DWU Volleyball Signs Four For 2014

MITCHELL - Dakota Wesleyan University volleyball head coach Eric Viney has already secured four recruits for the 2014 season, he announced this week, and three of them are from right here in South Dakota.

Winner High School's Emily Richey, Ethan standout Anna Mueller and Kimball High School's Anna Pazour all join the Tigers from within the state's borders, and Maxine Block comes to Dakota Weslevan from Pahoa. Hawaii

'This is a great start to our 2014 recruiting class," Viney said. "To be able to add a player from Hawaii, along with three local players, speaks vol-

SCOREBOARD

Metro Tournament

FOOTBALL

Class 11AA

Class 11A

Dell Rapids 34, Sisseton 12

No. 7 Chamberlain (5-4) at No. 2

14

1 Hamlin (6-0)

Wall (8-0)

(8-0), 7 p.m

Hot Springs (8-1) No. 6 Tea Area (5-4) at No. 3 West

Central (7-2) No. 5 Belle Fourche (5-4) at No. 4

Aberdeen Roncalli 42, Groton Area

Canton 50, McCook Central/Mon

Parkston 38, Wagner 8 Redfield/Doland 50, Mobridge-Pol-

St. Thomas More 54, Red Cloud 0

Tri-Vallev 20. Beresford 14

Winner 34, Bon Homme 8 arterfinals, Nov. 4

Custer 33. Bennett County 8

Tea Area 34 Lennox 14

14, 25-18

6, 25-14

Semifinal

South, 25-20, 16-25

S.D. PLAYOFFS

Quarterfinals. Oct. 31

town (5-3), 6:30 p.m.

First Round, Oct. 29

Quarterfinals, Nov. 4

Dell Rapids (7-2) Class 11B

First Round, Oct. 29

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(3-5), 7 p.m.

Butte 0

Class 11AAA Quarterfinals, Oct. 31

Millard North def. Omaha Burke, 25-

umes to the positive direction our program is heading in the near future. It also shows that Dakota Weslevan as a university is a great choice for all types of student athletes. The future is bright not only for DWU volleyball, but for the university as a whole.

Wausa Downs Winnebago

RANDOLPH, Neb. — Wausa beat Winnebago 26-24, 25-21, in a consolation game in the Lewis Clark Conference volleyball tournament on Tuesday.

Lauryl Schumacher had five kills and Tara Munter had four kills to lead Wausa. Gabby Swanson had 15 assists and two ace serves. Leanna Rosberg had two ace serves in the victory.

Wausa, 7-17, and Winnebago will open subdistrict play next week. .24 21

Akron Minor League Team Now 'RubberDucks'

CLEVELAND (AP) — Splish, splash, Akron's minor league team is ready for a bath.

No longer known as the Aeros, they're now the RubberDucks. The Double-A affiliate for the Cleveland Indians

announced the new nickname on Tuesday. Team owner Ken Babby said the RubberDucks nickname and logo are designed to "honor the history of Akron and the rubber industry while creating a

Kenesaw (2-6) at Falls City Sacred Heart (8-0), 5 p.m.

East

South

East

South

0 .500 230 0 .375 176

6 0 .143 163 225

PA

144

211

153

144

PA

163

PA

158 197

125

174

Boston 4, St. Louis 2

Boston 3, St. Louis 1

NASCAR SPRINT CUP

AUTO RACING

2013 SCHEDULE

ednesday, Oct. 30

Monday, Oct. 28

series 4-2

ridian (5-3), 5 p.m.

Lyons-Decatur Northeast (7-1) at

Parkview Christian (6-2) at Fullerton

new identity that was fun, exciting, and familyfriendly.

The team's primary logo consists of a snarling tire-treaded duck's head accentuated by flames The team's new official color combination of "blue flame, racing yellow, fire orange and tire black pays" tribute to Akron's heritage as the "Rubber Citv

Akron's team had been known as the Aeros for the past 17 seasons, adopting the nickname when the club moved into Canal Park in 1997

Nebraska Youth Pheasant

Hunting Numbers Up

LINCOLN, Neb. (AP) — Participation in Ne-

Friday, November 1 BASKETBALL, WOMEN'S Grace at MMC (6

n., KYNT-AM) SOCCER, WOMEN'S Western Illinois at USD (3

/ VOLLEYBALL. WOMEN'S South Dakota State

VOLLEYBALL, PREP Lewis & Clark Conf. at

Laurel: Consolation (5:30 p.m.; Championship (7 p.m.); Mid-State Conf. at Battle Creek: Fifth (4:30

p.m); Third (6 p.m.); Championship (7:30 p.m.); Nio-brara Valley Conf. at O'Neill: Consolation (6:15 p.m.);

Saturday, November 2

ham

Evan Fournier

the practice squad.

lverson an

Championship (7:30 p.m.)

Sept. 1 - AdvoCare 500 at Atlanta

mpton, Ga. (Kyle Busch) Sept. 7 — Federated Auto Parts 400,

Sept. 22 - Sylvania 300, Loudon.

Nov. 10 - AdvoCare 500, Avondale

Nov. 17 — Ford EcoBoost 400,

Through Oct. 27 1. Matt Kenseth, 2,294. 2. Jimmie Johnson, 2,294.

3. Jeff Gordon, 2,267.

5. Kyle Busch, 2.258.

8. Grea Biffle, 2.236

9. Kurt Busch, 2,219.

10. Carl Edwards, 2,218. 11. Joey Logano, 2,209.

13. Kasey Kahne, 2,170.

4. Kevin Harvick, 2,266.

Ryle Busch, 2,236.
Clint Bowyer, 2,239.
Dale Earnhardt Jr., 2,238.

AREA CALENDAR

Thursday, October 31 FOOTBALL, PREP S.D. Quarterfinals: Class 11AAA — Mitchell at YHS (7 p.m., KYNT-AM, KVHT-FM); Neb. First Round: Class C2 — Crofton at

Bridgeport (2 p.m.); Palmyra at Hartington Cedar Catholic (2 p.m., KKYA-FM); Ponca at Malcolm; Class D1 — Bloomfield at Creighton; Hartington at Exeter-Miligan; McCool Junction at Randolph; Nio-

brara-Verdigre at Elm Creek; Class D2 - Wausa at

VOLLEYBALL, PREP Alcester-Hudson at Free-man; Crow Creek at Marty; Dell Rapids at Dakota Valley; Vermillion at Elk Point-Jefferson (Senior Night)

Wynot (6 p.m., KVTK-AM)

Tampa Bay at Seattle, 3:05 p.m.

Baltimore at Cleveland 3:25 n m

Pittsburgh at New England, 3:25

braska's special youth pheasant hunts has increased 77 percent since the program began in 2011 and 42 percent from last year.

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The Nebraska Game and Parks Commission says that in 2013, 392 youth participated, compared to 276 in 2012 and 222 in 2011. The goal of the program is to increase youth participation in upland dame hunting by providing them an opportunity to experience a successful hunt.

The program allows youth ages 15 and younger to hunt at nine wildlife management areas across Nebraska during the statewide youth pheasant, quail and partridge season, which took place Oct. 19-20.

The regular pheasant, guail and partridge season began Saturday.

USD (1 p.m., KVHT-FM, KDLT-TV)

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(1 p.m.)

chold, Zach Penprase and CJ Retherford;

1B Chase Burch; and OFS Tim Alberts, Jose Hernandez and Nic Jackson. SIOUX CITY EXPLORERS — Exer-

cised the 2014 option on OF Tyler Gra-

BASKETBALL

Jared Sullinger for the Celtics' season-

opening game against Toronto on Wednesday night. CHICAGO BULLS — Exercised the

fourth-year option for G/F Jimmy Butler and third-year option for G Marquis

the fourth-year contract option on F Ken-neth Faried and third-year option on G

FOOTBALL

National Football League

S Michael Huff and DE Marcus Spears

Signed Ss Omar Brown and Brynden Trawick from the practice squad and WR

Kamar Aiken and QB Nick Stephens to

BUFFALO BILLS — Signed DT Ste-fan Charles off Tennessee's practice squad. Named Michael Lyons director of

analytics. CINCINNATI BENGALS — Placed S

Taylor Mays on injured reserve. HOUSTON TEXANS — Signed S

Steven Terrell to the practice squad. KANSAS CITY CHIEFS — Released

TE Kevin Brock. Signed OL Rokevious

Watkins from the practice squad and TE Dominique Jones to the practice squad.

DL Brian Sanford. SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS — Re-

OAKLAND RAIDERS — Re-signed

BALTIMORE RAVENS - Released

PHILADELPHIA 76ERS - G Allen

DENVER NUGGETS — Exercised

National Basketball Association BOSTON CELTICS — Suspended F

at USD (2 p.m.)

CROSS COUNTRY, COLLEGE Summit League ampionships at Fort Wayne, Ind. (USD) FOOTBALL, COLLEGE Youngstown State at

SOCCER, WEN'S Hastings at MMC (3 p.m.) SOCCER, WOMEN'S Hastings at MMC (1 p.m.) VOLLEYBALL, WOMEN'S MMC at Hastings

VOLLEYBALL. WOMEN'S JV MMC at Hastings

Sunday, November 3 SOCCER, WOMEN'S IUPUI at USD (noon) VOLLEYBALL, WOMEN'S North Dakota State

erdeen Roncalli (9-0) Millard West def. Bellevue West, 25-Class 9AA First Round, Oct. 29 Omaha Marian def. Omaha West-side, 25-16, 25-16 Arlington 22, Webster 20 Bridgewater-Emery/Ethan 50, Deuel Papillion-LaVista South def. Millard Deubrook 56, Clark/Willow Lake 32 Elkton-Lake Benton 35, Parker 18 Gregory 29, Stanley County 0 Hill City 36, DeSmet/Iroquois 8 Millard West def. Millard North, 25-16, 25-19 Omaha Marian def. Papillion-LaVista South, 25-11, 20-25, 25-17 Kimball/White Lake Woonsocket/Wessington Springs/Sann Central 8 Menno-Marion 40, Garretson 36 Quarterfinals, Nov. 4 No. 8 Menno-Marion (5-4) at No. 1 Gregory (8-1) No 7 Elkton-Lake Benton (7-2) at No. 8 R.C. Stevens (2-6) at No. 1 S.F. Lincoln (8-0), 4:30 p.m. No. 7 S.F. Washington (3-5) at No. 2 S.F. Roosevelt (7-1), 7:30 p.m. No. 2 Arlington (8-1) No. 6 Kimball-White Lake (7-2) at No. 3 Deubrook (8-1) No. 5 Hill City (8-1) at No. 4 Bridge-No. 6 Aberdeen Central (3-5) at No. water-Emery-Ethan (8-1) 3 Brandon Valley (6-2), 7 p.m. No. 5 S.F. O'Gorman (3-5) at No. 4. R.C. Central (4-4), 7:30 p.m. CT Class 9A First Round, Oct. 29 Alcester-Hudson 57, Chester 12 Herreid/Selby Area 42, Tri-State 0 Howard 22, Hanson 16 Leona/Frederick 56, Viborg-Hurley 6 No. 8 Brookings (3-5) at No. 1 Pierre (7-1), 7 p.m. No. 7 Douglas (4-4) at No. 2 Water-New Underwood 64, Newell 12 Potter County 42, Corsica/Stickney 0 Wolsey-Wessington 51, Colome 6 arterfinals, Nov. 4 No. 8 Lemmon-McIntosh (6-3) at No. 6 Mitchell (3-5) at No. 3 Yankton (4-4), 7 p.m. No. 5 Huron (3-5) at No. 4 Harrisburg Qu No. 1 Leola-Frederick (9-0) No. 7 New Underwood (7-2) at No. 2 Howard (9-0) Belle Fourche 38, Pine Ridge 0 Chamberlain 12, Todd County 6 No. 6 Herreid-Selby Area (7-2) at No. 3 Potter County (8-1) No. 5 Alcester-Hudson (8-1) at No. Hot Springs 2, Little Wound 0, forfeit Madison 55. Milbank Area 0 4 Wolsey-Wessington (9-0) Class 9B First Round, Oct. 29 Avon 46, Scotland 0 Vermillion 8, Dakota Valley 0 West Central 54, Cheyenne-Eagle Burke-South Central 42, Canistota 32 Dell Rapids St. Mary 50, Langford 20 No. 8 Vermillion (2-7) at No. 1 Madi-Faulkton 58, Waverly-South Shore 22

Crofton (5-3) at Bridgeport (6-2), 2 p.m. CT Kimball (4-4) at Blue Hill (7-1), 4 p.m. Cambridge (4-4) at North Platte St. No. 6 Custer (7-2) at No. 3 Park-Patrick's (7-1) 6 n m West Holt (4-4) at Hershey (8-0), ston (8-1) No. 5 Canton (8-1) at No. 4 Ab-3:30 p.m. Cecilia (6-2), 6 p.m (6-2), 7 p.m. Catholic (6-2), 7 p.m (7-1), 6 p.m. p.m., Adams (8-0), 3 p.m. p.m. p.m. CT Hamlin 42, Castlewood 0 Harding County 24, Kadoka Area 22 (7-1), 7 p.m. Hitchcock-Tulare 30, Eureka/Bowdle (7-1), 4 p.m. Wall 34, Faith 0 Class D2 Quarterfinals, Nov. 4 No. 8 Hitchcock-Tulare (7-2) at No. No. 7 Dell Rapids St. Mary (8-1) at 0. 2 Avon (8-0) ·1), 4 p.m. No. 6 Faulkton Area (7-2) at No. 3 p.m. No. 5 Burke-South Central (7-2) at No. 4 Harding County (7-2) NEB. PLAYOFFS FIRST ROUND, OCT. 31 p.m. Class C2 Sandhills-Thedford (4-4) at Shelton (7-1), 4 p.m. Centura (4-4) at Doniphan-Trumbull

-2), 4 p.m. Bancroft-Rosalie (4-4) at Humphrey Thayer Central (3-5) at Hastings St. St. Francis (7-1), 6 p.m. Osceola (4-4) at Nebraska Lutheran Southern Vaille (4-4) at Sutton (6-2), (8-0), 7 p.m. 6 p.m. Bayard (3-5) at Battle Creek (8-0), 2 1), 7 p.m. Scrib Lawrence-Nelson (6-2) at Giltner (7-Scribner-Snyder (5-3) at Sterling (5-Yutan (3-5) at Omaha Brownell-Tal- 3), 6 p.m. bot (8-0), 7 p.m. Elmwood-Murdock (5-3) at Centen-nial (5-3), 7 p.m. . Wausa (4-4) at Wynot (8-0), 6 p.m. NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE Tekamah-Herman (4-4) at Louisville AMERICAN CONFERENCE Ponca (4-4) at Malcolm (6-2), 5 p.m WLT Pct PF Weeping Water (3-5) at Archbishop Bergan (7-1), 6:30 p.m. Oakland-Craig (5-3) at Aquinas 6 2 0 .750 179 4 4 0 .500 143 New England N.Y. Jets Miami Palmyra (5-3) at Hartington Cedar Catholic (6-2), 2 p.m. Johnson County Central (4-4) at Buffalo Indianapolis Lutheran High Northeast (7-1), 3 p.m. Class D1 Tennessee Houston Neligh-Oakdale (4-4) at Bruning-Jacksonville Davenport-Shickley (8-0), 4 p.m. McCool Junction (6-2) at Randolph Cincinnati Hartington (5-3) at Exeter-Milligan (8-0), 4 p.m. Emerson-Hubbard (5-3) at High Plains Community (7-1), 5 p.m. Bloomfield (5-3) at Creighton (8-0), 7 Baltimore Cleveland Pittsburgh Kansas City Guardian Angels Central Catholic (7-Denver 1) at Heartland (7-1), 6 p.m. Friend (5-3) at Freeman (7-1), 7 San Diego Oakland Clarkson-Leigh (5-3) at Howells-Dodge (8-0), 7 p.m., Howells Clearwater-Orchard (4-4) at Overton Dallas Philadelphia Sutherland (5-3) at Palmer (6-2), 6 Washington N.Y. Giants North Central (5-3) at Arapahoe (6-2), 3 p.m. Alma (4-4) at Twin Loup (7-1), 6 New Orleans Franklin (3-5) at Hemingford (8-0), 2 Carolina Atlanta Tampa Bay South Loup (3-5) at Chambers-neeler Central (5-3) Nebraska Christian (5-3) at Burwell Green Bay Detroit brara-Verdigre (5-3) at Elm Creek Chicago Minnes West W L T Pct PF 7 1 0 .875 205 Brady (2-6) at Wallace (7-1), 7 p.m. Leyton (7-1) at Hay Springs (6-2), 4 Seattle San Francisco 6 2 0 .750 218 145 Hitchcock County (6-2) at Amherst Arizona St. Louis 4 4 0 .500 160 3 5 0 .375 165 Bertrand (5-3) at Loomis (6-2), 7 Thursday, Oct. 31 Cincinnati at Miami, 7:25 p.m. Garden County (5-3) at Stuart (7-1), Sunday, Nov. 3 2 p.m. Mullen (5-3) at Anselmo-Merna (6-2), Minnesota at Dallas, noon Tennessee at St. Louis, noon 7 p.m. Medicine Valley (6-2) at Elmwood, 5

> Atlanta at Carolina, noon New Orleans at N.Y. Jets, noon Kansas City at Buffalo, noon San Diego at Washington, noon Philadelphia at Oakland, 3:05 p.m.

Richmond, Va. (Carl Edwards) Sept. 15 — GEICO 400, Joliet, III. . Indianapolis at Houston, 7:30 p.m. Open: Arizona, Denver, Detroit, ksonville, N.Y. Giants, San Francisco (Matt Kenseth) N.H. (Matt Kenseth) Sept. 29 — AAA 400, Dover, Del. Monday, Nov. 4 Chicago at Green Bay, 7:40 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 7 (Jimmie Johnson) Washington at Minnesota, 7:25 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 10 Oct. 6 — Hollywood Casino 400, Kansas City, Kan. (Kevin Harvick) Oct. 12 — Bank of America 500, Concord, N.C. (Brad Keselowski) Detroit at Chicago, noon Philadelphia at Green Bay, noon Concord, N.L. (Brad Reselewski) Oct. 20 — Camping World RV Sales 500, Talladega, Ala. (Jamie McMurray) Oct. 27 — Goody's Headache Relief Shot 500, Ridgeway, Va. (Jeff Gordon) Nov. 3 — AAA Texas 500, Fort Jacksonville at Tennessee, noon Cincinnati at Baltimore, noon St. Louis at Indianapolis, noon Seattle at Atlanta, noon Oakland at N.Y. Giants, noon Worth, Texas Buffalo at Pittsburgh, noon Carolina at San Francisco, 3:05 p.m. Denver at San Diego, 3:25 p.m. Houston at Arizona, 3:25 p.m. Ariz Homestead, Fla. Dallas at New Orleans, 7:30 p.m Open: Cleveland, Kansas City, N.Y. **Driver Standings** Jets. New England Monday Nov 11 Miami at Tampa Bay, 7:40 p.m. BASEBALL WORLD SERIES (Best-of-7; x-if necessary) esday, Oct. 23 Boston 8, St. Louis 1 Thursday, Oct. 24 St. Louis 4, Boston 2 Saturday, Oct. 26 St. Louis 5, Boston 4 Sunday, Oct. 27

TRANSACTIONS

American Association GARY SOUTHSHORE RAILCATS - Exercised the 2014 option on RHP Tim Boston 6, St. Louis 1, Boston wins Verthien FARGO-MOORHEAD REDHAWKS

- Exercised the 2014 options on RHPs Alex Caldera, Brian Ernst, Nate Kil-crease, Derrick Miramontes and Taylor WR Sidney Rice on injured reserve. Signed WR Ricardo Lockette from the practice squad and WR Josh Lenz to the Stanton: LHPs Nick Capito, Joe Harris, Jake Laber and Ethan Opsahl: C Todd nings; INFs Ron Bourquin, Keith Bra

Rob Turner on injured reserve, Released WR Rashad Ross. Signed OL Pat Mc-Quistan. Signed G Oscar Johnson and DL Chigbo Anunoby to the practice squad.

HOCKEY

National Hockey League DALLAS STARS — Reassigned F Travis Morin to Texas (AHL). PHOENIX COYOTES — Reas signed G Louis Domingue from Gwinnett (FCHL) to Portland (AHL) VANCOUVER CANUCKS - Assigned F Nicklas Jensen to Utica (AHL). WASHINGTON CAPITALS — Recalled C Michael Latta and D Dmitry Orlov from Hershey (AHL). WINNIPEG JETS — Reassigne Patrice Cormier to St. John's (AHL).

SOCCER

SUCCER Major League Soccer MLS — Named Ray Whitworth vice president, operations and security. CHICAGO FIRE — Announced the resignation of coach Frank Klopas and president of soccer operations Javier

D.C. UNITED — Declined contract options on Fs Lionard Pajoy and Carlos Ruiz and M Marcelo Saragosa. SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES -

Named Mark Watson coach and signed him to a multiyear contract. COLLEGE FLORIDA ATLANTIC — Announced

the resignation of football coach Carl Pelini and defensive coordinator Pete Rekstis. Promoted offensive coordinato Brian Wright to interim head coach. MEMPHIS - Suspended men's sketball F Kuran Iverson one game. SOUTHERN NEW HAMPSHIRE –

Named Tom Wilkins associate director of athletics. TEXAS A&M—Suspended basket-

ball G J-Mychal Reese indefinitely for vi-olating athletic department rules. TULSA — Named Richard Ruggieri sed WR Marlon Moore. SEATTLE SEAHAWKS — Placed assistant rowing coach.

practice squad TENNESSEE TITANS — Placed C



MMC VB

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Verburg had 10 kills, two aces and made 23 digs.

For the Lancers, Bailey Kuchta had 12 kills, 12 digs and four block assists. Lexie Branson had 11 kills and three digs. Caitlyn Illg had two kills, 39 assists and seven

errors that we shouldn't of had," Climer said. "Second set I felt like the same thing." In set two, Mount Marty was able to get out to a quick 3-1 lead over the Mustangs, but the Lancers lost momentum after a Mustang timeout in the middle of the set. After the timeout, the Mustangs

the Lancers and finished the set 25-23. In set three, the Mustangs

made a three point run on

again we're at 20-20 but for some reason we could win the set."

In set four, the Lancers struggled to communicate and made many errors that enabled the Mustangs to have two 4-point scoring runs get a 13-point lead at 11-24. A block by Mustang Rian Kirby ended set four wining the set 25-11 and ending the game 3-

The loss to Morningside

No. 8 Tri-Valley (4-5) at No. 1 Win-ner (9-0) No. 7 Redfield-Doland (7-2) at No. VOLLEYBALL WEDNESDAY'S NEB. SCORES 2 St. Thomas More (8-1)

digs. Kristen Boyle had nine kills and two block assists and Sadie Fedor made seven digs

Both teams came out swinging in the first set never getting outside of a two-point margin. After Morningside tied the set at 24-24 and forced the deuce, Lancer Allison Cross ended the set with a kill 28-26.

"I told [the team] after that we just need to take care of the ball a little bit better cause we had some unforced

were able to get a five-point lead at 18-13. The Lancers were unable to make up the deficit and the Mustangs ended the set 25-22 giving them a one set advantage

over the Lancers. 'We have to work on finishing [the game]. We have to stay relaxed. That first set was a big win for us because usually if we can get that close we can have a couple errors and then we are done," Climer said. "They followed through [in set one] and got it done, but that third set

(12-14) means that the Lancers (12-19) will not have a chance to be in postseason

play. "We just have two games left and we don't make it into the postseason. We have Hastings on Saturday and Dakota Wesleyan here," Climer said.

You can follow Peter Chapman on twitter at twitter.com/PEChapman. Discuss this story at www.yankton.net/.

KELLY HERTZ/P&D

Adan Garcia-Marquez hits the mud to make a save during Mount Marty's Great Plains Athletic Conference men's soccer match against Dordt on Wednesday at Laddie E. Cimpl Arena. Marquez, playing goalkeeper for the injured Oscar Martinez-Mojica, made 10 saves in goal, but Dordt scored a 7-1 win.

MMC Men

Marquez, in his second

match in goal in place of in-

tinez-Mojica, made 10 saves

in goal. But Marquez, who

has three goals and a team-

Playoffs

high seven assists on the sea-

jured veteran Oscar Mar-

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son, was missed in the field. "It makes a big difference," Epp said. "It hurts our offense, because he's one of our more aggressive forwards. Us needing to use him in goal hurts us a bit.

Joey Rasnic made five saves for Dordt.

MMC, 4-13 and 0-9, finishes the regular season against tenth-ranked Hastings (14-2, 7-1). Start time is 3 p.m. Saturday at Easton Field.

"Hastings is tough. They've been the class of the conference for a few years," Epp said. "But it's still an opportunity for us to get better. If we play well, there's no doubt we can play with anybody in the league."

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So I try to stay confident and jump up and down."

Laura Ekeren had six of MMC's 10 shots on goal. Nicole Postman and Le Duc each had four shots on goal for Dordt.

Mount Marty will enter

(12-4-1, 8-1) with a chance to make the post-season tournament for the first time in school history. The Lancers are tied with DWU for the eighth and final spot, and would have the tiebreaker on the Tigers if they finish tied. DWU (4-11-2, 1-7-1) hosts Concordia on Saturday.

Saturday's GPAC and regular

season finale with Hastings

"We're going to try to put two good practices in," True

said. "Hastings is one of the top conference teams but, if we're on our 'A' game, we can compete with anybody.

Then we wait to see if we make the conference tournament.'

Start time for Saturday's match with Hastings is 1 p.m.

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traditional scheme, we've always had trouble stopping that.

gled to contain Mitchell's skill back Kanin Nelson passed for downs, and rushed for 65 more yards.

On the season, Nelson has completed 69-of-144 passes for 792 yards and five touchdowns. Junior Mitch Johnson is the team's leading rusher with 518 yards, while Nelson has run for six scores. Senior Ethan Jones is the top receiver with 20 catches for 194 yards and a touchdown.

Beau Brown (Jr., WR/DB) is another weapon the Bucks have to watch out for if he is healthy, according to Likness.

"Against us, he had an interception and had some big catches, so you've got to know where he's at," Likness

said. "They haven't had him since the third week, but that can create a lot of different things for them.'

The winner between Yankton and Mitchell advances to next Friday's semifinals against either No. 2 Watertown or No. 7 Douglas. A Bucks' win and a Douglas upset would mean another game at Crane-Youngworth Field.

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part to chemistry, according Coyotes to Seekamp.

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toughness about her.

'Everything we've thrown at her, she handles it perfectly.

The strides made already by the newcomers are due in

USD returns six players who saw significant time last season, including Seekamp, Polly Harrington (Sr., F), Lisa Loeffler (Jr., F), Tia Hemiller (So., G), Margaret McCloud

G). In total, that's certainly a lot more bodies at practice than a year ago.

(So., C) and Heidi Hoff (So.,

"It's been crazy going from last year where it felt like we had nobody at practice to now it's a full practice," Seekamp said.

"We've all clicked, thankfully. It's helped out a lot with all these new girls."

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Likewise, Yankton strug-

kids in the season opener. Mitchell sophomore quarter-110 yards and two touch-

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