

SPORTS DIGEST

Wednesday Women's Bowling League Meeting Aug. 18

The Wednesday Women's League at Yankton Bowl will hold its preseason meeting on Monday, Aug. 18, at 7 p.m. at the south picnic shelter of Memorial Park.

Anyone interested in participating in the league is invited to attend.

Yankton QB Club Opens 2014-15 Season On Aug. 27

The Yankton Quarterback Club will begin its 68th season on Wednesday, Aug. 28, at noon at the Elks Lodge, 504 West 27th Street in Yankton.

The Quarterback Club supports Yankton High School and Mount Marty College athletics, and features speakers from those institutions as well as other regional coaches and speakers.

Contact Scott Kooistra for membership information. Membership is not required to attend the weekly meetings, which run Wednesdays through February.

USD Football Kickoff Event In Yankton On Saturday

The new Yankton chapter of the University of South Dakota Howling Pack will host a Coyote football kickoff event on Saturday, Aug. 9, at the Lewis & Clark North Marina Shelter in Yankton.

The event begins at 3 p.m. with a boat parade at the marina, followed by games and activities for kids at 4 p.m. A tailgate meal will be served at 5 p.m., and players and coaches from USD will be in attendance from 6-8 p.m.

Free-will donations will be accepted, with all proceeds going to the Howling Pack (which provides scholarships for USD student-athletes).

Yankton Triathlon Aug. 30

The inaugural "Yankton Best Tri" triathlon will be held Saturday, Aug. 30, beginning and ending at Lewis & Clark Lake near Yankton.

The event is hosted by the Yankton Sertoma Club, and presented by Home Federal Bank, Ace Bike & Fitness and HyVee. It is a fundraiser for the Sertoma Club's efforts to support Yankton youth sports.

The sprint triathlon consists of a quarter-mile swim, 14-mile bike ride and 3.1-mile run. Chip timing will be used.

Registration includes a race t-shirt, as well as nutritional snacks and drinks. To compete individually or as a team, or for more information, go online to www.yanktontriathlon.com or All-SportsCentral.com.

RCCG 'Sundae' Performance Aug. 10

River City Gymnastics and Cheer will hold its annual Ice Cream 'Sundae' summer performance and fall registration on Sunday, Aug. 10 at 2 p.m. at the YHS gymnastics room.

The event is open to the public, and free will donations will be accepted. An ice cream social will follow the event.

MMC Riverboat Days 5K Aug. 16

The 16th annual MMC Riverboat Days 5K run/walk will be held Saturday, Aug. 16, in downtown Yankton. The race will begin at the intersection of 3rd and Capital with the 5K Walk at 7:15 a.m. and the 5K Run at 8:15 a.m.

The annual event is organized and sponsored by Mount Marty College athletics. All proceeds go to support MMC student athletes.

There is a cost to participate, with discounts before July 31 or before the day of the race. Entry fee includes a race t-shirt. Registration may be completed online at www.allspornrunning.com. Additional registration forms may be found online at www.mtmc.edu/5k. Packet pickup on race day is from 6:45-8 a.m. Early pick up of registration packets can be done at Cimpli Arena in room 118.

For more information, contact race director Randy Fischer at 605-270-2066 or at randall.fischer@mtmc.edu.

National Guard To Pull Out Of NASCAR

CHARLOTTE, N.C. (AP) — The National Guard said Wednesday it will end its sponsorship of NASCAR driver Dale Earnhardt Jr. and IndyCar's Graham Rahal, but it is not clear when that goes into effect.

Hendrick Motorsports said in a statement it has a contract through 2015. Bobby Rahal, co-owner of Rahal Letterman Lanigan Racing, said in a statement he learned of the guard's decision on Wednesday. He called it disappointing news "given the significant incremental brand exposure we have worked to produce for the National Guard in our first season together, including various off-track marketing and advertising programs focused on supporting the mission set forth."

The guard said in a statement posted on its web site it spent \$32 million on this year's NASCAR sponsorship and \$12 million on its IndyCar sponsorship this year, and noted that "sports sponsorships have played an important role in helping the guard build strong brand awareness." But, the guard statement said its sponsorship contracts in NASCAR and IndyCar "are set to expire at the end of the current season," which contradicts the Hendrick claim.

GOLF

HILLCREST GOLF & CC

LADIES NET BEST BALL

FIRST: Lisa Berry, Deb Gubbels, Joan Lammers, Maria Neukirch 135
SECOND: Lynette Bruening, Lori Ibarolle, Sandy Brandt, Sheane Hatch 135

LADIES IND. NET SKINS

THIRD: Donna Dietrich, Patti Eisenbraun, Gail Kennedy, Karen Swanda 139
RESULTS: No. 1, Maria Neukirch 4; No. 2, Joyce Shudak 3; No. 3, Sandy Brandt 2; No. 4, Joan Lammers 2; No. 5, Stacy Schramm 2; No. 10, Lynette Bruening 3

LAKEVIEW GOLF COURSE

LADIES LEAGUE

LOW GROSS: Kendra Neugebauer 44

LOW NET: Barb Dooley 31

STANDINGS: Andrea Tramp-Michelle Townsend 364, Barb Dooley-Dawn Shukel 350, Kathy Meink-Judy Heine 350, Deanna Lockman-Linda Trenhaile 339, Irma Arens-Kathy Magorian 330, Carol Leader-Patty Zavadi 315, Norma Garvey-Katie Tramp 312, Kendra Neugebauer-Michelle Kuchta 304, Katie Paulson-Carey Shantz 280, Donna Stecker-Kim Brannen 268, Sheri Moser-Ginger Schaeffer-Bridget Thome 225, Sharon Kollar-Jane Brown 211, Mardi Mackeprang-Ann Arens 195, Barb Peck-Linda Fox-Jessica Cameron 142

TUESDAY MEN'S LEAGUE

LOW GROSS: Eric Bailly 33

LOW NET: Roddy Weinand 30

STANDINGS: Baily-Edwards 109, Fish-Christensen 98, Kuchta-Merkel 97, Wilken-Schurman 95, Ferdin-Johannsen 91, Anderson-Larson 90, Keiser-Weinandt 89, Baily-Kuchta 82, Saur-Graveland 81, Jackson-Thunker 79, Pokorney-Trenhaile 78, Wiebehaus-Vielvehaus 77, Folkers-Kuchta 69, Nelson-Nelson 68, Nohr-Goeden 67, Zavadi-Pooler 65, Wuebben-Mueller 64, Paulter-Suing 63, Bartles-Hoffart-Heyne 61, Sprakel-Brady 60, Sprakel-Janssen 54, Trump-Leader 52, Merkel-Weiseler 52, Murphey-Petersen 51, Haurbrick-Paulson 48, Hysell-Brauer 46, Schmidt-Ryan 45, Lester-Cheney 44

THURSDAY MEN'S LEAGUE

TEAM LOW GROSS: Troubleshooters 199

TEAM LOW NET: Sacred Heart Monastery 143

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LOW NET: Dan McFarland 32

STANDINGS: Troubleshooters 160, Wild Bor 139, Tigers Woodies 134, Sacred Heart Monastery 128, New Guys 127, FISO 127, Bogy Men 124, Wankers 121, Rounding 3rd 119, The Glass Cutters 118, EZ Swingers 117, Gooden Const. 115, Town & Country Ins. 110, Photo by Jerry 102, Duh Duffers 94, Wellf Const. 84

BASEBALL

S.D. CLASS A VFW TEENEE

Aug. 7-9 at Mitchell

FIRST ROUND, Friday

Madison Gold vs. Vermillion, noon

Dell Rapids vs. Mission Mayhem, 2:30 p.m.

Tyndall vs. Chancellor, 5 p.m.

Groton vs. Volga, 7:30 p.m.

SECOND ROUND, Saturday

Madison-Vermillion loser vs. Dell Rapids-Mission loser, noon

Tyndall-Chancellor loser vs. Groton-Volga loser, 2:30 p.m.

Madison-Vermillion winner vs. Dell Rapids-Mission winner, 5 p.m.

Tyndall-Chancellor winner vs. Groton-Volga winner, 7:30 p.m.

FINAL ROUND, Sunday

FIFTH: Consolation winners, noon

THIRD: Semifinal losers, 2:30 p.m.

CHAMPIONSHIP: Semifinal winners, 5 p.m.

S.D. CLASS B AM. TOURN.

Aug. 6-17 at Mitchell

FIRST ROUND

Wednesday, Aug. 6

Tabor 10, Clear Lake 3

Groton vs. Winner-Colome, 8 p.m.

Thursday, Aug. 7

Plankinton vs. Beresford, 11 a.m.

Northville vs. Clark, 1 p.m.

Milbank vs. Akron, 5:30 p.m.

Wynot vs. Lennox Only One, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, Aug. 8

Irene vs. Madison, 11 a.m.

Dimock-Emery vs. Larchwood, 1 p.m.

Harrisburg vs. Garretson, 5:30 p.m.

Parkston Mudcats vs. Redfield DQ, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, Aug. 9

Wessington Springs vs. Lake Norden, 11 a.m.

Corsica-Stickney vs. Crofton, 1 p.m.

Chamberlain vs. Redfield Pheasants, 5:30 p.m.

Avon vs. Alexandria, 7:30 p.m.

Canova vs. Platte, 11 a.m.

Flandreau vs. Miller, 1 p.m.

SECOND ROUND

Sunday, Aug. 10

Tabor vs. Groton-Winner-Colome winner, 5:30 p.m.

Plankinton-Beresford winner vs. Northville-Clark winner, 7:30 p.m.

Monday, Aug. 11

Milbank-Akron winner vs. Wynot-Lennox Only One winner, 6 p.m.

Irene-Madison winner vs. Dimock-Emery-Larchwood winner, 8 p.m.

Tuesday, Aug. 12

Harrisburg-Garretson winner vs. Parkston Mudcats-Redfield DQ winner, 6 p.m.

Wessington Springs-Lake Norden winner vs. Corsica-Stickney/Crofton winner, 8 p.m.

Wednesday, Aug. 13

Chamberlain-Redfield Pheasants winner vs. Avon-Alexandria winner, 6 p.m.

Canova-Platte winner vs. Flandreau-Miller winner, 8 p.m.

S.D. CLASS A AM. TOURN.

Aug. 8-10 at Renner, Aug. 15-17 at Mitchell

Friday, Aug. 8

GAME 1: Renner vs. Castlewood, 5:30 p.m.

GAME 2: Vermillion Red Sox vs. S.F. Saints, 8 p.m.

Saturday, Aug. 9

GAME 3: Game 1 loser vs. Game 2 loser, 11 a.m.

GAME 4: Game 1 winner vs. Game 2 winner, 1:30 p.m.

GAME 5: Rapid City A's vs. Yankton, 5 p.m.

GAME 6: Sioux Falls Brewers vs. Sioux Falls Squirrels, 7:30 p.m.

Sunday, Aug. 10

GAME 7: Game 5 loser vs. Game 6 loser, 11 a.m.

GAME 8: Game 5 winner vs. Game 6 winner, 1:30 p.m.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division

Baltimore 64 49 566 —

Toronto 61 54 530 4

New York 59 54 522 5

Tampa Bay 55 59 482 9 1/2

Boston 49 63 438 14 1/2

Central Division

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Detroit 62 49 559 —

Kansas City 58 53 523 4

Cleveland 57 57 500 6 1/2

Chicago 55 60 478 9

Minnesota 51 61 455 11 1/2

West Division

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Oakland 69 44 611 —

Los Angeles 67 45 598 1 1/2

Seattle 59 54 522 10

Houston 47 67 412 22 1/2

Texas 45 69 395 24 1/2

Tuesday's Games

Cincinnati 9, Cleveland 2

Detroit 4, N.Y. Yankees 3, 12 innings

Philadelphia 2, Houston 1, 15 innings

Baltimore 9, Toronto 3

Minnesota 3, San Diego 1

Texas 16, Chicago White Sox 0

St. Louis 3, Boston 2

Kansas City 12, Arizona 2

Oakland 3, Tampa Bay 0

Seattle 4, Atlanta 2

L.A. Dodgers 5, L.A. Angels 4

Wednesday's Games

San Diego 5, Minnesota 4, 10 innings

Texas 3, Chicago White Sox 1

Tampa Bay 7, Oakland 3

Seattle 7, Atlanta 3

N.Y. Yankees 5, Detroit 1

Philadelphia 10, Houston 3

Baltimore 5, Cincinnati 8

Cleveland 3, Boston 4

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

Kansas City at Arizona, 9:40 p.m.

L.A. Dodgers at L.A. Angels, 10:05 p.m.

Thursday's Games

Detroit (Porcello 13-5) at N.Y. Yankees (Greene 2-1), 12:05 p.m.

Houston (McHugh 4-9) at Philadelphia (R.Hernandez 6-8), 6:05 p.m.

Baltimore (McGonzalez 5-6) at Toronto (Happ 8-5), 6:07 p.m.

Cleveland (House 1-2) at Cincinnati (Bailey 8-5), 6:10 p.m.

Boston (Workman 1-4) at St. Louis (Wainwright 13-6), 6:15 p.m.

Kansas City (Guthrie 7-9) at Arizona (Nuno 0-2), 8:40 p.m.

L.A. Dodgers (Ryu 12-5) at L.A. Angels (C.Wilson 8-7), 9:05 p.m.

Minnesota (Pino 1-3) at Oakland (Lester 11-7), 9:05 p.m.

Chicago White Sox (Carroll 4-6) at Seattle (Elías 8-9), 9:10 p.m.

Friday's Games

Corsica-Stickney at Chicago Cubs, 3:05 p.m.

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