# P&D Leaderboard: Nebraska District Meets Shake Up Top Marks

This is the Press & Dakotan Leader Board for the 2012 season. To qualify, an area athlete must post the mark at a varsitv meet.

NOTES: I-posted indoors; R-curren record; S-posted at post-season meet; C-Converted from fully-automatic timing All-time marks are in bold, with the

year they were achieved.

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## YANKTON ALL-SPORTS HONOREES



These 17 Yankton High School student-athletes were honored at Thursday night's All-Sports Recognition awards program.

# Vikes Owners Hint At Retractable Roof For Stadium

EDEN PRAIRIE, Minn. (AP) — The Metrodome always felt like a rental property for Zygi and Mark Wilf, two New Jersey real estate developers who purchased the Minnesota Vikings in 2005 with the hopes of moving out of the place as quickly as possible.

Now the Wilf brothers will have a home of their own, hopefully by the 2016 season.

One day after winning their seven-year fight for a new stadium, the Vikings owners started to lay out their vision for the \$975 million project they hope will serve as a recruiting tool for free agents for decades.

They appear to be leaning toward footing the bill for a retractable roof, which could help them bring a Major League Soccer franchise to Minnesota. They also see a stadium and plaza with cutting-edge technology and lots of open spaces for fans to congregate.

"We're going to try to get the maximum number of features within the budgets that we can make this a facility that is going to be exciting to the fans," Mark Wilf said Friday. "We know it's a competitive landscape to attract our fans to the facility and we're going to want to make it something special. To the extent that (a retractable roof) can get there, we're going to try to do it.

The Vikings and the NFL are contributing \$477 million toward the project, with \$348 million coming from the state and \$150 million

from Minneapolis. If the Wilfs want a retractable roof, they will have to fork over even more money. State lawmakers put a provision in the bill that allows for a retractable roof, but the Vikings would have to

pay the extra cost. The price tag of such a feature isn't immediately known because the architects have yet to be hired, but Zygi Wilf has long been keen on the idea of an open-air stadium like his beloved New York Giants had in the Meadowlands when he

was younger.
"If it's snowing very, very hard, we'll open up the roof," Zygi Wilf

When asked if that meant a roof was definitely in the plans, Wilf backed off, saying he wasn't sure yet. The plans are in their infant stages, with just a few artist renderings shown to the public that could change dramatically over the next eight to 12 months of the design phase. The most recent depiction shows a circular stadium with a huge plaza and green space.

The Wilfs visited every new stadium in the league, from Lucas Oil Stadium in Indianapolis to new football palaces in New Jersey and Dallas to research ideas for their own venue.

"Public spaces to us seem a very exciting place to gather," Mark Wilf said. "Whether it's the plaza outside, you hear about the Lucas Oil Stadium, the way they have the large areas where people

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can gather, wide concourses, clubs. We want to really enhance the ability for people to come to-

It will be the first time in the Vikings' 51-year franchise history that they will have a place of their own. They shared Metropolitan Stadium with the Twins for 21 seasons, then shared the Metrodome with the Twins and University of Minnesota football team for most of the past three decades.

"We want to get people out of their homes and come to the stadium and enjoy that," Zygi Wilf said. "The features that we have there will evolve. As much as we've seen other stadiums, this will be our own. This will be a Minnesota Vikings stadium on its own. It will have its own footprint and own features that will be different

Sightlines in the stadium and proximity to the field will be a priority. One of the Metrodome's endearing qualities is the noise level that the fans generate, ear-splitting volume that gives the Vikings one of the better home-field advantages in the league. The Wilfs want to recreate that atmosphere as much as possible.

"It's very important that fans feel they're not watching it from a blimp, that they're watching it from close to the field," Zygi Wilf said. "That's very, very important. We underestimate that when we go to other stadiums, the fan experi-

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ence, sit in those seats and see how it would be, and a lot of stadiums don't have the closeness as

we're trying to get here." The Wilfs declined to put a number on the revenue that is expected to be generated from the new stadium and also said they weren't ready to discuss nearby commercial development just yet. Mark Wilf said they are considering personal seat licenses as a form of generating more revenue, but have not made a decision.

They did object to depictions that the \$477 million Vikings share was overstated. Critics have said the Wilfs are putting little of their own money in, relying primarily on a \$200 million loan from the NFL and revenue from stadium naming rights and other related business to foot their portion of the bill.

'The reality is, whatever sources or ways we go about putting together the private investment, we're at risk for the investment," Mark Wilf said. "From that standpoint, it's something that should not be forgotten.

The stadium is scheduled to be ready for the 2016 season, and the Vikings are hopeful of bringing a Super Bowl here as early as 2017. Mark Wilf said they hope to only need to play one season at the university's TCF Bank Stadium, "but it very well may be two.'

The stability the stadium provides should help the team attract big-name free agents, Zygi Wilf

## Lancers

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"I tried it last week and it didn't turn out," he said. "This week I brought out the razor, shaved the sides and it was born."

A couple of the seniors had their own new hairstyles.

Senior shortstop/pitcher Jason Schmidt had a mohawk last week in Lincoln, but had to clean up the look for clinicals earlier this week. With his hair too short for a traditional mohawk, he decided to shave a checkerboard pattern into his hair.

"I got the idea from Allen (senior pitcher Allen Hemeyer)," Schmidt said. "I had to shave my head for clinicals, so I decided to do something stupid.'

Kemp, a senior outfielder, wasn't ready to cut his hair, but instead decided to dye his uniquely-trimmed facial hair.

"I already had that pattern (in my beard) for conference," he said. "All the guys wanted me to get a mohawk, but I told them that if we won conference, I'd dye my beard black. Well, it turns out that we won it."

What has made the whole mohawk/checkerboard/crazy beard trend fun is the fact that the

Lancers are winning. it's not much fun to do a team hairdo, wacky stuff, if the team's losing," Kemp said. "The more we win, the more people want to join

### **Waiting Game**

Even without the rain delay that pushed back Friday's schedule, the Lancers were not scheduled to play until 6 p.m. While playing two games a day — as the Lancers have done three of the last four days they've played can be long, playing just one game at night can make for a long day

The Lancer players did not have any big plans for sight-seeing or anything else on Friday as they

waited to take the field.

"We are just hanging out at the hotel. We're going to keep it low key," Kemp said. "Mostly we're going to rest. You play a lot of games in a short amount of time, especially in a tournament situation, so rest is key."

Some of the players will spend the day with their family members who came down to Oklahoma City for the tournament.

"If their parents are here, they're probably hanging out with them," Kemp said. "A lot of people were talking about seeing the Oklahoma City bombing memorial.

"Mostly we're hanging out, watching TV."

While players were mostly on their own during the day, the team was planning to get together for part of the day. "We're probably going to get

together for lunch," said senior infielder Mike Johnson. "Just get us a little action for a while."

The late start can be tougher than a single early game, Johnson

"It's a little tougher," he said. "When you play at 11, you're up and focused."

### **Even More Waiting**

Just in case waiting until 6 p.m. was not enough, the Lancers got pushed back another day due to rain in the Oklahoma City area. Play may be pushed back even further, as rain is also in the forecast for Saturday morning.

All of Friday's games were pushed back, using the same schedule on Saturday. York will play Lubbock Christian at 11 a.m., with Sterling (Kan.) and host team and third-ranked Oklahoma City University at 2:30 p.m. MMC plays the winner of the York-LCU game at 6 p.m. at Jim Wade Stadium.

The third place game and championship game number one are now scheduled for Sunday. If necessary, the second title game would be played on Monday.

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added. "That's a big deal for kids.'

For Withrow, the transition from high school to college figures to present a significant challenge, though not one she's afraid

"It's actually a big difference from high school, the yardage is a lot further," she said. "I'm hoping I can adjust OK; it's all about practicing over the summer.' And how will her father, Dave,

adjust to her wearing Coyote red instead of SDSU blue?

"He'll have to get used to it, I guess," Withrow joked.





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