

Football: Avon Escapes South Central 22-20

BONESTEEL — Avon used a 16-point first quarter to hold on to a victory against South Central on Friday night. The Pirates ended up winning by the score of 22-20.

Avon's rushing attack was led by Brandom Kocmich who had 66 yards on one carry and a touchdown. Logan Mudder rushed for 56 yards on 17 carries. Devin Tolsma racked up 47 yards on the night. Brenden Anderson caught a touchdown pass for 26 yards from Mudder. Tolsma and Anderson led the Avon defense with 12 tackles and a sack on the night.

Turner Serr rushed the ball for 100 yards on 20 carries for South Central. Garret Bruns also had 64 yards on the night. Serr also passed the ball for 48 yards. Serr led the South Central defense with 17 tackles on the night. Sam Hazen recorded 13 tackles.

Avon moves to 4-2 with the victory and travels to Corsica on Oct. 4 to take on Corsica-Stickney.

South Central drops to 2-3 on the year and will travel to Tripp to take on Tripp-Delmont-Armour.

AVON (4-2)	16	0	0	6	— 22
SOUTH CENTRAL (2-3)	0	13	0	7	— 20

Canistota 64, Viborg-Hurley 20

CANISTOTA — In a battle of top-ranked teams in 9-man football, Cody Bunger rushed for a total of 145 yards Friday night to lead Canistota in the win against Viborg-Hurley.

Eric Tieszen scored the first touchdown for Canistota, No. 1 in 9A, on a 60 yard run. Bunger had an 11 yard run and a pass to Boone Dekramer, to make the score 14-12 in the first quarter. Canistota's last touchdown came from a pas from Nick Hofer to Dekramer for 28 yards.

Alex Robertson had 114 yards rushing for Canistota, while Jason Vanwinkle had 10 tackles.

Viborg-Hurley, No. 1 in Class 9B, scored twice in the first quarter, once on a 33 yard run from Tyler Gerdes, and next from Tyler Novak on a 14 yard run. Viborg-Hurley would score their final touchdown in the third quarter on a pass from Jack Huether to Andrew Hora.

CANISTOTA (5-0)	14	22	22	6	— 64
VIBORG-HURLEY (4-1)	12	8	0	0	— 20

Andes Central 14, Scotland 8

ANDES CENTRAL — Gabe Cournoyer led Andes Central in a victory against Scotland 14-8 Friday night in Andes Central with 16 carries for 92 yards and one touchdown.

Zach Cournoyer had 22 carries and 92 yards for the night,



Irene-Wakonda running back Dylan Ruter, center, looks for running room against the Gayville-Volin defense during their Tri-Valley Conference football matchup on Friday in Irene. The second-ranked Eagles claimed a 63-12 homecoming victory over Gayville-Volin.

and G. Cournoyer also had three completions for 69 yards and one touchdown. Joey Evans had two receptions during the game as well as 14 tackles.

Scotland's Tim Bodden had 17 carries and 47 yards, Garret Kotalik passed for 59 yards and one touchdown and Jarod Koteck had two catches for 22 yards and one touchdown. Logan Winkler also had 16 tackles.

Andes Central travels to Marty next Friday, and Scotland will host Gregory.

SCOTLAND (1-4)	0	8	0	0	— 8
ANDES CENTRAL (3-2)	6	0	8	0	— 14

Irene-Wakonda 63, Gayville-Volin 12

IRENE — Dustin Livingston rushed for 114 of second-ranked Class 9A Irene-Wakonda's 204 rushing yards Friday night to lead the Eagles in the win against the Gayville-Volin Raiders 63-12.

Livingston also passed for 52 yards and two touchdowns for the night. Garrett Anderson rushed for a total of 52 yards and had nine tackles, while Ashur Wiedrich had a total of 31 yards receiving and one touchdown.

For the Raiders, Alec Barta had nine carries for 79 yards and one touchdown and six and a half tackles. Brendan VanOsdel passed for a total of 58 yards, and DJ Hawthorne had 53 yards receiving as well as six and a half tackles.

Irene-Wakonda hits the road to Parker next week and Gayville-Volin will host Baltic in Gayville.

GAYVILLE-VOLIN (0-6)	6	0	0	6	— 12
IRENE-WAKONDA (6-0)	14	28	12	12	— 63

Dakota Valley 45, Vermillion 6

VERMILLION — With 241 yards rushing and 14 carries, Tanner Lambert led the top-ranked Class 11A Dakota Valley Panthers in a victory against the Vermillion Tanagers 45-6 Friday night at the DakotaDome.

Lambert had four rushing touchdowns for the night for three yards, 44 yards, 60 yards and 61 yards. Nick Buckley would score a touchdown for the Panthers on a 56 yard fumble return, while Aaron Likness passed for a total of 13 yards.

The Tanagers only touchdown was a pass from Jack Brown to JT Sorensen for 50 yards. Alex Osborne, Seth Heine and Anthony Leber were the leading tacklers each with eight.

Vermillion travels to Harrisburg next week and Dakota Valley will host Dell Rapids.

DAKOTA VALLEY (5-0)	14	21	7	3	— 45
VERMILLION (0-6)	0	0	0	6	— 6

Chester Area 35, Alcester-Hudson 30

ALCESTER — Austin Opdhal rushed for 123 yards and two touchdowns Friday night to lead the Chester Area Flyers defeated the Alcester-Hudson Cubs 35-30 in Alcester.

Kyle Heyn had 15 attempts for 46 yards, and Opdhal went six for nine in passing 126 yards and a touchdown. Cole Acheson had three receptions for 78 yards. Josh Curtis had a touchdown reception for Chester. Defensively,

Opdhal had four tackles and an interception.

Colin Walth rushed for 113 yards on 20 carries, along with three touchdowns. Erik Barnes rushed for 56 yards as well. Mitchell Johnson passed for 193 yards on nine completions with a touchdown. Barnes also had 111 receiving yards on four catches with a touchdown. Walth led on the defensive side of the ball for Alcester-Hudson with 11 tackles .

Chester Area will move to 3-2 on the season and will host Canistota on Oct. 4.

Alcester-Hudson drops to 2-3 on the year and will travel to Freeman on Oct. 4.

CHESTER AREA (3-2)	14	14	7	0	— 35
ALCESTER-HUDSON (2-3)	14	8	0	8	— 30

Plankinton 18, Menno 6

MENNO — Three different players rushed for a touchdown as Plankinton beat Menno 18-6 on Friday night for Military Appreciation Night in Menno.

Logan Evans had a 3-yard scoring run in the first quarter, Garrett Lawson had a 3-yard run in the second and Kellan Karst scored from two yards out in the fourth quarter.

The only touchdown for the hometown Wolves (1-5) was a 16-yard pass from Austin Herrboldt to Dustin Lehr with 7:46 left in the fourth quarter. Herrboldt rushed for 58 yards and passed for 64, while Parker Schultz caught two passes for 44 yards.

Defensively for Menno, Lehr made 17 tackles, Schultz had 13 and Jackson Diede added 12 stops.

Next week, Plankinton (3-2) hosts Sunshine Bible Academy and Menno hosts Marion.

PLANKINTON (3-2)	6	6	0	6	— 18
MENNO (1-5)	0	0	0	6	— 6

Wagner 26, McCook Cent.-Montrose 7

WAGNER — David Kocer's 133 yards and two touchdowns on the ground helped the Wagner Red Raiders top McCook Central-Montrose 26-7 on Friday night in Wagner.

Rebounding from their first loss of the season, the Red Raiders (4-1) used a strong third quarter to put the game away. Wagner rolled up 367 total yards, compared to the 156 for MCM.

Dylan Brunsing was 9-12 passing for 105 yards in the win, with six of those passes going to Chris Kuca.

For the Fighting Cougars (3-3), Tim Gassman scored the only touchdown. Zack Bies ran for 40 yards and Brandon Reif threw for 59 yards.

Next week, Wagner hosts Elk Point-Jefferson and MCM hosts Garretson in Salem.

MCCOOK CENTRAL-MONTROSE (3-3)	7	0	0	0	— 7
WAGNER (4-1)	6	0	20	0	— 26

Tripp-Delmont-Armour 51, Marty 0

MARTY — Tripp-Delmont-Armour defeated Marty by the score of 51-0. The game was stopped in mid third quarter due the 50 point mercy rule in nine man football.

TDA had 107 rushing yards on the night and 119 passing yards. Gunner Dally led TDA with 91 rushing yards on 18 carries. Dally also was seven for nine passing with 91 yards through the air. Cody Hrdlicka led TDA on the defensive end with three tackles.

There were no stats available for Marty.

TDA moves to 1-5 and will host South Cenrtal on Friday in Armour on Friday.

Marty, with the loss will move to 1-4 and will host Andes Central in Marty on Friday.

TRIPP-DELMONT-ARMOUR (1-5)	30	28	20	0	— 51
MARTY (1-4)	0	0	0	0	— 0

Creighton 34, Bloomfield 8

CREIGHTON Neb. — Creighton defeated Bloomfield 34-8 Friday night in Creighton.

Jacob Morril rushed for 185 yards and four touchdowns for Creighton, while Cole Thomas rushed for a 83 yards and one touchdown. Seth Williams had 44 yards receiving and Morril had 24 yards receiving.

For Bloomfield, Chet Beckmann passed for 114 yards and one touchdown and rushed for a total of 47 yards. Cody Beckmann had 29 yards receiving.

Bloomfield hosts Elgin Pub-

lic/Pope John next week, and Creighton will hit the road to Plainview.

BLOOMFIELD	8	0	0	0	— 8
CREIGHTON	6	0	14	14	— 34

Kimball-White Lake 38, Corsica-Stickney 14

KIMBALL — Third-ranked Class 9AA Kimball-White Lake used 246 rushing yards and a big night from Trevor Reinesch to beat Corsica-Stickney 38-14 on Friday night.

Reinesch carried the ball nine times for 126 yards and two touchdowns, while Jesse Taylor was 9-of-16 passing for 187 yards and two scores — to Eathan Gaulke and Kyle Peters.

The WildKats improve to 6-0 and play Bridgewater-Emery-Ethan in Ethan next Friday.

In the loss for the Jaguars (3-2), Mason Van Vuuren rushed for 109 yards, Adam Bormann passed for 52 yards and Gunner Baan Hofman caught three passes for 45 yards.

Corsica-Stickney hosts Avon next week in Corsica.

Sioux Falls Washington 27, Pierre 20

PIERRE — The Washington Warriors nudged out a seven point victory over the frisky Pierre Governors, the Governors made Washington commit six turnovers on the night.

Nate Gerry led the offensive attack for the Warriors with 165 yards recieving on four receptions. Gerry also had 77 yards on three attempts. Gerry had a total of three receiving touchdowns and one rushing. Jon Hander passed the ball for 227 yards on eight completions. Sam Cooke rushed the ball for 66 yards on 17 carries. Danny Marlette led on the defensive side of the ball with 12 tackled. Gerry also chipped in 11 tackles on the night.

Alex Wagner rushed the ball for 71 yards on 20 carries for the Governors. Alex Gray passed the ball for 123 yards and two touchdowns. Lane Severny led receiving for Pierre with 89 yards on five receptions and a touchdown. Austin Christopherson added a touchdown reception on the night. Trey Maier and Anthony Dorschner each led Pierre with 13 tackles on the night. Jace Jerome recorded eight tackles.

Washington continues their undefeated bid with the victory (6-0) and will travel to Yankton on Oct. 4. to take on the Bucks.

Pierre drops a tough loss (4-2) and goes to Rapid City to take on Rapid City Stevens on Oct. 4.

WASHINGTON (6-0)	0	7	6	14	— 27
PIERRE (4-2)	0	13	0	7	— 20

Bailey

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walked one. He threw 115 pitches and retired the side in order in the ninth, striking out pinch-hitter Brock Holt before getting pinch-hitter Michael McKenry and Alex Presley to pop out.

When second baseman Brandon Phillips caught Presley's popup on the outfield grass, Bailey was mobbed near the mound by happy teammates and doused with water.

The 26-year-old Bailey improved to 5-0 with a 1.19 ERA in six career starts at PNC Park. All four of his complete games and both his shutouts have come against Pittsburgh.

It was the first time the Pirates had been held hitless since Hall of Famer Bob Gibson pitched the lone no-hitter of his career in 1971 for the St. Louis Cardinals.

Cincinnati, which clinched the NL Central title last Saturday, improved to 95-62. The Reds are tied with Washington for the best record in the NL.

Bailey has been touted as a fu-

ture ace since Cincinnati selected him seventh overall in the 2004 amateur draft following his senior year of high school in LaGrange, Texas.

He has a 38-33 career record and has set a season high for wins. Reds bench coach Chris Speier, serving as acting manager while Dusty Baker recovers from a mini-stroke, thinks the no-hitter could serve as a benchmark moment for Bailey.

"He's always been a good thrower, but he's really learned how to pitch this season," Speier said. "You saw the evolution tonight."

The other no-hitters this season were thrown by Philip Humber of the Chicago White Sox, Jered Weaver of the Los Angeles Angels, Johan Santana of the New York Mets, Matt Cain of the San Francisco Giants, Felix Hernandez of Seattle and a combined six-pitcher effort by the Mariners. Humber, Cain and Hernandez each had a perfect game.

Pittsburgh (76-81) made its own bit of history as it was assured of a 20th consecutive non-winning season with the loss, extending its major North American professional sports record.

Volleyball

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Guardian Angels 3, Cedar Catholic 1

WEST POINT, Neb. — Despite double-digit kills from Cedar Catholic's Lexi and Bailey Steffen, Guardian Angels Central Catholic claimed a 20-25, 25-16, 25-15, 25-23 victory over the Trojans in prep volleyball action on Thursday.

Lexi Steffen finished with 13 kills and Bailey Steffen had 12 kills for Cedar Catholic. Emily Schremp posted 37 assists. Katelyn Dickes had seven kills and three solo blocks for the Trojans.

GACC improved to 14-1 with the victory, and hosts Battle Creek on Tuesday. Cedar Catholic, 16-5, is off until an Oct. 9 game at O'Neill St. Mary's.

CEDAR CATHOLIC (16-5)	25	16	15	23
GUARDIAN ANGELS (14-1)	20	25	25	25

Creighton 3, Laurel-Concord-Coleridge 1

CREIGHTON, Neb. — Rebecca Eggerling recorded 11 kills to lead Creighton past Laurel-Concord-Coleridge 21-25, 25-23, 25-13, 25-16 on Thursday night in Creighton, Neb.

Siara Fritz added nine kills and 20 digs in the win, while Jessica Zimmerer had 26 set assists and Maddi Oljtenbruns had seven kills.

For the visiting Bears, Kiley Thompson had six kills and Cameron Eddie had 17 assists to lead the way. Kelsey Dietrich posted 12 digs and Ellie Arduser had 11 digs to lead the LCC defense.

Creighton travels to Neligh-Oakdale on Tuesday. LCC visits Neligh-Oakdale on Tuesday.

Creighton won the JV match 25-20, 25-22 and LCC won the 'C' match 25-16, 25-16.

LAUREL-CONCORD-COLERIDGE (7-11)	25	23	13	16
CREIGHTON (6-7)	21	25	25	25

Oriole Boys, Tiger Girls Win At Lennox

LENNOX — The Lennox boys and Harrisburg girls' team won team titles at the Lennox Cross Country Invitational on Friday at Lakota Golf Course.

The winning Oriole boys put two runners in the top six to take first place with 35 points. Harrisburg was second at 42, followed by defending Class B champion Parker at 46.

Parker's Duane Jongeling won the event with a time of 15:45, followed by Nathan Ford of Vermillion coming in at 17:07. Nathan Timoerran of Lennox would place third at 17:12, with Graham Bacon of Dakota Valley in fourth with 17:29.

Harrisburg had two runners in the top five to take them to first place with a total of 30 points. Garretson was second with 44

points, followed by Beresford with 53 points.

Halie McMains of Canton took first place with a time of 14:36, followed by Lennox's Maisey Bainbridge with 14:53. Harrisburg's Keagan Schenk placed third with 15:02, followed by Harrisburg's Taylor VanHolland, also with a time of 15:02.

BOYS' DIVISION

TEAM SCORES: Lennox 35, Harrisburg 41, Parker 46, Beresford 74, Dakota Valley 104

TOP 10: 1, Duane Jongeling, Parker 15:45; 2, Nathan Ford, Vermillion 17:07; 3, Nathan Timoerran, Lennox 17:12; 4, Graham Bacon, Dakota Valley 17:19; 5, Tyler Jorgensen, Tea Area 17:20; 6, Justin Welschodel, Lennox 17:22; 7, Hunter Paulsen, Elk Point-Jefferson 17:26; 8, Grayson Zamora, Harrisburg 17:27; 9, Connor Bollweg, Harrisburg 17:29; 10, Guy Zephier, Flandreau 17:29

GIRLS' DIVISION

TEAM SCORES: Harrisburg 30, Garretson 44, Beresford 63, Canton 79, Dakota Valley 81

TOP 10: 1, Halie McMains, Canton 14:36; 2, Maisey Bainbridge, Lennox 14:53; 3, Meagan Schenk, Harrisburg 15:02; 4, Taylor VanHolland, Harrisburg 15:02; 5, McKayla Wieceorek, West Central 15:04; 6, Madsen Lavin, Vermillion 15:05; 7, Marisa Schulz, Dakota Valley 15:21; 8, Haley Sage, Garretson 15:23; 9, Ashley Atwood, Beresford 15:24; 10, Mallory Lanier, Harrisburg 15:25

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