Press&Dakotan DAILY DOSE

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



BY JEREMY HOECK

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I finally watched a World Cup with an actual interest in the pro-

ceedings Having been surrounded by USA updates from friends, from

Twitter, from Facebook and from stories, I decided Thursday to sit down with some buddies to watch the USA vs. Germany game at There was a total of one goal scored in the game (by the Ger-

mans, as you know), but I very quickly realized there was (holy cow!) actual drama involved for the 90-plus minutes.

I'm not going to be buying a Team USA jersey any time soon, but

Count Me In: I'm Into The World Cup

count me in with the crowd: I'll watch the next United States game I'm often ridiculed for not following professional baseball, foot-

ball, basketball, the Olympics, the Super Bowl, the NBA Finals, or anything like that. I usually just give the 'Well, I don't watch TV' response, but that's more of an excuse.

My non-Netflix viewing consists of either the TV in the Press & Dakotan sports office, or at the bar on a Friday night (and that's typically only highlights).

But I decided to give the World Cup a try, mainly because everyone else was into it.

Truth be told, I actually like soccer. I've grown to enjoy covering the sport, whether it be at the University of South Dakota, or Mount Marty College, or Yankton High School, or even at youth tourna-

AREA CALENDAR

ments. It might be one of those things, like hockey, where if you watch it in person, it's a whole different experience.

Soccer reminds me a lot of baseball. People whine that baseball is too slow, or it takes too long, or whatever, but it's much the same situation with soccer: A 1-0 game can actually be more entertaining and more tense than a 15-14 game decided in the final at-bat or final seconds.

Which brings me back to Thursday's game: A 1-0 game, with the lone goal coming in the second half (I almost said "quarter"). I enjoyed myself, sitting there at the bar table with friends.

And actually, the more I write about it. the more anxious I am for the next game for the United States, in the so-called "knockout"

SCOREBOARD

GOLF HILLCREST GOLF & CC

SENIOR LEAGUE STABLEFORD RESULTS: Rudy Gerstner-Cal Carlson 94, John Hughes-Wayne Anderson 92, Barry O'Connell-Jay Hubner 90, Don Munson-Bill Hesse 83, Cal Riesgaaard-Larry Rupiper 79, Jim Tramp-Norm Willard 79, Mike McVay-John Sternguist 79. Frank Messner-Bill Branson 73, Ron Tappe-Rich Willert 73, Dave O'Brien-John Willcockson 71, Bob Haar-Hank Peterson 70, Cliff Groseth-Bob Kellen 69, John Ehret-Allan Karole-

STANDINGS: Don Munson-Bill Hesse 78, Rudy Gerstner-Cal Carlson 70.5, Frank Messner-Bill Branson 62.5, Barry O'Connell-Jay Hubner 59.5, Mike McVay-John Sternquist 49.5. Cal Ries gaaard-Larry Rupiper 47, Jim Tramp-Norm Willard 47, Dave O'Brien-John Willcockson 44, John Ehret-Allan Karolevitz 38, Bob Haar-Hank Peterson 31, Ron Tappe-Rich Willert 28, John Hughes-Wayne Anderson 20.5, Cliff Groseth-Bob Kellen 17.5

LAKEVIEW GOLF COURSE

TUESDAY MEN'S LEAGUE

LOW GROSS: Eric Baily 35 LOW NET: Scott Brauer 29 STANDINGS: Fish-Christiansen 67, Baily-Edwards 67, Baily-Kuchta 65, Wilken-Schurman 64. Keiser-Weinandt 60. Ferden-Johannasen 56. Pokorney Trenhaile 55, Folkers-Kuchta 54, Sailor-Graveland 53, Kuchta-Merkel 52, Wiebelhaus-Wiebelhaus 51, Jackson-Thunker 51, Anderson-Larson 47, Sprakel-Janssen 46, Sprakel-Brady 46, Wuebben-Mueller 45, Zavadil-Pooler 42, Merkel-Weiseler 40, Nelson-Nelson 40, Hysell-Brauer 39, Nohr-Goeden 38, Murphev-Petersen 32. Schmidt-Rvan 32. Framp-Leader 31. Bartles-Hoffart-Heyne

LADIES LEAGUE LOW GROSS: Kendra Neugebauer

LOW NET: Michelle Townsend 31, Judy Heine 31 STANDINGS: Barb Dooley-Dawn Stukel 237. Andrea Tramp-Michelle Townsend 229. Carol Leader-Patty Zavadil 225, Deanna Lockman-Linda Trenhaile 220, Kendra Neugebauer-Michelle Kuchta 206, Kathy Meink-Judy Heine 204, Norma Garvey-Katie Tramp 187, Irma Arens-Kathy Magorian 184, Katie Paulson-Carey Shantz 163, Sheri Moser-Ginger Schieffer-Bridget Thoene 157, Donna Steckler-Kim Brannen 153, Mardi Mackeprang-Ann Arens 126, Sharon Kollar-Jane Brown 100, Barb

TEAM LOW GROSS: Tigers Wood-TEAM LOW NET: Wild Boars 144

INDIVIDUAL LOW GROSS: Dave INDIVIDUAL LOW NET: Dave Mingo

STANDINGS: Troubleshooters 107. Tigers Woodies 86, Duh Duffers 83, The Glass Cutters 82. New Guvs 82. Wild Boars 79, Goeden Const 74, EZ Swingers 74, FISO 71, Photo by Jerry 69, Town & Country Ins. 67, Welfl Const. 44

BOWLING YANKTON BOWL

OFF THE BEATEN PATH LEAGUE HIGH TEAM GAME: Inferno 477 HIGH TEAM SERIES: Split Happens

HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME: Chuck Turner 239, Matt Kruse 213, Shane Harriman 213, Penny Gregorio 193-185, Lonnie Remington 191, Melissa Plath 180 HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES: Chuck Turner 645, Frank Osborn Jr. 566, Shane Harriman 553, Penny Gregorio 544, Candy Olson 501, Pam Harriman 488

STANDINGS: Turn 'n' Heads 16-4, JAW 16-4. Silent Assassins 15-5. What Were We Thinkin' 13.5-5.5, Split Happens 12.5-7.5, Inferno 12-8, Plath Attack 11-9, Spitfires 11-9, Frik & Frak 10.5-9.5, Rednecks 10-10, Late Comers 9-11, Pinheadz 8.5-11.5. Ailing Ones 8.5-11.5. One Pin 8 12, Red Hot Chili Peppers 7-13, Lost Souls 5-15, Gardeners 4.5-15.5

BASEBALL

YANKTON TWINS INV. June 28-29 at Yankton 8-9 YEAR-OLDS

All Games On June 28 POOL 1 (Sertoma Field A): Yankton

Hurricanes vs. Sloux City Futures, 1 p.m.; Sloux City vs. Brandon Valley Black; Brandon Valley vs. Yankton, 5 p.m. POOL 2 (Sertoma Field B): Swat Sluggers vs. Akron, 1 p.m.; Akron vs. Brandon Valley Red, 3 p.m.; Brandon Val-

ley vs. Swat, 5 p.m.
FIFTH (Sertoma Field A) Pool 1 3rd vs. Pool 2 3rd, 7 p.m.

THIRD (Sertoma Field B) Pool 1 2nd

vs. Pool 2 2nd, 7 p.m. FIRST (Sertoma Avera Field): Pool 1 1st vs. Pool 2 1st, 7 p.m 12-UNDER

All Games on July 28
POOL 1: Yankton Twins vs. Akron-Westfield, 9 a.m., Field C; Pierre vs. Swal Storm, 9 a.m., Field B; Twins-AW winner vs. Storm-Pierre winner, 11 a.m., Field C

Twins-AW loser vs. Pierre-Storm loser, 11 POOL 2: Brandon Valley vs. Parkston, 9 a.m., Field D; Brookings Maroon vs. Swat Titans, 9 a.m., Field A; BV-Parkston vicinities B, Parkston Valley vs. Pa ston winner vs. Brookings-Swat winner, 11 a.m., Field D: BV-Parkston loser vs

don Valley, 9 a.m., Avera Field; Brookings Black vs. Diamond Dawgs, 11 a.m., Avera Field; Swat-BV winner vs. Brookings-Dawgs winner, 1 p.m., Avera Field; Swat-BV loser vs. Brookings-Dawgs loser, 1

a.m., First Dakota Field; Sioux Falls Twin Twins-Futures winner, 1 p.m., First Dakota Field; Storm-Lennox loser vs. Twins-Futures loser, 1 p.m., Field D NON-PLACING GAMES: Pool 3 4th vs. Pool 4 4th, 3 p.m., First Dakota Field; Pool 3 4th vs. Pool 4 4th, 3 p.m., First Dakota Field; Pool 3 4th vs. Pool 4 4th, 3 p.m.,

POOL 4: Swat Storm vs. Lennox, 9

Sertoma D; Pool 1 2nd vs. Pool 2 2nd, 3 p.m., Avera Field; Pool 3 3rd vs. Pool 4 3rd, 5 p.m., Field C: Pool 3 2nd vs. Pool 4 2nd, 5 p.m., Field D SEMIFINALS: Pool 1 winner vs. Pool

2 winner, 5 p.m., First Dakota Field; Pool 3 winner vs. Pool 4 winner, 5 p.m., Avera CHAMPIONSHIP: Semifinal winners,

7 p.m., First Dakota Field

10-UNDER NATIONAL All Games on July 29 POOL 1 (Sertoma Field A): Yankton Twins vs. Sioux Falls Tigers, 9 a.m.; Sioux Falls vs. Platte Black, 11 a.m.; Platte vs. Yankton, 1 p.m.

POOL 2 (Sertoma Field B): Sioux Falls Pheasants vs. Swat Firestorm, 9 a.m.; Swat vs. Watertown Ducks, 11 a.m.; Watertown vs. Sioux Falls, 1 p.m POOL 3 (Summit North Field): Yankton Jacks vs. 81 Bombers, 9 a.m.: 81 Bombers vs. Parkston, 11 a.m.; Parkston

vs. Yankton, 1 p.m. POOL 4 (Summit South Field): Sioux City Futures vs. Mitchell Cobras, 9 a.m.; Mitchell vs. Lennox, 11 a.m.; Lennox vs.

NON-PLACING GAMES: Pool 1 3rd vs. Pool 2 3rd, 3 p.m., Summit North; Pool 3 3rd vs. Pool 4 3rd, 3 p.m., Summit South; Pool 1 2nd vs. Pool 2 2nd, 5 p.m., Summit North; Pool 3 2nd vs. Pool 4 2nd .m., Summit South SEMIFINALS: Pool 1 winner vs. Pool

2 winner, 5 p.m., Sertoma A; Pool 3 winner vs. Pool 4 winner, 5 p.m., Sertoma B CHAMPIONSHIP: Semifinal winners 7 p.m., Avera Field 10-UNDER AMERICAN

All Games on June 29 POOL 1 (Sertoma Field C): Sioux

Falls Thunder vs. Sioux Falls Cyclones Red, 9 a.m.; Cyclones Red vs. Swat BV Wildcats, 11 a.m.; Wildcats vs. Thunder, POOL 2 (Sertoma Field D): Mitchell

Mustangs vs. Swat Slammers, 9 a.m.; Slammers vs. Watertown Hot Shots, 11 a.m.; Watertown vs. Mitchell, 1 p.m. POOL 3 (Avera Field): Swat Extreme vs. Sioux Falls Cyclones Blue, 9 a.m.; Cyclones Blue vs. Brookings, 11 a.m.; Brookings vs. Extreme, 1 p.m. POOL 4 (First Dakota Field): Sioux

City Futures vs. Brandon Valley Black, 9 : Brandon Valley vs. West Central, 11 a.m.; Brandon Vauley Sv. West Central, 11 a.m.; West Central vs. Sioux City, 1 p.m. NON-PLACING GAMES: Pool 1 3rd vs. Pool 2 3rd, 3 p.m., Avera Field; Pool 3 3rd vs. Pool 4 3rd, 3 p.m., Sertoma D; Pool 1 2nd vs. Pool 2 2nd, 3 p.m., First Dakota Field; Pool 3 2nd vs. Pool 4 2nd, 3 p.m., Sertoma C SEMIFINALS: Pool 1 winner vs. Pool

2 winner, 5 p.m., First Dakota Field; Pool 3 winner vs. Pool 4 winner, 5 p.m., Avera

CHAMPIONSHIP: Semifinal winners, 7 p.m., First Dakota Field

COLLEGE WORLD SERIES At TD Ameritrade Park Omaha, Omaha, Neb. CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES (Best-of-3)

Monday, June 23 Vanderbilt 9, Virginia 8 Tuesday, June 24 Virginia 7, Vanderbilt 2 Vanderbilt 3, Virginia 2, Vanderbilt

wins championship 2-1 AMERICAN LEAGUE **East Division** Toronto .556 .532 .519 3 .456 8 .400 12 1/2 Central Division GB Pct 4 1/2 .450 9 1/2 W L 48 30 44 33 42 37 Pct GB .615 — .571 3 1/2 .532 6 1/2 Los Angeles

35 43 .449 34 46 .425 Wednesday's Games Tampa Bay 5, Pittsburgh 1

Baltimore 5, Chicago White Sox 4, 12 ngs N.Y. Yankees 5, Toronto 3 Oakland 8, N.Y. Mets 5 Detroit 8, Texas 6 Atlanta 4. Houston 0 L.A. Dodgers 5, Kansas City 4 Cleveland 6, Arizona 1 L.A. Angels 6, Minnesota 2

Boston 5, Seattle 4 Houston 6. Atlanta 1 L.A. Angels 6, Minnesota 4
Toronto 7, Chicago White Sox 0

Detroit 6, Texas 0 Friday's Gam Tampa Bay (Colome 0-0) at Balti-more (Gausman 3-1), 12:05 p.m., 1st

Boston (Workman 1-0) at N.Y. Yankees (Nuno 1-4), 6:05 p.m Tampa Bay (Odorizzi 3-7) at Balti-more (Tillman 6-4), 6:05 p.m., 2nd game Chicago White Sox (Joh.Danks 6-6)

at Toronto (Dickey 6-6), 6:07 p.m. Oakland (J.Chavez 6-4) at Miami (DeSclafani 1-2), 6:10 p.m. Minnesota (Correia 4-8) at Texas (Tepesch 2-3), 7:05 p.m.

Detroit (Verlander 6-7) at Houston cock 2-4), 7:10 p.m. L.A. Angels (Shoemaker 5-1) at nsas City (Vargas 7-3), 7:10 p.m. Cleveland (Bauer 2-3) at Seattle

Young 6-4), 9:10 p.m. Saturday's Games Chicago White Sox at Toronto, 12:07 L.A. Angels at Kansas City, 1:10 p.m. Minnesota at Texas, 3:05 p.m.

Tampa Bay at Baltimore, 3:05 p.m. Detroit at Houston, 3:10 p.m.
Oakland at Miami, 3:10 p.m.
Boston at N.Y. Yankees, 6:15 p.m. Cleveland at Seattle, 9:10 p.m. Sunday's Games

Chicago White Sox at Toronto, 12:07 Oakland at Miami, 12:10 p.m. Tampa Bay at Baltimore, 12:35 p.m. Detroit at Houston, 1:10 p.m. L.A. Angels at Kansas City, 1:10 p.m. Minnesota at Texas, 2:05 p.m. Cleveland at Seattle, 3:10 p.m

Boston at N.Y. Yankees, 7:05 p.m

NATIONAL LEAGUE East Division

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35 43 34 45 .449 .430 12 1/2 33 48 .407 14 1/2 Wednesday's Games
Tampa Bay 5, Pittsburgh 1
Milwaukee 9, Washington 2 St. Louis 9. Colorado 6 San Francisco 4, San Diego 0 Cincinnati 4, Chicago Cubs 1 Miami 3, Philadelphia 2 Oakland 8, N.Y. Mets 5

Atlanta 4 Houston 0 L.A. Dodgers 5, Kansas City 4 Cleveland 6, Arizona 1 Houston 6, Atlanta 1 Pittsburgh 5, N.Y. Mets 2 Miami at Philadelphia, 7:05 p.m. Chicago Cubs 5, Washington 3 Colorado at Milwaukee, 8:10 p.m.

Cincinnati at San Francisco, 10:15 Cubs (Hammel 6-5), 3:05 p.m. Atlanta (Teheran 6-5) at Philadelphia

(K.Kendrick 3-7), 6:05 p.m.

St. Louis at L.A. Dodgers, 10:10 p.m

N.Y. Mets (deGrom 1-4) at Pittsburgh (Cumpton 3-2), 6:05 p.m. Oakland (J.Chavez 6-4) at Miami (DeSclafani 1-2), 6:10 p.m. Colorado (Matzek 1-2) at Milwaukee

(Lohse 9-2), 7:10 p.m. Arizona (McCarthy 1-10) at San Diego (T.Ross 6-7), 9:10 p.m. St. Louis (C.Martinez 1-3) at L.A. Dodgers (Ryu 9-3), 9:10 p.m.
Cisco (Bungarner 9-4), 9:15 p.m.

Saturday's Games Washington at Chicago Cubs, 12:05 p.m., 1st game Atlanta at Philadelphia, 1:05 p.m., 1st

N.Y. Mets at Pittsburgh, 3:05 p.m. Colorado at Milwaukee, 3:10 p.m. Oakland at Miami, 3:10 p.m. Atlanta at Philadelphia, 6:15 p.m.,

St. Louis at L.A. Dodgers, 6:15 p.m Washington at Chicago Cubs, 6:15 Cincinnati at San Francisco, 9:05

Arizona at San Diego, 9:10 p.m. Sunday's Games Oakland at Miami, 12:10 p.m. Atlanta at Philadelphia, 12:35 p.m. N.Y. Mets at Pittsburgh, 12:35 p.m. Colorado at Milwaukee, 1:10 p.m. Cincinnati at San Francisco, 3:05

Arizona at San Diego, 3:10 p.m. St. Louis at L.A. Dodgers, 3:10 p.m. **SOCCER**

WORLD CUP FIRST ROUND GROUP A W L T GF GA Pts x-Brazil GROUP B GF GA Pts x-Colombia 9 2 2 4 x-Greece GROUP D GF GA x-Uruguay **GROUP E** W L T GF GA 2 0 1 8 2 2 1 0 7 6 GROUP F W L T GF GA 3 0 0 6 3 1 1 1 2 ^ x-Argentina 6 3 3 3 GF GA x-United States 1

Monday, June 16 Germany 4, Portugal 0 United States 2, Ghana 1 Saturday, June 21 Germany 2, Ghana 2 Sunday, June 22 Portugal 2, United States 2 Thursday, June 26

Germany 1, United States 0
Portugal 2, Ghana 1
GROUP H W L T GF GA 2 0 0 3 1

x-advanced to second round Thursday, June 26

Belgium 1, South Korea 0 Algeria 1, Russia 1 SECOND ROUND Saturday, June 28 At Belo Horizonte, Brazil Brazil vs. Chile, 11 a.m. At Rio de Janeiro

Colombia vs. Uruguay, 3 p.m Sunday, June 29 At Fortaleza, Brazil Netherlands vs. Mexico, 11 a.m At Recife, Brazil

Costa Rica vs. Greece, e p.m. Monday, June 30 At Brasilia, Brazil France vs. Nigeria, 11 a.m. At Porto Alegre, Brazil Germany vs. Algeria, 3 p.m. Tuesday, July 1 At Sao Paulo

Argentina vs. Switzerland, 11 a.m. At Salvador, Brazil Belgium vs. United States, 3 p.m

BASKETBALL

2014 NBA DRAFT ORDER

 Cleveland, Andrew Wiggins, g, Kansas.
2. Milwaukee, Jabari Parker, f, Duke.

4. Orlando, Aaron Gordon, f. Arizona.

tucky.

8. Sacramento, Nik Stauskas, g, Michigan. 9. Charlotte (from Detroit), Noah Von-

11. b-Denver, Doug McDermott, f, Creighton. 12. a-Orlando (from New York via

14. Phoenix, T.J. Warren, f. NC State. 15. Atlanta, Adreian Payne, f, Michigan State. 16. b-Chicago (from Charlotte), Jusuf

20. Toronto, Bruno Caboclo, f, Pinheiros (Brazil).
21. Oklahoma City (from Dallas via

23. Utah (from Golden State), Rodney Hood, f, Duke.

26. c-Miami, P.J. Hairston, g, North Carolina/Texas (NBADL). 27. Phoenix (from Indiana), Bogdan Bogdanovic, g, Partizan (Serbia). 28. L.A. Clippers, C.J. Wilcox, g,

29. Oklahoma City, Josh Huestis, f, Stanford 30. San Antonio, Kyle Anderson, g, UCLA.

Proposed Trades

rights to selected players 31. Milwaukee 32. Philadelphia 33. Cleveland (from Orlando) 34. Dallas (from Boston)

Minnesota and Phoenix) 37. Toronto (from Sacramento) 38. Detroit Philadelphia (from Cleveland)

0. Minnesota (from New Orleans) 42. Houston (from New York) 43. Atlanta 44. Minnesota

Washingtor 47. Philadelphia (from Brooklyn via 48. Milwaukee (from Toronto via

49. Chicago 50. Phoenix 52. Philadelphia (from Memphis via

55. Miami 56. Denver (from Portland)

AUTO RACING NASCAR SPRINT CUP

Feb. 15 - x-Sprint Unlimited (Denny

(Brad Keselowski)
March 16 — Food City 500, Bristol,
Tenn. (Carl Edwards)
March 23 — Auto Club 400, Fontana,

Fort Worth, Texas (Joey Logano)

Race, Concord, N.C. (Jamie McMurray)
May 25 — Coca-Cola 600, Concord,
N.C. (Jimmie Johnson)
June 1 — FedEx 400, Dover, Del.

June 1 — Feat 400, 500et, ber.
(Jimmie Johnson)
June 8 — Pocono 400, Long Pond,
Pa. (Dale Earnhardt Jr.)
June 15 — Quicken Loans 400,
Brooklyn, Mich. (Jimmie Johnson) June 22 - Toyota/Save Mart 350, Sonoma, Calif. (Carl Edwards)

July 13 — Camping World RV Sales

Thursday, June 26, At Barclays Center, Brooklyn, N.Y.

3. Philadelphia, Joel Embiid, c,

5. Utah, Dante Exum, g, Australia. 6. Boston, Marcus Smart, g, Okla-7. L.A. Lakers. Julius Randle. f. Ken-

10. a-Philadelphia (from New Orleans), Elfrid Payton, g, Louisiana-

Denver), Dario Saric, f, Cibona (Croatia).

13. Minnesota, Zach LaVine, g,

Nurkic, c, Cedevita (Croatia). 17. Boston (from Brooklyn), James Young, g, Kentucky.

18. Phoenix (from Washington), Tyler Ennis, g, Syracuse. 19. b-Chicago, Gary Harris, g, Michi-

22. Memphis, Jordan Adams, g,

24. c-Charlotte (from Portland), Shabazz Napier, g, UConn. 25. Houston, Clint Capela, f, Chalon

Washington

a-Philadelphia and Orlando traded the rights to selected players. b-Denver and Chicago traded the rights to selected players. c-Charlotte and Miami traded the

Dallas and Boston)

54. Philadelphia (from Houston via 58. San Antonio (from L.A. Clippers

59. Toronto (from Oklahoma City via

San Antonio

Feb. 20 — x-Budweiser Duel 1 (Matt (Denny Hamlin) Feb. 23 — Daytona 500 (Dale Earn-

Calif. (Kyle Busch) March 30 — STP 500, Ridgeway, Va. (Kurt Busch)
April 7 — Duck Commander 500,

April 12 — Bojangles' Southern 500,
Darlington, S.C. (Kevin Harvick)
April 26 — Toyota Owners 400, Richmond, Va. (Joey Logano)
May 4 — Aaron's 499, Talladega, May 14 — Adlotts 499, falladegya, Ala. (Denny Hamlin) May 10 — 5-hour ENERGY 400, Kansas City, Kan. (Jeff Gordon) May 16 — x-Sprint Showdown, Con-cord, N.C. (Clint Bowyer) May 17 — x-NASCAR Sprint All-Star

June 28 — Quaker State 400, Sparta, Ky. July 5 — Coke Zero 400, Daytona Beach, Fla.

Friday, June 27
BASEBALL, AMATEUR Avon at Freeman (7:30 m.); Crofton at Scotland (7:30 p.m.); Irene at Tabor :30 p.m.); Yankton at Wynot (7:30 p.m., KVHT-FM) BASEBALL, LEGION Hartington at Crofton (Juniors 5:45 p.m., Seniors 8 p.m.)

BASEBALL, TEENER Brookings Tourn. (Yank-

GOLF, DAKOTAS TOUR South Dakota Open TRACK & FIELD, OUTDOOR USA Champi-

Saturday, June 28
BASEBALL, TEENER Bob Tereshinski Wood Bat Classic at Yankton (Yankton Lakers vs. S.D.

301, Loudon, N.H.
July 27 — The John Wayne Walding 400, Indianapolis. Aug. 3 — GoBowling.com 400, Long Pond, Pa.

Aug. 10 — Cheez-It 355 at the Glen, Watkins Glen, N.Y. Aug. 17 — Pure Michigan 400, Brooklyn, Mich. Aug. 23 — Irwin Tools Night Race, Aug. 31 — Atlanta 500, Hampton,

Sept. 6 - Federated Auto Parts 400, Richmond, Va. Sept. 14 — Chicagoland 400, Joliet, Sept. 21 — Sylvania 300, Loudon,

Sept. 28 — AAA 400. Dover. Del. Oct. 5 — Hollywood Casino 400, Kansas City, Kan.
Oct. 11 — Bank of America 500, Concord, N.C. Oct. 19 — GEICO 500. Talladega.

Ala.

Oct. 26 — Goody's Headache Relief Shot 500, Ridgeway, Va.
Nov. 2 — AAA Texas 500, Fort Worth, Texas Nov. 9 — Quicken Loans Race for roes 500, Avondale, Ariz.
Nov. 16 — Ford EcoBoost 400,

Homestead, Fla DRIVER STANDINGS Through June 22 1. Jeff Gordon, 580. 2. Jimmie Johnson, 560.

5. Brad Keselowski, 512. 6. Carl Edwards, 509. Joey Logano, 483. 9. Kevin Harvick, 472

3. Dale Earnhardt Jr., 555

4. Matt Kenseth, 515.

10. Kyle Larson, 470. 11. Kyle Busch, 465. 12. Paul Menard, 459. 13. Denny Hamlin, 453 14. Clint Bowver, 452. 15. Greg Biffle, 444. 16. Kasey Kahne, 429. TRANSACTIONS

17. Tony Stewart, 427. 18. Austin Dillon, 427.

20. Brian Vickers, 424.

American League
BALTIMORE ORIOLES — Agreed to terms with LHP John Means and RHPs Lucas Long and Logan McGranahan or

minor league contracts.

BOSTON RED SOX — Agreed to terms with Cs Joseph Winterburn and Devon Fisher and OF Trenton Kemp on inor league contracts.

CHICAGO WHITE SOX — Desig-

nated LHP Scott Downs for assignment Recalled LHP Eric Surkamp from Char-OF Jerrick Suiter to a minor league con-CLEVELAND INDIANS — Assigned LHP Josh Outman outright to Columbus SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS — Sent 1B Brandon Belt to San Jose (Cal) for a

HOUSTON ASTROS — Assigned RHP Kyle Farnsworth outright to Oklahoma City (PCL). Optioned OF Robbie Grossman and RHP Asher Wojciechowski to Oklahoma City. Selected the contract of RHP Jose Veras from Oklahoma City. Recalled OF L.J. Hoes from Oklahoma City.

KANSAS CITY ROYALS — Traded

LHP Tyler Skaggs to Salt Lake (PCL) for a rehab assignment.

MINNESOTA TWINS — Sent INF/OF Eduardo Nunez to New Britain (EL) for a rehab assignment. Optioned RHP Yohan Pino to Rochester (IL). Re called INF Jorge Polanco from Fort Mye

RHP Cody Fassold to Atlanta for cash.

LOS ANGELES ANGELS — Sent

league contract. SEATTLE MARINERS — Optioned RHP Erasmo Ramirez to Tacoma (PCL). Recalled RHP Brandon Maurer from TEXAS RANGERS — Sent OF

Engel Beltre to Round Rock (PCL) for a

(FSL).

NEW YORK YANKEES — Agreed to

ds); Alcester/Canton at Dakota Valley
GOLF, DAKOTAS TOUR South Dakota Open GOLF, SDGA Mixed Team Championship at Wil-

on minor league contracts.

National League
ARIZONA DIAMONDBACKS

OF Kale Kiser and SS Michael Johnson. Released 1B Nick Backlund and OF

Ryan Sells. NORMAL CORNBELTERS — Re-

FOOTBALL

WASHINGTON REDSKINS

Signed WR Jerry Rice Jr. Released CB

HOCKEY
WASHINGTON CAPITALS — An-

IDAHO STEELHEADS — Agreed to

nounced an affiliation agreement with

National Football League
CLEVELAND BROWNS — An-

RIVER CITY RASCALS - Sold the

leased LHP Eric Erickson

Run GC, Sioux Falls
RODEO Irene Rodeo
SOFTBALL, GIRLS USSSA S.D. State Tourn. at Sioux Falls (Yankton Spitfire, Yankton Xtreme)
TRACK & FIELD, OUTDOOR USA Champi-

Swarm, 11 a.m.: S.D. Swarm vs. Mitchell, 1:30 p.m.:

Sunday, June 29
BASEBALL, AMATEUR Vermillion Grey Sox at Akron Rebels (2 p.m.); Avon at Menno (7:30 p.m.);

Crofton at Freeman (7:30 p.m.); Irene at Lesterville 7:30 p.m.); Wynot at Tabor (7:30 p.m.); Yankton at

Mitchell vs. S.F. Cyclones, 4 p.m.; S.F. Cyclones vs. Yankton, 6:30 p.m.); Brookings Tourn. (Yankton BASEBALL, TEENER Bob Tereshinski Wood Bat Classic at Yankton (Yankton Lakers vs. Mitchell, 10 a.m.; Mitchell vs. S.F. Cyclones, 12:15 p.m.; Third 2:30 p.m.; Championship — 4:45 p.m.); Brookings

GOLF, DAKOTAS TOUR South Dakota Open Am at The Bluffs, Vermillion GOLF, SDGA Mixed Team Championship at Wil-

SOFTBALL, GIRLS USSSA S.D. State Tourn. at TRACK & FIELD, OUTDOOR USA Champi-

rehab assignment. Agreed to terms with RHPs Scott Williams and Storm Rynard

ns with F Rob Linsmave SOCCER
FIFA — Banned Uruguay F Luis Sanchez four months and nine international games for biting an opponent dur-

aced C Jordan Pacheco on the 15-day
. Recalled RHP Zeke Spruill from Major League Soccer
CHIVAS USA — Waived F Matthew CHICAGO CUBS — Assigned C Eli Fondy.

MONTREAL IMPACT — Signed D

Mechack

Whiteside outright to lowa (PCL).

LOS ANGELES DODGERS — Activated 3B Juan Uribe from the 15-day DL.

Optioned INF Carlos Triunfel to Albu-Krzysztof Krol. Waived D Mechack BIG EAST CONFERENCE — Added querque (PCL).

NEW YORK METS — Optioned SS Florida and Vanderbilt as affiliate mem-

bers for women's lacrosse.

LIMESTONE — Promoted assistant baseball coach Chris Wiley to head Wilmer Flores to Las Vegas (PCL). Agreed to terms with RHP Alex Palsha on a minor league contract.

PITTSBURGH PIRATES — Signed

LOYOLA MARYLAND - Named Kristen Baker women's assistant vollevball

rehab assignment.
WASHINGTON NATIONALS — Op-Kyle Bent women's basketball coach. NEW MEXICO — Announced men's tioned C Sandy Leon to Syracuse (IL). Reinstated C Wilson Ramos from the 15basketball F Tim Williams will transfer from Samford.

NEW ORLEANS — Extended the Frontier League
GATEWAY GRIZZLIES — Signed contract of Mark Slessinger men's bas-

OLD WESTBURY — Named RICHARD STOCKTON — Named Harry Silverstein women's tennis coach. RUTGERS — Added the title of chief ate athletic director Jason Baum. Promoted Kevin Lorincz to assistant athletic director of athletic communications. Kim-

director of athletic communications. SMU - Announced men's basket hall F Justin Martin is transferring from Xavier.

UCONN — Named Lauren Gunning women's assistant lacrosse coach.

WAGNER — Named Vicky Picott

women's assistant basketball coach

well, he's going to square balls

Pujols singled home Kole

Calhoun in the first inning and

stole second when Minnesota

didn't hold him on the bag. Pu-

jols then scored when Pedro

popup in the sun behind third

Florimon is filling in for

tana, who injured his left knee

while running out a double in

bone bruise in Santana's knee,

"We're not sure which way

The Angels added two more

we're going to go," Gardenhire

Wednesdav's loss. An MRI

exam Thursday revealed a

but the Twins don't know

whether he'll go on the dis-

said. "He's not moving very

runs in the third on back-to-

back doubles by Trout and Pu-

Minnesota recalled INF Jorge

Polanco from Single-A Fort

prospect joined the Twins in

time for Thursday's game and

made his major league debut

as a pinch-hitter in the ninth

inning, drawing a four-pitch

walk from Frieri.

Myers. The 20-year-old

rookie shortstop Danny San-

Florimon lost Erick Aybar's

up like that. He got some big

hits and got us going."

berly Zivkovich to director of athletic com-

Twins Can't Solve Weaver, Get Swept By Angels

in Anaheim. Mauer and Chris

apiece, but Minnesota yielded

32 hits in the three-game se-

Parmelee had three hits

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South Carolina (ECHL)

Two years after Jered Weaver threw a no-hitter against them. the Angels' ace is still a nightmare for the Minnesota Twins.

Albert Pujols and Mike

Trout drove in two runs apiece,

Weaver pitched seven strong innings, and Los Angeles swept the Twins with a 6-4 victory Thursdav. Weaver (8-6) yielded eight hits — all singles — and struck out six in another dominant start against the Twins. The right-hander has given up one

out 24 in his last three home meetings with the Twins. "Offensively, we didn't do too much," Minnesota manager Ron Gardenhire said. "Weaver was like we've seen him before. In this ballpark, we all know it's tough to see the ball in day

run in 24 innings while striking

games, and he made it tough on us. Weaver improved to 7-0 in eight career starts against Minnesota, striking out the side on 12 pitches in the first inning and rarely struggling until the sixth. He snapped a three-start winless streak with plenty of offense from his teammates, who beat up Twins starter

Ricky Nolasco for six runs and Nolasco (4-6) pitched into the seventh inning of his fourth straight winless start, and Pu-

jols improved to 12 for 22 in Joe Mauer hit a three-run

ager Mike Scioscia said. "Al-

far post from the edge of the

penalty area. "We clearly dominated the match and we played not a bad game against a top-fit American team," Mueller goal. I manage it every now and then. We're all terribly

needing five stiches to close tained in the 2-2 draw with Ghana on Saturday and still visible five days later.

The United States had a chance to level the match in stoppage time, but Alejandro Bedoya's low shot inside the box was swept away by the sliding Mario Goetze, a late substitute. The Americans won a corner but Clint Dempsey's header at the far post went high.

"We knew it would be a

were ready for that. We con-

allow any chances until late

trolled the match and did not

difficult match today. We

in the match," Loew said. "We failed to score a second goal that would have settled the issue earlier."

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Tiger Woods Struggles In Return BETHESDA, Md. (AP) only 19 players had a higher with three straight birdies for a Tiger Woods was back on the

One day into his most recent return from injury, that's what mattered to him. Woods opened with two

straight bogeys, made five more bogeys in a seven-hole stretch around the turn at tough Congressional and finally found his groove late in the opening round of the Quicken Loans National for a 3-

PGA Tour for the first time in

more than three months Thurs-

day and said he felt "fantastic."

He was talking about his

back, not his game.

Woods was tied for 83rd —

score — and he will have to score better Friday if he wants to avoid missing the cut for the first time in two years. "I made so many little mistakes," Woods said. "So I

played a lot better than the score indicated. Congressional had a lot to do with that.

Two weeks after a U.S. Open that had no rough, Congressional made it feel like one. Any shot just off the fairway was buried, making it difficult for even the powerful players to reach the green on some of the longer par 4s. Greg Chalmers finished

66 and a one-shot lead over Ricky Barnes and Freddie Jacobson. Defending champion Bill Haas, Patrick Reed, U.S. Open runner-up Erik Compton and Tyrone Van Aswegen shot 68. Compton birdied his last four holes "I didn't think it was easy at all," Chalmers said. "I played

really well, and I think anybody

who plays really well can shoot

a low score. You just have to

be coming out of the fairway,

and I didn't that the majority of the time today." Only 26 players in the 120man field broke par.

over .500 (44-33). We've been playing really good the past couple of weeks," Pujols said. "You just need to take advantage of a stretch. It doesn't matter

them in any stadium. Angeles swept Texas and Min-

his career against him. double with two outs in the ninth for the Twins, who followed a four-game sweep of the White Sox by getting swept

World Cup From Page 6A

World Cup at home. Loew then took over and is still looking for his first major Klinsmann also warmly embraced Germany players, some of whom got their start under him. Mueller got his

Bundesliga debut in August

2008 when Klinsmann was

the coach of Bayern Munich.

his assistant, until Klinsmann

third-place finish at the 2006

quit following Germany's

Klinsmann must have had a good nose for talent, since Mueller is on track to retain his Golden Boot title by scoring his fourth goal of the tournament, to go with five he had in 2010. Germany's goal came in

the 55th minute after a corner by Mesut Ozil. U.S. goalkeeper Tim Howard did well to punch out a header by Per Mertesacker but pushed the ball into the path of Mueller who rifled a shot inside the

"They've got some good hitters," Gardenhire said of the Angels. "Those big boys come up in big situations, and they can do some things. After Minnesota loaded the bases against Ernesto Frieri in the ninth, Mauer cleared them

with a two-strike double off Joe

Smith, who then struck out Kendrys Morales for his seventh save. Pujols had three hits and Josh Hamilton drove in a run to help the Angels win their season-best sixth straight and move a season-high 11 games

where you win as long as you get those wins. We're playing great at home, but we'll take Trout had two doubles, including a two-run drive down the left-field line in the seventh, during the Angels' 15th win in their last 17 games in Anaheim, where they have the majors' best home record. Los

of the things we can do on the keep it rolling," Angels man-

said. "I finally scored a pretty ambitious and this ambition can take us very far and I try to give my part in each and every match. Mueller played despite

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Brandi Pravecek, Cl

jols, followed by Hamilton's RBI single. NOTES: Pujols' third-inning double was the 541st of his career, tying the three-time NL MVP with Rogers Hornsby for 30th on baseball's career list. ... Angels 2B Howie Kendrick has a 10-game hitting streak.

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beaten homestand with at least six games since May 2004. We're starting to do some offensive side, and we've got to

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a cut above his right eye sus-

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