

Press&Dakotan
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Sports Staff on local and
national high school, college
and professional sports.Saturday's YHS-Lincoln Game To
Have Earlier Start Time

Saturday's girls' basketball games featuring Sioux Falls Lincoln at Yankton will have an earlier start time. Action will begin at noon with the junior varsity and freshmen 'A' games, followed by the sophomore game at 1:45 p.m. and the varsity game at 3:30 p.m. The boys' games featuring Yankton at Lincoln will follow a similar schedule.

GPAC Baseball Tourney To Be
Held In Lincoln May 3-5

LINCOLN, Neb. — The Great Plains Athletic Conference has announced that the 2012 GPAC Post-Season Baseball Tournament will be played at Haymarket Park and Sherman Field in Lincoln on May 3-5. Haymarket Park, the home of the University of Nebraska baseball team, will serve as the primary field for the tournament. The GPAC also hosts its indoor track championships at a University of Nebraska facility, the Bob



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BROOKINGS — On the big stage, South Dakota State laid down a big whooping.

Surprised?

To the extent that a reboot to a once heated and intense rivalry would end in a 30-point beatdown, sure, that's the surprising part.

If SDSU was out to make a statement to the Summit League newcomer this season, then consider it done. They saw I see it, the visiting Coyotes (6-10, 1-6) saw first-hand exactly what the Jackrabbits endured during those early Summit League years — when SDSU went 3-15 in its conference debut.

dates. Dates are Jan. 31, Feb. 7, 14, 21, 28 and March 6.

The Upper Elementary YHS will hit from 7-8 p.m., Middle School will hit from 8-9 p.m. and High School will hit from 9-10 p.m.

For more information, contact head coach Andy Bernatow at abernatow@mtmc.edu or 605-660-3589.

Crofton Booster Club Tourney
Jan. 21-22

CROFTON, Neb. — The Crofton Booster Club youth basketball tournament will be held Jan. 21-22 in Crofton, Neb. The tournament is open to boys' and girls' teams in grades 5-8.

Entry deadline is Jan. 13. For more information, contact Bob Hegge at 402-388-4293.

Bon Homme Youth Girls' Basket-
ball Tourn. Feb. 26

TYNDALL — The annual Bon Homme girls' basketball tournament will be held Feb. 26 in Tyndall.

Coyotes Get First-Hand Look At What To Aim For

That's the hard part about Thursday night's 86-56 rout at Frost Arena in Brookings, the silver lining isn't immediately obvious.

"We have to compete with them, that's the bottom line," USD coach Dave Boots said. "This isn't going to be a good rivalry if this is the product we're going to bring."

To that end, the loss gives USD an even clearer idea what it takes to compete for a Summit League title. The Coyotes had already faced Oakland and Oral Roberts this season, losing both. After this weekend's visit to Brookings and Saturday's road game at North Dakota State, the Coyotes can at least step back when the dust settles and see where exactly their program stands.

"It hasn't really sunk in yet," senior Louie Krognan said. "We just have to keep moving forward. This one hurts a little bit, but we have half a season left."

The tournament is open to girls' teams in grades 4-6.

Each team is guaranteed three games.

Entry deadline is Feb. 10. For more information or an entry form, contact Troy Goehring at troy.goehring@k12.sd.us.

NFL, NCAA Urge States To Pass
Concussion Laws

NEW YORK (AP) — NFL Commissioner Roger Goodell and NCAA President Mark Emmert are urging 13 governors to support legislation this year aimed at cutting down on concussions in youth football.

Goodell and Emmert sent letters Thursday to governors of states — such as Florida, Ohio and Wisconsin — they said do not have something akin to Washington state's "Zackery Lysted Law," named for a middle school football player who sustained brain damage after he got a concussion and returned to play.

That law requires that a player who shows signs of a concussion be removed from a game or practice, and bars the player from competing again until being cleared by a

licensed health care professional trained in concussion

evaluation and management.

The letters say 31 states and Washington, D.C., already have such laws.

Iowa's McCaffery Has No
Apology For Chair Slam

IOWA CITY, Iowa (AP) — Iowa Coach Fran McCaffery says he has no regrets about slamming a chair during an outburst during Tuesday's blowout loss at Michigan State.

McCaffery told reporters Thursday he had no apologies for the tirade, which started after he was whistled for a technical foul while Iowa was losing 69-41. Battering his players during the break, McCaffery picked up an empty folding chair and slammed it on the court.

McCaffery says he's going to continue to "coach with passion" and fight for his players. Iowa lost the game 95-61.

McCaffery says the game was very physical and his players failed to adjust. Iowa is 10-8 this season, and 2-3 in Big Ten play.

SCOREBOARD

BOWLING

YANKTON BOWL

MOONSHINERS

HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES: Terry Wiebelhaus 234, Ken Schaefer 211, Carol Myers 165, Elaine Lane 161

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STANDINGS: L&S Electric 41.5-18.5, Northtown Aces 37-23, Quizon's 35.5-24.5, Curves 35-25, Pin Heads 31.5-28.5, Steamway 27-33, JB Auto 26.5-33.5

HIGHLIGHTS: Becky Frank 6-10

SPARETIME LADIES

HIGH TEAM GAME: First National SC 963

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HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME: Stacy Barta 245, Candy Olson 215, Mindy Wheeler 214, Judy Barta 213

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STANDINGS: Truck Trailer 12-0, EASW 10-2, Huether's Seamless Cutters 9-3, First National SC 8-4, Glass Cutters 5-7, First Dakota 5-7, Sealander Marine 4-8, Marshmellows 4-8, Vogt Cleaners 2-10, Jansen's Upholstery 1-11

HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES: Candy Olson 5-10, Jane Rhoades 5-8, Elaine Lane 2-7, Lisa Brinkman 2-7, 4-5, Joan Tammen 4-5-7, Laurie Bruening 3-10, Jolene Ratzliff 3-10

INDUSTRIAL

HIGH TEAM GAME: (1/9) H&K Oil #2 855;

(1/2) H&K Oil #2 964

HIGH TEAM SERIES: (1/9) H&K Oil #2

2347, (1/2) H&K Oil #2 2559

HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME: (1/9) Matt Hoefs

279, Joe Georgeson 253, Jerry Peterson 244,

Frank Osborn Sr. 236, J. Peterson 234; (1/2)

Buce Myers 268, John Palu 267, Tom Grass

266, Randy Svendsen 261, Darwin Gerlach 258

HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES: (1/9) Brian Myers 653, Matt Hoefs 641, Don Casey 628,

Frank Osborn Sr. 615, Scott Byrkeland 615, (1/2)

Wendover 240, Joe Wuestewald 236, Todd

Moody 236; (1/4) Tyler Novak 269, Joe

Wuestewald 267, Pat King 258, Lamonte Bak

256, Todd Moody 249

HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES: (1/11) Todd

Moody 684, Pat King 662, Ryan Westwood 637,

Todd Kautz 626, Frank Osborn Sr. 623; (1/4)

Tyler Novak 749, Pat King 720, Todd Moody 715,

Ryan Westwood 734, Jimmy Hahn 682

STANDINGS: Eisenbraun & Associates 41,

Yankton Motor 38, Plath Chiropractic 38, Coca-

Cola Classic 26.5, Spectacle Shop 22, Fastenal

22, Rotten Apples 18.5, Dakota Electric 10

MONDAY MIXED

HIGH TEAM GAME: Bob's Hobby Supply

437

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1226

HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME: Hal Somer 235,

Frank Osborn Sr. 204, Joe Marlian 197, Elaine

Stall 168-166, Lonnie Remington 165, Cindy

Somer 148

HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME: Hal Somer 591,

Frank Osborn Sr. 548, Bob List 491, Elaine List

498, Lonnie Remington 442, Audrey Misar 404

STANDINGS: Mistiffs 8-4, Courtney Pumpkins

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7-5, Ten Pins 6-6, Alley Kats 5-6.5, Splits 5-7,

Bob's Hobby Supply 4.5-7.5

HIGHLIGHTS: Audrey Misar 2-7; Elaine List

3-10; Hal Somer 4-6, 3-10

CROFTON

MEN'S COMMERCIAL

HIGH TEAM GAME: Wiebelhaus Rec 897

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HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME: Galen Zimmerman 248, Mike Johnson 235, Steve Honeywell 227

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A STANDINGS: Coors Light 32-8, Wiebelhaus Rec 23-17, Goeden Steele 15-25, Dean's Cab 14-26

B STANDINGS: Crofton Elevator 23-17, DSM Apts 20-20, Don's Auto 19-21, Alexander 14-26

HIGHLIGHTS: Janet Gehlsen - 62 over game avg.; Mark Mackprang - 81 over series avg.

VOLLEYBALL

YANKTON COEDS LEAGUE

RESULTS: The Dirty Half Dozen def. First

Dakota Bank 21-15, 21-14, 25-23; Arm & Hammer 14-10, The Wolf's Carrels 21-11, 21-12, 21-9;

104.1 The Wolf def. Back That Ace Up 23-25, 21-7, 21-17; Da A Team def. Koch Insurance 21-7,

21-8, 21-13; Get Up def. The Hot Shots 21-18,

21-10, 22-20; Off Constantly def. Family Ties 21-13, 21-13, 21-14

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Arm & Hammer 4-1, Da A Team 4-2, Koch Ins. 2-3,

Hot Shots 2-3, Rivals 2-3, Dirty Half Dozen 1-4,

First Dakota Bank 1-5, Murph's Carrels 1-5, Family Ties 0-6

WOMEN'S LEAGUE

RESULTS: Budlight Bashers def. Larry's

Heating & Cooling 17-21, 21-17, 22-20; JJ

Benji def. Ferding's Firecrackers 21-9, 21-16,

20-22; Inside-Outters def. Darrell's Daycare 21-7,

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21-19, 21-19, 14-21

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