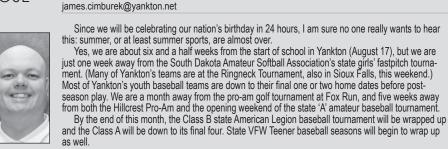
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DAILY DOSE

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



BY JAMES D. CIMBUREK

USD Boast Summit League's

Second-Highest Program GPA VERMILLION — University of South Dakota student-ath-letes achieved a 3.36 cumulative grade point average during the 2014-15 academic year, which ranks second among the

nine Summit League institutions and is higher than USD's general student GPA of 3.21. Of South Dakota's 14 Summit League programs, three

turned in the league's highest GPA, three ranked second. nine placed in the top three and 11 finished above the league average.

The women's cross country team had the Coyotes' highest GPA at 3.73, which was second-best among Summit League teams. Volleyball was second at 3.66, which also ranked second in the Summit.

South Dakota women's soccer (3.54), women's track and field (3.54) and men's track and field (3.31) had the highest GPA among their respective Summit League programs. Softball (3.44) was second. Women's tennis (3.54), women's golf (3.54) and men's cross country (3.37) ranked third.

The Summit League announced earlier this week that four South Dakota teams and 129 Covote student-athletes were named to the Commissioner's List of Academic Excellence. South Dakota also had 165 student-athletes on the Summit League's Winter/Spring Academic Honor Roll of which 89 were named to the Academic Distinguished Scholars List.

Youth Soccer Camp July 7-9

There will be a youth soccer camp for boys and girls in U6 through U14 (grades K-7), held July 7-9 from 5:30-7 p.m. each

SCOREBOARD

BOWLING

YANKTON BOWL OFF THE BEATEN PATH LEAGUE HIGH TEAM GAME: Fishing Buds

448 HIGH TEAM SERIES: L&R 1283 HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME: Terry Norton 247-235-231, Mark Brannen

228, Chad Losing 226, Candy Olson 180, Laurie Bruening 179, Edwena Turner 179

HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES: Terry Norton 713, Andy Seiner 603, Chad Losing 600, Laurie Bruening 513, Kathy

Miller 498. Edwena Turner 492 STANDINGS: The Mean Machine 18-6, Untitled 15.5-8.5, Turn "N" Heads 14-10, L & R 14-10, Fishing Buds 14-10, Split Happens 13-11, Grandma & Company 13-11, Dominators 13-11, It's the Splits 12-12, JoCaz 12-12, Beer 4 Breakfast 12-12, Pop N Son 11-13, Bohemians 11-13, Them Guys 10-14, Lost Souls 9-15, Aces & Eights 8.5-15.5,

Lucky Strikers 8-16, Hit or Miss 6-18; INC – Scholars IQ, Deer Slayers

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TWO-MAN LEAGUE RESULTS: Steve Slowey-Tim Rutjes 61, Dan Eisenbraun-Todd Van Maanen 63, Ryan Elwood-Waren Muller 64, John Hagemann-Heath Larson 64, Bill Pierce-Devin Anderson 65, Bill Berry -Gail Gubbels 65, Tony Erickson-Robert Haar 66, James Grotenhuis-Dave Ewald 67, Rodger Brandt-Dan Lammers 68, Roger Thompson-John Ehret 68, Aaron Ness-Jim Fitzgerald 68, Scott Hiltunen-Denny Fokken 69, Dan Semmler-Kylar Johnson 70, Jim Tramp-Jack Gregg 71, Dan Megard-Jeff Larson 72, Sean Zimmerman-James Henderson 85, Joe Vig -Pat King 99, Todd Chance-Michael Pietila 99

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Baltimore

New York

Toronto

Boston

Tampa Bay

STANDINGS Steve Slowev-Tim Rutjes 384, Bill Pierce-Devin Anderson 387, Sean Zimmerman-James Hender-son 390, Joe Vig -Pat King 392, Bill Berry Kansas City Minnesota -Gail Gubbels 393, Dan Eisenbraun-Detroit Todd Van Maanen 393 Rvan Elwood-Cleveland Waren Muller 396, Dan Megard-Jeff Chicago

2; No. 3, Rodger Brandt 2; No. 4, John Baltimore (U.Jimenez 7-3) at Chi-Ehret 2; No. 5, Scott Hiltunen 3; No. 8, cago White Sox (Danks 3-8), 7:10 p.m. Jeff Dayhuff 2; No. 12, Brandt 2; No. 16, Bowen Mollman 1; No. 17, Dan Eisen-braun 3; No. 18, Bill Pierce 3 NET FLIGHT 2: No. 2, Don Neukirch 2: No. 8. Jim Vlahakis 2; No. 9, Chuck Saturday's Games Rezac 2; No. 12, Brent Rupiper 2; No.

13, A.J. Schroer 2; No. 17, Mike Hen-LAKEVIEW GOLF COURSE

THURSDAY MEN'S LEAGUE TEAM LOW GROSS: Sacred Heart

nastery 199 TEAM LOW NET: Bogey Men 147 LOW GROSS: Rob Wiebelhaus 41 nday's Games LOW NET: Larry Schieffer 30 STANDINGS: Wankers 111, Bogey Men 101, FISO 89, Putt Pirates 89, Wild Boar Ent. 88, Sacred Heart Mon-

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3rd 81, Troubleshooters 81, Duh Duffers 80, Welfl Const. 62, Fringe Ticklers 57, Town & Country Ins. 53, EZ Swingers 48, Glass Cutters 44, Goeden Const. 44 0 p.m. Minnesota at Kansas City, 1:10 p.m.

TRAP SHOOTING NATIONAL LEAGUE JIM RIVER TRAP RANGE East Division I FAGUE STANDINGS AFTER WEEK 5: Claybusters 640, Rock Crushers 617, ABC 613, Eco Water
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7 1/2 10 Promoted Larry Harris to director of DL. Agreed to terms with RHP Andrew Cincinnati 2, Minnesota 1 Oakland 4, Colorado 1 Thome and OF Gilberto Celestino on Surgery 6 8 minor league contracts. Sent OF Jake Marisnick to Fresno (PCL) for a rehab 10 Seattle 7, San Diego 0 assignment. MINNESOTA TWINS — Optioned Pittsburgh 9. Detroit 3 Chicago Cubs 2, N.Y. Mets 0, 11 INF Kennys Vargas to Rochester (IL). Recalled INF Miguel Sano from Chat-FROM PAGE 5A inings Miami 6, San Francisco 5 tanooga (SL). SEATTLE MARINERS — Desig-Atlanta 4, Washington 1 Chicago White Sox 7, St. Louis 1 year span alone (2004-07), nated SS Willie Bloomquist for assign-ment. Recalled INF Chris Taylor from L.A. Dodgers 4, Arizona 3 Thursday's Games Miami 5, San Francisco 4 Pittsburgh 8, Detroit 4 Andrews performed the sur-Tacoma (PCL). TAMPA BAY RAYS — Optioned OF/1B Marc Krauss to Durham (IL). Reinstated LHP Matt Moore from the gery on 588 pitchers, nearly one-fourth of high school Chicago Cubs 6, N.Y. Mets 1 age or younger. Matt Harvey Milwaukee 8, Philadelphia 7, 11 in-60-day DL of the New York Mets and Atlanta 2, Washington 1 TEXAS RANGERS - Traded RHP Jason Hoppe to the L.A. Angels for 2015 international slot compensation. Optioned RHP Nick Martinez to Round Kansas Citv's Luke Hoche-San Diego 5, St. Louis 3, 11 innings Colorado at Arizona, 9:40 p.m. var are just two of several Friday's Games Miami (Koehler 6-4) at Chicago Cubs (Hammel 5-3), 1:20 p.m. San Francisco (Peavy 0-2) at Wash-Rock (PCL). Reinstated RHP Neftali major league pitchers with Perez from the 15-day DL. Agreed to terms with OF Leodys Taveras on an international free agent contract. TORONTO BLUE JAYS – Agreed to terms with OF Vladimir Guerrero Jr. Tommy John surgery on their resumes, and Orioles catcher ington (G.Gonzalez 5-4). 5:05 n.m. Cleveland (Bauer 6-5) at Pittsburgh (Morton 6-1), 6:05 p.m. Milwaukee (Fiers 3-7) at Cincinnati (Lorenzen 3-2), 6:10 p.m. Matt Wieters is proof that on an international free agent contract. Traded RHPs Chase DeJong and Tim Locastro to the L.A. Dodgers for three other position players are vulnerable, too. Philadelphia (Morgan 1-0) at Atlanta international signing slots. (Teheran 5-4), 6:35 p.m. San Diego (Cashner 3-9) at St. Louis (Wacha 10-3), 7:15 p.m. Colorado (K.Kendrick 3-10) at Ari-National League ATLANTA BRAVES — Optioned RHP Ryan Kelly to Gwinnett (L). Re-called LHP Manny Banuelos from Gwin-nett. Acquired International Bonus Pool zona (Ch.Anderson 4-2), 8:40 p.m. N.Y. Mets (Syndergaard 3-4) at L.A. Dodgers (Kershaw 5-6), 9:10 p.m. Saturday's Games Slot No. 87 in exchange for RHP Caleb Dirks and OF Jordan Paroubeck. CHICAGO CUBS — Agreed to terms with LHP Bryan Hudson on a mi-San Francisco at Washington, 10:05 am nor league contract.

my gear. I'd just walk around

totally opposite of that. Ran-

dom, random, really random

'Hey, coach, how's it going?' I

always thought I was a blend-

AP: Are you comfortable

Riley: It's absolutely fine.

being approached by fans?

They're showing respect to the program and to the posi-

tion that I have. I like repre-

to people. People just care.

Most of the time they just

you to Nebraska.

want to say hi and welcome

AP: It got out that after

you first arrived in Lincoln

you accepted a ride from a

stranger back to your hotel

separated from the folks who

went, so some security guys

door and said the Embassy

was driving by and asked if

I wanted a ride. I said yeah.

It was so cold, the guy could

AP: Did he take the long

Riley: He really didn't. It

way back to the hotel so he

could talk football with you?

was only a two-minute ride.

We had a nice talk.

Suites is that way. A guy

have been a serial killer.

after a basketball game?

Riley: I had gotten

senting that, and I like talking

and someone might say hi.

but they might not. This is

people come up and say,

in kind of person.

Minnesota (Milone 4-1) at Kansas City (Guthrie 6-5), 7:10 p.m. Seattle (Happ 3-5) at Oakland (Chavez 4-7), 8:05 p.m. Colorado at Arizona, 9:10 p.m. Tampa Bay at N.Y. Yankees. 12:05 Sunday's Games Milwaukee at Cincinnati, 12:10 p.m. Cleveland at Pittsburgh, 12:35 p.m. Philadelphia at Atlanta, 12:35 p.m. Toronto at Detroit, 12:08 p.m. Houston at Boston, 12:35 p.m.

day. The camp will be held at Lewis & Clark Soccer Park.

taught. Parents and coaches are welcome to attend

and plenty of water. Cost is a free-will donation.

1602 or Tyler Schuring at 605-380-7667.

there will be age group awards as well.

To Hold Camp Aug. 8-9

areas out and back.

midconetwork.com/

Run/Walk begins at 10 a.m.

will conduct the camps. Basic soccer skills and drills will be

'Silence Hides The Violence' 5K

Run/Walk Aug. 29 The "Silence Hides The Violence" 5K Run/Walk will be held Saturday, Aug. 29, at Yankton's Memorial Park. The event

starts at the intersection of 19th and Douglas at the southwest

corner of Memorial Park. The course runs through residential

Plaques will be given to the top female and male, and

Packet pickup will be from 9-9:50 a.m. on the morning of

the event near the south picnic shelter at Memorial Park. The

istration rates, call 605-665-4811 or email womensshelter@

Kokesh, Yankton Youth Wrestling

The Yankton Youth Wrestling program will hold a pair of

one-day camps featuring Wagner native Robert Kokesh, a

For more information about the event and about early reg-

Participants are asked to bring appropriate soccer gear

For more information, contact Warren Brenner at 605-665-

Yankton Bucks and Gazelles soccer coaches and players

Baltimore at Chicago White Sox 1:10 p.m. Cleveland at Pittsburgh, 3:05 p.m. Seattle at Oakland, 3:05 p.m. Minnesota at Kansas City, 6:15 p.m. L.A. Angels at Texas, 8:05 p.m. p.m.

Tampa Bay at N.Y. Yankees, 12:05

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Seattle at Oakland, 4:05 p.m. L.A. Angels at Texas, 6:05 p.m.

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American League BALTIMORE ORIOLES — Sent 2B Jonathan Schoop to Frederick (Carolina) 17 for a rehab assignment. BOSTON RED SOX - Activated C 6

to terms with SS Santo Vasquez, 3B 14 1/2 19 1/2 Fernando Tatis, INF Bravant Nova and OF Franklin Reyes on minor league contracts. HOUSTON ASTROS — Placed OF George Springer on the 15-day DL. Optioned RHP Michael Feliz to Corpus GB 3

Christi (TL). Selected the contract OF Alex Presley from Fresno (PCL). Trans-ferred RHP Brad Peacock to the 60-day

San Diego at St. Louis, 1:15 p.m Cleveland at Pittsburgh, 3:05 p.m. Miami at Chicago Cubs, 6:15 p.m. Milwaukee at Cincinnati, 6:15 p.m. N.Y. Mets at L.A. Dodgers, 6:15 p.m. Philadelphia at Atlanta, 6:15 p.m.

San Diego at St. Louis, 1:15 p.m. Bumgardn Miami at Chicago Cubs, 1:20 p.m. Colorado at Arizona, 4:10 p.m. N.Y. Mets at L.A. Dodgers, 4:10 p.m. San Francisco at Washington, 7:08

SOCCER

WOMEN'S WORLD CUP THIRD PLACE

Saturday, July 4 At Edmonton, Alberta Germany vs. England, 3 p.m. CHAMPIONSHIP

Sunday, July 5 At Vancouver, British Columbia United States vs. Japan, 6 p.m.

TRANSACTIONS BASEBALL

Ryan Hanigan from the 60-day DL. Op-tioned RHP Jonathan Aro to Pawtucket (IL). CHICAGO WHITE SOX — Agreed

OF Will Walsh.

(PCL). Optioned INF/OF Rafael Ynoa to Albuquerque. MIAMI MARLINS — Optioned RHP Jose Urena to New Orleans (PCL). Re-60-day DL. Signed 1B Josh Naylor. NEW YORK METS — Acquired In-ternational Bonus Pool Slot No. 90 from

PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES Placed RHP Aaron Harang on the 15-day DL. Reinstated RHP Chad Billings-

ley from the 15-day DL. ST. LOUIS CARDINALS — Placed HOCKEY

OF Jon Jay on the 15-day DL, retroac-tive to Wednesday. Recalled LHP Tim Cooney from Memphis (PCL). Fired scotting director Chris Correa. SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS contract

Placed RHP Tim Lincecum on the 15-day DL, retroactive to Sunday. Reinstat-ed RHP Matt Cain from the 15-day DL. WASHINGTON NATIONALS — Agreed to terms with OF Juan Soto and INF Luis Aquino on international free

Signed RHP Tyler Thompson and INF Signed F Gabriel Bourgue to a oneear contract and F Max Reinhart and Conor Allen to one-year, two-way

INF Joe Rapp to Southern Illinois (Frontier) for a player to be named. Can-Am League NEW JERSEY JACKALS

leased LHP Isaac Pavlik. OTTAWA CHAMPIONS - Released RHP Joe Riley. QUEBEC CAPITALES — Released INF Mike Washburn. TROIS-RIVIERS AIGLES — Signed

BASKETBALL National Basketball Association GOLDEN STATE WARRIORS

ment (UCL) reconstruction is a surgical graft procedure in which the damaged ligament in the elbow is replaced by a tendon from elsewhere in the body. Since the late Dr. Frank Jobe pioneered the surgery on Los Angeles Dodgers pitcher Tommy John in 1974,

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Summer Sports Winding Down Quickly

The summer always seems to fly by, but this summer has seemed to cruise by even more quickly. Part of that was the late spring event - state track on May 29-30 and Class B high school baseball on June 6. Another part was the World Archery Youth Championships here in Yankton, which kept us hopping all the way through June 14. Two weekends later, and here we are.

Because summer is winding down, it also means that we are starting to talk about our fall sports preview. (We would have story ideas on the board, but my boards are currently off my office walls in preparation for a badly-needed coat of paint and new carpet.) While the boards sit in boxes, my ideas are scribbled on pads in my office - pads that I hopefully won't lose when I have to take everything out for the carpet installers.

Among those ideas is inviting our readers to join in the discussion about what appears on the cover. We will narrow our features to a top four or five, then tweet out a link where readers can vote on which feature they want to see on the cover. (More coming on that as we finalize the list.)

As always, we welcome story ideas, whether it is for a preview section or the regular paper. Email sports@yankton.net, or tweet at @JCimburek (me) or @jhoeck (Jeremy Hoeck) to share those ideas.

three-time All-American and four-time NCAA qualifier for the University of Nebraska. The camp for grades K-6 will be held on Aug. 8, with the camp for grades 7-12 on Aug. 9. The K-6 session will run from 9:30-11 a.m., then from

noon-2 p.m. Lunch will not be provided. The 7-12 session will run from 9-11 a.m. and noon-2 p.m.

Lunch will not be provided. There is a cost to participate, with a family discount for

families with multiple wrestlers. Each registered camper will receive a t-shirt.

Registration deadline is Aug. 1. Email yanktonyouthwrestling@yahoo.com or call 605-660-1171 for more information or to receive a registration form.

Longtime Lions Stalwart

Charlie Sanders Dies At Age 68

DETROIT (AP) — Hall of Fame tight end Charlie Sanders, who spent 43 years with the Detroit Lions as a player, coach, scout and broadcaster, has died after battling cancer. He was 68 Lions spokesman Matt Barnhart said the team confirmed through family members his death Thursday in a suburb of Detroit.

Sanders caught 336 passes for 4.817 vards and had 31 touchdowns in

a 10-year playing career that began in 1968. He returned to Detroit in 1983 as a radio broadcaster, a job he held until joining the coaching staff in 1989. After leaving the sideline in 1996, he returned to the radio booth for one

more season, then was a Lions scout from 1998 until his death. Sanders is survived by his ex-wife, Georgianna, and 10 children

Duncan: 'I'll Be Back On The Court' SAN ANTONIO (AP) - Tim Duncan is returning to San A

19th season Duncan tells the San Antonio Express-News that "I'll be on the court next year." Until Duncan made his announcement Thursday, there was speculation that he could call it a career after the Spurs lost to the Los

COLORADO ROCKIES - Recalled player personnel. Named Lachlan Pen OF Drew Stubbs from Albuquerque fold head of physical performance and sports medicine FOOTBALL National Football League NFL — Suspended Green Bay DE Datone Jones one game and San Diego

TE Antonio Gates, Dallas LB Rolando McClain and N.Y. Jets DL Sheldon Rich-ardson four games for violating the NFL Policy and Program for Substances of the Los Angeles Angels for RHP Gaither

> HOUSTON TEXANS - Released DT Brandon Ivory. INDIANAPOLIS COLTS — Re-

Micheal Healy to one-year contracts. An-nounced the retirement of vice president leased DE Camaron Beard. Signed LB Justin Shirk.

National Hockey League ANAHEIM DUCKS — Re-signed D Korbinian Holzer to a one-year con-

tract and D Kevin Bieksa to a two-year ARIZONA COYOTES — Signed F Dustin Jeffrey and D Alex Grant to one-

year, two-way contracts. CHICAGO BLACKHAWKS

Agreed to terms with D Cameron Schilling on a two-year contract and D Michael Liambas on a one-year contract. NASHVILLE PREDATORS agent contracts. American Association FARGO-MOORHEAD REDHAWKS

GRAND PRAIRIE AIRHOGS — Re-leased LHP Jeff Harvill. KANSAS CITY T-BONES — Traded

NEW YORK ISLANDERS - Agreed to terms with Fs Justin Florek, Ben Holmstrom, Bracken Kearns, Justin Vaive, Joe Whitney and James Wright on one-year,

two-way contracts. NEW YORK RANGERS — Announced the retirement of RW Martin St.

Louis. Agreed to terms with G Brandon Halvorson on an entry-level contract. ST. LOUIS BLUES — Traded RW T.J. Oshie to Washington for RW Troy Brouwer, G Pheonix Copley and a 2016

third-round draft pick. SAN JOSE SHARKS — Signed D Patrick McNally to a two-year contract and Fs John McCarthy, Bryan Lerg and

The ulnar collateral liga-

Angeles Clippers in a thrilling seven-game series in the first round of the

Angeles on performed and a second playoffs. Many expected him to return, particularly since he was coming off such a sists and 2.0 blocks a strong season. Duncan averaged 13.9 points, 3.0 assists and 2.0 blocks and earned third team All-NBA and second team All-Defense honors. Duncan turned 39 in April and accompanied the Spurs on a recruiting

trip for star free agent LaMarcus Aldridge on Wednesday. Duncan told the newspaper that the trip to Los Angeles to meet with

Aldridge offered the opportunity for a face-to-face chat with coach and team

resident Gregg Population about next season. The conversation solidified his desire to return for another year and chase his sixth championship.

know if Aldridge will be coming to town to play beside him in the San Antonio frontcourt.

Duncan will likely not agree to terms on a new contract until the Spurs

The Spurs are still waiting to hear if Manu Ginobili, another member

Northern Arizona's Degroote Dies At 22

While Vacationing DENALI NATIONAL PARK AND PRESERVE, Alaska (AP) — Northerm Arizona football player Michael DeGroote died after apparently shooting himself with a gun while vacationing with his family in Alaska. The 22-year-old DeGroote died Tuesday at a camgground at Denali

National Park and Preserve. Park spokeswoman Kathleen Kelly says an

or deliberate, but adds the answer may never be known.

was not present when the shooting occurred.

Our thoughts and prayers go out to his family."

Friday, July 3 BASEBALL, AMATEUR Tabor

Lesterville (7:30 p.m.); Wynot at

BASEBALL, LEGION Dakota

Valley at Vermillion (6 p.m.) SOFTBALL, GIRLS' Ringneck

Saturday, July 4 BASEBALL, AMATEUR Lester

ville at Yankton (7:30 p.m.); Scotland

and assistant general manager Wayne

Thomas. Named Bob Boughner assis-

tant coach and Johan Hedberg goaltend-

assistant general managers Laurence

Gilman and Lorne Henning and director

Signed RW Justin Williams to a two-year

American Hockey League

BAKERSFIELD CONDORS - Signed RW Matt Ford and LW Josh

Winquist. BRIDGEPORT SOUND TIGERS —

Agreed to terms with Fs Tyler Barnes,

Tyler Barnes, Josh Holmstrom, Jesse Root, Andrew Rowe and Sebastien Sylvestre; D Bryce Aneloski, Kane La-franchise and C.J. Ludwig; and G Parker

TORONTO MARLIES - Named

Gord Dineen associate coach, A.J. MacLean assistant coach and Richard

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USA SWIMING — Named Mitch Dalton national junior team program

SOCCER

Major League Soccer MLS — Fined Toronto D Damien

READING ROYALS - Agreed to

Rotenberg performance coach.

with F Cam Reid

of player personnel Eric Crawford. WASHINGTON CAPITALS

contract.

Milner.

director

VANCOUVER CANUCKS - Fired

CAPITALS

Tourn. at Sioux Falls

investigation is under way to try to determine if the shooting was accidental

Kelly says the family is adamant that the shooting was accidental. Park officials say DeGroote was visiting the park with his father, but the father

A family spokesman earlier confirmed to the university that DeGroote died Tuesday in Alaska, though no other details were given. "The entire NAU Athletics Family is deeply saddened by the loss of

Michael " NALL coach Jerome Souers said in a statement, "He was a well-

respected young man that I was proud to have as a part of our program. Our time with Michael was cut short, but he will always be a Lumberjack.

AREA <u>CALENDAR</u>

at Menno (7:30 p.m.) BASEBALL, LEGION Vermillion

at Lennox (1 p.m.) SOFTBALL, GIRLS' Ringneck Tourn. at Sioux Falls

land at Irene (7:30 p.m.); Tabor at

softBall, GIRLS' Ringneck

Perguis for embellishment, Columbus M Federico Higuain for simulation, New England M Kelyn Rowe for hands to the

neck of an opponent and Real Salt Lake

D Demar Phillips for failing to leave the field in a timely manner after receiving

a red card. National Women's Soccer League SKY BLUE FC — Waived Ms Lo'eau

COLLEGE

Leslie Nobles running backs coach.

FAYETTEVILLE STATE - Named

LIMESTONE - Promoted Kaileigh

LIPSCOMB — Named Sean Rutigli-

ano men's assistant basketball coach. MINNESOTA STATE — Named Jeff

Giesen women's associate head hockey

SAN FRANCISCO — Named Will Martin director of men's basketball op-

erations and Eric Kapel men's basketbal

basketball F Braeden Anderson is trans-ferring from Fresno State, G Derrick Gor-

don from UMass and G Jevon Thomas

from Kansas State. UNLV — Named Brian Thomas as-

sistant swimming and diving coach. WOFFORD — Named Joanna Tincher and Shanae Vaifaunua women's

assistant basketball coaches

SETON HALL — Announced men's

video coordinator

West to women's assistant basketba

LaBonta and Meg Morris

Tourn, at Sioux Falls

Sunday, July 5 BASEBALL, AMATEUR Scot-

of the franchise's Big Three with Duncan and Tony Parker, will return next

ken 398, James Grotenhuis-Dave Ewald 400, John Hagemann-Heath Larson 400, Rodger Brandt-Dan Lammers 401, Todd Chance-Michael Pietila 402, Jim Tramp-Jack Gregg 403, Roger Thompson-John Ehret 410, Aaron Ness-Jim Fitzgerald 415, Dan Semmler-Kylar Johnson 416, Tony Erickson-Robert Haar 421

HIN'S DAY EVENT FIRST FLIGHT FIRST: Dan Megard, John Ehret, Roger Thompson, Cal Carlson 202 SECOND: Todd Van Maanen, Dan Eisenbraun, Ken Bertsch, Ron Evans

THIRD: Waren Muller, Dan Orton, Steve Weiland, Ryan Elwood 204 FOURTH: Rodger Brandt, Devin Anderson, Dean Washburn, Jim Fitzger-

SECOND FLIGHT

FIRST: Don Munson, Gene Baker, Cliff Groseth, Bob Kellen 197

SECOND: Jay Hubner, Frank Mess-ner, Jim Ahrendt, Jack Battin 199 THIRD: John Sternquist, Barry O'Connell, Rich Willert, John Hagemann

202 FOURTH: Gary Stevens, Bruce Teachout, Bill Bobzin, Larry Meyer 202 MEN'S IND. SKINS GROSS: No. 4, Ryan Elwood 3; No. 5, Scott Hiltunen 3; No. 9, Elwood 3; No.

Riley

FROM PAGE 5A

Riley: I haven't felt that at all personally. I think those kinds of relationships can grow over time. I hope as we see each other more often that it naturally does. I don't think it has to be anything that's forced. I've been able to spend a lot more time with some of his assistants. I had a staff meeting with Milt Tenopir, George Darlington and Charlie McBride as invited guests. It was awesome. I asked them to come in and give us some advice and tell us about Nebraska and tell us about how they think the walk-on program fits today, the Blackshirts. Besides that, we just had fun.

AP: What's it like being known as the 'nicest guy in college football'?

Riley: I don't know how anybody quantifies that. I hope people recognize that here's a guy who just likes what he's doing. I guess I appreciate being called a 'nice guy.' Sometimes it's used as a detriment, like I'm not tough enough. That was the case way back in Winnipeg (of the CFL): When we won, it was because I could relate and I

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GB Houston 5 Los Angeles Texas 41 41 5 1/2 9 1/2 11 Seattle Oakland Wednesday's Games Cincinnati 2. Minnesota 1 Toronto 11, Boston 2 Oakland 4, Colorado 1 Seattle 7, San Diego 0 N.Y. Yankees 3, L.A. Angels 1 Baltimore 4, Texas 2 Pittsburgh 9, Detroit 3 Cleveland 8, Tampa Bay Houston 6, Kansas City 5 Chicago White Sox 7, St. Louis 1 Thursday's Games Cleveland 5, Tampa Bay 4, 10 innings Pittsburgh 8, Detroit 4 Texas 2. Baltimore 0 Boston 12, Toronto 6 Minnesota 2, Kansas City 0 Seattle at Oakland, 10:05 p.m. Friday's Games Cleveland (Bauer 6-5) at Pittsburgh (Morton 6-1), 6:05 p.m. Tampa Bay (Archer 9-5) at N.Y. Yan-kees (Tanaka 4-3), 6:05 p.m. Toronto (Hutchison 8-1) at Detroit GROSS: No. 4, Ryan Elwood 3; No. 5, Scott Hiltunen 3; No. 9, Elwood 3; No. 11, Brian Strahl 2; No. 13, Devin Ander-son 3; No. 14, Elwood 3 NET FLIGHT 1: No. 2, Aaron Ness (Ch.Gonzalez 2-3), 7:05 p.m.

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was a good guy and all that. When we lost, I was too nice. **AP:** Do you think Nebraska was looking for a person-

ality like yours after seven years with the volatile Pelini?

Riley: That is a question for them. I don't know Bo. I do know this: he recruited a lot of really good guys here and won a lot of games. All I'll say about that is I appreciate the work that's been done here

AP: Are you surprised Nebraska hasn't won a conference title since 1999?

Riley: Yeah, that's a surprising stat. I think part of that has a lot to do with the changing landscape of college football. You've seen with 85 scholarships things even out and a few different (teams) emerge. The positive is, even though we haven't won a conference championship in that time, it's been a good team. We've been on the edge of championships — lots of what other people would say are pretty good seasons.

AP: When did it hit you that, as Nebraska football coach, you became probably the most visible person in the state?

Riley: I always thought of myself as a fairly nondescript person unless I'm wearing all

help the team and the staff to possible," she said.

sults were expected, Haenni said bringing more teams in

told The Associated Press.

cized at times for its treatment of the women's game in general — from President Sepp Blatter's infamous suggestion in 2004 that the women could wear tighter shorts, to the cries of gender discrimination over the artificial turf surface at this year's tournament — soccer's international governing body has taken positive steps over

There were 12 teams in the first Women's World Cup in 1991, expanding to 16 in 1999 before jumping to 24 this year. FIFA added an under-20 Women's World Cup in 2002, and an under-17 tournament in 2008.

it has become commonplace. Fear of the surgery lurks in every major league dugout today.

"We're not developing pitchers the right way to learn how to do their craft. We're asking them to go as hard as you can, as short as you can, and that's good

creed that a percentage of its

Financial Assistance Program

funds it provides to member

says the 15 percent mandate

is a starting point and many

member nations invest far

more, with the average at

nations can also secure

additional funds through

22 percent in 2014. Member

the international governing

body's numerous develop-

Last year, the FIFA

Congress adopted a com-

game. During this year's

tournament, the organiza-

tion announced programs to

develop women for leader-

ship positions, as well as a

scholarship program to train

"We feel there's a huge

football, and women in foot-

sport. We have already seen

tremendous success from a

television viewership point

of view, to social media and

Still. work remains. An

dent last year at the regional

CONCACAF championship, a

tournament which served as

qualifying for the World Cup.

Trinidad and Tobago's

national team arrived in the

United States for the event

with just \$500 collectively

and no equipment. Volunteer

coach Randy Waldrum, also

example of the lack of sup-

overall media coverage."

prehensive list of principles

for developing the women's

ment programs.

female coaches.

nations go to development

on the women's side. FIFA

preparation for the American Century Championship in Lake Tahoe in mid-July.

enough," said Smoltz, who's

working on his golf game in

You can't blame them. It looks sexy, it feels good, and we fall in love with it. But these guys are not given the proper time to figure out what kind of pitcher they are," he said. "We learned how to pitch."

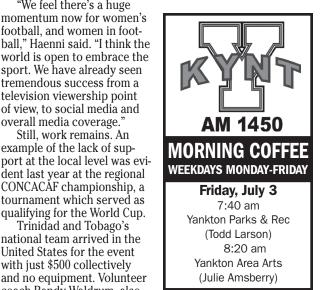
Andrews sees a number of professional pitchers with an increased rate of injury, and most had some type of elbow injury when they were playing youth sports.

coach of the NWSL's Houston Dash, sent out an urgent plea for help via Twitter. Money came pouring in.

Already Cameroon is benefiting in one way from the exposure that nation received at the World Cup.

Ranked No. 53 in the world, Cameroon made its World Cup debut in Canada and pushed through to the round of 16. While the federation support may not be there, coach Enow Ngachu said there's increased interest — a direct result of the team's success.

'We have the talented players. The problem African nations face is preparation," he said, adding that he's hopeful: "The day we are prepared well an African nation will be able to win the World Cup."



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reach their best performance While some lopsided re-

will help the game as a whole.

That these teams realized what the level (of play) is at a FIFA World Cup, and that there is a gap between the top teams and where they are, they need to make sure they have better leagues, better player development, better national team plans with more games and programs in place to close that gap," she

While FIFA has been critiat the arena threw me out the

the last decade to grow the sport.

Since 2004, FIFA has de-