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Time and again, you've heard me talk about – or read about – how fortunate Yankton is to have the World Archery Youth Championships (WAYC) coming to our city next week.

And while making that point, for as valid as it is, can run its course, I'm trying to find new ways to put into perspective exactly how lucky we are.

A year ago when it was announced that Yankton won the 2015 WAYC bid, there was a dual sense of 'Seriously? Not only did our town land such a prestigious event, but we beat out Mexico City for the bid.

Yes, Mexico City, with its population of nearly nine million people. With that number in mind, I spent a few minutes Tuesday research-

Yankton, Population 14K, Thrust Into WAYC Timeline

ing the history of the WAYC, which held its first tournament in 1991. As the biennial (every two years) tournament has evolved, its host locations have progressively gotten larger. Twice before has the event come to the United States, to Chula Vista, California, in 1996 and Ogden, Utah, in 2009.

Consider the recent and upcoming locations:

* The 2006 WAYC was held in Merida, Mexico. Population: 970,000.

* 2008 was held in Antalya, Turkey. Population: 1.1 million.

* 2009 (breaking the biennial format) was held in Ogden, Utah, which has a metro population (near Salt Lake City) of 547,000.

* 2011 was held in Legnica, Poland. Population: 102,000.

* 2013 was held in Wuxi, China. Population: 6.3 million.

* The 2015 bid was given to Yankton, South Dakota. Population: 14,591.

Jorgensen Named South

Dakota Diving Coach

VERMILLION — South Dakota head swimming and diving coach Jason Mahowald has named Kris Jorgensen to his coaching staff. Jorgensen will work with the divers.

"We are excited to have Kris joining our staff," said Mahowald. "His experience competing at the highest level in the NCAA and internationally will help our divers make that jump to the next level. Kris is also very connected throughout the Midwest and will make an immediate impact in our recruiting."

Jorgensen spent the past three years as the head diving coach at St. Catherine University. He coached several all-Minnesota Intercollegiate Athletic Conference honorees, including two-time all-MIAC Diver of the Year Jenna Nagay.

Beyond the collegiate realm, Jorgensen also coached at the Minnesota Diving Academy for three years and founded the Highland Diving Club in 2014.

Jorgensen received a bachelor's degree in psychology from the University of Minnesota in 2013. He completed his master's degree in applied sport and exercise science from Minnesota in May.

As a diver at Minnesota, Jorgensen was the 2012 Big Ten Co-Diver of the Championship after winning the 10-meter event. He finished runner-up in the 10-meter dive in 2011.

A native of Norway, Jorgensen won 12 national

championships and competed for the Norwegian national team from 2004-12. He competed at the 2009 and 2011 World University Games. Jorgensen placed eighth in the 10-meter synchronized event at the 2008 European Championships.

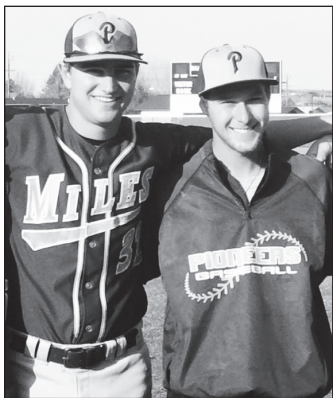
Wade Transfers To SDSU

BROOKINGS — South Dakota State women's basketball has signed Tonia Wade, a 6-foot forward from St. John's University, head coach Aaron Johnston announced Tuesday. Wade will sit out the 2015-16 campaign in accordance with the NCAA transfer rules before stepping on the court as a sophomore in 2016-17.

A native of Bloomington, Minn., Wade played in 27 games for the Storm, averaging 1.4 points and 1.7 rebounds per game. The versatile player had career highs of seven points at Georgetown Jan. 23 and six rebounds at Marquette Feb. 13.

Wade had an illustrious high school career at Bloomington Kennedy, twice being named to the Class 4A all-state team. As a senior she led her team to a 25-7 record and the Minnesota Class 4A state championship game for the second-straight year. For her career, Wade scored over 1,000 points and grabbed over 500 rebounds.

A four-star recruit, Wade finished her high school career ranked 21st at her position by ESPN HoopGuriz and ranked No. 99th nationally by ProspectsNationally.com.



SUBMITTED PHOTO

Miles Community College teammates Sean O'Connell (left) and Brandon Kemp will play for the MMC baseball team.

Miles CC Teammates Sign With Mount Marty Baseball

Two teammates from Miles Community College, both with ties to the Mount Marty College baseball program, will follow older brothers and compete for the Lancers, the institution announced on Tuesday.

Brandon Kemp of Spearfish and Sean O'Connell of Kalspell, Montana, will attend Mount Marty College and play baseball for the Lancers. Each will have two years of eligibility remaining for the Lancers.

"Over the years we have had a strong relationship with Miles Community College. Coaches Jeff Brabant and Dan McKinney do an incredible job of teaching the game and preparing their players for the four year level," said MMC head baseball coach Andy Bernatow. "This past season Mount Marty Baseball graduated 17 seniors from the program and having older and experienced junior college baseball players coming into the program is a big benefit for us."

Kemp, the younger brother of former Lancers Matt (MMC '08) and Justin (MMC '12) Kemp, was a two-year starter in the infield for Miles CC. He batted .294 with a .922 fielding percentage this past season.

"Both of Brandon's brothers showed great

playing ability and leadership skills during their time at Mount Marty and I know he demonstrates the same," Bernatow said. "He comes to us with starting and championship experience from an outstanding program at Miles Community College."

O'Connell, the younger brother of Mike O'Connell (MMC '14), batted .333 with 18 runs scored this past season.

"With Sean, his brother had an outstanding career at Mount Marty after he transferred from Miles and Sean seems to have the capabilities to do the same," Bernatow said.

Kemp, the son of Tony and Denise Kemp, plans to major in recreation management at MMC. He will receive a Mount Marty College Academic Honors Scholarship for his academic achievement in addition to his baseball scholarship.

O'Connell, the son of Kelly and Jeanne O'Connell, also plans to major in recreation management at MMC. He will receive a Mount Marty College Academic Excellence Scholarship in addition to his baseball scholarship.

SCOREBOARD

TRACK & FIELD

S.D. STATE MEET

NOTE: Area qualifiers only

Meet Records

Zach Anderson, Parker - B Boys'

High Jump (6-7.5)

Brennan Schmidt, Freeman - B

Boys' 100 (10.93 in prelims); B Boys'

200 (21.99); B Boys' 400 (all-time state

record 47.54 in prelims)

Lauren Sokolowski, Irene-Wakonda

- B Girls' 100 Hurdles (14.64)

All-Class Good

Zach Anderson, Parker - Boys' High

Jump (6-7.5)

Wes Dvorak, Ethan-Parkston -

Boys' 300 Hurdles (38.70), Boys' Long

Jump (22.5)

Morgan Rothschadt, Ron Homme -

Girls' 300 Hurdles (44.94)

Brennan Schmidt, Freeman - Boys'

400 (49.25)

Lauren Sokolowski, Irene-Wakonda

- Girls' 100 Hurdles (14.64)

Emma Stawart, Yankton - Girls'

Long Jump (18.05)

Savannah Woods, Yankton - Girls'

3200 (11:08.23)

GOLF

PIZZA POP OPEN

June 1 at Fox Run

GIRLS 6-8: 1. Jlyan Eidsness, 2.

Jordyn Cunningham

BOYS 6-8: 1. Parker Riley, 2. Tate

Beste

GIRLS 9-11: 1. Grace Goeden, 2.

Teagen Welland

BOYS 9-11: 1. Zack Foxhoven, 2.

Cole Pedersen

GIRLS 12-13: 1. Gabby Pietila, 2.

Joie Krawski

BOYS 12-13: 1. Jimmie Cunn-

ham, 2. Jason Tramp

GIRLS 14-15: 1. Kacey Erickson,

BOYS 14-15: 1. Michael Frick, 2.

Dalton Maibaum

GIRLS 16-18: 1. Linze Cowman, 2.

Stephanie Schwartz

BOYS 16-18: 1. Brock Mueller, 2.

Jaylon Laplante

HILLCREST GOLF & CC

TWO-MAN LEAGUE

5-28 RESULTS: Dan Megard-Jeff

Larson 66, James Grotenhuis-James

Henderson 68, Todd Chance-Michael

Pietila 69, Jim Tramp-Jack Gregg 70, John

Hagemann-Heath Larson 71, Bill Berry-

Gail Gubbels 71, Ryan Elwood-Warren

Muller 71, Steve Slowsky-Tim Rutjes

71, Dan Eisenbraun-Todd Van Maanen

72, Rodger Brandt-Dan Lammers 72,

Roger Thompson-John Ehret 72, Tony

Erickson-Robert Haar 76

STANDINGS: Sean Zimmermann-

James Henderson 259, Joe Vig-Pat

King 264, Bill Pierce-Devin Anderson

265, Steve Slowsky-Tim Rutjes 267, Bill

Berry-Gail Gubbels 268, Dan Megard-

Jeff Larson 269, Todd Chance-Michael

Pietila 270, Scott Hillunen-Denny Fok-

ken 271, Jim Tramp-Jack Gregg 277,

James Grotenhuis-Dave Ewald 277,

John Hagemann-Heath Larson 279,

Rodger Brandt-Dan Lammers 281, Dan

Eisenbraun-Todd Van Maanen 281,

Ryan Elwood-Warren Muller 286, Dan

Semmler-Kyler Johnson 286, Tony Erick-

son-Robert Haar 290, Aaron Ness-Jim

Fitzgerald 290, Roger Thompson-John

Ehret 297

5-28 MEN'S DAY EVENT

FIRST: Chuck Olson, Dan Megard,

Steve Welland, Dan Orton 126

SECOND: Tony Erickson, Heath

Larson, Devin Anderson, Aaron Ness

129

THIRD: Ken Bertsch, Rich Cor-

nellus, Jeff Wolfgang, Clayton Bruening

129

SECOND FLIGHT

FIRST: John Stenquist, Pat King,

Barry O'Connell, Rick Willert 124

SECOND: Larry Meyer, Jim Tramp,

Bob Haar, Roger Thompson 126

THIRD: Dave Ewald, Gail Gubbels,

Ken Karolavitz, Dan Semmler 128

THIRD FLIGHT

FIRST: Jack Battin, Jim Vlahakis,

Bob Kellen, John Hughes 121

SECOND: Gene Baker, Joe Vig,

Jerry Clough, Rob Grossenbush 125

THIRD: Larry Ruppner, Gary Heine,

Jack Gregg, Hank Petersen 126

5-28 MEN'S NET SKINS

GROSS: No. 3, Scott Hillunen 3,1,

NO. 8, Pat King 3, No. 10, Scott Hillun-

en 3, No. 14, Pat King 3, No. 16, Steve

Welland 2

NET FLIGHT 1: No. 4, Todd Chance

2; No. 8, Dan Orton 2; No. 10, Dave

Ewald 2; No. 14, Pat King 2

NET FLIGHT 2: No. 4, Rick Willert 2;

No. 5, Jim Tramp 2; No. 7, Jim Vlahakis

2; No. 8, Vlahakis 2; No. 12, Bob Kellen 2;

No. 14, John Hughes 2; No. 18, Tramp 2

SENIOR LEAGUE

RESULTS: Bob Haar-Hank Peters-

en 60, Joe Vig-Dan Eisenbraun 63, Mike

McVay-John Stenquist 64, Pat King-

Greg Adamson 64, Cliff Grosteth-Bob

Kellen 64, Allan Karolavitz-John Ehret

65, Ron Tappe-Rick Willert 65, Rudy

Gerstner-Cal Carlson 65, John Hughes-

Wayne Anderson 65, Dave O'Brien-Rod

Wipf 66, Jim Tramp-Norm Willard 66,

Barry O'Connell-Jay Hubner 68, Rodger

Brandt-Bob Zacher 68

STANDINGS: Bob Haar-Hank Pe-

tersen 19, Joe Vig-Dan Eisenbraun 17.5,

Mike McVay-John Stenquist 14, Pat

King-Greg Adamson 14, Cliff Grosteth-

Bob Kellen 11.5, Allan Karolavitz-John

Ehret 10, Ron Tappe-Rick Willert 9, Rudy

Gerstner-Cal Carlson 9, John Hughes-

Wayne Anderson 8, Dave O'Brien-Rod

Wipf 6, Jim Tramp-Norm Willard 6, Barry

O'Connell-Jay Hubner 7, Rodger Brandt-

Bob Zacher 3

LAKEVIEW GOLF COURSE

LADIES TOUR

CHAMPIONSHIP FLIGHT: Pam

VanMeeteren-Alicia Commernann 38,

Penny Thiele-Beth Carlson 40, Lisa

Kelly-Kris Heisk 40

FIRST FLIGHT: Kathy Magorian-

Aime Arens 43, Peggy Eggers-Laura

Huber 43, Tiffany Townsend-Kristen

Monahan 44

SECOND FLIGHT: Carol Leader-

Brenda Leader 49, Mary Pfeiffer-Kathy

List 49, Deanna Lockman-Kim Bren-

nan 49

LADIES LEAGUE

LOW GROSS: Kendra Neugebauer

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LOW NET: Kendra Neugebauer 32

STANDINGS: Andrea Tramp-

Michelle Townsend 125, Deanna

Lockman-Linda Trentille 122, Kendra

Neugebauer-Carolyne Heine-Bally

107, Judy Heine-Kathy Meink 101, Sheri

Moser-Bridget Thoenie 100, Ima Arens-

Kathy Magorian 93, Patty Zavadi-Carol

Leader 82, Norma Geyer-Katie Tramp

76, Sharon Koller-Jane Brown 74, Madi

MacKarrang-Aime Arens 63, Katie Paul-

son-Cheryl Schantz-Carol Schrabel 62,

Donna Steckler-Kim Brannen 49, Emily

Loecker-Linda Fox 45

TUESDAY MEN'S LEAGUE

LOW GROSS: Eric Baily 32

LOW NET: Eric Baily 30, Tom Wie-

belhaus 30

STANDINGS: Baily-Kuchta 53,

Parkyn-Edwards 51, Pokorney-Trenhe-

Anderson-Larson 42, Nelson-Nelson

41, Brady-Sprakel 39, Janssen-Sprakel

36, Wilken-Schuman 35, Nohr-Goeden

34, Ferden-Johannsen 34, Kuchta-

Merkel 33, Wiebelhaus-Wiebelhaus 31,

Christensen-Fisk 29, Haukrick-Paulson

29, Folkers-Kuchta 28, Zayevsky-Pooley

27, Lancaster-Chipman 25, Brauer-

Hysell 26, Jackson-Thunker 25, Wueb-

ben-Mueller 24, Tramp-Leader 22, Mur-

phy-Gail Gubbels 268, Dan Megard-

Jeff Larson 269, Todd Chance-Michael