SPORTS DIGEST

Fall Sports Kickoff Tonight

The annual YHS Adult Athletic Booster Club fall sports kickoff will be held today (Thursday) at 6 p.m. at the YHS Commons. Head coaches for YHS fall sports are scheduled to speak, including cross country coach Dave Dannenbring, competitive cheer coach Kerry Svatos, sideline cheer coach Jacki Ellis, competitive dance coach Tiffany Mueller, boys' golf coach Brett Sime, girls' tennis coach Matt Termansen, volleyball coach Tiffany Beste and football coach Arlin Likness. The public is invited to attend.

Tanagers Drop Two In Mitchell VERMILLION — The Vermillion Tanagers went 0-2 in a girls' tennis triangular on Tuesday in Mitchell. The matches against Mitchell and Rapid City Central were each 9-0 decisions.

The closest match of the day came at flight one doubles, as Mitchell's Grace Grabenstein and Halle Larson beat Vermillion's Abby Weiss and Libby Sykes 10-4. MITCHELL 9 VERMILLION 0

SINGLES: Grace Grabenstein M def. Abby Weiss 10-1; Halle Larson M def. Libby Sykes 10-1; Haley Smith M by forfeit; Sammy Pooley M def. Alex Posdal 10-1; Allison Buckley M def. Brandi Styles 10-0; Kendra Hanks M def. Kirstyn Bohn 10-1 DOUBLES: Grabenstein-Larson M def. Weiss-Sykes 10-4; Smith-Buckley M by forfeit; Pooley-Hanks M def. Styles-Bohn 10-3

R.C. CENTRAL 9, VERMILLION 0

SINGLES: Kendall Tucker C def. Abby Weiss 10-0; Tianna Duda C def. Libby
Sykes 10-2; RCC #3 by forfeit; Devorah Collins C def. Alex Rosdail 10-2; Skye Hurley C def. Brandi Styles 10-1; Mirianna Robidoux C def. Kirstvn Bohn 10-0 DOUBLES: Tucker-Duda C def. Weiss-Sykes 10-0; RCC #2 by forfeit; Collins-

'Ole' Hansen Day Set For Sept. 13 Yankton will celebrate Ďale 'Ole' Hansen Ďay on Friday,

Sept. 13, with a recognition in conjuction with the Bucks' home football game with Brandon Valley Hansen was one of the founders of the Roger Haas Basketball Tournament, and was involved in several other youth activ-

ities during his life. He passed away on Aug. 19 after a long battle with cancer. T-shirts in memory of Hansen are available for purchase contacting Karla Olson at krolson@cedarwb.net or 661-1012. Sizes

run from youth medium up to 3XL. They will be available for pickup at the SAC meeting room on Thursday, Sept. 12, from 4-6:30 p.m., and fans are asked to wear them to the game. There will also be a "free will donation" dinner of a pulled pork sandwich chips available prior to the game, beginning at 5

Proceeds from both the t-shirt sales and the dinner will go to the Hansen family.

Lincoln Sweeps JV Gazelles

Wednesday's Games

Thursday's Games

Friday's Games

L.A. Dodgers 4, Chicago Cubs 0 Pittsburgh 7, Milwaukee 1 Miami at Washington, 7:05 p.m.

hiladelphia at Chicago Cubs, 1:20

N.Y. Mets at Washington, 6:05 p.m.

St. Louis at Pittsburgh, 6:05 p.m. Miami at Atlanta, 6:30 p.m.

Cincinnati at Colorado, 7:40 p.m

FOOTBALL

Indianapolis at Cincinnati, 6 p.m.

Detroit at Buffalo, 6 p.m. Philadelphia at N.Y. Jets, 6 p.m. New Orleans at Miami, 6:30 p.m. Washington at Tampa Bay, 6:30 p.m.

Jacksonville at Atlanta, 6:30 p.m.

Pittsburgh at Carolina, 6:30 p.m.

Tennessee at Minnesota, 7 p.m.

Green Bay at Kansas City, 7 p.m.

San Francisco at San Diego, 9 p.m.

AUTO RACING

Cleveland at Chicago, 7 p.m.

Houston at Dallas, 7 p.m.
Baltimore at St. Louis, 7 p.m.
Arizona at Denver, 8 p.m.

Oakland at Seattle, 9 p.m.

N.Y. Giants at New England, 6:30

NFL PRESEASON

Thursday, Aug. 29

San Francisco at Arizona 8:40 n m

San Diego at L.A. Dodgers, 9:10

L.A. Angels at Milwaukee, 7:10 p.m.

Atlanta 3, Cleveland 2

Philadelphia 6, N.Y. Mets 2

SIOUX FALLS — Sioux Falls Lincoln swept Yankton in JV softball action on Monday, 9-6 and 11-10.

In the opener, Elizabeth Suing had a home run, a single and two RBI for Yankton, Lexie McCorkell had two hits and two RBI. Alix Peterka, Merlye Mason, Maddie Hendrickson and Alisa

Bailey Peterka and McCorkell threw for the Gazelles, with

Peterka striking out two in three innings of work.

In the nightcap, Bailey Peterka went 3-3 with a RBI, and Suing had two triples and two RBI for Yankton, Alix Peterka had two hits and two RBI. Hendrickson had a RBI single. Danielle Schmidt doubled, and Kelsey Hovorka and Savannah Steffen

Hovorka, McCorkell and Bailey Peterka threw for Yankton.

MMC Women's Soccer Match With Harris-Stowe Canceled

LEAVENWORTH, Kan. — The women's soccer match featuring Mount Marty College against Harris-Stowe College, scheduled for Saturday in Leavenworth, Kan., has been can-

It will not be made up. The men's match between the school is still on, set for a 2 p.m. start.

The MMC women will still travel to Leavenworth, facing the

University of St. Mary on Sunday at noon. A men's match between the schools will follow at 2 p.m.

SDSU Plans To Help Fans Due To Heat For Saturday's Football Game

BROOKINGS — A prolonged late-summer heat wave has prompted the South Dakota State University Athletic Department to provide additional resources for fans attending Saturday's season-opening football game to stay cool.

In conjunction with the Brookings Fire Department, Swiftel Center and SDSU Facilities and Services, six water stations and four misting locations will be placed throughout the tailgate areas north and south of Coughlin-Alumni Stadium. Concessionaire Aramark will set up additional water kiosks throughout

the stadium, starting when gates open at 4:30 p.m. Tailgating in the Bowes Backyard begins at 1 p.m. Saturday, with a groundbreaking ceremony for the new Sanford-Jackrabbit Athletic Complex scheduled for 3 p.m. east of the Dykhouse Student-Athlete Center. Kickoff for the season opener versus Butler (Ind.) is set for 6 p.m., with a fireworks show to follow im-

Harrisburg To Launch Little League

mediately after the game.

SOUTH WILLIAMSPORT, Pa. — Little League Baseball and Softball officially announced today that its newest local league in Harrisburg will provide area children an opportunity to play

Registration for the 2014 Harrisburg Little League inaugural season will be early next year and be open to all children ages 4 to 18. The league will have baseball and softball divisions, and will be eligible to compete in the Little League International Tour-

SCOREBOARD

GOLF

HILLCREST GOLF & CC LADIES DAY EVENT
FIRST: Gail Kennedy, Max Hughes,
Jane AGONNO, Sharry Willard 164

SECOND: Diane Steckelberg. Donna Dietrich, Deb Gubbels, Karen THIRD: Skip Ludwigs, Maxine Stepp,

Judy Larson, Jean Tramp 166 LADIES NET SKINS FIRST: No. 1, Sheane Hatch 3; No. 8, Jean Tramp 3; No. 13, Pam Van

Meeteren 2 FLIGHT 2: No. 2, Jeanne Collison 2; No. 3, Nateri Hoviario 3, No. 4, Lilida Frick 3; No. 6, Diane Steckelberg 1; No. 7, Mary Lou Anderson 3; No. 9, Anderson 3; No. 11, Julie Manning 1; No. 12, Hov-land 3; No. 13, Steckelberg 2; No. 15, An-derson 3; No. 16, Collison 1; No. 17,

MEN'S DAY EVENT First Flight
FIRST: John Thieman, Michael Pietila, Mike Marlow, Jon Hoesing 101 SECOND: Brian Strahl.

Muller, Jim Fitzgerald, Ken Karolevitz 101 THIRD: Dave Ewald, Chris Schaefer, James Grotenhuis, Bill Pierce 99 Second Flight FIRST: Greg Adamson, Sean Riley, Tim Rutjes, Devin Anderson 119

SECOND: Dale Thunker, Gary Sten strom, Cal Carlson, Don Munson 118 THIRD: Mike Henderson, Ryan Henderson, James Henderson, Ben Dangel Third Flight
FIRST: Ron Tappe. Rich Willert, Jim

Vlahakis, Dick Robinson 128 SECOND: Robert Haar, Max Payne Shane Sundleaf, Jack Gregg 119
THIRD: Wayne Anderson, Bob
Schoenfelder, John Hughes, Jim Tramp

MEN'S IND. SKINS GROSS: No. 1, Brian Strahl 3; No. 2, Michael Kuchta 3; No. 9, Sean Riley 3; No. 12, Ryan Elwood 3; No. 13, Strahl 3; No. 14, Steve Weiland 3; No. 15, Adam

NET FLIGHT 1: No. 2. Rvan Hender son 2; No. 3, Michael Pietila 2; No. 8, Aaron Ness 2; No. 10, Sean Riley 2; No. 14, Dave O'Brien 2; No. 17, Dan Eisen-NET FLIGHT 2: No. 3, Rob Stephen-

VOLLEYBALL YANKTON PARKS & REC

COED SAND LEAGUE
RESULTS: KPI Beachbums def.
Koch Insurance 22-20, 21-11; Above The Influence def. Nonspikers 21-15, 19-21, 21-15; Getting Diggy With It def. Phinney's Fireballs 9-21, 21-16, 21-16; Safe Sets def. Cody's Lawn Service 16-21, 21-14, 21-19; Karch Kiraly Me A River def. Ben's Brewing Company 21-9, 22-20; Boomers def. The 6-Pack (forfeit); Safe Sets def. Mighty Molars 21-5, 21-16; Phinney's Fireballs def. The 6-Pack (for-

STANDINGS: Above The Influence 12-0, Karch Kiraly Me A River 10-2, Getting Diggy With It 8-4, Boomers 8-4, Lawn Service 7-5, KPI Beach bums 7-5, Safe Sets 7-5, Phinney's Fire-balls 7-5, Mighty Molars 4-8, Nonspikers 3-9, Koch Ins. 3-9, 6-Pack 2-10, Ben's Brewing 1-11

BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division W L Pct GB

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W L 78 55 75 57 59 72 59 73 Los Angeles .450 18 .447 18 1/2 Seattle 44 87 .336 Tuesday's Games N.Y. Yankees 7, Toronto 1 Oakland 6, Detroit 3, 6 innings Boston 13, Baltimore 2 Atlanta 2. Cleveland 0

L.A. Angels 6, Tampa Bay 5 Chicago White Sox 4, Houston 3 Kansas City 6, Minnesota 1 Texas 4, Seattle 3, 10 innings dnesday's Games Texas 12. Seattle 4 Toronto 7, N.Y. Yankees 2 Oakland 14, Detroit 4

Boston 4, Baltimore 3 Atlanta 3. Cleveland 2 Tampa Bay 4 | A Angels 1 Houston at Chicago White Sox, 8:10 Kansas City at Minnesota, 8:10 p.m.

ursdays Games
Oakland (Colon 14-5) at Detroit
cherzer 19-1), 12:08 p.m.
Kansas City (B.Chen 5-2) at Minnesota (Deduno 8-7), 12:10 p.m.

L.A. Angels (Vargas 7-5) at Tampa Bay (Odorizzi 0-0), 12:10 p.m. Baltimore (Tillman 14-4) at Boston (Lester 12-7), 6:10 p.m. Cleveland (U.Jimenez 9-8) at Atlanta (Medlen 10-12), 6:10 p.m. Seattle (E.Ramirez 4-1) at Houston Lyles 6-6), 7:10 p.m.

Baltimore at N.Y. Yankees, 6:05 p.m. Kansas City at Toronto, 6:07 p.m. Cleveland at Detroit, 6:08 p.m. Chicago White Sox at Boston, 6:10

Minnesota at Texas, 7:05 p.m. L.A. Angels at Milwaukee, 7:10 p.m. Seattle at Houston, 7:10 p.m.

East Division

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West Division

Tuesday's Games
Washington 2, Miami 1
Milwaukee 7, Pittsburgh 6

Atlanta 2, Cleveland 0

N.Y. Mets 5. Philadelphia 0

St. Louis 6. Cincinnati 1

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Philadelphia

New York

St. Louis

Pittsburgh Cincinnati

Los Angeles

San Diego

NASCAR SPRINT CUP 2013 SCHEDULE

Pct GB .606 — .504 13 1/2 .459 19 1/2

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GB

Aug. 4 — GoBowling.com 400 Long Pond, Pa. (Kasey Kahne) Aug. 11 — Cheez-It 355 at The Glen, Watkins Glen, N.Y. (Kyle Busch) Aug. 18 — Pure Michigan 400, Brooklyn, Mich. (Joey Logano) Aug. 24 — Irwin Tools Night Race, Bristol, Tenn. (Matt Kenseth) Sept. 1 — AdvoCare 500 at Atlanta, Hampton, Ga.

Sent 7 — Federated Auto Parts 400 Sept. 15 — GEICO 400, Joliet, III. Sept. 22 — Sylvania 300, Loudon,

Sept. 29 — AAA 400, Dover, Del. Oct. 6 — Hollywood Casino 400, Kansas City, Kan. Oct. 12 — Bank of America 500, Oct. 20 — Camping World RV Sales

500, Talladega, Ala.
Oct. 27 — Goody's Fast Relief 500, Ridgeway, Va. Nov 3 — AAA Teyas 500 Fort

Worth, Texas San Francisco 59 73 .447 18 1/2 Nov. 10 — AdvoCare 500, Avondale, Ariz.

Nov. 17 — Ford EcoBoost 400,

Homestead, Fla.

DRIVER STANDINGS

1. Jimmie Johnson, 821. 2. Clint Bowyer, 803. 3. Carl Edwards, 768. San Francisco 5, Colorado 3 Arizona 10, San Diego 9, 10 innings Chicago Cubs 3, L.A. Dodgers 2 Kevin Harvick, 760.Kyle Busch, 739.

7. Dale Earnhardt Jr., 714 8. Kasey Kahne, 701. 9. Greg Biffle, 698. 10. Joey Logano, 685. 11. Brad Keselowski, 681. 12. Kurt Busch, 679.

19. Tony Stewart, 594

Cincinnati at St. Louis, 8:15 p.m. San Francisco at Colorado, 8:40 13. Jeff Gordon, 674. 14. Martin Truex Jr., 663. 15. Ryan Newman, 659. 16. Jamie McMurray, 647. 17. Paul Menard, 638. San Diego at Arizona, 9:40 p.m. Aric Almirola, 616.

Philadelphia (E.Martin 2-2) at N.Y. Mets (C.Torres 2-2), 12:10 p.m. Miami (Koehler 3-8) at Washington (G.Gonzalez 7-6), 6:05 p.m. Milwaukee (Gallardo 9-9) at Pitts-**TRANSACTIONS** burgh (Cole 6-6), 6:05 p.m. Cleveland (U.Jimenez 9-8) at Atlanta BASEBALL (Medlen 10-12), 6:10 p.m.

American League
BALTIMORE ORIOLES—Recalled
RHP Kevin Gausman from Norfolk (IL).
Optioned LHP Wei-Yin Chen to their Gulf Coast League affiliate.

CLEVELAND INDIANS — Placed Ryan Raburn on the 15-day DL. Purased the contract of OF Matt Carson from Columbus (IL).

National League
ARIZONA DIAMONDBACKS—Reinstated INF Willie Bloomquist off the 15-day DL. Optioned LHP David Holmberg

ATLANTA BRAVES — Activated 2B Dan Uggla from the 15-day DL. Optioned
OF Todd Cunningham to Gwinnett (IL).
PITTSBURGH PIRATES — Optioned C Tony Sanchez and LHP Jeff Locke to Altoona (EL).

SAN DIEGO PADRES — Recalled LHP Robbie Erlin from Tucson (PCL).
Optioned RHP Brad Boxberger to Tuc-ST. LOUIS CARDINALS - Recalled leased DL Greg Peach. RHP Michael Blazek from Memphis (PCL). Optioned RHP Carlos Martinez to

American Association
SIOUX FALLS CANARIES — Exer-ECHL cised the 2014 contract options on RHP Chris Allen, LHP Adam Champion, RHP Kirk Clark, LHP Mitchell Clegg, RHP Matt Daly, RHP Alan DeRatt, RHP Ben Moore, with D Nick Pageau.

GWINNETT GLADIATORS RHP Kyle Ruwe, LHP Jack Van Leur, RHP Kyle Vazquez, RHP Jordan What-cott, C Kevin Dultz, C Jake Taylor, INF Jared Clark, INF Stephen King, INF Cory READING ROYALS — Agreed to

Morales, INF Tim Pahuta, INF Anthony Trajano, OF Reggie Abercrombie, OF JP Ramirez, OF Marcos Rodriguez and OF Nick Van Stratten.

GRAND PRAIRIE AIRHOGS — Exercised the 2014 contract options on LHP Brandon Bargas, RHP Derek Blacksher, RHP Curtis Camilli, LHP Gabe Garcia, RHP Chase Johnson, RHP Patrick Mincey, RHP Stephen Nikonchik, LHP Jared Potts, LHP David Quinowski, RHP Josh Strawn RHP Aaron Wilkerson, C.

Angel Flores, INF Jorge Jimenez, INF Brian Myrow, INF Austin Newell, INF Ya-sutsugu Nishimoto, INF Brandon Pinck-ney, INF Ryan Pineda, OF Palmer Karr, OF Rian Kiniry and OF Chad Mozingo.

BASKETBALL

National Basketball Association HOUSTON ROCKETS — Signed G-SACRAMENTO KINGS-Signed G

FOOTBALL National Football League
CINCINNATI BENGALS—Placed LB Brandon Joiner on the recerve/injured

CLEVELAND BROWNS — Claimed LB Eric Martin off waivers from New Or-leans. Waived DB Trevin Wade. JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS JACKSONVILLE JAGDARS — Signed CB Will Blackmon. Waived CB Marcus Burley. NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS — Claimed DL Gilbert Pena off waivers from Green Bay and LB Ja'Gared Davis off

AREA CALENDAR

Thursday, August 29
GOLF, DAKOTAS TOUR Dakotas Tour Championship at The Ridge GC, Sioux Center, Iowa

GOLF, BOYS' S.F. Christian Inv. at Bakker

Crossing (Beresford, Dakota Valley, Elk Point-Jeffer son, Parkston, Vermillion, 7:45 a.m.) Friday, August 30
CROSS COUNTRY, COLLEGE Bison Open

CROSS COUNTRY, PREP O'Gorman Inv. (YHS, 4 p.m.); Beresford Inv. (Alcester-Hudson, Beresford, Centerville, Dakota Valley, Elk Point-Jefferson, Freeman, Freeman Academy, Gayville-Volin, Irene-Wakonda, Marion, Parker, Viborg-Hurley, 10 a.m.) CROSS COUNTRY, MS O'Gorman Inv. (YMS, 4

FOOTBALL, PREP Avon vs. Burke-South Central at Bonesteel; Baltic at Alcester-Hudson; Canton at Bon Homme (7 p.m., KKYA-FM); Corsica-Stickney at Gayville-Volin; Dakota Valley at West Central; Flan-dreau at Beresford (7 p.m., KVHT-FM); Freeman at Platte-Geddes-Dakota Christian; Humphrey at Hartington; Irene-Wakonda vs. Menno-Marion at Menno; Parkston at Groton Area: Ponca at Battle Creek: Ran Parksion at Groom Area, Pontic at battle Creek, Rain-dolph at Elgin Public-Pope John; Scotland at Center-ville; Tea Area at Elk Point-Jefferson; Tripp-Delmont-Armour at Andes Central; Vermillion at Lennox (7 p.m., KVTK-AM); Viborg-Hurley at Parker;

GOLF, DAKOTAS TOUR Dakotas Tour Champi-

Saturday, August 31
CHEER & DANCE, PREP Gregory Inv. (Bon mme, Dakota Valley, Platte-Geddes-Dakota Chris-

CROSS COUNTRY, PREP Mitchell Inv. (Avon Homme, Platte-Geddes, Wagner, 10 a.m.) FOOTBALL, COLLEGE UC Davis at USD (2 p.m., KVHT-FM, Midco Sports Network)

FOOTBALL, PREP Mitchell at YHS (7 p.m.,

hip at The Ridge GC, Sioux Center, Iowa GOLF, BOYS' Huron Inv. (YHS, 10 a.m.)

GOLF, GIRLS' Wayne Inv. at Wayne CC

SOCCER, WOMEN'S USD at Wyoming (4 p.m.) SOCCER, BOYS' Hot Springs at Vermillion TENNIS, GIRLS' YHS/Aberdeen Central/Mar-

VOLLEYBALL, JV YHS at Watertown (4:30

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VOLLEYBALL, SOPH YHS at Watertown (5:45

VOLLEYBALL, 9TH YHS at Watertown (4:30

pended WR Jacoby Walker, WR Wyatt

Hikins, OL Jordan Kersh and OL C.J. Simon two games each and RB Willie

Julie Flantzer assistant athletic director

assistant strength & conditioning coach. HOFSTRA — Named Tracy Koch

men's and women's assistant cross

Leddy assistant softball coach and Mo

Moriarty assistant baseball coach.NEW

JERSEY CITY - Named Rich Alberto

MOUNT ST. MARY'S — Named Erin

sports medicine.

HIGH POINT — Named Will Hayes

SOCCER, MEN'S MMC vs. Harris-Stowe at venworth, Kan. (2 p.m.)
SOCCER, BOYS' Yankton at Brandon Valley (2.

SOCCER, BOYS' JV Yankton at Brandon Valley (10 a.m.) SOCCER, GIRLS' Yankton at Brandon Valley

SOCCER, GIRLS' JV Yankton at Brandon Valley

shall at Brookings (1 p.m.)

VOLLEYBALL, WOMEN'S Missouri Tourn.
(USD vs. Idaho State, 10 a.m.; USD vs. Missouri, 2
p.m.); Brunswick Tourn. (MMC vs. Illinois Tech, 2
p.m.; MMC vs. College of Coastal Georgia, 8 p.m.)

VOLLEYBALL, PREP YHS at Watertown (7 TENNIS, GIRLS' Brookings Jamboree (YHS, 9 VOLLEYBALL, WOMEN'S Missouri Tourn.

(USD vs. Arkansas State, 9 a.m.; USD vs. Pittsburgh, 2 p.m.); Brunswick Tourn. (MMC vs. Southeastern, 10 .; MMC vs. Faulkner, 2 p.m.)

VOLLEYBALL, PREP Canton Tourn. (Parker, 10

a.m.); Estelline Tourn. (Viborg-Hurley, 9 a.m.); Park-ston Tourn. (Parkston, Wagner, 9:30 a.m.); Avon at Bon Homme; Dakota Valley at Madison; Elk Point-Jef-ferson at Sioux City West; Ethan/Marion/Mitchell Christian at Hanson; Tripp-Delmont-Armour at Dakota

Sunday, September 1 SOCCER, WOMEN'S USD at Colo.-Colorado ings (noon); MMC vs. St. Mary at Leavenworth,

SOCCER, MEN'S MMC vs. St. Mary at Leaven-

waivers from the Houston. Released OL Brice Schwab and CB Ras-I Dowling.
NEW YORK JETS—Signed QB Graham Harrell. Released C Dalton Free-

TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS ed WR Jordan Norwood. Waived DE

HAMILTON TIGER-CATS — Re-HOCKEY American Hockey League BINGHAMTON SENATORS

Named Tim Marks video coach. BAKERSFIELD CONDORS — ned LW Chris Collins. Agreed to terms

Signed F Jeremie Malouin and Kurtis

terms with D Damon Kipp. UTAH GRIZZLIES — Agreed to ms with F Adam Pineault, F David Val-

SKIING U.S. Ski and Snowboard Association USSA — Named Tiger Shaw chief erating officer, effective Oct. 1.

SOCCER Major League Soccer LOS ANGELES GALAXY — Signed MF Landon Donovan to a multiyear con-

TRACK & FIELD
TURKISH ATHLETICS FEDERA-TION - Announced European 100 neter hurdles champion Nevin Yanit was banned for two years after testing posi tive for banned substances during a com

petition in February in Duesseldorf, Germany. COLLEGE CENTRAL ARKANSAS — Sus-

NEW MEXICO - Named Ed Manzanares the assistant athletic director for major gifts and Allison Buck interim direc-tor of operations for volleyball. PENN — Named Dr. Scarlett K

Matthews one game.
CHARLESTON SOUTHERN Named Adam Vrable hitting coach and infield instructor. Named Drew Woodall stu-Schmidt executive director of athletics dent assistant baseball coach RADFORD — Named Jackie Jenk-CHOWAN — Named Brittany Hall women's assistant basketball coach.
FAIRLEIGH DICKINSON — Named ins volunteer assistant softball coach.
SACRAMENTO STATE — Named

Nichole Willis and Danielle Kaminaka assistant softball coaches.
TEXAS A&M — Announced the susnsion of QB Johnny Manziel for the first half of its Aug. 31 game against Rice. TEXAS-PAN AMERICAN — Named Andrew Carson volunteer assistant base-ball coach/camp coordinator and director

paseball operations.

WRIGHT STATE — Named Greg Lovelady baseball coach.

start at LSU until my junior vear, so I just continued to work hard, but I didn't get a great offensive line that

Casper, who helped Notre Dame beat Alabama for the 1973 national title, became a pro hall inductee and Super Bowl champion as an Oakland Raiders tight end. He still enjoys his lifelong affilia-

'The good thing is I don't have to go to purgatory for being on the national championship team," Casper said, grinning. "Notre Dame takes care of my purgatory prob-

enshrined were Bartkowski (California quarterback who was the No. 1 overall NFL draft pick in 1975 by the Atlanta Falcons), split end Hal Bedsole (helped Southern Cal win the 1962 national title), Rice quarterback Tommy Kramer (set NCAA single-season passing record in 1976) and Colorado guard John Wooten (1958 All-American).

Defensive players included Colorado State cornerback Greg Myers (1995 Thorpe Award winner), Texas Tech tackle Gabe Rivera (1982 All-American), Kansas State linebacker Mark Simoneau (1999 Big 12 defensive player of the year) and Air Force safety Scott Thomas.

Organizers said that Johnson, Detmer, Ogden, Otis Armstrong and National Football Foundation chairman Archie Manning were unable to attend the event.

Johnson coached Miami to the 1987 national title. Detmer, a former BYU quarterback, won the 1990 Heisman

Trophy. Ogden won the 1995 Outland Trophy as UCLA's left tackle.

Armstrong left Purdue in 1972 as the Big Ten's career leading rusher. Manning, a former Mississippi quarterback and father to NFL star QBs Peyton and Eli Manning, is recovering from back sur-

Fulmer (led Tennessee to 1998 national title) and Slocum (Texas A&M's careerleading winner in now-defunct Southwest Conference) were enshrined as coaches.

Shell was one of seven inductees from FBS or lower division schools — Washington University linebacker Shelby Jordan, Westminster (Pa.) quarterback Joe Micchia, Ithaca College fullback Jeff Wittman and coaches Frank Cignetti of West Virginia and Indiana (Pa.), Boots Donnelly of Austin Peay and Middle Tennessee State and Jess Dow of Southern Connecticut

Manziel

suspended for an entire season while at Oklahoma State after lying about having dinner with Sanders.

'Can we investigate the investigators? @DezBryant got suspended a season 4 lying about a dinner that wasnt a violation & Manziel gets a half," Sanders tweeted soon after the ruling was made

The decision also had a major impact in Las Vegas, where the odds of Manziel's chances of repeating as a Heisman winner and Texas A&M's chances of winning the national championship shifted dramatically on Wednesday. RJ Bell, the founder of sports betting web site Pregame.com, said that Manziel's chances of winning the Heisman jumped from 12/1 to 6/1 on Wednesday, and the team's shot at the title increased from 18/1 to

The latest problem isn't the first time off-the-field trouble has put Manziel's ca-

reer in jeopardy. Manziel was arrested last summer after a bar fight near campus and charged with disorderly conduct, possession of the fake ID and failure to identify himself to police. It was an incident that put him in danger of being suspended from school and left him having to earn the starting job in fall camp.

Manziel admitted this June that he failed to identify himself to police following the altercation. As part of a

plea deal, other charges against the 20-year-old, including disorderly conduct, were dismissed, and it looked like Manziel's trouble was behind him before the latest problems came to light.

Manziel became the first freshman to win the Heisman Trophy last season, setting numerous school and Southeastern Conference records while leading Texas A&M to an 11-2 mark and a victory over No. 1 Alabama in its first season in the SEC.

He followed that with a high-profile offseason of road trips to Las Vegas and the NBA Finals. Manziel got to meet Heat star LeBron James and rapper Drake, and he posted some Tweets that made headlines. His biggest misstep, how-

ever, came during the summer when he departed early from a quarterback camp for high school players run by the Manning family in Louisiana. Manziel said it was a mutual decision after he overslept and missed meetings and activities.

Dat Nguyen, an All-America linebacker at Texas A&M in the 1990s and former assistant coach for the Aggies, lamented Manziel's mistakes, but noted what he's done for the program.

'I'm a little bit disappointed with what's going on down there," Nguyen said recently. "Going into the season I thought this would be the year for A&M to win a national championship and this has been a distraction. He made a bad decision and he's just got to move on ... but overall the guy has put A&M back on the map.'

Former Texas A&M coach R.C. Slocum, who is now a

special adviser to Texas A&M's president, has watched Manziel's career with great interest and is looking forward to seeing how he'll follow up his incredible first season.

"This young man has been in a position that no one has ever been in," Slocum said on Wednesday before the suspension was announced. "He's been a freshman and a 20-year-old winner of the Heisman Trophy, and he's done some great things with that and he's had a few things I'm sure he'd like to have a do-over with. And if I were advising him, I might have said, 'That's probably not in your best interests to do that or say that or be there,' but in terms of the upcoming season, I'm as anxious as anybody to see what happens

and see what the results are." Manziel was the main attraction at SEC Media Days, where he was peppered with questions but answered with the same cool and calm he often shows in the face of a pass rush.

"I don't feel like I've done anything that's catastrophic,"

Manziel said at the time. "Of

course, I've made my mistakes. It's time to grow up." The day before the Aggies reported for preseason practice, ESPN reported Manziel signed thousands of autographs for brokers in Texas, Florida and Connecticut, and cited unidentified sources who said Manziel was paid thousands for dollars for the

signatures. Manziel has been off-limits to the media since news broke of the NCAA investigation, but has been practicing with the Aggies.

From Page 7

here alone. Great coaches at LSU and great teammates and

blocked for me.' tions with his alma mater.

Other offensive players

Announcing... Yankton

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