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Before the season started, the Oct. 11 high school football matchup between Pierre and Yankton was seen as a likely 1 vs. 2 showdown.

Then the Bucks started 1-3, however, while the Governors jumped out early. Then there was the concern that Yankton could very well find itself out of the Class 11AA playoff pic-

Fast forward to Friday, when the second-ranked Bucks (3-3) host top-ranked Pierre (5-0) for not only a key ESD battle but one that will likely determine the No. 1 seed for the post-season. Funny how things change, huh?

Certainly a lot has changed over the past two weeks for Yankton, which boasts consecutive wins over Sioux Falls O'Gorman and Watertown.

Suddenly, the Bucks have re-emerged as a legitimate title threat. Standing in their way, however, is

high-flying Pierre, which is averaging 34 points a game.

1 Vs. 2 Showdown Coming To Crane-Youngworth

The Governors, who have lost three straight in the series with Yankton, had a bye week last week to prepare for Yankton's likely use of the Buck Spread offense — yes, that is coming back. While points figure to come in bunches on Friday, the question for me is: How does Yankton's de-

fense perform? The last two weeks have been very impressive for the Bucks. Discounting a mistake to O'Gorman (when an interception was returned all the way down near the goal line), Yankton's defense has surrendered 14 "true" points over the last two games.

That area faces a stiff test Friday with Pierre's lethal tandem of quarterback Alex Gray and receiver Austin Christopherson. One of many seniors on the Govs' roster, Christopherson caught four touchdown passes in a Sept. 27 rout of Huron.

Yes, Yankton has an explosive offense of its own, but the Bucks don't want to get into a shootout with the Govs.

But make no mistake, Yankton will take it.

MMC Soccer, Track Signs Colo. Recruit

The Mount Marty College women's soccer and track & field programs announced Wednesday the signing of Mykaela Hughes of Johnstown, Colo.,

to play soccer and run track for the Lancers. Hughes will graduate early from Berthoud High School in December and will join the Lancers in January. She will be listed on the soccer roster as a goalie, defense, and forward player.

Hughes was the captain on her high school team and her club team, Thompson

Club United. She was also named First Team All-Conference in 2012 and Second Team All-Conference in 2011. Mykaela was also honored at the Soccer Without Borders Tournament by being named to their All-Tournament Team.

"We are very excited to have Mykaela join our soccer program," said Nathan Epp, Mount Marty's head coach. "She is a very aggressive player with great speed. Her understanding of the game will allow her to have the ability to play multiple positions for us. Mykaela is also a great student and will succeed academically as well. She'll be a great fit for Mount Marty.

Hughes will also run sprint events for the Lancer track and field program and will begin competing right away in 2014. She placed third at the state track meet competing in the spring medley relay and was named All-State and All-Confer-

"We are thrilled to have Mykaela be part of our program," MMC head track coach Randy Fischer said. "She will help bring depth to our open sprint events as well as to our sprint relays."

Hughes, the daughter of Jason and Rachael Hughes, plans to major in criminal justice at Mount Marty College. In addition to her athletic awards she will also be receiving an academic merit schol-

USD Track To Sell Football Programs For Welcome Table

VERMILLION — South Dakota's track and field teams will be selling game programs at the Indiana State-South Dakota football game on Saturday to raise money for the Welcome Table in

The Welcome Table is a ministry outreach program that provides free meals and friendly company to attendees. Meals are served every Monday night from 5:30-7 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church at 16 N. Dakota St.

Proceeds from the sale of the programs will go towards providing food for the Welcome Table. The

teams will also prepare and serve the food to attendees at a later date.

This year's football game program has expanded to 76 pages with 28 pages in color. The program features a poster of a USD football player that changes for each game, has a feature story on one of USD's football players and has updated stats and game notes. The programs cost \$5 each. Saturday's game starts at 1 p.m. and will serve

as USD's annual Hall of Fame Game and Ag Appreciation Day. Tickets for the game can be bought online at GoYotes.com or by calling the USD Ticket Office at 605-677-5959

DWU Softball Sponsoring Morning With Jennie Finch

MITCHELL — The Dakota Wesleyan University softball team is sponsoring a morning with Jennie Finch with the Sioux Falls Diamonds Fastpitch Softball Club in Sioux Falls.

Finch, a former pitcher for the U.S.A. softball Olympic softball team, will be at the Diamonds' practice facility from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, Nov 9 She will provide defensive and offensive instruction, a pitching demonstration, give a motivational speech and give autograph and photo opportunities to athletes in attendance.

Participants will have the opportunity to visit with Jennie, get her autograph on a souvenir provided and will receive a light snack and drink.

Cost of the event is \$250 per participant. For \$25, participants can order a photo with Jennie but the photos must be pre-ordered. All proceeds from the photos will go to the Wounded Warrior

Önly registered participants will be allowed in the building, so parents should drop off their child at 7:45 a.m. and pick them up at 1 p.m. Participants need to bring a marked glove and bat; no softball bags will be allowed.

To register, go to www.siouxfallsdiamonds.com. Space is limited, so early registration is recommended. There will be no refunds for this event.

SDSU's Reichow Named **Summit League Male Athlete Of The Month**

ELMHURST, III. — South Dakota State's Joel Reichow has been named Male Athlete of the Month by The Summit League for his performance in August and September. Reichow finished in the top-two in the first two meets of the year.

Reichow began the 2013 season with a win at the Bison Open with his final time of 15:46.38. He followed up his performance in the season-opener with a second place finish at the Oz Memorial

Reichow posted the fourth-best 8k Summit League time (25:29.7) at the Griak Invitational.

Most recently he placed fifth at the SDSU Classic with his overall time of 25:23.73.

He was awarded The Summit League's Athlete of the Week award for his finishes at the Bison Open and the Oz Memorial.

The Jackrabbits are currently ranked No. 10 in the Midwest by the United States Track & Field and Cross Country Coaches Association (USTFC-CCA).

This is the first Athlete of the Month award for Reichow.

The Jackrabbits do not compete this weekend as they prepare for the Bradley Classic on Oct. 18

Iowa State To Host NCAA Women's Games

AMES, Iowa (AP) — Iowa State has been selected to host the first two rounds of the NCAA women's basketball tournament next spring.

The Cyclones will host a pair of first round games and a second round matchup on March 22-5 at Hilton Coliseum. If Iowa State earns an NCAA tournament bid, it will play the first two rounds at home.

It will be the eighth time the Cyclones have hosted NCAA tournament games and the first since 2012.

The University of Iowa will also host women's tournament games in 2014

SCOREBOARD

BOWLING

YANKTON BOWL INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE HIGH TEAM GAME: Dakota Trailer

HIGH TEAM SERIES: Yankton Redi-HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME: Darwin Gerlach 279, Shane Bertsch 258, Ryan Liebl 245, Don Casey 243, JJ Peterson

HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES: Shane Bertsch 740, Waren Muller 704, Don Casey 668, Darwin Gerlach 667, JJ Peter-

STANDINGS: H&K Oil 100. Thrivent 90, Dakota Trailer 86, Yankton Redi-Mix 81, H&K Oil #2 77, Kellen's Carts & Serv-65, Wholesale Supply 53, KPI Bowl Dogs

FOOTBALL

AP NEBRASKA HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL RANKINGS

Here are the Associated Press Nebraska high school football rankings in Classes A through D2. Listings include name of school, season record, previous week's ranking, previous opponent and re-sult, and next opponent. (NR—Not ranked). The rankings are based on a for-mula that includes ratings from the Omaha World-Herald and Lincoln Journal Star plus experts for each class. Class A: Dale Miller, Grand Island Independent. Class B: Jeff Fielder, Scottsbluff Star-Herald, Class C1: Tom Behmer, Norfolk Daily News, Class C2: Brent Wasinius, Fremont Trib-une. Class D1: Mark Obermeier, North Platte Telegraph. Class D2: Nick Blasnitz, Hastings Tribune. NOTE: Only classes with area teams

are listed.

CLASS C1

1. Boone Central/Newman Grove (50), 1, def. David City 49-20, at Madison.
2. Norfolk Catholic (4-1), 2, bye, at 34-18, at Overton.
8. Overton (5-West Point-Beemer.
3. Lincoln Christian (5-0), 3, def.

Wilber-Clatonia 41-22, Lincoln Lutheran.

Madison 53-14, bye. Other 6. Cozad (5-0), 6, def. Gothenburg ingford. 19-0, at Kearney Catholic. 7. Syracuse (5-0), NR, def. Falls City

33-16, Auburn. 8 Adams Central (4-1) 8 def Cen-

Hughes

tral City 54-6. Minden 9. Wahoo (4-1), 9, def. Raymond Central 21-0, Bishop Neumann. 10. Wayne (4-2), NR, def. West Point-Beemer 21-13, at Pierce. Others receiving votes: Bishop Neu-

CLASS C2
1. Doniphan-Trumbull (5-0), 1, def.
Superior 68-7, Sutton. 2. Lutheran High Northeast (5-0), 3. def. Hartington Cedar Catholic 34-12,

3. Archbishop Bergan (4-1), 4, def. Stanton 32-7, Oakland-Craig.
4. Aquinas Catholic (4-1), 5, def.
Yutan 44-13, at North Bend Central.
5. North Platte St. Patrick's (5-0), 6,

bye, Cambridge. 6. Hastings St. Cecilia (4-1), NR, def. Sutton 21-14, Southern Valley.
7. Hartington Cedar Catholic (4-1), 7, lost to Lutheran High Northeast 34-12, at

8. Sutton (4-1), 2. lost to Hastings 9. Crofton (4-1), 8, def. Homer 63-at Lutheran High Northeast. 10. Battle Creek (5-0), 9, def. W

Holt 33-7, Hartington Cedar Catholic. Others receiving votes: Blue Hill. CLASS D1

1. Exeter-Milligan (5-0), 1, def. Lo
des Central Catholic. 66-26, Freeman. 2. Howells-Dodge (5-0), 2, 0 Omaha Christian Academy 48-14.

Guardian Angels Central Catholic 3. Guardian Angels Central Cath (5-0), 3, def. Clarkson/Leigh 42-12, H ells-Dodge.
4. Creighton (5-0), 4, def. Bloomfi 80-0, Plainview.

5. Bruning-Davenport/Shickley (5. 5, def. Red Cloud 42-14, at Franklin. 6. High Plains Community (5-1), def. Shelby-Rising City 61-8, Cro

County.
7. Elm Creek (5-0), 7, def. Twin Lo 8. Overton (5-0), 9. def. Arapahoe 6, Elm Creek

ber-Clatonia 41-22, Lincoln Lutheran. 4. Kearney Catholic (5-0) 4, def. Min-10. Randolph (4-1), 10, def. Allen 52-0 at Winnehad Others receiving votes: Friend, Hem

1. Falls City Sacred Heart (5-0), 1

2. Wynot (5-0), 3, def. Stuart 44-22, at 3. Giltner (4-1), 4, def. Fullerton 54-

4. Amherst (5-0), 10, def. Shelton 40-5. Humphrey St. Francis (3-1), 7, Lyons-Decatur Northeast 38-16, Scribner-

Snyder. 6. Wallace (6-0), 9, def. Brady 60-8, at Hitchcock County. Seattle 4 1 0 .800 137
7. Shelton (4-1), 2, lost to Amherst 400, at Lawrence-Nelson. Arizona 3 2 0 .600 91 0, at Lawrence-Nelson. 8. Nebraska Lutheran (6-0), NR, def. Mead 64-14, Osceola.

9. Fullerton (3-2), 5, lost to Giltner 54-

16, at Spalding/Spalding Academy. 10. Elwood (4-1), NR, def. Sumner-Eddyville-Miller 72-9, Loomis. Others receiving votes: Anselmo-Merna, Lyons-Decatur Northeast, Medi-

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3 2 0 .600 113 3 2 0 .600 91 2 3 0 .400 103 Thursday, Oct. 10 N.Y. Giants at Chicago, 7:25 p.m Sunday, Oct. 13

Carolina at Minnesota, noon Oakland at Kansas City, noon St. Louis at Houston, noon Green Bay at Baltimore, noon Philadelphia at Tampa Bay, noon Pittsburgh at N.Y. Jets, noon Cincinnati at Burlalo, noon Detroit at Cleveland, noon Tennessee at Seattle, 3:05 p.m. Jacksonville at Denver, 3:05 p.m. Arizona at San Francisco, 3:25 p.m. New Orleans at New England, 3:25

Washington at Dallas, 7:30 p.m. Open: Atlanta, Miami Indianapolis at San Diego, 7:40 p.m.

BASEBALL

MLB POST-SEASON DIVISION SERIES Tuesday, Oct. 8 Detroit 8, Oakland 6

eries 3-1

Wednesday Oct. 9
St. Louis 6, Pittsburgh 1, St. Louis Thursday, Oct. 10 Detroit (Verlander 13-12) at Oakland (Gray 5-3), 7:07 p.m. (TBS)

Boston 3, Tampa Bay 1, Boston wins

AUTO RACING 2013 NASCAR SPRINT CUP

SCHEDULE

Feb. 16 — x-The Sprint Unlimited Feb. 21 — x-Budweiser Duel 1 (Kevin

19, 25-20 on Tuesday night in Bonesteel.

Oorlog recorded 12 kills, four blocks

and four digs, while Nagel added 10 kills

and five digs. Hanna Powers keyed the offense with 15 set assists and two ace For good measure, Amanda Reiff added seven kills for the Lady Pirates (9-

No stats were reported for South Cen-

AREA CALENDAR

Thursday, October 10
CROSS COUNTRY, PREP Big East Conf. at
Parker (Parker, 4 p.m.); Dakota 12 Conf. at Elk Point
(Beresford, Dakota Valley, Elk Point-Jefferson, Vermillion, 4 p.m.); Ethan-Parkston Inv. (Ethan-Parkston, tte-Geddes, Scotland, Wagner, 4:15 p.m.) **TENNIS, GIRLS'** S.D. State Tourn. at Sioux Falls

VOLLEYBALL, PREP YHS at Mitchell (7 p.m.); VOLLEYBALL, PRCEY THO at MIKIONEN (F. PLINA).
AVON VS. Bridgewater-Emery at Emery, Bancroft-Rosalie at Laurel-Concord-Coleridge, Beresford at Alcester-Hudson; Elik Point-Jefferson at Tri-Valley; Freeman Academy at Centerville; Freeman at Bon Homme; Hartington at Allen; Howard at Marion; Irene-Wakonda/Menno at Gayville-Volin (Dig Pink Night, 4:30 p.m.); Kimball-White Lake at Parkston; Madioad at Bloomfald: Parker at Scringand: Platte-Geddes at at Bloomfield: Parker at Scotland: Platte-Geddes at at Bloomielor, Parker at Scouland, Platte-Geoles Gregory; Plonca at Hadrington Cedar Catholic; Tripp-Delmont-Armour vs. Woonsocket-Sanborn Central at Woonsocket; Viborg-Hurley at Baltic; Wayne at Crofton; Wynot at Winside VOLLEYBALL, JV YHS at Mitchell (4:30 p.m.) VOLLEYBALL, SOPH YHS at Mitchell (5:45

VOLLEYBALL, 9TH YHS at Mitchell (4:30 p.m.) Friday, October 11
CROSS COUNTRY, PREP Bloomfield Inv./Lewis
& Clark Conf. at Rolling Hills CC (Bloomfield,
Creighton, Hartington, Niborara-Verdigre, Randolph,
3:30 p.m.); Mid-State Conf. at Crofton (Crofton, 4:30

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cord, N.C.

N.H. (Matt Kenseth)

July 6 — Coke Zero 400 powered by Coca-Cola, Daytona Beach, Fla. (Jimmie

301, Loudon, N.H. (Brian Vickers)
July 28 — Your Hero's Name Here
400 at The Brickyard, Indianapolis (Ryan

Newman) Aug. 4 — GoBowling.com 400 Long

Aug. 4 — Gobowing.com 400 Long Pond, Pa. (Kasey Kahne) Aug. 11 — Cheez-It 355 at The Glen, Watkins Glen, N.Y. (Kyle Busch) Aug. 18 — Pure Michigan 400, Brook-lyn, Mich. (Joey Logano)

Aug. 24 — Invin Tools Night Race, Bristol, Tenn. (Matt Kenseth) Sept. 1 — AdvoCare 500 at Atlanta,

July 14 — Camping World RV Sales

Feb. 21 — x-Budweiser Duel 2 (Kyle

March 3 — Subway Fresh Fit 500,

March 24 — Auto Club 400, Fontana,

Calif. (Kyle Busch)
April 7 — STP Gas Booster 500,
Ridgeway, Va. (Jimmie Johnson)
April 13 — NRA 500, Fort Worth,

April 21 — STP 400, Kansas City, Kan. (Matt Kenseth)

May 5 — Aaron's 499, Talladega, Ala.

May 18 — x-Sprint Showdown (Jamie

May 26 - Coca-Cola 600, Concord,

June 2 - Dover 400, Dover, Del.

(Tony Stewart)
June 9 — Pocono 400, Long Pond,

Pa. (Jimmie Johnson)
June 16 — Quicken Loans 400,
Brooklyn, Mich. (Greg Biffle)
June 23 — Toyota/Save Mart 350,
Sonoma, Calif. (Martin Truex Jr.)

June 30 — Quaker State 400, Sparta, Ariz.

McMurray)
May 18 — x-NASCAR Sprint All-Star
Race (Jimmie Johnson)

(David Ragan) May 11 — Bojangles' Southern 500,

Avondale, Ariz. (Carl Edwards)
March 10 — Kobalt Tools 400, Las
Vegas (Matt Kenseth)
March 17 — Food City 500, Bristol,

Tenn. (Kasey Kahne)

Texas (Kyle Busch)

mond, Va. (Kevin Harvick)

Darlington, S.C. (Matt Kenseth)

N.C. (Kevin Harvick)

Busch)
Feb. 24 — Daytona 500 (Jimmie

KYNT-AM, KVHT-FM); Avon at Marty; Baltic at Parker; Beresford at Sioux Valley; Bloomfield at Elgin Public-Pope John; Bon Homme at Wagner (7 p.m., KKYA-FM); Burke-South Central at Scotland; Centerville at Garretson: Crofton at Lutheran High Northeast: Elk Point-Jefferson at

FOOTBALL. PREP Pierre at YHS (7 p.m.,

Emerson-Hubbard at Allen: Flandreau at Vermillion (7:30 p.m., KVTK-AM); Freeman vs. Bridgewater-Emery-Ethan at Bridgewater; Gregory at Andes Cen-tral; Hartington at Pender; Hartington Cedar Catholic uar, naringiuri ar reiner, naringiuri celar Caulion (each caulion at Battle Creek; Howard vs. Tripp-Delmont-Armour at Armour (HC, 7 p.m.); Irene-Wakonda at Chester Area; Menno-Marion at Hanson; Neligh-Oakdale vs. Niobrara-Verdigne; Plainview at Creighton; Ponca at Homer, Randolph at Winnebago; Silver Lake at Santon (ed. 1998). The Africa Chester (ed. 1998). tee; Tea Area at Dakota Valley; Tri-Valley at Parkston; Viborg-Hurley at Gayville-Volin; Wausa at Stuart; West Holt at Laurel-Concord-Coleridge; Wynot at

SOCCER, WOMEN'S USD at S.D. State (6 p.m.) SOCCER, BOYS' S.D. State Tourn. at Mitchell SOCCER, GIRLS' S.D. State Tourn. at Mitchell TENNIS, GIRLS' S.D. State Tourn. at Sioux Falls

HS, Vermillion, 8:45 a.m.)

VOLLEYBALL, WOMEN'S Denver at USD (5 VOLLEYBALL, WOMEN'S JV MMC at Briar Cliff

Saturday, October 12 VOL
CHEER & DANCE, PREP Dakota Valley Inv. (1 p.m.)

ota Conf. at Harrisburg (YHS, 11 a.m.)

FOOTBALL, COLLEGE Indiana State at USD (1 SOCCER, BOYS' S.D. State Tourn. at Mitchell

CROSS COUNTRY, PREP Eastern South

(Bon Homme, Dakota Valley, 11 a.m.)

CROSS COUNTRY. COLLEGE Briar Cliff Inv.

SOCCER, GIRLS' S.D. State Tourn. at Mitchell TENNIS, GIRLS' S.D. State Tourn. at Sioux Falls S, Vermillion, 8:45 a.m.)

VOLLEYBALL, PREP Watertown at YHS (2:30 p.m.); Chester Challenge (Alcester-Hudson, Andes Central, Gayville-Volin, Parker, Wagner); Gayville-Volin Tourn. (Gayville-Volin, Ponca, Scotland, 9 a.m.); Redfield Tourn. (Beresford); Wisner-Pilger Inv. (Allen,

Wynot): Akron-Westfield at Elk Point-Jefferson mfield/Winside at Randolph; Centerville vs. Old-VOLLEYBALL, JV Watertown at YHS (noon)
VOLLEYBALL, SOPH Watertown at YHS (1:15

VOLLEYBALL, 9TH Watertown at YHS (noon) Sunday, October 13
SOCCER, MEN'S MMC at Briar Cliff (4 p.m.)
SOCCER, WOMEN'S USD at N.D. State (noon);

VOLLEYBALL, WOMEN'S Hastings at MMC

(2:30 p.m.)

VOLLEYBALL, WOMEN'S JV Hastings at MMC

TRANSACTIONS BASEBALL

American League
NEW YORK YANKEES — Re-signed
manager Joe Grand to a four-year contract through the 2017 season. TEXAS RANGERS - Activated RHP Matt West from the 60-day DL. Designated INF infielder Jeff Baker for assignment.

BASKETBALL

National Basketball Association LOS ANGELES LAKERS - Waived C Dan Gadzuric and C Eric Boateng.

FOOTBALL National Football League BUFFALO BILLS—Signed CB Johnny Adams to the practice squad

n. (Matt Kensetn)
April 27 — Toyota Owners 400, RichInd Va. (Kevin Harvick)

April 27 — Federated Auto Parts 400,
Sept. 7 — Federated Auto Parts 400, Richmond, Va. (Carl Edwards)
Sept. 15 — GEICO 400, Joliet, III. CAROLINA PANTHERS — Signed C Brian Folkerts from the practice squad. Signed WR Marvin McNutt from Miami's Sylvania 300, Loudon, practice squad. Signed LB Ben Jacobs and LB Jeff Tarpinian to the practice Sept. 29 — AAA 400, Dover, Del. (Jimmie Johnson)
Oct. 6 — Hollywood Casino 400,

squad.
CHICAGO BEARS — Signed DT Christian Tupou from the practice squad. Placed DT Nate Collins on injured reserve. INDIANAPOLIS COLTS - Signed LB Andy Studebaker. Signed RB Dan Herron of Cincinnati's practice squad. Placed RB

Ahmad Bradshaw on injured reserve.

MINNESOTA VIKINGS — Signed DE Brian Robison to a four-year contract ex-

Nov. 17 — Ford EcoBoost 400, Ja'Gared Davis and S Kanorris Davis to the practice squad.

NEW YORK JETS — Placed LB Antwan Barnes on injured reserve. Resigned LB Ricky Sapp. Signed DT T.J.

Barnes to the practice squad. Released DT Junior Aumavae from the practice squad.

OAKLAND RAIDERS — Signed DT

Daniel Muir. Re-signed OL Jack Cornell to the practice squad. PITTSBURGH STEELERS — Signed LB Stevenson Sylvester. Released LB

Kion Wilson. SAN DIEGO CHARGERS—Placed T Mike Harris on reserve-injured. Signed T Mike Remmers from the Tampa Bay Buc-caneers practice squad. Signed RB Kerwynn Williams to the practice squad. Released RB Miguel Maysonet to the

SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS—Claimed QB McLeod Bethel-Johnson off waivers from the Minnesota Vikin John Skelton.

HOCKEY

National Hockey League NHL — Fined New York Islanders F Frans Nielsen \$5,000 for slashing Phoenix F Martin Hanzal in an Oct. 8 game, Suspended San Jose Sharks D Brad Stuart for

Rick Nash.

MINNESOTA WILD — Recalled F Stephane Veilleux from Iowa (AHL). Re-assigned F Carson McMillan and F Jason Zucker to Iowa.

Volleyball: LCC, Avon Record Tuesday Sweeps

HARTINGTON, Neb. — Laurel-Concord-Coleridge upended Hartington 25-20, 25-8, 25-16 in high school volleyball action from Tuesday night.

No stats were reported for LCC (10-8). In the loss for the Wildcats (10-6), Shelby Hochstein

had seven kills and 11 digs,

Camie Stratman had four kills

"We've had some games

that we probably should have

won but didn't, and I think

them," he said. "And when

you have first halves like

the guys let those affect

and Abby Lammers added 14 set assists. Both teams return to ac-

tion tonight (Thursday), as LCC hosts Bancroft Rosalie and Hartington visits Allen. LAUREL-CONCORD-COLERIDGE (10-8)...25 25 25 HARTINGTON (10-6)......20 8 16

ting better.'

Avon 3, South Central 0

BONESTEEL — Ariana Oorlog and Chesney Nagel combined for 22 kills to lead Avon past South Central 25-16, 25-

(Wednesday), you're not getfrom Wednesday.

a Sunday game with Briar Following that, the Lancers close the regular sea-

Like the women's team,

travel to Sioux City, Iowa, for

the Mount Marty men will

son with three games — two against ranked teams. The goal, Gomez said, is not simply to turn the page

"It can't be just, 'Oh we have another game, let's start over.' You don't learn from that," he said. "We need to do what we did in the second

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half and keep that going."

this story at www.yankton.net.

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Wolters

five rebounds during a 90-80 loss to the San Antonio

"I thought I adjusted pretty well throughout the

week," he said. His pro education has continued in training camp, where's he's had to learn to drive into the incredibly long reach of Bucks center Larry Sanders and forward John

Henson. 'When you get in the lane, you've got to be pretty crafty," he said. "Otherwise they're going to block your

For now, Wolters will have to battle for playing time behind fellow point guards Brandon Knight and Luke Ridnour. He played 12 minutes of the Bucks' preseason opener Tuesday night in Cleveland, scoring 2 points with three assists and two rebounds.

The limited minutes will

be a departure from his time at South Dakota State.

in. It'll be a totally different adjustment and something I'm looking forward to." Nagy said Wolters' most

difficult adjustment will likely

Nagy said. "Now he's in a business. The preseason matchup in Sioux Falls will christen the

serve as the home for the NBA D-League's Sioux Falls Skyforce. Nagy said most of South Dakota State's players and coaches will make the 60mile trip south from Brookings to see the man who helped put the Jackrabbits on the national map.

players are excited about seeing their former teammate in a pro uniform. "We're all rooting for him,"

cus Heemstra, Wolters' col-

lege roommate, said the

Jackrabbits forward Mar-

Heemstra said. "We can't wait to watch him play." Wolters said it will be fun

to see old friends. "It's pretty cool," Wolters said. "I didn't really expect to

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The Red Raiders scored again in the 53rd minute of the second half, on a 1-on-1 shot from Michaela Gibson.

After a series of North-

western shots sailed wide or

high, the Lancer defense al-

Fernando in front of the net

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lowed a put-back by Priyanka

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For Mount Marty (1-11-1, 0-5), which has two goals in five conference games, there remains work to be done, Manahan said. 'We're a great team, with a

to find it," she said. "It can't be half the team, either, it's got to be everybody." The Lancers have a couple days to recover before

they hit the road Sunday for a

lot of potential, but we need

game at Briar Cliff in Sioux City, Iowa.

You have to brush it off and have the mindset that we can get better," Erwin said. 'We just have to come together."

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> "I played all 40 minutes of the game, basically, and had a lot of freedom and shot a lot," he said. "Coming here, I don't really know how much time I'll play or when I'll get

and conservative Midwest guy adapts to the NBA lifestyle. "His main focus has been basketball his whole life,'

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