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TODAY Nov. 24		WBB: at Dakota Wesleyan, 6 p.m. MBB: at Dakota Wesleyan, 8 p.m.	MBB: vs. S.D. Mines, 7 p.m.
WEDNESDAY Nov. 25			
THURSDAY Nov. 26			
FRIDAY Nov. 27			WBB: FAU Thanks- giving Tourn. — vs. Appalachian State, 1:30 p.m.
SATURDAY Nov. 28			WBB: FAU Thanks- giving Tourn. — vs. TBD MBB: at Sacramen- to State, 5:30 p.m.
SUNDAY Nov. 29			MBB: vs. Eastern Washington at Sacremento, Calif., 4:30 p.m.
MONDAY Nov. 30	GYM: vs. Mitchell/ Parkston-Ethan- Hanson, 5:30 p.m.		

OTHER EVENTS

Hockey YANKTON JV GIRLS: Saturday, vs. Aberdeen, 3 & 7 p.m.; Sunday, vs. Aberdeen,

YANKTON BANTAM: Sunday, at S.F. West, 10:30 a.m. YANKTON PEEWEE: Saturday, B vs. Brookings, 1:15 & 5:30 p.m.; Sunday, C vs.

RADIO & TELEVISION WOMEN'S B-BALL: MMC at Dakota Wesleyan MEN'S B-BALL: S.D. Mines at USD KVHT-FM KYNT-AM MEN'S B-BALL: MMC at Dakota Wesleval WOMEN'S B-BALL: USD vs. Appalachian State KVHT-FM Saturday

1:30 p.m. 5:30 p.m.	MEN'S B-BALL: USD vs. TBD MEN'S B-BALL: USD at Sacremento State	KVHT-FM KVHT-FM
Sunday 4:30 p.m.	MEN'S B-BALL: USD vs. Eastern Washington	KVHT-FM

SPORTS DIGEST

Schulte Powers Wayne State Past Augustana

WAYNE, Neb. – Sophomore Maggie Schulte (Wynot, Nebraska) posted career highs of 23 points and 11 rebounds to lead 24th-ranked Wayne State past Augustana 70-58 in Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference women's basketball action on Monday at Rice Auditorium.

Paige Ballinger scored 18 points and Haley Moore had 12 points for Wayne State (4-1, 1-0 NSIC). Sydney Rome was the lone Viking (3-1, 0-1 NSIC) in double figures, scor-

SDSU's Miller Earns Summit

League Honors

BROCKINGS — Sophomore Macy Miller of the South Dakota State women's basketball team was honored Monday as The Summit League Player of

The Mitchell native averaged 27 points, 2.5 rebounds, 2.5 assists and 1.5 steals per game to go with a 2.0 assist-to-turnover ratio in two games. The point guard shot an impressive 55.9 percent (19 of 34) from the field and 81.3 percent (13 of 16) from the free-throw line.

Miller currently ranks 13th in the NCAA and leads Miller currently ranks 1 ofti in the North and 1000.

The Summit League in scoring average.

Kerri Young was named Summit League Player of
the Week Nov. 16.

The Jackrabbits play three games this week in
the Paradise Jam. They open Thursday vs. Pittsburgh

Knights Sweep Yankton Bowlers

Sioux Falls O'Gorman swept Yankton in boys' and girls' club bowling action on Friday.

O'Gorman topped the Yankton girls 38-12, led by Taryn Sakry's 551 series and Skyler Stencil's 405 series. Yankton got a 497 series from Dakota Mace, a 396 series from Savannah Steffan and a 248 series from azelles also got a 432 series from

Carly Turner and a 426 series from Bailey Wieseler.

The Knights edged the Bucks 29-21, with Yankton outscoring O'Gorman 14-11 in the Varsity II series. Luke Holden (749 series) and Sam Lindberg (531 series) led O'Gorman. In the I series, Jake McBride rolled a 604 series, Henry Borgstrom rolled a 531 series and Tyler Johnson rolled a 405 series. In the II series, Aaron Blackwell rolled 547, Dylan Mace rolled 541 and Joey Losing rolled 394 for the Bucks. In JV action, Ethan Russaw rolled a 301 series, Ian

Russaw rolled 284 and Charley Furrey rolled 283 for the Bucks. No team points were kept.

Three From SDSU On Awards

Finalist Lists

BROOKINGS – Three members of the South Dakota State University football team are finalists for awards to be presented by STATS in conjunction with the Football Championship Subdivision national championship game in January.

Sophomore wide receiver Jake Wieneke is one

of 25 players under consideration for STATS FCS Offensive Player of the Year. A native of Maple Grove Minnesota, Wieneke has put together his second consecutive 1,000-yard season, collecting 66 receptions for 1.344 yards and 11 touchdowns. He ranks second among FCS players for receiving yards and has posted seven 100-yard games this season Quarterback and Sioux Falls native Tarvn Christion

is one of 20 finalists for the STATS FCS Freshma Player of the Year. Christion has helped lead the Jack-

FOOTBALL

NEBRASKA FINALS
Monday, Nov. 23
CLASS D1: Bruning-Davenpo
Shickley 44, Burwell 30
CLASS D2: Humphrey St. France
22, Chambers/Wheeler Central 20
CLASS B: Aurora (12-0) vs. Elkhol
South (12-0), 6:45 p.m.

Tuesday, Nov. 24
CLASS C1: Columbus Scotus (11-1)
vs. Norfolk Catholic (12-0), 10:45 a.m.
CLASS C2: Oakland-Craig (11-1) vs. Aquinas Catholic (11-1), 2:45 p.m.

CLASS A: Millard North (10-2) vs.

Millard West (12-0), 6:45 p.m.

FCS COACHES POLL

SPARTANBURG, S.C. (AP) — The top 25 teams in the 2015 Coaches Football Championship Subdivision poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, records through Nov. 22, points and previous

ranking:			
Red	ord	Pts	Prv
1. Jacksonville St. (20)1	0-1	547	1
2. McNeese State (1) 1		520	2
3. ND State (1)	9-2	487	3
4. Illinois State	9-2	482	6
Portland State	9-2	417	11
6. James Madison	9-2	416	10
7. Charleston Southern	9-2	383	8
8. Chattanooga	8-3	362	9
9. Coastal Carolina	9-2	359	4
10. Sam Houston State	8-3	358	12
11. Richmond	8-3	323	16
12. South Dakota State	8-3	321	5
13. William & Mary	8-3	306	7
14. Northern Iowa	7-4	256	15
Fordham	9-2	238	14
16. Southern Utah	8-3	223	18
17. Montana	7-4	202	17
18. The Citadel	8-3	198	24
19. Harvard	9-1	129	21
20. North Carolina A&T	9-2	99	13
21. Bethune-Cookman	9-2	88	22
22. Dartmouth	9-1	77	23
23. Northern Arizona	7-4	58	20
24. Grambling State	8-2	55	NR
25 Fastern Illinois	7-4	46	NR

Others receiving votes: East Washington 40, North Dakota 35, N Hampshire 26, Western Illinois 26, D. ton 24. Towson 16. Western Carolina entral Arkansas 10 Alcorn State 8 Martin 2. Colgate 2. Eastern Kentuck

STATS FCS POLL

rabbits to wins in all three of his career starts. He broke

into the lineup in early October and has completed 71-of-118 passes for 1,056 yards and six touchdowns,

while adding 293 yards and four touchdowns on the ground in seven games.

Also on Monday, Jackrabbit mentor John Stiegel-

meier was named as one of 15 finalists for the STATS

FCS Coach of the Year Award. Stiegelmeier has led SDSU to its fourth consecutive playoff appearance and an 8-3 overall record. Now in his 19th season as Jack-

rabbit head coach, Stiegelmeier is the winningest coach in program history, compiling a 128-89 career mark. Voting for the awards will be conducted over the

next week among a national panel of writers, broadcast

ers, sports information directors and other dignitaries. The winners will be honored at the STATS FCS Awards

Banquet and Presentation on the eve of the Jan. 9 FCS championship game in Frisco, Texas.

Regular meetings will resume on Wednesday, Dec.

2. Meetings are held at the Elks Lodge, 504 West 27th

Wobble Thursday
The "Gobble Gobble Run & Wobble" road race

event will be held on Thursday, Nov. 26, at 9 a.m., beginning at Vision Real Estate, 416 Broadway, in

The event includes both two-mile and five-mile run.

walk events. A donation is requested, with proceeds going to the Yankton Boys and Girls Club.
Call or text 605-661-1012 for more information or to

register. Runners may also show up the day of the race

St. Francis Takes D2 Title
LINCOLN, Neb. (AP) — Damien Bamgart threw
two touchdown passes in the fourth quarter to lead No.

5 Humphrey St. Francis to a 22-20 come-from-behind victory over No. 2 Chambers/Wheeler Central in the Class D2 championship game at Memorial Stadium

Brenden Pelster and Nick Haburchak ran for

of the third quarter.
The Flyers (12-1) started their rally after CWC

touchdowns to put the Renegades up 20-6 in the middle

(12-1) turned over the ball on downs at the St. Francis 17. Bamgart led the Flyers 62 yards in seven plays, passing 18 yards to Kyle Wemhoff for a touchdown and to Carson Weidner for the 2-point conversion.

After forcing a punt, the Flyers went 55 yards in 14 plays for the go-ahead score on Bamgart's 5-yard pass to Weidner.

Wemhoff ran 35 times for 120 yards and Bamgart 18 times for 92 and completed 6 of 9 passes for 87 yards. Brenden Pelster ran for 62 yards and two TDs

and completed 13 of 26 passes for 146 yards.

D1 — BRUNING-DAVENPORT/SHICKLEY

44, BURWELL 30: LINCOLN, Neb. (AP) — Kale

Kleinschmidt rushed 29 times for 218 yards and three touchdowns, Riley Tegtmeier threw for 149 yards and two scores, and No. 2 Bruning-Davenport/Shickley

defeated No. 8 Burwell 44-30 in the Class D1 champ

onship game on Monday at Memorial Stadium.

BDS (13-0) led 28-0 in the third quarter before

Burwell (11-2) pulled to 36-30 in the fourth quarter.

Tegtmeier then led BDS on a nine-play, 65-yard drive to put away the game, with Kleinschmidt carrying seven

straight times for the final 36 yards.
Tegtmeier ran 19 times for 64 yards and a touchdown and completed 11 of 20 passes, with one

interception. Sam Christensen caught four passes for

56 yards and a score.

Burwell managed only 78 yards on 38 rushes, but

Victory Sikes completed 19 of 36 passes for 275 yards and three TDs, with two interceptions. Ty Chaffin caugh 10 balls for 158 yards and a TD.

No QB Club This Week

Gobble Gobble Run &

week due to the Thanksgiving holiday.

The top 25 teams in the STAT Football Championship Subdivision powith first-place votes in parenthese with first-place votes in parenthese records through Nov. 22, points ar previous rank: Record Pts Pvs

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10. Coastal Carolina Richmond William & Mary . Fordham 15. UNI 16. Montana 1376 Southern Utah 1372 Citadel 1170 751 Harvard 20. Dartmouth 21. Grambling State 8-2 22. North Carolina A&T 9-2 582 549 430 340 301 23. E. Washington 6-5
24. Eastern Illinois 7-4
25. Bethune-Cookman 9-2

Others: Western Illinois 187 Northern Arizona 175, North Dakota 116, Central Arkansas 114, Eastern Kentucky 99, North Carolina Central 56, UT Martir 54, New Hampshire 46, Youngstown State 45, Dayton 44, Penn 36, Towson 29, Duquesne 22, Western Carolina 20, Colgate 17, Alcorn State 14, Liberty 10, Prairie View A&M 4, Indiana State 2, Vil-

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Sunday, Nov. 22

Houston 24, N.Y. Jets 17

Denver 17, Chicago 15

Detroit 18, Oakland 13 Indianapolis 24, Atlanta 21 Tampa Bay 45, Philadelphia 17 Baltimore 16, St. Louis 13 Dallas 24, Miami 14 Carolina 44. Washington 16 Kansas City 33, San Diego 3 Seattle 29, San Francisco 13 Green Bay 30, Minnesota 13 Arizona 34, Cincinnati 31

Orleans, Pittsburgh Buffalo at New England, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 26 Philadelphia at Detroit. 11:30 a.m.

Open: Cleveland, N.Y. Giants, New

Carolina at Dallas, 3:30 p.m.
Chicago at Green Bay, 7:30 p.m.
Sunday, Nov. 29
New Orleans at Houston, noon Buffalo at Kansas City, noon Oakland at Tennessee, noon St. Louis at Cincinnati, noon Minnesota at Atlanta, noon N.Y. Giants at Washington, noon Tampa Bay at Indianapolis, noon San Diego at Jacksonville, noon Miami at N.Y. Jets, noon Arizona at San Francisco, 3:05 p.m. Pittsburgh at Seattle, 3:25 p.m. New England at Denver, 7:30 p.m.

Monday, Nov. 30 Baltimore at Cleveland, 7:30 p.m.

BASKETBALL AP TOP TWENTY FIVE

The top 25 teams in The Associ-

ated Press' college basketball poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, records through Nov. 22, total points based on 25 points for a first-place vote through one

point for a 25th-place vote and previous Kentucky (59) Maryland (6)

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23. Xavier

24. Cincinnati

25. SMU 3-0 4-0 25. Texas A&M Others receiving votes: Utah 95, Oriners receiving votes: Utan 9s, George Washington 85, Baylor 81, West Virginia 69, Butler 59, Louisville 40, N. Iowa 23, Iowa 20, Dayton 18, Tulsa 17, Colorado St. 13, Providence 8, George-town 4, Michigan 3, Valparaiso 2, Chattanooga 1, Washington 1

USA TODAY TOP 25 POLL

men's college basketball poll, with first point for a 25th-place vote and previous

. Kentucky (28)	4-0	772	
2. Maryland (3)	3-0	736	
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. Michigan State	3-0	614	
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i. Oklahoma	2-0	561	
'. Kansas	1-1	555	
8. North Carolina	3-1	554	
). Villanova	4-0	552	
Arizona	4-0	530	
 Gonzaga 	2-0	492	
Virginia	4-1	488	
California	3-0	377	
Indiana	3-0	327	
Purdue	5-0	262	
Vanderbilt	3-0	260	
7. LSU	3-0	220	
Notre Dame	3-0	218	
9. Miami	5-0	216	

23. Oregon 24. Cincinnati 25. Baylor 2-1 77 2: Others receiving votes: Utah 73

22. West Virginia

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Oklahoma	2-0	561	8	Baylor	4-0
lansas	1-1	555	5	Maryland	3-0
lorth Carolina	3-1	554	1	Oregon St.	3-0
/illanova	4-0	552	8	Mississippi St.	2-0
Arizona	4-0	530	10	8. Texas	3-0
Gonzaga	2-0	492	12	Texas A&M	4-0
Virginia	4-1	488	6	11. Ohio St.	2-2
California	3-0	377	14	Kentucky	4-0
Indiana	3-0	327	15	Stanford	3-0
Purdue	5-0	262	23	Florida St.	2-1
Vanderbilt	3-0	260	17	15. Duke	3-1
LSU	3-0	220	19	Arizona St.	1-1
Notre Dame	3-0	218	18	California	4-0
Miami	5-0	216	_	South Florida	2-1
Wichita State	2-1	200	11	Northwestern	3-0

AREA CALENDAR

BASKETBALL, MEN'S S.D. Mines at USD (7 p.m., KVHT-FM); MMC at Dakota Wesleyan (8 p.m.,

BASKETBALL. WOMEN'S

Finals at Lincoln — C2 (2:30 p.m.) Wednesday, November 25 Thursday, November 26 No activities scheduled Friday, November 27

BASKETBALL, WOMEN'S Florida Atllantic Thanksgiving Tourn.: USD vs. Appalachian State (1:30 p.m., KVHT-FM) Saturday, November 28 BASKETBALL, MEN'S USD

S.F. West (10:30 a.m.)

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Playoffs First Round HOCKEY, GIRLS' JV Aberdeen

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Monday, November 30

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BASKETBALL. MEN'S USD

Louisville 51. Butler 47. Xavier 44. Texa A&M 41, Michigan 15, George Washington 12, Dayton 10, Tulsa 6, Davidson 3, Iowa 3, New Mexico 3, Northern Iowa Washington 3, Colorado State 1,

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3	Notre Dame	3-0	722	3
7	Tennessee	3-0	702	4
8	Baylor	4-0	685	5
5	Maryland	3-0	609	8
1	Oregon St.	3-0	585	9
8	Mississippi St.	2-0	527	10
0	8. Texas	3-0	527	11
2	Texas A&M	4-0	520	12
6	11. Ohio St.	2-2	452	7
4	Kentucky	4-0	439	13
15	Stanford	3-0	433	15
23	Florida St.	2-1	378	6
7	15. Duke	3-1	341	14
9	Arizona St.	1-1	268	18
8	California	4-0	268	21
_	South Florida	2-1	257	19
11	Northwestern	3-0	251	20
24	Michigan St.	3-0	164	23

Pollard: Results Led To Rhoads' **Dismissal**

Penn St. 3. Miami 1. Washington 1

AMES, Iowa (AP) — Athletic director Jamie Pollard had hoped that Paul Rhoads would spend the rest of his career coaching at Iowa State The losing simply became too

frequent to ignore.
Pollard said Monday that he dismissed Rhoads because the program simply wasn't going in the right direction Pollard spoke to reporters two

days after a devastating loss at Kansas State left lowa State at 3-8. Pollard said he wished he didn't have to fire Rhoads, who signed a 10-year extension in 2012, but the results simply weren't there. The change was announced Sunday. Iowa State has won just eigh games since the start of the 2013

Coyotes Crush Marquette issues. From there, the rout

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VERMILLION - A pregame message in the locker room for the University of South Dakota women's basketball team centered on a puzzle metaphor.

It was time to start putting the pieces together.

In that analogy, Nicole Seekamp would be the most critical piece. The one that when slotted in the right spot, would allow every other piece to fall into place.

The combination of her performance and her team's play helped to — for now — alleviate the frustrations of the first two games when the senior was on the bench.

Seekamp scored 16 points and had a careerhigh 12 assists as the Coyotes rolled past a young Marquette squad 97-69 in Monday night's home opener at the DakotaDome.

'Getting her back, everyone had more confidence with themselves. We knew what we were doing, said senior point guard Tia Hemiller, who added 15 points and eight rebounds.

"It's great to have her back, and now things are starting to finally come together."

Seekamp had been granted a fourth season of eligibility by the NCAA, but had to sit out the first two games — what the NCAA calls a "withholding."

In her absence, USD struggled offensively, with outputs of 59 points and 43 points. She then returned last Thursday at Kansas State, where she had 20 points, 10 assists and eight rebounds in an overtime loss

Seekamp then picked



JAMES D. CIMBUREK/P&D

South Dakota's Kelly Stewart goes up to pressure a shot attempt by Marquette's Allazia Blockton during their women's basketball game on Monday at the DakotaDome in Vermillion.

right up Monday where she left off.

"I'm not really sure if it's the way we handled things or not, but we did kind of feel disjointed," USD head coach Amy Williams said.

Those kind of struggles in the first two games were understandable, given two things: The Coyotes had practiced with Seekamp all preseason, but then she had to watch. And USD is also trying to work in six newcomers.

The result was 29 assists on 37 made field goals, and 40 points from reserves. "Today felt a lot better;

a lot more comfortable,'

10 per game). He had 10 tackles for loss,

deflected six passes and recovered a fumble

The three-year starter finished his career with 168 tackles, including 14 for loss, three

has great feel and instincts," said Cougars

Defensive Back: Clayton Koch,

Harding County. Koch was always around

the ball. The senior had 31 solo tackles, 24 assists, picked off 11 passes and deflected

12 others, and also recovered three fumbles

The four-year starter finished with 19 career

interceptions. "Clayton was our game-changer on both sides of the football for us this

season," said Ranchers coach Jay Wammen

Defensive Back: Reed Harter, Colome.

"He played free safety and did an amazing

Harter was a force on defense for the Cow-

boys for the past three years. He capped his

senior season with 101 tackles (37 solo and

game. He also picked off three passes. Those

64 assists) and averaged 10.1 tackles per

numbers pushed his career totals to 277

tackles and 10 interceptions. "He has been

a team captain for two years," said Colome

coach Scott Kortan, "and the team leader on and off the field for the last two years."

sive back in situations

job with his ball skills.

interceptions and four fumble recoveries. "He

coach Mike Sebern. "We moved him to defen

Williams said. "We're starting to find ours.' There weren't exactly

signs early that the Coyotes were primed for a comfortable win over the Golden Eagles (of the Big East Conference, despite the significant edge in experience. Marquette owns the nation's youngest roster, with eight true freshmen

and two returners. The hosts — who were a perfect 15-0 at home last season — led by three points after one quarter and took a 38-33 lead into halftime.

Fiften straight points at one point in the third quarter by USD solved those

was on. Twelve of the 13 play-

ers in uniform scored for the Coyotes. Newcomer Jasmine Trimboli had 11 points, senior Margaret McCloud scored 10 points (all in the second half), while senior Heidi Hoff and newcomer Caitlin Duffy both added nine points.

In short, it was much the same story as last season for USD. "Now that we have ev-

erything and we're starting to get on a roll, I think it's huge," Hemiller said. With its home opener out of the way, USD re-

turns to the road for this weekend's Florida Atlantic Thanksgiving Tournament. The key to coming home with a couple wins? Doing exactly what they did Mon-

day, according to Seekamp. We had a good mix of where the shots were going from, and I think that's going to be a big thing for us," she said. "We have people that can score in multiple ways and from multiple areas on the court."

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MARQUETTE (0-4)
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7-15 0-0 18; Allazia Blockton 5-18 0-0 10; Amani
Wilborn 2-6 1-2 5; Shantelle Valentine 3-5 0-0 6;
Danielle King 4-8 1-1 9; Sandra Dahling 0-0 0-0 0; Erika Davenport 2-3 0-0 4; Olivia Moskari 2-4 0-0 6; Ines Mata 0-0 0-0 0. TOTALS 29-67 3-4 69.

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3-3 7; Margaret McCloud 5-5 0-2 10; Caitlin Duffy 3-3 /, walgater workolou 3-3 o 2 in, Calimi Duny 3-6 0-0 9; Nicole Seekamp 6-12 3-6 16; Jasmine Trimboli 4-6 1-2 11; Allison Arens 1-4 2-2 4; Jayose Bradley 1-3 0-0 2; Bridget Arens 1-2 0-0 2; Mad-eline Homoly 0-0 0-0 0; Kate Liveringhouse 2-3 0-0 4; Heidi Hoff 3-5 0-0 9; Abigail Fogg 4-5 0-0 8. TOTAL 3-27-65 11-17 or TOTALS 37-65 11-17 97. MARQUETTE

(Hemiller 8), Marquette 29 (Valentine 7). Asissts: USD 29 (Seekamp 12), Marquette 11 (Valentine 3). Turnovers: Marquette 15, USD 11. Personal Fouls: Marquette 16, USD 12. Fouled Out: None.

Special Team Player: Lathen Stevens,

Edgemont. From returning punts and kicks, to longsnapping to making stops on special

teams, Stevens made his impact felt for the

Moguls. The senior averaged 21.7 yards per

punt return, 19.9 yards per kickoff return and scored a touchdown on both. He finished with

six career special team TDs. "Teams hardly

ability to make the big play in the open field," said Edgemont coach Dave Cortney. "On

kickoffs and punts he made the tackle or was

Honorable Mention Broderick Poppinga of De Smet, Cass Lytle of Wall, Drake Rust of Hamlin, Grant

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Raasch. "He's a really quiet leader for us as

well and a big reason for our success."

Wide Receiver: Adam Aughenbaugh De Smet. This record-setting receiver had 45 receptions for 744 yards and 13 touchdowns this past season. Aughenbaugh finished his career with 104 catches for 1,645 yards and 30 touchdowns. He holds four school records "Adam has great hands as a receiver said De Smet coach Mike Warne. "He had several highlight-reel catches. He saw double coverage in most games this year and still averaged 75 yards receiving per game."

Wide Receiver: Clayton Menning, Corsica-Stickney. Menning was a playmaker for the Jaguars this season. The junior rushed for 945 yards and seven touchdowns, and also caught 14 passes for 478 yards and four more TDs. "Clayton is the kind of player that would always step up and make a big play when his team needed it most on both sides of the ball," said Corsica-Stickney coach Jason Broughton Quarterback: Chance Olson, Langford Area. Just a junior, Olson rushed for 1,464

yards and 20 touchdowns, and passed for 534 yards and 8 TDs. He has produced

career so far. "Chance is so explosive. He is

more than 3,000 yards of offense in his

a high-energy player and impact player on both sides of the ball," said Lions coach Paul Raasch. "The bigger the game the better he plays and he packs a punch even at 160 pounds. He's a hard-nosed player. Fullback: Tyson Serr, Burke-South Central. Good things happened when Serr touched the ball for the Cougars. The senior rushed for 741 yards and 11 touchdowns, had 167 vards receiving and three more scores, and also passed for 38 yards. He had 946 yards of total offense with 14 touchdowns this past season. The four-year starter finished his career with 1,987 yards of total offense and 34 touchdowns. "He is a good student and a great leader," said Burke-South Central coach Mike Sebern.

Running Back: Lincoln Gibbs, Langford Area. Gibbs was unstoppable his junior season rushing for 2,357 yards and 37 touchdowns. He also had 192 yards receiving and three more scores. He has already racked up 3,680 yards rushing with 53 touchdowns with a full season remaining. "Lincoln had a terrific year. His combination of speed and power makes him an elite back and very difficult to contain," said Lions coach Paul Ŕaasch. "He has put in countless hours in the offseason eparing himself for the year he had.

Running Back: Josh Brown, Dell Rapids St. Mary: This record-setter spent plenty of time in opposing end zones. The senior rushed for 1,719 yards and 26 touchdowns this season, and finished his career with 5,391 yards rushing (eighth best in state his tory) and 83 rushing touchdowns (fifth all-time in state history). Brown finished with DRSM records for rushing yards, yards per game in a season, rushing TDs and total TDs. "Josh is a great football player," said Cardinals coach oss Flemmer. "He has a knack for finding

Defense

Defensive End: Kale Stieg, Hamlin: Opponents soon found out where Stieg was located on the line. Just a junior, he recorded 100 tackles, including 12 for loss and six sacks. He also deflected four passes. He already has 214 tackles, 28 for loss, 17 sacks and an interception with a season remaining. "Kale is a hard-nosed player," said Chargers coach Jeff Sheehan. "He will play wherever you need him and will give you 100 percent effort. He has a great nose for the ball and does all of the little things right.

Defensive End: Eli Van Roekel, Corsica-Stickney. This three-year starter spent plenty time in opposing backfields this past season Van Roekel accumulated 42 tackles and had six quarterback sacks. He also intercepted a pass and recovered a fumble. "Eli is a dedicated student-athlete who leads from example," said Jaguars coach Jason Broughton. "Eli is a do-everything athlete on the field leading us in rushing, receiving, punt returns and kickoff returns."

Defensive Tackle: Dane Dornbusch, Howard. Dornbush brought traffic to a halt from his spot on the defensive line. The

senior had 54 tackles, a sack and a pair of fumble recoveries for the Tigers this fall. The three-year starter finished his career with 145 tackles, three sacks and four fumble recoveries. Dornbusch started as a center and defensive tackle on last year's Class 9A state championship team.

Defensive Tackle: Carson Kostal, Corsica-Stickney. This senior was a force on the defensive line for Corsica-Stickney this season. The three-year starter collected 47 tackles and had four quarterback sacks. He also blocked a punt for the Jaguars, who worker and a great leader," said Corsica-Stickney coach Jason Broughton.

Linebacker: Ryder Grantham, Hamlin. Grantham left his mark on opposing ball careers and his impact on the Chargers football program. The senior had 96 tackles, seven for loss, and defended five passes his senior season. He finished his career with 320 tackles, 14 for loss, three sacks and four interceptions. "He plays at top speed the whole game," said Hamlin coach Jeff Sheehan. "He is pound for pound one of the best hitters I have worked with. He was a

Linebacker: Matt Larson, De Smet: Larson led the Bulldogs in tackles the past three seasons. He had 114 this year (average of 11.4 per game), running his career total to a whopping 360 tackles. He also forced six fumbles and recovered four this season. He finished his career with 12 forced fumbles, six recoveries and two interceptions. "Matt is the best linebacker I have been around as a coach," said De Smet coach Mike Warne. 'Matt made tackles from sideline to sideline and often times drew double team blocks at a linebacker position. Linebacker: Garrett Boylan, Harding

County. Boylan was all over the field for the Ranchers this season. The senior had 52 solo tackles and 69 assists, and averaged more than 10 tackles per game. He also had four sacks, forced three fumbles and recovered a fumble. "Garrett is a player we moved all around on our defense," said Harding County coach Jay Wammen. "His strength allowed him to play nose tackle, defensive tackle and his football awareness allowed him to move back to the middle linebacker role for

Linebacker: Zach Sebern, Burke-Special Teams South Central. Sebern led his team with 94 tackles this season (averaging more than

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Kicker: Eric Christofferson, Langford Area. Christofferson helped the defense and the offense with his leg this past season.
The senior averaged 48.2 yards per kickoff and helped pin opponents deep on their side of the field. He also made 15 extra points and a pair of field goals for the Lions. "Eric was a real weapon for us this season," said Langford Area coach Paul Raasch. "He has a big leg on kickoffs and is quick and accurate

Punter: Nathan Hollenbeck, Timber Lake. This senior averaged 38.5 yards per punt and placed five punts inside the 20-yard line for the Panthers. "Nathan had a great leg that had the ability to get the ball very high in the air as well as deep," said Timber Lake coach Jordan Weisbeck. "He also had great accuracy with very few balls being returned at all. He gave our defense a huge advantage in

field position throughout the year."

Long Snapper: Christian Schnieders, Dell Rapids St. Mary. Schnieders was a model of consistency when it came to special teams. "He only had one bad snap all year on our punt team and he was the guy we'd release from that position to get downfield and make the tackle," said Cardinals coach Ross Flemmer. Schnieders was a force in all three facets of the game for DRSM. "He excelled on both sides of the ball and special teams," Flemmer said

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