

Press & Dakotan DAILY DOSE

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



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Yankton used to be a site for the South Dakota Amateur Baseball Tournament. If some around the region have their way, it could be again.
The 2016 state tournament is currently up for bid, as Sioux Falls did not come through with the quality of bid that the state association was hoping for, and Mitchell, to this point, hasn't shown interest in being a permanent host. (They currently host two out of three years.)
Since the state tournament went to a split site for the first weekend, Yankton has been a regular host for the first weekend of the Class A Tournament. Long before the tournament expanded to its

Could Yankton Host The State Amateur Baseball Tournament?

current format, Yankton hosted the event twice, in 1972 and 1979. Freeman, Parkston and Vermillion have also played host to the event, which has bounced between Mitchell and Sioux Falls exclusively since 1979, six years before the tournament event went to two classes.
For those of you who don't know the scope of the undertaking, here it is: 12 straight days of games, 39 games in Yankton, 8 more at the Class A first-weekend site. There would be five days in which four games are scheduled, one more with five. The rest of the days are two games each.
The question of whether Yankton could handle the crowds, in terms of concessions and dealing with that number of people, is answered by how Riverside Field handles the annual Canaries-Explorers exhibition in May. Over 2,000 people attend that game every year, and it continues to be a solid draw for the Yankton Morning Optimists.
The field will be able to handle the traffic, especially after the turf project is completed in the near future. The infield, the part of the field that suffers the most abuse and requires the most maintenance, will be covered by an artificial surface, improving the drainage and removing between-game maintenance issues in the process. Unless the outfield is under water, rain delays won't last much longer than the actual rain.
The test, though, will be how the community handles the event. It will be a lot of extra people eating meals, fueling up and, in some cases, staying in Yankton. It will take a lot of planning and extra effort by a lot of people to make it work.
But it would be worth it. Yankton has proven itself a good host for a number of events. Let's add this to the list.

USD's Bergner Named To Watch List

VERMILLION — South Dakota sophomore punter and placekicker Miles Bergner has been named to the 2014 College Football Performance Awards FCS Punter Award Watch List announced Wednesday.
Bergner is one of 38 players selected to the list including five from the Missouri Valley Football Conference. Bergner averaged 40.4 yards per punt as a true freshman in 2013, which ranked in the top 40 nationally. He pinned 16 inside the 20-yard line and had six downed inside the 10. He had nine punts of 50 yards or more.



Bergner

YHS Soccer Meetings July 31

There will be parent and player meetings on Thursday, July 31, for players grades 9-12 interested in participating in the Yankton High School soccer program. The meetings will take place in

the main theater at YHS.
The girls' meeting will begin at 6 p.m., with the boys' meeting at 7 p.m. Players who are interested in participating in soccer, but are unable to attend the meeting, should contact coaches Tyler Schuring (girls) at 380-7667 or Warren Brenner (boys) at 665-1602.

YHS Volleyball Preseason Meeting Aug. 11

The Yankton High School volleyball program will hold a preseason meeting on Monday, Aug. 11, at 6 p.m. at the YHS Commons.
Girls in grades 9-12 who are interested in participating in volleyball at YHS are required to attend the meeting with a parent or guardian. Contact Coach Tiffany Beste for more information.

USD Football Kickoff Event In Yankton Aug. 9

The new Yankton chapter of the University of South Dakota Howling Pack will host a Coyote football kickoff event on Saturday, Aug. 9, at the Lewis & Clark North Marina Shelter in Yankton. The event begins at 3 p.m. with a boat parade

at the marina, followed by games and activities for kids at 4 p.m. A tailgate meal will be served at 5 p.m., and players and coaches from USD will be in attendance from 6-8 p.m.
Free-will donations will be accepted, with all proceeds going to the Howling Pack (which provides scholarships for USD student-athletes).

YHS Golf Meeting Aug. 4

The Yankton High School boys' golf program will hold a preseason meeting on Monday, Aug. 4, at 10 a.m., in Room 235 at YHS.
Boys in grades 7-12 who are interested in participating in golf at YHS can sign up. Players who are interested in participating but are unable to attend are asked to coach Brett Sime at 661-8720. Practice for the 2014 season begins on Aug. 11.

RCGC 'Sundae' Performance Aug. 10

River City Gymnastics and Cheer will hold its annual Ice Cream 'Sundae' summer performance and fall registration on Sunday, Aug. 10 at 2 p.m. at the YHS gymnasium room.
The event is open to the public, and free will donations will be accepted. An ice cream social will follow the event.

Jackrabbit Club Social Aug. 6

The Yankton Jackrabbit Club will host its annual social on Wednesday, Aug. 6, from 6-8 p.m. at Hillcrest Golf and Country Club.
Appetizers will be provided and a cash bar will be available. Alumni, families and friends of South Dakota State University are invited.

Sportswriter Wanted

The Yankton (S.D.) Press & Dakotan, a six-day-a-week daily newspaper, is seeking applicants for a part-time sportswriting position.
The position will aid in covering a dynamic sports market that features an NCAA Division I college athletic program. The successful applicant will

assist in the sports coverage, which will include taking area game reports, staffing area events and some feature writing.
Strong writing skills and sports background are needed. Page design and photography skills are a plus.
To apply or for more details, contact Sports Editor James D. Cimburek, Yankton, SD 57078; call (605) 665-7811, ext. 106; or e-mail james.cimburek@yankton.net.

Coaches: Send In Fall Sports Information

The 2014 Press & Dakotan Fall Sports Preview will be released in the Saturday, August 30 edition.
Coaches of fall sports are asked to send in their team information forms as soon as possible. Forms may be sent by fax to 605-665-1721. Information may also be e-mailed to sports@yankton.net.
Forms were sent to the schools earlier this summer. Coaches who have not received their fall sports information forms may call 1-800-743-2968, ext. 106, or e-mail sports@yankton.net.

SCOREBOARD

GOLF

DAKOTAS TOUR
HILLCREST INV. PRO-AM
Thursday's Tee Times
NOTE: Professionals are listed in ALL CAPS

MORNING
From Tee No. 1
7 A.M.: Larry Franzen, Bill Hornbeck, Norm Henry, MATTHEW KNOXSS
7:10 A.M.: Jeff Gray, Kyle Repp, Denny Fokken, MICHAEL JACOBSEN
7:20 A.M.: Dave Balfany, Paul Massa, Ron Whitaker, DOUG QUINONES
7:30 A.M.: Kevin Glicker, Dick Hamp, Duffy Hennessy, ANDRE METZGER
7:40 A.M.: Dan Scholten, Mike Ness, Rob Ness, JOSH ESLER
7:50 A.M.: Aaron Ness, Corey Halstenson, Matt Metzger, RILEY O'NEILL
8 A.M.: Lonnie Struckman, Mike Lynde, Tim Craney, CASEY PYNE
8:10 A.M.: Ryan Elwood, Chris Schaefer, Jesse Kamphoff, RYAN DILLON
8:20 A.M.: Philip Hagewood, Steve Hagewood, Larry Hagewood, BRANDON CRICK
8:30 A.M.: Jeff Dayhuff, Jim Trapp, Don Edwards, RICHARD HEARDEN
8:40 A.M.: Jeremy Kilsares, Mark Schilling, Paul Blocher, BRYAN KRUSE
8:50 A.M.: Preston Carda, Mick Carda, Jason Rockne, KENT EGGER
9 A.M.: Brandon Frick, Logan Megard, Tyler Vogt, TIM ALLES
From Tee No. 10
7 A.M.: Scott O'Brien, Scott Hillunen, Dan Megeard, JEFF BURTON
7:10 A.M.: Herb Hutcheson, Ron Mraz, John Stenquist, KEVIN STANKE
7:20 A.M.: Dennis Schmitz, Ronald Dahl, Scott Willis, THOMAS BURAN
7:30 A.M.: Todd Rose, Gary Yoder, Scott Cavitt, JOHAN DEBER
7:40 A.M.: Mike Pape, Tim Vaughan, Mike Gregg, MARK BALDWIN
7:50 A.M.: Mike Riley, Steve Martini, Jim Hilton, OWEN MAHAFFEY
8 A.M.: Kent Porter, Val Madia, Jerry Chestnut, CHRISTOPHER EVANS
8:10 A.M.: Ron Talley, David Nielson, Mike Piek, MIKE COATMAN
8:20 A.M.: Todd Sapp, Steven Doscher, Bob Iverson, TIM KUNICK
8:30 A.M.: Dave Rothleuber, Mike Kahler, Tim Eddy, CHRIS CONTRERAS
8:40 A.M.: Pat King, Wayne Ibarolle, Greg Adamson, NICK DELIO
8:50 A.M.: Bill Wilcox, Jon Dimmick, Gary Prosser, TYLER FALK
9 A.M.: Lucas Jordan, Tom Hamiel, John Jensen, NATE BARBEE

AFTERNOON
From Tee No. 1
NOON: Neil Chapman, Larry Meyer, Todd Radigan, ZAC RADFORD
12:10 P.M.: Larry Sock, Chris Fotopoulos, Eric Sock, ROBERT SEIBLY
12:20 P.M.: Dan McFate, Darrin McFate, Pat McFate, KOREY HARELL
12:30 P.M.: Mike Rhorer, Trevor Boggs, Gail Gubbeles, BRAD MAREK
12:40 P.M.: Jason Guthmiller, Mitch Schlingman, Mason Stead, TIM HARRIS
12:50 P.M.: Devin Anderson, Bill Pierce, Ryan Van Gilder, CHRIS BRUNING
1 P.M.: Jim Sherwood, Steve Slowey, Bill Berry, JEFF BERKSHIRE
1:10 P.M.: Jim Pesicka, Jason Trapp, Brian Strath, DAVID LAWRENCE
1:20 P.M.: Tim Carlson, Cal Carlson, Lon Carlson, MICHAEL WUERTZ
1:30 P.M.: Jon Nietzel, Diaan Ross, Sam Nietzel, SAM AYOTTE
1:40 P.M.: Josh Mueller, Ken Karolevitz, Todd Chance, RODNEY HAMBLIN
1:50 P.M.: Dan Eisenbraun, Chris Marlow, Mike Marlow, PAUL PETERSON
2 P.M.: Rick Steuenwald, Jesse Johnson, Bo Mollman, JEFF EGGEN
From Tee No. 10
NOON: Dean Rettelad, Jerry Clough, Dennis Merkel, MARK WURTZ
12:10 P.M.: Doug Roelle, Jay Hubner, Bob Elison, TRAVIS STOCKERHOLM
12:20 P.M.: Troy Payne, Jim Chesley, Don Neukirch, ROBERT BELL
12:30 P.M.: Bruce Sweeney, Tony Erickson, Rick Anderson, TUCKER WEISMAN
12:40 P.M.: James Grothenhuis, Dave Edward, Dan Lammers, ZAHKA BROWN
12:50 P.M.: Mike Millikan, Rodger Brandt, Bob Haar, KEVIN REI
1 P.M.: Adam Kniffen, Matt Ter-mansen, Justin Rhorer, NEIL MALENKE
1:10 P.M.: Brady Bullen, Justin Frick, Mike Thunker, JHARED HACK
1:20 P.M.: Jeff Nielsen, Joe Vig, Don Munson, JEFFREY KELLEN
1:30 P.M.: Jae Kozletsky, Heath Larson, Todd Duncan, ZENON BROWN
1:40 P.M.: Bill Bobzin, John Ehret, Roger Thompson, CHARLIE LAUDER-MILK
1:50 P.M.: Steve Welland, Josh Welland, Joe Goeden, KELLY KRETZ
2 P.M.: Brent Adams, Jason Merkel, Todd Rodig, THOMAS CAMPBELL

BASEBALL

S.D. CLASS A LEGION TOURN.
July 30-Aug. 3 at Huron
Wednesday, July 30
Yankton 11, Brookings 1, 8 innings
S.F. West 12, Pierre 2, 7 innings
R.C. Post 22 1/2, Watertown 5, 7 in-ings
GAME 4: Brandon Valley vs. Huron, 30 minutes after Game 3
Thursday, July 31
GAME 5: Brookings vs. Watertown, 10 a.m.
GAME 6: Pierre vs. Game 4 loser, 30 minutes after Game 5
GAME 7: Yankton vs. R.C. Post 22, 5 p.m.
GAME 8: S.F. West vs. Game 4 winner, 30 minutes after Game 7
Friday, August 1
GAME 9: Game 6 winner vs. Game 7 loser, 1 p.m.
GAME 10: Game 5 winner vs. Game 8 loser, 5 p.m.
GAME 11: Game 7 winner vs. Game 8 winner, 30 minutes after Game 10
Saturday, August 2
GAME 12: Game 9 winner vs. Game 11 loser, 3 p.m.
GAME 13: Game 10 winner vs. Game 11 winner, 30 minutes after Game 12
NOTE: Pairings for Games 12 and 13 will not match previous opponents against each other unless absolutely necessary

CLASS A DISTRICTS

Aug. 1-3 at Mitchell
Friday, Aug. 1
GAME 1: Yankton vs. Mitchell, 8 p.m.
Saturday, Aug. 2
GAME 2: Vermillion vs. Pierre, 2 p.m.
GAME 3: Game 1 winner vs. Game 2 winner, 5 p.m.
Sunday, Aug. 3
GAME 4: Game 1 loser vs. Game 2 loser, 2 p.m.
GAME 5: Game 4 winner vs. Game 3 loser, 5 p.m.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

| East Division | W | L | Pct | GB |
|---|--|----|--------|----|
| Baltimore | 60 | 46 | .566 | — |
| Toronto | 59 | 54 | 2 1/2 | |
| New York | 55 | 51 | 5 1/2 | |
| Tampa Bay | 53 | 55 | 4 1/2 | |
| Boston | 48 | 60 | 4 1/2 | |
| Central Division | W | L | Pct | GB |
| Detroit | 56 | 46 | .558 | — |
| Kansas City | 53 | 52 | 5 1/2 | |
| Cleveland | 53 | 54 | 6 1/2 | |
| Chicago | 52 | 56 | 4 1/2 | |
| Minnesota | 48 | 57 | 4 1/2 | |
| West Division | W | L | Pct | GB |
| Oakland | 66 | 41 | .617 | — |
| Los Angeles | 63 | 43 | 5 1/2 | |
| Seattle | 55 | 54 | 1 1/2 | |
| Houston | 44 | 64 | 22 1/2 | |
| Texas | 42 | 65 | 39 1/2 | |
| Tuesday's Games | Baltimore 7, L.A. Angels 6, 12 in-ings | | | |
| Seattle 5, Cleveland 2 | | | | |
| Chicago White Sox 11, Detroit 4 | | | | |
| Tampa Bay 5, Milwaukee 1 | | | | |
| Toronto 4, Boston 2 | | | | |
| N.Y. Yankees 12, Texas 11 | | | | |
| Minnesota 2, Kansas City 1 | | | | |
| Oakland 7, Houston 4 | | | | |
| Wednesday's Games | Milwaukee 5, Tampa Bay 0 | | | |
| Houston 8, Oakland 1 | | | | |
| Baltimore 4, L.A. Angels 3 | | | | |
| Cleveland 2, Seattle 0 | | | | |
| Detroit 7, Chicago White Sox 2 | | | | |
| Toronto 6, Boston 1 | | | | |
| N.Y. Yankees at Texas, 8:05 p.m. | | | | |
| Minnesota at Kansas City, 8:10 p.m. | | | | |
| Thursday's Games | Chicago White Sox (Joh.Danks 9-6) at Detroit (Smyly 6-9), 12:08 p.m. | | | |
| L.A. Angels (Skaggs 5-5) at Baltimore (B.Norris 8-7), 6:05 p.m. | | | | |
| Seattle (C.Young 9-6) at Cleveland (McAlister 3-6), 6:05 p.m. | | | | |
| Minnesota (Correa 5-13) at Kansas City (Ventura 7-0), 7:10 a.m. | | | | |
| Toronto (Hutchison 7-9) at Houston | | | | |

AREA CALENDAR

Thursday, July 31
ARCHERY NFAA Outdoor Nationals at Yankton
BASEBALL, AMATEUR District 6B Tour at Freeman — Game 11: Pitteeman vs. Tabor (6 p.m., KVHT-FM); Game 12: Irene vs. Avon (8 p.m., KVHT-FM)
BASEBALL, LEGION S.D. State Tour at Huron (Yankton, KYNT-AM, KVTK-AM)
GOLF, DAKOTAS TOUR Hillcrest Invitational Pro-Am
Friday, August 1
ARCHERY NFAA Outdoor Nationals at Yankton
BASEBALL, AMATEUR Class A Districts at Mitchell — Game 1: Yankton vs. Mitchell (8 p.m.)
BASEBALL, LEGION S.D. State Tour at Huron (Yankton, KYNT-AM, KVTK-AM)
BASEBALL, TEENER S.D. State 13-14 Majors Tour at Yankton (Game 1: Mitchell vs. Pierre, 8:30 a.m.; Game 2: Brandon vs. R.C. Kings, 10:45 a.m.; Game 3: R.C. Sportsters vs. Aberdeen, 1 p.m.)
GAME 4: Watertown vs. Yankton Lakers, 3:15 p.m.
GAME 5: Game 1 winner vs. Game 2 winner, 6 p.m.
GAME 6: Game 3 winner vs. Game 4 winner, 8:15 p.m.
GAME 7: Game 1 loser vs. Game 2 loser, 6 p.m.
GAME 8: Game 3 loser vs. Game 4 loser, 8:15 p.m.
NOTE: Location for Game 6 & 8 may be adjusted to keep Yankton in Yankton.
Saturday, August 2
GAME 9: Game 5 winner vs. Game 6 winner, 10:30 a.m.
GAME 10: Game 6 loser vs. Game 7 winner, 12:45 p.m.
GAME 11: Game 5 loser vs. Game 8 winner, 3 p.m.
GAME 12: Game 9 loser vs. Game 10 winner, 5:15 p.m.
GAME 13: Game 9 winner vs. Game 11 winner, 7:30 p.m.
NOTE: Pairings for Games 12 and 13 will not match previous opponents against each other unless absolutely necessary
Sunday, August 3
GAME 14: Game 12 winner vs. Game 13 winner, noon
GAME 15: If necessary, 30 minutes after Game 14
NOTE: If three teams remain after Game 13, the winner of Game 11 receives a bye to Game 15.
DISTRICT 6B AM. TOURN.
July 24-Aug. 2 at Freeman
Thursday, July 24
Lesterville 10, Scotland 4
Friday, July 25
Wynot 3, Menno 2
Freeman 6, Avon 5, 11 innings
Saturday, July 26
Menno 6, Scotland 3, Scotland eliminated
Crotton 3, Lesterville 0
Irene 4, Tabor 3
Sunday, July 27
Tabor 10, Lesterville 9, Lesterville eliminated
Cincinnati 3, Arizona 0
Tampa Bay 5, Milwaukee 1
Philadelphia 6, N.Y. Mets 0
Miami 3, Washington 0
Chicago Cubs 4, Colorado 3, 16 in-ings
L.A. Dodgers 8, Atlanta 4
San Diego 3, St. Louis 1
Pittsburgh 3, San Francisco 1
Wednesday's Games
Milwaukee 5, Tampa Bay 0
N.Y. Mets 11, Philadelphia 2
Arizona 5, Cincinnati 4
Washington 4, Miami 3
San Francisco 7, Pittsburgh 5
Colorado at Chicago Cubs, 8:05 p.m.
Atlanta at L.A. Dodgers, 10:10 p.m.
St. Louis at San Diego, 10:10 p.m.
Thursday's Games
Colorado (P.Hernandez 0-0) at Chicago Cubs (Arrieta 5-2), 12:00 p.m.
St. Louis (S.Miller 7-8) at San Diego (Despaigne 2-2), 2:40 p.m.
Philadelphia (C.Lee 4-5) at Washington (Gonzalez 6-6), 6:05 p.m.
Cincinnati (Cuello 11-6) at Miami (Koshler 7-7), 6:10 p.m.
Pittsburgh (Locke 2-2) at Arizona (Collmer 8-5), 8:40 p.m.
Atlanta (Teheran 10-6) at L.A. Dodgers (Kershaw 12-2), 9:10 p.m.

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE — Suspended Atlanta RHPs Victor Joaquin and Alvaro Silvestre (DSL Braves) 72 games for violating the Minor League Drug Prevention and Treatment Program.
American League
BALTIMORE ORIOLES — Sent RHP Ubaldo Jimenez to Aberdeen (NYP) for a rehab assignment.
BOSTON RED SOX — Traded LHP Felix Doubront to the Chicago Cubs for a player to be named. Recalled RHP Brandon Workman from Pawtucket (IL).
MINNESOTA TWINS — RHP Matt Guernier refused outright assignment and chose free agency.
TEXAS RANGERS — Sent LHP Derek Holland to Frisco (TX) for a rehab assignment.
TORONTO BLUE JAYS — Sent OF Cole Gillespie to the GCL Blue Jays for a rehab assignment.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

| East Division | W | L | Pct | GB |
|------------------|----|----|-------|----|
| Washington | 58 | 47 | .552 | — |
| Atlanta | 58 | 49 | 5 1/2 | |
| Miami | 53 | 54 | 4 1/2 | |
| New York | 52 | 56 | 4 1/2 | |
| Philadelphia | 47 | 61 | 4 1/2 | |
| Central Division | W | L | Pct | GB |
| Milwaukee | 60 | 49 | .550 | — |
| St. Louis | 56 | 49 | 5 1/2 | |
| Pittsburgh | 57 | 50 | 5 1/2 | |
| Cincinnati | 53 | 54 | 4 1/2 | |
| Chicago | 44 | 61 | 4 1/2 | |
| West Division | W | L | Pct | GB |
| Los Angeles | 60 | 47 | .561 | — |
| San Francisco | 58 | 50 | 5 1/2 | |
| San Diego | 47 | 59 | 4 1/2 | |
| Arizona | 47 | 51 | 4 1/2 | |
| Colorado | 43 | 63 | 4 1/2 | |

BASEBALL

Arizona Diamondbacks — Announced the retirement of 3B Eric Chavez.
Atlanta Braves — Placed RHP Steve Simmons on the 15-day DL retroactive to Sunday. Recalled RHP Juan Jaime from Gwinnett (IL).
Colorado Rockies — Sent RHP Christian Bergman to Tulsa (TX) for a rehab assignment.
Los Angeles Dodgers — Sent RHP Jonathan Martinez to the Chicago Cubs to complete an earlier trade. Optioned INF Darwin Barney to Albuquerque (PCL). Designated LHP Scott Elbert for assignment.
Miami Marlins — Optioned OF Jake Marisnick to New Orleans (PCL). Recalled INF Ed Lucas from New Orleans.
St. Louis Cardinals — Released C George Kottaras. Transferred RHP Michael Wacha to the 60-day DL. Traded OF James Ramsey to Cleveland for RHP Justin Masterson.
San Francisco Giants — Designated 2B Tony Abreu for assignment. Optioned 3B Adam Duvall to Fresno (PCL). Selected the contract of 1B Travis Ishikawa from Fresno. Recalled OF Juan Perez from Fresno.
BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association
BROOKLYN NETS — Named Paul Westphal, John Welch, Tony Brown, Jon Wolf and Jay Humphries assistant coaches and Jim Sarr assistant coach/advance scout.
MIAMI HEAT — Signed F-C Chris Bosh to a five-year contract.
FOOTBALL
National Football League
NFL — Suspended LB Nigel Bradham one game for violating the NFL Policy and Program for Substances of Abuse.
BUFFALO BILLS — Signed RB Fred Jackson to a one-year contract extension.
CLEVELAND BROWNS — Signed WR Marlon Moore and OL Ryan Lee.
DALLAS COWBOYS — Signed OT Tyron Smith to an eight-year contract extension.
GREEN BAY PACKERS — Signed executive vice president, general manager and director of football operations Ted Thompson to a multi-year contract. Claimed WR Gerrard Sheppard off waivers from Baltimore.
HOUSTON TEXANS — Signed OT Mike Farnell.
INDIANAPOLIS COLTS — Signed RB Phillip Tanner.
MIAMI DOLPHINS — Signed TE Brett Brackett and DE D'Aundre Reed.
NEW YORK GIANTS — Named Cory Rush director of public relations. Promoted Ed-Andre Phillips to director of communications.
COLLEGE
NCAA — Granted UConn women's basketball F Morgan Tuck a medical hardship waiver.
AUSTIN PEAY STATE — Promoted part-time assistant baseball coach Derrick Dunbar to full time. Named Greg Bachman volunteer assistant baseball coach.
CENTRAL CONNECTICUT STATE — Named Tanya Kotowicz women's lacrosse coach.

Baseball

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end. The Twins finished their summer with a 27-5 record.
TWINS 12, R.C. DRILLERS 5: Matthew Mors had three hits, including a home run and a double, and four RBI to lead the Twins. Dylan Proby had two hits and two runs scored. Rugby Ryken and Max Raab each had run-scoring doubles. Trevor Fitzgerald and Quentin Moser added hits.
Mors picked up the win, striking out 10 over four innings of work. Trent Herboldt struck out two in an inning of relief.
SWAT HURRICANES 6, TWINS 0: Michael Mors had the lone Twins hit. Trevor Fitzgerald got the loss, allowing two runs.
TWINS 11, SWAT DOGS 6: Matthew Mors had two doubles and four runs scored, and Quentin Moser had two hits to lead the Twins. Brodey Peterson had a hit, a run scored and two RBI. Trevor Fitzgerald and Michael Mors each scored twice. Rugby Ryken and Jimmie Cunningham scored runs in the victory.
Trent Herboldt picked up the win. Matthew Mors struck out six in two innings of relief.

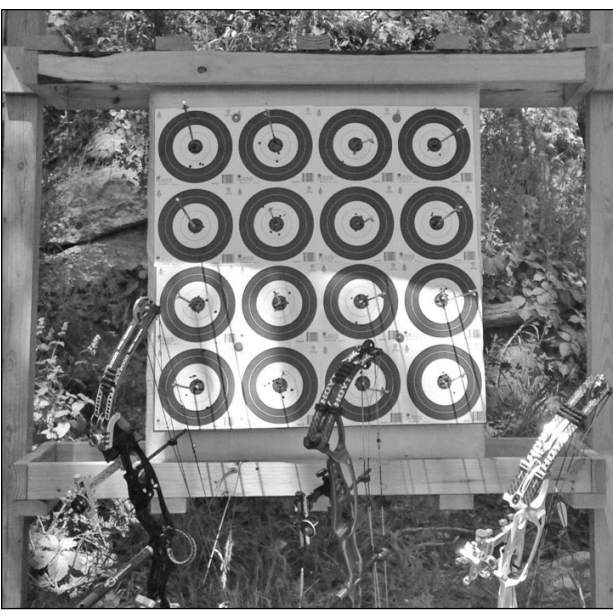
City Champs



Submitted photo
The Marquardt White Sox won the under-13 division of the Yankton Sertoma Baseball league. Team members include (front) Isaiah Stanga, Ethan Hladky, Joey Losing, Cole Rumsey, Wil Pease, (back) coach Adam Anderson, Mack Heinrich, Luke Barnes, Lucas Schoenfelder, Bradley Howe, Princeton Vollmer and coach Matt Rumsey. Not pictured are Jason Rock, Brandon Peitz and Reid Dutrow.

NFAA

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"She puts in a lot of time; almost every day," Travis said, between target stations Wednesday. "She learns easy; very quick."
And Kaylee has found quick success, as well.
She took third place in her division at the Oklahoma state tournament, and earlier this year held a first-place ranking. "It just clicked with her," Mindi said. "We've heard from people at our range that, 'She's definitely special.'"
Even while hobbled, "Even though I couldn't walk much, it was a lot of fun," said Kaylee, who has her left foot in a boot.
Asked how she liked the Outdoor National Championships, even after one day, Kaylee had positive feedback for the new NFAA ranges.
"This is very nice, compared to where we shoot back home," she said.
Kaylee, and her fellow archers, will have plenty more experience getting to know the new ranges.
The 5-day NFAA tournament began Wednesday and continues through Sunday at the new ranges, located behind the Easton Archery Complex.
"We saw that this tournament was in South Dakota, and we have friends in Nebraska, so we thought, 'Why not?'" Mindi said.
"Now we can be the tourist family, stopping to take photos everywhere."



Submitted photo
A group of four women all hit the 'X' at this target, the final during their 28-target round Wednesday at the NFAA Outdoor National Championships in Yankton. Group members included Raeanne Klein, Mikey McGhee, Mindi English and Rena Mascaro.

every weekend if you wanted to," Jon said. "That's why it's great to have something like this here; you don't have to travel anywhere."
Even for archers like themselves who routinely shoot at the Easton Yankton Archery Complex, seeing the updates to the new field ranges has been an eye-opener, Jon said. "This is great," he said. "They did so many improvements to it. Even from a week ago when we were out here."
Plus, it doesn't hurt to have the chance to shoot with archers from across the country, Hailey said.
"You get to meet a lot of new people," she said.

NFAA ranges rather than simply shooting alone.
"Mostly, I'm out here by myself," Klein said. "It's awesome to see more people using these."
About the new ranges, English was complimentary. "It's a nice course, but I'm ready to come back (today) and do better," English said. "When you have a good group, it makes the day so much more fun."
For Mascaro, the most experience of the group, she said the course provided a challenge for her.
"I've been so used to flat courses back home," Mascaro said. "So this was really interesting for me."

'Fun' For Yankton Archers

Surrounded by archers from California, North Dakota and Oklahoma during her round Wednesday afternoon, Hailey Johnson couldn't help but smile.
The 11-year-old from Yankton, who wasn't the only Yankton youth shooting during the tournament's first day, said later she enjoyed the competition.
"It's fun to shoot against new people," Hailey said.
Hailey has been shooting a bow for two years and competitively for one year, according to her father, Jon Johnson, who walked with her during Wednesday's round.
Among the travel stops for the family this year have been Las Vegas, Louisville (NFAA Indoor Nationals) and the Iowa Pro-Am.
"You could be somewhere

Finishing In Style

The cheering coming from the woods beyond the final target at the NFAA ranges on Wednesday came from a group of four women who completed their 28-target round with a flourish.
All four, who hail from all corners of the country, shot an arrow in the 'X' on their final target. The 'X,' as they pointed out with pride later, is roughly the size of a dime.
Members of the group included Raeanne Klein (Yankton), Mikey McGhee (Holland, Michigan), Mindi English (Springfield, Oregon) and Rena Mascaro (Miami, Florida).
"I thought it was a great time so far," McGhee said after their round. "It was an awesome group and we all had a great finish."
Klein, a native of Gregory who won a world indoor championship in Yankton a year ago, said it was much different competing at the new

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MORNING COFFEE

WEEKDAYS MONDAY-FRIDAY

Thursday, July 31
7:40 a.m. Conv/Vis Bureau (Stephanie Moser)
8:20 a.m. Yankton Chamber (Carmen Schramm)
Friday, August 1
7:40 a.m. Riverboat Days (Dave Wright, Mike Gullikson)
8:20 a.m. Yankton Area Arts (Jackie Quinn)