# **Augustana Relay Teams Honored**

ORLANDO, Fla. — Three Augustana relay teams were honored by Accusplit for their top relay performances in Division II outdoor track and field.

Tracy Hellman, Augustana's head men's and women's track and field and cross country coach, accepted the awards yesterday at the 2012 United States Track and Field and Cross Country Coaches Association convention in Orlando, Fla.

Accusplit has recognized the top relay performances in Division I track and field for the past 30 years. Beginning in 2011, Accusplit began honoring Division II and Division

Augustana teams won three relay events at the 2012 Drake Relays, all three of which posted the best times in Division II for the outdoor season.

Two men's teams were honored, including Henrik Hansson, Khor Kong, Tom Karbo and Aduo Omot, who won the 4x800 with a time of 7:25.10. The four also were honored for their distance medley relay time of 9:50.44, which is a new school record.

Augustana also recorded a first-place finish in the women's distance medley relay. Kristin Brondbo, Colleen Everson, Molly Kokesh (Scotland) and Kyle Blakeslee recorded a time of 11:47.67 at the Drake Relays.

## **Parkston Classic Set**

PARKSTON — The Parkston boys' and girls' basketball Classic is set for Dec. 28 and 29 at the Parkston Armory. The girls' games will be on Friday, Dec. 28, with the boys games on Saturday, Dec. 29.

Friday play begins at 10 a.m., with Corsica-Stickney against Highmore-Harrold, followed by Madison against Beresford at 11:30 a.m. Ethan draws Viborg-Hurley at 1 p.m., followed by Wagner against Tri-Valley at 2:30 p.m. Hanson draws Centerville at 4 p.m., followed by Sully Buttes against Warner at 5:30 p.m. The final two games of the night feature Parkston against Dell Rapids at 7 p.m., followed by Clark-Willow Lake against St. Thomas More at

Saturday play also begins at 10 a.m. with Corsica-Stickney against Wolsey-Wessington. Sully Buttes and Wessington Springs match up at 11:30 a.m., followed by McCook Central-Montrose against Miller at 1 p.m. Viborg-Hurley and Ethan play at 2:30 p.m., followed by Wagner against Garretson at 4 p.m. Warner takes on James Valley Christian at 5:30 p.m., Parkston draws Sisseton at 7 p.m. and Aberdeen Roncalli faces Mount Vernon-Plankinton at 8:30 p.m.

## **East-West Classic Set**

CHAMBERLAIN — Platte-Geddes will face Class AA Douglas in the final game of the East-West Basketball Classic, set for Dec. 29 in Chamberlain

The matchup will take place at approximately 8 p.m., the last of seven games on the docket for the event. Play begins at 11 a.m., with the Lennox girls facing Lead-Deadwood. The Lead-Deadwood boys draw West Central at 12:30 p.m., followed by the only other girls' game schedule, featuring Belle Fourche against host Chamberlain.

The Spearfish and Lennox boys face off at 3:30 p.m., followed by the Belle-Fourche Chamberlain boys' matchup. Crow Creek and Canton face off at 6:30 p.m., the final matinee to the Platte-Geddes vs. Douglas game.

## **Gayville-Volin Games Announced For Swiftel Classic**

BROOKINGS — The Gayville-Volin boys and girls will be participating in the Swiftel Classic, Dec. 27-28 at the Swiftel Center in Brookings.

Boys' games will be on Dec. 27, with Gayville-Volin fac-

ing Estelline at 6 p.m. Other games include Wilmot vs. Canby (Minn.) at 10:30 a.m., Florence-Henry vs. Lincoln

facing Arlington at 3 p.m. Other games include Florence-Henry vs. ÖRR at 10:30 a.m., Hamlin vs. Wolsev-Wessington at noon: Lake Preston vs. Waverly-South Shore at 1:30 p.m.; Deuel vs. Bridgewater-Emery at 4:30 p.m.; Estelline vs. Sioux Valley at 6 p.m.; Summit vs. Canistota at 7:30 p.m. and James Valley Christian vs. Pipestone at 9

Lake Benton at 9 p.m.

### Elks Hoop Shoot Set For Dec. 29 The 41st annual Elks Hoop Shoot competition informa-

(Minn.) High at noon, Lake Preston vs. Waverly-South Shore at 1:30 p.m.; Deuel vs. Oelrichs at 3 p.m.; Gregory

vs. Pipestone (Minn.) at 4:30 p.m.; Hamlin vs. Oldham-

Ramona-Rutland at 7:30 p.m.; and Summit vs. Elkton-

tion has been sent to 30 schools in the Yankton Elks 994 District. In order to compete at the district level, winners from local schools will advance to the finals at the Summit Activities Center on Saturday, Dec. 29, at 10 a.m. Boys and girls in ages 8-9. 10-11 and 12-13 are eligi-

ble to compete. Ages as of April 1, 2013, determines their

Winners in each age group advance to the state level, to be held on Saturday, Jan. 12, in Pierre. Contact Ray

Freeman at Canistota; Hanson at Wagner; Norfolk Catholic at

Laurel-Concord-Coleridge; Parkston vs. Corsica-Stickney at Corsica; Wynot at Randolph

HOCKEY, BOYS' JV Yankton at Brookings (7:45 p.m.)
HOCKEY, BOYS' BANTAM Yankton at Brookings (6 p.m.)

WRESTLING, PREP S.F. Lincoln Inv. (Parkston, Vermil-Wagner, 1 p.m.); Wisner-Pilger at Wakefield-Allen

Saturday, December 22
BASKETBALL, MEN'S USD at Green Bay (7 p.m., KVHT-

BASKETBALL, WOMEN'S USD at Boise State (2 p.m.,

BASKETBALL, BOYS' YHS at Aberdeen Central (4:30

p.m., KYNT-AM); Irene-Wakonda at Menno; Scotland at Cham-

erlain **BASKETBALL, BOYS' JV** YHS at Aberdeen Central (1

BASKETBALL, BOYS' SOPH YHS at Aberdeen Central

with RHP Joe Martinez and C Brian Jeroloman

Toledo (EL). HOUSTON ASTROS—Named Meg Vaillan-

court vice president of community relations and

executive director of the Astros In Action Foundation. Traded LHP Rob Rasmussen to the L.A. Dodgers for RHP John Ely.

with OF Ichiro Suzuki on a two-year contract.
Designated RHP Jim Miller for assignment.
SEATTLE MARINERS—Traded LHP Jason
Vargas to the L.A. Angels for 1B/DH Kendrys

Morales.
TORONTO BLUE JAYS—Agreed to terms

with 2B Lance Zawadzki on a minor league con-tract. Claimed RHP Mickey Storey off waivers

Steve Sax first base coach and Turner Ward assistant hitting coach. Named Greg Gross hitting coach of Reno (PCL); Andy Green manager and

Jacob Cruz hitting coach of Mobile (SL); Bill Plummer manager and Gil Heredia pitching coach of Visalia (Cal); Jason Camilli hitting coach of South Bend (MWL); Robby Hammock manager, Doug Bochler pitching coach and Wil-

son Valera hitting coach of Missoula (Pioneer);

and Luis Urueta manager of the Arizona League

with RHP Alfredo Figaro on a minor league con-

Steve Skelton from the practice squad.

COLORADO ROCKIES—Agreed to terms with LHP Jeff Francis on a one-year contract.

MILWAUKEE BREWERS—Agreed to terms

FOOTBALL
National Football League
ARIZONA CARDINALS—Released TE

BALTIMORE RAVENS—Released LB D.J. Bryant from the practice squad. Signed RB Lonyae Miller to the practice squad.

BUFFALO BILLS—Signed WR Kevin Elliott and LB Brian Smith to the practice squad.

CAROLINA PANTHERS—Placed C Zack Williams on injured reserve. Signed G Hayworth

Hicks from the practice squad.

CHICAGO BEARS—Signed G Reggie

Stephens to the practice squad.

National League
ARIZONA DIAMONDBACKS—Named

from Houston.

NEW YORK YANKEES-Agreed to terms

DETROIT TIGERS—Released LHP Adam

Assigned LHP Matt Hoffman outright to

on minor league contracts.

Kooistra at 665-5587 for more information.

#### Winter Tennis Leagues Forming The Yankton Tennis Association is forming Junior and

Adult Winter Leagues to begin play in January. Girls' games will be on Dec. 28, including Gayville-Volin The Junior League is for boys and girls ages 11-15 who are not varsity players. Play will be a rotation doubles format, with matches consisting of three sets of eight games each, or 90 minutes, whichever comes first. Play will be on Saturdays at 11 a.m., with play also at 12:30 p.m. if

enough players register. The adult league will have two men's and two women's divisions, based on USTA ranking, and is open to adults and high school varsity players. Play will be a rotation doubles format, with matches consisting of three sets or 90 minutes, whichever comes first. Play will be on Sundays,

with times slots beginning at 1, 3, 5 and 7 p.m. Entries are due on Dec. 31, and may be sent, with entry fee, to Jen Heiman, 2915 Lakeview Drive, Yankton,

SD 57078. Contact Mike Briggs at 665-0137 yankton.tennis@hotmailcom for more information.

# SCOREBOARD

# **BOWLING**

# YANKTON BOWL

HIGH TEAM SERIES: Glass Cutters 2425 HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME: Judy Barta 212, Joan Tammen 203 (errorless), Laurie Bruening 203, Eddie Turner 200

HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES: Candy Olson 554, Joan Tammen 548, Judy Barta 540, Sue

7-8-10; Laurie Bruening 4-5; Betty Adam 3-10; Sandy Gehl 3-10

HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME: Kelly Memin 246 (errorless), Todd Moody 244-226 (errorless)-226 (errorless), Romain Loecker 223, Sharon Scissons 211, Mary Tieszen 184, Elaine List 183 HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES: Todd Moody

696. Kelly Mernin 675, Romain Loecker 580 Sharon Scissons 540, Elaine List 489, Annabelle

STANDINGS: RTBN 40-17, Country Bump-kins 38-22, TCB 36-23, Misfits 33-26, Bob's Hobby Supply 30.5-28.5, Ten Pins 30-30, Pinheads 30-29, Alley Kats 29.5-30.5, R&D Loeck-

10; Marvin Guthmiller 4-5; Lonnie Remington 5 6. Todd Moody 2-7 NOTE: RTBN wins first half

# HIGH TEAM GAME: Lewis & Clark Spe-

cialty Hospital 771 HIGH TEAM SERIES: Lewis & Clark Specialty Hospital 2225 HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME: Joan Tammen

182, Marlene Boecker 175, Tonya Lambertz 174 HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES: Amber Willcuts 483, Joan Tammen 482, Marlene Boecker 472 I STANDINGS: Lewis & Clark Specialty Hospital 65-35, Arens Const. 63-37, Comfy Feet.biz

# S.D. WRESTLING RATINGS

Huron 131; Aberdeen Central 107; Spearfish-Lead-Deadwood 101; Sioux Falls Roosevelt 95; Rapid City Stevens 92; Sioux Falls Washington 76; Brookings 75; Dell Rapids 70 DYNAMITE DOZEN: 1, Nate Rotert,

Pierre; 6, Brett Bye, Vermillion; 7, Troy Kiggens, S.F. Roosevelt; 8, Jarren Jensen, R.C. Central;

Kyle Tulowetzke, Watertown: 9. Trent Francom Huron: 10. Hunter O'Conner, S.F. Lincoln: 11. Austin Idecker, West Central; 12, Taylor Dalen, 113: 1, Brady Burghardt, Watertown; 2

Central: 5. Gene Trimble, Spearfish-Lead-Dead wood; 6, Brock Kortan, S.F. Roosevelt; 7, Levi Butts, Watertown; 8, Trey Hohn, Mitchell; 9, Jackson Pletten, Brandon Valley; 10, Tanner Brengle, SturgisR; 11, Matt Mazoure, Lennox; 12 Tristan Boeckholt West Central

Moser, R.C. Stevens: 6. Grant Rosheim, S.F.

Peterson, R.C. Stevens; 3, Russel Fellicia, Chamberlain; 4, Alex Herrick, Mitchell; 5, Alan Heidinger, R.C. Central; 6, Casey Skillingstad, Yankton; 7, Peter Hansen, Brookings; 8, Kyle Yasgar S F Roosevelt 9 Alex Schroehert Sturgis; 10, Skyler Castilleja, S.F. Lincoln; 11, Tanner Fridrich, Tea Area; 12, Josh Mettler, West 138: 1, Griffin Hieb, Aberdeen Central; 2,

Caleb Stoltenburg, Pierre; 3, Zec Determan, S.F. Roosevelt; 4, Cole Tirrel, West Central; 5, Darin Peterson, Sissebon; 6, Garrett Keegan, Cheyenne-Eagle Butte-Dupree; 7, Tyler Ashley, Douglas-New Underwood-R.C. Christian; 8, Blake Perryman, Dakota Valley: 9. Taylor McLaughlin Watertown: 10 Ethan Parr Mitchell:

# SPARETIME HIGH TEAM GAME: Glass Cutters 894

304, 3041 fallment 340, 3049 Balia 340, 304 Murphy 521 STANDINGS: Glass Cutters 19-5, First Na-tional SC 19-5, Huether Seamless Gutters 17-7, Harding Glass 17-7, Vogt Cleaners 10-14, Lewis

& Clark Marina 9-15, First Dakota 9-15, Marsh-mellows 8-16, Truxedo 8-16 HIGHLIGHTS: Sue Freng - errorless 183; Mary Mock 6-7; Elaine Lane 3-10; Elaine List 6-MONDAY MIXED HIGH TEAM GAME: TCB 521 HIGH TEAM SERIES: TCB 1377

170: 1, Areo Amo, R.C. Central; 2, Francis Boehmer, S.F. Roosevelt; 3, CJ Warren, Yank-ton; 4, Adam Palmer, Brookings; 5, Ramsey Nor-

Watertown: 12. Conner Gose, Huron ston, R.C. Stevens: 10. Cole Carlson, Aberdeer Central; 11, Seth Heine, Vermillion; 12, Wyatt

wood: 2. Trev Maier. Pierre: 3. Matt Schirado. Harrisburg; 4, Thomas Kruse, Yankton; 5, Dustin French, Huron; 6, Jon Wilcox, Sturgis; 7, Aaron Henley, Aberdeen Central; 8, Cameron Goodrich, R.C. Central; 9, Jonah Devries, S.F.

Lettau, Pierre; 3, Josh Hunt, Douglas-New Underwood-R.C. Christian; 4, Taylor Lambert, Dakota Valley; 5, Sam Schaunaman, Aberdeen Central; 6, Kacie Herrig, Spearfish-Lead-Dead-wood; 7, Mark Christenson, Huron; 8, Trey Crisp\_Peterson, S.F. Washington; 9, Leon Maxwell, Dell Rapids; 10, Jon Blue, West Central; 11, Chase Morin, S.F. Roosevelt; 12, Jack

Central; 6, Chris Vroman, S.F. Washington; 7, Ayson Jones, Madison; 8, John Wilson, Sturgis; 9, Robert McCardle, Mitchell; 10, Royce Reis-CLASS B

WRESTLER OF THE WEEK: Dominick

Schooler, Hill City
TEAM SCORES: Parkston 137; Webster 111: Tri Valley 107: Howard 90: Beresford 85:

ner 83; Philip 83; Flandreau 80; Wagner 73; Canton 71
DYNAMITE DOZEN: 1, Nolan Richie, Web-

ster Area; 2, Ryan Schuman, Tri-Valley; 3, Eugene Martin, Kingsbury County; 4, Alex Davies, Canton; 5, Austin Oyen, Tri-Valley; 6, David Kocer, Wagner; 7, Luke Loudenburg, Howard; 8, Jace Christensen, Flandreau; 9, Evan Donahue, Dion Wagner: 12 Tate Novotny Winner

Harkless, Hot Springs; 6, Dirk Wolf, Lemmon-McIntosh; 7, Logan Mahoney, Parkston; 8, Jeb Brown, Philip Area; 9, Jordan Sehr, Canton; 10, Daniel Slama, Stanley County; 11, JC Forman, Miller-Highmore-Harrold; 12, Leo Hopkins, Andes Central 113: 1. Blake Bietz, Parkston: 2. Bailev

Neises, Howard; 3, Patrick Aeschbacher, Winner; 4, Alex Caba, Bon Homme; 5, Logan Richie, Webster Area; 6, RJ Vanderburg, Tri-Valley; 7,

gory; 4, Oliver Aesoph, Faulkton Area; 5, Michael Weidenbach, Miller-Highmore-Harrold; 6, Austin Gilbertson, Kingsbury County; 7, Nick Donnely, Philip Area; 8, Jacob Thom, Tri-Valley; 9, Dawson Semmler Parkston: 10 Nathan Jones Brit

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ton-Hecla; 11, Dominick Schooler, Hill City; 12, Jess Karber, Clark-Willow Lake

126: 1 Nolan Richie Webster Area: 2 Rvan Schuman, Tri-Valley; 3, Sage Zephier, Wagner; 4, Thomas Howe, Garretson; 5, Chasen Cole, Custer; 6, Ethan Murtha, Parkston; 7, Cole Hodges, Howard: 8, Lukas Chase, Stanley

132: 1, Austin Oyen, Tri-Valley; 2, Sean Bice, Winner; 3, Josh Manning, Beresford; 4, Jakob Weisbrod, Clark-Willow Lake; 5, Marshall Swanson, Hill City; 6, Jake Weber, Parkston; 7, Lincoln Stoebner, Bon Homme; 8, Austin Grout, Webster Area: 9. Noah Beck, Burke-Gregory: 10. Brook Anderson, Groton Area: 11, Michael Scott,

Area; 4, Tate Lacey, Flandreau; 5, Myles Bialas, Parkston; 6, Casey Heninger, Stanley County; 7, Sam Ireland, Bennett County; 8, Jared Hueser, Elk Point-Jefferson; 9, Jace Everson, Potter County; 10, Levi Schonebaum, Burke-Gregory; 11, Teigan Strohchein, Newell; 12, Tyrel Haley

tensen, Flandreau; 3, Lane Blasius, Philip Area; 4, Seth McCann , Newell; 5, Wyatt Harrowa, Stanley County; 6, Austin Kaul, Bon Homme; 7, Austin Soukup, Wagner; 8, Weslee Dvorak Parkston; 9, Paul Waring, Miller-Highmore-Har-rold; 10, Jared Limoges, Elk Point-Jefferson; 11, Jacob DeSersa, Hot Springs; 12, Derek Eldeen,

Tri-Valley 152: 1, Zach Schuman, Tri-Valley ; 2, Jake Scofield, Flandreau; 3, Nick Weis, Elk Point-Jef-ferson; 4, Mitch Heisinger, Parkston; 5, Kent Hall, Faulkton Area; 6, Devon Gnat, Miller-Highmore-Harrold; 7, Cory Schlotte, Webster Area; 8, Turner Serr, Burke-Gregory; 9, Brady Soulek, Wagner; 10, Brian Vermuelen, Mount Vernon-Plankinton-Corsica; 11, Dylan Severyn, Custer

David Kocer, Wagner; 3, Chandler Sudbeck, Philip Area; 4, Blase Vanecek, Bon Homme; 5, Jared Harkless, Hot Springs; 6, Dakota McTag-gart, Newell; 7, Nathan Duerre, Webster Area; 8, Austin Haberer, Potter County; 10, Sean McPad den, Garretson; 11, Luke Warejcka, Kimball White Lake-Platte-Geddes; 12, Jonah Beck Burke-Gregory 170: 1, Clayton Wahlstrom, Custer; 2, Jareo

McClurg, Webster Area; 3, Miles Semmler, Parl McCurrg, Websier Area, 3, Miles Semmler, Park ston; 4, Josh Casperson, Beresford; 5, James Jungwirth, Howard; 6, Kyle Scofield, Flandreau 7, Trevor Lensing, Wagner; 8, Clint Everet-Stout Philip Area; 9, Brandon Potter, Faulkton Area 10, Turner Blasius, Kimball-White Lake-Platte Geddes; 11, Caleb Van Whye, Canton; 12 Teddy Lopez, Mobridge-Pollock
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County: 4. Dakota Peterson, Flandreau: dell, Miller-Highmore-Harrold; 10, Evan Larse Kingsbury County: 11. Cameron Kostel. Mou Vernon-Plankinton-Corsica; 12, David Jense 195: 1, Eugene Martin, Kingsbury County

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Burggraff, Tri-Valley; 11, Denver Jost, Potter County; 12, Tristan Lutter, Beresford 285: 1, Robbie Aesoph, Faulkton Area; 2, Dalton Locke, Groton Area; 3, Tate Gress, Harding County; 4, Danny Stibral, Scotland; 5, Austin Parkston: 6. Cody Friese, Redfield-Doland: 7. Sawver Rous, Bennett County: 8. Anthoney Skaleski, St. Thomas More; 9, Garrett Clark, Lemmon-McIntosh; 10, Derek Wiebers, Beresford; 11, Matt Muth, Britton-Hecla; 12,

# VOLLEYBALL

# YANKTON PARKS & REC

Cooling 3-0 21-17, 21-14, 22-20

STANDINGS: Neu Pond & Landscaping 6-0. Inside-Outers 4-2. Amanda's Pet Styling 4-2. Bud Light-Fleeg's-NAPA 2-4, Larry's Heating & Cooling 1-5, Pro-Auto 1-5

# **BASKETBALL**

# YANKTON PARKS & REC

MEN'S JUST FOR FUN LEAGUE RESULTS: Cortrust def. Home Federal Bank 75-48; Team Ramrod def. Conkling Distrib-

STANDINGS: CorTrust Bank 3-0. Kobe Did

#### WEDNESDAY'S S.D. BOYS Lakota Nation Tournament

Cheyenne-Eagle Butte 64, Tiospa Zina Tribal 56 Little Wound 69, Omaha Nation, Neb. 41

Pine Ridge 73, Flandreau Indian 58 Red Cloud 69, Hill City 26 St. Francis Indian 57, Custer 56 White River 122, Takini 47

#### WEDNESDAY'S S.D. GIRLS Lakota Nation Tournament

Cheyenne-Eagle Butte 58, Flandreau Indian

Little Wound 63. Tiospa Zina Tribal 45 McLaughlin 49, Custer 26 Pine Ridge 119, Takini 4 Todd County 55, St. Francis Indian 29

Crow Creek 57, Omaha Nation, Neb. 32

Lakota Nation Tournament Little Wound, S.D. 69, Omaha Nation 41

WEDNESDAY'S NEB. BOYS

WEDNESDAY'S NEB. GIRLS Lakota Nation Tournament First Round

Crow Creek, S.D. 57, Omaha Nation 32

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Tuesday's Games Toronto 113, Cleveland 99 Atlanta 100, Washington 95, OT Utah 92, Brooklyn 90 Miami 103, Minnesota 92 Chicago 100, Boston 89 Milwaukee 98. Indiana 93 Dallas 107. Philadelphia 100 Denver 112, San Antonio 106 Golden State 103, New Orleans 96

L.A. Lakers 101, Charlotte 100 Wednesday's Games New York 100, Brooklyn 86 Orlando 90, Washington 83

# AREA CALENDAR

# Thursday, December 20 BASKETBALL, WOMEN'S USD at Utah State (1 p.m.,

KVHT-FM)

BASKETBALL, BOYS' Knight Classic in Fremont (Hartington Cedar Catholic); Bloomfield at Creighton; Bon Homme vs. Irene-Wakonda at Irene; Hartington at Boyd County, Menno at Freeman Academy; Parker at Sioux Valley; Tripp-Delmont-

at Freeman Academy, Farker at Sloux Valley; Inpp-Jelmoni-Armour vs. Viborg-Hurley at Viborg

BASKETBALL, GIRLS' Bloomfield at Creighton; Bon
Home vs. Irene-Wakonda at Wakonda; Hartington at Boyd
County; Menno at Freeman Academy; Nibotrara-Verdigre at
Lindsay Holy Family; Parker at Sloux Valley; Platte-Geddes at

Lindsay Holy Family; Parker at Sioux Valley; Platte-Geddes at Freeman; Ponca at Dakota Valley; Tripp-Delmont-Armour vs. Viborg-Hurley at Viborg Priday, December 21

BASKETBALL, BOYS' Knight Classic in Fremont (Hartington Cedar Catholic); Elk Point-Jefferson at Dell Rapids; Parkston vs. Corsica-Stickney at Corsica; Wynot at Randolph BASKETBALL, GIRLS' Elk Point-Jefferson at Dell Rapids;

Oklahoma City 100, Atlanta 92 Houston 125, Philadelphia 103 Charlotte at Phoenix, 9 p.m. Milwaukee at Memphis, 9:30 p.m. Golden State at Sacramento, 10 p.m. New Orleans at L.A. Clippers, 10:30 p.m Thursday's Games

Oklahoma City at Minnesota, 6 p.m. Miami at Dallas, 8:30 p.m. Denver at Portland, 9 p.m. Friday's Games Atlanta at Philadelphia, 6 p.m.

Orlando at Toronto, 6 p.m. Milwaukee at Boston, 6:30 p.m. Chicago at New York, 6:30 p.m. Indiana at Cleveland, 6:30 p.m. Washington at Detroit, 6:30 p.m Dallas at Memphis, 7 p.m. New Orleans at San Antonio, 7:30 p.m Charlotte at Golden State, 9:30 p.m. Sacramento at L.A. Clippers, 9:30 p.m.

# **FOOTBALL**

# NAIA FOOTBALL POLL

F	Record	Pts	Pvs	(7-5), T p.III. (ODO)
1. Marian (Ind.) (14)	12-1	314	5	LIBERTY: Iowa St
2. Morningside (lowa)	13-1	302	3	2:30 p.m. (ESPN)
3. Missouri Valley	12-1	290	<b>3</b> 2	CHICK-FIL-A: LS
4. Saint Xavier (III.)	12-2	278	4	2), 6:30 p.m. (ESPN)
5. Southern Oregon	9-3	252	10	Tuesday, Jan. 1
6. Saint Francis (Ind.)	9-3	247	6	HEART OF DAL
7. Cumberlands (Ky.)	10-2	242	7	Oklahoma State (7-5),
8. Georgetown (Ky.)	10-1	234	1	GATOR: Mississip
9. Bethel (Tenn.)	9-4	227	18	western (9-3), 11 a.m.
10. St. Ambrose (lowa)	9-2	198	8	CAPITAL ONE:
11. MidAm. Nazarene (Ka	n.) 8-3	186	9	braska (10-3), noon (A
12. Northwestern (lowa)		177	12	OUTBACK: South
12. Montana Tech	8-3	177	14	gan (8-4), noon (ESPN
14. Baker (Kan.)	8-3	167	11	ROSE: Stanford (
15. William Penn (lowa)	9-3	155	13	4 p.m. (ESPN)
16. Ottawa (Kan.)	8-3	137	15	ORANGE: North
17. Grand View (lowa)	8-3	119	16	Florida State (11-2), 7:
18. Tabor (Kan.)	8-2	113	17	Wednesday, Jan. 2
19. Cumberland (Tenn.)	8-3	93	20	SUGAR: Florida (
20. Doane (Neb.)	7-3	89	19	7:30 p.m. (ESPN)
21. Carroll (Mont.)	7-4	76	21	Thursday, Jan. 3
22. Benedictine (Kan.)	7-4	49	22	FIESTA: Kansas
23. Evangel (Mo.)	7-4	46	23	(11-1), 7:30 p.m. (ESP
24. Valley City State (N.I	0.) 7-3	36	24	Friday, Jan. 4
25. Kentucky Christian	7-4	26	25	COTTON: Texas A
,				(10-2), 7 p.m. (FOX)
FBS BOWL GAMES	Saturday, Jan. 5			
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NEW MEXICO: Arizona 49, Nevada 48
FAMOUS IDAHO POTATO: Utah State 41, Thursday, Dec. 20 POINSETTIA: San Diego State (9-3) vs. J (7-5), 7 p.m. (ESPN)

Friday, Dec. 21 BEEF 'O' BRADY'S: Ball State (9-3) vs. UCF (9-4), 6:30 p.m. (ESPN) NEW ORLEANS: East Carolina (8-4) vs. Louisiana-Lafayette (7-4), 11 a.m. (ESPN) LAS VEGAS: Boise State (10-2) vs. Wash-

ington (7-5), 2:30 p.m. (ESPN) HAWAII: SMU (6-6) vs. Fresno State (9-3),

7 p.m. (ESPN) LITTLE CAESARS PIZZA: Central Michi-

MILITARY: Bowling Green (8-4) vs. San Jose State (10-2), 2 p.m. (ESPN)

12/23

1 - 4pm

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**BELK:** Duke (6-6) vs. Cincinnati (9-3), 5:30

HOLIDAY: Baylor (7-5) vs. UCLA (9-4) 8:45 p.m. (ESPN)

Friday, Dec. 28

INDEPENDENCE: Louisiana-Monroe (8-4)

p.m. (ES

vs. Ohio (8-4), 1 p.m. (ESPN)

RUSSELL ATHLETIC: Virginia Tech (6-6) vs. Rutgers (9-3), 4:30 p.m. (ESPN)

MEINEKE CAR CARE: Minnesota (6-6) vs.

Texas Tech (7-5), 8 p.m. (ESPN)

Saturday, Dec. 29

ARMED FORCES: Rice (6-6) vs. Air Force

(6-6), 10:45 a.m. (ESPN)
FIGHT HUNGER: Arizona State (7-5) vs.
Navy (7-4), 2:15 p.m. (ESPN2)
PINSTRIPE: Syracuse (7-5) vs. West Virginia (7-5), 2:15 p.m. (ESPN) ALAMO: Texas (8-4) vs. Orgeon State (9-

5:45 p.m. (ESPN) **BUFFALO WILD WINGS:** Michigan State (6-6) vs. TCU (7-5), 9:15 p.m. (ESPN) Monday, Dec. 31 MUSIC CITY: Vanderbilt (8-4) vs. N.C. State

(7-5), 11 a.m. (ESPN)

SUN: Georgia Tech (6-7) vs. Southern Cal (7-5), 1 p.m. (CBS) **LIBERTY:** lowa State (6-6) vs. Tulsa (10-3), CHICK-FIL-A; LSU (10-2) vs. Clemson (10-

HEART OF DALLAS: Purdue (6-6) vs. Oklahoma State (7-5), 11 a.m. (ESPNU)

GATOR: Mississippi State (8-4) vs. Northvestern (9-3), 11 a.m. (ESPN2)

CAPITAL ONE: Georgia (11-2) vs. Ne-

oraska (10-3), noon (ABC) OUTBACK: South Carolina (10-2) vs. Michi-1 (8-4), noon (ESPN) ROSE: Stanford (11-2) vs. Wisconsin (8-5),

ORANGE: Northern Illinois (12-1) vs. Vednesday, Jan. 2
SUGAR: Florida (11-2), r.30 p.m. (ESPN)
Vednesday, Jan. 2
SUGAR: Florida (11-1) vs. Louisville (10-2),

FIESTA: Kansas State (11-1) vs. Oregon (11-1), 7:30 p.m. (ESPN) COTTON: Texas A&M (10-2) vs. Oklahoma

BBVA COMPASS: Pittsburgh (6-6) vs. Mississippi (6-6), noon (ESPN)

GODADDY.COM: Kent State (11-2) vs. as State (9-3), 8 p.m. (ESPN) onday, Jan. 7

BCS NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP AT MIAMI: Notre Dame (12-0) vs. Alabama (12-1),

7:30 p.m. (ESPN)

# **TRANSACTIONS**

BASEBALL
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE — Suspended free agent minor league RHP Kyle Pelchy 50 games for refusing to take an off-season drug

American League
BALTIMORE ORIOLES—Agreed to terms with 1B Travis Ishikawa, LHP Daniel Schlereth and LHP Zach Braddock on minor league contracts. BOSTON RED SOX—Agreed to terms with

RHP Ryan Dempster on a two-year contract Designated RHP Pedro Beato for assignment CLEVELAND INDIANS—Designated OF

12/25

Merry Christmas!

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BASKETBALL, BOYS' 9TH YHS at Aberdeen Central (1 BASKETBALL, GIRLS' Aberdeen Central at YHS (4:30

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HOCKEY. GIRLS' JV Yankton at Sioux Falls (DH. 1:30 &

HOCKEY, PEEWEE Yankton A at S.F. East (DH, 11:30 a.m.

WRESTLING, PREP S.F. Lincoln Inv. (Parkston, Vermil-Sunday, December 23
HOCKEY, PEEWEE Yankton A at S.F. West (8 a.m.)

Russ Canzler for assignment. Agreed to terms DALLAS COWBOYS-Released DE Rober

Rose from the practice squad.

DETROIT LIONS—Placed CB Jacob Lacey on injured reserve. Signed CB Rob Bartell.
Signed DB Ross Weaver to the practice squad.
Placed DT Nick Fairley on injured reserve.

Signed DT Ogemdi Nwagbuo. GREEN BAY PACKERS—Signed CB Otis Merrill to the practice squad.

INDIANAPOLIS COLTS—Released G

tobert Griffin from the practice squad. Signed T Lee Ziemba to the practice squad.

MIAMI DOLPHINS—Placed RB Daniel sey from the practice squad.

NEW ORLEANS SAINTS—Placed CB

Corey White on injured reserve. Signed WR Saalim Hakim from the practice squad. NEW YORK JETS—Placed WR Stephen Hill on injured reserve. Signed DB Donnie Fletcher from the practice squad.

PHILADELPHIA EAGLES—Placed TE Clay

Harbor on injured reserve.

PITTSBURGH STEELERS—Reinstated RB Rashard Mendenhall from the suspended list.
Placed G Willie Colon and CB DeMarcus Van Dyke on injured reserve. Signed DB Justin King. SEATTLE SEAHAWKS—Signed LB Kyle Knox and DE Monte Taylor to the practice squad.
TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS—Signed TE

Drake Dunsmore and LB Joe Holland to the WASHINGTON REDSKINS—Released LB Kourtnei Brown from the practice squad.

COLLEGE
OKLAHOMA CHRISTIAN—Named Neil

Hilton women's assistant soccer coach. ST. CATHERINE—Promoted women's interim basketball coach Sean Pinkerton to head

coach.
SOUTH ALABAMA—Announced the retirement of men's basketball coach Ronnie Arrow, effective immediately. Named men's associate head basketball coach Jeff Price interim coach. STANFORD-Agreed to terms with football

coach David Shaw on a long-term contract extension.
SYRACUSE—Announced media director Roger Springfield is no longer employed by the TEXAS-PAN AMERICAN—Announced it

has accepted an invitation to join the Western Athletic Conference, effective July 1, 2013.

#### **Ponder Marries ESPN Reporter Samantha Steele** EDEN PRAIRIE, Minn. (AP) — Minnesota Vikings quarterback Chris-

Ponder confirmed on Wednesday that the two were married at a court-A Minnesota quarterback getting married in Wisconsin? Ponder savs he

get married across the border, but he was just trying to keep it quiet. He says they wanted to get married before the holidays "and for some other personal reasons" and that it will not distract him from the game

Coach Lešlie Frazier says he's happy for Ponder and not at all concerned about the timing.

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126: 1, Troy Kiggens, S.F. Roosevelt, 2, Chet Glanzer, Huron; 3, Ryan O'Conner, S.F. Lincoln; 4, Justice Lamer, Brookings; 5, Jordan Washington: 7. Jesse Skidmore, Sturgis: 8

CLASS A
WRESTLER OF THE WEEK: Taylor McLaughlin, Watertown TEAM: Pierre 179; Rapid City Central 172;

9, Regan Francom, Huron; 10, David Potratz, S.F. Washington; 11, Brady Burghardt, Water-town; 12, Tanner Lambert, Dakota Valley 106: 1, Tyler Waterson, Spearfish-Lead-Deadwood; 2, Zane Joens, Sturgis; 3, Chase O'Conner, S.F. Washington; 4, Tyler Pfeifle, R.C. Central; 5, Noah Vetter, Yankton; 6, Carter Lohr, S.F. Roosevelt; 7, Specer Sarringer, Pierre; 8,

Rowbotham, Brandon Valley
120: 1, David Potratz, S.F. Washington; 2,
Hayden Hansen, R.C. Central; 3, Keaton
Ohlson, R.C. Stevens; 4, Trevor Hieb, Aberdeen

Adam Pressler, Brandon Valley; 9, Kyle Pfeifle, R.C. Central; 10, Aaron O'Day, Pierre; 11, Trevor Larson, Aberdeen Central; 12, Conner Tomac, 132: 1. Tanner Monfore, Pierre: 2. Garrett

lund, S.F. Lincoln 145: 1, Brett Bye, Vermillion; 2, Blake Stone, R.C. Central: 3. Mitch Johnson, Aberdeen Cen

152: 1, Tyler Gee, Dell Rapids; 2, Casey Klapprodt, R.C. Stevens; 3, Hartman Katz, Huron; 4, John Frisco, Aberdeen Central; 5, Mar-tin Mueller, R.C. Central; 6, Devon Crandall, Brookings; 7, Matt Goth, Madison; 8, Seth Scott,

tral; 4, Phillip Schwebach, Dell Rapids; 5, Zach

ton, Spearfish-Lead-Deadwood; 6, Jordan Hunt, Douglas-New Underwood-R C Christian: 7 Seth Haper, S.F. Lincoln; 8, Spencer Folk, Milbank; 9, Grayson Neuharth, Aberdeen Central; 10, Sayth Jacobson, Pierre; 11, Sterling Gehrke,

Resmen, Brookings 195: 1, Nate Rotert, Spearfish-Lead-Dead-Washington; 10, Corey Welbon, Madison; 11, Trevor Peter, Dell Rapids; 12, Morgan Keller,

Schuver, S.F. O'Gorman 285: 1, Tanner Lambert, Dakota Valley; 2, Matt Halter, Huron; 3, Justin Behrend, Brookings; 4, Dylan Bennet, Pierre; 5, Aaron Beaird, R.C. ner, Yankton; 11, Layne Krier, West Central; 12, Jeremiah Harmon, Spearfish-Lead-Deadwood

Howard; 10, Zach Schuman, Tri-Valley; 11, Tyler 106: 1, Duncan Stoebner, Bon Homme; 2, Nick Casperson, Beresford; 3, Dylan Eldeen, Tri-Valley; 4, Kelby Hawkins, Groton Area; 5, Brice

Jared Lyle, Beresford; 8, Joseph Veskerna, Burke-Gregory; 9, Jacob Fitzgerald, Garretson; 10, Rance Johnson, Philip Area; 11, Josh Simunek, Hot Springs; 12, Rayce Harder, Gro-120: 1, Luke Loudenburg, Howard; 2, Justin Haneke Beresford: 3 Kurt Braun Burke-Gre

tral; 4, Nick Hansen, Brookings; 5, Tyler Abbott Douglas-New Underwood-R.C. Christian; 6, Bai ley Konvolin, R.C. Stevens; 7, Matt Huber, Yankton: 8. Matt Larson, Mitchell: 9. Conner Smith Brandon Valley: 10, AJ Dorschner, Pierre: 11 Casey Cox, Watertown; 12, William Hins, Mil-

Pierre; 9, Wyatt Winter, Brandon Valley; 10, Regan Bye Vermillion: 11 Cole Hemmah Sturisign: 12, Tayton Ledbetter, S.F. Washington 160: 1, Regan Francom, Huron; 2, Dawson Monfore, Pierre; 3, Shane O'Connell, R.C. Cen-

Melcher Aberdeen Central: 6 Jesse Forman Watertown; 7, James Hisek, Yankton; 8, Michael McComish, Madison; 9, Noah Diamond, R.C. Stevens; 10, Luke Reiter, S.F. Washington; 11, Brandon Hertz, Vermillion; 12, Lane Warzecha,

182: 1. Jackson Entringer, Dell Rapids: 2. Mason Bender, Brandon Valley; 3, Kyle Sar-ringar, Pierre; 4, Tyler Kleinsasser, Huron; 5, Tyler Currey, Madison; 6, Landon Peterson, Harrisburg; 7, Dan Marlette, S.F. Washington; 8, Zach Schneider, R.C. Central; 9, Casey John-

220: 1, Jarren Jensen, R.C. Central; 2, Lane

County; 9, Patrick Wilson, Lemmon-McIntosh; 10, Dalton Gerbracht, Sunshine Bible; 11, Brady Jandreau, Lyman; 12, Keith Konold, Deuel

Stanley County; 12, Colby Pierret, Garretson 138: 1, Evan Donahue, Howard; 2, Tyler Dion, Wagner; 3, Spencer Rausch, Webster

145: 1. Alex Davies, Canton: 2. Jace Chris-

Gage Plueger, Canton 160: 1, Tyson Mitzel, Aberdeen Roncalli; 2, Jerry Kappenman, McCook Central-Montrose;

cobs, Canton; 3, Dalton McCullom, Benne Chance Knutson, Philip Area; 6, Mark Meland Webster Area; 7, Tad Reiner, McCook Central Montrose; 8, Clay Seidler, Custer; 9, Tre Blas

ford; 11, Ryley Ostbye, Canton; 12, Matt Schlosser, Aberdeen Roncalli 220: 1, Brody Peterson, Lemmon-McIntosh; 2, Brady Reiff, Parkston; 3, Logan Tonak, Clark-Willow Lake; 4, Tanner Broughton, Canton; 5, Chad Siurson Webster Area: 6 Brady Spiry Mobridge-Pollock; 7, Logan T Ammons, Philip Area; 8, Robert Hoiten, McCook Central-Montrose; 9, Trenton Duncan, Groton Area; 10, Dominick

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CLEVELAND BROWNS—Signed TE George Bryan to the practice squad.

# tian Ponder and ESPN reporter Samantha Steele have tied the knot. house in Wisconsin on Monday. knows some Vikings fans won't be happy that their quarterback decided to

against Houston on Sunday. Ponder calls it the biggest game of his career, with the Vikings chasing down a playoff berth.

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