SPORTS DIGEST

Koletzky Named Sturgis Football Coach

STURGIS — Yankton High School alum Chris Koletzky has been named the head football coach for Sturgis High School, according to a report by the Rapid City Journal.

Koletzky, who was a member of Yankton's 1999 state championship team, has been an assistant football coach for Sturgis for eight years. and serves as the weightlifting coordinator for Sturgis in all sports. He is also an assistant track coach.

Koletzky was a four-year letterwinner in football at the University of Sioux Falls, and earned his master's in technology in education and training from the University of South Dakota.

Kruse 12th At USA Junior **XC Championships**

BOULDER, Colo. — Augustana College's Annie Kruse placed 12th in the junior women's race at the USA Cross Country Championships, held this past Saturday in Boulder, Colo.

Kruse, a freshman from Yankton, completed the 6,000-meter course in 23:24. Her place means she will be first alternate for the APA Pan American Cross Country Cup.

Top-six qualifiers will compete in the IAAF World Cross Country Championships in Guiyang, China. The next five will compete for Team USA at the APA Pan American Cup later this month in Barranguilla. Columbia.

USD's Hertting Earns 20th Career SL Diving Honor

ELMHURST, III. - South Dakota sophomore Greysen Hertting earned her 20th career Summit League Diver of the Week honor for the period ended Feb. 8, as released by the league office on Tuesday.

Hertting collects the award for the 10th time this season after her performance against Iowa. Northern Iowa and Western Illinois on Friday. She posted the league's highest marks in both the onemeter and three-meter dives. The Appleton, Wis., native recorded a score of 282.80 in the threemeter to place third and 259.80 in the one-meter for fourth South Dakota's swimming and diving teams

advance to the Summit League Championships held in Indianapolis, Ind., on Feb. 18-21

USD's McKelvey Earns Summit League Weekly Honors

ELMHURST, III. — South Dakota senior Kyle McKelvev earned his second career Summit League Men's Indoor Track and Field Athlete of the Week honor for the period ended Feb. 8, as released by the league office on Tuesday.

This is McKelvey's second selection for the award this season. He set a new DakotaDome and school record with his throw of 60 feet. 5.25 inches in the shot put. The toss ranks at the top of the Summit League and 34th in the nation this season. The Beresford, native also set a new personal-best in the weight throw (56-10) for a

Scotland 51, Parkston 48, OT

evelt 50

Sioux Falls O'Gorman 55, Sioux

Sully Buttes 57, Herreid/Selby Area

Tea Area 68. Flandreau Indian 34

Tri-Valley 62, Sioux Falls Christian

runner-up finish in that event at the Dakota Realty Alumni Meet.

McKelvey is a part of a group of throwers that will throw at the Iowa State Classic in Ames, Iowa, this weekend. The rest of the Coyotes will compete at the South Dakota State Classic in Brookings

SO Southeast Area Basketball Tourn. Feb. 21

The Special Olympics South Dakota Southeast Area basketball tournament will be held on Saturday, Feb. 21, at the Summit Activities Center in Yankton.

Athletes from Brandon, Brookings, Canton, Irene-Wakonda, Parkston, Mitchell, Sioux Falls, Vermillion, Yankton and surrounding communities will participate in the event. Team competition begins at 9:45 a.m., with skills competition set to begin at 10:30 a.m. The public is invited to attend.

S.D. Bowling Hall Announces **Induction Class**

Six individuals will be honored when the South Dakota State USBC will induct its 2015 class for the state bowling Hall of Fame on June 13 in Rapid Cit

Marty Barington (Mitchell) and LaVern Fischer (Sturgis) will be inducted for Superior Performance and Meritorious Service; Terry McNamara (Rapid City) and Marla Paulsen (Harrisburg) will be inducted for Superior Performance; Carol Ret-

tkowski-Gregg (Brookings) will be indicted for Meritorious Service; and Richard Weisz (Sturgis) as a Pioneer. The SDSUSBC will also recognize the Aldridge-Goodrich-Meyer families of Black Hawk as the SD Bowling Family of the Year.

The induction and honor ceremony will take place at the Jamboree and Awards Banquet to be held June 13 at the Ramkota Hotel and Conference Center in Rapid City. More information about the 2015 SDSUSBC Jamboree can be found on their website, bowlsd.com.

S.D. Pacesetter Basketball Tourn. April 11-12

HURON — The 6th Annual Pacesetter South Dakota Youth Basketball State Tournament will be held at Huron High School April 11-12 in Huron. Boys' teams in grade 5, 7 & 9 and girls' teams in grades 6 & 8 will play Saturday, April 11. Boys' teams in grade 6 & 8 and girls' teams in grades 5, 7 & 9 will play Sunday April 12.

Top teams in each grade level will earn a bid to play in the Pacesetter Great Four-State Championship at the Target Center in Minneapolis in an 8-team bracket against the top teams from Minnesota. North Dakota and Iowa in the Pacesetter Great Four-State Championship.

Each bracket is limited to the first 16 teams to enter. Further information and registration are available at www.pacesetternet.com

Stiegelmeier At OB Club

p.m.)

ATLANTA HAWKS - Traded F/C

Adreian Payne to Minnesota for a pro-tected future first-round draft pick. CHARLOTTE HORNETS — Traded

G Gary Neal and a second-round draft

pick to Minnesota for Gs Mo Williams and

F/C Jarnell Stokes and G Russ Smith from Iowa (NBADL).

Women's National Basketball Assoc.

WNBA PLAYERS UNION — Named Evie Goldstein director of operations. FOOTBALL

National Football League ATLANTA FALCONS — Named Keith Carter assistant offensive line

coach, Matt LaFleur quarterbacks coach,

Doug Mallory defensive assistant/line-backers coach, Marquand Manuel sec-

ondary coach/senior defensive assistant.

Mike McDaniel offensive assistant, Chris

Morgan offensive line coach, Jeff Ulbrich linebackers coach and Chad Walker de-

WASHINGTON REDSKINS

Signed OL Tyler Larsen and Ty Nsekhe. Arena Football League SPOKANE SHOCK — DB Sergio

Gilliam has been assigned to the roster

Canadian Football League B.C. LIONS — Signed LBs Solomon Elimimian and Adam Bighill to contract

extensions through the 2017 season. HAMILTON TIGER-CATS — Signed

WR Spencer Watt. MONTREAL ALOUETTES — Re-signed CB Geoff Tisdale to a one-year

WINNIPEG BLUE BOMBERS

Signed WR Darvin Adams, OL Marc Dile, LB Sam Hurl and DL Ivan Brown.

HOCKEY

National Hockey League ANAHEIM DUCKS — Recalled G

on Friday.

contract extension.

NEW YORK JETS - Signed CB

fensive assistant/defensive backs.

Curtis Brown

MEMPHIS GRIZZLIES — Recalled

Trov Daniels

AREA CALENDAR

Wednesday, February 11 BASKETBALL, MEN'S Briar Cliff at MMC (8

BASKETBALL, WOMEN'S Briar Cliff at MMC (6

I., KYNI-AM) BASKETBALL, BOYS' Crazy Horse at Santee

BASKETBALL, GIRLS' Crazy Horse at Santee Thursday, February 12 BASKETBALL, MEN'S USD at Omaha (7 p.m.,

BASKETBALL, WOMEN'S Omaha at USD (7

BASKETBALL, BOYS' Dakota Plains Inv. at

Santee (Freeman Academy, Marty Indian, Santee); Bloomfield at Allen; Burke-South Central at Andes

Central; Freeman vs. Corsica-Stickney at Stickney; Hartington Cedar Catholic at Battle Creek; Lutheran High Northeast at Creighton; Menno at Canistota-

rion; Wisner-Pilger at Laurel-Concord-Coleridge BASKETBALL, GIRLS' Dakota Plains Inv. at

Santee (Andes Central, Freeman Academy, Marty In-dian, Santee); Bloomfield at Allen (Parents Night);

Gayville-Volin at Marion; Hartington Cedar Catholic at

Battle Creek; Lutheran High Northeast at Creighton; Norfolk Catholic at Crofton; Parkston at Lennox; Ver-

homa 7, Washington 6, St. John's 5

ned LHP Cesar Jimenez outright to

American Association

AMARILLO THUNDERHEADS — Released RHPs Derek Blacksher and Tyler Hale, C Jeff Farnham and INF

Kevin Mahoney. GARY SOUTHSHORE RAILCATS

- Signed OF Drew Martinez. JOPLIN BLASTERS - Traded INF Cory Morales to Amarillo for OF Sawyer

LAREDO LEMURS - Claimed RHP

Frontier League ROCKFORD AVIATORS — Signed

lan Kadish off waivers from Gary

1B Devon Rodriguez. WINDY CITY THUNDERBOLTS —

Signed RHP Kyle Hayes. Traded OF Kyle Robinson to Kansas City (AA) for a player

BASKETBALL

National Basketball Association

Syracuse (IL).

Carroll.

SouthShore.

to be named.

Western Kentucky 4.

The Yankton Quarterback Club will meet

million at West Central: Winner at Platte-Geddes:

Valley/Harrisburg/Vermillion at S.F. Washington (5

Friday, February 13 BASKETBALL, BOYS' Dakota Plains Inv. at Santee (Freeman Academy, Marty Indian, Santee); Alcester-Hudon at Battic Avon vs. Tripp-Delmont-Ar-mour at Armour; Beresford at Elk Point-Jefferson;

Centerville at Gavville-Volin: Chamberlain at Wagner

Creighton at Plainview: Crofton at Randolph: Dakota

lley at Dell Rapids; Gregory at Scotland; Irene

Wakonda at Canton; Laurel-Concord-Coleridge at

Bloomfield; Niobrara-Verdigre at Boyd County; Os-

mond at Wausa: Platte-Geddes at Bon Homme

Ponca at Homer; Tea Area at Parkston; Viborg-Hurley

Santee (Andes Central, Freeman Academy, Marty In-

dian. Santee): Alcester-Hudson at Baltic: Avon vs.

Tripp-Delmont-Armour at Armour; Beresford at Elk Point-Jefferson; Centerville at Gayville-Volin; Creighton at Plainview; Crofton at Randolph; Dakota

Valley at Dell Rapids; Gregory at Scotland; Irene-

folk (AHL)

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BASKETBALL, GIRLS' Dakota Plains Inv. at

Dakota

Rvan Faragher from Utah (ECHL) to Nor-

DALLAS STARS — Assigned G Jack Campbell from Texas (AHL) to Idaho

Ryan Carter and Jason Zucker on injured reserve. Recalleed D Stu Bickel and F

Brett Sutter from Iowa (AHL). NASHVILLE PREDATORS — Re-

called D Anthony Bitetto and F Viktor

TAMPA BAY LIGHTNING — As-signed F Danick Gauthier from Syracuse

WASHINGTON CAPITALS - Re-

American Hockey League MILWAUKEE ADMIRALS — Re-

called D Jaynen Rissling from Cincinnati

(ECHL). Signed D Jared Nightingale to a

signed D David Makowski to Wheeling

ECHL

Sean Escobedo one game, Florida F Alex Lavoie and Indy F Vincent Arseneau one

additional game and Kalamazoo F Ben

Wilson three additional games. Fined

South Carolina D Wade App. ALLEN AMERICANS — Added G

Josh Trimberger as emergency backup. ELMIRA JACKALS — Signed D

Zach Josepher. GREENVILLE ROAD WARRIORS

Dave Guy as emergency backup. TOLEDO WALLEYE — Loaned D

Joel Chouinard to Iowa (AHL). TULSA OILERS — Released F

Masterman as emergency backup

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UTAH GRIZZLIES — Added G Justin

Charles Lachance.

Signed D Jordan Ciccarello. STOCKTON THUNDER — Added G

ECHL - Suspended Greenville D

ofessional tryout agreement. HAMILTON BULLDOGS

called D Steven Oleksy from Hershey

Stalberg from Milwaukee (AHL).

(AHL) to Wichita (ECHL).

MINNESOTA WILD — Placed LWs

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Wisner-Pilger at Laurel-Concord-Coleridge WRESTLING, PREP

Wednesday at noon at the Elks Lodge, 504 West 27th Street, Yankton.

This week's speaker is South Dakota State University head football coach Johns Stiegelmeier. Stiegelmeier, who became SDSU's all-time winningest football coach this past season, has coached the Jackrabbits to a 120-86 record in 18 seasons at the helm. The Jackrabbits earned a third consecutive FCS playoff bid in 2014, falling to eventual champion North Dakota State in the second round. SDSU recently announced its 2015 recruiting class, which includes multiple players from Yankton.

The public is invited to attend.

Hy-Vee Triathlon In **Iowa Discontinued**

DES MOINES, Iowa (AP) - The Hy-Vee Triathlon in Iowa, once the world's richest such event, has been discontinued.

Hy-Vee, the Midwest-based grocery chain, announced the decision in a recent email to potential participants. The event had been held in either downtown Des Moines or neighboring West Des Moines since 2007.

The total purse for the triathlon reached as high as \$1.1 million before being reduced to \$500,000 in 2013.

Hy-Vee says it is exploring "new avenues" for health and wellness promotion, including an event for children and families. The company says more information on that proposed event will be released in March.

Wakonda at Canton: Laurel-Concord-Coleridge at

Bioomfield; Marion vs. Bridgewater-Emery at Mitchell; Niobrara-Verdigre at Boyd County; Osmond at Wausa; Platte-Geddes at Bon Homme; Ponca at

Homer; Viborg-Hurley at Parker; Wagner at Chamber-

lain; Wynot at Hartington-Newcastle BOWLING, CLUB HS Yankton at S.F. Washing-

Harrisburg vs. Vermillion at Yankton GYMNASTICS, PREP S.D. State Champi-

HOCKEY. BOYS' Yankton at Sioux Falls I (7:30

SOFTBALL, COLLEGE Islanders Inv. at Corpus

sti, Texas (USD vs. Wisconsin, DH, 10 a.m.) TRACK & FIELD, COLLEGE INDOOR SDSU In-

Classic (MMC, USD); Iowa State Classic (USD); on Inv. at Fayetteville, Ark. (USD)

WRESTLING, PREP Neb. Districts — B1 at Blair artington Cedar Catholic); C2 at O'Neill (Crofton-

Bloomfield, Niobrara-Verdigre); D-2 at Creighton

(Creighton, Laurel-Concord-Coleridge, Ponca, Ran-dolph); KWLPG Quad at Kimball (Kimball-White Lake-

Platte-Geddes, 5 p.m.); Marion-Freeman Quad (Alcester-Hudson, Marion-Freeman, Wagner, 5 p.m.); MCM Duals at Salem (Andes Central, 4 p.m.)

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Andres Correa.

SOCCER

Major League Soccer D.C. UNITED — Signed M Michael

FC DALLAS — Signed M Fabian stillo to a five-year contract. L.A. GALAXY — Signed M Ryo Fujii. SEATTLE SOUNDERS — Signed D

North American Soccer League JACKSONVILLE ARMADA — Signed G Sebatian Evers, D Ramak Safi

and Ms Nicolas Perea and Tyler Williams

COLLEGE

women's lacrosse coach.

ALABAMA - Suspended RB Tyren

nes indefinitely. CARTHAGE — Named Lauren Hein

FLORIDA - Named Kerry Dixon II

xeivers coach. GEORGE WASHINGTON — Added

NEW JERSEY CITY - Named

OHIO STATE - Named Tony Alford

Erin Lycan Ridley to the women's soccer

Jorge Rodriguez men's assistant volley

assistant head coach for offense/running

RUTGERS — Announced the resig-nation of offensive coordinator Ralph Friedgen, who will become special assis-

tant to the head coach. Promoted wide

receivers coach Ben McDaniels to offen-

sive coordinator. Named Phil Galiano special teams and tight ends coach. Re-

assigned tight ends coach Anthony Cam-

Smith has left the men's basketball pro-

UALR - Announced G DeVonte

panile to wide receivers coach

SCOREBOARD

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VOLLEYBALL YANKTON PARKS & REC.

COED COMPETITIVE LEAGUE RESULTS: Dakota Drywall def. Will Work for Sets 21-10, 21-16, 21-17; Getting Diggy With It def. Phinney's 21-14, 21-16, 21

16, 21-10 STANDINGS: Dakota Drywall 9-1, Getting Diggy With It 8-2, Will Work For Sets 6-4, Here For The Exercise 2-8,

hinney's 0-10 COED JUST FOR FUN LEAGUE RESULTS: Ben's Brewing Company def. Upper Deck/E.N.T. 21-9, 21-7, 21-14; Dam Fireworks def. Marquardt/Phinney's 22-20, 21-16, 21-17; Schieffer Masonry & Concrete def. Cottonwood Fireballs 21-15, 21-9, 21-5; JJ Benji's def. Honey Badgers 21-19, 21-15, 22-20

STANDINGS: Dam Fireworks Hot Shots 9-1, Schieffer Masonry & Concrete 9-1, Marquardt-Phinney's 6-4, Ben's Brewing 6-4. Cottonwood Fireballs 5-5 Honey Badgers 2-8, Upper Deck-ENT 2-

8. J.J. Renii's 1-0 WOMEN'S POWER LEAGUE RESULTS: Wing It def. Plumbing & Electric 21-18, 21-10, 21-15; Drotzmann 51 Construction def. Mighty Moms 21-6, 22rold 49

20, 23-25; Westy's Electric def. Skerrs 21-13, 21-10, 21-12 STANDINGS: Wing It 8-0, Plumbing & Electric 6-3, Westy's Electric 5-4, Ben's

Brewing 5-4, Mighty Moms 3-6, Drotz-mann Const. 3-6, Skerrs 1-8

WOMEN'S COMPETITIVE LEAGUE RESULTS: Sh-Booms def. First Dakota Bank 21-10, 21-13, 21-12; JoDeans def. Yankton Motor Sports 19-21, 21-18, 21-19; Neu Pond & Landscar ing def. Yankton Motor Sports 11-21, 21-15, 21-19; Slammin' Hot def. Dave Stevens Concrete Construction 21-18, 21-10, 21-19; Don't Bump to Strangers def. Walnut 21-11, 21-14, 21-15; Bud umpers def. Becker Body Shop forfeit,

21-8, 21-14 STANDINGS: Slammin' Hot 9-0, Don't Bump To Strangers 7-2, Dave Stevens Concrete Const. 6-3, Walnut 6-3, Bud Bumpers 6-3, ShBoom's 5-5, Neu Pond & Landscaping 4-5, JoDean's 4-5, Yankton Motor Sports 2-7, First Dakota Bank 1-8. Becker Body Shop 0-9

WOMEN'S RECREATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS: JJ Benji's def. Czeckers 21-16, 16-21, 21-11; Lewis & Clark Spe-

cialty Hospital def. Inside Outers 22-20 21-12. 21-10; TNT def. Lady Rangers 21-16, 24-22, 21-10

STANDINGS: Lewis & Clark Spe cialty Hospital 8-1, Inside Outers 6-3, TNT 5-4, Lady Rangers 4-5, J.J. Benji's 3-6. Czeckers 1-8

WRESTLING YANKTON YOUTH

VERMILLION TOURN.

FIRST: Shayce Platt, Damian Janish, Devon Coke, Ashton Keller, Josh Riibe SECOND: Kyle Greger, Kason Hanson, Kyler Kozak, Corbyn Palsma, Joel-OT

TUESDAY'S S.D. SCORES West Central 63, Chamberlain 18 41 Garretson Quadrangular 45, McCook Central/Montrose Howard 24 36 Howard 48 Parker 34 Howard 40, Garretson 30 McCook Central/Montrose 51 Parker

Garretson 46. Parker 27 McCook Central/Montrose 43, Gar-

son 24 BASKETBALL

Douglas 59, Oelrichs 48

ppd. to Feb 19 Clark/Willow Lake vs. Tiospa Zina TUESDAY'S S.D. BOYS Tribal, ppd. to Feb 27. Deuel vs. Sioux Valley, ppd. to Feb Baltic 46, Howard 30 Bon Homme 45, Burke/South Cen-

20. Faulkton vs. Great Plains Lutheran, Chamberlain 65. Crow Creek 39 ppd Dakota Valley 56 Vermillion 48

Dell Rapids 83, Mt. Vernon/Plankin-Waverly-South Shore vs. Langford, ppd.

Elk Point-Jefferson 60. Homer. Neb. TUESDAY'S NEB. BOYS

Groton Area 49, Britton-Hecla 36 Hitchcock-Tulare 67, Highmore-Har-57

Ipswich 73, Edmunds Central 71 James Valley Christian 79, Mitchell Columbus Scotus 63, Wahoo 54 Lennox 47, Tri-Valley 36

Madison 88, Pipestone, Minn. 77 Miller 49, Mobridge-Pollock 44 New Underwood 53, Kadoka Area 36 51

Parkston 69, Scotland 42 Rapid City Christian 74, Edgemont 51 Hitchcock County 51, Cheylin, Kan.

Sturais 56. Pierre 53 Sully Buttes 50, Herreid/Selby Area

ea Area 72, Flandreau Indian 58 63 Walthill, Neb. 79, Gayville-Volin 63 Webster 71. Northwestern 44

Ravenna 65, St. Paul 46 Southern 68, Lewiston 40 West Central 76, Beresford 43 Winner 75, St. Francis Indian 63 POSTPONEMENTS Clark/Willow Lake vs. Tiospa Zina

Deuel vs. Sioux Valley, ppd. to Feb

Watertown vs Aberdeen Central

Burke/South Central 49, Bon Homme 45 Dakota Vallev 73. Vermillion 64

> Ethan 73, Marion 25 Hanson 67 Freeman 54 Howard 54 Baltic 53

Osceola 32 Cambridge 51, Arapahoe 44 Columbus Scotus 39, Columbus Huron 48, Mitchell 38 James Valley Christian 58, Mitchell Lakeview 23

Cozad 50, Gibbon 17 Christian 35 Creek Valley 48. Perkins County 31 Kimball/White Lake 41. Lyman 39. Diller-Odell 69, College View Acad-

Viborg-Hurley 38, Avon 29 Wall 52, Custer 47 Heartland Lutheran 68, Elkhorn Vallev 36 Waubay 50 Aberdeen Christian 14 Heminoford 53, Kimball 37 Webster 58, Northwestern 46 Howells/Dodge 43, Bancroft-Rosalie White River 56, Gregory 42 32 Wynot, Neb. 69, Irene-Wakonda 47 POSTPONEMENTS Humphrey St. Francis 61, Aquinas 56 Hvannis 56 Banner County 22 Aberdeen Central vs Watertown Kearney Catholic 74, Centura 55 Lincoln Southeast 54, Omaha South Lyons-Decatur Northeast 61, Wisner-Pilger 49 Maywood 47, South Platte 31 Nebraska City Lourdes 48, Omaha rownell-Talbot 25 Grant-Deuel vs. Lake Preston, ppd. Br Omaha Benson 51, Bellevue East 30 Omaha Gross Catholic 38. Omaha Concordia 34 Omaha Nation 54, Siouxland Com-munity Christian, Iowa 39 Pawnee City 51, Axtell, Kan. 44 Aquinas 68, Humphrey St. Francis

Central/Newman Grove 46

Gretna 52, Blair 31

Hastings 46, Crete 39

Hampton 50, Dorchester 35 Hartington-Newcastle 51, Wausa 45

Hastings St. Cecilia 61, Adams Cen-

Harvard 36, Lawrence-Nelson 33

Banner County 63, Hyannis 35 Boys Town 63, Parkview Christian 40

Cozad 65, Gibbon 56 Diller-Odell 57, College View Acad-Elk Point-Jefferson, S.D. 60. Homer

Exeter/Milligan 53, McCool Junction

34 Kearney Catholic 64 Centura 59

Louisville 68, Raymond Central 52 Papillion-LaVista 71, Bellevue West Pawnee City 65, Axtell, Kan, 53

> Thunder Ridge, Kan. 55, Franklin 33 Walthill 79, Gayville-Volin, S.D. 63

Tribal, ppd. to Feb 16.

Hamlin vs. Deubrook, ppd. to Feb

ppd. to Feb 21.

TUESDAY'S S.D. GIRLS 23

Boys Town 52, Parkview Christian 39 Bruning-Davenport/Shickley 45, Dupree 64, Wakpala 37 Elk Point-Jefferson 57, Homer, Neb.

Cheylin, Kan. 56, Hitchcock County

Wilcox-Hildreth 63. Overton 49 Wisner-Pilger 54, Lyons-Decatur TUESDAY'S NEB. GIRLS Ainsworth 54, Stuart 37 Allen 50, Winside 22 Arthur County 55, Stapleton 28 Bayard 41, Leyton 40 Bellevue West 43, Papillion-LaVista

first-place votes in parentheses, records through Feb. 9, points based on 25 points for a first-place vote through one point for a 25th-place vote and previous ranking Record 1 UConn (32) 2. South Carolina 3. Baylor 22-1 22-1 Notre Dame 23-2 5. Marvland 21-2 6 Tennessee 20-3 Bishon Neumann 67 Platteview 53 Florida State 22-2 . Louisville 20-3

9. Oregon State

Arizona State

14. North Carolina

16 Texas A&M

17. Rutgers

15. Mississippi State 23-3

10. Kentucky

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Peetz, Colo, 41, Potter-Dix 40 TRANSACTIONS Raymond Central 36, Louisville 31 Red Cloud 49, Kenesaw 38 Seward 59, Fairbury 54 Silver Lake 67, Shelton 26 BASEBALL COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE -Suspended N.Y. Mets RHP Tim Peterson 80 games for a violation of the Minor League Drug Prevention and Treatment South Loup 69. Anselmo-Merna 60 Southern 38, Lewiston 28 St. Mary's 60, Boyd County 40 Program. American League St. Paul 42, Ravenna 31 BALTIMORE ORIOLES — Agreed to terms with LHP Mark Hendrickson and OF Nolan Reimold on minor league con-Stanton 62, Logan View 19 Sutherland 60, Maxwell 33 Thunder Ridge, Kan. 77, Franklin 15 Wauneta-Palisade 57, Chase LOS ANGELES ANGELS — Agreed County 55 West Holt 53, Niobrara/Verdigre 25 terms with OF Matt Joyce on a oneto

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year contract. National League PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES — As-West Point-Beemer 76, Madison 31 Wilcox-Hildreth 39, Overton 29 Wynot 69, Irene-Wakonda, S.D. 47

Lehigh Valley (IL). WASHINGTON NATIONALS — As-signed RHP Eric Fornataro outright to USA TODAY WOMEN'S TOP 25 The top 25 teams in the USA Today women's college basketball poll, with

ton Reimnitz-Hahn, Connor Warren-Slaba, Tucker Bahm, Joseph Smith THIRD: Dylan Sloan, Ira Greger, Zac Briggs, Triston Spears, Gerald Greger, Dominic Leonard, Ocean Hawk FOURTH: Connor Bain, Nikolas Sasse, Shaylor Platt, Navaeh Leonard, Collin Patrick, Tye Briggs WACNET TOURN. FIRST: Ashton Keller, Langdon Klinkhammer, Bentley Klinkhammer, Josh Rilbe, Damian Janish ton Reimnitz-Hahn, Connor Warren

Josh Riibe, Damian Janish FOURTH: Kolter Feilmeier, Roper

Lead-Deadwood 36, Hot Lemmon 74, Bison 26 Springs 26 Lennox 51, Canton 45 51 Leola/Frederick 58. Edmunds Central 18 Menno 44, Canistota 38 Mt. Vernon/Plankinton 52, Dell Rapids 40 Oldham-Ramona/Rutland 36. Hendricks, Minn. 17 Sanborn C Central/Woonsocket 68, Wood River 34 Iroquois 18

19. Stanford East Butler 49, Cross County 40 20. Nebraska Elk Point-Jefferson, S.D. 57, Homer 21. George Wash. 22. Syracuse Elm Creek 55, Elwood 41 Emerson-Hubbard 56, Randolph 46 Ewing 55, Clearwater/Orchard 43 23. Texas 24. Seton Hall 25 South Florida Freeman 43. Sterling 35 Others receiving votes: James Madi-son 51, Georgia 37, Chattanooga 28, De-Paul 24, California 21, Arkansas-Little Fullerton 52, St. Edward 25 Gothenburg 53, Ogallala 50 Grand Island Central Catholic 45, Rock 10, Florida Gulf Coast 10, Northwestern 10, Gonzaga 8, LSU 8, Okla Grand Island Northwest 52. Boone

Dorsett Played 'Not Knowing' Dementia Could Result

DALLAS (AP) - Hall of Fame running back Tony Dorsett says he started playing football "not knowing that the end was going to be like this" what he calls a frustrating battle with a condition caused by head trauma that can lead to dementia and depression.

The former Heisman Trophy winner at Pittsburgh and Super Bowl champion with the Dallas Cowboys was diagnosed in 2013 as having signs of chronic traumatic encephalopathy, a degenerative brain condition. Dorsett told Dallas-area radio station KTCK-AM 1310 last week that he loves football and it was "good to me."

"It's just unfortunate that I'm going through what I'm going through," Dorsett said. "I'm in the fight, man. I'm not just laying around letting this overtake me. I'm hoping we can reverse this thing somehow."

In a lengthy interview with The Associated Press in 2012, Dorsett discussed the toll his football career took on his body and brain, detailing a helmet-tohelmet hit in a 1984 game that knocked him out. He called it the hardest hit he ever took.

'That ain't the first time I was knocked out or been dazed over the course of my career, and now I'm suffering for it. Dorsett told the AP three years ago. "And the NFL is trying to deny it."

Dorsett and thousands of former players have accused the NFL of long hiding what it knew about concussions and brain injuries to keep players on the field. The 60-year-old Dorsett opted out of a settlement between the NFL and former players that could end up paying out \$1 billion. He said he wanted his case to stand on its merits.

Dorsett rushed for 12,739 yards in 11 seasons with the Cowboys and one with Denver. He won his only Super Bowl when he was a rookie after the 1977 season. He told the radio station he often forgets how to get to places he's visited for years. He has previously said he was troubled by short-tempered moments with his family.

"Some days are good. Some days are bad," Dorsett told the radio station. "I signed up for this when, I guess, I started playing football so many years ago. But, obviously, not knowing that the end was going to be like this."

Dorsett held the NCAA career rushing record for 22 years with 6,082 yards at Pittsburgh before Texas' Ricky Williams broke it in 1998. He said he'd still encourage young athletes, including those in his family, to play football.

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WEST CENTRAL (14-3) BERESFORD (10-8)

Emerson-Hubbard 56. Randolph 46

RANDOLPH, Neb. - Emerson-Hubbard outshot Randolph 56-46 Tuesday night in Randolph.

No stats were reported for Emerson-Hubbard.

For Randolph, Katelyn Backhaus cashed 17 points. Madysen Andrew totaled 10 points, and Haley Schoor scored nine.

Emerson-Hubbard hosts Walthill Friday, and Randolph hosts Crofton the same day. EMERSON-HUBBARD (19-3)...... RANDOLPH (13-5)11 32 45 56 ..10 21 35 46

Huron 48, Mitchell 38

MITCHELL — Sarah Carr led Huron to a 48-38 victory over Mitchell with 17 points and 11 rebounds Tuesday night in Mitchell.

Adding to Huron's win was Jazmin Newton with 10 points and six rebounds.

For Mitchell, Taylor For Beresford (10-8), Volesky totaled 18 points and Becca Nelson had nine points grabbed eight rebounds. Huron hosts Brandon Valley Friday, and Mitchell hosts Brandon Valley Thursday.

.....8 15 30 487 18 27 38 Lennox 51, Canton 45 LENNOX — With three

players in double figures, Lennox took out Canton 51-45 Tuesday in Lennox.

Taylor Weeldnever cashed 14 points and eight rebounds for Lennox, and both Jordan Kruse and McKenzie Weeldnever added 10 points to the win.

For Canton, Halie Mc-Mains totaled 15 points, and Kristen Jennings put up 13 points.

Lennox hosts Parkston Thursday, and Canton hosts Irene-Wakonda Friday. CANTON (2-14) LENNOX (8-8)7 22 33 45 ...10 21 33 51

Norfolk Catholic 42, **Guardian Angels 41**

NORFOLK, Neb. - Norfolk Catholic edged out Guardian Angels Central Catholic 42-41 Tuesday in Norfolk.

Geena Piper netted 14 points and grabbed 12 rebounds for Norfolk Catholic, and Maddie Love added 13 points to the win.

No stats were given for Guardian Angels Central Catholic.

Thursday, Norfolk Catholic travels to Crofton, and Guardian Angels Central Catholic host Pierce. ...14 28 35 418 17 27 42

Boys

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Elk Point-Jefferson 60, Homer 51

ELK POINT - Elk Point-Jefferson outshot Homer 60-51 Tuesday night in Elk Point.

Brandon Koupal led Elk Point-Jefferson with 23 points and eight rebounds, and John Schuh added 14 points to the win.

For Homer, Preston Bodlak totaled 16 points and eight rebounds. Jake Brand put up 15 points, and Dalton Tremavne had 10 points.

Elk Point-Jefferson travels to Beresford on Friday, and Homer goes to Ponca the same day. HOMER (9-10) ...15 26 41 51

ELK POINT-JEFFERSON (7-9)19 37 48 60 Sturgis 56, Pierre 53

PIERRE — Kellen Barden and Jacob Simmons combined for 47 points as the Sturgis Scoopers used a strong fourth quarter to beat Pierre 56-53 on Tuesday in

the Capitol City. Barden had 25 points and nine rebounds while Simmons added 22 points for Sturgis (10-5), which outscored the Governors 19-6 in the fourth quarter.

Brevin Kaiser had 16 points for Pierre (9-6), while Nick Rabern added 13 points.

Pierre hosts Sioux Falls O'Gorman on Friday and Sturgis visits Chadron, Nebraska, on Saturday. STURGIS (10-5)13 27 37 56 PIERRE ...12 33 47 53

Battle Creek 82, Neligh-Oakdale 58 NELIGH, Neb. - Zach Bel-

lar and Kobe Lade combined for 49 points to lead Battle Creek to an 82-58 victory over Neligh-Oakdale in boys' basketball action on Tuesday.

Bellar scored 25 points and Lade had 24 points for Battle Creek. Will Kersten added 15 points in the victory.

For Neligh-Oakdale, Ben Lingenfelter led the way with 18 points. Grant White had 15 points and Tyson Belitz had 10 points for the Warriors.

Battle Creek (16-5), which snapped a two-game skid, hosts Hartington Cedar Catholic on Thursday. Neligh-Oakdale, 17-5, travels to **Chambers-Wheeler Central** on Friday.

BATTLE CREEK (16-5)..... NELIGH-OAKDALE (17-5)..... ...20 40 61 8212 28 45 58

Baseball

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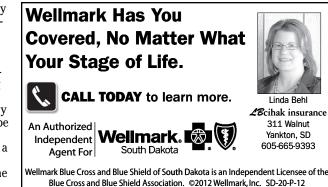
pect to have many issues. Kaperlian says it's clear that the new baseball will travel farther, but he feels any change that helps mimic conditions at the professional

level is a good thing. "Personally, I like it," Kaperlian said. "I think pitchers who throw tight breaking balls and throw through the glove are still going to be very successful. There shouldn't be too much of a drop off." Buehler agreed: "If you're a

guy who needed the high seams to get some spin on the ball, than it might be a prob-

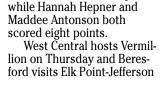
lem. But for guys with power stuff - two-seam fastballs, cutters and sliders — I think it could be beneficial." Savage said he hopes the

treated us pretty well - we've been to the College World Series three of the last five years," Savage said. "But for the bigger picture and for the interest in the game, I think it's going to have a significant difference."



main beneficiary will be college baseball as a whole.

The (low scoring) era has



added 12 points and seven rebounds.

West Central 56,

Stone had 16 points and

reached double figures as

56-39 on Tuesday in Beres-

points for West Central (14-

3), while Alexa From had 11

West Central's 18-5 edge in

points and Kylie Hanisch

added 10 points.

the third quarter.

West Central beat Beresford

Bailey Meadors added 12

The biggest difference was

three teammates also

Beresford 39

ford.

Hanson hosts Corsica-Stickney on Friday and Freeman visits Ethan next Tuesday. ...17 31 46 67 ...14 30 56 54 HANSON (15-3) FREEMAN (14-4) ...

BERESFORD — McKenzie