Friday's Games

St. Louis at Chicago Cubs. 3:05 p.m.

Chicago White Sox at Philadelphia,

N.Y. Mets at Pittsburgh, 6:05 p.m.

Milwaukee at Arizona, 7:40 p.m. Colorado at L.A. Dodgers, 9:10 p.m

San Francisco at San Diego, 9:10

AUTO RACING

2013 SCHEDULE

June 9 — Pocono 400, Long Pond,

June 23 — Toyota/Save Mart 350,

Coca-Cola, Daytona Beach, Fla. (Jimmie

Coke Zero 400 powered by

14 - New Hampshire 300,

July 28 — Crown Royal Presents

The Your Hero's Name Here 400 at The

Driver Standings
1. Jimmie Johnson, 658.

5. Dale Earnhardt Jr., 548

10. Tony Stewart, 499. 11. Martin Truex Jr., 493.

B. Brad Keselowski, 488 J. Jeff Gordon, 487.

17. Jamie McMurray, 475. 18. Ricky Stenhouse Jr., 466. 19. Aric Almirola, 463. 20. Paul Menard, 460.

TRANSACTIONS

BOSTON RED SOX—Optioned RHP Allen Webster and RHP Alfredo

Aceves to Pawtucket (II.) Recalled RHP

Steven Wright and RHP Pedro Beato from Pawtucket.

the contract of RHP Sonny Gray from

Sacramento (PCL), Optioned RHP Dan

Straily to Sacramento.
TEXAS RANGERS—Placed RHP

Yu Darvish on the 15-day DL, retroactive

National League

LOS ANGELES DODGERS—Announced INF Skip Schumaker's two-

game suspension for his actions during their game with Arizona on June 11 was

MILWAUKEE BREWERS—Op-tioned RHP Johnny Hellweg to Wiscon-

sin (MWL).
PITTSBURGH PIRATES—Signed

INF Erich Weiss to a minor league con-

American Association

Jorge Lugo. KANSAS CITY T-BONES—Re-

leased RHP Eric Gonzalez.

LAREDO LEMURS—Signed LHP
Matt Dunbar. Released LHP James Man-

Mark Radmacher.
WICHITA WINGNUTS—Released

RHP Ben Graham.
Frontier League
EVANSVILLE OTTERS—Signed C

Brian Erie. GATEWAY GRIZZLIES—Traded C

Matt Mirabal to Washington for future considerations. Signed RHP Ethan

United League
The SAN ANGELO COLTS—Signed
Justin Reed. Released OF Matt

BASKETBALL

executive vice president, team marketing

and business operations Chris Granger.

to become the president of the Sacra-

mento Kings, effective Aug. 1. Announced the resignation executive vice

president, basketball operations, Stu Jackson. Named Rod Thorn president,

Millsap to a two-year contract.
CHARLOTTE BOBCATS—Signed C

ATLANTA HAWKS-Signed F Paul

basketball operations.

National Basketball Association NBA—Announced the resignation of

McKenzie.

Wright.

ST. PAUL SAINTS-Released C

EL PASO DIABLOS—Signed LHP

to July 6.

upheld by MLB

OAKLAND ATHLETICS—Selected

American League BALTIMORE ORIOL

12. Kasey Kahne, 490.

15. Joey Logano, 483.

16. Ryan Newman, 482.

2. Clint Bowyer, 609.

6. Matt Kenseth, 540.

7. Kyle Busch, 533.

NASCAR SPRINT CUP

July 6

Brickvard, Indianapolis Aug. 4 — Pennsylvania 400, Long Pond, Pa.

Washington at Miami, 6:10 p.m.

Cincinnati at Atlanta, 6:30 p.m

SCOREBOARD

BASEBALL **AMERICAN LEAGUE**

East Division								
	W	L	Pct	GE				
Boston	55	37	.598	_				
Tampa Bay	51	40	.560	3 1/2				
Baltimore	50	42	.543					
New York	49	42	.538	5 1/2				
Toronto	44	46	.489	10				
Ce	ntral D	ivisio	n					
	W	L	Pct	GE				
Detroit	50	40	.556	_				
Cleveland	47	44	.516	3 1/2				
Kansas City	43	45	.489	6				
Minnesota	37	50	.425	11 1/2				
Chicago	35	53	.398	14				
West Division								

.593 .582 Texas 53 43 38 46 Los Angeles .483 40 50 .444 13 1/2 32 58 .356 21 1/2

Tuesday's Games
Kansas City 3, N.Y. Yankees 1 Oakland 2. Pittsburgh 1 Texas 8. Baltimore 4 Cleveland 3, Toronto 0
Chicago White Sox 11, Detroit 4 Tampa Bay 4, Minnesota 1 Chicago Cubs 7, L.A. Angels 2 St Louis 9 Houston 5

Boston 11, Seattle 8
Wednesday's Games
N.Y. Yankees 8, Kansas City 1 Baltimore 6, Texas 1 Toronto 5 Cleveland 4 Oakland at Pittsburgh, 7:05 p.m. Detroit 8, Chicago White Sox 5 Minnesota at Tampa Bay, 7:10 p.m

L.A. Angels at Chicago Cubs, 8:05 Houston at St. Louis, 8:15 p.m. Boston at Seattle, 10:10 p.m. Thursday's Games

Toronto (Dickey 8-9) at Cleveland (Salazar 0-0), 11:05 a.m.
Minnesota (Pelfrey 4-6) at Tampa
Bay (M.Moore 12-3), 11:10 a.m. Kansas City (E.Santana 5-5) at N.Y. Yankees (Pettitte 6-6), 12:05 p.m

Chicago White Sox (Sale 5-8) at Detroit (Ani.Sanchez 7-5), 12:08 p.m.
Boston (Dempster 5-8) at Seattle (E.Ramirez 0-0), 2:40 p.m. Texas (Darvish 8-4) at Baltimore (Mia.Gonzalez 6-3), 6:05 p.m. Friday's Games
Chicago White Sox at Philadelphia,

BALTIMORE ORIOLES—Reinstated LHP Wei-Yin Chen from the 15-6:05 p.m. day DL. Recalled RHP Josh Stinson from Norfolk (III) Kansas City at Cleveland, 6:05 p.m. Minnesota at N.Y. Yankees, 6:05

Toronto at Baltimore, 6:05 p.m. Texas at Detroit, 6:08 p.m. Houston at Tampa Bay, 6:10 p.m. Boston at Oakland, 9:05 p.m. L.A. Angels at Seattle, 9:10 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE East Division

	W	L	PCL	GD
Atlanta	52	39	.571	_
Washington	47	44	.516	5
Philadelphia	45	47	.489	7 1/2
New York	40	48	.455	10 1/2
Miami	33	57	.367	18 1/2
Ce	ntral D)ivisio	on	
	W	L	Pct	GB
St. Louis	54	34	.614	_
Pittsburgh	53	36	.596	1 1/2
Cincinnati	51	40	.560	4 1/2
Chicago	40	48	.455	14
Milwaukee	37	53	.411	18
W	est Di	visio	1	
	W	L	Pct	GB
Arizona	47	43	.522	_
Los Angeles	44	45	.494	2 1/2
Calazada	40	40	472	4 4 /0

Colorado 43 48 .473 4 1/2
San Diego 41 50 .451 6 1/2
San Francisco 40 50 .444 7 Tuesday's Games
Oakland 2, Pittsburgh 1
Philadelphia 4, Washington 2

Atlanta 6, Miami 4 Chicago Cubs 7, L.A. Angels 2 Milwaukee 2. Cincinnati 0 St. Louis 9, Houston 5 L.A. Dodgers 6, Arizona 1 San Diego 2, Colorado 1 N.Y. Mets 10, San Francisco 6 day's Games Miami 6, Atlanta 2 Cincinnati 6, Milwaukee 2 N.Y. Mets 7. San Francisco 2

Oakland at Pittsburgh, 7:05 p.m. L.A. Angels at Chicago Cubs, 8:05 Houston at St. Louis, 8:15 p.m. L.A. Dodgers at Arizona, 9:40 p.m. Colorado at San Diego, 10:10 p.m

Washington 5. Philadelphia 1

Thursday's Games
Washington (Zimmermann 12-3) at
Philadelphia (K.Kendrick 7-6), 6:05 p.m. Cincinnati (Latos 8-2) at Atlanta (Hudson 5-7), 6:10 p.m.

St. Louis (Westbrook 5-3) at Chicago Cubs (E.Jackson 5-10), 7:05 p.m. Milwaukee (Gallardo 7-8) at Arizona (Miley 5-7), 8:40 p.m. Colorado (Pomeranz 0-2) at L.A.

Dodgers (Capuano 2-6), 9:10 p.m. San Francisco (Bumgarner 9-5) at San Diego (Marquis 9-4), 9:10 p.m.

AREA CALENDAR

Thursday, July 11 BASEBALL, AMATEUR Avon at Lesterville (7:30 p.m.); Wynot at Menno (7:30 p.m., KVHT-FM); Yank-Match Play Championships at Brook-

ings CC Friday, July 12
BASEBALL, AMATEUR Freeman at Scotland (7:30 p.m.)
BASEBALL, LEGION Gopher

Brandon Valley at Yankton Juniors (DH, 5 p.m.); Vermillion at Irene Area BASEBALL, VFW TEENER Sioux Falls Tourn. (Yankton Black Sox, Yankton Lakers, Yankton Reds)

Pa. (Jimmie Johnson)
June 16 — Quicken Loans 400,
Brooklyn, Mich. (Greg Biffle) GOLF, DAKOTAS TOUR Westrd Ho Pro-Am at Sioux Falls GOLF, SDGA Men's & Women's Sonoma, Calif. (Martin Truex Jr.)
June 30 — Quaker State 400,
Sparta, Ky. (Matt Kenseth)

ings CC SOFTBALL, GIRLS' S.D. State Tourn. at Sioux Falls (Yankton Spit-fire, Yankton Lightning, Yankton Fury) BASEBALL, LEGION Gopher Classic at Minneapolis (Yankton); Yankton Juniors at Huron (DH, 2

Josh Smith to a four-year contract.

GOLDEN STATE WARRIORS—
Picked up the 2014-15 option on the

coach Mark Jackson.
INDIANA PACERS—Re-signed F

sent G Eric Bledsoe and F Caron Butlet

to Phoenix. Los Angeles received F-G

Jared Dudley from Phoenix and Milwau

ton for the rights to F Kostas Papnikolaou

and F-C Marko Todorovic and two future

draft rights to C Jeff Withey, future sec-

ond-round draft picks and cash. Sent a

2016 second- and future second-round

G Greivis Vasquez from New Orleans for

Quentin Richardson, a 2016 first-round

draft pick and second-round draft picks

picks and 2016 and 2017 second-round

picks from Golden State and a 2018 sec-

ond-round pick and cash considerations from Denver. Re-signed G Randy Foye

and traded him to Denver and sent G

Kevin Murphy to Golden State. Golden

State received G Andre Iguodala from

G Eric Maynor. Re-signed G Garrett Tem-

FOOTBALL

Matthew Stafford to a three-year contract

SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS—Waived TE/LS Kyle Nelson.

Canadian Football League

the whistle and Calgary LB Juwan Simp-

son for a dangerous tackle on

Saskatchewan WR Weston Dressler in a

GYMNASTICS

HOCKEY

wood in a July 7 game.

CFL—Fined Calgary OL John Gott Saskatchewan DL Jermaine

DETROIT LIONS—Signed QB

ple and F Martell Webster

extension to 2017.

TORONTO RAPTORS—Traded C

G Tyreke Evans

in 2014 and 2017

C Ryan Hollins.

Sioux Falls Tourn. (Yankton Black Sox, Yankton Lakers, Yankton Reds **GOLF, DAKOTAS TOUR** West GOLF, SDGA Men's & Women's Match Play Championships at Brook-

BASEBALL, VFW TEENER

SOFTBALL, GIRLS' S.D. A State Tourn. at Sioux Falls (Yankton Spitfire, Yankton Lightning, Yankton Fury); LeMars Tourn. (Yankton

Sunday, July 14
BASEBALL, AMATEUR Croftor Menno (7:30 p.m.); Irene at Wynot (7:30 p.m.); Lesterville at Freeman :30 p.m.); Scotland at Tabor (7:30 Yankton at Avon (7:30 p.r. BASEBALL, LEGION Gopher

ssic at Minneapolis (Yankton)

BASEBALL, VFW TEENER GOLF, DAKOTAS TOUR West rd Ho Pro-Am at Sioux Falls GOLF, SDGA Men's & Women's

SOFTBALL, GIRLS' S.D. State Tourn. at Sioux Falls (Yankton Spit-fire, Yankton Lightning, Yankton Fury)

Grant to a one-year contract.

BOSTON BRUINS—Signed G
Ikka Rask to an eight-year contract.
CALGARY FLAMES—Signed C Mikael Backlund to a two-year contract. EDMONTON OILERS—Acquired F David Perron from St. Louis for LW Mag-nus Paajarvi and a 2014 second-round draft pick.

LOS ANGELES KINGS—Signed LW David West. Signed G C.J. Watson.
LOS ANGELES CLIPPERS—Acquired G J.J. Redick from Milwaukee and Maxim Kitsyn to a three-year entry level contract and RW Brian O'Neill to a oneyear contract.

MONTREAL CANADIENS—Signed

kee received two future second-round draft picks. Re-signed G Chris Paul to a five-year contract and F Matt Barnes and terms with F Carl Hagelin and D Justin OTTAWA SENATORS—Re-signed LOS ANGELES LAKERS-Re-

PHOENIX COYOTES—Named

F Matt D'Agostini to a one-year contract. SAN JOSE SHARKS—Named Joe Will general manager of Worcester (AHL). Promoted Jon Gustafson to vice F Matt Pelech to a one-year contract. Signed D Rob Davison and D Adam

second-round picks. Signed F Dorell Wright. Acquired C Robin Lopez and G Terrel Harris from New Orleans for the signed F Peter LeBlanc to a one-year contract. American Hockey League NORFOLK ADMIRALS—Signed draft pick to Sacramento.
SACRAMENTO KINGS—Acquired RW Zack Stortini and D Nolan Yonkman

Major League Soccer
CHIVAS USA—Acquired F Erick Torfrom Club Deportivo Guadalajara.
D.C. UNITED—Signed M Collin

to the Academy coaching staff.

COLLEGE

SOUTHEASTERN CONFERENCE—Named Mark Whitworth associate commissioner for men's basketball.

ALABAMA-Named Mike McGraw 's assistant golf coach. BERRY—Named Dr. Tom Hart athletic director. Announced the resignation

women's basketball assistant coaches MISSISSIPPI—Suspended senior

RUTGERS-Named Trey Miller assistant director of athletic communica-RUTGERS-NEWARK—Promoted

coordinator of volle operations/men's volleyball coach. volleyball SAINT MARY'S (CAL)—Named Jim iaw special assistant to the men's bastball coach.

ciate head baseball coach and Kirk Saars baseball recruiting coordinator.

TENNESSEE—Named Patrick Lawson director of softball operations. TOLEDO-Named Linh Nguyen

ern executive director effective Aug. 1. National Hockey League men's and women's cross country and

CHICAGO BULLS—Signed G-F Mike Dunleavy, G Tony Snell and F Erik Murphy. Waived G Richard Hamilton. DETROIT PISTONS—Signed F

F Gabriel Dumont to a two-year contract. NEW JERSEY DEVILS—Re-signed Marek Zidlicky. NEW YORK RANGERS—Agreed to

signed C Robert Sacre.
MIAMI HEAT—Re-signed C-F Chris D Mark Borowiecki to a two-year contract and F David Dziurzynski to a one-year Andersen to a one-year contract.

NEW ORLEANS PELICANS—

Waived F Lance Thomas. Renounced their rights to F Lou Amundson, G Xavier Henry and G Roger Mason Jr. Signed C well Brown assistant coach.
PITTSBURGH PENGUINS—Signed NEW YORK KNICKS—Re-signed G Pablo Prigioni to a multiyear contract.
PORTLAND TRAIL BLAZERS—Acquired F Thomas Robinson from Hous-

president of business operations for Worcester. Re-signed G Alex Stalock and Comrie to one-year contracts.

WASHINGTON CAPITALS—Signed
D Karl Alzner to a four-year contract. Re-

to one-year contracts.

SOCCER

LA GALAXY—Named Mike Munoz UTAH JAZZ—Acquired C Andris Biedrins, F Richard Jefferson, G Brandon Rush, 2014 and 2017 first-round draft

of men's lacrosse coach Chris Delfausse GEORGIA SOUTHERN-Named Denver and sent the Nuggets a 2018 second-round draft pick.

WASHINGTON WIZARDS—Signed Kassi Lee director of football operations.

JACKSONVILLE STATE—Named
Eric Wise and Altherias Warmley

men's basketball G Marshall Henderson indefinitely for a violation of team rules.

men's volleyball coach Pedro Trevino to

SOUTHERN CAL—Named Chris Capko director of basketball operations and Kurtis Schultz strength and condi-July 5 game. Fined Edmonton OL Cliff Louis an undisclosed amount for a dantioning coach for men's basketball. ST. ROSE—Named Lisa Geiger asgerous block on Hamilton DL Eric Norsistant athletic director.
TCU—Named of Bill Mosiello asso-

SPORTS DIGEST

Crofton's Wilken Named Big Ten Distinguished Scholars

LINCOLN, Neb. — A total of 68 Nebraska student-athletes across all sports earned recognition as Big Ten Distinguished Scholars when the conference announced its high honor roll on Wednesday, July 10.

Nebraska's 68 student-athletes were among 637 studentathletes across 38 sports from all 12 of the Big Ten institutions to earn 3.7 or higher grade-point averages during the 2012-13 academic year. Among the distinguished scholars, 101 completed the year with perfect 4.0 GPAs, including 11 Huskers.

In February of 2008, Big Ten Faculty Representatives established a conference academic recognition to supplement the Academic All-Big Ten program. Similar to the Academic All-Big Ten honor. Distinguished Scholar Award recipients must be letterwinners in at least their second academic year at their institution. However, the Distinguished Scholar Award encompasses only student-athletes with a minimum GPA of 3.7 or higher for the previous academic year, excluding summer school. The Academic All-Big Ten threshold is a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher for a student-athlete's academic career.

Among the honorees is track and field athlete Morgan Wilken, a senior from Crofton, Neb.

Mooney Joins SDSU Volleyball Staff

BROOKINGS — South Dakota State head volleyball coach Phil McDaniel announced the addition of Angela Mooney to the Jackrabbit volleyball staff on Wednesday. Mooney joins the Jackrabbits after nine seasons as an assistant at ÚTEP in El Paso, Texas, where she played an instrumental role for the Miners in recruiting, training middle blockers and organizing UTEP volleyball camps.

In her nine years on the bench at UTEP, Mooney played a pivotal role in helping the Miners defense into one of the best blocking teams in the nation, leading the team to three straigh seasons with a top-80 national ranking for blocks per set, and she looks forward to making an impact on the Jacks.

Nationally unranked in blocks per set before her arrival, Mooney guided the Miners to a national ranking of 28th in blocks per set in 2009, and coached a trio of nationally ranked blockers in 2010, including an AVCA All-Midwest Region Honorable Mention selection.

A Lubbock, Texas native, Mooney brings extensive coaching experience at the club level. She coached for the Texas Power Volleyball Club from 2001-04. In her inaugural season as head coach. Texas Power won the Sun Country Regiona Championship, qualifying for the 2004 Junior Olympic National Tournament. She also served as an assistant for Texas Power the previous three years, helping the team make appearances at the AAU national tournament in 2001 and the National Invitational in 2002

In 2005, Mooney teamed with the El Paso Sunspots Volleyball Club as the head coach of their top 18's team. The Sunspots' 18-Heat won the Sun Country Regional Championship, qualifying for the 2005 Junior Olympic National Tourna-

In 2009 Mooney captured her fourth regional championship in five years as head coach of the Sunspots 18's, and again returned to the Junior Olympic National Tournament held in Miami, Fla. She also served as the co-head coach of the 2007 Sur Country High Performance team that competed in Ft Lauderdale. Fla.

A 2004 graduate of Texas Tech with a degree in human development and family studies. Mooney joined the coaching ranks after a prolific volleyball career with the Red Raiders from 2000-03. She recorded 930 kills, 348 digs and 229 blocks in her career, and still holds a number of hitting and blocking records She also earned Academic All-Big 12 honors in 2003.

Anderson To Play Baseball At SDSU

BROOKINGS — The South Dakota State University baseball team has filled a key role on its pitching staff with the recent signing of junior college standout Chris Anderson to a National Letter of Intent.

"Chris Anderson is a winner who has shown the ability to pitch in big games." Jackrabbit head coach Dave Schrage said. We expect Chris to fill a key void after losing our top two starting pitchers from last season."

À left-hander from Aurora, III., Anderson helped lead Waubonsee Community College to a third-place finish in the NJCAA Division III World Series in 2013. Anderson earned alltournament honors after throwing a 2-0 shutout victory in the

opener, retiring 21 consecutive batters in one stretch. For the season, Anderson posted an 8-4 record with a 2.16 earned run average. He struck out 84 batters and allowed only 69 hits in 87 1/3 innings in earning first-team all-Illinois Skyway Conference honors. Anderson was a second-team all-league honoree as a freshman.

Anderson will join a South Dakota State baseball program that won the Summit League postseason tournament title in 2013 and made its first appearance in the NCAA Tournament at the NCAA Division I level. The Jackrabbits finished the 2013 season with a 35-24 overall record.

Bohac, Dolan Named Finalists For WSC Men's Basketball Post

WAYNE, Neb. — Wayne State College Director of Athletics Mike Powicki has announced two finalists for the position of head men's basketball coach at WSC. Adam Bohac of Southern Nazarene University and Brian Dolan of Upper Iowa University will be on campus for interviews next week (July 15-16) with Dolan in Wayne for his on campus interview Monday, July 15th and Bohac scheduled for an on campus visit on Tuesday, July

to the NCAA Division II Central Regional, the school's first-ever trip to the national tournament. Prior to arriving at Upper Iowa, Dolan also served as an assistant coach at Texas-Pan American, College of Southern Idaho, Southern Utah and Southwest Missouri State while also serving as an administrative assistant at Oral Roberts (1998) under Bill Self. Dolan is a graduate of William Jewell College in Liberty, Missouri. Bohac has served five seasons as head coach at Southern Nazarene in Bethany. Oklahoma. He has recorded four 20-win seasons and has a career record of 111-51. Bohac led the Crim-

Dolan just completed his seventh season at Upper Iowa Uni-

versity where he led the Peacocks to a 20-12 record and a trip

son Storm to the NAIA National Tournament three straight seasons and the school now competes in the NCAA Division II Great American Conference. Bohac is a native of Kimball, Nebraska where he was a Class C-1 All-State football and basketball player in high school and went on to play basketball at the University of Nebraska under Barry Collier from 2000-04 where he was an Academic All-Big 12 First Team selection in 2004.

Members of the Wayne community are invited to meet each candidate and ask questions during a campus/community forum that will be held from 1 - 1:45 p.m. during each interview at Gardner Hall Auditorium on the Wayne State campus with public parking available in the east parking lot off Walnut Street.

Wayne State is looking to replace Paul Combs, who resigned June 15th to become head coach at Carroll University in Wisconsin. Combs was 54-58 in his four seasons at Wayne State. including a 17-12 record in the 2012-13 season.

SDSU Cross Country Announces 2013 Schedule

BROOKINGS — The South Dakota State Cross Country teams have announced their 2013 schedule on Wednesday, which will feature eight meets. The men's team is looking to defend their 2012 conference championship and the women are in search of their second league title.

The season will begin on Aug. 30 when they travel up to Fargo, N.D. to compete in the NDSU Triangular. North Dakota will also compete in the meet.

A week after the NDSU Triangular, SDSU will head to Falcon Heights, Minn. to take part in the OZ Memorial hosted by the

University of Minnesota. The OZ Memorial is on Sept. 6. Following the OZ Memorial, the Jackraphits will prep themselves for the famed Griak Invitational on Sept. 28. This will be the 28th running of the Griak Invitational, which is one of the

largest Cross Country meets in the nation. After the Griak Invitational, SDSU will be home on Friday, Oct. 4 to host their annual SDSU Classic at Edgebrook Golf Course starting at 6pm. At the SDSU Classic last year, the men finished first with Trent Lusignan taking first place and Michael

Krsnak claiming second. SDSU will be attending the Bradley "Pink" Classic on Oct. 18, which will have all the competitors wearing pink uniform tops for breast cancer awareness. This meet draws competitors from several Midwest conferences and "It should provide a good assessment of the teams fitness prior to the Summit League Championships", according to head Coach Rod DeHaven.

The Summit League Cross Country Championships are slated for Nov. 2 in Fort Wayne, Ind. The Jackrabbit men are the defending champs and the women will be looking to improve on their third place finish from last year.

The Jackrabbits will have their final tune-up for the Midwest Regional meet when they travel to Collegeville, Minn. to take part in the Fall Finale on Nov. 8. The Fall Finale is hosted in joint effort by the College of Saint Benedict and Saint John's.

On Nov. 15 the Jackrabbits will head to Ames, Iowa to compete in the NCAA Midwest Regional where the men finished 11th and women finished 15th among the 30 plus schools in the region. The 2013 NCAA Midwest Regional is hosted by Iowa State on their on-campus cross country course.

UM Sports Upgrades Part Of \$190M Plan MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — The University of Minnesota has put a practice facility for the men's and women's basketball programs in a priority group of

sports projects on campus estimated to cost \$190 million. Athletic director Norwood Teague presented the plan Wednesday to the Board of Regents. He said the money would be raised solely by private fund-

The Gonhers play in Williams Arena, which was built in 1928. Teague said any renovations to that building would be in a second phase of athletic facilities development. But the basketball teams have long lobbied for a separate place to practice with modern amenities to attract recruits

Also included in the first phase of the plan, to be completed over a six to eight-year span, is an upgraded football practice facility.

As the schedule would

have it, Larsen and his new

team will play USD in Rapid

City on Dec. 7 — the game was organized before the

kle, because he'll certainly

have his team prepared for

us. He knows us inside and

You can follow Jeremy

Summer Sale!

out," Williams said.

Hoeck on Twitter at

twitter.com/jhoeck

It adds a whole new wrin-

Mines job became open.

Track

From Page 8

first test session.

Open

ish in 13 events.

From Page 8

"I love this place. Pocono, the fans, just everyone has been fantastic," race winner Scott Dixon said. "It's great to be back."

There's more to come, lodalsky said he wanted to "dress up" Pocono by improving everything from the seats, traffic patterns and adding permanent or temporary videoboards to enhance the fan

The fans did clog the single-lane roads entering the track and many of them complained about heavy traffic on social media. Igdalsky said he would meet with state and local officials about the issue and made a "solemn promise" to fix the traffic woes.

magic. He has one top-10 fin-

are Colin Montgomerie, who

turned 50 last month and tied

ers Championship; Rocco Me-

for ninth in the Senior Play-

diate, who lost a playoff to

Tiger Woods in the classic

2008 U.S. Open at Torrey

Pines; and Duffy Waldorf,

who has six top-10s in 11

Champions Tour events this

Cup points leader, is looking

for his second win of the year

in a senior major. He shot

three straight rounds in the

60s to win the Senior Players Championship by 2 shots

over Couples and Waldorf in

attached to it was always my one goal," Perry said. "Obvi-

like they are on the PGA Tour,

but yet they're still a major. It

still will be attached to your

Playing on the regular

tour last week in West Vir-

ginia, Perry was 3 shots off

ously, our majors out here probably are not looked upon

"Anything that has 'major'

Pittsburgh.

name.

Perry, the Charles Schwab

Notable first-time entrants

Of course, it's better than the alternative — fans not showing up at all.

With at least two more years of IndyCar racing at Pocono on the schedule, there's time to fix everything. Igdalsky has proved in a short time he's eager to please. 'It makes me feel awesome, but it's

not about how I feel," he said. "It's about the perception of the facility. We are a great facility for motor sports in America. Are we the best? No. Do I want to be the best? Hell no. It would cost us a fortune. I don't want to be the best. But I don't want to be at the bottom of the barrel. I'm happy about being at the top of the mid-

DRIVER STANDINGS IndyCar is

standing pat. The open-wheel series is set to introduce standing starts for this weekend's doubleheader in Toronto.

Drivers will take their starting positions with the front wheels of the car remaining within its designated orange grid line. The starts are similar to the format in Formula

the lead after two rounds of

the Greenbrier Classic before

ballooning to 73 on Saturday

Watson shot in the 60s in three of his four rounds at

and finishing tied for 41st.

the Greenbrier but tied for

38th after a 72 on Saturday.

The 2014 Ryder Cup captain

has two top-10 finishes in six

"Hot and cold," Watson said, describing his game this

year. "I struggled yesterday

and today in practice rounds

tice tee, and at the end of the

here. Then I got on the prac-

session I started hitting the

ball well again. Whether it's

body's guess, but at least it's on the upswing. If I can keep

get there on Sunday, that's all

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the ball on the fairway and

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going to work on the golf

course tomorrow is any-

Champions Tour events.

1. IndyCar traditionally uses rolling starts, but is experimenting with the standing starts in Toronto and Houston. Four-time series champion Dario

to the change. "Not particularly," he said. "I like the traditional rolling starts. We'll see. It might be good. Who knows? I might be completely wrong. But it's going to be bloody interesting, let's put it that way."

Franchitti said he wasn't looking forward

GOODWOOD: Michael Waltrip Racing co-owners Michael Waltrip and Rob Kauffman are headed to Europe this weekend for the 20th annual Goodwood Festival of Speed in England.

It will be Waltrip's second appearance at Goodwood, which features a hill climb in historic motor racing vehicles in front of 150,000 global motorsports enthusiasts.

Waltrip the two-time Daytona 500 winner, will drive a 2012 Toyota Camry that Clint Bowyer won three races in last season while finishing second in the Sprint Cup standings.

Langer, the Champions

Tour money leader, is trying

helped him win twice in the

spring. Langer, who won the

U.S. Senior Open in 2010 and

tied for second last year, lim-

ited his practice to two nine-

hole rounds because of the

heat and humidity. He said

where in the world," and

even if there's no wind a

shooting par.

the rough is as thick as "any-

golfer could be in contention

65s out here," he said. "Even

par is never a bad score in a

U.S. Senior Open. If someone

speed where they want them

because of the heat, there

guys finish under par."

might be a chance a couple

gets really hot, because the greens might not get to the

"I can't see too many 64s,

to regain the form that

The Coyotes then advanced to the semifinals of the Women's Basketball Invitational, where they eventually lost at home to McNeese

Amy Williams, also a Spearfish, can relate to Larsen's desire to move closer to home. Williams came to Vermillion last summer after five seasons with NAIA Rogers State.

"I completely understand that, absolutely," she said. "It's all relative. For me, after living in Oklahoma for 11 years, Vermillion was closer to home for me."

Larsen's departure means USD will begin a search for an assistant coach, Williams

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Does he welcome the challenge of another transition much like the one he had

"No, to be honest," he said, chuckling. "I've told many of my friends, that going through that transition, I wouldn't wish that on my worst enemy."

Larsen, however, pointed to the leadership of Mines president Heather Wilson and athletic director Dick Kaiser

as reason to be optimistic. "I wanted the job bad enough that it didn't scare me away.'

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arsen Mines, as Larsen pointed out.

transition to the NCAA Division II level, but are still look-Larsen said Mines has "good leads" on a league, including "one very strong one."

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