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



Tonight A Fitting Farewell For A Lancer Legend

Bob Tereshinski has not set foot in the Riverside Field home dugout since 1999, but his presence can still be felt there, not only in Mount Marty College baseball, but in Yankton baseball as well. And tonight (Friday), fans of both can bid a proper "happy retirement" to the architect of baseball in Yankton.

Tereshinski, who spent time as an assistant coach at his alma mater of Yankton College, first served as head coach of the Yankton Post 12 American Legion program in 1984 and 1985, then began his MMC stint in 1988, compiling a 331-159 record. Both of the head coaches MMC has had since, Kelly Heller and Andy Bernatow, played for Tereshinski at MMC.

The Yankton baseball program has also had a run of coaches who either played for Tereshinski directly or was coached by one of his proteges: Bernatow was followed by Cliff Kephart, Robb McClemons and now Trey Krier, all of which played at MMC. Several of Yankton's other baseball coaches also play

or have played at MMC.

During that time, two themes could be used to describe Tereshinski as a coach: 1) no one wanted to win more than he did, and 2) he cared about his players on and off the field. Both of those traits can be seen in the current coaches he mentored, and those who they mentored. Tereshinski recruited players that were like him as both a player — he played minor league baseball in the Phillies organization — and as a coach: omercy and tough on the field, not a bad person to be around off it.

That is why you will see a ton of MMC alumni converge on Riverside Field tonight, some of which are coming to Yankton from long distances. Tereshinski's determination and loyalty rubbed off on them, and many former Lancer players have been successful in life because of it. This will be their chance to say, "thank you."

Hopefully the rest of the Yankton baseball community will also stop by to say "thank you," because his impact is still being felt on the Yankton baseball scene, more than a decade after his retirement from coaching.

Game time is a little after 7 p.m. Gates open at 6:30 p.m.

USD's Sanders Out For Season

VERMILION — Jasper Sanders, the projected starting running back for the University of South Dakota football team this fall, underwent surgery Thursday to repair a dislocated bone in his wrist, he said.

A 5-foot-10 transfer from Butler Community College (Kan.), Sanders said he is likely to be out eight weeks and will then rehab the injury. By that timeline, he would likely miss the first month of the season.

Projected to be the top tailback this fall, Sanders recorded 81 carries for 297 yards and three touchdowns last season behind then-senior Marcus Sims.

In the spring game in April, Sanders led the team with 41 yards on six carries.

Three Area Wrestlers Competing At National Duals

OKLAHOMA CITY — Three area wrestlers are representing South Dakota at the 2013 USAW Junior National Dual Championships, which are being held in Oklahoma City, Okla.

Members of the South Dakota Blue team include Bon

Homme's Duncan Stoebner (106 pounds), Vermillion's Regan Bye (152) and Vermillion's Brett Bye (160).

In greco action so far in the tournament, Stoebner went 5-2, while Regan Bye was 3-1 and Brett Bye went 4-1.

Earlier in dual action, South Dakota beat Michigan (38-26) and Texas (47-24) in the Red/Blue Pool, and then defeated Nebraska 44-24 for first place.

In Pool D action, South Dakota finished fifth.

The Championships continue today (Friday) and conclude Saturday in Oklahoma City.

USD's Larsen A Finalist At SD Mines

RAPID CITY — University of South Dakota assistant women's basketball coach Ryan Larsen is one of at least three candidates for the vacant head coaching position at South Dakota School of Mines.

Larsen, a Spearfish native, had a public press conference and interview with the Mines administration on Thursday, according to the Rapid City Journal.

Larsen has been with USD for five seasons, serving under former coach Ryan Williams, then in a brief interim phase and last season under coach Amy Williams.

The new Mines coach will replace Barb Felderman, whose

contract was not renewed after 32 years with the school.

USD and Mines will meet on the court Dec. 7 in Rapid City, as part of a women's and men's doubleheader. The Coyote men will play Wyoming.

Huskers Add Three Academic All-America Honors

LINCOLN, Neb. — The Nebraska track and field team continued its academic success on Thursday as three Huskers earned spots on the Capital One Academic All-America Men's and Women's Track and Field/Cross Country Teams. Senior Bjorn Barrefors led NU with his fourth honor, becoming Nebraska's only four-time academic All-American.

Barrefors was named a first-team honoree for the fourth straight year. On the women's side, seniors Mara Griva and Morgan Wilken became first-time honorees as they were both selected to the second team.

The men's team now has a total of 23 CoSIDA Academic All-Americans, including 18 since 2002 when the track and field/cross country team was created. The women's team has a total of 26. Nebraska's nation-leading total of CoSIDA Academic All-Americans has grown to 307 selections across all sports.

Wilken, a discus thrower and captain, also capped her Husker career with academic All-America accolades. She is a native of Crofton, Neb., and is a mathematics and math education major. A two-time All-American, she represented the Huskers in the discus at the 2013 Big Ten Outdoor Championships. She finished fourth in the event at the 2012 Big Ten Championships and went on to record an eighth-place finish at the 2012 NCAA Outdoor Championships. Wilken was named a second-team CoSIDA Academic All-District VII selection in 2011 and is a two-time academic All-Big Ten honoree.

Cuddyer Runs Hit Streak To Colorado Record 24 Games

DENVER (AP) — Colorado Rockies outfielder Michael Cuddyer has lined a single to center in the second inning against the New York Mets, extending his hitting streak to a franchise-record 24 games.

Cuddyer entered Thursday's game tied with Dante Bichette before breaking the team mark with a hit off starter Jeremy Hefner on a hot afternoon.

Cuddyer's hitting streak is the longest in the majors this season.

He has reached base in 43 straight games, also a team record. The previous mark was 41 set by Andres Galarrraga and matched by Todd Helton. Both of those, though, were over the course of two seasons.

Cuddyer has raised his season average to .346 during the streak. He is a .271 career hitter.

SCOREBOARD

BASKETBALL

2013 NBA DRAFT

June 27 At ABC Times Square Studio, New York

First Round

- 1. Cleveland, Anthony Bennett, F, UNLV
- 2. Orlando, Victor Oladipo, g, Indiana
- 3. Washington, Otto Porter, Jr., f, Georgetown
- 4. Charlotte, Cody Zeller, c, Indiana
- 5. Phoenix, Alex Len, c, Maryland
- 6. New Orleans, Nerlens Noel, c, Kentucky
- 7. Sacramento, Ben McLemore, g, Kansas
- 8. Detroit, Kentavious Caldwell-Pope, g, Georgia
- 9. b-Minnesota, Trey Burke, g, Michigan
- 10. Portland, C.J. McCollum, g, Lehigh
- 11. Philadelphia, Michael Carter-Williams, g, Syracuse
- 12. Oklahoma City (from Toronto via Houston), Steven Adams, c, Pittsburgh
- 13. c-Dallas, Kelly Olynyk, c, Gonzaga
- 14. b-Utah, Shabazz Muhammad, f, UCLA
- 15. Milwaukee, Giannis Antetokounbo, f, Filathitiko (Greece)
- 16. c-Boston, Lucas Riva Nogueira, c, Estudiantes (Spain)
- 17. Atlanta, Dennis Schroeder, g, New Yorker Phantoms (Germany)
- 18. Atlanta (from Houston via Brooklyn), Shane Larkin, g, Miami
- 19. Cleveland (from L.A. Lakers), Sergey Karasev, f, Triumph (Russia)
- 20. Chicago, Tony Snell, g, New Mexico
- 21. b-Utah (from Golden State via Brooklyn), Gorgui Dieng, c, Louisville
- 22. Brooklyn, Mason Plumlee, c, New Jersey
- 23. Indiana, Solomon Hill, f, Arizona
- 24. New York, Tim Hardaway, Jr., g, Michigan
- 25. L.A. Clippers, Reggie Bullock, f, North Carolina
- 26. a-Minnesota (from Memphis via Houston), Andre Roberson, f, Colorado
- 27. Denver, Rudy Gobert, c, Cholet (France)
- 28. San Antonio, Livio Jean-Charles, f, ASVEL (France)
- 29. e-Oklahoma City, Archie Goodwin, g, Kentucky
- 30. Phoenix (from Miami via L.A. Lakers and Cleveland), Nemanja Nedovic, g, Lietuvos Rytas (Lithuania)

Proposed Trades

- a-Minnesota and Philadelphia traded the rights to selected players.
- b-Minnesota and Utah traded the rights to selected players.
- c-Dallas and Boston traded the rights to selected players.
- d-Traded to Golden State for a future second-round pick.
- e-Traded the rights to Golden State for the rights to Andre Roberson, f, Colorado and a future second-round draft pick.

Second Round

- 31. Cleveland (from Orlando)
- 32. Oklahoma City (from Charlotte)
- 33. Cleveland
- 34. Houston (from Phoenix)
- 35. Philadelphia (from New Orleans)
- 36. Sacramento
- 37. Detroit
- 38. Washington
- 39. Portland (from Minnesota via Boston and Cleveland)
- 40. Portland
- 41. Memphis (from Toronto)
- 42. Philadelphia
- 43. Milwaukee
- 44. x-Dallas
- 45. Portland (from Boston)
- 46. Utah
- 47. Atlanta
- 48. v-L.A. Lakers
- 49. Chicago
- 50. Atlanta (from Houston)
- 51. Orlando (from Golden State Denver and New York)
- 52. Minnesota (from Brooklyn)
- 53. Indiana
- 54. Washington (from New York)
- 55. Memphis
- 56. Detroit (from L.A. Clippers)
- 57. Phoenix (from Denver via L.A. Lakers)
- 58. San Antonio
- 59. Minnesota (from Oklahoma City)
- 60. Memphis (from Miami)

BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Wednesday's Games

- Tampa Bay 0, Toronto 3
- Miami 5, Minnesota 3
- Oakland 5, Cincinnati 0
- Pittsburgh 4, Seattle 2
- Boston 5, Colorado 3
- Cleveland 4, Baltimore 3
- Texas 8, N.Y. Yankees 5
- Philadelphia 7, Detroit 4
- Kansas City 4, Atlanta 3, 10 innings
- N.Y. Mets 3, Chicago White Sox 0
- Houston 4, St. Louis 3

Thursday's Games

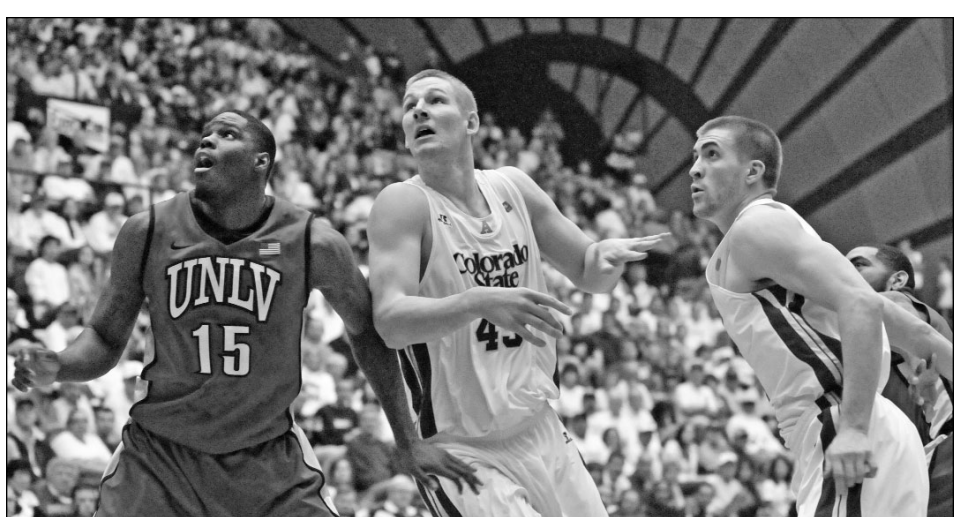
- Texas 2, N.Y. Yankees 0
- L.A. Angels 3, Detroit 1, 10 innings
- Baltimore 7, Cleveland 3
- Boston 7, Toronto 4
- Minnesota 3, Kansas City 1

Friday's Games

- Cleveland (Bauer 1-2) at Chicago
- White Sox (H.Santiago 3-5), 4:10 p.m., 1st game
- N.Y. Yankees (D.Phelps 5-4) at Baltimore (Gausman 0-3), 6:05 p.m.
- Detroit (Scherzer 11-0) at Tampa Bay (Colome 1-0), 6:10 p.m.
- Toronto (Jo.Johnson 1-2) at Boston (Webster 0-2), 6:10 p.m.
- Indiana (Cuelo 4-1) at Texas (M.Perez 1-1), 7:05 p.m.
- Kansas City (Shields 2-6) at Minnesota (Walters 2-3), 7:10 p.m.
- L.A. Angels (Williams 5-3) at Houston (B.Norris 5-7), 7:10 p.m.
- Cleveland (Carrasco 0-3) at Chicago White Sox (Quintana 3-2), 7:40 p.m., 2nd game
- St. Louis (S.Miller 8-5) at Oakland (Colon 10-2), 9:05 p.m.
- Chicago Cubs (T.Wood 5-6) at Seattle (wakuma 7-3), 9:10 p.m.

AREA CALENDAR

- Friday, June 28**
BASEBALL, AMATEUR Irene at Tabor (7:30 p.m., KVHT-FM)
BASEBALL, LEGION Yankton at Brandon Valley (6:30 p.m.), Beresford at Irene Area (6:30 p.m.)
- Saturday, June 29**
BASEBALL, LEGION Lennox Toum. (Irene Area)
BASEBALL, VFW TEENER Bob Tereshinski Classic at Yankton (Yankton Reds vs. Vermillion, 9 a.m.; Harrisburg vs. Vermillion, 10:45 a.m.; Mitchell vs. Harrisburg, 12:30 p.m.; S.C. Saders vs. Mitchell, 2:15 p.m.; S.F. Renegades vs. S.C. Saders, 4 p.m.; S.F. Post 307 vs. S.F. Renegades, 5:45 p.m.; S.F. Post 307 vs. Yankton Reds, 7:30 p.m.); Yankton Black Sox at Creighton (DH, 3:30 p.m.)
SOFTBALL, GIRLS' USSSA S.D. State Tour. at Sioux Falls (Yankton Spitfire, Yankton Lightning, Yankton Xtreme)



P&D FILE PHOTO

UNLV's Anthony Bennett, 15, battles Colorado State's Colton Iverson, 45, for a rebound during their matchup in Fort Collins, Colo., in January. Bennett was the top overall selection by Cleveland.

NBA Draft

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didn't seem upset at his fall down the draft board, hugging his mother and shaking hands with Kentucky coach John Calipari.

It was a good start to the night for the Hoosiers, with Cody Zeller going to the Charlotte Bobcats two places after Oladipo.

Kansas guard Ben McLemore, another player who was considered a potential top-three pick, also dropped, going seventh to Sacramento.

Headed by a lackluster class, the draft promised confusion and second-guessing, with no consensus No. 1 pick and little agreement among the order of the top five.

And with lesser-known names in the draft, veterans soaked up the spotlight in the hours leading up to it.

Hosting the draft at Barclays Center, the Brooklyn Nets made the biggest news. A

person with knowledge of the talks confirmed a Yahoo Sports report that the Nets and Celtics were working on a trade that would bring Paul Pierce and Kevin Garnett to Brooklyn.

ESPN reported earlier Thursday that Dwight Howard was unlikely to return to the Los Angeles Lakers when he becomes a free agent next month.

The guys coming into the league were glad for the attention they did finally get once their names were called.

"It's like a weight vest you took off after running five miles," Oladipo said. "It's relaxing, man. But at the same time, you know it's just getting started."

National player of the year Trey Burke of Michigan also was traded, the Minnesota Timberwolves sending his rights to Utah for the rights to Shabazz Muhammad and Gorgui Dieng, the Nos. 14 and 21 picks.

Lehigh's C.J. McCollum rounded out the top 10 by going to Portland.

Stern, retiring in February,

seemed to play up the boos, which turned to cheers after every pick, fans perhaps as puzzled as some of the players at the names they were hearing.

"I was just kidding my agent because he didn't bail me out," Zeller said. "He didn't tell me. I didn't know until David Stern announced it. It's a crazy process not knowing, but I'm definitely excited that I ended up with the Bobcats."

Other players couldn't get too excited about their new addresses, because they changed quickly.

Stern was announcing deals by the middle of the first round and they promised to keep coming after he called it a night and turned things over to Deputy Commissioner Adam Silver for the final 30 picks.

The flurry of trades wasn't surprising with so much uncertainty surrounding this class and so much hope in other areas. Teams such as Houston, Dallas and Atlanta already have an eye on Howard's future, needing to have necessary salary cap space to offer a maximum contract that could lure him away from Los Angeles.

Baseball: Tabor Topples Platte 14-3

TABOR — Austin Kaul struck out three over seven innings to lead Tabor past Platte 14-3 in American Legion baseball action Thursday night.

Blase Vanecsek and Mike Mesman each doubled and singled for Tabor, while Kodi Larson singled twice.

Platte had four hits in the loss, all by different players.

Tabor returns to action next Monday at Dakota Valley, followed by a Tuesday home game with Parkston.

SSC 9-6, Yankton 4-1

SOUTH SIOUX CITY, Neb. — South Sioux City, Neb., swept Yankton First Dakota Post 12 in American Legion baseball action on Wednesday.

SSC won the opener 9-4 and the nightcap 9-1.

In the opener, Sam Wendte went 2-4 with a double and two runs scored to lead Yankton. Zach Benjamin had a double and two runs scored.

Dustin Hopper took the loss.

Lane Sawatzke had the lone Yankton hit and scored the only Post 12 run in the second game. Will Steward took the loss.

Yankton, 7-11, travels to Valley Springs to face Brandon Valley on Friday. Game time is 6:30 p.m.

Amateur

Lesterville 4, Menno 2

MENNO — Lesterville's Alex Wagner struck out 12 Menno batters as the Broncos scored a 4-2 win over the Mad Frogs in SCL action Thursday.

Mike Pavel had two hits for Lesterville. Tom Sattler doubled for Menno, which ousted the Broncos 8-6.

Macon Oplinger took the loss, striking out nine in the complete game effort.

Lesterville hosts Irene and Menno hosts Avon on Sunday.

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Alex Wagner and Zach Johnson; Macon Oplinger and Will Juhrke

Vermillion Red Sox 6, Yankton 5

ELK POINT — Jon Merrigan went 2-4 with a home run, a double and three RBI to lead the Vermillion Red Sox to a 6-5 victory over Yankton in amateur baseball action on Wednesday night.

Derek Appley went 3-3 with a double, and A.J. Staiert also had two hits for Vermillion, which rallied from a 5-3 deficit with a three-run eighth inning. Aaron Fischer, Casey Neumann and Dan Hansen also had hits in the victory.

For Yankton, Julian Cutolo doubled and singled, and Mike Janish, Ross Heine and Dave Schmidt each had two hits. Tate Bruckner doubled, and Jake Broscha, Josh Cleveland and Kyle Pekarek added hits for the Tappers.

Staiert, who pitched the final two innings in relief of Nick Weeter, picked up the win. Bruckner took the loss.

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The Grey Sox play at Akron, Iowa, on Sunday.

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Mettler

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A native of Eureka, Mettler is a three-season star at South Dakota. He placed second at the league's cross country championship in the fall, was named the league's Indoor Track Championship MVP while leading his team to a Summit League championship in the winter, and was a steeplechase champion and NCAA West Region qualifier in the spring.

Mettler, who was named USD Athlete of the Year in late April, was recently named Capital One Academic All-District by CoSIDA and earned Academic All-League honors in cross country, indoor track & field and outdoor track & field. In addition to his work on the track and in the classroom, Mettler serves as president of USD's Student-Athlete Advisory Committee (SAAC) and has volunteered with the community engagement group SERVE.

Fort Wayne junior basketball player Amanda Hyde was

named Scholar-Athlete of the Year on the women's side.

Hyde was named The Summit League Player of the Year after averaging a league-best 18.6 points per game. She also maintains a 4.0 GPA as a math and math teaching major with a minor in psychology.

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