YHS Football Banquet Today

The Yankton High School football banquet hosted by the Yankton Quarterback Club, will take place tonight (Tuesday) at 6 p.m. at the YHS Commons.

The public is invited to attend. There is a cost for the meal, with a discount for students. Children 8-under are admitted free.

Johnson Earns NSIC Honors

SIOUX FALLS — University of Sioux Falls junior Emily Johnson was one of two Cougars named second-team All-Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference in volleyball, announced earlier this month. Johnson, a three-year starter from Platte, led

COLLEGE/YHS EVENTS

	TANKTON HIGH SCHOOL		(S)	VOLLEYBALL S.D. STATE AA TOURN. Nov. 21-23 at Mitchell First Round, Nov. 21 No. 1 S.F. O'Gorman (20-1) vs. No. 8 R.C. Central (12-15), noon
TODAY Nov. 19 WEDNESDAY		MBB: vs. York, 7:30 p.m.		No. 4 S.F. Washington vs. No. 5 Ab- erdeen Central (18-4), 1:45 p.m. No. 3 Huron (18-4) vs. No. 6 R.C. Stevens (20-11), 6 p.m. No. 2 S.F. Roosevelt (25-8) vs. No. 7
Nov. 20 THURSDAY Nov. 21			WBB: vs. Drake, at Sioux Falls, 7 p.m.	Watertown (13-10), 7:45 p.m. S.D. STATE A TOURN. Nov. 21-23 at Aberdeen First Round, Nov. 21
FRIDAY Nov. 22			MBB: at Wyoming, 9 p.m. VB: at Summit League Tourn., vs. Western Illinois S&D: vs. St. Cloud State, 4 p.m.	No. 1 Belle Fourche (29-3) vs. No. 8 Sioux Valley (19-11), noon No. 4 Winner (25-3) vs. No. 5 Wag- ner (26-6), 1:45 p.m. No. 3 S.F. Christian (23-2) vs. No. 6 Pine Ridge (27-3), 6 p.m. No. 2 Dakota Valley (23-2) vs. No. 7 Sisseton (20-6), 7:45 p.m. S.D. STATE B TOURN.
SATURDAY Nov. 23		XC: NAIA Champ., Lawrence, Kan. WBB: vs. Midland, 2 p.m. MBB: vs. Midland, 4 p.m.	FB: at North Dakota State, 2:30 p.m. VB: at Summit League Tourn., TBD	Nov. 21-23 at Huron Arena First Round, Nov. 21 No. 1. Wamer (30-1) vs. No. 8 Her- reid-Selby Area (20-11), noon No. 4 Alcester-Hudson vs. No. 5 Harding County (26-5), 145 p.m. No. 3 Chester Area (26-2) vs. No. 6 Lyman (24-8), 6 p.m. No. 2 Arlinoton (31-1) vs. No. 7 Kim-
<u>SUNDAY</u> Nov. 24			WBB: vs. Boise State, 2 p.m.	ball-White Lake (19-7), 7:45 p.m. FOOTBALL
MONDAY Nov. 25			MBB : at Texas State, 7 p.m.	NEB. PLAYOFFS Class A Championship, Nov. 26 at Lincoln Omaha Westside (11-1) vs. Omaha North (11-1), 7:15 p.m.

RADIO & TELEVISION

			Championship, Nov. 25 at Lincoln
			York (11-1) vs. Omaha Skutt
			Catholic (11-1), 7:15 p.m.
Today			Class C1
7:30 p.m.	MEN'S B-BALL: York at MMC	KYNT-AM	Semifinals, Nov. 19
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			Semifinal winners, 10:15 a.m.
9 p.m.	MEN'S B-BALL: USD at Wyoming	KVHT-FM	Class C2
			Semifinals. Nov. 19
Saturda	y		Doniphan-Trumbull (11-0) at Battle
2 p.m.	WOMEN'S B-BALL: Midland at MMC	KYNT-AM	Creek (11-0), 5:30 p.m.
2:30 p.m.	COLL. FOOTBALL: USD at NDSU	KVHT-FM, Midco Sports	Aquinas Catholic (9-2) at Malcolm
			(9-2), 7 p.m.
Sunday			Championship, Nov. 26 at Lincoln
2 p.m.	WOMEN'S B-BALL: Boise State at USD	KVHT-FM	Semifinal winners, 2:45 p.m.
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Monday			Semifinals, Nov. 18
7 p.m.	MEN'S B-BALL: USD at Texas State	KVHT-FM	Exeter/Milligan 20, Creighton 8
			Hemingford 44, Overton 26

Montana's Selvig Joins 800-Win Club

MISSOULA, Mont. (AP) - Montana's Robin Selvig became the eighth women's basketball coach to reach 800 career victories with the Lady Griz's 68-61 victory over Portland on Monday.

Selvig has been at the school for 36 years and produced 33 winning seasons, including 20 trips to the NCAA tournament.

The 61-year-old coach joined Pat Summitt, Sylvia Hatchell, C. Vivian Stringer, Tara VanDerveer, Geno Auriemma, Jody Conradt and Andy Landers in the 800-victory club. He has never beaten any of them, going 0-5 against the other members with all those games coming in the NCAA tournament.

Selvig, who has only lost 255 games in his career, went to Montana and played for the men's basketball team in the early 1970s. He spent three years coaching high school basketball before tak-

the Cougars in kills (362) and ranked fifth in digs (153) and blocks (54). She also recorded 31 ace serves. She set a single-season record for sets played (153) and went over the 1,000-kill mark for career earlier this seasor

Merry At QB Club

The Yankton Quarterback Club will meet Wednesday at noon at the Elks Lodge, 504 West 27th Street, Yankton. This week's speaker is Wade Merry, executive director of the South Dakota Golf Association.

Merry also serves on the advisory board for the South Dakota Sports Hall of Fame.

Class B

Championship, Nov. 25 at Lincoln

Semifinals, Nov. 18

Heart (12-0), 2:45 p.m.

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Exeter-Milligan (12-0) vs. Heming-ford (12-0), 10:15 a.m. Class D2

Championship, Nov. 25 at Lincoln Stuart (11-1) vs. Falls City Sacred

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — The top 25 teams in the Sports Network Football

Championship Subdivision poll, with first-

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The public is invited to attend.

UND Fires Football Coach

GRAND FORKS, N.D. (AP) — The University of North Dakota fired head football coach Chris Mussman on Monday after a 3-8 season, including a 2-6 record in the Big Sky Conference.

Mussman tweeted early Monday afternoon, "Don't cry because it's over, smile because it hap-The Grand Forks Herald reported. pened.'

UND athletic director Brian Faison said the two met Monday morning and Mussman was relieved of his duties immediately.

I want to thank Chris for his service to UND and wish him well in his future endeavors," Faison said.

Mussman coached six seasons with UND and

had an overall record of 31-34, which included the school's transition to Division I Former head coach Dale Lennon hired Muss-

man as the offensive line coach in 1999. He became offensive coordinator in 2001 and took over as the head coach prior to the 2008 season.

Before arriving in Grand Forks, Mussman spent eight seasons at Minnesota State University Mankato. He was a four-year letter winner and starting offensive lineman at Iowa State, where he was team captain in 1990.

Faison says a national search for a new coach will start immediately.

Yankton Youth Wrestling **Registration Nov. 19, 21**

Yankton Youth Wrestling will hold their registration for the 2013-2014 season at the Yankton Mall (north end of the building) on Tuesday, Nov. 19, and Thursday, Nov. 21, from 6:30 to 8 p.m. each niaht

Wrestlers are encouraged to be in first grade or older. Registration fees are due the night of registration.

Practices begin on Tuesday, Dec. 3, and will be held Tuesday and Thursday evenings, from 6:30-8 p.m. each night. Contact Paula Bahm at 660-8105, Marty Wermers at 661-2909, or Shana Platt at 660-8860 for more information.

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tracks on the schedule where Johnson has yet to win, and one of them is Homestead, where he's traditionally playing it safe and trying to wrap up a championship.

Knaus, who opined Sunday night that if not for midseason rule changes in 2012 the team "would have waxed the competition," believes the current crew he's assembled around Johnson has yet to reach its full potential.

Johnson doesn't dare

to open my mind to it because the numbers speak for themselves. I find myself in a touchy situation at times where my quiet approach can be looked at as arrogant or cocky, and that is the furthest thing from the truth in what I'm trying to portray.

"I'm just trying to say the right things and keep my mind in the right space. I haven't let a lot in, and it's led to more success. It's kept my work ethic intact, kept me honest and humble. I like that about

myself. I really, really do. I

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SCOREBOARD

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He's tied with Michael Jordan, who for two years has ribbed Johnson that he had one more ring than the driver. While Roger Federer won

16 Grand Slams in eight years, and Tiger Woods won seven majors in four years, Johnson has won all of NASCAR's

Sunday, November 24 BASKETBALL, WOMEN'S Boise State at USD (2 p.m., KVHT-FM) Monday, November 25 BASKETBALL, MEN'S USD at Texas State (7 FOOTBALL, PREP Neb. State Finals at Lincoln (D2/D1) men's college basketball poll, with first-10. Oklahoma place votes in parentheses, records through Nov. 17, points based on 25 11. Nebraska 3-0 2-1 3-0 12. North Carolina points for a first-place vote through one 13. Texas A&M

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Injuries

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letes who have donated their brains to Nowinski's Boston center for posthumous research. The only way to confirm Chronic Traumatic Encephalopathy (CTE) caused by concussions is by examining brains after death.

Nowinski said he met the 37-year Valentine for the first time over dinner on Monday night in Melbourne.

'It was good to see him, we had a lot in common as we both are now about 10 years out since we had our concussions," Nowinski said. "We talked about how we can make things better in the future.

"How he's feeling, his experience of having those concussions over such a short period," Nowinski added. "How that was allowed to happen, to me, is one of the worst cases I have ever come

across."

Even worse, Nowinski says, is that no one from the National Rugby League where Valentine played has ever contacted him about his current medical condition.

"I think they could learn something from him," Nowinski said. "It's unfortunate. Shaun proved his toughness in coming back from serious injuries, and where did it get him? No one should ever have to go through what he did again.

400s, Coca-Cola 600s and All-Star races, and two Southern

crown jewels." He's won two

Daytona 500s, four Brickyard

There are only five active

Class D1

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the other hand, did thanks to its backup quarterback.

James Sluka, a 5-foot-8, 160-pound speedster, accounted for all three touchdowns and recorded a key interception to help ice the win with under four minutes left.

Sluka converted a 4th & 1 with 4:37 remaining on a 1yard touchdown run up the middle. The score pushed Exeter-Milligan ahead 20-8.

That proved to be the play of the game — a stop there for Creighton and a score, and the Bulldogs might have gotten it done. Ultimately, though, the game of inches bit the Bulldogs. "It's the little things that

get you in big games," said Exeter-Milligan head coach Dean Filipi said, whose team advances to next Monday's title game in Lincoln against Hemingford.

The Timberwolves, themselves, had a pair of missed opportunities in the red zone – a dropped pass on their first drive and a turnover on downs at the 1-yard line.

"I give a lot of credit to the kids, they could have dropped their heads on those," Filipi said. "But they kept fighting, and that's the way they've been all year." Early on, it looked as

though Creighton could take control After the Timberwolves

turned the ball over on downs on their first series. the Bulldogs marched down and scored on a Jacob Morrill 3-vard touchdown run at the 4:16 mark of the first quarter.

The 8-0 lead lasted all the way until nine seconds before halftime when Sluka found

dream of what other goals he might accomplish or where he'll rank when it's all said and done.

"It's not like me to think in that light. It's just not me," Johnson said. "I guess I need

Kyle Jensen on a 3-yard touchdown play — Sluka then ran in the conversion to tie the game.

Such a performance from Sluka, who moved to quarterback in place of the injured starter, is nothing new for the Timberwolves, Filipi said.

"He's a tough competitor, he takes things head on, and we're thankful for that, because he's willing to make that move," the coach said. "He makes some good decision for us.³

He did exactly that, again in the third quarter. With his team given a short field, Sluka scored on a 5-yard run with 4:14 left — the conversion failed, giving Exeter-Milligan a 14-8 lead.

Two drives later for Creighton, the Bulldogs fumbled the ball at the 1-yard line with 28.7 seconds left in the third.

"I know we have a guy right now that's feeling terrible about it, and unfortunately that's going to be talked about a lot," Jensen said. "It's part of the game."

Just not necessarily for Creighton all season.

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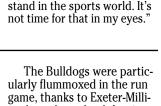
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gan's push on the defensive line. "Early they got us on some of those dump passes, but I thought our guys regrouped well from that," Filipi said. "I'm very proud of their effort the whole night, but really in the second half I thought they turned it up another notch."

Creighton, which has lost in the semifinals twice in four years, will graduate 16 sen-

iors. "Our kids are going to walk out of here with character, and that's something that will get them through life," Jensen said. "I wouldn't trade our kids for the world.'

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Wvnot's Davis Wieseler makes a fingertip catch of a Jackson Sudbeck pass during the Blue Devils' Class D2 semifinal matchup with Falls City Sacred Heart on Monday in Wynot, Neb.

Class D2

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The teams traded touchdowns, then traded fruitless possessions in the fourth quarter. With time starting to slip away on Wynot, the Blue Devils went for it on fourthand-19 from their own 15, setting up Kean's final score of the day. Sudbeck was picked off on Wynot's next offensive play, and the Irish ran out the clock.

"We talk to these guys about how one or two people off can change a play completely. You have to run an offense to a 'T,'" Heimes said. "That came into play."

Heimes also gave credit to Sacred Heart's effort.

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'They were first team we've seen that athletically matched up with us," he said. They came hard and they played hard."

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