My favorite team growing up, the team I saw in person at least twice a season, needs to be gutted and rebuilt. The Twins' organization needs to clean house and re-evaluate which coaches stay and which need to go. (And yes, I'm of the belief that manager Ron Gardenhire needs to go, if nothing else, but for a new direction. Seriously, in this world of what-have-you-done-for-me-lately, what has he done?).

Let's face facts, the team is going nowhere again this season. And they're getting there fast

As I sit here typing this on Friday night (and the Twins' game at Cleveland not yet over), Minnesota ranks 13th in the American League in team hitting. That's second to last. And the team is 14th, dead last, in team ERA. Pitching has been an increasing source of frustation for Twins fans, even those like me who only watch the

occasional game on the sports TV at work. Friday night's starter, Carl Pavano, was once again shelled and forced out of the game early. Pavano, the veteran on the pitching staff, has now allowed 12 earned runs in his last two outings — eight innings total. And the sad thing is, he is making \$9 million this season, so there's really nothing the team can do outside of potentially moving him to the bullpen. But is that the right move?

Contrary to what you would hear on Fox Sports North, no, the Twins are not all roses and rainbows right now. The fact of the matter is this team needs to be gutted, top to bottom, and rebuilt.

Who is accountable for the mess? That's up for debate, but someone, or a few, need to be let go.

Bon Homme Scramble June 3 TYNDALL — The Bon Homme Golf Course near Tyn-

dall will host a 1-person scramble on Sunday, June 3, starting a 9 a.m. More information, call 605-589-3186.

Gym Rat Camp June 5-6

The annual Yankton Gym Rat basketball camp will be held June 5-6 in the north gym of Yankton Middle School. The camp is open to players entering grades 1-6 in the 2012-13 school year. Sessions for grades 1-3 are from 8:30-9:45 a.m., with sessions for grades 4-6 from 9:45-11

There is a charge for participation, which includes a tshirt. Registration deadline is June 2. For more information, contact Doug Pesicka at 665-2019 or 661-1441.

Optimist Club Youth Golf Tourney June 4 The Yankton Morning Optimist Club will hold a Youth

Golf Tournament, free to all area youth, on Monday, June 4, starting at 9 a.m. at Fox Run Golf Course. Area boys and girls ages 7-18 may play. Champions in each age group are eligible to compete in the Optimist District Tournament, to be held later in June in

Golfers may sign up no later than Friday, June 1 by calling Lisa Berry at 660-3333 or Dave Becker at 664-

Lakeview Ladies Golf Tourney June 4

CROFTON, Neb. - The Crofton Lakeview Ladies Golf Tournament will be held Monday, June 4, at 5:45 p.m. The 2-person, 9-hole scramble has a pre-registration

date of Saturday, June 2. Registration will be held 5-5:45 p.m. the day of the tournament

For more information or to register, call Lakeview Golf Course in Crofton at 402-388-4552.

Yankton Lions Club Golf Invite

The second annual Yankton Lions Club Golf Invitational will be held Saturday, June 9 at Fox Run Golf Course, starting at 1 p.m.

The tournament is a 4-person scramble, with a lunch provided.

For tee times and entry fees, call 668-5205.

Bucks Youth Basketball Camps Coming Up

Coach Chris Haynes and the Yankton High School boys' basketball coaching staff will run youth camps in June and July. The camps will be held at Yankton City Hall and are open to girls and boys entering grades 3-8.

The first set of camps will run June 4-29. Sessions for grades 3-4 will be on Wednesdays from 10-11 a.m. each day. Sessions for grades 5-6 will run Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10-11 a.m. Sessions for grades 7-8 will run Mon-

Kansas City

Los Angeles

Thursday's Game Detroit 7, Boston 3

(Floyd 4-5), 3:10 p.m.

son 6-4), 9:05 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

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Friday's Games Cleveland 7, Minnesota 1

N.Y. Yankees 9. Detroit 4

Kansas City 2, Oakland 0

Chicago White Sox 7, Seattle 4

Texas at L.A. Angels, 10:05 p.m.

Saturday's Games Boston (Doubront 5-2) at Toronto (Drabek 4-

5), 12:07 p.m. Oakland (McCarthy 3-3) at Kansas City

(Hochevar 3-5), 1:10 p.m.
Baltimore (Matusz 4-5) at Tampa Bay (Hellickson 4-1), 3:10 p.m.
Seattle (Noesi 2-6) at Chicago White Sox

Minnesota (Walters 2-1) at Cleveland (Tom-

lin 2-2), 6:15 p.m. N.Y. Yankees (Kuroda 4-6) at Detroit (Por-

cello 3-4), 6:15 p.m. Texas (Darvish 7-2) at L.A. Angels (C.Wil-

Sunday's Games N.Y. Yankees at Detroit, 12:05 p.m.

Texas at L.A. Angels, 2:35 p.m.

Boston at Toronto, 12:07 p.m. Baltimore at Tampa Bay, 12:40 p.m.

Oakland at Kansas City, 1:10 p.m.
Seattle at Chicago White Sox, 1:10 p.m.
Minnesota at Cleveland, 2:05 p.m.

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a.m. each day. Sessions for grades 5-6 will run Tuesdays

days and Wednesdays from 9-10 a.m. each day. The second set of camps will run July 9-Aug. 2. Sessions for grades 3-4 will be on Wednesdays from 10-11 and Thursdays from 10-11 a.m. each day. Sessions for grades 7-8 will run Mondays and Wednesdays from 9-10 a.m. each day.

There is a cost for the camp. See the Summit Activities
Center Summer Brochure for more information or contact Coach Chris Haynes at chaynes@ysd.k12.sd.us.

JDRF Golf Outing June 10

The second annual Junior Diabetes Research Foundation Golf Outing will be held Sunday, June 10, at Fox Run Golf Course.

Tee times start at noon, with four-person best ball teams starting every 15 minutes after that.

The cost of the event includes green fees and cart rental. A meal will follow the event.

To register a team, call 605-665-3412. If you need any info, call or email to abbink@gwtc.net.

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Vikings Sign 1st Round Pick Harrison Smith

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EDEN PRAIRIE, Minn. (AP) — The Minnesota Vikings have signed first-round draft choice Harrison Smith to a four-year deal.

The Vikings announced the signing on Friday without disclosing terms. They now have eight of their 10 draft choices under contract almost two months before training camp.

The Vikings traded back into the first round to grab the safety out of Notre Dame with the 29th overall pick. Smith is expected to challenge for a starting spot in Minnesota's inexperienced secondary.

First-round pick Matt Kalil and third-rounder Josh Robinson are the only remaining draft picks who have yet to sign a contract. Both have been participating in voluntary practices this week.

SCOREBOARD

BASEBALL LEWIS & CLARK LEGION WOOD BAT

CLASSIC June 1-3 at Yankton, Vermillion and Crofton

Friday, June 1

At Riverside Field, Yankton
Yankton 4, South Sioux City 3

Brookings 1, South Sioux City 0

Brookings 10, Dell Rapids 5

Spearlish 1, Dell Rapids 0

Yankton 1. Spearfish 0 At Prentis Park, Vermillion S.F. West 5, Vermillion 3 S.F. West 4, Brandon Valley 3 Brandon Valley 3, Aberdeen 2

Blair 15, Aberdeen 13 Blair vs. Vermillion, 7:30 p.m. At Crofton Baseball Park S.F. Post 307 11, Crofton 2 S.F. Post 307 8, Norfolk 0, 5 innings Mitchell 10 Norfolk 1

Saturday, June 2

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At Riverside Field, Yankton
Brookings vs. Yankton, 10:30 a.m.
Brookings vs. Spearfish, 12:45 p.m.
South Sioux City vs. Dell Rapids, 3 p.m.
Spearfish vs. South Sioux City, 5:15 p.m. Dell Rapids vs. Yankton, 7:30 p.m. At Prentis Park, Vermillion Aberdeen vs. Vermillion, 10:30 a.m. Aberdeen vs. S.F. West, 12:45 p.m. S.F. West vs. Blair, 3 p.m. Blair vs. Brandon Valley, 5:15 p.m.

Brandon Valley vs. Vermillion, 7:30 p.m. At Crofton Baseball Park Crofton vs. Norfolk, 10:30 a.m. Norfolk vs. Sturgis, 12:45 p.m. Sturgis vs. S.F. Post 307, 3 p.m. S.F. Post 307 vs. Mitchll. 5:15 p.m.

Mitchell vs. Crofton, 7:30 p.m. Sunday, June 3 At Prentis Park, Vermillion SEMIFINAL: Yankton Pool Champ vs. Wild

SEMIFINAL: Vermillion Pool Champ vs. Crofton Pool Champ, 1:15 p.m.
CHAMPIONSHIP: Semifinal winners, 3:30

NCAA DIVISION I REGIONALS At Davenport Field, Charlottesville, Va.

Friday, June 1 Game 1 — Virginia (38-17-1) vs. Army (41-13), ppd., rain
Game 2 — Oklahoma (38-22) vs. Appalachian State (39-16), ppd., rain

Saturday, June 2 Game 1 — Virginia (38-17-1) vs. Army (41-13), noon Game 2 — Oklahoma (38-22) vs. Appalachian State (39-16), 5 p.m Sunday, June 3
Game 3 — Game 1 loser vs. Game 2 loser,

Game 4 — Game 1 winner vs. Game 2 winner, 2 p.m. Game 5 — Game 3 winner vs. Game 4

loser, 6 p.m. At Boshamer Stadium, Chapel Hill, N.C.

Friday, June 1 St. John's 11, East Carolina 3 North Carolina 7, Cornell 4 Saturday, June 2

Game 3 — East Carolina (35-23-1) vs. Cor-Game 4 — St. John's (38-21) vs. North Carolina (45-14), 5 p.m

Sunday, June 3
Game 5 — Game 3 winner vs. Game 4 loser, noon Game 6 — Game 4 winner vs. Game 5 win-

At Dail Park, Raleigh, N.C. Friday, June 1 Vanderbilt 8, UNC Wilmington 2 Game 2 - N.C. State (39-17) vs. Sacred

Heart (25-30), 7 p.m. Saturday, June 2
Game 3 — UNC Wilmington (38-22) vs. Game 2 loser, 1 p.m. Game 4 — Vanderbilt (34-26) vs. Game 2

Sunday, June 3 Game 5 — Game 3 winner vs. Game 4 loser, noon Game 6 — Game 4 winner vs. Game 5 win-

At Carolina Stadium, Columbia, S.C. Friday, June 1 Clemson 11, Coastal Carolina 3 South Carolina 7. Manhattan 0

Saturday, June 2 Game 3 — Coastal Carolina (41-18) vs. Manhattan (33-26), 11 a.m. Game 4 — Clemson (34-26) vs. South Carolina (41-17) 3 p.m.

Sunday, June 3 Game 5 — Game 3 winner vs. Game 4 loser, 11 a.m. Game 6 — Game 4 winner vs. Game 5 winner. 3 p.m.

At Dick Howser Stadium, Tallahassee, Fla. Friday, June 1 Samford 5, Mississippi State 0 Florida State 2, UAB 1

Saturday, June 2
Game 3 — Mississippi State (39-23) vs. UAB (32-29), 11 a.m.
Game 4 — Samford (40-21) vs. Florida
State (44-15), 6 p.m.

Sunday, June 3
Game 5 — Game 3 winner vs. Game 4 loser, 11 a.m.
Game 6 — Game 4 winner vs. Game 5 winner. 5 p.m.

At McKethan Stadium, Gainesville, Fla. Friday, June 1 Georgia Tech 8, College of Charleston 4 Game 2 — Florida (42-18) vs. Bethune-Cookman (34-25), 7 p.m.

Saturday, June 2
Game 3 — College of Charleston (37-21) Game 4 — Georgia Tech (37-24) vs. Game 2 winner, 6 p.m.

Sunday, June 3
Game 5 — Game 3 winner vs. Game 4 Game 6 — Game 4 winner vs. Game 5 winner. 3 p.m.

At Mark Light Stadium, Coral Gables, Fla. Friday, June 1 UCF 2, Missouri State 1 Game 2 — Miami (36-21) vs. Stony Brook (46-11), 7 p.m.

Saturday, June 2 Game 3 — Missouri State (30-21) vs. Game Game 4 — UCF (44-15) vs. Game 2 winner,

Sunday, June 3 Game 5 — Game 3 winner vs. Game 4 loser, 1 p.m. me 6 — Game 4 winner vs. Game 5 win-

At US Steel Yard, Garv, Ind. Friday, June 1 Game 1 — Kentucky (43-16) vs. Kent State (41-17), 4 p.m. Game 2 — Purdue (44-12) vs. Valparaiso

(35-23), 8 p.m. Saturday, June 2 Game 3 — Game 1 loser vs. Game 2 loser, Game 4 — Game 1 winner vs. Game 2 winner, 7 p.m.

Sunday, June 3
Game 5 — Game 3 winner vs. Game 4 loser, 3 p.m. Game 6 — Game 4 winner vs. Game 5 win-

At Alex Box Stadium, Baton Rouge, La. Friday, June 1
Oregon State 2, Belmont 1
Game 2 — LSU (43-16) vs. Louisiana-Monroe (31-28), 8 p.m.

Saturday, June 2
Game 3 — Belmont (39-23) vs. Game 2 loser, 2 p.m. Game 4 — Oregon State (39-18) vs. Game 2 winner, 7 p.m.

Sunday, June 3 Game 5 — Game 3 winner vs. Game 4 loser, 1 p.m.
Game 6 — Game 4 winner vs. Game 5 winner, 6:30 p.m.

At Reckling Park, Houston Friday, June 1 Arkansas 5, Sam Houston State 4 Rice 3, Prairie View 2

Saturday, June 2 Game 3 — Sam Houston State (38-21) vs. Prairie View (28-24), 1 p.m. Game 4 — Arkansas (40-19) vs. Rice (41-

Sunday, June 3
Game 5 — Game 3 winner vs. Game 4 loser, 1 p.m. me 6 — Game 4 winner vs. Game 5 win-

At Baylor Ballpark, Waco, Texas Friday, June 1 Dallas Baptist 10, Texas-Arlington 0 Game 2 — Baylor (44-14) vs. Oral Roberts Saturday, June 2 Game 3 — Texas-Arlington (36-24) vs.

Game 2 loser, 2 p.m. Game 4 — Dallas Baptist (40-17) vs. Game Sunday, June 3
Game 5 — Game 3 winner vs. Game 4 loser, 2 p.m.

Friday, June 1 Mississippi 6, TCU 2

12:35 p.m.

Game 6 — Game 4 winner vs. Game 5 win-At Olsen Field, College Station, Texas Game 2 — Texas A&M (42-16) vs. Dayton (31-28), 7:35 p.m. Saturday, June 2 Game 3 — TCU (36-20) vs. Game 2 loser, Baltimore New York Game 4 — Mississippi (36-24) vs. Game 2

loser, 12:35 p.m. Game 6 — Game 4 winner vs. Game 5 winner. 6:35 p.m.

At PK Park, Eugene, Ore. Friday, June 1 Cal State Fullerton 9, Indiana State 5 Game 2 — Oregon (42-17) vs. Austin Peay (38-22), 9 p.m.

Saturday, June 2 Game 3 — Indiana State (41-18) vs. Game 2 loser, 4 p.m. Game 4 — Cal State Fullerton (36-19) vs. Sunday, June 3 ${\rm Game} \ 5 \ {\rm ---} \ {\rm Game} \ 3 \ {\rm winner} \ {\rm vs.} \ {\rm Game} \ 4$

loser, 2 p.m. Game 6 — Game 4 winner vs. Game 5 winner. 6 p.m. At Sunken Diamond, Stanford, Calif.

Friday, June 1 Pepperdine 6, Michigan State 2 Game 2 - Stanford (38-16) vs. Fresno State (30-26), 9 p.m. Saturday, June 2
Game 3 — Michigan State (37-22) vs. Game 2 loser, 3 p.m.

winner, 8 p.m. Sunday, June 3 Game 5 — Game 3 winner vs. Game 4 loser, 3 p.m. Game 6 — Game 4 winner vs. Game 5 win-

Game 4 — Pepperdine (35-21) vs. Game 2

At Jackie Robinson Stadium, Los Angeles Friday, June 1
Game 1 — San Diego (40-15) vs. New Mexico (36-22), 5 p.m. Game 2 — UCLA (42-14) vs. Creighton (26-

Saturday, June 2 Game 3 — Game 1 loser vs. Game 2 loser, 5 p.m. Game 4 - Game 1 winner vs. Game 2 win-

Sunday, June 3 Game 5 — Game 3 winner vs. Game 4 loser, 5 p.m. Game 6 - Game 4 winner vs. Game 5 win-At Hi Corbett Field, Tucson, Ariz.

Friday, June 1 Game 1 — New Mexico State (35-22) vs. Louisville (39-20), 6 p.m. Game 2 — Arizona (38-17) vs. Missouri (32-Saturday, June 2
Game 3 — Game 1 loser vs. Game 2 loser,

Game 4 - Game 1 winner vs. Game 2 win-Sunday, June 3 Game 5 — Game 3 winner vs. Game 4

loser, 6 p.m. Game 6 — Game 4 winner vs. Game 5 win-AMERICAN LEAGUE

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AREA CALENDAR

Let's Face It, The Twins Need To Make Some Tough Choices Right Now

Saturday, June 2
BASEBALL, LEGION Lewis & Clark Wooden Bat Classic

(At Yankton — Brookings vs. Yankton, 10:30 a.m.; Brookings vs. Spearfish, 12:45 p.m.; South Sioux City vs. Dell Rapids, 3 p.m.; Spearfish vs. South Sioux City, 5:15 p.m.; Dell Rapids vs. p.m.; Spearfish vs. South Sloux City, 5:15 p.m.; Dell Rapids vs. Yankton, 7:30 p.m.; At Vermillion — Aberdeen vs. Vermillion, 10:30 a.m.; Aberdeen vs. S.F. West, 12:45 p.m.; S.F. West vs. Blair, 3 p.m.; Blair vs. Brandon Valley, 5:15 p.m.; Brandon Val Levy vs. Vermillion, 7:30 p.m.; At Corfono — Crofton vs. Norfolk, 10:30 a.m.; Norfolk vs. Sturgis, 12:45 p.m.; Sturgis vs. S.F. Post 307, 3 p.m.; S.F. Post 307 vs. Mitchil, 5:15 p.m.; Mitchell vs. Certhon, 7:30 p.m.; Mitchell vs.

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BASEBALL, VFW TEENER Yankton Black Sox at Ab-

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Thursday's Games Colorado 11, Houston 5

Milwaukee 6, L.A. Dodgers 2

Friday's Games
Atlanta at Washington, ppd., rain
Miama at Philadelphia, 7:05 p.m.

Pittsburgh at Milwaukee, 8:10 p.m. L.A. Dodgers at Colorado, 8:40 p.m.

N.Y. Mets 8, St. Louis 0 Cincinnati 4, Houston 1

zalez 7-1), 3:05 p.m.

driguez 4-4), 6:15 p.m.

NBA PLAYOFFS

Antonio leads series 2-0

Wednesday, May 30 Boston at Miami, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, May 31 San Antonio at Oklahoma City, 8 p.m.

Sunday's Games Atlanta at Washington, 12:35 p.m.

Miami at Philadelphia, 12:35 p.m. Cincinnati at Houston, 1:05 p.m.

Pittsburgh at Milwaukee, 1:10 p.m

L.A. Dodgers at Colorado, 2:10 p.m.

Chicago Cubs at San Francisco, 3:05 p.m. Arizona at San Diego, 5:35 p.m. St. Louis at N.Y. Mets, 7:10 p.m.

BASKETBALL

CONFERENCE FINALS

Monday, May 28 Miami 93, Boston 79, Miami leads series 1-

Tuesday, May 29 San Antonio 120, Oklahoma City 111, San

Arizona

erdeen (DH, 1 p.m.); Mitchell Tourn. (Yankton Lakers, Yankton Reds)

FOOTBALL, SEMI-PRO Capitol City at Dakota Warriors .m., KVTK-AM)
SOFTBALL, GIRLS' Dirt Devil Inv. at Wayne (Yankton Vellowiackets, Yankton Vellowiackets, Yankton Spitfire, Yankton Lightning, Yankton Yellowjackets, Yankton Xtreme, Yankton Shamrocks)

Sunday, June 3

BASEBALL, AMATEUR Avon at Wynot, Irene at Yankton, sterville at Crofton, Scotland at Freeman, Tabor at Menno, million Grey Sox at Renner Oldtimers

BASEBALL, LEGION Lewis & Clark Wooden Bat Classic

at Vermillion (Semifinals - Yankton Pool Champ vs. Wild Card

GB

11 a.m.; Vermillion Pool Champ vs. Crofton Pool Champ, 1:15 n.; Championship — Semifinal winners, 3:30 p.m.)

BASEBALL, VFW TEENER Mitchell Tourn. (Yankton Lak-

SOFTBALL, GIRLS' Dirt Devil Inv. at Wayne (Yankton Spitfire, Yankton Lightning, Yankton Yellowjackets, Yankton Xtreme, Yankton Shamrocks)

Monday, June 4
BASEBALL, LEGION Yankton at Pierre (DH, 5:30 p.m.)
BASEBALL, VFW TEENER Mitchell at Yankton Black Sox

Sunday, June 3 Miami at Boston, 7:30 p.m. HOCKEY STANLEY CUP FINALS

Wednesday, May 30 Los Angeles 2, New Jersey 1, OT, Los Angeles leads series 1-0 Saturday, June 2 Los Angeles at New Jersey, 7 p.m.

Monday, June 4 New Jersey at Los Angeles, 7 p.m. Wednesday, June 6 New Jersey at Los Angeles, 7 p.m. Saturday, June 9 x-Los Angeles at New Jersey, 7 p.m.

Saturday's Games Atlanta (Beachy 5-3) at Washington (G.Gon-Monday, June 11 x-New Jersey at Los Angeles, 7 p.m. Miami (Nolasco 5-3) at Philadelphia Wednesday, June 13 x-Los Angeles at New Jersey, 7 p.m. (Nicasio 2-2), 3:10 p.m.

L.A. Dodgers (Harang 3-3) at Colorado (Nicasio 2-2), 3:10 p.m.

and treatment program.

TRANSACTIONS St. Louis (Lynn 8-1) at N.Y. Mets (Dickey 7-BASEBALL Pittsburgh (Bedard 3-5) at Milwaukee (Marn 3-3), 6:10 p.m. Major League Baseball
MLB—Suspended retired RHP James
Ehlert 50 games after a second violation of drug Arizona (D.Hudson 1-1) at San Diego (Volquez 2-5), 6:15 p.m. abuse under the minor league drug prevention

Chicago Cubs (Garza 2-3) at San Francisco (M.Cain 5-2), 6:15 p.m. Cincinnati (Latos 4-2) at Houston (W.Ro-American League
BALTIMORE ORIOLES—Placed OF Nick
Markakis on the 15-day DL, retroactive to May
30. Selected the contract of INF-OF Bill Hall from BOSTON RED SOX—Assigned RHP Mark

Prior to Pawtucket (IL).

KANSAS CITY ROYALS—Activated INF
Yuniesky Betancourt from the 15-day DL. Optioned INF Irving Falu to Omaha.

OAKLAND ATHLETICS—Reinstated OF Yoenis Cespedes from the 15-day DL. SEATTLE MARINERS—Selected the contract of RHP Stephen Pryor from Tacoma (PCL).

Transferred LHP George Sherrill to the 60-day TORONTO BLUE JAYS—Assigned OF-DH Vladimir Guerrero to Las Vegas (PCL). National League
ARIZONA DIAMONDBACKS—Reinstated

OF Jason Kubel from paternity leave. Optioned OF A.J. Pollock to Reno (PCL). CHICAGO CUBS—Claimed RHP Jairo Asencio off waivers from Cleveland. Designated

RHP Michael Bowden for assignment.

NEW YORK METS—Activated C Josh Thole from the 15-day DL. Selected the contract of RHP Elvin Ramirez from Buffalo (IL). Designation nated RHP Chris Schwinden for assignment.

San Antonio at Oklahoma City, 7:30 p.m. PITTSBURGH PIRATES-Activated RHP an Cruz from the restricted list. Placed RHP arlie Morton on the 15-day DL, retroactive to May 30.
ST. LOUIS CARDINALS—Placed INF-OF

Skip Schumaker on the 15-day DL, retroactive to May 31. Activated INF-OF Allen Craig from the 15-day DL. Recalled LHP Sam Freeman from Memphis (PCL).
SAN DIEGO PADRES—Recalled C Yas-

mani Grandal from Tucson (PCL). Designated RHP Jeff Suppan for assignment. WASHINGTON NATIONALS—Reinstated OF Michael Morse from the 15-day DL. Optioned Corey Brown to Syracuse (IL). FOOTBALL National Football League GREEN BAY PACKERS—Claimed S Micah Pellerin off waivers from Indianapolis. Waived

INDIANAPOLIS COLTS-Signed WR T.Y. Hilton.
MINNESOTA VIKINGS—Signed DB Harri

son Smith.

NEW YORK JETS—Signed LB Demario Davis to a four-year contract HOCKEY National Hockey League BOSTON BRUINS—Signed F Daniel Paille to a three-year contract and F Chris Bourque to

a two-vear contract. CAROLINA HURRICANES—Agreed to terms with D Justin Krueger on a one-year contract and C Brody Sutter on a three-year entry-

level contract. CHICAGO BLACKHAWKS—Agreed to NASHVILLE PREDATORS—Signed F

Daniel Beng to one-year contract.

NEW YORK RANGERS—Agreed to terms F Oscar Lindberg.
ST. LOUIS BLUES—Signed F Ty Rattie. COLLEGE ALABAMA—Named Paul Gonnella director

layer personnel for football. BROWN—Named Mike Martin men's bascoach.

CLEMSON—Named Steve Smith men's assistant basketball coach. COKER—Names Vic Finora men's and

nen's cross country coach.

COLLEGE OF CHARLESTON—Named Jordan Mincy men's assistant basketball coach. HOUSTON-Named Chris Pfau women's

MEMPHIS—Named David "Aki" Collins n's assistant basketball coach.

NEW MEXICO—Named Diego Baca strength and conditioning coach for men's bas-

Wood Bat

For Norfolk, Neal Winter sin-

gled twice and was also the los-

ing pitcher.

past Sturgis 2-1.

Mitchell 2, Sturgis 1 CROFTON, Neb. — Kirby Fuerst allowed three hits in seven innings to pitch Mitchell

Derek Miller singled twice in Sturgis got a pair of doubles from Jeff Cihak. Dillon Gochner

Sturgis 6, Crofton 2 CROFTON, Neb. — Sturgis re-

was the losing pitcher.

beat the hometown team 6-2 in Friday's final game. David Reinhordt was the winning pitcher for Sturgis. In the loss for Crofton, Bran-

don Hegge and Austin Woockman

bounded from an earlier loss to

both singled twice. Eric Kleinschmit took the loss. **Yankton Pool** Yankton 4,

South Sioux City 3 Alex Wagner's infield fielders choice scored Sam Wendte with the winning run in the bottom of the sixth as Yankton Post 12 beat South Sioux City 4-3 in Friday's opening game at Riverside Field.

Zach Benjamin, Mitch Gullikson, Lane Sawatzke, Chris Kanaly, Wendte and Wagner all

nings for South Sioux City.

on this game.

Kyle Krogman was 3-4 and Brookings scored six runs in the

scored three runs. Matt Pejsa pitched into the

fourth inning and got the win. For Dell Rapids, Colin Carst, Weston Hanson and Matt Colbeck all had two hits. Michael Schmidt pitched six innings and

Drew Dutton struck out 12 in seven shutout innings and drove in the winning run to lead Spearfish past Dell Rapids 1-0 on

of the seventh with a walk, was advanced to second on a bunt and came around on the Dutton single.

For Dell Rapids, Nick Welbig, Weston Hanson and Michael Schmidt all had one hit. Colin

Sunday, June 3 Game 5 — Game 3 winner vs. Game 4 had hits for Yankton. Mike Janish

got the win in relief of Tanner Termansen. Brian Kahler pitched six in-

Brookings 1,

No information was provided

Brookings 10, Dell Rapids 5

first inning on the way to a 10-5 win over Dell Rapids. Krogman and Garrett Gerstner both drove in two runs, and Matt Thomas and Cody Shepardson

Spearfish 1, Dell Rapids 0

Friday evening.
Jay Darling led off the bottom

South Sioux City 0

each had two hits. Landon Busch

took the loss.

Brandon Kemp, Ryan Hamilton and Dutton had hits for



South Sioux City third baseman Keaton Comstock, left, tags out Yankton Post 12 runner Lane Sawatzke during their game Friday morning at the

nings to get the tough-luck loss. Yankton 1, Spearfish 0

Lewis & Clark Wooden Bat Classic at Riverside Field.

Zach Benjamin and Mike Janish combined on a 2-hit shutout as Yankton Post 12 moved to 2-0 on the day with the victory Friday night at Riverside Field. The only run of the game came in the bottom of the first

when a throwing error to third

base allowed Ethan Schroeder to

Karst struck out seven in 6 1/3 in-

scamper home. Mitch Gullikson, Sam Wendte, Noah Hummel and Schroeder had hits for Yankton. Benjamin pitched the first six innings, allowing just two hits, and Janish picked up the save with a scoreless seventh.

For Spearfish, Mason Kaifors

and Ryan Hamilton didn't allow an earned run in six innings on the mound.

and George Vandine were 1-3,

Vermillion Pool S.F. West 5, Vermillion 3

VERMILLIÓN — Damon Baruth had two hits and three RBI to lead Sioux Falls West past hometown Vermillion 5-3 in Friday morning's first game at Prentis Park.

scored two runs in the third and fourth innings. In the loss for Vermillion, Caleb Miller had two hits, while Jayce Huska and Tanner Anderson each drove in a run. Nate

West, which also got two hits

from Christian Rasmussen. West

Friday, June 1 Miami at Boston, 7:30 p.m. Optioned C Rob Johnson to Buffalo.

Garrett took the loss. **S.F.** West 4,

nings for the win.

ner got the loss.

Brandon Valley 3 VERMILLION — Austin Smith had two hits and Nick Mimmack drove in two runs for West in a 4-3 win Friday over Brandon Valley.

Conner Grove pitched six in-

Each team scored two runs in their half of the ninth inning. Dylan Rock had two RBI for Brandon Valley and Tommy Gard-

Brandon Valley 3, Aberdeen 2 VERMILLION — Jacob Adams drove in the game-winning run on a sacrifice fly in the fifth inning to send Brandon Valley past

Aberdeen 3-2 on Friday after-

Jared Mulder pitched a complete game for the win. Brandon Valley overcame five errors. For Aberdeen, Josh Andal had

one hit and an RBI, while Riley

Swenson took the loss.

Sam Rall had two hits and

Blair 15, Aberdeen 13 VERMILLION — In a wild

game that ended because of time limit, Blair (Neb.) jumped ahead early and held off Aberdeen 15-13 on Friday evening at Prentis Blair led 10-1 midway through

the second inning, only to see

Aberdeen jump ahead 12-10 in

the fifth inning. Blair then re-

sponded with five runs in the top of the sixth, keyed by a 3-run homer from Shawn Shanahan. Shanahan had two hits and five RBI in the win, while Dean Appel added a pair of hits and four RBI. Brodie Wakefield got

the win in relief. For Aberdeen, Riley Swenson had two hits and four RBI and Dalton Cox chipped in with two hits and three RBI. Zach Rierson got the loss in relief of starter Carter Paulson.

Vermillion Vs. Blair The final game Friday night at Prentis Park was not reported by press time.

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