the region. Billed as "South Dakota's Premier Winter Road Race" — and also one of South Dakota's only winter road races — the Frostbite 4 attracts a host of eager runners and walkers ready to brave the elements. Last year there were 273 four-mile participants and 134 who completed the two-mile fun run.

The event is staged at the Beresford High School gym (meaning there are rest rooms and locker rooms on

Not only is this a unique competition, but it is a great value as well. If you register before Jan. 27 you get a

I am in no way affiliated with the Beresford Booster Club but I have already signed up for this year's event.

long sleeve event shirt (consistently one of the better road race shirts around — this year's version features a

site) and participants are bused out of town to run with the wind at their backs.

cartoon penguin). Registration is available online at allsportcentral.com

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



BY CHRIS RILEY sports@yankton.net

Hopefully everyone in the Missouri Valley region is getting outside this week to enjoy our mild January weather. I know I have enjoyed my training runs the past couple of days wearing just a pair of long-sleeved shirts instead of the usual garb of multiple Under Armour shirts plus a hoodie.

If you are itching to put in some miles either running or walking, then consider setting a goal of competing in the Beresford Booster Club's 14th annual Frostbite 4 road race on Feb. 2.

Held yearly on the Saturday before Super Bowl Sunday, the Frostbite 4 offers both four and two routes to

run or walk as competitively or relaxed as your feel.

As a two-time participant, I can tell you that the "Frostbite" is a fun atmosphere like no other road race in

Morningside To Collect Donations For MMC Coach Fernandez

SIOUX CITY, Iowa — Morningside College will collect donations during tonight's (Wednesday) Great Plains Athletic Conference women's and men's basketball doubleheader against Mount Marty College to assist Mount Marty head softball coach Albert Fernandez with his medical bills as he battles cancer.

Donations will be taken in the stands and at the concession stand

The women's game tips off at 6 p.m. at Alle Gym. followed by the men's game.

DWU Women Add Another Parkston Recruit

MITCHELL — On the same day that the Dakota Wesleyan women's basketball team made their first appearance in the NAIA Division II Top 25 Coaches' Poll since the 2003-04 season, the Tigers announced that senior McKenzie Weidenbach signed recently and will join the team starting in the fall of 2013.

Dakota Wesleyan, which is 14-4 overall, landed at No. 24 in this week's poll, which was released Tuesday afternoon. The last time the Tigers were in the top 25 was the final poll of the 2003-04 season when they received the No. 7 ranking. Dakota Wesleyan is currently on a six-game winning streak and has won eight of its last 10 games. Its only two losses were to top-ranked Concordia University

and No. 3 Morningside. Weidenbach, a 5-foot-8 guard/forward combo from Parkston, signed recently to join the Tigers for the 2013-14 season, Christensen announced. She is a five-time letter winner and three-year starter for the Trojans, and has helped Parkston to a 106-17 record in the last five years, including a runner-up finish at the Class A state tournament in 2012. In her three years starting, Weidenbach the daughter of DWU assistant men's basketball coach Tim Weidenbach – averages nine points, three rebounds and two assists per game. She plays for the Dakota Schoolers summer basketball program and is a member of the National Honor Society.

"McKenzie has been a valuable member of a highly successful Parkston High School team, as well as a Dakota Schoolers AAU program that consistently competes at a high level," Christensen said. "She is a proven winner and that is a quality we look for when recruiting.

Weidenbach joins current Parkston teammate Erica Herrold as one of the Tigers' four recruits for 2013-14. Mitchell's Kristin Sabers and Hanson High School's Kendra Cheeseman have also signed.

Williams At QB Club

The Yankton Quarterback Club will meet Wednesday at noon at the Elks Lodge, 504 West 27th Street, Yank-

This week's speaker is University of South Dakota women's basketball coach Amy Williams. Williams, who prepped at Spearfish and played at the University of Nebraska, served on coaching staffs at Nebraska-Kearney, Texas-San Antonio, Oklahoma State and Tulsa before taking over her first program at NAIA Division I Rogers State. At RSU, she built a program from scratch into an NAIA contender, including a national quarterfinal berth in 2011-12. She was hired at USD on June 4, 2012, and is in her first season at the helm of the program. The public is invited to attend.

Bon Homme Girls' Basketball Tourn. Feb. 17

TYNDALL — There will be a youth girls' basketball tournament for teams in grades 4, 5 and 6 on Sunday, Feb. 17, at the Bon Homme High School gym in Tyndall. Entry deadline is Feb. 8. For more information or an entry form, contact Contact Tara Gubbrud at tara.gub-

Tommies' Caruso Is AFCA D3 Coach Of The Year

brud@k12.sd.us or 605-589-3389.

ST. PAUL, Minn. (AP) — Glenn Caruso of St. Thomas has been voted the Division III national coach of the year. Caruso led the Tommies to an NCAA runner-up finish. He's just the third Division III honoree in the 30-year history of the American Football Coaches' Association honor to receive the most votes without winning the NCAA championship. The award is voted on by fellow Division III

coaches. Caruso is 57-8 in five seasons at St. Thomas in Minnesota, with four NCAA playoff berths and an 11-4 postseason record. He also won the Liberty Mutual Coach of the Year award in Division III.

The Tommies lost 28-10 to Mount Union in December's Amos Alonzo Stagg Bowl.

Prior to leaving for St. Thomas, Caruso served as offensive coordinator at the University of South Dakota

I wouldn't miss it. Hope to see you there!

NSIC To Hold Basketball Tournaments In Sioux Falls

SIOUX FALLS (AP) — The Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference will hold its men's and women's basketball tournaments at a new Sioux Falls complex beginning in 2014.

Commissioner Butch Raymond on Tuesday announced a three-year agreement to move the NSIC/Sanford Health Men's and Women's Basketball Tournaments to the Pentagon by Sanford Health.

The 160,000-square-foot facility is scheduled to open in the fall of 2013. The Pentagon is a comprised of nine basketball courts — six high school regulation courts, two professional-college practice courts and a "heritage" court paying homage to 1950s-60s basketball. Raymond says the pentagon-shaped facility aligns with

the conference's goal to provide a tremendous studentathlete experience. He says Sioux Falls will be a great host community.

The 2014 basketball quarterfinals, semifinals and finals will run March 1-4 at the facility.

Scioscia To Speak At Huskers Banquet. Coaches Clinic

LINCOLN, Neb. — The Nebraska baseball team is set to host a pair of events at the beginning of February, including the 2013 Nebraska Baseball Coaches Clinic and the Annual Husker Home Run Club Banquet.

This year's coaches clinic will feature Mike Scioscia, manager of the Los Angeles Angels of Anaheim. The clinic is set to take place on Saturday, Feb. 2, from 8:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m. at both the Hawks Championship

Center and the Haymarket Park Indoor Facility. This clinic is for high school coaches, college coaches vouth baseball coaches and anyone else that wants to learn more about the game of baseball from the Husker

Coach Erstad will be joined by Associate Head Coach Will Bolt, Pitching Coach Ted Silva and volunteer assistant Jeff Christy. This group has a wealth of baseball

knowledge and it is their goal to help you make your kids better baseball players.

There is a cost for the clinic, with those who register on-

line at www.bigredacademy.com receiving a special rate. A continental breakfast and lunch are included in the price. Hotel rooms have been blocked under Nebraska Baseball Coaches Clinic at the Embassy Suites/Downtown

(402-474-1111) on Friday, Feb. 1, 2013, at a special rate. The Huskers' Nebraska Baseball Banquet is set for Friday, Feb. 1, at the Embassy Suites in downtown Lincoln. Tickets are available, with discounted tickets for tables of

Social hour is scheduled to start at 5:30 p.m., with dinner scheduled for 6:30 p.m. Scioscia will be the keynote speaker at the banquet.

A silent and live auction will also take place to help support the Nebraska baseball program.

For more information, please contact the Huskers Athletic Fund at 1-800-8 BIG RED. RSVPs for the banquet are due by Monday, Jan. 28.

SCOREBOARD

BOWLING

YANKTON BOWL

CLASSIC HIGH TEAM GAME: Eisenbraun & As-

sociates 1010 HIGH TEAM SERIES: Eisenbraun & Associates 2751 HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME: Don Casey 279, Jimmy Hahn 279, Casey Weverstad 264, Jerry Peterson 258, Todd

Kautz 249 HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES: Jerry Peterson 741. Chuck Turner 710. Scott Plath 696, Steve Shutt 695, Jimmy Hahn 690 STANDINGS: Barta Electric 24, Yank ton Motor 23, Eisenbraun & Associates 19, Smidt Captain & Crew 18, Plath Chiropractic 17.5, Spectacle Shop 9.5, Happy Hourz 9, Rotten Apples 8, Coca-Cola 4, Thrivent

MONDAY NIGHT MIXED
HIGH TEAM GAME: Country Bump-

kins 458 HIGH TEAM SERIES: The Pinheads

1304 HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME: Kelly Mernin 279 (errorless), Romain "Red" Loecker 220, Todd Moody 216, Cindy Somer 190, Annabelle Moody 187, Elaine List 184

HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES: Kelly Mernin 691, Todd Moody 604, Romain "Red" Loecker 578, Elaine List 497, Cindy Somer 478, Annabelle Moody 476
STANDINGS: Country Bumpkins 4-0,
Misfits 3-1, R&D Loeckers 3-1, The Pinheads 3-1, Alley Kats 3-1, RTBN 1-3, TCB

HIGHLIGHTS: Lonnie Remington 2-7; Annabelle Moody 3-10; Todd Moody 5-7;

Cindy Somer 2-7 SPARETIME LADIES

HIGH TEAM GAME: Huether Seam-less Gutters 845 HIGH TEAM SERIES: Huether Seamless Gutters 2454

HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME: Stacy Barta 236, Hiliary Barta 217, Edwena Tumer 201 HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES: Stacy Barta 708, Hiliary Barta 553, Sheryl Fix

531 Judy Nielson 530 STANDINGS: Huether Seamless Gut-ters 4-0, Marshmellows 3-1, Harding Glass 3-1, First National SC 3-1, First Dakota 3-1, Truxedo 1-3, Lewis & Clark Marina 1-3, Vogt Cleaners 1-2, Glass Cutters 0-4 HIGHLIGHTS: Barb Olson 5-10, 3-10; Joan Tammen 5-10; Starrla McLaughlin 5-10; Tona Larson 5-10; Renae Aune 2-4-10;

MOONSHINERS HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME: Frank Os-born Sr. 224, Jerry Byrkeland 219, Kevin Cole 202, Deb Caba 162, Bonnie Welch

HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES: Frank Osborn Sr. 617, Jerry Byrkeland 586, Deb Caba 418, Bonnie Welch 404 STANDINGS: JB Auto 26.5-3.5, 2 Kevins & Girl 19.5-10.5, Quizno's 16-14,

Steamway 16-14, FECC/L&S 6-24

CROFTON, NEB. MEN'S COMMERCIAL LEAGUE HIGH TEAM SERIES: Merkel Insulation 2439 HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME: Adam Wei-bold 234, Larry Thunker 221, Steve Hon-

HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES: Steve Honeywell 600, Adam Weibold 592, Larry Thunker 583 A STANDINGS: Don's Auto 26-14, Merkel Insulation 25.5-14.5, Wiebelhaus

Rec 18-22. Crofton Elevator 16.5-23.5 B STANDINGS: Coor's Light 24-16, Goeden Steele 23-17, DSM Apts 20-20, Leader Angus 7-33 HIGHLIGHTS: Adam Weibold — 58

over game avg.; Chance McCoy — 84 over series avg.; Dan Liebl 4-7-9; Dennis Merkel 2-4-10; Mark Mackeprang 3-6-7-10, 3-10; Dick Hochstein 3-10
WOMEN'S AMERICAN LEAGUE

HIGH TEAM GAME: Arens Construc-

HIGH TEAM SERIES: Arens Construction 2103 HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME: Deb Wiebelhaus 182, Tonya Lambertz 174, Amber Willcuts 172

HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES: Deb Dawson 449 D-1 STANDINGS: Lewis & Clark Spe-

cialty Hospital 94.5-65.5, Arens Construc-tion 92-68, Comfy feet.Biz 85-75 D-2 STANDINGS: DSM Apts. 78.5-81.5, Wiebelhaus PDR 73-87, F&M Bank

VOLLEYBALL

YANKTON PARKS & REC

COED COMPETITIVE LEAGUE RESULTS: The Rivals def. Arm-N-Hammer/Larry's Heating & Cooling 2-1 21-19, 12-21, 21-19; Getting Diggy With It def. Yankton Rexall/Dakota Drywall 2-1 21-11, 16-21, 21-14; Back That Ace Up def. A Team 2-1 16-21, 21-11, 21-13

STANDINGS: Da A Team 5-1, Back That Ace Up 4-2, Arm-N-Hammer/Larry's Heating & Cooling 3-3, The Rivals 3-3, Yankton Rexall/Dakota Drywall 2-4, Getting Diggy With It 1-5

COED JUST FOR FUN LEAGUE RESULTS: Dakota Trailer Hot Shots def. Wild Sets 3-0 21-11, 21-18, 21-11; Fireballs def. First Dakota Bank 2-1 20-22, 21-10, 21-5; Rounding 3rd def. Ice House (forfeit); Honey Badgers def. Spiked Punch 2-1 21-18, 19-21, 21-18; Ben's Brewing Company def. Murph's Carpets 2-1 10-21, 21-13, 21-18; The Netters def. Wild Sets 3-0 21-14, 21-14, 21-8

STANDINGS: Rounding 3rd 5-0, Dakota Trailer Hot Shots 5-1, Murph's Car-pets 4-2, Fireballs 4-2, Honey Badgers 3-2, First Dakota Bank 3-3, Spiked Punch 1-3, Ten Pins 1-3, Bob's Hobby Supply 1-2-3. Ben's Brewing Company 2-4. The Netters 2-4, Wild Sets 1-5, Ice House 0-5

WRESTLING

MITCHELL MS INV. YANKTON RESULTS FIRST: Jarett Rueb, Skyler Elle, Caige Strub, Jamee Bruegman, J.C. Holton, Kyle Schmidt, Brock Folkers, Zach Hanzlik SECOND: Brody Witte, Josh Rowell,

Robbie Darcy, Shaun Pinkelman, Colin THIRD: Taten Bahm, Cody Vorn-hagen, Bashir Abd-Al-Kreem, Owen Phillips, Gabe Wenzlaff, Ray Wermers, Luke Lammers, Drian Martinez, Skyler Schick, Dylan Lynde, Cole Diedrichsen, Adam Lange, Reese Anderson FOURTH: Benjamin Te Benjamin Tellus,

Gilbery, Isiah Woods, Connor Davenport, Dylan Ainsworth, Justin Groves, Donovan

TUESDAY'S S.D. SCORES

Beresford Quadrangular Beresford 51, Elk Point-Jefferson 21 Beresford 55, Tri-Valley 21 Beresford 70, Tea Area 9 Elk Point-Jefferson 49. Tea Area 27 Tri-Valley 42. Elk Point-Jefferson 27 Tri-Valley 50. Tea Area 30 Sunshine Bible Academy Triangular Redfield/Doland JV 48, Sunshine

Bible Academy 36 Warner/Northwestern Redfield/Doland JV 36 ner/Northwestern 48, Sunshine

Bible Academy 34

BASKETBALL

YANKTON PARKS & REC

MEN'S COMPETITIVE LEAGUE RESULTS: Flint Tropics def. Neighborod Dental 90-60; Horn Law Office/Upper Deck def. Ben's Brewing Co. 61-33; Spinal Tappers def. The Ball Players 89-49 STANDINGS: Flint Tropics 5-0, Neighborhood Dental 3-2, Spinal Tappers 3-2,

Ben's Brewing 2-3, Horn Law Office-Upper

Deck 2-3, Ball Players 0-5

TUESDAY'S S.D. BOYS Castlewood 72, Colman-Egan 37 Clark/Willow Lake 60, Deubrook 45 Custer 49, Hot Springs 47 DeSmet 51, Howard 43 Deuel 62, Arlington 59 Ethan 68, Bridgewater-Emery 45

Faulkton 49, Highmore-Harrold 27

Grant-Deuel 55, Florence/Henry 49

Irene-Wakonda 58, Alcester-Hudson

James Valley Christian 81, Mt. Vernon/Plankinton 55 Langford 58, Hitchcock-Tulare 46 Milbank 55, Groton Area 42

Miller 50, Redfield/Doland 40 Mitchell 46, Brandon Valley 44 Platte-Geddes 54, Tripp-Delmont/Ar-Potter County 89 Tiosnave Tona 37

Rosholt 59, Waverly-South Shore 36 Sanborn Central/Woonsocket 60, Kimball/White Lake 53 Sioux Falls Christian 50, Dell Rapids

Sioux Falls Washington 42, Sioux Falls O'Gorman 35 Standing Rock, N.D. 49, Cheyenne-Eagle Butte 44 Summit 68. Waubay 44

Tea Area 56, Tri-Valley 47 Vermillion 90, Bon Homme 63

TUESDAY'S S.D. GIRLS

Aberdeen Central 56, Huron 45 Bennett County 62, Little Wound 61 Bon Homme 44, South Central 40 Canistota 46, Gayville-Volin 30 Chamberlain 51, Lyman 24 Clark/Willow Lake 54. Deubrook 38 DeSmet 75, Howard 41 Ethan 51, Bridgewater-Emery 34 Eureka/Bowdle 43, Langford 37 Flandreau 34, Garretson 31 Florence/Henry 60, Grant-Deuel 28

Hanson 46. McCook Central/Montrose Harrisburg 70, Elk Point-Jefferson 48 Hill City 47, Hot Springs 32 James Valley Christian 47, Mt. Ver-

non/Plankinton 44 Jones County 52, Colome 44 Lemmon 79, Mott-Regent, N.D. 48 Madison 49, Vermillion 41 Marion 45, Freeman Academy 34 Mitchell 84, Brandon Valley 33 Newell 44, Dupree 34
Pine Ridge 77, Custer 31
Redfield/Doland 58, Miller 33

Sanborn Central/Woonsocket 59, Kimhall/White I ake 45 Sioux County, Neb. 65, Edgemont 30 Sioux Falls O'Gorman 47, Sioux Falls

Sioux Falls Washington 50, Brookings 29 Sioux Valley 61, Hamlin 45

Sisseton 66, Northwestern 42 Spearfish 64, Belle Fourche 15 Sully Buttes 65 Philip 32 Todd County 60, White River 29 Valentine, Neb. 65, Winner 55 Wagner 75, Gregory 29

Wolsey-Wessington 35, Iroquois 28 TUESDAY'S NEB. BOYS

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Ainsworth 54, Boyd County 52 Anselmo-Merna 67, Elwood 59 Arapahoe 62, Gothenburg 52 Bishop Neumann 80, Guardian Angels

Centennial 43, Shelby/Rising City 36 Clearwater/Orchard 54, Creighton 32 Columbus Lakeview 49. Pierce 47 Conestoga 37, East Butler 36 Crete 69, Plattsmouth 61 David City 66, Raymond Central 46 Doniphan-Trumbull 56, Centura 54 Elkhorn South 70, Columbus 50 Ewing 80. Elkhorn Valley 47

Friend 58. Dorchester 53 Gibbon 71, Blue Hill 47 Grand Island Central Catholic 54, York Grand Island Northwest 51, Hastings

St. Cecilia 43

Gretna 60, Boys Town 52 Heartland 49, Superior 29 Heartland Lutheran 55, Hampton 34 Hitchcock County 68, Dundy County-Stratton 56 Howells/Dodge 65, Elgin Public/Pope

Lincoln Lutheran 49, Malcolm 30 Lindsay Holy Family 48, Elba/North p-Scotia 28 Logan View 54, Madison 36 Lutheran High Northeast 53, Crofton

Maxwell 44. Maywood 32 McCool Junction 58, Harvard 27 McCool Junction 59, Harvard 27 Medicine Valley 59, Hayes Center 34 Millard West 57, Lincoln East 54

Minden 62, Ravenna 60

Mitchell 79, Burns, Wyo. 51

44 Nebraska Lutheran 56, St. Edward 39 North Bend Central 34, Arlington 32 North Central 51, Arcadia 37 Omaha Concordia 45, College View

Academy 28 Omaha Nation 83, Walthill 50 Omaha Skutt Catholic 62, Elkhorn

unt Michael 44
Omaha South 60, Millard South 40 Osceola 39, Nebraska Christian 38 Osmond 46, Neligh-Oakdale 24 Pender 48, Homer 44 Platteview 61, Ashland-Greenwood 41 Ponca 53, Wakefield 51 Randolph 63, West Holt 35 Shelton 62, Loup City 61

Sieutor 62, cup City of 19 Sioux County 32, Edgemont, S.D. 24 South Sioux City 66, Bishop Heelan Catholic, Sioux City, lowa 61, OT Southern Valley 58, Chase County 50 St. Mary's 66, Hartington 45 St. Paul 68. Central City 34 Twin River 62, Aquinas 29 Valentine 52, Winner, S.D. 49

Wayne 76, Laurel-Concord 32 Wood River 61, Broken Bow 47 Wynot 68, Niobrara/Verdigre 48 MUDECAS Class A Tournament First Round Falls City Sacred Heart 42. Parkview

istian 31 Freeman 43, Lewiston 39 Pawnee City 44, Sterling 39 **MUDECAS Class B Tournament** First Round

Exeter/Milligan 58, Meridian 31 Johnson-Brock 59, Humboldt/Table

Rock-Steinauer 33 Nebraska City Lourdes 41. Diller-Odell

Southern 50, Palmyra 45, 20T TUESDAY'S NEB. GIRLS Ainsworth 53, Boyd County 44 Aguinas 45. Twin River 22

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Arcadia 42. North Central 31 Blue Hill 43, Gibbon 24 Central City 45, St. Paul 23 Centura 49, Doniphan-Trumbull 40 Clarinda, Iowa 40, Auburn 24

Clarkson/Leigh 53, Cedar Bluffs 42 Conestoga 48, East Butler 43 Crete 60. Plattsmouth 41 Crofton 41, Lutheran High Northeast Deshler 44, Sandy Creek 29

Elwood 70. Anselmo-Merna 40 Emerson-Hubbard 58, Winnebago 49 Emerson-Hubbard 56, Willieba Ewing 40, Elkhorn Valley 20 Fairbury 64, Wilber-Clatonia 25 Fort Calhoun 57, Louisville 48 Franklin 23, Red Cloud 19

Friend 53, Dorchester 24 Giltner 60, Kenesaw 37 Gothenburg 58, Arapahoe 47 Grand Island Central Catholic 40, York Grand Island Northwest 45, Hastings

Guardian Angels 67, Bishop Neumann 34 Harvard 44. McCool Junction 42 Heartland 36, Superior 30 Hershey 57, Sutherland 30 Homer 57, Pender 54

Howells/Dodge 68, Elgin Public/Pope John 29 Humphrey 55, Oakland-Craig 38 Laurel-Concord 40, Wayne 31 Lincoln Christian 65, Boys Town 15 Lindsay Holy Family 45, Elba/North Loup-Scotia 24

Loup City 38, Shelton 26 Madison 48, Logan View 39 Maxwell 49, Maywood 39 Medicine Valley 42, Hayes Center 38 Milford 52 Syracuse 41 Millard South 54, Omaha South 47 Millard West 64, Lincoln East 39 Minden 51, Ravenna 24 Mitchell 56, Burns, Wyo. 41 Nebraska Christian 45, Osceola 37 North Bend Central 43, Aslington 35 North Platte St. Patrick's 55, Mullen 39 Omaha Duchesne Academy 37, Ben-

Omaha Nation 61, Walthill 60

Omaha Skutt Catholic 45, Omaha

Osmond 64, Neligh-Oakdale 42 Palmer 43, High Plains Community 13 Pierce 56, Columbus Lakeview 15 Platteview 39, Ashland-Gree Ponca 48, Wakefield 46 Randolph 49, West Holt 48

Rawlins County, Kan. 30, Southwest Raymond Central 59, David City 29 Shelby/Rising City 67, Centennial 49 Shenandoah, Iowa 44, Nebraska City 37

Sioux County 65, Edgemont, S.D. 30 Southern Valley 61, Chase County 20 St. Edward 29, Nebraska Lutheran 19 St. Mary's 81, Hartington 39 Stanton 55, Plainview 44 Valentine 65, Winner, S.D. 55 Yutan 50, Douglas County West 32

NAIA DIVISION II MEN'S BASKET-**BALL COACHES' TOP 25 POLL**

1. Eastern Oregon (11) 19-1

Rec Pts Pvs

342

2. Embry-Riddle (2) 3. Northwood (Fla.) 332 317 305 300 16-1 15-1 4. William Penn (Iowa) 5. Cardinal Stritch (Wis.) 16-2 6. Indiana Weslevan 296 265 258 247 237 '. Northwestern (lowa) 13-4 8. Davenport (Mich.) 14-3 9. Mount Mercy (Iowa) 16-2 11 **13** 15-3 10. Dordt (lowa) 11. Warner Pacific(Ore.) 15-4 224 12. Grace (Ind.) 218 214 192 189 Rochester (Mich.) Southern Oregon Indiana Southeast 16. Doane (Neb.) 16-3 176 8 17. St. Thomas (Fla.) 18. Indiana Tech 168 152 125 115 20 23 15 19. Ave Maria (Fla.) 20. Valley City St. (N.D.) 12-4 21. Bethel (Ind.) 14-3 107 RV 106

22. Northwest (Wash.) 15-4 23. Saint Xavier (III.) 14-4 24. Madonna (Mich.) 12-5 T25. Cal Maritime 13-3 102 84 78 T25 Ozarks (Mo.) 12-4 78 NR votes: Point (Ga) 57: Others receiving Briar Cliff (lowa) 55; Saint Mary (Kan.) 34; Oklahoma Wesleyan 30; Taylor (Ind.) 20; Indiana East 18; York (Neb.) 6; **Dakota**

State (S.D.) 5; Hastings (Neb.) 4. NAIA DIVISION II WOMEN'S BAS-KETBALL COACHES' TOP 25 Rec Pts Pvs

1. Indiana Weslevan (12)17-0

2. Concordia (Neb.)
3. Davenport (Mich.) 302 I. Ozarks (Mo.) 281 **281** 4. Morningside (lowa) 16-2 6. Olivet Nazarene (III.) 14-2 7. Briar Cliff (lowa) Eastern Oregon 9. Saint Francis (Ind.) 10. Northwestern (IA) 12-4 229 11. Saint Xavier (III.) 13-3 12. Valley City St. (N.D.) 12-2 13. Concordia (Mich.) 13-3 Cardinal Stritch 179 168 15. Bethel (Ind.)

Jamestown (N.D.) St. Thomas (Fla.) 168 149 144 18. Union (Ky.) 19. St. Ambrose (Iowa) 14-2 114 NR 102 RV 20. Marian (Ind.) 20. Manan (Ind.) 13-3 21. College of Idaho 11-5 22. Southwestern (Kan.) 10-5 23. Grand View (Iowa) 9-4 24. Dakota Wesleyan 14-4 25. Taylor (Ind.) 13-4 95 91 87 **67** 60

25. Taylor (Ind.) 13-4 60 13 Others receiving votes: Oklahoma Wesleyan 56; Menlo (Calif.) 43; Madonna (Mich.) 31; Purdue Calumet (Ind.) 21; Huntington (Ind.) 20; Saint Mary (Neb.) 15; Milligan (Tenn.) 12; Roosevelt (III.) 9; Oregon Tech 9; Mayville State (N.D.) 8; Ave Maria (Fla.) 7; Siena Heights (Mich.) 6; Tabor (Kan.) 6; Alice Lloyd (Ky.) 5; **Dordt**

(lowa) 4; Warner Pacific (Ore.) 3. USA TODAY/ESPN WOMEN'S **TOP 25**

The top 25 teams in the USA Today ESPN Women's college basketball poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, records through Jan. 7, total points based on 25 points for a first-place vote through one point for a 25th-place vote and last

Beresford Booster Club Road Race A 'Unique' Competition

Pts Pvs 1. Baylor (21) 758 724 700 683 UConn (4) Duke (2) 678 6. Kentucky 620 California 589 550 511 462 Penn State Tennessee Maryland 11-3 13-2 8 14 11. Purdue 459 12. Georgia 13. Louisville 14. Oklahoma 405 367 353 15. UCLA 11-2 13-2 323 273 16. South Carolina 17. Dayton 18. Oklahoma State 19. Kansas 241 224 222 12 20 23 22 20. North Carolina 218 167 140 133 88 48 21. Texas A&M 22. Florida State

Miami 12-2 Others receiving votes: Syracuse 44 Colorado 28, Vanderbilt 25, DePaul 17 Toledo 10, South Florida 5, UTEP 3, Michigan 2, Villanova 2, Iowa 1, Ohio State 1, St. John's 1.

NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOC. EASTERN CONFERENCE

New York .571 3 1/2 Brooklyn 20 15 Boston Philadelphia .500 .417 .353 Toronto ast Divisi GB Pct Miami .697 .606 .353 .273 11 1/2 14 18 Orlando Charlotte

Washington 28 .152 Central Division GB 14 13 .600 .594 1/2 Chicago Milwaukee 16 .515 13 23 .361 8 28 .222 8 1/2 WESTERN CONFERENCE

Southwest Division Pct GB .730 — .688 2 1/2 San Antonio .600 .371 Houston New Orleans 9 25 .265 16 1/2 Northwest Division GB Oklahoma City Portland Denver 20 16 .556

.516 8 1/2 .500 9 **Pacific Division** W L Pct 27 8 .771 L.A. Clippers Sacramento

13 22 .371 14 12 24 .333 15 1/2 Monday's Games 1. Alabama (56) Washington 101, Oklahoma City 99 Boston 102, New York 96 Chicago 118, Cleveland 92 New Orleans 95, San Antonio 88 2. Oregon 3. Notre Dame Utah 100, Dallas 94

Madison.

23. Vanderbilt

24. Michigan

Portland 125 Orlando 119 OT Memphis 113, Sacramento 81 Tuesday's Games Brooklyn 109, Philadelphia 89 Indiana 87 Miami 77 Houston 125, L.A. Lakers 112 Minnesota 108, Atlanta 103 Milwaukee 108, Phoenix 99

Wednesday's Games Atlanta at Cleveland, 6 p.m. Utah at Chevetane, 6 p.m.
Philadelphia at Toronto, 6 p.m.
Phoenix at Boston, 6:30 p.m. Milwaukee at Chicago, 7 p.m. Houston at New Orleans, 7 p.m Minnesota at Oklahoma City, 7 p.m. L.A. Lakers at San Antonio, 7 p.m. Orlando at Denver, 8 p.m. Memphis at Golden State, 9:30 p.m.

Dallas at L.A. Clippers, 9:30 p.m.

Monday

MITCHELL — In a battle between high scor-Aberdeen Central 56, Huron 45

> Logan Wieseler added eight points and eight rebounds for the Tornadoes (8-1), while Sara

Skorepa chipped in with seven points and eight rebounds.

Avon 53, **Mount Vernon-Plankinton 37**

points Monday night to lead the Avon Lady Pirates in a win against the Mount Vernon-Plankinton Titans 53-37 in Mitchell.

while Shay Mednansky recorded eight points.

For the Titans, Megan Bultsma had 15 total berg contributed nine rebounds. MOUNT VERNON-PLANKINTON (0-9)14 22 28 37

Heidi Cap also had eight rebounds.

des at Andes Central; Santee at Allen; Viborg-Hurley at Gayville-Volin; Wagner Conf. at Beresford and Canton (Beresford, Dakota Valley, Elk Point-Jefferson);

AREA CALENDAR

BASKETBALL, MEN'S MMC at ningside (8 p.m., KYNT-AM) **BASKETBALL, WOMEN'S** MMC

Morningside (6 p.m., KYNT-AM)

Thursday, January 10

BASKETBALL, BOYS' Bloomfield at Bon Homme; Hartington at Homer; Irene-Wakonda at Centerville; Marty at Flandreau Indian: Santee at Allen: Sco and at Avon; Viborg-Hurley at Gayville-

n; Wagner at Parkston **BASKETBALL, GIRLS'** Watertown at YHS (7:30 p.m., KYNT-AM, KVHT-FM); Big Sioux Conf. at Beresford and Vernon-Plankinton at Mount Vernon; Bridgewater-Emery at Menno; Freeman at Marion; Hartington at Homer; Irene-Wakonda at Centerville; Lennox at Ver-million (KVTK-AM); Marty at Flandreau

Indian; Parker at Hanson; Platte-Ged-

BASKETBALL, GIRLS' JV Water-

n at YHS (4 p.m.) BASKETBALL, GIRLS' SOPH Wa-BASKETBALL, GIRLS' 9TH Wa-WRESTLING. PREP Lennox Quad

(Alcester-Hudson, Beresford, 5 p.m.); Crofton/Hartington Cedar Catholic at West Holt; Norfolk Catholic at Creighton-Verdigre Friday, January 11

BASKETBALL, BOYS' Allen a leridge at Creighton; Lennox at Vermil-lion (KVTK-AM); Marion at Freeman; Menno vs. Bridgewater-Emery at Bridgewater; Osmond at Hartington; Pierce at Hartington Cedar Catholic; Randolph at Wausa; Scotland at Andes

. South Carolina

Kansas State

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Wisconsin 18: Central Florida 15: Arkansas

State 13: Arizona State 10: Rutgers 9: Kent

State 5; Louisiana Tech 2; Arizona 1; Ohio

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL

terms with LHP Scott Kazmir, RHP Jerry

National League LOS ANGELES DODGERS—Agreed

NEW YORK METS—Named Mark

to terms with LHP J.P. Howell on a one-

Fine senior director, marketing.
WASHINGTON NATIONALS—
Agreed to terms with 1B Adam LaRoche

RASKETRALI

National Basketball Association NBA—Fined Dallas owner Mark Cuban \$50,000 for publicly criticizing the

DALLAS MAVERICKS—Signed G

e James to a 10-day contract.

MILWAUKEE BUCKS—Announced

Scott Skiles is out as coach by mutual

agreement. Promoted assistant coach Jim

PHILADELPHIA 76ERS—Signed G
Maalik Wayns to a 10-day contract.
FOOTBALL

National Football League

ARIZONA CARDINALS—Named

Boylan to interim head coach.

Gil and LHP Edward Paredes on minor

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tract.

3. Florida State

10 Florida

2. LSU

13. Louisville

4. Boise State

6. Northwestern 7. Utah State

19. Oregon State 20. Vanderbilt

24 Northern Illinois

22. Cincinnati

23. Nebraska

year contract.

on a two-year contract.

25. Tulsa

15. Oklahoma

18. Texas

HOCKEY, PEEWEE S.F. West at SWIMMING & DIVING, COLLEGE WRESTLING, PREP YHS at Wa-

WRESTLING, JV YHS at Water

town (6 p.m.)

BASKETBALL, GIRLS' Big Sioux

Allen at Bancroft-Rosalie; Dakota Christian at Freeman Academy; Emerson-Hubbard at Ponca;

Hubbard at Ponca Laurel-Concord-Coleridge at Creighton

Osmond at Hartington; Pierce at Hart-

ington Cedar Catholic; Randolph at

Vausa; Scotland at Andes Central; Fripp-Delmont-Armour at Platte; Wynot

Vinnebago HOCKEY, GIRLS' JV Mitchell at

Steve Keim general manager. Signed WR Stephen Williams and WR Gerell Robinson to reserve/future contracts.

BALTIMORE RAVENS—ReleasedLB Sergio Kindle from the practice squad. Re-

serve/future contracts. Fired running back coach John Settle, wide receivers coach Fred Graves and linebackers coach War ren Belin.
CHICAGO BEARS—Signed LB CHICAGO BEARS—Signed LB Patrick Trahan to a reserve/future contract. CINCINNATI BENGALS—Signed WR Justin Hilton, LS Bryce Davis, QB Zac Robinson, T Dan Knapp, OL DeQuin Evans and LB J.K. Schaffer to reserve/fu-

Jared Green and T Ray Dominguez to re-

110 NR CLEVELAND BROWNS-Signed WR Others receiving votes: Michigan 101; UCLA 75; Baylor 52; Oklahoma State 36; Carlton Mitchell to a reserve/future con-

> Anthony Armstrong, ITE Colin Cochart and LS Charley Hughlett to reserve/future conrence Toliver, TE Nathan Overbay and G Justin Boren to reserve/future contracts.

GREEN BAY PACKERS-Signed C

DALLAS COWBOYS—Signed WF

Garth Gerhart to the practice squad. Re-leased OL Shea Allard from the practice squad. JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS—Named David Caldwell general manager.
KANSAS CITY CHIEFS—Signed LB

Cameron Sheffield to a reserve/future contract. MIAMI DOLPHINS—Signed CB Dion rner to a reserve/future contract.

NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS—Signed NEW ORLEANS SAINTS-Signed T

Aderious Simmons to a reserve/future co NEW YORK GIANTS—Signed G Bryant Browning, G Chris DeGeare and DB David Caldwell to reserve/future con-

NEW YORK JETS-Fired offensive rdinator Tony Sparano. OAKLAND RAIDERS—Signed DB Brandon Underwood to a reserve/future

WASHINGTON REDSKINS—Signed DE Phillip Merling, TE Deangelo Peterson, FB Eric Kettani, NT Chigbo Anunoby, DT Dominique Hamilton and DB Korey Lind-

sey to reserve/future contracts

Madison Gymnasts Top Tanagers

MADISON — Led by the top three all-around finishers, Madison beat Vermillion 140.05-120.85 at a gymnastics dual Tuesday in

The hometown Bulldogs were led by Abby Christiansen, who was first in the all-around with a score of 35.95. Teammates Jenni Giles (35.55) and Lexi Finck (33.9) finished 2-3, respectively.

Vermillion's Morgan Hower

Giles M 8.5, Shania Schwebach 8.5, Ashley Schwebach 8.15 BEAM: Jenni Giles M 9.0, Abby Christiansen M 8.85, Sha nia Schwebach M 8.45, Jade Fostvedt V 8.2, Meagan Champio

Finck M 8.7, Ashley Schwebach M 8.5, Shania Schwebach 8.45 VAULT: Abby Christiansen M 9.15, Lexi Finck M 9.05, Jenni Giles M 9.95, Brianna Dirks M 8.5, Tayler Herold M 8.5

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Canistota 46,

Tuesday in Gayville.

Girls

rebounds. Courtney Opbroek also contributed six rebounds.

The Gorillas travel to Chamberlain on Tuesday, while Wagner hits the road to face Parkston on Thursday. GREGORY (0-7). WAGNER (6-4)...

Gayville-Volin 30 GAYVILLE — Canistota defeated Gayville-Volin 46-30 in South Dakota girls basketball action

Natasha Letcher contributed eight points three assists in the victory. The only stat avaliable for Gayville-Volin (2-6) was Kelia Barta

with 11 points nine rebounds.

Jenny Hofer led Canistota (2-7)

had five rebounds. Canistota will host Howard tomorrow (Thursday). Gayville-Volin will host Viborg-Hurley tomorrow (Thursday). CANISTOTA (2-7) GAYVILLE-VOLIN (2-6)

Harrisburg 70, **Elk Point-Jefferson 48**

ELK POINT — Morgan Beaner led Elk Point-Jefferson in a 70-48 win Tuesday night against Harrisburg in Elk Point.

eight rebounds. Brittany Blakney also scored 10 points. For Elk Point-Jefferson, Keely Bertram had a total of 22 points and six rebounds, with Skylore Curry adding seven points and two

Beaner scored 20 points and

had 15 rebounds in the win, while

Hailey Halling added 16 points and

Elk Point-Jefferson faces Sioux Falls Christian in Canton on Thursday, while Harrisburg

McCook Central-Montrose 40 SALEM — Kendra Cheeseman scored 12 points and had six rebounds Tuesday night to lead Hanson in a 56-45 win against McCook

Hanson 46.

Central-Montrose in Salem.

Lindsi Dey added nine points, five rebounds and two steals to the win. For McCook Central-Montrose, Jean Skoglund had 12 total points, four rebounds, four assists and four steals, while Rachel Bartscher added eight points and four re-

McCook Central-Montrose hosts Sioux Val-

ley in Salem on Thursday, and Hanson hosts Parker in Alexandria on Thursday. MCCOOK CENTRAL-MONTROSE (4-2)11 21 29 40

HURON — Sara Hiederbaumer scored 19 points Tuesday night to lead the Aberdeen Central Golden Eagles in a 56-45 win against the Huron Tigers in Huron. Hiederbaumer also had four rebounds and two assists, while Samantha Knecht recorded

13 points and nine rebounds. Brynn Flakus also

For the Tigers, MaKayla Goergen had a total

had 10 rebounds and four assists in the win.

of 11 points and four rebounds, with Brittany Steffen adding nine points and two assists. Taylor Rotert also had eight points and three re-The Golden Eagles will travel to Brookings

on Friday, while Huron hosts Pierre on Thurs-

ABERDEEN CENTRAL (9-0)..... HURON (1-7).....

eight points in the victory.

O'Gorman 47, Lincoln 45 SIOUX FALLS — O'Gorman defeated city rival Sioux Falls Lincoln 47-45 in South Dakota girls 'AA' basketball action Tuesday night. Jessica Mieras led the Knights (6-5) with 15

points and 10 rebounds. Claire Howe's netted

Darby Hungin led the Patriots (4-4) with 21

points and five assists. Cera Ledbetter added

seven points and four rebounds in the loss. O' Gorman will travel to Brookings on Jan. 15. Sioux Falls Lincoln will host Yankton on Saturday. SIOUX FALLS O'GORMAN (6-5)11 18 30 47 SIOUX FALLS LINCOLN (4-4).....11 25

Phoenix

Centerville 60, Scotland 52

ers, Centerville's Kieran O'Malley guided her team past Scotland and Aisha Abbink 60-52 on Monday night in Mitchell O'Malley, a Mount Marty recruit, scored 30

points and added five rebounds and four steals.

Northdurft had eight points.

Abbink scored 27 points for the Lady Highlanders (5-3), while Kennidy Asche added 10 points, four rebounds and two steals. Carley

Centerville plays Irene-Wakonda on Thursday and Scotland faces Andes Central on Fri-

MITCHELL — Ariana Oorlong scored 24 Chesney Nagel added 15 points to the win,

points and seven rebounds. Erin Denning put up eight points on the night, and Jordan Achter-

FOOTBALL BCS NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

Monday, Jan. 7 At Miami Alabama 42, Notre Dame 14 ASSOCIATED PRESS TOP 25 The Top 25 teams in The Associated Press college football poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, final records, total points based on 25 points for a first-place vote through one point for a 25th-place Pts Pv Record

vote, and previous ranking: 1 Alahama (59) 1,475 1,358 1,302 2. Oregon 3. Ohio St. 4. Notre Dame 12-1 12-2 1,288 5. Georgia 1.230 1,230 10 1,169 8 1,038 11 5. Texas A&M 11-2 8. South Carolina 9. Florida 933 4 922 13 10. Florida St. 12-2 11. Clemson 12. Kansas St. 889 871 781 Louisville 14. LSU 756 9 615 12 15. Oklahoma 10-3 11-2 10-3 11-2 456 443 419 16. Utah St. 18. Boise St. 19. Texas 20. Oregon St. 21. San Jose St. 22. N. Illinois 303 15 9-4 303 15 11-2 243 24 12-2 227 16 9-4 180 NR 8-5 147 19 10-4 119 23

Others receiving votes: Baylor 95, Penn St. 90, Cincinnati 78, Oklahoma St. 42, Tulsa 34, UCLA 31, Arkansas St. 28, TCU 9, UCF 9, Wisconsin 6, N. Dakota St. USA TODAY TOP 25 POLL

The USA Today Top 25 football coaches poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, final records, total points based on 25 points for first place through one point for 25th, and previous ranking:

13-1 1,400 2 12-1 1,322 3 12-1 1,253 12-2 1,213

at 29.65.

was fourth overall at 30.55, followed by teammate Rory Tucker

TEAM SCORES: Madison 140.05, Vermillion 120.85 ALL-AROUND: Abby Christiansen M 35.95 Jenni Giles M 35.55, Lexi Finck M 33.9, Morgan Hower V 30.55, Rory Tucker V 29.65

BARS:Abby Christiansen M 9.2, Lexi Finck M 8.8, Jenni

FLOOR: Jenni Giles M 9.1, Abby Christiansen M 8.75, Lexi



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