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Daily opinions from the P&D Sports Staff on local and national high school, college and professional sports.

SDSU's Thiesse Tabbed To Guide MSU Mankato Women

MANKATO, Minn. — Emilee Thiesse, a Spearfish na-tive with six years of NCAA Division I coaching experience, was named the eighth head coach in the history of the Minnesota State women's basketball program, the school announced Tuesdav.

Thiesse most recently spent the last three seasons at South Dakota State where she served as recruiting coordinator and academic coordinator for the Jackrabbits. SDSU made three consecutive NCAA Tournament appearances and won three straight Summit League titles and compiled a 65-34 overall record mark during this time. Thiesse's sister, Amy Williams, is the head women's

basketball coach at the University of South Dakota. Thiesse's husband, Brandon, is a native of Fairmont, Minn

Prior to re-joining the Jackrabbit staff where she had worked as a graduate assistant coach from 2004-06. Thiesse spent three seasons as an assistant coach at Drake, helping guide the Bulldogs to NCAA Tournament in 2007 and a WNIT appearance in 2008. In her three seasons at Drake, the Bulldogs compiled a 56-42 overall record.

Thiesse, 31, played collegiately at Nebraska-Kearney from 2000-03 where the Lopers won Rocky Mountain Athletic Conference East Division titles and qualified for the NCAA Division II postseason each of her four seasons.

Tanagers 0-2 In Mitchell MITCHELL — The Vermillion Tanagers girls' tennis

team dropped a pair of 9-0 decisions to Mitchell and host Rapid City Central in girls' tennis action on Tuesday. The closest singles match of the day for Vermillion

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in Canada for a full day.

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came at flight two singles against Mitchell, as the Kernels' Chelsea Kracht earned a 10-4 decision over Vermillion's Libby Sykes. The pair were also involved in the closest doubles match between the teams, as Kracht and Courtney Wells beat Sykes and Abby Weiss by a 10-4 decision. Vermillion makes its home debut on Sept. 4, taking on Madison.

MITCHELL 9, VERMILLION 0 SINGLES: Courtney Wells M def. Abby Weiss 10-0; Chelsea Kracht M def. Libby Sykes 10-4; Grace Grabenstein M def. Audrey Miller 10-1; Haley Smith M def. Alex Rosdail 10-0; Halle Larson M def. Brandi Styles 10-0; Tatum Dean M def. Kirstyn Bohn 10-0 DOUBLES: Wells-Kracht M def. Weiss-Sykes 10-4: Grabenstein-Smith

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Heating Coll. Alex Nodalin (e) Johnand Colling Coll. Database Vol. Database Vol. Characterization DOUBLES: Tucker-Duda C def. Wiess-Sykes 10-0; Christiensen-Christiensen C def. Miiller-Rosdail 10-0; Collins-Douglas C def. Styles-Bohn

YHS Announces Schedule

Changes

Yankton High School has announced two changes to the activities calendar.

The sophomore football game featuring Yankton at Sioux Falls Lincoln, scheduled for Aug. 28, will be played at 6 p.m. that day. The game will be held at Patrick Henry Middle School.

The start time for the Yankton Competitive Cheer and

Dance Invitational on Sept. 8 has been moved up to 10

Crofton Men's Bowling Meeting Tonight

By the time you read this, the University of South Dakota men's basketball team would have already been

On the one hand, sure, it's a quasi-vacation for the Coyotes, but on the other, it's all business. With so many

new faces in the mix for 2012-13, USD needed all the extra time possible. In putting together a story on the trip for Tuesday's paper, I chatted with top assistant Joey James and jun-

ior center Trevor Gruis. Both said the allotted 10 pre-season practices for such a trip worked in the program's

favor — especially when you consider nine of the 15 players on the roster will be in their first or second year

CROFTON. Neb. — The preseason meeting for the Crofton Men's Commercial Bowling League will be held tonight (Thursday) at 7 p.m. at Centennial Lanes in Crofton, Neb.

For more information, contact Brian Wiebelhaus at 402-388-4640.

Wavne State To Host Baseball Camps

WAYNE, Neb. — The Wayne State College baseball program will be conducting two baseball camps in the upcoming weeks. The Total Skills Camp will be on Sunday, Sept. 9 with the Hitting/Pitching Intensity Camp set for Saturday, Sept. 16.

The Total Skills Camp will emphasize all aspects of baseball - which include fielding, pitching, catching, hitting and base running. This camp is great for young baseplayers. The Hitting/Pitching Intensity Camp is designed to give each camper advanced instruction in each area. The Wayne State coaching staff and the Wildcat baseball team will instruct the camps. One of the many great gualities of the camps is the one-on-one instruction all of the campers receive from the Wildcat staff of instruc-

The Total Skills Camp will run from 1-4 p.m. at the Pete Chapman Baseball Complex with registration starting at

AREA CALENDAR

GOLF, BOYS' Huron Inv. (YHS, 10

GOLF, GIRLS' Wayne Inv. at

Ides-Dakota Christian, 11 a.m.) CROSS COUNTRY, PREP Mitchell

(Avon, Platte-Geddes, Wagner, 10

FOOTBALL, PREP YHS at Pierre

Wayne CC (Crofton, Hartington Cedar

Catholic, 9 a.m.)

12:30 p.m. at the baseball field with the Hitting/Pitching Intensity Camp being held from 1-4 p.m. with registration starting at 12:30 p.m. also at the baseball field. The camps are open to players ages 8-18. Players are asked to bring their baseball shoes, glove, bat and gym shoes.

2010 and hosted North Dakota State for one game last year.

There is a fee to participate, with a discount given for those who participate in both camps. The fee includes a camp T-shirt. In case of inclement weather, the camps will be moved indoors to the WSC Recreation Center.

For more information on the camps or for registration information, e-mail WSC assistant baseball coach Brian Solemsaas at brsolem1@wsc.edu or phone the WSC baseball office at (402) 375-7449 or 1-800-228-9972 ext. 7449. Additional information and registration forms can be found on the WSC baseball website by logging onto www.wscbaseballcamps.com

Correction

Preseason Workouts, Games A Needed Boost For Young Coyotes

with the team

In Tuesday's edition, the next outing for the Yankton boys' golf team was incorrectly listed. The Bucks next play in the Huron Invitational on Friday. We apologize for the error.

Oklahoma Boy Asked To Turn Michigan T-Shirt Inside Out

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — The Oklahoma City school district says it will review its dress code policy on college sports apparel after an elementary school student was told to turn his University of Michigan T-shirt inside out. Shannon Barton told KWTV (http://bit.ly/NZsC7K) that

the Wilson Elementary School principal asked her 5-year-

old son, Cooper, to make the change last week and he changed behind a tree on the playground.

The Coyotes will play three exhibition games this weekend, two at the University of Winnipeg (Friday and Saturday) and Sunday at the University of Manitoba. Both teams had sub-par records last year, but USD — coming off a 10-18 campaign — needed something; any kind of test.

for his program, that they relish such games against USD. The Wesmen also faced South Dakota State in

"Playing top quality competition early allows us to set the bar high and to gain an understanding of what it takes to compete at the high level," Raimbault said.

For the Coyotes, any sort of scrimmage against someone other than themselves is a benefit.

On Wednesday, I got an email from Mike Raimbault, the head coach at Winnipeg. He said the same thing

Barton says Cooper was told he could only wear University of Oklahoma or Oklahoma State University shirts. The dress code allows Oklahoma college apparel to

be worn but bars other schools' clothing. The dress code was created in 2005 with the help of an anti-gang task force

District spokeswoman Tierney Tinnin says Superintendent Karl Springer thinks the policy might be outdated.

Bill Would Help Injured Student Athletes In Calif.

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP) - State lawmakers have approved first-in-the-nation legislation requiring California universities with the most high-profile sports programs to provide financial protections for student athletes who suffer career-ending injuries.

Schools would have to give academic scholarships to students who lose their athletic scholarships because of an injury suffered playing their sport. The bill also requires them to cover insurance deductibles and pay health care premiums for low-income athletes.

SB1525 would apply to universities that receive more than \$10 million annually in sports media revenue. The bill by Sen. Alex Padilla, a Democrat from Los Angeles, would apply this year to the University of Southern California, UCLA, Berkeley and Stanford University.

Stanford officials objected to the bill, which passed 24-10 Wednesday and was sent to Gov. Jerry Brown. The school's athletic director says including only four universities leaves out most California students

with a seven-game lead in the NL

East, putting the city on track for

postseason play for the first time

lar plan last season with right-

26-year-old right-hander is 9-7

with a 2.54 ERA that ranks sec-

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a pitcher for Zimmermann's slot

before he had the chance to in-

form all involved. He intends to

know about this one," Johnson

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Jorden (broken right hand), RB

Adrian Peterson (recovering left

(sports hernia surgery). They'll

decide before kickoff whether FS

Robert Blanton (unspecified ham-

string injury), LB Larry Dean (un-

specified shoulder sprain), LB

Solomon Elimimian (unspecified

hamstring injury) and OT DeMar-

cus Love (unspecified shoulder

iniury) will play.... Chris Carr will

knee) and OL Geoff Schwartz

"Everybody in the world will

change that this year.

said

Zimmermann," Johnson said.

hander Jordan Zimmermann. The

"It's funny, there wasn't any-

Last year, Johnson announced

The Nationals followed a simi-

Johnson: Strasburg Could

since 1933.

ond in the NL.

Miss Final 2 To 3 Starts

WASHINGTON (AP) - Nation-

als manager Davey Johnson says

Stephen Strasburg could miss his

final two or three turns in the ro-

tation during the regular season.

ing elbow ligament replacement

surgery, Strasburg is 15-5 with a

2.85 ERA and a National League-

year-old right-hander has thrown

145 1-3 innings, and the Nationals

'I think it came out that with

are thought to have given him a

the off days, we'd need another

Johnson said after talking with

general manager Mike Rizzo. "I

think two starts, might have been

Washington began the day

Vikings

waiting behind him.

starter for I think two starts,'

limit of 160-180.

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leading 183 strikeouts. The 24-

In his first full season follow-

SCOREBOARD

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cos Ambrose)

200 BACKSTROKE 60-64: 1, Rick Althoff, Yankton

AUTO RACING

GOLF

CROFTON LAKEVIEW GC THURSDAY MEN'S LEAGUE LOW GROSS: Casey Weverstad 39 LOW NET: Roger Schieffer 28 MEN 60-64 6:32.4 LOW TEAM GROSS: One Holerz 185

LOW TEAM NET: Wild Boar Enter-ses 147 STANDINGS: Wild Boar Enterprises 189. Welfl Construction 169. Wankers 167

NASCAR SPRINT CUP Aug. 5 — Pennsylvania 400, Long Pond, Pa. (Jeff Gordon) Aug. 12 — NASCAR Sprint Cup Se-ries at The Glen, Watkins Glen, N.Y. (Mar-WCC-007 164, West-Hodson 161, Sacree Heart Monastery 161, Huether Seamless Siding 156, Goeden Construction 152, Duh Duffers 152, Town & Country Insurance 151, One Holerz 151, The Glass Cutter 137, Rounding 3rd 127, FISO 127, Photography by Jerry 119, EZ Swingers 116

Aug. 19 — Pure Michigan 400, Brook-lyn, Mich. (Greg Biffle) Aug. 25 — Irwin Tools Night Race, FOOTBALL Bristol, Tenn. Sept. 2 — AdvoCare 500, Hampton, FCS COACHES POLL Ga. Sept. 8 — Federated Auto Parts 400, SPARTANBURG, S.C. AP) — The top 25 teams in the Coaches Football Champi-Richmond, Va. Sept. 16 — GEICO 400, Joliet, III. onship Subdivision preseason poll, with Sept. 23 - Sylvania 300, Loudon, first-place votes in parentheses, final 2011 N.H records and 2011 final ranking . Sept. 30 — AAA 400, Dover, Del. Record . North Dakota State (19)14-1 Pts Pvs 640 1 Oct. 7 — Good Sam Roadside Assis-tance 500, Talladega, Ala. 2. Sam Houston State (6)14-1 623 Oct. 13 - Bank of America 500, Con-3. Georgia Southern (1) 11-3 4. Montana State 10-3 592 cord, N.C. Oct. 21 — Hollywood Casino 400, 540 . Appalachian State . Old Dominion 504 470 Kansas City, Kan. Oct. 28 — TUMS Fast Relief 500, . Northern Iowa 10-3 466 Ridgeway, Va. Nov. 4 — AAA Texas 500, Fort Worth, James Madison 8-5 456 14 Towson 9-2 454 425 371 Montana Nov. 11 - Kobalt Tools 500, Avon-Lehigh dale, Ariz. 12. New Hampshire 8-4 337 12 Nov. 18 - Ford EcoBoost 400, Home 13. Wofford 8-4 322 13 stead, Fla. Delaware 7-4 294 20 Driver Standings 1. Greg Biffle, 823. 2. Matt Kenseth, 803. Eastern Was Maine 248 232 Stony Brook 9-4 228 16 3. Dale Earnhardt Jr., 801 18 Youngstown State 6-5 184 Jane Earnhardt Jr., 80
 Jimmie Johnson, 795
 Brad Keselowski, 776 19. Central Arkansas 9-4 7-4 7-5 157 . Illinois State . Eastern Kentucky 148 127 6. Martin Truex Jr., 763. 7. Clint Bowyer, 757. 22. Harvard 9-1 113 17 8. Kevin Harvick, 738. 23. Norfolk State 9-3 72 . Tony Stewart, 728. D. Denny Hamlin, 727 Zi Notoki Ozia
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 Paul Menard, 665.
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New Castle, Ind. 4. Gresham, Ore, 0 100 BACKSTROKE MEN 60-64: 1, Rick Althoff, Yankton Saturday, Aug. 18 Willemstad, Curacao 14, Ramstein

Germany 2, 4 innings, Ramstein eliminated Fairfield, Conn. 12, Kearney, Neb. 0,

¹ Janield, Volm. 12, Rearney, Neb. 6, 5 innings, Kearney eliminated Nuevo Laredo, Mexico 12, Lugazi, Uganda 0, 4 innings, Lugazi eliminated Parsippany, N.J. 10, Gresham, Ore. 4, Gresham eliminated

Sunday, Aug. 19 Aquadulce, Panama 8, Vancouver, British Columbia 3

Goodlettsville, Tenn. 9, Petaluma Calif. 6 San Antonio 13, New Castle, Ind. 3

Tokyo 2, Taoyuan, Taiwan 0, 9 innings Monday, Aug. 20 Kearney, Neb. 17, Ramstein, Ger-

many 1, 4 innings Willemstad, Curacao 4, Vancouver,

British Columbia 3, Vancouver eliminated Petaluma, Calif. 5, Parsippany, N.J. 4,

8 innings, Parsippany eliminated Nuevo Laredo, Mexico 4, Taoyuan, Taiwan 3. Taiwan eliminated

Fairfield, Conn. 4, New Castle, Ind. 0, New Castle eliminated

Tuesday, Aug. 21 Lugazi, Uganda 3, Gresham, Ore. 2 Nuevo Laredo, Mexico 6, Willemstad, Curacao 2, Willemstad eliminated Petaluma, Calif. 5, Fairfield, Conn. 0, Feifed di Biratard

Fairfield eliminated

Wednesday, Aug. 22 Tokyo 4, Aguadulce, Panama 1 Goodlettsville, Tenn. 4, San Antonio 3 (F.Morales 3-4), 6:10 p.m. Oakland (T.Ross 2-8) at Tampa Bay (Cobb 7-8), 6:10 p.m.

Thursday, Aug. 23 Game 25 — Nuevo Laredo, Mexico Minnesota (Diamond 10-5) at Texas vs. Aguadulce, Panama, 4 p.m. Game 26 — Petaluma, Calif. vs. San (Oswalt 4-2), 7:05 p.m.

LA. Angels at Detroit, 6:05 p.m. N.Y. Yankees at Cleveland, 6:05 p.m. Toronto at Baltimore, 6:05 p.m. Antonio, 8 p.m. Friday, Aug. 24 Rain day, no games scheduled.

Saturday, Aug. 25 International championship — Tokyo vs. Game 25 winner, 11:30 a.m. U.S. championship, Goodlettsville, Kansas City at Boston, 6:10 p.m Oakland at Tampa Bay, 6:10 p.m. Minnesota at Texas, 7:05 p.m. Seattle at Chicago White Sox, 7:10

Tenn. vs. Game 26 winner, 2:30 p.m. p.m. Sunday, Aug. 26 At Lamade Stadium THIRD PLACE: International runner NATIONAL LEAGUE

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Boston

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Chicago Detroit

Kansas City

Cleveland

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Oakland

Los Angeles Seattle

Tuesday's Games Detroit 5, Toronto 3

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L.A. Angels 7, Boston 3 Baltimore at Texas, 8:05 p.m. N.Y. Yankees at Chicago White Sox,

Thursday's Games Toronto (Happ 2-1) at Detroit (Verlan-der 12-7), 12:05 p.m.

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Wednesday's Games Tampa Bay 5, Kansas City 3

Oakland 5, Minnesota 1

Seattle 3, Cleveland 1

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BASEBALL

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INTERNATIONAL: ASIA-PACIFIC, Taoyuan, Taiwan; CANADA, Vancouver, British Columbia; CARIBBEAN, Willem-

stad Curacao: EUROPE Ramstein Ger-

many; JAPAN, Tokyo; LATIN AMERICA, Aguadulce, Panama; MEA, Lugazi, Uganda; MEXICO, Nuevo Laredo.

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San Antonio 5, Parsippany, N.J. 2

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Thursday, Aug. 16 Tokvo 7, Willemstad, Curacao 0

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Friday, Aug. 17

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Double Elimination UNITED STATES: GREAT LAKES,

East Division vs. U.S. runner-up, 10 a.m. WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP: International champion vs. U.S. champion, 2 p.m. Nashington

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Cincinnati

St. Louis

Pittsburgh Milwaukee

Chicago

Houston

San Francisco

Tuesday's Games Washington 4, Atlanta 1

Cincinnati 5. Philadelphia 4

Milwaukee 5, Chicago Cubs 2 St. Louis 7, Houston 0 Miami 6, Arizona 5, 10 innings

Wednesday's Games Milwaukee 3, Chicago Cubs 2 Arizona 3, Miami 2, 1st game

San Diego 4, Pittsburgh 2

Cincinnati 3, Philadelphia 2 Atlanta 5, Washington 1 Colorado 5, N.Y. Mets 2

Houston at St. Louis, 8:15 p.m.

p.m. Thursday's Games Colorado (Chatwood 3-3) at N.Y. Mets

(McHugh 0-0), 12:10 p.m. Houston (Keuchel 1-5) at St. Louis

Miami at Arizona, 9:40 p.m., 2nd game San Francisco at L.A. Dodgers, 10:10

San Diego 7, Pittsburgh 5, 10 innings San Francisco 4, L.A. Dodgers 1

Colorado 6, N.Y. Mets 2

Los Angeles

Arizona

San Diego Colorado

Thursday, August 23 GOLF, BOYS' S.F. Christian Inv. at Bakker Crossing (Beresford, Bon Homme, Dakota Valley, Elk Point-Jefferson, Parkston, Vermillion, Wagner, 7:45 a.m.)

SOCCER, BOYS' Belle Fourche at Friday, August 24 CROSS COUNTRY, PREP O'Gor-man Inv. (YHS, 4 p.m.); Beresford Inv. SOCCER, GIRLS' Belle Fourche at TENNIS, GIRLS' YHS/Aberdeen (Beresford, Bon Homme, Centerville,

Dakota Valley, Elk Polin, Jefferson, Freeman, Gayville-Volin, Irene-Wakonda, Marion, Parker, Vermillion, Central/Marshall at Brookings (1 p.m.) VOLLEYBALL, WOMEN'S Ala-bama State Tourn. at Montgomery, Ala. (USD vs. Tennessee State, 11 a.m.; Viborg-Hurley, 10 a.m.) CROSS COUNTRY, MS O'Gorman USD vs. Stetson, 3 p.m.) Inv. FOOTBALL, PREP Battle Creek at

Ponca; Bridgewater-Emery-Ethan at Freeman; Centerville at Marion; Dakota Valley at Elk Point-Jefferson; Elgin Pub ilic-Pope John at Randolph; Hartington at Humphrey; Irene-Wakonda at Menno (PN); McCook Central-Montrose at Platte-Geddes-Dakota Christian; Parker (7 p.m., KYNT-AM, KVHT-FM) GOLF, DAKOTAS TOUR Bobcat at Baltic; Santee at Walthill; Sioux Valley

at Beresford; Bon Homme at Tea Area (7 p.m., KKYA-FM); Tripp-Delmont-Ar-mour at Avon; Vermillion at West Cen-tral (7 p.m., KVTK-AM); Viborg-Hurley at Gayville-Volin (7 p.m., KVHT-FM);

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GOLF, DAKOTAS TOUR Bobcat Inv. at Fargo, N.D. at Yankton (11 a.m.)

L.A. Angels (C.Wilson 9-9) at Boston (Westbrook 12-9), 12:45 p.m Cincinnati (Cueto 16-6) at Philadel-phia (Hamels 14-6), 6:05 p.m. Atlanta (Hanson 12-5) at San Fran-

cisco (Zito 9-8), 9:15 p.m.

St. Louis at Cincinnati, 6:10 p.m. San Diego at Arizona, 8:40 p.m. Miami at L.A. Dodgers, 9:10 p.m. Atlanta at San Francisco, 9:15 p.m.

BASEBALL COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE — Sus-pended Oakland RHP Bartolo Colon 50 games for a violation of the Major League Baseball's Joint Drug Prevention and reatment Program.

American League OAKLAND ATHLETICS — Agreed to

ate head track and field coach. Named terms with C Jason Jaramillo on a minor Brad Herbster associate head cross country coach. Named Shawn Cobey operaleague contract

Yunel Escobar on the paternity list. Re-

called RHP Chad Beck from Las Vegas

National League MIAMI MARLINS — Assigned SS Gil lazquez outright to New Orleans (PCL). MILWAUKEE BREWERS — Re-

leased LHP Randy Wolf. Recalled INF Jeff

Bianchi from Nashville (PCL). NEW YORK METS — Placed LHP Johan Santana on the 15-day DL, retroac-

tive to Aug. 18. SAN DIEGO PADRES — Selected the

contract of LHP Andrew Werner from Tuc-son (PCL). Optioned RHP Brad Boxberger to Tucson. Designated OF Jeremy Here-

American Association EL PASO DIABLOS — Released RHP

Drew A. Graham. WICHITA WINGNUTS — Released C

Patrick Murphy. WINNIPEG GOLDEYES — Signed

BASKETBALL

National Basketball Association DALLAS MAVERICKS — Announced the retirement of F Eduardo Najera, who

was named coach of Texas (NBADL). National Football League BUFFALO BILLS — Placed CB Cris Hill and S Josh Nesbitt on the waived-in-

Can-Am League QUEBEC CAPITALES — Signed

dia for assignment.

1B Barbaro Canizares

RHP Dustin Crenshaw.

V SOCCER, GIRLS' JV S.F. Lincoln ankton (11 a.m.) TENNIS, GIRLS' Brookings Jam-

SOCCER, GIRLS' S.F. Lincoln at

VOLLEYBALL, WOMEN'S Ala-barra State Tourn. at Montgomery, Ala. (USD vs. Jacksonville State, 9 a.m.) USD vs. Southeast Louisiana, 3 p.m.) VOLLEYBALL, GIRLS' Huron at YHS (2:30 p.m.); Canton Tourn. (Viborg-Hur-ley); Hanson Tourn. (Marion); Parkston Tourn. (Parkston, Wagner, 8:30 a.m.); Saturday, August 25 CHEER & DANCE Gregory Inv. akota Valley, Gayville-Volin, Platte-ddes-Dakota Christian. 11 a.m.)

Bon Homme at Avon; Dakota Christian vs. Tripp-Delmont-Armour at Armour; Sioux City West at Elk Point-Jefferson VOLLEYBALL, GIRLS' JV Huron at HS (noon) VOLLEYBALL, GIRLS' SOPH VOLLEYBALL, GIRLS' 9TH Huron

Sunday, August 26 GOLF, DAKOTAS TOUR Bobcat at Fargo, N.D. GOLF, SDGA Senior Champi-

HOCKEY

and crew member Grant Hutchens until

COLLEGE BRIDGEWATER (VA.) — Named in Rogers women's golf coach. CLEMSON—Named Tim Hall associ-

country programs. DREW — Named Charlotte Labate

DUKE - Named Will Rowe assistant

stling coach. LEES-MCRAE — Named Marcus

MISSISSIPPI VALLEY STATE -

ned Ashley Robinson athletic director. NORTH CAROLINA CENTRAL —

Named Donald Thomas men's assistant

PRESBYTERIAN — Named Corey Mullins women's assistant basketball

RHODE ISLAND COLLEGE -

Named Kara Williamson women's basket-

ball coach. SPRING HILL - Named Kristin

Hoskinson cheerleading and dance coach.

ball coach Mollica Goldstein to head

coach. UNC GREENSBORO — Named Ale

iandra Guerra women's graduate assistan

Sullivan and Lauren Reimer assistant track and field coaches. WASHINGTON (MD.) — Named Do-

rian Long men's assistant basketball

WAKE FOREST - Named Timothy

UMASS - Promoted assistant soft

Wilmoth men's assistant basketball coach

and Danny Ives men's assistant lacrosse

softball coach

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coach.

tennis coach

National Hockey League EDMONTON OILERS — Agreed to

at Fargo, N.D. GOLF, SDGA Senior Champi-hip at Willow Run GC SOCCER, BOYS' S.F. Lincoln at onship at Willow Run GC SOCCER, WOMEN'S North Dakota at USD (1 p.m.) Yankton (3 p.m.); Freeman Academy at

SOCCER, BOYS' JV S.F. Lincoln

jured list. TENNESSEE TITANS - Waived DT

Shaun Smith.

Fiday's Games Colorado at Chicago Cubs, 1:20 p.m. Milwaukee at Pittsburgh, 6:05 p.m. Washington at Philadelphia, 6:05 p.m. Houston at N.Y. Mets, 6:10 p.m. terms with F Taylor Hall on a seven-year contract extension.

American Hockey League SAN ANTONIO RAMPAGE — Signed F David Pacan. MOTORSPORTS NASCAR — Fined Paul Menard's crew chief, Slugger Labbe, \$100,000 and suspended him, car chief Craig Smokstad

TRANSACTIONS

Oct. 3 for illegal modifications found on the Chevrolet last weekend at Michigan. Docked Menard and car owner Richard Childress 25 points.

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A&M 3, Idaho State 3, Cornell 2, Pennsyl- vania 2, Alabama State 1, McNeese State	19. Jamie McMurray 20. Jeff Burton, 566.
Chattanooga 7, Portland State 7, Alabama	Joey Logano, 60

SENIOR GAMES

bany 9, Northern Arizona 9, Cal Poly 8

2012 YANKTON SENIOR GAMES At South Williamsport, Pa. Aug. 7-9 in Yankton NOTE: The following results were not included in Wednesday's full list pany, N.J.; MIDWEST, Kearney, Neb.; NEW ENGLAND Example 1 SWIMMING New ENGLAND, Fairfield, Conn.; NORTHWEST, Gresham, Ore.; SOUTH-EAST, Goodlettsville, Tenn.; SOUTH-50 FREESTYLE MEN 60-64: 1, Rick Althoff, Yankton

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I had to keep us in the game. It's unfortunate I only went five.' Not even the steady Josh Will-

ingham had a hit in him this time as Minnesota lost for the seventh time in eight games. Willingham, who hit 29 home

runs in 2011 during his lone season with the A's, went 0 for 4 after he had hit safely in each of his first eight games against his former club this year.

"Milone did the rest. He shut us down and went deep into the game," Gardenhire said.

A day after the A's turned a triple play, and Minnesota didn't leave a single runner on base in Oakland's 4-1 win, things weren't

much better for the Twins. Two batters after Crisp's solo homer in the seventh against reliever Tyler Robertson, Reddick reached second when shortstop Pedro Florimon's wild throw trying for a double play sailed past first and into the visiting dugout. Then he successfully turned one in the eighth.

8:10 p.m.

Drew Butera had an RBI groundout in the second for Minnesota, which has lost five of the first six on its 10-game trip and now heads to Texas for a four-game series against the two-time reigning AL champion Rangers. The Twins scored nine runs in the series, seven in Monday's 7-2 win, and still must play 10 of their next 14 games away from home.

The A's won the season series with the Twins 5-4 - just the second season-series victory for Oakland in seven years and first since 2009.

Harry Lane

Contractor

Milone dazzled with his changeup and followed a stellar outing by Brett Anderson in the left-hander's return Tuesday night following a 14-month absence for his recovery from Tommy John elbow ligament replacement surgery.

"Obviously Bartolo's going to be missed," Milone said. "We move on from now."

Oakland's Josh Donaldson doubled and scored in the fourth on Crisp's hit. Donaldson has a career-best, six-game hitting streak and is batting .429 (15 for 35) in nine games since being recalled

from Triple-A Sacramento on Aug. 14

Notes: Milone passed Colon for the team lead in innings pitched, 153 1-3 to 152 1-3. ... RHP Tyson Ross will be called up from Sacramento to start Thursday in place of Colon for the first game of a three-game series with the Rays. .. Hendriks was one of three Australian pitchers in the ballpark joining Oakland's Travis Blackley and Grant Balfour. ... Milone improved to 5-1 in seven starts against American League Central teams.



that potential and achieve what they're capable of. I'm definitely optimistic that they can.'

on the cusp," defensive line

coach Brendan Daly said. "It's a

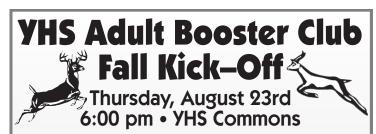
great challenge for me and for

them, to see if we can maximize

"They've always been kind of

Notes: CB Chris Cook has passed "just about everything" with his post-concussion evaluations, according to Frazier, and was on track for full clearance by the end of the day. He won't play on Friday in the exhibition game against San Diego, though. .. The Vikings have declared seven players out against the Chargers, including Guion and Cook: OL Bridger Buche (unspecified knee inflammation), TE John Carlson

start in Cook's place, and Josh Robinson will see extended time, too. ... Harrison Smith is set as the starter at one safety spot, but Jamarca Sanford is still being given an opportunity to compete with Mistral Raymond for the other. Frazier said Sanford might start against San Diego. ... Marcus Sherels is the top punt returner for now, but there might not be room for him at CB when the final roster is revealed. Robinson and WR Stephen Burton, among others, are continuing to get chances to win that job.



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