sioux Falls) is the team's biggest big-play threat, while sophomore Kevin Robb (Rapid City, St. Thomas More) will again be USD's kicker. Senior linebacker Shea Williams (Alexandria, Hanson) led the defense in tackles in 2010. Fifth-year senior Matt Porisch (Flandreau) will see significant action on the offensive line. Among the freshmen is Drew Idingers (Rapid City Stevens), who Meierkort called a "freak of nature" on the defensive line.

Great West Farewell Tour

Before bolting to the Missouri Valley Football Conference next year, where the Coyotes will re-join rivals South Dakota State and North Dakota State, USD has one final season in the Great West Conference. This season will mark USD's fourth in the five-team league, which also includes North Dakota, Southern Utah, Cal Poly and UC Davis. Asked what he will remember most about the Great West, USD senior quarterback Dante Warren

said, "Heart and dedication." "None us in the Great West can go to the (national) championship, but year in and year out, we were some of the best teams in IAA (Football Championship Subdivision)," he said after Saturday's second practice. "We've showed heart, just because we've persevered through not being able to make the playoffs." "What would seem to other people as pushing through for nothing, we push through for that Great West title." The Coyotes have posted a 4-7 record in Great West action over the last three years, with 2009's 2-2 mark being the best performance so far. Road wins have proven to be hard to come by for all five teams in the league, as USD is 2-4 away from the DakotaDome — including last year's losses at UC Davis and at eventual champion Southern Utah. "This is our last chance to win this conference," Meierkort said. "The team that wins the Great West is a team that figures out how to win a road game; that's what it comes down to."

Each team in the league presents its own home field advantages, Meierkort said. "The travel is difficult, and the venues are difficult," he said. "It's hard to play at North Dakota and it's hard for teams to play here in the Dome. Nobody does too well out in California, because that's a different style of ball out there." "And when you go to Southern Utah, not only do you face a dangerous team, you're playing in front of practically nobody," Meierkort added. "It's a completely

different atmosphere."

Opener Two Weeks Away

Following Monday's two sessions, USD has 10 practices remaining before the Sept. 3 season opener at Air Force in Colorado Springs, Colo. Air Force, a member of the Mountain West Conference, received votes in both major pre-season top 25 polls — Associated Press (ranked No. 35) and USA Today (No. 35). The Falcons defeated Georgia Tech last December in the Independence Bowl. "Our kids are going to be excited, and they're already amped up for that one," Meierkort said. "Once you get past all the gameday atmosphere stuff, somehow between the hashes, we've got to figure out a way to beat them. We're in the process of that right now." For the next two weeks, though, the Coyotes are focused on getting through camp, Meierkort said. "We're still in fall camp mode," he said. "We've still got a few weeks before we start actually scheming for Air Force."

AREA CALENDAR

Tuesday, August 23

GOLF, BOYS' YHS at Brandon Valley (2 p.m.)

SOCCER, BOYS' Yankton at Brandon Valley (6 p.m.); Freeman Academy at Vermillion

SOCCER, BOYS' JV Yankton at Brandon Valley (4 p.m.)

SOCCER, GIRLS' JV Yankton at Brandon Valley (4 p.m.)

TENNIS, GIRLS' Mitchell Tri. (Vermillion, 12:30 p.m.)

Wednesday, August 24

GOLF, DAKOTAS TOUR Oxbow Open

Thursday, August 25

GOLF, BOYS' S.F. Christian Tourn. at Bakker Crossing (Beresford, Bon Homme, Elk Point-Jefferson, Parkston, Vermillion, Wagner, 8 a.m.)

Friday, August 26

CROSS COUNTRY, PREP S.F. O'Gorman Inv. (YHS, 4 p.m.); Beresford Inv. (Alicaster-Hudson, Beresford, Bon Homme, Dakota Valley, Elk Point-Jefferson, Freeman, Marion, Parker, Vermillion, Viborg-Hurley, 9 a.m.)

FOOTBALL, PREP Avon vs. Tripp-Delmont-Armour at Tripp; Ballic at Parker; Beresford at Sioux Valley; Creighton at Clearwater-Orchard; Elk Point-Jefferson at Dakota Valley (KVHT-FM); Freeman at Bridgewater-Emerly-Ethan; Garrison at Sioux Falls Christian; Gaville-Voin vs. Viborg-Hurley at Hurley; Marion at Centerville; Menno at Irene-Wakonda; Omaha Nation at Randolph; Parkston at Winner; Platte-Geddes-Dakota Christian at McCook Central-Montrose; Ponca at Lutheran High Northeast; Santee at North Loop Scotia; Tea Area at Bon Homme; Wausau at Humphrey St. Francis; West Central at Vermillion (KVTK-AM)

TENNIS, GIRLS' Brookings Jamboree (YHS, 9 a.m.)

VOLLEYBALL, WOMEN'S Wyoming Tourn. (USD vs. Oregon State, 10 a.m.; USD vs. Wyoming, 2:30 p.m.); MMC Alumni Match (3 p.m.)

VOLLEYBALL, GIRLS' Huron at YHS (2:30 p.m.); Canton Tourn. (Parker, 10 a.m.); Estelle Tourn. (Irene-Wakonda, Viborg-Hurley, 9 a.m.); Marion Quad (Marion, 9 a.m.); Parkston Early Bird Tourn. (Parkston, Wagner, 8:30 a.m.); Avon at Bon Homme; Elk Point-Jefferson at Sioux City West; Tripp-Delmont-Armour at Dakota Christian

VOLLEYBALL, GIRLS' JV YHS at Pierre (noon)

VOLLEYBALL, GIRLS' SOPH YHS at Yankton (DH, 1:15 p.m.)

VOLLEYBALL, GIRLS' 9TH YHS at Pierre (noon)

Sunday, August 28

GOLF, DAKOTAS TOUR Bobcat North Dakota State Open at Fargo CC

GOLF, SDGA USGA Mid-Amateur Qualifying at Willow Run GC

SOCCER, WOMEN'S Neb.-Omaha at USD (1 p.m.)

SOCCER, GIRLS' Lennox at Yankton (DH, 12:30 p.m.)

SOCCER, GIRLS' JV Dakota Valley-Lennox at Yankton (12:30 p.m.)

Monday, August 29

GOLF, DAKOTAS TOUR Pine Hills Open at Milbank

SOCCER, MEN'S Grace at MMC (11 a.m.)

SOCCER, BOYS' Huron at Freeman; Grotton at Vermillion

SOCCER, GIRLS' Huron at Vermillion

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division	W	L	Pct	GB
Philadelphia	82	44	.651	—
Atlanta	76	52	.594	7
Washington	62	64	.492	20
New York	60	67	.472	22 1/2
Florida	57	70	.449	25 1/2
Central Division	W	L	Pct	GB
Milwaukee	77	52	.597	—
St. Louis	67	60	.528	9
Pittsburgh	62	62	.498	14
Chicago	59	67	.468	16 1/2
Chicago	56	71	.441	20
Houston	42	85	.331	34
West Division	W	L	Pct	GB
Arizona	69	59	.539	—
San Francisco	68	60	.531	1
Colorado	60	68	.469	9
San Diego	59	70	.452	10 1/2
Los Angeles	57	69	.452	11

FOOTBALL

NFL PRESEASON

Sunday's Games

N.Y. Jets vs. Cincinnati 7
San Diego 20, Dallas 7

Monday's Game

Chicago at N.Y. Giants 7 p.m.

Thursday, Aug. 25

Carolina at Cincinnati, 6 p.m.
Cleveland at Philadelphia, 6:30 p.m.
Washington at Baltimore, 7 p.m.

Friday, Aug. 26

St. Louis at Kansas City, 7 p.m.
Green Bay at Indianapolis, 7 p.m.

Saturday, Aug. 27

Jacksonville at Buffalo, 6 p.m.
N.Y. Jets at N.Y. Giants, 6 p.m.
Miami at Tampa Bay, 6:30 p.m.
Atlanta at Pittsburgh, 6:30 p.m.
Houston at San Francisco, 7 p.m.
Dallas at Minnesota, 7 p.m.
Chicago at Tennessee, 7 p.m.
New England at Detroit, 7 p.m.
Seattle at Denver, 8 p.m.
San Diego at Arizona, 9 p.m.

Sunday, Aug. 28

New Orleans at Oakland, 7 p.m.

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE

BALTIMORE ORIOLES — Recalled 2B Ryan Adams from Norfolk (IL). Optioned 3B Josh Bell to Norfolk. Activated LHP Zach Britton from the 15-day DL.

CLEVELAND INDIANS — Placed DH Travis Hafner on the 15-day DL. Recalled RHP Josh Jody from Columbus (IL).

MINNESOTA TWINS — Recalled RHP Lester Oliveros from Rochester (IL). Placed RHP Nick Blackburn on the 15-day DL.

NEW YORK YANKEES — Agreed to terms with LHP Andrew Cave and C Gregory Bird. Designated LHP Aaron Laffey for assignment.

OAKLAND ATHLETICS — Optioned C Landon Powell to Sacramento (PCL).

TORONTO BLUE JAYS — Released LHP Trevor Miller.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

MILWAUKEE BREWERS — Designated 2B Felipe Lopez for assignment. Activated LHP Chris Narveson from the 15-day DL.

PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES — Placed SS Jimmy Rollins on the 15-day DL. Activated 3B

FOOTBALL

Placido Polanco from the 15-day DL.

PITTSBURGH PIRATES — Agreed to terms with RHP Aaron Heilman. Placed RHP Kevin Correia on the 15-day DL, retroactive to Aug. 20. Activated RHP Chris Leroux from the 15-day DL.

ST. LOUIS CARDINALS — Announced pitching coach Dave Duncan is taking a leave of absence.

FOOTBALL

ARIZONA CARDINALS — Re-signed DE Kenny Iwebema, RB William Pollock and CB Thad Turner. Released CB Deshaun Dunn and P Derek Epperson.

MIAMI DOLPHINS — Signed G Tyler Donohue.

MINNESOTA VIKINGS — Signed DE Styler White. Placed OL Scott Koistra on injured reserve.

PITTSBURGH STEELERS — Signed OL Trail Essex to a one-year contract.

ST. LOUIS RAMS — Released LS Chris Massey.

SEATTLE SEAHAWKS — Released RB Vai Taus. Signed LB David Valdes.

HOCKEY

National Hockey League

NEW JERSEY DEVILS — Signed G Maxime Clermont, D Peter Harrold, F Matt Anderson, F Bryan Hasczyk, F Brad Mills, F Nathan Perkovich, F Tim Sestito, F Myles Stoesz, F Stephen Veilleux, F Joseph Whitney, F Chad Wiseman and F Steve Zetterstrom.

Vikings

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under head coach Brad Childress and offensive coordinator Darrell Bevell is that this scheme is harder to define — and less defined. Here's one example: Bernard Berrian is the team's one true

deep threat as a wide receiver, so given that and the protection challenge McNabb could face the Vikings aren't headed toward a season with a lot of deep throws. "There are a lot of different ways to have success in our league, and our philosophy is to

do what's going to maximize the talent that we have," Frazier said. "We do have a system but we're not necessarily married to it. You've got to do it this way versus that way. We want to do what's best for our players."

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MORNING COFFEE

WEEKDAYS MONDAY-FRIDAY

Tuesday, August 26

7:40 a.m. Boys & Girls Club (J.D. O'Grady)

8:15 a.m. Riverboat Days (Steve Johnson)

Wednesday, August 27

7:40 a.m. The Center (Tammy Matuska)

8:15 a.m. Hy-Vee (Chef Staci)

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