

# Swat Edge Lakers In Rain-Shortened Tereshinski Classic



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Yankton Lakers first baseman Jackson Somsen, right, takes a throw to keep South Dakota Swat baserunner Colin Kehrwald close during their matchup in the Bob Tereshinski Classic VFW Teener baseball tournament on Saturday at Riverside Field.

The South Dakota Swat edged the Yankton Lakers 3-2 in the Bob Tereshinski Wood Bat Classic VFW Teener Baseball Tournament on Saturday at Riverside Field.

The Lakers' other games in the tournament were cancelled due to wet field conditions.

Caid Koletzky had two hits and Jack Schoenfelder had a hit and a RBI to lead Yankton. Carter Peterson, Nate Eihacker, Jackson Somsen and Kellen Franzen also had hits. Garrett Tennant drove in a run in the effort.

Franzen took the loss, striking out eight in five innings of work. Isaiah Woods pitched two innings of scoreless relief, striking out one.

The Lakers travel to Brandon Valley on Wednesday.

## Brookings Tourn.

**BROOKINGS** — The Yankton Reds went 1-1 on Saturday in the Brookings VFW Teener Baseball Tournament.

The Reds are now 13-11 on the season, and are off until July 7 at Sioux Falls West.

**YANKTON 9, SPEARFISH 4:** Rex Ryken had three hits and a RBI as the Reds routed Spearfish on Saturday.

Sam Mooney had a hit and two RBI for Yankton. Owen Feser, Kyle Withrow and Michael Drotzmann each had hits. Jack Raab drove in a run in the win.

Feser picked up the victory, with Michael Frick pitching the final three innings for the long-relief save.

**BROOKINGS 4, YANKTON 3:** Brookings rallied with two

runs in the bottom of the seventh to edge the Reds Saturday morning.

Ethan Wishon had an inside-the-park home run to lead Yankton. Owen Feser also had a hit.

Levi Wiersma took the loss, allowing one earned run on five hits in the complete game effort.

## Dakota Valley Tri.

**NORTH SIOUX CITY** — Dakota Valley swept Alcester and Canton in a home VFW Teener baseball triangular on Saturday.

Dakota Valley beat Alcester 7-0 and Canton 5-4. Alcester downed Canton 8-2.

**DAKOTA VALLEY 7, ALCESTER 0:** Bryce Schroeder and Jacob Bellis each went 3-3 to lead Dakota Valley past

Alcester. Austin Carter added a triple in the win.

Alex Pulscher doubled for Alcester's lone hit.

Carter went the distance for the win, striking out eight in the seven-inning contest.

Mitch Johnson took the loss.

**ALCESTER 8, CANTON 2:** Grant Johnson tossed a complete game four-hitter, striking out six, and the Alcester defense turned three double-plays on the way to victory.

Mitch Johnson had two hits and two RBI, and Zach Ronning had a hit and two RBI to lead Alcester.

George Bergren, Colton Laubach, Kaleb Ellign and Ryan Doorn had hits for Canton.

Austin Rhode took the loss.

## Golf | South Dakota Open

# Former Coyote Wins Title

Scanlon Beats Out Current Coyote Clark For Amateur Title

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**VERMILLION** — The 2014 South Dakota Open Pro-Am featured a former and current University of South Dakota Coyote golfers dueling it out in the final group on Sunday afternoon in Vermillion.

In this situation, the older 'Yote showed the 'young pup' how it was done.

Kyle Scanlon, who hasn't played a competitive round at the Bluffs since his exit from USD, defeated Dakota Clark, who will be a redshirt-junior next fall.

Scanlon shot a -15 (201) to claim the crown. Nick Delio shot a final round 65 Sunday to win the pro title at 16-under 200, two strokes better than Kirby Pettitt and Jeff Burton.

This past weekend brought back old memories and an aggressive drive for Scanlon.

"I've competed the past two years in the South Dakota Open as an amateur," Scanlon said. "I've come down (to Vermillion) a couple weekends in the summers, but nothing really competitive. It felt good to play some competitive golf at The Bluffs again. It brought back some memories."

Scanlon, who's played in two U.S. Open qualifying tournaments, had nothing but good words about his competitor.

"Dakota was on my heels all day," he said. "All weekend he challenged me."

According to Scanlon, he felt like home being back in Vermillion during his first round.

"I started off four under through four holes, that kind of got the ball to drop," he said. "I felt really good, I didn't really think I needed birdies, but I was very wrong."

This weekend, golfers at The Bluffs experienced classic South Dakota weather: rainy, cloudy, sunny, and hot.

"I am really used to the bad weather," Scanlon said.

"Being a Minnesota native and a mid-west college player, I've mentally prepared myself for all kinds of weather. Luckily, I had good tee-times, which helped me avoid the bad weather."

Scanlon actually feels more comfortable in the wind at The Bluffs.

"I'm very used to the wind here," he said. "I like to lean the ball. I've played every shot here; from good to bad, I know what to do, which helped me in this situation."

After his second round, Scanlon knew he would have play solid and consistent golf to hoist the trophy on Sunday.

"I knew coming in I had to shoot good, but I didn't think I needed a 67 to win it," he said. "I thought a three under would do it, but if I would shot that, I would have lost easily."

Clark accelerated Scanlon all afternoon, responding to almost anything he threw at him.



**ABOVE:** Nick Delio's club creates a small divot as he hits an easy approach shot the #4 green Sunday while competing in the 2014 South Dakota Open at The Bluffs in Vermillion. Delio sank a 30-foot breaking putt on the green to score a birdie. **LEFT:** Jesse Schutte watches his tee shot fly straight down the middle of the fourth fairway during Sunday's South Dakota Open 2014 golf action at The Bluffs in Vermillion. Schutte shot par on the hole.

DAVID LIAS/VERMILLION PLAIN TALK

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## Glisar 9th At USATF Meet

**SACRAMENTO, Calif.** — Megan Glisar finished ninth in the women's high jump at the USATF Outdoor Championships held this past weekend at Hornet Stadium on the campus of Sacramento State University. The championships concluded on Sunday.

Glisar, who competed on Sunday, cleared the opening height of 5 feet, 10 3/4 inches on her third attempt before missing on all three attempts at 6-0 3/4. Inika McPherson, who competed unattached, won the event with a mark of 6-6 3/4.

USD will have two athletes at the USATF Junior Outdoor Championships next weekend in Eugene, Ore. Danielle Waldner will compete in the shot put and Emily Brigham will compete in the pole vault. That meet begins on July 5.



Glisar

## Spitfire Make USSSA Tourn. Semifinals

**SIOUX FALLS** — The Yankton Spitfire girls' softball team advanced to the semifinals of the South Dakota State USSSA Tournament, which concluded on Sunday in Sioux Falls. Fusion Silver claimed the 18-under title.

The Spitfire were eliminated by Fusion White in a 4-2 decision Sunday afternoon.

For Yankton, Jessica Wirth went 2-3 with a triple, and Bailey Kortan had a hit and a RBI to lead the way. Karlee Kozak and Alison Sexton also had hits. Heather Hauer drove in a run for the Spitfire.

Jaclyn Arens took the loss, striking out four.

The Spitfire host the Norfolk Impact on Tuesday.

**SPITFIRE 6, WAYNE DIRT DEVILS 3:** Karlee Kozak went 2-3 with a triple, a double and two RBI to lead Yankton. Allison Sexton went 2-3 with a RBI double. Jessica Wirth also had a RBI double. Bailey Kortan, Sophie Drotzmann, Heather Hauer and Madison Dangler added hits.

Jaclyn Arens picked up the win, striking out three.

**SPITFIRE 14, S.D. FLASH 4:** Yankton opened Sunday's elimination play with a rout of the South Dakota Flash.

Allison Sexton went 3-4 with a triple, two doubles and four RBI. Heather Hauer had a double, two singles and a RBI. Madison Dangler had two hits and two RBI. Jaclyn Arens had two hits and a RBI. Bailey Kortan had a RBI double. Karlee Kozak also had a double. Jessica Wirth and Brooke Loecker added RBI singles.

Arens picked up the win, striking out four.

**Pool Play**

**SPITFIRE 1, FUSION SILVER 1:** Karlee Kozak and Heather Hauer each had two hits, and Allison Sexton tripled to lead Yankton. Bailey Kortan, Madison Dangler and Brooke Loecker added hits.

Jaclyn Arens pitched for Yankton, striking out six. **SIOUX FALLS RUSH 9, SPITFIRE 1:** Heather Hauer had two hits, and Morgan Rothschild had a hit and a run scored to lead Yankton. Jessica Wirth, Karlee Kozak and Allison Sexton also had hits. Bailey Kortan drove in the lone Spitfire run.

Madison Dangler took the loss.

# U.S. World Cup Team Excited By Large Following

**SAO PAULO (AP)** — The last time the U.S. played in a World Cup in Brazil, just one American reporter was on hand, using vacation time and paying his own way.

Sixty-four years later, about 100 credentialed U.S. media members are covering the tournament — and that doesn't even include staffers from the

networks broadcasting the games.

Back home, millions of people are watching on giant screens or office computers, at bars and public gatherings. In their protected Brazilian bubble, U.S. players find out about it via email, text, tweet, Facebook, cable television and all sorts of other inventions that didn't exist in 1950.

"All the bars and the pubs and restaurants are packed, and it's all over social media and people are taking off work," goalkeeper Tim Howard said. "That says a lot. They do that for the Super Bowl. So the fact that they're doing it for the World Cup is special."

The Americans traveled Sunday to Salvador for Tuesday's second-round

game against Belgium. Sunday also marked the anniversary of the famous 1-0 victory over England at Belo Horizonte, still considered by many the biggest upset in World Cup history.

Dent McSkimming of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch was the only American

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# SCL Roundup: Irene, Menno Claim Close Victories

Thygeson K's 16 As Crofton Stays Unbeaten

**LESTERVILLE** — Simon Healy's two-run home run in the first inning would be all Irene would get — or need — in a 2-0 victory over Lesterville in South Central League amateur baseball action on Sunday.

Healy, Adam Gale and Trevor Jacobsen each finished with two hits for Irene. Cameron Schilz and Cody Ulmer had two hits each for Lesterville.

Andrew Hora went the distance for the win, scattering five hits. Brandon Nickolite took the loss, allowing eight hits in the complete game effort.

Irene, now 7-5 in SCL play, travels to Avon on Thursday. Lesterville travels to Yankton on Friday.

**IRENE**.....200 000 000 — 2 8 0  
**LESTERVILLE**.....000 000 000 — 0 5 1  
Andrew Hora and Sam Parkinson; Brandon Nickolite and Zach Johnson

## Menno 4, Avon 3

**MENNO** — The Menno Mad Frogs jumped out to a 4-0 lead and held on for a 4-3

victory over Avon in South Central League amateur baseball action on Sunday.

Jay Thaler, Ryan Liebl and Dylan Lehr each had two hits for Menno, with Thaler driving in two runs and Lehr driving in one. Macon Oplinger added a RBI double in the win.

For Avon, Nick Honke and Mike Kocer each had two hits. Logan Tycz added a RBI double.

Doug Hall picked up the win, with Oplinger retiring all nine batters he faced for the save. Honke took the loss.

Menno, now 4-8 in the SCL, hosts Scotland on Friday, with an Independence Day fireworks display planned for after the game. Avon, 5-6, hosts Irene on Thursday.

**AVON**.....000 021 000 — 3 8 1  
**MENNO**.....031 000 00X — 4 12 1  
Nick Honke and Dan Bures; Doug Hall, Macon Oplinger (7) and Jay Thaler

## Crofton 6, Freeman 0

**FREEMAN** — Crofton's Rand Thygeson tossed a

complete game one-hitter, striking out 16, as the Bluejays downed Freeman 6-0 to remain unbeaten in South Central League amateur baseball play.

Scot Donner had three hits, and Kyle Mueller, Austin Filips and Thygeson each had two hits for Crofton.

Kyle Weier had the lone Freeman hit.

Jake Weier took the loss, going the distance.

Both teams host Wynot next, Freeman (6-5 SCL) on Tuesday and Crofton (12-0 SCL) on Thursday.

**CROFTON**.....022 100 010 — 6 12 0  
**FREEMAN**.....000 000 000 — 0 1 5  
Rand Thygeson and Carl Schieffer; Jake Weier and Derek Wieman

## Wynot 10, Tabor 0

**TABOR** — The Wynot Expos took advantage of seven Tabor errors to claim a 10-0 victory over the Bluebirds in South Central League amateur baseball action on Sunday.

Lee Heimes and Aaron Burbach had two hits each

for Wynot.

Nate Kloucek, Lance Ranek, Chris Sutura and Dean Kaul had hits for Tabor.

Scott Morrison went the distance for the victory. Doug Vanecek took the loss.

Wynot travels to Crofton on Thursday. Tabor travels to Lesterville on Saturday.

**WYNOT**.....220 204 0 — 10 10 3  
**TABOR**.....000 000 0 — 0 4 7  
Scott Morrison and Steve Heimes; Doug Vanecek, Chris Sutura (4) and Wes Kloucek

## Friday

### Wynot 12, Yankton 9

**WYNOT, Neb.** — The Wynot Expos jumped out to an 8-1 lead and held on for a 12-9 victory over Yankton in South Central League amateur baseball action on Friday.

Chase Rolles and Kyle Wiepen each had three hits, and Jared Miller had two home runs and four RBI to lead Yankton. Janish drove in three runs, Schmidt had two RBI and Nik Davis added two hits for the Tappers.

Eric Hames went the distance for the win, striking out 11. Jake Broscha took the loss.

**WYNOT**.....100 002 006 — 9 11 3  
**YANKTON**.....005 030 22X — 12 16 1  
Jake Broscha, Mike Janish (4), Ross Heine (6) and Kory Bromley; Eric Hames and Kyle Wiepen

### Tabor 7, Irene 6

**TABOR** — The Tabor Bluebirds scored two runs in the bottom of the ninth to rally past Irene 7-6 in South Central League amateur baseball action on Friday.

Irene led 3-0 before Tabor took control with a five-run third. The Cardinals regained the lead in the seventh, but run-scoring singles by Rob Keppen and Wes Kloucek in the ninth sparked the Bluebirds to victory.

Wes Kloucek finished with a double and two singles, and Blase Vanecek doubled and singled to lead Tabor. Adam Gale had two hits for Irene.

Chris Sutura picked up the win in relief. Simon Healy took the loss.

**IRENE**.....102 100 200 — 6 6 2  
**TABOR**.....005 000 002 — 7 7 1  
Jared Hybertson, Simon Healy (3) and Sam Parkinson; Kirby Nitschke (3); Nate Kloucek, Chris Sutura (7) and Wes Kloucek

### Crofton 13, Scotland 1

**SCOTLAND** — Rand Thygeson and Seth Erdmann each homered, and Aaron Losing had three hits as Crofton downed Scotland 13-1 in South Central League amateur baseball action on Friday.

Aaron Losing added three hits in the win.

For Scotland, Jason Vaith doubled to lead the way.

Tyler Zimmerman picked up the win. Wyatt Brown took the loss.