Oral Roberts Tops USD In Tennis

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FORT WAYNE, Ind. — Senior Shadi Soleymani and freshman Yamini Reddy each recorded singles wins, but the South Dakota women's tennis team fell short against Oral Roberts on Friday, dropping a 4-2 decision in Summit League action in Fort Wayne, Ind. South Dakota fell to 13-8 overall and 3-4 in the Summit League, while Oral Roberts improved to 6-5 overall and 3-0 in the conference.

Soleymani recorded a hard-fought 3-6, 6-1, 6-1 win over ORU's Kristin Gray at No. 3 singles, while Reddy rolled to a 6-1, 6-4 win at No. 6 singles to account for the Coyote team points on the day. With the outcome of the team match determined, senior Alena Sergeychik saw her match at No. 2 singles go unfinished in the third set. Oral Roberts won three singles matches and swept all

three doubles matches to earn the team point in that cat-

The Coyotes wrap up their first Summit League season on Saturday against Oakland at 2 p.m. in Fort Wayne.

West Boyd Wins Niobrara-Verdigre Boys' Golf Quad EWING, Neb. — West Boyd put three golfers at 44 or

better to win the boys' golf title at Thursday's Niobrara-Verdigre quadrangular at Summerland Golf Course in Ewing, Neb.

The event was moved to Ewing because of poor conditions in Niobrara.

West Boyd carded a team score of 184, led by Brandon Hostert (43), Cody Bernt (43) and Andrew Lechtenberg

Niobrara-Verdigre was second at 193, led by Wyatt Reynolds' round of 43. Clearwater-Orchard's Tyson Schutt won individual honors with a score of 42.

TEAM SCORES: West Boyd 184, Niobrara-Verdigre 193, Clearwater-Orchard 198, Santee 230
INDIVIDUAL: Tyson Schutt CO 42; Wyatt Reynolds NV 43; Brandon Hostert WB 43; Cody Bernt WB 43; Andrew Lechtenberg WB 44; Tate Schutt CO 44; Josh Kemp NV 45; Coy Reynolds NV 47; Dalton Williby CO 49; Weylyn Washington S 50; Nick White S 53; Map Tanyapongpanich WB 54; Kade Mariano NV 58; Tyral Denney S 60; Tyson Peed CO 63; Makenzie Rettig NV 67; Matt Henry S 67; Donovan Pike S 68; Rian Bergman CO 68

Summit League Women's Tourney Ranks Among Nation's Best ELMHURST, III. — The Summit League not only set an

overall women's basketball tournament attendance record earlier this month in Sioux Falls, S.D., but the 17,867 spectators ranked seventh-highest among the 30 conference tournaments

The total women's tournament attendance was only behind the ACC, Big East, Big 10, Big 12, Pac 12 and SEC conferences, which are the nations six 'power conferences'.

In addition to setting the league's overall attendance mark, the championship session (5,153) ranked the thirdhighest in league history and was fifth-best in the nation for 2012 tournaments. The league's first guarterfinal session attendance (5,933) was also ranked fifth in the country, while the semifinal session attendance (4,538) was sev-

USD Looking For Workers For Dakota Duals Track Meet

The University of South Dakota track and field program is looking for volunteer help for the Dakota Duals outdoor track and field meet, scheduled for Friday, April 6, at Williams Field in Yankton.

The meet features USD, as well as South Dakota State University and the University of North Dakota.

Workers are need from 10:45 a.m.-3:45 p.m. Volunteers may also work for part of that time, from 10:45 a.m.-1:30 p.m., or from 1:30-3:45 p.m. No track and field experience is needed.

To volunteer or for more information, contact Dave Gottsleben at david.gottsleben@usd.edu or 605-670-

WSC's Pollard Named NSIC Preseason Athlete Of The Year

WAYNE, Neb. — Wayne State College senior Paige Pollard was announced as the NSIC Women's Preseason Field Athlete of the Year in the NSIC Track and Field Outdoor Preseason Coaches' Poll released by the league office in Burnsville, Minn. Fellow Wildcat athletes Nicole Brungardt and Carly Fehringer were listed as Wayne State women's athletes to watch while, as a team, Wayne State was selected sixth in the NSIC Preseason Women's Outdoor Track and Field Coaches' Poll.

Pollard, from Newcastle, Neb., was named the 2012 NSIC Indoor Track Women's Field Athlete of the Year after repeating as champion of the NSIC indoor pentathlon while also placing fifth in the 800 meter run and sixth in the 400 meter dash. Pollard was an indoor national gualifier in the 800 meter run earlier this season.

Tickets Available For S.D. Sports **Hall of Fame Banquet**

SIOUX FALLS — Advance tickets for the South Dakota Sports Hall of Fame Banquet, scheduled for April 14 at the Sioux Falls Convention Center, are now available.

Wrestler Lincoln McIlravy, an Olympic bronze medalist, and Yankton native Diane (Hiemstra) Gabriel are among 10 people selected for induction into the South Dakota Sports Hall of Fame.

The other honorees are basketball players Gabriel, Rick Nissen and Steve Brown, athlete/coach Jim Kampen, volleyball coach Galen Busch, gymnastics coach Sheri Keck, baseball coach Mark Ekeland and football players Clarence Schutte and Dan Dworsky. McIlravy lives in Solon, Iowa; Nissen in Rogers, Minn.;

Busch in Mission; Keck in Rapid City; Ekeland in Brookings; Brown in Chanhassen, Minn.; Dworsky in Los Angeles: and Gabriel in Santa Barbara, Calif. Kampen and Schutte are being honored posthumously.

With this class of inductees, the hall will boast a mem-The banquet starts with a social at 4:30 p.m., followed

by dinner at 6:00 p.m. and the induction ceremony at 7:00

All ticket sales will be handled by Dakota Sports, 2802 W 41st Street, Sioux Falls with a limited number of tickets available at the door. Advance tickets are available by calling Dakota Sports at 332-2131 or toll free 1-800-888-2193. After April 11, no ticket orders will be accepted; those wishing to attend the banquet will have to purchase tickets at

Montana Selects Interim Athletic Director, Football Coach

MISSOULA, Mont. (AP) — The University of Montana has picked associate head coach Mick Delaney to serve as the interim head coach after the firing of Robin Pflugrad.

The school on Friday also picked Jean Gee as interim athletic director after Jim O'Day's dismissal.

University President Royce Engstrom fired Pflugrad and O'Day on Thursday. No reason was given for the firings beyond Engstrom telling Pflugrad that the university needed a change in leadership. The firings capped six months of tumult for the univer-

sity and the football program, which was dealing with sexual assault allegations against two players. Delanev has been on the Montana coaching staff for four seasons.

Gee has served as the associate athletic director for Montana for the past eight years.

Weeks Named Doane Men's Basketball Coach

CRETE, Neb. — Doane College Athletic Director Greg Heier announced Friday the hiring of Jim Weeks as head men's basketball coach for the Tigers. Weeks, a 1985 Doane graduate, joins the Tiger coaching staff following a

long tenure at Beatrice High School. In 26 years, 24 at Beatrice, Weeks won 441 games and led Beatrice to three state titles (1998, 2005, 2008), three runner-up finishes. 13 Class B semifinal appearances and a 3rd Place finish at the Class B Boys State Tournament this past season. Beatrice has qualified for the state tournament in 15 of the past 17 years.

He replaces Ian Brown who resigned after 10 years at the helm of the Tiger program. Doane returns three starters, including a pair of all-conference players, from

Nebraska Pays Colorado State \$350,000 To Buy Out Miles

LINCÓLN, Neb. (AP) - Nebraska has paid the \$350,000 new basketball coach Tim Miles owed Colorado State for breaking his contract with the Rams.

Associate athletic director Marc Boehm confirmed the payment on Friday, Miles' contract at CSU required the 350,000 buyout if he left before June 30. Miles had signed a three-year contract extension with

the Rams last spring. Nebraska hired him last week.

ished within two weeks.

Boehm said Miles' contract at Nebraska could be fin-

Schwartz Longballa, Paule To **Enter Creighton Hall**

OMAHA, Neb. (AP) — The Creighton University Athletic Hall of Fame will add two members on April 9 at a banquet at the DoubleTree Hotel in downtown Omaha. This year's inductees are Jody Schwartz Longballa and Ross Paule (PAWL'-ee).

Schwartz Longballa becomes the sixth softball representative to enter the hall and first since Heidi Geier Woodard in 2006. Playing under her maiden name Jody Schwartz, she was named a first-team All-American as a senior in 1988, when she hit .340 with 10 doubles, four home runs and 36 RBIs.

Paule played only three years at Creighton (1994-96) before being drafted into Major League Soccer. He remains the only soccer player in school history to have earned first-team All-Missouri Valley Conference honors in his first three seasons.

Bucks Wrestling Awards Banquet April 2

The Yankton High School wrestling team will host its awards banquet on Monday, April 2, starting at 5:30 p.m. in the YHS Commons.

All wrestlers, cheerleaders, managers, coaches, family members and fans are invited to attend.

Lakeview Women's Golf Meeting April 4

CROFTON, Neb. — The Crofton Lakeview ladies golf league will hold its organizational meeting on Wednesday, April 4, at 7 p.m. at Lakeview Golf Course at the club house.

For more information, call league secretary Bonnie Gusso at 605-660-3946.

River Rat Run Or Bike April 28

The annual River Rat Run or Bike event will be held Saturday, April 28, at Yankton. The race will start and end at Riverside Park

Races begin at 8 a.m. with the marathon and marathon relay. The half-marathon begins at 8:30 a.m., followed by the 5K at 8:45 a.m., the bike race at 9:30 a.m. and the kids' fun run at 10 a.m. All participants are asked to report to the start line at least 30 minutes before the start of their respective race. For more information, go online to www.riverrat-

marathon.com. Registrations are being taken online at www.allsportcentral.com.

MMC Alumni Volleyball Tourney April 12 Mount Marty College will host its annual Alumni Volley-

ball Tournament on Wednesday, April 21, starting at 10 a.m. in Laddie E. Cimpl Arena.

Teams will play a round robin format to determine placement for the tournament. All money raised will go directly to the volleyball program and all donations are taxdeductible. Winners of the event will receive a commemorative t-shirt.

An online registration form can be found at www.mtmc.edu/athletics/volleyball.

For questions or more information, contact MMC head volleyball coach Candice Climer at 668-1366 or candice.climer@mtmc.edu.

Youth Soccer Coaches Clinic April 14

The Yankton Youth Soccer Association will host U6/U8/U10/U12 youth modules for ALL youth recreation coaches and anyone else interested on Saturday, April 14 at the Summit Activities Center. The time for the U6/U8 clinic is from 8 a.m.-noon and

the U10/U12 clinic is from 1-5 p.m. Participants may attend both training sessions, and both courses will be presented by a South Dakota State Certified Coach. There is no cost to attend the course. Contact Dave

LaCombe at soccerdave@vyn.midco.net to reserve your seat or for additional information.

SMA Spring Scramble April 28 The University of South Dakota Sports Management

Alliance will hold a "Spring Scramble" golf tournament on Saturday, April 28, at Fox Run Golf Course. The event begins with a 1 p.m. shotgun start. The 18-

hole team tournament will be followed by dinner at the golf For more information, contact event coordinator An-

drew Baker at 720-273-1347 or Andrew Baker@usd.edu, SMA treasurer Kole Nordmann at 605-261-8610 or Kole.Nordmann@usd.edu, or facultiy sponsor Dr. Robin Ammon at 605-677-5933 or Robin.Ammon@usd.edu.

Information on the event and on registration is also online http://sites.google.com/site/smaspringscramble

Men's Softball Meeting April 9

The Yankton men's softball league will hold a preseason meeting on Monday, April 9, at 7 p.m. at the Summit Activities Center meeting room.

Individuals interested in having a team in the league or interested in participating in the league are asked to attend. Contact Craig Shelburg at 605-661-1895 for more information.

Correction

Due to incorrect information supplied to the Press & Dakotan, a photo of the Yankton Bucks sixth grade boys'

basketball team did not have one player listed. Kobe Bowker was omitted from the photo cutline.

SCOREBOARD

VOLLEYBALL YANKTON PARKS & REC WOMEN'S B LEAGUE TOURN. RESULTS: In It 4 Fun def. Clark's Rentals 2-1 21-18, 19-21, 21-14; Slammin Hot def. In It 4

Fun 2-0 21-14, 21-17 WOMEN'S UPPER B LEAGUE TOURN. RESULTS: Skerrs def. Bud Bumpers 2-1 21-12, 9-21, 21-13; Ear, Nose & Throat Associ-ates def. The Walnut 2-0 21-16, 21-15; Skerrs def. The Walnut 2-0 21-12, 21-6; Ear. Nose & Throat Associates def. Skerrs 2-0 21-15, 21-17

WOMEN'S A LEAGUE TOURN.
RESULTS: Ranek's Pioneer Seed def.
Drotzmann Construction 2-0 21-17, 21-15; Ranek's Pioneer Seed def. Rounding 3rd 2-1 16-21, 21-15, 21-19; Westy's Electric def. The Dig-

BASKETBALL

YANKTON PARKS & REC

MEN'S B LEAGUE TOURN. SEMIFINALS: B-Schoolers def. Spinal Tappers 81-63; Anytime Fitness def. Phinney's 88-77

NCAA WOMEN'S TOURN. FINAL FOUR At Pepsi Center, Denver National Semifinals

Sunday, April 1 Notre Dame (34-3) vs. UConn (33-4), 5:30 Baylor (38-0) vs. Stanford (35-1), 8 p.m

NCAA TOURNAMENT

At The Superdome, New Orleans National Semifinals Saturday, March 31

Ohio State (31-7) vs. Kansas (31-6), 7:49

WOMEN'S NAT. INV. TOURN. Saturday, March 31 James Madison (29-7) at Oklahoma State (21-12), 2 p.m.

NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOC. EASTERN CONFERENCE GB Boston Philadelphia 3 1/2 New York .500 3 1/2 .327 12 1/2 New Jersey Toronto .327 12 1/2 Miami Orlando .740 .615 Atlanta Washington Charlotte .585 7 1/2 .235 25 1/2 .143 29 1/2 Central Division GB Pct x-Chicago Indiana Milwaukee .600 10 1/2 .471 17 Detroit Cleveland .353 .347 23 23 WESTERN CONFERENCE San Antonio .714 .566 7 8 Memphis Houston .551 .538 .255 23 New Orleans Northwest Division GB Pct .765 — .538 11 1/2 .529 12 .472 15 .471 15 Oklahoma City Denver Utah Minnesota Portland Pacific Division Pct GB

Sacramento

Golden State

Thursday's Games Indiana 93, Washington 89 Miami 106, Dallas 85 Portland 99, New Orleans 93 Oklahoma City 102, L.A. Lakers 93

Friday's Games Denver 99, Charlotte 88 Miami 113. Toronto 101 Washington 97, Philadelphia 76 Atlanta 100, New York 90 Milwaukee 121, Cleveland 84 Chicago 83, Detroit 71 Houston 98, Memphis 89 Boston 100, Minnesota 79 New Jersey at Golden State, 10:30 p.m. Portland at L.A. Clippers, 10:30 p.m.

Saturday's Games
New Orleans at L.A. Lakers, 2:30 p.m.
Charlotte at Detroit, 6:30 p.m.
Cleveland at New York, 6:30 p.m. Atlanta at Philadelphia, 6:30 p.m. Indiana at San Antonio, 7:30 p.m. Memphis at Milwaukee, 7:30 p.m. New Jersey at Sacramento, 9 p.m. Utah at L.A. Clippers, 9:30 p.m.

Sunday's Games Chicago at Oklahoma City, noon Miami at Boston, 2:30 p.m.
Washington at Toronto, 5 p.m. Denver at Orlando, 5 p.m. Indiana at Houston, 6 p.m. Minnesota at Portland, 8 p.m.
New Orleans at Phoenix, 8 p.m.
Golden State at L.A. Lakers, 8:30 p.m.

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Friday's Games Winnipeg 4, Carolina 3, OT Columbus 4, Florida 1 N.Y. Rangers 4, Montreal 1 Pittsburgh 5, Buffalo 3 20 29 .408 10 17 33 .340 13 1/2 x-clinched playoff spot Nashville 4. Detroit 1

Saturday's Games Boston at N.Y. Islanders, noon Ottawa at Philadelphia, noon Buffalo at Toronto, 6 p.m. Montreal at Washington, 6 p.m. New Jersey at Carolina, 6 p.m.

> Sunday's Games Philadelphia at Pittsburgh, 11:30 a.m. Ottawa at N.Y. Islanders, 2 p.m. Florida at Detroit, 3 p.m. Boston at N.Y. Rangers, 6 p.m. Minnesota at Chicago, 6 p.m. Edmonton at Anaheim, 7 p.m.

MLB SPRING TRAINING Thursday's Games Minnesota 11, Pittsburgh 6 Washington (ss) 6, Atlanta 3 Miami 3, St. Louis 1

Philadelphia 2, Tampa Bay 1 Toronto 3, Boston 2 L.A. Angels 11, Kansas City 8 Cincinnati 9, Milwaukee 3 Colorado 6. Cleveland (ss) 3 Chicago White Sox 3, L.A. Dodgers 1 San Diego 12, Chicago Cubs 11 Arizona 5, Cleveland (ss) 4

Minnesota (ss) 4. Toronto 1 Boston 9, Minnesota (ss) 7 Pittsburgh 3, Tampa Bay 3, tie Detroit 6, Baltimore 3 L.A. Angels 9, Arizona 2 Milwaukee 9 I A Dodgers (ss) 4 Washington 3, Miami 2 Atlanta (ss) 3, Houston (ss) 1 N.Y. Yankees 13, Philadelphia 9 Houston (ss) 5, Atlanta (ss) 1

San Francisco vs. San Diego at Peoria, Ariz., 10:05 p.m.

Texas vs. Colorado at Scottsdale, Ariz., 10:10 p.m.

12:05 p.m.
Pittsburgh (ss) vs. Minnesota at Fort Myers, Fla., 12:05 p.m.

Fla., 12:05 p.m St. Louis vs. Washington at Viera, Fla., Detroit vs. Atlanta at Kissimmee, Fla., 12:05

Baltimore vs. Pittsburgh (ss) at Bradenton,

Fla., 12:05 p.m. Boston vs. Tampa Bay at Port Charlotte, Fla., 12:05 p.m.

N.Y. Mets vs. Miami at Jupiter. Fla., 12:05 Milwaukee vs. San Diego (ss) at Peoria,

L.A. Angels vs. Chicago Cubs at Mesa, Ariz., 3:05 p.m. Colorado vs. Chicago White Sox at Glendale, Ariz., 3:05 p.m.

L.A. Dodgers vs. Arizona (ss) at Scottsdale, Ariz., 3:10 p.m.

Sunday's Games

12:05 p.m.

Detroit (ss) vs. N.Y. Mets at Port St. Lucie, Fla., 12:10 p.m. N.Y. Yankees at Miami, 12:10 p.m.

lampa Bay vs. Baltimore at Sarasota, Fla.,

Minnesota vs. Boston at Fort Myers, Fla.,

Cleveland vs. Colorado at Scottsdale, Ariz., 3:10 p.m.

BASEBALL COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE—Suspended free agent minor league LHP Lary Vasquez 50 games after testing positive for metabolites of Stanozolol in violation of the Minor League Drug

bus (IL). Reassigned C Luke Carlin, INF Andy LaRoche, LHP Chris Seddon, RHP Chris Ray and RHP Robinson Tejeda to minor league camp. Placed RHP Matt Bush on the restricted

NEW YORK YANKEES—Released INF Russell Branyan from his minor league contract, then re-signed him to a new minor league con-

tract. Assigned C Craig Tatum outright to Scranton/Wilkes-Barre (IL).

Livan Her PHILADEL PHILLIES—Traded INF/OF

PITTSBURGH PIRATES—Traded RHP Ryota Igarashi to Toronto for a player to be named or cash considerations.

and Vogelsong to March 27.
WASHINGTON NATIONALS—Selected the contract of OF Rick Ankiel from Syracuse (IL).

parek. Released RHP Josh Roberts. KANSAS CITY T-BONES—Released RHP

Steven Stewart. LAREDO LEMURS—Released OF Sean M. San Diego vs. Texas at Surprise, Ariz., 3:05 Smith. SIOUX CITY EXPLORERS—Traded RHP David Trahan and INF Brett Flowers to Ehime

Mandarin (Japan) for cash. SIOUX FALLS PHEASANTS—Signed OF Jonny Kaplan. WICHITA WINGNUTS—Signed RHP Jose

Atlantic League LONG ISLAND DUCKS—Signed OF James McOwen. Frontier League EVANSVILLE OTTERS—Signed LHP Gar-Bullock and RHP Steve Matre.
FLORENCE FREEDOM—Signed RHP Ri-

cardo Serrano. LAKE ERIE CRUSHERS—Signed INF Justin Figueroa NORMAL CORNBELTERS—Placed 1B Steven Alexander, 3B Daniel Cox, and RHP Bobby Pritchett on the suspended list. Released

UT Justin Smith. RIVER CITY RASCALS—Signed OF Jason Patton. Released 1B Logan Williams. SCHAUMBURG BOOMERS—Signed RHP Alex Thieroff.

North American League SAN ANGELO COLTS—Traded INF Danny nandez to Evansville (Frontier) for OF Jamar BASKETBALL

National Basketball Association
NBA—Fined L.A. Clippers F Reggie Evans
\$25,000 for making an obscene gesture during
Monday's game against New Orleans.
CLEVELAND CAVALIERS—Signed G Lester Hudson to a 10-day contract. HOUSTON ROCKETS-Assigned F Mal-

NBA Development League IDAHO STAMPEDE—Re-signed F Antoine Walker. Signed F Derrick Caracter. Waived G Tony Bobbitt and G Chris Davis.

FOOTBALL National Football League
NFL—Suspended N.Y. Giants RB Andre
Brown four games for violating the league policy
on performance enhancing substances.
CARCLINA PANTHERS—Traded RB Mike
Goodson to Oakland for OT Bruce Campbell.

CINCINNATI BENGALS—Agreed to terms with LB Manny Lawson.

NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS—Re-signed WR Deion Branch. Signed FB Tony Fiammetta

and FB Spencer Larsen SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS-Waived WR Dontavia Bogan. HOCKEY National Hockey League

AREA CALENDAR

Saturday, March 31 BASEBALL, CLUB HIGH SCHOOL Sergeant Bluff at Yankton (DH, noon) **SOFTBALL, WOMEN'S** USD at S.D. State (DH); Morningside Tourn. (MMC vs. Jamestown, 3 p.m.; MMC vs. Dickinson TENNIS, BOYS' S.C. North/Vermillion at

YHS (9 a.m.) BASEBALL, COLLEGE MMC at Midland (DH, 1 p.m.)

Phillip Danault to Rockford (AHL). returned him to Ohlahoma City.

NEW YORK ISLANDERS—Returned G

Pielmeier from Elmira (ECHL).

BINGHAMTON SENATORS—Assigned D
Josh Godfrey to Elmira (ECHL). Recalled G
Timo Pielmeier from Elmira. ECHL—Suspended Ontario F Jason Beeman two games and fined him an undisclosed amount for his actions during Wednesday's

SOFTBALL, WOMEN'S Morningside

Tourn. (MMC vs. Valley City State, 11 a.m.; MMC vs. Dakota State, 1 p.m.) Monday, April 2 GOLF, BOYS' Mount Vernon Inv. at

Lakeview GC, Mitchell (Andes Central, Bon Homme, Platte-Geddes, 9 a.m.)

GOLF, GIRLS' Brandon Valley/Brookings at YHS (2 p.m.); Mount Vernon Inv. at Lakeview GC, Mitchell (Andes Central, Bon

Homme, Parkston, Platte-Geddes, 9 a.m.)

COLLEGE NCAA—Named Joel McGormley managing director of infractions committees, effective June

CHOWAN—Announced men's basketball

coach Dan DeRose will not be retained. DOANE-Named Jim Weeks men's basket KENNESAW STATE—Named Orlando

football coach and Jean Gee interim athletic di-WISCONSIN-OSHKOSH—Announced the

SCOTTSDALE, Ariz. (AP) — Jamie Moyer, at 49 years

Moyer, who is entering his 25th major-league season.

against the Houston Astros. The left-hander will follow right-hander Jeremy

Nicasio and Jhoulys Chacin. With an off day on April 10, the Rockies will open the

ety of options and looks."

fensive side of his squad. "Defensively, we lost only two starters from last season," Gault said. "So the expectations are high for the starting nine to make the

Joe Mazour, Peter Haught, Collin Olson, and Damerius Johnson. Jayce Huska is currently the only sophomore that is expected to make some appearances for the Tanagers.

COFFE WEEKDAYS MONDAY-FRIDAY londay, April 2 7:40 am Yankton County Commissi (Bruce Jensen, Allen Sinclair) 8:15 am YSD Foundation (Pauline Rhoades) Tuesday, April 3

7:40 am Yankton Library

(Kathy Jacobs)

8:15 am Hy-Vee Dietician

(Rachel Pinos)

(Crystal Nelson)

8:45 am Dakota Territorial Museum

Gault pointed to a few things that will lead to a successful season for Vermillion. "Without sounding too much like a broken record, pitchers will

need to throw strikes, and our defense will need to make plays,' Gault said. "The introduction of wood bats will provide for a much more pitcher and defense oriented game. Something that plays along nicely with our small ball philoso-"That doesn't mean that we don't have the hitting to put lots of

off of base, it takes pressure off of Gault feels that the experience

runs up on our opponents," Gault

said. "But if we keep other teams

of his team will lead to a successful

season. "This is a very experienced group of ballplayers with proven success," Gault said alluding to a state Teener title won by Vermillion and a successful legion seawith offseason workouts, and a year of growth with our younger

for the Region 1B title. Vermillion opened their season with a split against the Sioux City Bancrofts. Vermillion won the first game 9-4, before dropping game

two 4-1. Vermillion improved to 2-1 on the early season with a 9-3 win

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Project. So far, the club hasn't flinched, declining comment in

L.A. Clippers Phoenix

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"I fear what will happen is that they will try to work out some sham solution with the company," Burk said in an interview with CNN. "The company has a huge responsibility here not to undermine its first female CEO. ..

accordance with its policy that

membership issues remain pri-

"It does put IBM in a tough spot, but it's all their own making," she continued. "They've had nine years to help this club come into the 21st century. They've done nothing about it. Now, they're both in a bind. There's only one way to solve

this — well, there are two. IBM can pull out and say, 'We want nothing else to do with this. These are not the values of our company.' 'Or the club can relent and

members.' Those are the only two options that are viable that are going to wash with the pub-

Not even close.

say, 'We welcome women as

The first time the all-male membership flap raised its head, most people simply yawned. Polls at the time showed American evenly split on the issue. When the question was framed another way, whether it was all right for executives of companies with policies against gender discrimination to belong to Augusta,

35 percent "No." Most people apparently bought the argument that as a private club, members had the

52 percent responded "Yes," and

Colorado at Calgary, 9 p.m. Los Angeles at Edmonton, 9:30 p.m. Dallas at Vancouver, 10 p.m.

Winnipeg at Tampa Bay, 6 p.m. Columbus at St. Louis, 7 p.m. Chicago at Nashville, 7 p.m. Los Angeles at Minnesota, 7 p.m. Anaheim at Phoenix, 8 p.m. Calgary at Vancouver, 9 p.m. Dallas at San Jose, 9:30 p.m.

BASEBALL

Washington (ss) 5, Detroit 3 N.Y. Mets 9. Houston 1 Baltimore 4, N.Y. Yankees 3 San Francisco 6, Texas 2

Chicago White Sox vs. Kansas City at Surprise, Ariz., 9:05 p.m.

Saturday's Games Toronto vs. Philadelphia at Clearwater, Fla.,

N.Y. Yankees vs. Houston at Kissimmee,

Arizona (ss) vs. Kansas City at Surprise. Ariz., 3:05 p.m.

Cincinnati vs. San Francisco at Scottsdale, Ariz., 5:05 p.m. San Diego (ss) vs. Seattle at Peoria, Ariz., 8:05 p.m. Texas vs. Cleveland at Goodyear, Ariz., 9:05

Philadelphia vs. Atlanta at Kissimmee. Fla..

12:05 p.m. Houston vs. Detroit (ss) at Lakeland, Fla., 12:05 p.m. Pittsburgh vs. Toronto at Dunedin, Fla.,

12:35 p.m. Chicago Cubs vs. L.A. Angels at Tempe, Ariz., 3:05 p.m.

Grove Wins Section At Texas AUSTIN, Texas - Freshman Emily Grove won the Section B of the women's pole vault to lead the South 78 48 20 10 106 202 151 Dakota track and field teams in competition Friday at the Texas Relays in Austin, Texas. The meet is one of 78 46 27 5 97 240 195 the largest outdoor events of the collegiate track sea-

section, topping athletes from Duke, Oklahoma, Texas. 79 40 33 6 80 201 \times 6 85 201 \times 6 87 201 \times 6 83 28 15 85 191 215 77 32 35 10 74 164 212 is closing in on the school outdoor record of 14-2 $\frac{1}{2}$ set 77 31 37 9 71 207 226 by sophomore Bethany Buell at the Aztec Open on Kansas and Texas A&M in the competition. That mark Junior Alexa Duling ran a time of 14.20 in the 100meter hurdles but did not qualify for the finals. A day earlier, she set a new school record in the 400-meter

Grove set a personal-best of 13-9 ¼ in winning the

hurdles. Senior Kenna Wolter (Santa Maria, Calif.) recorded a jump of 39-2 ½ in the triple jump and placed 15th in Section A. Buell will be the final Coyote to compete at the event on Saturday as she will compete in the pole vault. The Covotes will also have athletes competing at the Arkansas Spring Invitational in Fayetteville, Ark., and

the Wildcat Classic in Wayne, Neb., on Saturday.

Augusta National's membership rules sound no more exclusionary than the Girl Scouts. What's been overlooked so far is that Rometty hardly needs help. She didn't get where she is by issuing veiled threats or relying on other people to fight her battles. If playing golf alongside a cadre of aging corporate chieftains on the manicured lawn at Augusta matters to her, she'll find a way to get it done. After all, she's got more than enough experience beating them head-to-head

right to associate with whomever

they pleased. Johnson took pains

as the fight escalated to moder-

nament rolled around, he made

ate his tone. By the time the tour-

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at much tougher games than golf.

San Francisco vs. Milwaukee at Phoenix. 3:05 p.m. Chicago White Sox vs. Cincinnati at Goodyear, Ariz., 3:05 p.m.

Arizona vs. L.A. Dodgers at Glendale, Ariz., 3:05 p.m. Kansas City vs. Seattle at Peoria, Ariz., 3:05

D. Perez. **TRANSACTIONS**

Prevention and Treatment Program, effective upon signing with a major league organization. American League
CLEVELAND INDIANS—Optioned LHP
Nick Hagadone and INF Russ Canzler to Colum-

KANSAS CITY ROYALS-Agreed to terms with OF Alex Gordon on a four-year contract.

LOS ANGELES ANGELS—Selected the contract of RHP Jason Isringhausen from Salt Lake (PCL). Optioned OF Mike Trout to Salt

National League
ATLANTA BRAVES—Agreed to terms with
RHP Livan Hernandez on a one-year contract.
HOUSTON ASTROS—Released RHP

SAN DIEGO PADRES—Agree to terms with P Cory Luebke on a contract extension.

SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS—Released INF Mike Fontenot Placed 2B Freddy Sanchez RHP Ryan Vogelsong, LHP Eric Surkamp and LHP Dan Runzler on the 15-day DL; Sanchez, Surkamp and Runzler retroactive to March 26,

American Association
FARGO-MOORHEAD REDHAWKS— Signed RHP Jack Frawley and RHP Kenn Kas-

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routine play often." ers that are expected to make an impact this season are seniors

(AHL).
CHICAGO BLACKHAWKS—Assigned F EDMONTON OILERS—Recalled LW Mag-nus Paajarvi from Oklahoma City (AHL) and then

Kevin Poulin to Bridgeport (AHL). SAN JOSE SHARKS—Signed C Travis
Oleksuk to an entry-level contract.

American Hockey League
ALBANY DEVILS—Recalled G Timo

BOSTON BRUINS—Reassigned D Zach McKelvie to Reading (ECHL) from Providence GWINNETT GLADIATORS—Signed F Central Hockey League
TEXAS BRAHMAS—Signed F Brett Findlay.

Jamie Shewchuk from injured reserve.

Gonzalez assistant volleyball coach.
MONTANA—Named Mick Delaney interim

game at Colorado. ELMIRA JACKALS—Signed F Nick Dineen and G. loe Palmer

old, has made the Colorado Rockies starting rotation. Rockies manager Jim Tracy announced Friday that Mover would be one of his five starters to begin the sea-

Guthrie in the rotation and precede right-handers Juan

Tanagers

Gault also spoke about the de-

Other Tanagers baseball play-Cody Sommervold and Mitch Ellison. Juniors that are expected to see some time on the diamond are:

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Colm Thomas to Rio Grande Malley (NBADL). NEW JERSEY NETS—Signed F Dennis Horner to a 10-day contract. MOYER Earns Spot With Rockies

will start the Rockies' second game of the season April 7

season with a four-man rotation. Left-hander Drew Pomeranz will join the rotation and make his first start April 15.

> son. "The coaching staff feels that players, we should be in the hunt



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