There is still work to do, and Youmans would be the first to admit that. The program has still gone 15 years

The Gazelles still finished four points outside the top four and 17 points behind champion Rapid City Cen-

since its last top-10 inidividual showing at state (which could change today )Michelle Slowey in the floor exer-

cise and bars in 1998, and has gone 18 years since its last ESD individual champion, all-arounder Carrie Al-

tral. The latter may be a gap the program never completely overcomes, but the work that the student-athletes

and coaches are doing during the season and outside the season in the River City Gymnastics program are

And hopefully this taste of success on the state's biggest stage will leave the Gazelles hungry for more.



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

# Wear Green To Tonight's Bucks-**Pierre Basketball Game**

Fans are encouraged to wear green to tonight's (Saturday) boys' basketball game with Pierre, as Yankton stands side-by-side with our friends from Pierre joining "Conrad's Clan" and showing our support of Conrad Adam, a junior at T. F. Riggs High School, battling osteosarcoma.

Pierre fans have been invited to join Yankton fans for a tailgating party in the YHS Commons from 4-7 p.m. that evening, to enjoy chili and cinnamon rolls. A free-will donation will be taken, with all proceeds going to Conrad Adam

Play begins at 4 p.m., with the varsity game set for approximately 7:30 p.m. at the Summit Center.

# **BY JAMES D. CIMBUREK**

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MITCHELL - Since weather cut the Culver's DWU

Classic short on Saturday, the Dakota Wesleyan Univer-

sity men's basketball program has decided to host two

more high school games next week for basketball fans

games at the Culver's DWU Doubleheader Monday, Feb.

which is ranked No. 4 in Class B - will take on the 17-1

South Central Cougars. Directly following that game,

Ethan High School will take on Freeman High School at

18, at the Corn Palace. At 6:30 p.m., Viborg/Hurley

The Tigers will host two high school boys' basketball

tral Monday In Mitchell

around the state.

about 8 p.m.

For the past couple years, head coach Luke Youmans and the other members of the Yankton-Bon Homme gymnastics coaching staff have been telling my staff and I that the program was close to "turning the corner" and being among the more competitive programs in the state. Consider that corner turned.

The Gazelles claimed a spot on the Class AA awards podium for the first time in several years with a seventh place finish at state. The program had finished sixth in the Eastern South Dakota Conference championships two weeks ago, but finished fifth among those teams on Friday.

# Viborg-Hurley To Play South Cen- Albert Fernandez Benefit Raffle **Drawing Today**

The Mount Marty College Athletic Department is sponsoring a benefit raffle for the college's head women's softball coach and enrollment counselor, Albert Fernandez. The raffle will continue through all the home Lancers basketball games this season.

Albert Fernandez, age 39, was recently diagnosed with stage four lung cancer. Opting to seek treatment at MD Anderson Cancer Center in Houston, Texas, the road to recovery and the ATTACK on the cancer have just begun. All the proceeds from this benefit raffle will go directly to the Fernandez Family to help defrav expenses that will be occurring as a result of his treatment.

Prizes included in this raffle include \$500.00 Cash from

Lancer Club Steering Committee; Truxedo Pick-up Cover (RV: \$500), \$50 Royal Sports Gift Certificate; XTreme Hair & Spa Pampering Treatment:, Timberwolves Game Package for March 30th vs. Memphis, includes: 1 Night's Stay at Holiday Inn, 4 Tickets to Moose Mountain Adventure Golf, 4 Wristbands to Nickelodeon at Mall of America (RV \$500, Courtesy of 5 Star Communications); \$100 JJ Benji's Gift Certificate; \$40 Walmart Gift Certificate, Courtesy of KYNT: \$100 Yankton Chamber Bucks, Harley Davidson Sunglasses & Banner (RV: \$100), 2 Tickets to Pink Floyd Experience, 8 Tickets to Carmike Theaters; HyVee Beef Bundle (RV: \$70); and a 40" Sony Bravia TV. The final drawing for the prizes will take place during

**'Corner' Finally Turned For Gazelles Gymnastics** 

AREA CALENDAR

Saturday, February 16 BASKETBALL, MENS Concordia at MMC (4 p.m., KYNT-AM); Fort Wayne at USD (7 m., KYHT-FM) BASKETBALL, WOMEN'S USD at Fort Wayne (1 p.m.,

BASKETBALL, WOMEN'S USD at Poll Wayne († p.m., KVHT-M), Concordia at MMC (2 p.m., KVNT-AM) BASKETBALL, BOYS' Pierre at YHS (7:30 p.m., KVHT.com); Centerville at Beresford; Mitchell Christian at Menno; Oldham-Ramona-Rutland at Marion BASKETBALL, BOYS' JV Pierre at YHS (4 p.m.) DASKETBALL, BOYS' JV Pierre at YHS (4 p.m.)

BASKETBALL, BOYS' SOPH Pierre at YHS (5.45 p.m.) BASKETBALL, BOYS' STH Pierre at YHS (5.45 p.m.) BASKETBALL, BOYS' STH Pierre at YHS (4 p.m.) BASKETBALL, GIRLS' YHS at Pierre (7.30 p.m., KYNT-AM, KYTK-AM); S.D. Districts — 7B at Tea (Marion vs. Canis-

tota, 6:30 p.m.; Bridgewater-Emery vs. Freeman Academy, 8 p.m.); 11B at Mitchell (Ethan vs. Menno, 3 p.m.); 12B (Tripp-Delmont-Armour at Marty, 7 p.m.; Andes Central at Colome, 7

nt-Armour at Marty, 7 p.m.; Andes Central at Cold

BASKETBALL, GIRLS' JV YHS at Pierre (4 p.m.) BASKETBALL, GIRLS' SOPH YHS at Pierre (5:45 p.m.)

New York

Brooklyn

Toronto

Miami

Atlanta

Orlando

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AVON (6-13) ..... FREEMAN (12-7)....

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Jackson.

Shaun Becker added 16 points, three blocks

and three steals. Jordan Rinehart also finished

in double figures, scoring 10 points and added

For the Pirates, Logan Mudder scored 15

Freeman plays at Ethan on Monday while

CREIGHTON, Neb. - Bronson Pahl scored

22 points and Creighton out-scored Ponca 41-

22 after halftime in a 69-51 boys' victory Friday

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Avon (6-13) travels to Burke on Thursday to bat-

**Creighton 69, Ponca 51** 

Charles Woodso

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thoff in 1996.

definitely proving fruitful.

the last home Lancers basketball game on Saturday, Feb. Winners do not need to be present to win.

Raffle tickets can be purchased at the home Lancers

basketball games, the Mount Marty College Bookstore, Yankton Quarterback Club meetings, and the KYNT Radio station.

Fernandez resides in Yankton with his two children: AJ age 13, and Mya, age 10.

Contact the Lancer Athletic Offices at 668-1241 or email media@mtmc.edu for more information.

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Tourn. at Rapid City

If you have any sports-related story ideas, upcoming events or comments, feel free to contact us at sports@yankton.net or by mail at 319 Walnut, Yankton, S.D., 57078.

Be sure to include all pertinent information, including your name, phone number and your story idea or comment.

HOCKEY, BOYS' BANTAM Brookings at Yankton (9 a.m.) HOCKEY, PEEWEE State 'A' Tourn. at Mitchell; State 'B'

Monday, February 18 BASEBALL, COLLEGE MMC vs. North Dakota at Min-

neapolis (DH, 12:15 p.m.) BASKETBALL, BOYS' Neb. Sub-Districts — C1-7 at Wis-ner (Ponca vs. Logan View, 7 p.m.); C2-8 at O'Neill (Niobrara-Verdigre vs. West Holt, 7 p.m.); D1-6 at Wausa (Allen vs. Emerson-Hubbard, 7 p.m.); D2-5 at Hartington (Walthill vs. Winside, 7 p.m.); D2-6 at Randolph (Osmond vs. Santee, 7 p.m.); Freeman at Ethan; Parkston at Parker; Platte-Geddes at Gregory; Scotland at Hanson; Tripp-Delmont-Armour vs. Kim-Bill White Ia to at Kimbell Wange at Murku Indian

BASKETBALL, GIRLS' S.D. Districts - 8B at Gavville

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Alcester-Hudeon, Centerville, Gayville-Volin, Irene-Wakonda, Viborg-Hurley); 12B (Marty/Tripp-Delmont-Armour winner at Dakota Christian, 7 p.m.; Andes Central-Colome winner vs.

White Lake at Kimball; Wagner at Marty Indian

## SCOREBOARD

### VOLLEYBALL

### YANKTON PARKS & REC

MEN'S LEAGUE RESULTS: Stockmen's def. Net Ninjas/Upper Deck 21-18, 21-12, 21-14; Murdo's def. KPI Crushers 15-21, 21-16, 21-16; KPI Crushers def. Chico's Bail Bonds 21-11, 21-15, 21-19

STANDINGS: Stockmen's 12-0, Net Ninjas-Upper Deck 8-4, KPI Crushers 6-6, Murdo's 4-8, Chico's Bail Bonds 0-12

### WOMEN'S POWER LEAGUE

RESULTS: Skerrs def. Hanson Briggs 21-16, 24-22, 21-17; Team Wortmann def. Drotzmann Construction 15-21, 21-16, 21-19 STANDINGS: Hanson Briggs 8-2, Drotzmann Const. 5-5, Team Wortmann 4-6, Skeers 3-7

WOMENS' COMPETITIVE LEAGUE I RESULTS: Bud Bumpers def. Becker Body/JJ Benji's 16-21, 21-9, 22-20; O'Malley's def. Lewis & Clark Specialty 21-16, 19-21, 21-18; Cork'n Bottle def. Subway Girls 21-15, 21-17, 21-8; Jo Deans def. Walnut 21-15, 21-15, 18-21; Don't Bump to Strangers def. The Associates (forfeit) STANDINGS: Bud Bumpers 7-1. JoDeans

STANDINGS: Bud Bumpers /-1, Jobeans 6-2, Don't Bump To Strangers 6-2, Waihut 5-3, Cork'n' Bottle 5-3, Associates 4-4, O'Malley's 3-5, Becker Body-JJ. Benji's 2-6, Lewis & Clark Specialty 2-6, Subway Gins 0-8 WOMEN'S COMPETITIVE LEAGUE II

RESULTS: Full House Property def. Slam-min Hot (forfeit); Mad Dashers def. TNT 21-17, 21-12, 21-15; In It 4 Fun def. First Dakota 21-11, 21-11, 21-10; Rounding 3rd def. First Dakota 9-21, 21-17, 21-17; Ear, Nose & Throat Associates def. JJ Benji's 22-20, 21-13, 21-10 STANDINGS: Full House Property 10-0, Ear

Nose & Throat Assoc. 8-2, Slammin Hot 6-4, Rounding 3rd 5-5, In It 4 Fun 5-5, TNT 4-6, JJ Benji's 3-7, First Dakota 2-8, Mad Dashers 2-8

### BOWLING

CROFTON WOMEN'S AMERICAN HIGH TEAM GAME: Wiebelhaus PDR 748 HIGH TEAM SERIES: Wiebelhaus 2143

HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME: Jill Wiebelhaus 171, Tonya Lambert 166, Carolyn Leader 165, Jane Dawson 165 HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES: Jill Wiebelhaus

485, Carolyn Leader 448, Jane Dawson 432 I STANDINGS: Comfy feet.biz 50-30, Lewis & Clark Specialty Hospital 29-51, Arens Const. 27-53

II STANDINGS: F&M Bank 55-25. DSM Apis. 42-38, Wiebelhaus PDR 37-43 HIGHLIGHTS: Amber Willcuts 1-5-7 NOTE: Comfy feet.biz, F&M Bank won

rolloffs between first and second thirds.

### WRESTLING

YANKTON YOUTH WRESTLING BON HOMME TOURN.

Feb. 10 at Tyndall FIRST: Taten Bahm, Patrick Gurney, Ashton Keller, Shavce Platt

SECOND: Tucker Bahm, Kyler Lillie, Paul McGlone, Parker Pooler, Josh Riibe, Ray Wermers THIRD: Isaac Dooley, Gerald Greger, Jr.,

Ocean Hawk, Bradley Howe, Chase Howe, Lance Kotrous, William Pavlish, Shaylor Platt, Craig Stub FOURTH: Lane Donner, Ty Eichenberger, Tour McClone John Rve, Dylar

Dylan Howe, Tony McGlone, John Rye, Dylan Sloan, Joe Smith, Crew Stub

RESULTS: Conkling Distributing def. Kobe Did It 67-55; Team Ramrod def. Home Federal Bank 57-52 STANDINGS: Cortrust Bank 6-1, Team

Ramrod 5-2, Conkling Distributing 3-4, Home Federal Bank 3-5, Kobe Did It 1-6 COMPETITIVE LEAGUE RESULTS: Flint Tropics def. Neighborhood Dental 87-75; Spinal Tappers def. The Ball Play-Denial 67-75, Spinal rappers del. The Ball Play-res 83-82; Horn Lav Office/Upper Deck def. Ben's Brewing Co. 83-69 STANDINGS: Flint Tropics 10-0, Spinal Tap-pers 7-3, Neighborhood Dental 5-5, Horn Law Office-Upper Deck 5-5, Ben's Brewing 3-7, Ball

Players 0-10

# YANKTON MIDDLE SCHOOL

SEVENTH GRADE BOYS A-YANKTON 41, BRANDON VALLEY 32: YMS Scoring — Casey Krejci 12, Trevor Rafferty 10, Jack Wolfgram 8, Tate Gale 6, Brady Dan-gler 3, Kobe Bowker 2 B — BRANDON VALLEY 38, YANKTON 33: gler 3, B YMS Scoring — Bowker 10, Brummer 6, Dykstra 4, Franzen 4, Jurrens 2, Fitzgerald 2, Kuchta 2,

Dangler 2, Galvan-Hofer 1 C — BRANDON VALLEY 39, YANKTON 16: YMS Scoring — Haag 5, Kraft 4, Caruthers 2, Cutler 2, Ahlers 2, Scoblic 1

### FRIDAY'S S.D. BOYS

Bon Homme 56, Gregory 45 Canton 68, Alcester-Hudson 40 Castlewood 59, Estelline 24 Chamberlain 80, McLaughlin 34 Clark/Willow Lake 59, Aberdeen Roncalli 48 Dakota Christian 51, Colome 47 Dell Rapids 51, Lennox 48 Ethan 61, Tripp-Delmont/Armour 40 Florence/Henry 49, Waubay 36 Garretson 73, Sioux Valley 59 Groton Area 65, Britton-Hecla 47 Herreid/Selby Area 47, Leola/Frederick 43 Hitchcock-Tulare 71, Northwestern 42 Jones County 57, Bennett County 38 Lake Preston 74, Iroquois 45 Lyman 65, Kadoka Area 19 Madison 59, Pipestone, Minn. 37 Milbank 44, Webster 39 Miller 64, Stanley County 45 Mt. Vernon/Plankinton 74, Parkston 62 Pierre 74 Watertown 51 Platte-Geddes 61, Wagner 50 Potter County 63, Highmore-Harrold 31 Rosholt 53, Summit 47 Sisseton 53, Redfield/Doland 50, OT Sully Buttes 65, Faulkton 36 Tiospa Zina Tribal 60, Grant-Deuel 28 Viborg-Hurley 69, Flandreau Indian 39 White River 70, New Underwood 45 Winner 70. Mobridge-Pollock 55

FRIDAY'S S.D. GIRLS

FRIDAY'S NEB. BOYS

Bon Homme 70, Gregory 18 Chamberlain 77, McLaughlin 45 Elk Point-Jefferson 69, Tea Area 44 Florence/Henry 63, Waubay 41 Grant-Deuel 40, Tiospa Zina Tribal 26 Lead-Deadwood 56, Custer 15 Marty Indian 79, Crazy Horse 15 Mitchell 60, Sioux Falls Lincoln 46 Rapid City Christian 58, Takini 25

Redfield/Doland 47, Sisseton 30 Sioux Falls Roosevelt 70, Sioux Falls Wash ington 63 Sturgis 40, Spearfish 29 Sully Buttes 71, Faulkton 22 Summit 83, Rosholt 47 Viborg-Hurley 59, Flandreau Indian 28 Webster 49, Hamlin 23 Wilmot 41, Waverly-South Shore 32

Archbishop Bergan 50, Oakland-Craig 44 Ashland-Greenwood 64, Malcolm 51 Bancroft-Rosalie 74, Pender 43 Bennington 76, Blair 40 Bertrand 57, Cambridge 53 Bishop Neumann 68, Platteview 56 Bisnop Neumann 68, Platteview 56 Blue Hill 53, Harvard 40 Bruning-Davenport/Shickley 59, Osceola 48 Burwell 85, CWC 43

Cedar Valley 43, Elba/North Loup-Scotia 29 Clarkson/Leigh 73, Cedar Bluffs 42 Clearwater/Orchard 53, Boyd County 49 Columbus Lakeview 73, Central City 61 Creighton 69, Ponca 51 Crete 36, Seward 32 Crofton 60, Boone Central/Newman Grove 56

Cross County 51, Friend 44 Douglas County West 42, Tekamah-Herman 39 Dundy County-Stratton 56, Wauneta-Palisade 54

Elm Creek 66, Elwood 54 Elmwood-Murdock 61, Louisville 53 Exeter/Milligan 61, Dorchester 41 Falls City 61, Fairbury 60 Fort Calhoun 46, Elkhorn Mount Michael 43

Franklin 30, Red Cloud 24 Freeman 54, Sterling 39 Fremont 51, Lincoln North Star 37 Fullerton 62, Palmer 39

Gibbon 71, Overton 51 Grand Island Central Catholic 60, St. Paul 48 Grand Island Northwest 62, McCook 53 Hartington Cedar Catholic 67, Norfolk Catholic 66 Gretna 56. Norris 52 Hastings St. Cecilia 45, Centura 33 High Plains Community 76, Meridian 31 Hitchcock County 69, Maywood 29 Holdrege 46, Aurora 36 Humboldt/Table Rock-Steinauer Palmyra 54 Humphrey 68. Plainview 60 Johnson County Central 56, Auburn 51 Johnson-Brock 56, Med 52 Kearney 70, Lincoln High 65 Kenesaw 63, Wood River 49 Kimball 52. Mitchell 27 Lincoln East 65. Columbus 44 Lincoln Lutheran 72, David City 54 Lincoln Southeast 44, Lincoln Northeast 37

Lindsay Holy Family 85, East Butler 47 Logan View 59, Yutan 46 Loomis 59, Maxwell 40 Lyons-Decatur Northeast 59, Emerson-Hubbard 40 McCool Junction 47 Giltner 44 Medicine Valley 71, Eustis-Farnam 49 Milford 64, Syracuse 40 Millard West 54, Millard North 50 Minden 65 Broken Bow 47 Mullen 54, Twin Loup 36 Nebraska Christian 55, Shelby/Rising City

39 Nebraska Lutheran 57, Heartland Lutheran

55 North Platte 59 Lexington 31 North Platte St. Patrick's 58, Hayes Center 34

O'Neill 86, Battle Creek 63 Omaha Central 89, Bellevue East 28 Omaha Christian Academy 56, Omaha Na-

tion 53 Omaha Gross Catholic 59, Plattsmouth 46 Omaha South 67, Omaha Westside 35 Osmond 46. Elkhorn Valley 31 Papillion-LaVista 60, Papillion-LaVista South 34 Parkview Christian 65, Diller-Odell 40

Paxton 62, Bridgeport 35 Perkins County 56, Hershey 43 Ralston 46, Council Bluffs, Abraham Lincoln, lowa 41

Randolph 70, Hartington 46 Ravenna 40, Ord 36 Sandhills/Thedford 61. Brady 36 Sandrinis Hieldid 01, blady 50 Sandy Creek 46, Tri County 20 Sergeant Bluff-Luton, Iowa 62, South Sioux City 49

Shelton 72, Silver Lake 40 Sioux County 73, Edgemont, S.D. 50 SMC 54, Arthur County 27 South Loup 51, Sumner-Eddyville-Miller 46 Southern 29, Pawnee City 28 Spalding/Spalding Academy 72, St. Edward

37 St. Mary's 67, Elgin Public/Pope John 45 Stanton 58, Scribner-Snyder 29 Sutton 66, Superior 19 Thayer Central 52, Fillmore Central 33

Twin River 61, Humphrey St. Francis 41 Wahoo 72, Schuyler 38 Wakefield 50, Homer 37 49 Wallace 76, Creek Valley 60

South 42 Seward 41, Crete 28 Waverly 62, Nebraska City 26 NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOC.

# Augie Women Roll Past USF

SIOUX FALLS — Augustana was 10-of-19 of threepointers on the way to a 83-58 pounding of Sioux Falls at the Stewart Center on Friday night in Northern Sun women's basketball.

Emily Schulte led the Vikings with 19 points and seven rebounds while Cami Koehn added 16 points. For the Cougars, Alyssa Rushton and Laura John-

son scored 11 points apiece. Augustana, 18-5, travels to Marshall, Minn. to play

Southwest Minnesota State today (Saturday). Sioux Falls, 11-12, hosts Wayne State today (Satur-

dav) WAYNE STATE 59, SW MINNESOTA STATE 40: MARSHALL, Minn Wayne State held the Southwest Minnesota State Mustangs to just 23

percent shooting in the second half on the way to a 59-40 victory in North-

ern Sun women's basketball action on Friday in Marshall, Minn. Leading 24-22 at the break, the Wildcats utecored the Must

# Papillion-LaVista 64, Papillion-LaVista South Sioux City 60, Omaha Skutt Catholic

Wausa 50. Bloomfield 49

Waverly 62, Nebraska City 39 Wayne 55, Pierce 45

Wisner-Pilger 82, Madison 38

Wynot 61, Laurel-Concord 38

York 58, Beatrice 48

FRIDAY'S NEB. GIRLS

Beatrice 41, York 32

Bennington 51, Blair 37

Gering 57. Scottsbluff 40

Grand Island Northwest 68, McCook 46 Holdrege 53, Aurora 27 Lincoln East 39, Columbus 33

Millard North 63, Millard West 51

Norris 54, Gretna 51 Norris 54, Lexington 33 Ornaha Central 70, Bellevue East 55

Omaha Northwest 57, Omaha Roncalli 33 Omaha Westside 46, Omaha South 41

Norfolk 52, Elkhorn South 40

Weeping Water 37, Conestoga 35 Wilber-Clatonia 31, Centennial 21

EASTERN CONFERENCE Atlantic Division W L Pct

Hoops

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Wagner won the JV game, 39-28. Platte-Geddes, 12-7, plays at Gregory on Monday in their regular season finale. Wagner travels to Marty on Monday. WAGNER (8-10) ..... PLATTE-GEDDES (12-7) .. 10 22 37 50

Wynot 61,

BASKETBALL, GIRLS' 9TH YHS at Pierre (4 p.m.) GYMNASTICS, PREP S.D. State Meet at Rapid City HOCKEY, BOYS' JV Yankton at Watertown (6 p.m.) HOCKEY, GIRLS' JV Yankton at Brookings (6:15 p.m.) HOCKEY, BOYS' BANTAM Yankton at Watertown (4 p. HOCKEY, PEEWEE State 'A' Tourn. at Mitchell; State 'B'

rn. at Rapid City SOFTBALL, COLLEGE Briar Cliff Scrimmage (Exhibition IMC vs. Southeast CC, 10 a.m.; MMC vs. Briar Cliff, 1 p.m.) TRACK & FIELD, COLLEGE INDOOR Great Plains Ath-

Conf. Championships at Lincoln, Neb. (MMC) WRESTLING, PREP Neb. State Meet at Omaha; S.D. Re gions — 2B at Salem (Alcester-Hudson, Beresford, Elk Point-Jefferson, Marion-Freeman, Parker, 10 a.m.); 3B at Wagner (Andes Central, Bon Homme, Kimball-White Lake-Platte-Ged

(Andes Central, Bon Homme, Kimbain-winite Lake-riaue-o des, Parkston, Scotland, Wagner, 10 a.m.) Sunday, February 17 HOCKEY, BOYS' JV Brookings at Yankton (11 a.m.) HOCKEY, GIRLS' JV Yankton at Brookings (8 a.m.)

South Central at Burke, 7 p.m.) ST. LOUIS RAMS-Named Tim Walton de-**W** 39 18 GB .640 L 17 Pct .585 2 1/2 L.A. Clippers Golden State L.A. Lakers 22 .696 fensive coordinator. Placed WR Titus Young on 7 24 29 32 5 10 1/2 waivers. .538 30 22 29 .577 .463 .431 10 1/2 .396 12 1/2 25 19 13 National Hockey League CHICAGO BLACKHAWKS—Recalled G Sacramento 35 36 .352 19 .321 20 1/2 ast Division Phoenix 17 Pct GB Thursday's Games Henrik Karlsson from the Rockford (AHL). L 14 .720 — .569 7 1/2 .294 21 1/2 .288 22 Miami 110 Oklahoma City 100 COLUMBUS BLUE JACKETS—Activated E 22 36 37 40 Adrian Aucoin from injured reserve. DETROIT\_RED\_WINGS—Recalled\_RW L.A. Clippers 125, L.A. Lakers 101 Sunday's Games East vs. West, 7 p.m. Gustav Nyquist from Grand Rapids (AHL) 22 25 .231 Placed F Todd Bertuzzi on injured reserve. Reassigned RW Willie Coetzee to Grand Rapids from Toledo (ECHL). NASHVILLE PREDATORS—Assigned F Prior McCottae to Millionidae (AHI) for a huse Central Division TRANSACTIONS Pct GB L 21 22 BASEBALL American League .604 .577 1 1/2 Brian McGrattan to Milwaukee (AHL) for a two-CLEVELAND INDIANS-Signed OF week conditioning assignment. NEW YORK RANGERS—Assigned F Chris 25 33 37 .510 5 Michael Bourn to a four-year contract. KANSAS CITY ROYALS—Agreed to terms with LHP Chris Dwyer, LHP Donnie Joseph, LHP Justin Marks, LHP Everett Teaford, RHP Nate .389 11 1/2 .302 16 Kreider to Connecticut (AHL). OTTAWA SENATORS—Recalled F David Dziurzynski and F Derek Grant, D Eric Gryba WESTERN CONFERENCE Southwest Division Adcock, INF Irving Falu and OF Jarrod Dyson on L 12 18 Pct GB .778 .647 .527 .442

from Binghamton (AHL). one-year contracts Mational League MIAMI MARLINS—Signed 1B Casey Kotch-man to a minor-league contract. WASHINGTON NATIONALS—Agreed to 7 1/2 DOANE-Named Gwen Egbert women's 13 1/2 volleyball coach. NEW MEXICO—Named Scott Baumgartner 18 .358 22 1/2 wide receivers coach. terms with RHP Jordan Zimmermann on a one WASHINGTON AND LEE—Named Jor year contract. Berlin assistant football coach and assistant pro-GB Ir contract. FOOTBALL National Football League BUFFALO BILLS—Re-signed QB Tarvaris fessor of physical education. WYOMING—Named Dan Georgalas assis-6 1/2 tant volleyball coach.

GREEN BAY PACKERS-Released DB

at 7:30 p.m.

PIERRE (13-5)

WATERTOWN (10-8) ...

day night in Tyndall.

forced 31 turnovers.

FOURTH: Evan Nelson

BASKETBALL YANKTON PARKS & REC

MEN'S JUST FOR FUN LEAGUE

# **Region 2A**

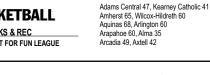
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bert, 220-pound champion and Tanner Lambert, who was named the 285-pound champion.

Overall, Sioux Falls Washington took first place with 193.5 points, Brandon Valley (159.5) took second, Yankton claimed third with 118.5 points, Vermillion (87) took fourth, Harrisburg (84) took fifth, Dakota Valley took sixth with 82 points, while Sioux Falls Lincoln followed with 76 points. Tea Area (41) was eighth, followed by Lennox (35).

Dakota Valley head coach Kendall Hanson said the tournament was all about his players, and he was happy to see them succeed.

"They all worked hard all year, and they put in the extra time," he said. "It feels really good for them. Now we're just going to keep working the same way we have all year. We want to be in the best shape possible. If we're in the best shape possible, that's



18 in the second half to break the game open. Ashton Yossi led Wayne State (15-8) with 18 points. Addy Roller added 12 points while Ellen Hansen scored 11 points and grabbed five rebounds.

The Wildcats shot 50 percent from the field for the game. They travel to Sioux Falls today (Saturday) to take on the Cougars.

what's going to win our matches.

For Vermillion head coach Hazen Bye, he said he will look to get his players as many points as possible at the state competition. "Our kids are in good shape

and they work hard," he said. "Our goal is to try and score as many points as possible at state. We want to get these kids to place — that's their individual goals. We're not there to win state, we're going there individually.'

### You can follow Emily Niebrugge on Twitter at twitter.com/ENiebrugge

TEAM SCORES: Sioux Falls Washington 193.5, Brandon Valley 159.5, Yankton 118.5, Vermillion 87, Harrisburg 84, Dakota Valley 82, Sioux Falls Lincoln 76, Tea Area 41, Lennox

35 CHAMPIONSHIP: 106 — Chase O'Connor, Washington dec. Noah Vetter, Yankton 4-1; 113 — Conner Rowbotham, Brandon Valley dec. Taylor Dalen, Harrisburg 6-2; 120 — David Potratz, Washington dec. Jackson Pletten, Brandon Valley 7-5 OT; 126 — Adam Presler, Brandon Valley dec. Ryan O'Connor, Lincoln 3-1 OT; 132 — Casey Skillingstad, Yankton dec. Zach Gross, Harrisburg 3-1 OT; 138 — Blake Perryman, Dakota Val-ley pin, Skyler Castilleja, Lincoln 4-31; 145 — Regan Bye, Ver-illion doc. Met Luber, Yourking 6: 5:12. Pert Bao Leorollion Ny Jano Guy & Oddang Lancon 4-5, 152 — Brett Bye, Vermillion dec. Wyatt Winter, Brandon Valley 6-1; 160 — James Hisek, Yanktor dec. Luke Reiter, Washington 3-2; 170 — Mason Ben-der, Brandon Valley tech. fall C.J. Warren, Yankton 22-7; 182 — Andre Standon Valley tech. fall C.J. Warren, Yankton 22-7; 182 — Dan Marlette, Washington pin. Matt Wagner, Lincoln 3:46; 195 - Matt Schirado, Harrisburg maj. dec. Jonah DeVries, Wash-ington 17-3; 220 — Taylor Lambert, Dakota Valley pin. Trey Crisp-Peterson, Washington 0:56; 285 — Tanner Lambert,

on Friday night in Wynot.

Dakota Valley dec. Chris Vroman, Washington 9-2 THIRD PLACE: 106 — O'Connor pin. Seibel 0:37; 113 — Wulf dec. Kuroiwa 5-3; 120 — Mazourek pin. Schreurs 2:12; 126 — Rosheim maj. dec. Ruotsalainen 9-1; 132 — Fridrich maj. dec. Fitzsimons 10-2; 133 — Kratz pin. Strahl 1:56; 145 — Dougherty maj. dec. Dam 10-1; 152 — Ledbetter pin. Goeman 2:07; 160 — Warzecha pin. Hertz 4:02; 170 — Freese maj. dec. Kuhl 10-2; 162 — Langner dec. Heine 3:0; 195 — Sorensen dec. Stokke 8-1: 220 — Burkhart dec. Hansen 3-1: 285 — Reisner maj. dec. Ode 13-3 CONSOLATION SEMIFINALS: 106 — Hunter O'Connor,

Lincoln pin. Dawson Kremlacek, Brandon Valley 0:43, Kyle Seibel, Vermillion dec. Nick Schirado, Harrisburg 7-1; 113 — Brock Wulf, Washington dec. Bashir Abd-Al-Kreem, Yankton 7-Brock Wulf, Washington dec. Bashir Abd-Al-Kreem, Yankton 7-4; Mikio Kuroiwa, Lincoln dec. Wesley Weischedel, Lennox 4-2; 120 — Matt Mazourek, Lennox maj. dec. Tyler Schrunk, Dakota Valley 10-2; Lane Schreurs, Harrisburg dec. Tyler Phelps, Tea Area 8-5; 126 — Grant Rosheim, Washington pin. Logan Warzecha, Harrisburg 2:43; Trayce Ruotsalainen, Tea Area by forfeit; 132 — Tanner Fridrich, Tea Area pin. Dylan Bludorn, Brandon Valley 4:26; Chayden Fitzsimmons, Washington dec. Austin Odland, Lennox 15-10; 138 — Mason Strahl, Yankton dec. Braiden Smith, Brandon Valley 11-5; Carter Kratz, Vermil-tion by forfeit; 145 — Grant Dougherty. Brandon Valley nin. lion by forfeit: 145 - Grant Dougherty, Brandon Valley pin Hunfer Kjose, Lennox 4:48, Brady Dam, Dakota Valley dec. Jake Barkema, Washington 8:4; 152 — Peyton Ledbetter, Washington ton dec. Joe Weaver, Lincoln; Josh Goeman, Lennox (bye); 160 — Lane Warzecha, Harrisburg dec. Spencer Heidbrink, Brandon Valley 6-0; Brandon Hertz, Vermillion pin. Max Hooker, Linoch 1203 (170) – Zac Freese, Washington dec. Alex Osborne, Vermillion 7-5 OT, Chris Kuhl, Tea Area pin. Ben Hanson, Lincoln 4.00, 182 – Gabe Langner, Brandon Valley dec. Cody Hanzlik, Yankton 7-5 OT; Seth Heine, Vermillion pin. Zach Ford, Lennox 1:33; 195 — Chris Stokke, Lennox pin. Thomas Kruse, Yankton 1.33, 195 — Chins stokke, Lehnox phi, Thomas Kube, Tainkoh 217; Andrew Sorensen, Brandon Valley tech. Tail Noah Wester-gaard, Vermillion 17-2; 220 — Kyle Hansen, Harrisburg pin. Zach Westergaard, Vermillion 2:49; Brandan Burkhart, Brandon Valley pin. Angelo Nuno, Lincoln 2:21; 255 — Royce Reisner, Yankton pin. Mycah Cummings, Lincoln 1:15; Erik Ode, Brandon Valley pin. John McLaughlin, Tea Area 1:00

ne vvynol wrapped up their regular season with a strong 61-38 victory against Laurel-Concord-Coleridge

Laurel-Concord-Coleridge 38

Nathan Weiseler led the Blue Devils (19-3) with 16 points, 10 rebounds and six blocks.

For LCC, 9-11, Dillon Wolfgram and Kyle Kardell scored eight points apiece.

# **Randolph 70, Hartington 46**

HARTINGTON, Neb. - The Randolph Cardinals put three players in double figures and held Hartington to two fourth-guarter points on the way to a 70-46 rout Friday night.

Nolan Nordhues scored 21 points for Randolph (17-4), which led 35-25 at halftime and 55-44 after three quarters. Levi Lackas and Grant Anderson both chipped in with 14 points. For the hometown Wildcats (8-12), Derek

Jueden and Eric Derickson each scored 11 points, while Nick Miller added nine points and Colby Jueden scored five.

Randolph won the JV game 27-23 in overtime.

RANDOLPH (17-4) ...... HARTINGTON (8-12) ... .....17 35 55 70 .....15 25 44 46

# Freeman 67, Avon 35

FREEMAN - Freeman shot 61 percent from the field to post a dominating 67-35 victory

over Avon on Friday night in Class B boys' basketball action in Freeman. The Flyers led 19-2 after one quarter and never looked back as they improve to 12-7 with just one regular season game left to play.

Cole Paulsen led the Flyers with 19 points.

Seth Wilmes added 17 points and Cole Thomas had 13 points for the winning Bulldogs (16-5), who trailed 29-28 at halftime.

For Ponca (11-9), Austin Schweers scored 16 points. Aaron Carlson added 10 points and Sam Burki had eight points

PONCA (11-9)14 29	36	51	
CREIGHTON (16-5)13 28			

# Mt. Vernon-Plankinton 74, Parkston 62

PARKSTON — The Mustangs of Mount Vernon-Plankinton had three players score at least 20 points in a 74-62 road win at Parkston on Friday night.

Jared Long led with 24 points, followed by Derick Denning (23) and Kellam Karst (20). The Mustangs, now 12-6, led 35-26 at halftime. For the Trojans (10-9), Spencer Lucas had

29 points and nine rebounds, while Kyle Hohn and Jake DeLange each scored nine points.

Next Monday, Mount Vernon-Plankinton plays McCook Central-Montrose in Salem and Parkston visits Parker.

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# Pierre 74, Watertown 51

PIERRE — A top-5 showdown between ESD foes turned into a rout as third-ranked Pierre rolled past fifth-ranked Watertown 74-51 on Friday night in Pierre.

Lane Severyn had 20 points and eight rebounds for the Governors (13-5), while Zach Hanson and Nick Rabern each added 17 points.

In the loss for the Arrows (10-8), Brody Ries scored 16 points and Nate Davis added seven points.

Pierre travels to Yankton tonight (Saturday)

Schmidt grabbed 10 rebounds, Shawna Rezac had four steals and Emily Pechous hauled in si rebounds.

Girls

Bon Homme 70, Gregory 18 TYNDALL — Karlee Kozak scored 11 points

and Bon Homme used a 30-point halftime lead

to dominate Gregory 70-18 in girls' action Fri-

The Lady Cavaliers, who end the regular season at 8-12, shot just 43 percent from the

field (only one 3-pointer and one free throw), but

Jody Kriz added 10 points, while Megan

Bon Homme led 33-3 at halftime and 53-10 after three quarters.

Megan Preslicka scored eight points for Gregory (1-17).

Both teams begin district act	ion next week.
GREGORY (1-17)	
BON HOMME (8-12)	18 33 53 70

Mitchell 60, Lincoln 46 MITCHELL — Kristin Sabers scored 17 points to lead Mitchell to 46-46 victory over Lincoln on Friday night in Mitchell

Macy Miller added 15 points for the Kernels while Kerri Young scored 13.

For the Patriots, Ellie Brecht scored 16 points and Cera Ledbetter added 10.

Mitchell, 16-2, hosts Huron tomorrow (Saturday) before finishing their regular season at Yankton on Tuesday.

Lincoln, 11-6, plays at O'Gorman today (Saturday). LINCOLN (11-6). 12 25 29 46

LINCOLN (11-0)12	20	29	40
MITCHELL (16-2)20	32	42	60

# Parker 52, Tea Area 44 PARKER — The Parker Pheasants closed

out their regular season with a 52-44 victory over winless Tea Area on Thursday night in Parker in South Dakota girls' basketball action.

Micalanne Hanten led the Pheasants (12-8) with 16 points and three steals. Morgan Hav added 14 points while Tessa Weeldrever had a huge game for Parker, tallying 12 points and 12 rebounds.

Tea Area falls to 0-19 with the loss.			
TEA AREA (0-19)12			
PARKER (12-8)16	26	40	52

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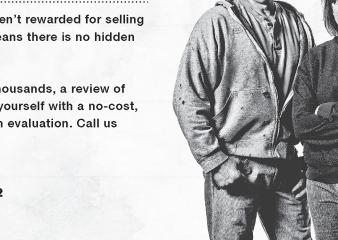
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