SPORTS BRIEFS

Redmen To Throw Out First Pitch For MMC Baseball

Trey Redman, a sixth grader at Yankton Middle School, will throw out the ceremonial first pitch prior to the baseball doubleheader between Winnipeg and Mount Marty, scheduled for Saturday at 1 p.m. at Riverside Field.

Redman recently participated in the Special Olympics State Jr Unified Basketball Tournament in Pierre where his team went 4-0 and was awarded the Gold Medal. Redman also participates in 6th grade basketball, traveling basketball, golf, and is a bat boy for a U11 Yankton baseball team.

MMC opens the home portion of its season today (Friday) against Winnipeg. The

doubleheader will start at 3 p.m. The Lancers and Winnipeg will also play a doubleheader on Sunday, starting at noon.

Admission to all MMC home regular season baseball games is free.

CBH-CBC All-Star Games Set For Alexandria Tuesday

ALEXANDRIA — The annual Custer Battlefield Highway Conference vs. Cornbelt Conference Senior All-Star Games will be held Tuesday, March 25, at the Hanson School

The girls' game begins at 5:30 p.m., with the boys' game set for 7:15 p.m.

The CBC girls' roster will feature Marion's

Briana Davis and Erica Schoenwald, Freeman's Nicole Saarie and Megan Eisenbeis, and Menno's Kylee Kessler on the CBC roster. Also on the Cornbelt squad are Canistota's Jenny Hofer, Chloe Nielsen and Morgan Larson; Hanson's Sydney Dodd and Leah Marsh, Howard's Maria Noid and Bridgewater-Emery's Brooklyne Smart.

The CBH roster will include Sanborn Central-Woonsocket's Shelby Selland, Rachel Selland and Marissa Weber; Corsica-Stickney's Brianna Kuyper and Jackie Dethlefsen, Kimball-White Łake's Mary Kroupa and Jazmyn Hinker, Mount Vernon-Plankinton's Becca Glanzer, Mitchell Christian's Cassidy Graham and Ethan's Bailey Grenoble.

The CBC boys' roster features Marion's

AREA CALENDAR

Jacob Wuertz and Nick Gortmaker, Freeman's Joe Weier and Nick Hilderbrand, and Menno's Chet Peterson. Also on the Cornbelt squad are Bridgewater-Emery's Wade Miller and Jaden Weber, Canistota's Nick Hofer and Howard's David Weidler.

The CBH boys' roster includes Mount Vernon-Plankinton's Deric Denning, Cote Hinker and Nick Lawson, Ethan's Blake Bartcher, Jace Connor and Tyler Myers; Sanborn Central-Woonsocket's Davion Brooks and Tyler Krueger, Corsica-Stickney's Darren Fallis and Mitchell Christian's Wes Vander Pol. Denning is a Mount Marty College basketball and baseball recruit.

The teams will be coached in the games by coaches from MMC and Dakota Wesleyan.

SCOREBOARD

BASKETBALL

S.D. STATE AA BOYS' TOURN. March 20-22 at Rushmore Plaza Civic Center, Rapid City

First Round, March 20 Sioux Falls Lincoln 62, Huron 57 Sioux Falls Washington 63, Pierre 50 R.C. Stevens 72, Sturgis 48 S.F. Roosevelt 59, Yankton 53 Consolation, March 21

Semifinals, March 21 Lincoln vs. Washington, 7 p.m. Stevens vs. Roosevelt, 8:45 p.m

S.D. STATE A BOYS' TOURN. March 20-22 at Sioux Falls First Round, March 20

Madison 67, Tri-Valley 38 St. Thomas More 41, Cheyer Eagle Butte 25 Tea Area 70, Pine Ridge 69 No. 3 Sioux Valley (19-3) vs. No. 6 Sisseton (17-5), 7:45 p.m. Consolation, March 21 Tri-Valley vs. CEB, noon

Pine Ridge vs. Sioux Valley-Sisseton loser, 1:45 p.m. Semifinals, March 21 Madison vs. STM, 6 p.m. Tea Area vs. Sioux Valley-Sissetor

S.D. STATE B BOYS' TOURN. March 20-22 at Aberdeen First Round, March 20

James Valley Christian 85, Cente Potter County 61, Faith 58 Platte-Geddes 58, Langford 50 Ethan 73 White River 62 Langford vs. White River, 1:45 p.m Semifinals, March 21 JVC vs. Potter County, 6 p.m. Platte-Geddes vs. Ethan winner,

NCAA TOURNAMENT

FIRST ROUND At UD Arena, Dayton, Ohio Tuesday, March 18

Albany (N.Y.) 71, Mount St. Mary's N.C. State 74, Xavier 59 Wednesday, March 19 Cal Poly 81. Texas Southern 69

lowa (20-12) vs. Tennessee (21-12), 30 minutes following SECOND ROUND EAST REGIONAL At First Niagara Center, Buffalo, N.Y.

Villanova (28-4) vs. Milwaukee (21-13), 30 minutes following

At Spokane Arena, Spokane, Wash.

Harvard 61, Cincinnati 57 Michigan State 93, Delaware 78 Friday, March 21

At PNC Arena, Raleigh, N.C. Memphis (23-9) vs. George Washington (24-8), 5:55 p.m. Virginia (28-6) vs. Coastal Carolina (21-12), 30 minutes following
At The AT&T Center, San Antonio North Carolina (23-9) vs. Providence

(23-11), 6:20 p.m. Iowa State (26-7) vs. North Carolina Central (28-5), 30 minutes following SOUTH REGIONAL Thursday, March 20

At First Niagara Center, Buffalo, N.Y.
Dayton 60, Ohio State 59 Syracuse 77, Western Michigan 53
At The Amway Center, Orlando, Fla. Pittsburgh 77, Colorado 48 Florida 67, Albany (N.Y.) 55

At Scottrade Center, St. Louis New Mexico (27-6) vs. Stanford (21-12), 12:40 p.m. Kansas (24-9) vs. Eastern Kentucky At Viejas Arena, San Diego

VCU (26-8) vs. Stephen F. Austin UCLA (26-8) vs. Tulsa (21-12), 30 minutes following MIDWEST REGIONAL

At The Amway Center, Orlando, Fla. Saint Louis 83, N.C. State 80, OT Louisville (29-5) vs. Manhattan (25-7), 30 minutes following
At BMO Bradley Center, Milwaukee Michigan 57, Wofford 40 Texas (23-10) vs. Arizona State (21-11). 30 minutes following

Friday, March 21
At PNC Arena, Raleigh, N.C. Duke (26-8) vs. Mercer (26-8), 12:15 UMass (24-8) vs. Iowa-Teni

winner, 30 minutes following At Scottrade Center, St. Louis Wichita State (34-0) vs. Cal Poly (14-19), 6:10 p.m. Kentucky (24-10) vs. ... (20-12), 30 minutes following WEST REGIONAL ntucky (24-10) vs. Kansas State

At BMO Bradley Center, Milwaukee Wisconsin 75, American 35 Oregon 87, BYU 68 At Spokane Arena, Spokane, Wash

North Dakota State 80, Oklahoma San Diego State (29-4) vs. New Mexico State (26-9), 30 minutes follow-

Friday, March 21 At The AT&T Center, San Antonio Baylor (24-11) vs. Nebraska (19-12), Creighton (26-7) vs. Louisiana-

Lafayette (23-11), 30 minutes following

At Viejas Arena, San Diego

Arizona (30-4) vs. Weber State (19-11), 1:10 n.m Gonzaga (28-6) vs. Oklahoma State

NCAA WOMEN'S TOURNAMENT LINCOLN REGIONAL Duke (27-6) vs. Winthrop (24-8), 10

DePaul (27-6) vs. Oklahoma (18-14), 12:30 p.m. At Los Angeles

Nebraska (25-6) vs. Fresno State (22-10), 3 p.m. N.C. State (25-7) vs. BYU (26-6), Sunday, March 23 At Storrs, Conn.

Georgia (20-11) vs. Saint Joseph's ÚConn (34-0) vs. Prairie View (14-At College Station Gonzaga (29-4) vs. James Madison

(28-5), 4:30 p.m. Texas A&M (24-8) vs. North Dakota WOMEN'S NIT (22-9), 7 p.m. STANFORD REGIONAL Saturday, March 22

At Ames, Iowa Iowa State (20-10) vs. Florida State (20-11), 3 p.m. Stanford (28-3) vs. South Dakota (19-13), 5:30 p.m. Sunday, March 23 At Seattle South Carolina (27-4) vs. Cal State

Northridge (18-14), 4:30 p.m. Middle Tennessee (29-4) vs. Oregon State (23-10), 7 p.m. At Chapel Hill, N.C.

Michigan State (22-9) vs. Hampton (28-4), 11:30 a.m. North Carolina (24-9) vs. UT-Martin At Univeristy Park, Pa. Penn State (22-7) vs. Wichita State

Dayton (23-7) vs. Florida (19-12), 2 NOTRE DAME REGIONAL At Toledo, Ohio Vanderbilt (18-12) vs. Arizona State

(26-6), 11:30 a.m.

(22-9), 10 a.m. Notre Dame (32-0) vs. Robert Morris -11), 12:30 p.m. At West Lafayette, Ind.

Oklahoma State (23-8) vs. Florida Gulf Coast (26-7), 10 a.m. Purdue (21-8) vs. Akron (23-9),

At Lexington, Ky. Kentucky (24-8) vs. Wright State (26-, 10 a.m. Syracuse (22-9) vs. Chattanooga

(29-3), 12:30 p.m At Waco, Texas California (21-9) vs. Fordham (25-7),

3 p.m. Baylor (29-4) vs. Western Kentucky (24-8), 5:30 p.m. LOUISVILLE REGIONAL Saturday, March 22

At Knoxville, Tenn Tennessee (26-5) vs. Northwestern State (21-12), 3 p.m. St. John's (22-10) vs. Southern Cal (22-12), 5:30 p.m. Sunday, March 23 At College Park, Md. Maryland (24-6) vs. Army (25-7),

Texas (21-11) vs. Penn (22-6), 2 p.m. At lowa City
Louisville (30-4) vs. Idaho (25-8), lowa (26-8) vs. Marist (27-6), 7 p.m.

At Baton Rouge, La. LSU (19-12) vs. Georgia Tech (20-11), 11:30 a.m. West Virginia (29-4) vs. Albany (N.Y.)

First Round Wednesday March 19 Villanova 74, Quinnipiac 66 George Washington 86, East Car-

Minnesota 62, Green Bay 60 Colorado 78, TCU 71 Montana 90, Washington State 78 Thursday, March 20 IUPUI (22-9) at Central Michigan (20-11), 6 p.m. High Point (22-10) at Bowling Green

Belmont (14-17) at Indiana (18-12), Furman (18-12) at Auburn (17-14), 6

(27-4), 6 p.m.

Harvard (21-7) at Iona (26-5),6 p.m. Delaware (20-10) at Rutgers (22-9), VCU (22-9) at Princeton (20-8), 6 p.m.

American (22-9) at Seton Hall (18-

13), 6 p.m. Navy (24-7) at Old Dominion (17-15), 6 p.m. Stetson (26-7) at Miami (16-14), 6 p.m.

Marquette (21-10) at Indiana State (20-11), 6:05 p.m. Texas Southern (20-12) at SMU (17-Butler (15-15) at South Dakota State

(22-9), 7 p.m. Missouri (17-13) at Creighton (19-

Friday, March 21
BASEBALL, COLLEGE Winnipeg at MMC (DH, 3 TRACK & FIELD, COLLEGE OUTDOOR Tulsa

BASKETBALL, BOYS' S.D. State Class AA Tourn. at Rapid City (YHS, KYNT-AM, KVHT-FM); S.D. State Class A Tourn. at Sioux Falls; S.D. State

SOFTBALL, WOMEN'S USD at Omaha (DH, 3

Lamar-Southern Miss. winner, TBA Furman-Auburn winner vs. Navy-Old Ball State (18-16) at Northwestern (15-15), 7 p.m.
Tulane (20-10) at Mississipi State Dominion winner, TBA
Villanova (23-8) vs. George Wash-

ington (22-10), TBA

North Carolina A&T-South Florida

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Wednesday's Games Chicago 102, Philadelphia 94 Brooklyn 104, Charlotte 99

Memphis 96, Utah 86

New York 92, Indiana 86

Phoenix 109, Orlando 93

Toronto 107, New Orleans 100

Minnesota 123, Dallas 122, OT Denver 118, Detroit 109

San Antonio 125, L.A. Lakers 109

ursday's Games
Oklahoma City 102, Cleveland 95

Houston 129, Minnesota 106

Milwaukee at Golden State, (n)

New York at Philadelphia 6 p.m.

Oklahoma City at Toronto, 6 p.m. Boston at Brooklyn, 6:30 p.m.

New Orleans at Atlanta, 6:30 p.m.

Washington at L.A. Lakers, 9:30 p.m.

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Memphis at Miami, 6:30 p.m

Denver at Dallas, 7:30 p.m.

Washington at Portland, (n)

Friday's Games Chicago at Indiana, 6 p.m.

(19-13), 7 p.m Lamar (18-12) at Southern Miss. (26-6), 7 p.m. Cal Poly (18-13) at San Diego (22-8), 8 p.m.

Southern Utah (22-9) at Colorado State (25-7), 8 p.m. Pacific (18-12) at Oregon (15-15), 9

Stony Brook (24-8) at Michigan (18-13), 6 p.m. Mount St. Mary's (19-13) at Duquesne (19-12), 6 p.m. Charlotte (15-12), 6 p.m.
Charlotte (15-15) at St. Bonavi (23-10), 6 p.m.

Friday, March 21

North Carolina A&T (24-6) at South Florida (19-12), 6 p.m. Cal State Bakersfield (19-11) at Saint Mary's (Calif.) (22-9), 8 p.m. Arkansas State (22-11) at UTEP (24-

7), 8 p.m. Hawaii (17-13) at Washington (17-13), 9 p.m.

Second Round March 22-25

Hawaii-Washington winner vs. Pacific-Oregon winner, TBA

Montana (23-10) vs. Cal Poly-San
Diego winner, TBA

Southern Utah-Colorado State winner vs. Colorado (18-14), TBA Cal State Bakersfield-Saint Mary's (Calif.) winner vs. Arkansas State-UTEP winner, TBA Minnesota (21-12) vs. Texas South-

n-SMU, TBA

Butler-South Dakota State winner vs. Missouri-Creighton winner, TBA Marquette-Indiana State winner vs.

mont-Indiana, TBA
Ball State-Northwestern winner vs. IUPUI-Central Michigan, TBA Stony Brook-Michigan winner vs.

Mount St. Mary's-Duquesne winner, TBA
High Point-Bowling Green winner vs. Charlotte-St. Bonaventure winner, TBA Harvard-lona winner vs. Delaware-

Rutgers winner, TBA
VCU-Princeton winner vs. American-Clark Specialty Hospital 99-81 Tulane-Mississipi State winner vs.

BASKETBALL, WOMEN'S NCAA Tourn. (At

BASKETBALL, BOYS' S.D. State Class AA Tourn. at Rapid City (YHS, KYNT-AM, KVHT-FM); S.D. State Class A Tourn. at Sioux Falls; S.D. State

HOCKEY

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

Thursday's Games New Jersey 4, Minnesota 3, OT Philadelphia 4 Dallas 2 Tampa Bay 5, Ottawa 4 Columbus at Montreal, (n)
Pittsburgh at Detroit, (n) Buffalo at Edmonton, (n) Florida at Phoenix. (n)

Washington at Los Angeles, (n) Anaheim at San Jose, (n) Friday's Games N.Y. Rangers at Columbus, 6 p.m. Carolina at Chicago, 7 p.m. Boston at Colorado, 8 p.m.

Nashville at Calgary, 8 p.m. **TRANSACTIONS**

American League
HOUSTON ASTROS — Optioned
1B Jon Singleton to Oklahoma City (PCL). Reassigned SS Carlos Correa, RHPs Mark Appel and Mike Foltynewicz and OFs George Springer and Delino DeShields to minor league camp. OAKLAND ATHLETICS — Claimed OF Kent Matthes off waivers from Col-

orado and optioned him to Sacramento (PCL). Placed RHP Jarrod Parker on the National League CINCINNATI REDS — Reassigned

RHP Drew Hayes, LHP Lee Hyde, RHP Chien-Ming Wang and INF Argenis Diaz to their minor league camp. heir minor league camp.
WASHINGTON NATIONALS Granted RHP Luis Avala his unconditional release. Optioned RHP Ross Ohlendorf, C Jhonatan Solano, INF Zach Walters and RHP Christian Garzia to Syracuse (IL). Reassigned RHP Manny Delcarmen, 1B Brock Peterson and INF

> BASKETBALL National Basketball Association MIAMI HEAT — Assigned C Justin

Hamilton to Sioux Falls (NBADL) for two NEW YORK KNICKS — Signed G

Women's National Basketball

MINNESOTA LYNX - Re-signed C Janel McCarville to a multi-year contract. FOOTBALL

National Football League
ARIZONA CARDINALS — Agreed to the terms with CB Antonio Cromartie on a

WR Jerricho Cotchery to a two-year con-

QB Jason Campbell.
MINNESOTA VIKINGS — Signed DT Tom Johnson.

HOCKEY

National Hockey League
COLUMBUS BLUE JACKETS — Activated F Jared Boll from injured reserve

Grand Rapids (AHL). NASHVILLE PREDATORS — Reas signed G Magnus Hellberg to Cincinnati (ECHL). Signed D Brian Young to an amateur tryout contract. Recalled F Calle Jarnkrok from Milwaukee (AHL).

TAMPA BAY LIGHTNING - Signed COLLEGE

MICHIGAN — Suspended OL Gra-

Tornadoes

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combined 34.4 points per game) and then we have Jayden off the bench. Jayden is a cross country runner and a two-miler in track and he just doesn't get tired. Seamus had 18 on us in the first half and seven in the second half, and Jayden just really stayed on him most of the second half. Everyone of our players had their spots tonight where they did something big

for us.' Hofer said his team has a lot of weapons, and sometimes opponents can become focused on Wedel and Ulvestad. "Teams sometimes forgot about guys like Cole. And Cole did a great job of attacking the basket tonight and he is a great ballhandler."

JVC really put on a show a couple of times with its teamwork and passing skills. In the third quarter, Wedel tipped an offensive rebound to Wager who passed to Glanzer who passed to Jayden Waldner who scored during a split-second

The Vikings' defense also shined by forcing Centerville into 21 turnovers. "Our defense was really important tonight because we turned a lot of those turnovers into points," Ulvestad said. "Our guards just wear out the other team. Like JVC, the Centerville standouts did their jobs as Seamus O'Malley scored 25 along with eight rebounds, four steals and two assists, Rory

Christian Gruschin, Jacob Kotvold and Tyrell Martz had their moments as well. Gruschin had 11 rebounds and eight points, Skotvold scored five and Martz helped spark the third-quarter rally. Centerville (17-7) will play

Faith (19-4) at noon today (Fri-

day) in the consolation semifi-

O'Malley 14 and Josh DeRaad

11. But their teammates such as

CENTERVILLE (17-7) Seamus O'Malley 8-17 6-7 25, Josh DeRaad 5-9 1-2 11, Christian Gruschin 3-6 2-2 8, Rory O'-Malley 5-7 3-3 14, Tyrell Martz 1-6 0-0 2, Jacob Skotvold 2-5 1-2 5, Trent Sikkink 0-0 0-0 0, Ethan Cunningham 0-1 0-0 0, Tyler Brown 0-0 0-0 0, Darren Hybertson 1-1 0-0 3, Nick Wixon 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 25-52 13-16 68. JAMES VALLEY CHRISTIAN (23-1)

Nathan Wedel 13-17 4-5 34, Andrew Ulvested 7-17 2-3 17, Alex Waldner 6-9 2-2 17, Tim Wager 3-6 0-0 7, Cole Glanzer 4-7 0-1 8, Jayden Waldner 1-2 0-0 2, Ben Loewen 0-0 0-0 0, Tristian Wieting 0-0 0-0 0, Michael Mendel 0-1 0-0 0, Caleb Hofer

0-0.0-0.0 Kellen Hood 0-0.0-0.0 Jonathan Blom

0-0 0, Daniel Stahl 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 34-60 8-CENTERVILLE JVC 9-20 (Glanzer 0-2, Wager 1-3, Waldner 3-4, Wedel 4-5 Ulvestad 1-4, Mendel 0-1, Blom 0-1). Total fouls — CHS 13; JVC 15. Fouled out — No one. Turnovers — CHS 21; JVC 11. Rebounds — CHS 31 (Gruschin 11); JVC 25 (Ulvestad 11). Steals — CHS 6 (S. O'Malley 4); JVC 11 (Wager 5). Assists — CHS 9 (); JVC 18 (Ulvestad 6). Blocked shots — CHS 1 (Gruschin 1); JVC 0. Officials — Josh Kemp, Eric Sazue, Jay Kusler.



JEREMY HOECK/P&D USD junior Raeshel Contreras, center, and her teammates get ready for a practice Thursday evening at Iowa State's Sukup Basketball

Complex in Ames, Iowa.

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The Coyotes will need plenty of preparation to get ready for Stanford (29-3), the PAC-12 Conference regular season champions. The Cardinal are making their 27th straight NCAA Tournament and have advanced to six of the past seven Final Fours.

You can follow Jeremy Hoeck on Twitter at twitter.com/jhoeck. Discuss this story at www.yankton.net.

Local Howling Pack To Hold Watch Party

The Yankton chapter of the Howling Pack will hold a watch party for the South Dakota-Stanford women's NCAA Tournament game on Saturday at Czeckers starting at 4:30 p.m.

Czeckers, which is located at 407 Walnut St., will have food and drink specials available for the party. The game will start at 5:30

Bucks

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and a Reid Sawatzke threepoint play gave the Bucks a

Roosevelt stormed back, not from the outside, but from the inside. Spicer scored eight first-quarter points, all inside the lane. A Ryan Leslie layup late in the period gave Roosevelt a 14-12

lead after one. The teams traded runs in the second period, with the half ending in a 23-all draw.

The Roosevelt defense sti-

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fled Yankton in the third quarter, holding the Bucks without a field goal in the first 4:26 as it built a 33-25 lead. The Bucks got back within three, 35-32, but the Rough Riders went on a 10-2 run to lead 45-34 with 6:53 to

Hale, Tanner Frick and

Ryan Olson hit three-pointers

the Bucks within three, 51-48,

in the fourth quarter to pull

but Phillips hit six straight

free throws in the final minute to ice the victory. You can follow James D. Cimburek on Twitter at twitter.com/JCimburek. Discuss

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NCAA From Page 6A

ond-half buzzer to score nine of his 24 points in overtime and lead seventhseeded Connecticut to a win over Saint Joseph's in the second round of the

NCAA tournament. DeAndre Daniels scored 18 while freshman center Amida Brimah forced overtime by completing a three-point play in the final minute for UConn (27-I he Huskies won their first tourna ment game under coach Kevin Ollie, who took over two years ago after Jim Calhoun stepped down due to health is-

With the game tied at 70 entering overtime, Daniels opened the scoring by completed a three-point play with 3:47 left during a 5-minute period the Huskies never trailed. Langston Galloway scored 25 points for Saint Joseph's (24-10). The Hawks

wore down because of a lack of depth,

and then lost their top forward Halil Kanacevic, who fouled out early into overtime. **SOUTH REGIONAL** DAYTON 60, OHIO ST. 59

BUFFALO, N.Y. (AP) — Vee Sanford scored on a layup with 3.8 seconds left to lift 11th-seeded Dayton. Sanford finished with 10 points, while Dyshawn Pierre led the Flyers (24-10)

with 12 points in a matchup of Ohio schools separated by about 75 miles. The sixth-seeded Buckeyes (25-10) had one last chance to pull out the victory, but Aaron Craft's driving 10-footer hit off the backboard and rolled off the

rim as the buzzer sounded Sam Thompson scored 18 points and Craft added 16 for Ohio State, which was eliminated after one game for only the third time in its 26 tournament appearances

SYRACUSE 77, W. MICHIGAN 53

BUFFALO, N.Y. (AP) — Syracuse's backcourt of Trevor Cooney and Tyler Ennis combined for 34 points and the Orange defense clamped down. Western Michigan (23-10), the Mid-American Conference champion, had

NCAA tournament for the first time in a decade. The third-seeded Orange (28-5) forced 11 turnovers in the opening half and scored 13 points off them in running out to a double-digit lead before the

won 14 of 16 games and was in the

midpoint of the period. Cooney led the Orange with 18 points, hitting 4 of 8 from beyond the arc, and Ennis had 16 points and six assists with one turnover The Orange used an 18-4 spurt over

Shayne Whittington and Tucker Hay-

10 minutes to take control and led 40-21

mond led Western Michigan with 11 points apiece

PITTSBURGH 77, COLORADO 48 ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) — Talib Zanna scored 16 of his 18 points in the opening half, helping ninth-seeded Pittsburgh

build a 28-point lead. The Panthers (26-9) shot 51 percent and played stifling defense. Colorado (23-12) was eager to make amends for an early exit from the tournament a year ago, but had no answers

for the 6-foot-9 Zanna. The Pitt center

made six of seven shots in the first half,

and the Panthers didn't have any difficulty finishing off the overwhelmed Buf-Josh Scott led the eighth-seeded Buffaloes with 14 points, however Colorado couldn't overcome a subpar per-

formance from Askia Booker. FLORIDA 67, ALBANY 55 ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) — Dorian Finney-Smith scored 16 points, most of them on dunks, and top-seeded Florida used a second-half surge to beat 16th-

seeded Albany.

in 10 points.

nerability, though, while extending their school-record winning streak to 27 Coach Billy Donovan's team sleepwalked through the first half, swapping the lead back and forth with the pesky

The Gators (33-2) showed some vul-

Great Danes, but Florida's bench provided a much-needed spark. Finney-Smith, the Southeastern Conference's sixth man of the year, was 6-of-10 shooting. Freshman guard Kasey Hill, who wasn't sure he would be able to play because of turf toe, chipped

of the season. Casey Prather (16 points) and Scottie Wilbekin (10) also reached double figures for Florida. DJ Evans led Albany (19-15) with 21

Patric Young finished with 10 points

and 10 rebounds, his first double-double

points and seven rebounds **WEST REGIONAL** WISCONSIN 75, AMERICAN 35

MILWAUKEE (AP) — Ben Brust scored 17 points and second-seeded Wisconsin devastated American with a 22-5 run to close the first half. The second-seeded Badgers (27-7)

recovered from a brief first-half rut and

seven-point deficit to extinguish the

dreams of the 15th-seeded Eagles (20-After Wisconsin was ousted in the first round last year as a No. 5 seed, Brust made sure his senior season didn't end the same way. He attacked the glass for baskets on consecutive possessions, ending with a three-point play with 3:33 left in the first half to give Wis-

consin a 23-20 lead. The Badgers shot 57 percent from the field in the second half. John Schoof had 11 points for Ameri-

OREGON 87, BYU 68 MILWAUKEE (AP) — Elgin Cook

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Tyler Haws scored 19 points for

MIDWEST REGIONAL MICHIGAN 57, WOFFORD 40 MILWAUKEE (AP) - Glenn Robinson III scored 14 points and secondseeded Michigan started their quest for

some nervous moments after missing 15 of their first 18 shots in the second Karl Cochran's 3-pointer with 9:25 left whittled an 18-point deficit to 40-33.

dreams of an upset. Cochran finished with 17 points, while Robinson hit big shots in the same arena his father played in as a member of the Milwaukee Bucks in the 1990s. SAINT LOUIS 83, N.C. STATE 80, OT

Jordair Jett overcame a slow start to were making their comeback in the last

Both teams shot horribly from the free-throw line, with Saint Louis shooting 12-for-26 and No. 12 seed NC State shooting 20-for-37. T.J. Warren scored 28 points for the Wolfpack (22-14), but the Atlantic Coast Conference player of the year made just

six of his 14 free throw attempts, includ-

ing one that could have tied it in the final

five minutes of regulation.

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SOFTBALL. WOMEN'S USD at Omaha (noon): Saturday, March 22 BASEBALL, COLLEGE Winnipeg at MMC (DH, 1 Doane at MMC (DH, 1 p.m.)

TRACK & FIELD, COLLEGE OUTDOOR Tulsa Duals (USD) TRACK & FIELD, PREP Norm Herren Inv. at Ver-Sunday, March 23
BASEBALL, COLLEGE Winnipeg at MMC (DH,

one-year contract.
ATLANTA FALCONS — Agreed to

TEXAS-PAN AMERICAN — Named

scored a career-high 23 points for seventh-seeded Oregon.

gon turning away every charge by BYU in the second half. Cook, a native of Milwaukee, is the son of former NBA All-Star Alvin Robert-

10th-seeded BYU (23-12), which returned to the NCAA tournament after a one-year absence. Matt Carlino added

a second straight trip to the Final Four by beating 15th-seeded Wofford. The Wolverines (26-8) capitalized on their decisive edge in athleticism on the undersized Terriers (20-13) but still had

But the Wolverines regrouped, and Caris LeVert's 3 with 4:17 left gave them a 15-point lead to deflate Wofford's

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) — Rob Loe scored 22 points and grabbed 15 rebounds, helping St. Louis wipe out a late 14-point deficit and pull away in overtime to beat North Carolina State score 18, doing most of his damage while the fifth-seeded Billikens (27-6)

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Joseph Young had 19 points for the

Ducks (24-9), who had to stage a big

comeback to beat the Cougars 100-96

in overtime in December. There was no comeback needed this time, with Ore-