

P&D PLANNER HOME GAMES IN CAPS
9 TODAY 10 WED 11 THUR 12 FRI 13 SAT 14 SUN 15 MON
YANKTON BUCKS BASKETBALL
MOUNT MARTY BASEBALL
MOUNT MARTY SOFTBALL
SOUTH DAKOTA MEN'S BASKETBALL
SOUTH DAKOTA WOMEN'S BASKETBALL
SOUTH DAKOTA SOFTBALL

OTHER SPORTS

Tennis
USD Women: Tuesday vs. Fairfield & Bowling Green at Orlando, Fla.; Thursday vs. Radford at Orlando; Friday vs. Appalachian State at Orlando

ON THE AIR

Table with columns: Day, Time, Radio, Game details (e.g., HS Boys' BB: YHS at S.F. Roosevelt)

PHOTO OF THE DAY

71 And Counting



Connecticut's Tiffany Hayes (3) has the ball tapped away by Notre Dame's Melissa Lechlittner (23) in first-half action. Connecticut defeated Notre Dame, 59-44, in their Big East Tournament semifinal game at the XL Center in Hartford, Conn., Monday, the 11th straight victory for the Huskies, breaking the NCAA women's basketball record. (Cloe Poisson/Hartford Courant/MCT)

AREA CALENDAR

Tuesday, March 9
BASKETBALL BOYS' S.D. Regions - 1AA (YHS at S.F. Roosevelt, 7:30 p.m., KYNT-AM, KVHT-FM); 4A at Tea (Elk Point-Jefferson vs. Harrisburg, 7 p.m.); 5A at Parkston (McCook Central-Montrose vs. Tri-Valley, 7 p.m.); 7A at Fort Pierre (Winner vs. St. Francis, 7 p.m.); 4B at Tea (Viborg vs. Canistota, 7 p.m.); 6B at Mitchell (Avon vs. Tripp-Delmont-Armour, 7 p.m.)
SOFTBALL COLLEGE Rebel Spring Games at Kissimmee, Fla. (USD vs. Detroit Mercy, noon; USD vs. St. Louis, 4 p.m.)
TENNIS, WOMEN'S USD vs. Fairfield at Orlando, Fla.; USD vs. Bowling Green at Orlando, Fla.
Wednesday, March 10
BASEBALL COLLEGE MMC vs. Calumet College of St. Joseph (DH, 12:30 p.m.)
BASKETBALL MEN'S NAIA Division II Tour. at Branson, Mo.; Great West Conf. Tour. at Orem, Utah
BASKETBALL WOMEN'S NAIA Division II Tour. at Sioux City, Iowa; Great West Conf. Tour. at Orem, Utah
SOFTBALL COLLEGE Rebel Spring Games at Kissimmee, Fla. (USD vs. Sacred Heart, 2 p.m.; USD vs. Youngstown State, 4 p.m.); MMC vs. Purdue-North Central at Tucson (1:30 p.m.); MMC vs. Great Falls at Tucson (3:30 p.m.)
Thursday, March 11
BASEBALL COLLEGE MMC vs. Calumet College of St. Joseph (9 a.m.); MMC vs. Madonna (2 p.m.)
BASKETBALL MEN'S NAIA Division II Tour. at Branson, Mo.; Great West Conf. Tour. at Orem, Utah
BASKETBALL WOMEN'S NAIA Division II Tour. at Sioux City, Iowa; Great West Conf. Tour. at Orem, Utah
BASKETBALL BOYS' Neb. State Tour. at Lincoln - C2 (Harrington CC vs. Archbishop Bergan, 3:45 p.m., KKYA-FM); D1 (Randolph vs. Overton, 2 p.m.)
BASKETBALL GIRLS' S.D. State Class AA Tour. at Huron; S.D. State Class A Tour. at Watertown (Freeman vs. Castledown, 7 p.m.); KVHT-FM; Viborg vs. James Valley Christian, 8:45 p.m., KVHT-FM
SOFTBALL COLLEGE MMC vs. Viterbo at Waterloo (8 p.m.); MMC vs. Jamestown at Tucson (8 p.m.)
Friday, March 12
TENNIS, WOMEN'S USD vs. Radford at Orlando, Fla.
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BASKETBALL BOYS' Neb. State Tour. at Lincoln (Harrington CC, Randolph)
BASKETBALL GIRLS' S.D. State Class AA Tour. at Huron; S.D. State Class A Tour. at Aberdeen (Dakota Valley); S.D. State Class B Tour. at Watertown (Freeman, Viborg)
SOFTBALL COLLEGE Rebel Spring Games at Kissimmee, Fla. (USD vs. Wagner, 8 a.m.; USD vs. Butler, 10 a.m.)
Saturday, March 13
No activities scheduled
Monday, March 15
BASKETBALL MEN'S NAIA Division II Tour. at Branson, Mo.; Great West Conf. Tour. at Orem, Utah
BASKETBALL WOMEN'S NAIA Division II Tour. at Sioux City, Iowa
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Youth Hoops

ROGER HAAS TOURN.
Here is the results for the fourth, fifth and ninth grade portion of the 20th annual Roger Haas Youth Basketball Tournament, which was held March 6 at sites around Yankton.
The tournament for grades 6-8 will be held March 26-27.
Fourth Grade Boys
PAUL'S SWIKE STOP RED
STANDINGS: Siouxland Celtics 3-0, Harrisburg Tigers 2-1, Bon Homme 1-2, Vermilion Blizzard 0-3
FIFTH GRADE GIRLS
CHAMPIONSHIP: Kolberg Pioneer 44, Sioux Valley 42
FOURTH GRADE GIRLS
CHAMPIONSHIP: Kolberg Pioneer 44, Sioux Valley 42
NINTH GRADE GIRLS
FIRST CHIROPRACTIC-FIRST FITNESS RED
STANDINGS: Tri-Valley Mustangs 2-1, Pierce Lady Jays 2-1, Yankton Area Hardware 1-2, MCC 1-2
DAKOTA TRAILER WHITE
CHAMPIONSHIP: Ethan Rustlers 2-1, McCook Central-Montrose 1-2, Bon Homme 0-3
KOLBERG KIDS RED
POOL A: Dakota Valley Panthers 32, Lady Pirates 0; Newcastle Raiders 16, Lady Pirates 15; Dakota Valley 26, Newcastle 2
POOL B: Avon IV 26, Vermilion 4; Vermilion 14, EPJ Huskies 6; Avon 26, EPJ 10
FIFTH GRADE BOYS
JODEAN'S RED
POOL A: Parker 23, Leader Const. 21; Family Health Care 35, Parker 7; Family Health Care 35, Leader Const. 24
POOL B: Sioux Falls Bobcats 30, Bon Homme 28; Sergeant Bluff Warriors 45, Bon Homme 26; Sergeant Bluff 37, Bobcats 23
CHAMPIONSHIP: Family Health Care 43, Sergeant Bluff 33; THIRD: Bobcats 29, Parker 19; FIFTH: Bon Homme 32, Leader Const. 19
VISION REALLY WHITE
POOL A: Sioux Falls Piranhas 38, McCook Central 14; Piranhas 24, Crofton 16; Crofton 13, McCook Central 12
POOL B: Dellis Quarters 42, Yankton Graham Tire 15; Dellis Quarters 10, Avon 20; Graham Tire 14, Yankton Graham Tire 14; Dellis Quarters 24, Third: Dellis Quarters 14, Yankton Graham Tire 11; FIFTH: McCook Central 30, Graham Tire 11
FIFTH GRADE GIRLS
FRY PAN REB
STANDINGS: Lennox Liberty 2-1, Ethan 2-1, Yankton Arby's 2-1, Graham Tire 0-3
Arby's 25, Graham Tire 0; Lennox 20, Ethan 9; Arby's 17, Lennox 14; Ethan 41, Bankers 5; Ethan 34, Arby's 12; Lennox 20, Dakota Valley 11
FULLERTON WHITE
POOL A: Harrisburg Tuff Tigers 36-10; Lady Trojan 22, Eagles 6; Harrisburg Tuff Tigers 18, Tyndall Tornados 16; Dakota Valley Panthers 31, Harrisburg 1; Dakota Valley 14, Tyndall 9
CHAMPIONSHIP: Dakota Valley 23, Lady Trojan 6; THIRD: Harrisburg 16, Eagles 6; FIFTH: Tyndall 28, Bankers 9
NINTH GRADE BOYS
BONANZA RED
FIRST ROUND: Sheldon Orabs 49, McCook Central Cougars 34; Unity Christian 43, Bon Homme Cavs 31; West Central 5-Bombers 71, Sioux Valley 9th 41; Yankton King Buffet 55, Vermilion 43
SEMINALS: Sheldon 55, Unity Christian 31; King Buffet 65, West Central 47; CONSOLATION: McCook Central 48, Bon Homme 51; Vermilion 43, Sioux Valley 20
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SCOREBOARD

Scoreboard table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct, GB, and game details for various leagues like Western Conference, Eastern Conference, etc.

The NHL

NHL scoreboard table with columns: Team, W, L, OT, Pts, GF, GA

The NBA

NBA scoreboard table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct, GB

Prep Hoops

MONDAY, BOYS
Region 6A
Championship: Crow Creek 44, Monrigh-Polk 42
Region 6B
Championship: Crow Creek 44, Monrigh-Polk 42
Region 6C
Championship: Crow Creek 44, Monrigh-Polk 42

Men's Hoops

AP MEN'S TOP TWENTY FIVE
The top 25 teams in the Associated Press' college basketball poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, records through March 7, total points based on 25 points for a first-place vote through one point for a 25th-place vote and previous ranking:
Record Pts Pts
1. Kansas (63) 29-2 1,023
2. Kentucky (2) 29-2 523
3. Syracuse 28-3 1,500
4. Duke 26-5 1,348
5. Ohio St. 24-7 1,344
6. Purdue 26-4 1,252
7. West Virginia 24-6 1,231
8. Michigan State 24-7 1,015
9. Kansas St. 24-6 1,063
10. Villanova 24-6 1,016
11. Butler 23-7 796
12. Wisconsin 23-7 710
14. BYU 28-4 690
14. Butler 23-7 796
15. Tennessee 23-7 650
16. Pittsburgh 24-7 644
17. Temple 26-5 552
18. Gonzaga 26-5 518
19. Maryland 23-7 499
20. Vanderbilt 23-7 480
21. Baylor 24-7 474
22. Georgetown 20-9 277
23. Texas A&M 22-8 271
24. Iowa State 22-8 271
25. UTEP 24-5 134
Others receiving votes: N. Iowa 28-3 1,198
8. Virginia Tech 12, Virginia 12, Louisville 3, Dakota Valley 14, Tyndall 9
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SOCCER

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The S.D. Soccer Association will continue to sponsor its tournament for club teams.
Freeman Academy, which has had a boys' soccer program for several years, operates by both SDHSAA and S.D. Soccer Association rules.
"The thing that will be nice for us is, because we were running it as a school-sponsored sport before, we were following all the rules for the activities association, and then all the rules for the soccer association. And it kinda was a pain for us to do both," said Nathan Epp, who is Freeman Academy's athletic director and soccer coach. "So it will clear things up from an administrative standpoint, in terms of how it's implemented for us."
Many of those extra concerns were due to the sport's club status.
"We had to create player cards, because it was a club sport, we had to create player cards for all our players. We had to follow liability rules for the state soccer association, get insurance, all of that," Epp said. "So now, since that's all done through the activities association and we're members of that association, we won't have to be doing those things anymore."
While Epp does not expect every school to jump in overnight, but he hopes that the process won't set soccer in the state back.
"Schools are struggling to make budgets the way it is. So I was worried that now, once soccer is here, that they're not going to pick it up. Then what do we do?" he said. "I don't know the answer to that. I'm glad they took the step, but I have some concerns moving forward."
No matter how the process goes, Lacombe and others hope that local soccer associations and schools can find a way to work together to provide the best opportunity for the kids.
"We know there are going to be bumps in the road," he said. "But I think we can work together to find a way."

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