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Division I coaches finish upbeat rules meeting

Maybe the most important result of the April 24-25 meeting of Division I coaches in Overland Park, Kansas, had nothing to do with the conclave's intent. Because although almost 100 coaches representing nearly every NCAA sport showed up to discuss simplification of recruiting rules, they left town feeling better about the NCAA.

"My impression was that the meeting was upbeat in a very genuine way," said Stephen R. Morgan, NCAA associate executive director, who organized the meeting. "The coaches seemed to appreciate having an opportunity to get together as a group and to meet with (Executive Director Richard D.) Schultz and members of the national office staff."

"I believe the coaches left the meeting with the realization that the NCAA is not some bureaucratic entity that doesn't have the welfare of student-athletes and intercollegiate athletics as primary concerns."

"We have some coaches who have been at this a long, long time and had become very jaded by some of the things we have dealt with," said University of Kentucky football

coach Bill Curry. "They are now convinced (the NCAA) is prepared to sincerely listen to coaches, who by and large are good folks and really want to educate student-athletes."

"Our approach will be to cooperate with our institutions and with the NCAA," Curry added. "We want to be active in the legislative process."

'Let's be thoughtful'

Although coaches told a post-meeting press conference they thought it was time for prospective student-athletes to be held accountable for their actions relating to recruiting (see story on page 4), a general attitude that prevailed involved a thoughtful approach to the rules.

"The general opinion was that we need to be thoughtful about the application and development of rules," Morgan said. "The coaches were saying that rules should evolve for each sport as they are needed for each sport."

For that reason, there were no real across-the-board actions taken

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Among the Division I coaches attending the meeting on recruiting rules were (from left) Dee McDonough, women's lacrosse coach at James Madison University; Gene McArtor, baseball coach at the University of Missouri, Columbia, and Ohio State University field hockey coach Karen Weaver.

Hearings May 9 on academic requirements

Seventeen representatives of 10 constituent organizations will meet with the officers of the NCAA Presidents Commission May 9 in Dallas to discuss possible steps to strengthen the Association's academic requirements for athletics eligibility, especially in Division I.

That session is one of the ways in which the Commission is attempting to obtain the views of the membership regarding the academic-requirements issue, which is the Commission's primary agenda item for this year.

After hearing from the invited groups May 9, the Commission will consider the reactions it has received - including those of the NCAA Council—when it meets June 25-26 in Kansas City. The NCAA Academic Requirements Committee is developing the alternative proposals being considered by the Commission and will be represented at both the May 9 hearings and the June Commission meeting.

Planning to attend the Dallas
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College sports' best-known 'rancher' to retire

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The NCAA News Staff

Ask those outside college athletics what "Ray Franks Publishing Ranch" produces, and you'd likely get answers that include everything from beef cattle to salad dressing.

To athletics administrators and coaches, however, the name means one thing—the National Directory of College Athletics. At least, that's the way it's been since 1968, when Ray Franks, the Ranch's "Ben Cartwright," began publishing the men's edition of the directory.

Next year, however, the book, along with its sister women's directory, will be published by Collegiate Directories, Inc., which purchased the rights from Franks in late January.

"After 23 years of publishing the guide and 46 years of being involved in sports, I thought it was time to stop and smell the roses," said Franks, 62.

What he really meant is that he will be freer to run all over the world chasing story ideas and pursuing

rare antique clocks to add to the collection of "between 30 and 40" that he owns.

Franks' roots are planted deeply in Evansville, Indiana. After graduating from a one-room schoolhouse in nearby Crossville, Illinois, at age 15, he enrolled at the University of Evansville. His career in sports journalism began at age 16, when he started writing for the Evansville Press.

The 1948 Evansville graduate joined the Air Force in 1950 but continued in the newspaper business, working as sports editor of the Amarillo, Texas, base's Jet Journal and for the Amarillo Globe News, part-time.

It was during those Air Force days in Amarillo that the seeds that would spawn today's "NACDA directory" were sown.

"One night, working at the Amarillo Globe News, one of the editors mentioned that it would be nice to have a directory with all of the high-school coaches in it, and I got to thinking about it," he remembered.

The day after his discharge from the Air Force in 1954, Franks began working as sports information director and part-time journalism instructor at West Texas State University on the recommendation of the Globe News staff.

During that stint, 1955 to be exact, the high-school directory idea became a reality. When those books grew to become "the bibles of high-school athletics," Franks left West Texas State to begin his own publishing business in 1963 in Amarillo.

The Ranch was born. "Amarillo is one of the outposts of the Old West," he said. "I thought a publishing house in the Old West should be called a ranch."

Franks may have a handle on his business name's meaning, but others aren't so sure.

"I've received tax forms asking me to list all my farm equipment and cattle," he said. "The name might sound hokey to some, but it's an attention-getter."

Franks got out of the high-school business and into the college busi-

ness in 1968, thanks in part to NCAA Associate Executive Director Louis J. Spry. Spry was SID at West Texas State after Franks' immediate successor worked there less than a year and was well-aware of the high-school directories. When Spry joined the NCAA in 1966, he was recommended for the position by Michael Cleary, who was leaving the NCAA national office to become executive director of NACDA.

Since 1984-85, the average squad size has diminished in every men's sport and in every women's sport except gymnastics

sport except gymnastics.

The committee conducts the study in order to identify trends in athletics participation and sponsorship. The results are reported annually to the membership via The NCAA News.

The full text of the committee's

participation and sponsorship analysis follows:

Total participation

Participation in intercollegiate athletics dropped significantly in 1989-90, and it has declined since 1985-86. In 1989-90, the totals were 177,156 men and 89,212 women, for an overall total of 266,368—down 1.9 percent from 1988-89. It was the third drop in the last four years. Since 1985-86, the total is down by 22,261.

The men's figure represents a decrease of 1.7 percent from the 180,144 recorded in 1988-89, the fourth decline in five years. The women's total, which has declined for three of the last four years, was a drop of 2.4 percent from the previous year's 91,406.

The participation totals were down in all three divisions for both
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Division I

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to eliminate NCAA recruiting rules—or even to simplify them. But that doesn't mean the Association's Recruiting Committee won't be getting material to review.

Morgan said a number of issues and suggested reforms will be forwarded to the committee for review. Most of them, however, will reflect the sport-by-sport review of the rules that took place during the coaches meeting.

For example:

- Men's basketball coaches suggested that prospects not be allowed to make official visits unless and

until they can present minimum test scores and a 2.000 grade-point average (4.000 scale) in at least seven of the 11 core courses stipulated in NCAA initial-eligibility requirements.

- Women's basketball coaches supported reducing official paid visits from five to four.

- There was general support for an increase in the amount of money that can be allotted for entertaining a prospect during an official visit.

"What we saw, I believe, was a consensus that refining existing rules to meet the needs of specific sports is the way to go," Morgan said.

Classification-change forms must be received by June 1

Petitions for changes in membership classification must be received in the national office by June 1 or be postmarked no later than May 25, according to Shirley M. Whitacre, NCAA membership coordinator.

Requests for changes in division membership or multidivision classification will be reviewed by NCAA staff as dictated by the provisions of Bylaws 20.4 and 20.5.

Institutions requesting changes must meet the applicable membership criteria of the division to which the transfer is planned as set forth in Bylaws 20.4.2.2 and 20.5.2.2.

Revisions in multidivision classification were adopted at the 1991 NCAA Convention. Members petitioning for multidivision classifica-

tion should refer to the new provisions of Bylaw 20.4.

Institutions also must have operated in conformity with all other bylaw requirements of the desired division for a two-year period prior to June 1. If all requirements are met, the member will be transferred to the new division effective September 1, 1991.

Also, institutions choosing to change division membership or multidivision classification must remain in the new division for three years.

Any institution planning a change in membership classification in a men's or women's sport may obtain a copy of the official petition form by contacting Whitacre at the national office.

Hearings

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meeting are:

- Bill Byrne, University of Oregon, and Frank Windegger, Texas Christian University, National Association of Collegiate Directors of Athletics.

- James E. Delany, Big Ten Conference, and Roy Kramer, Southeastern Conference, Collegiate Commissioners Association.

- Richard J. Dunn, University of Washington, and Carla H. Hay, Marquette University, Faculty Athletics Representatives Association.

- Jill Hutchison, Illinois State University, Women's Basketball Coaches Association.

- Mike Jarvis, George Washington University, National Association of Basketball Coaches.

- Jack Lengyel, U.S. Naval Academy, and Milo R. "Mike" Lude, University of Washington, Division I-AA Directors Association.

- Jeffrey H. Orleans, Ivy Group, and Thomas E. Yeager, Colonial Athletic Association, University Commissioners Association.

- John Thompson, Georgetown University, Black Coaches Association.

- Dick Sheridan, North Carolina State University, and Grant Teaff, Baylor University, American Football Coaches Association.

- Chris Voelz, University of Minnesota, Twin Cities, and Mary Jo Warner, George Washington University, Council of Collegiate Women Athletic Administrators.

Hosting the session will be Commission officers R. Gerald Turner, University of Mississippi, Commission chair; William H. Cunningham, University of Texas at Austin, Division I chair; Asa N. Green, Livingston University, Division II chair, and David L. Warren, Ohio Wesleyan University, Division III chair.

Representing the Academic Requirements Committee will be Lorna P. Straus, University of Chi-

cago, committee chair, and Jerry L. Kingston, faculty athletics representative, Arizona State University.

Also in attendance will be NCAA President Judith M. Sweet and Executive Director Richard D. Schultz.

"Another example, similar to the official visits, was the discussion of issues related to offers and inducements.

"Men's and women's basketball coaches want coaches prohibited from attending National Letter of Intent signings, and they want no publicity regarding recruiting prior to the national signing date.

"The football coaches, on the other hand, have no problem with coaches attending signings," Morgan continued. "And the coaches representing other sports said they already were publicity-starved and would welcome any additional media attention."

Mostly recruiting

Morgan said the coaches, even though they met in five distinct break out groups, stayed pretty much on recruiting rules—although there was one significant diversion.

"With so much being discussed

Fine-tuning subcommittee to meet

By the time it leaves Chicago following a series of hearings and meetings next month, the NCAA Council Subcommittee to Review 1991 Reform Proposals expects to have recommendations ready for fine-tuning the legislation that was adopted by the membership at the 1991 Convention.

"The subcommittee members hope to leave Chicago with recommendations to forward to the Council in August," said Stephen R. Morgan, NCAA associate executive director and staff liaison to the subcommittee. Morgan said a draft of the recommendations is expected to be ready for review by the NCAA Presidents Commission prior to the Council meeting.

Asking for input

The subcommittee, in connection with hearings it has scheduled June 13 in Chicago, is requesting written

information from a number of constituencies within the Association's membership.

Among those being requested to provide information to the subcommittee are NCAA governing sports committees, the Student-Athlete Advisory Committee, representatives of coaches associations (including the Black Coaches Association) and athletics directors associations, and the Council of Collegiate Women Athletic Administrators.

"Written materials are being requested by the end of May," said Morgan, to whom the information should be sent. He then will distribute it to members of the subcommittee in advance of the June 13 hearings, at which those who submitted written reports will be invited to appear.

"The subcommittee's plan," Mor-

gan said, "is to invite one or two representatives from each of the groups that provide written reports to appear to highlight their submissions and respond to questions. It will not be necessary for groups to appear unless they want to do that in addition to their written submissions."

During a meeting held in conjunction with the recent meeting of the Association's Council, the subcommittee recently set the June 13 hearings and June 14-15 meeting in Chicago. "The thought was to have focused responses from various constituencies in the membership," Morgan said. "The subcommittee will review these submissions, obtain additional information during the hearings, and— it is hoped —develop recommendations in Chicago that can be forwarded to the Presidents Commission and the Council."

Questions/Answers

Readers are invited to submit questions to this column. Please direct any inquiries to The NCAA News at the NCAA national office.

Q Which spring sport is sponsored by the most NCAA Division I members?

A Women's tennis. According to the Association's 1991 spring sports sponsorship supplement to the championship handbooks series, women's tennis is sponsored by 279 member institutions. Next highest, with 273 sponsoring Division I members, is men's tennis. Baseball is third and is sponsored by 272 Division I members.

Legislative Assistance

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NCAA Manual Correction—NCAA Bylaw 13.1.2.4-(a) institutional staff members—off-campus contacts

Please note that the provisions of Bylaw 13.1.2.4 (page 84, 1991-92 NCAA Manual) governing off-campus contacts by institutional staff members (including permissible coaches) are effective August 1, 1991 (as opposed to August 1, 1992). Accordingly, only the permissible coaches specified in Bylaws 11.7.2.3 (Division I-A football), 11.7.3.3 (Division I-AA football), 11.7.4.3 (Division I basketball) and 11.7.5 (Division I sports other than football) may contact prospects off campus.

Manual Correction—NCAA Bylaw 17.19.9.1.4-(a) participation on outside volleyball team during summer

Please note that Bylaw 17.19.9.1.4-(a) (page 309, 1991-92 Manual) should read as follows:

"(a) Division I and Division III Men 2 (competition on an outside team permitted only during the summer)."

Manual Correction—NCAA Bylaw 15.5.3.3-(b) equivalency computations

Divisions I and II member institutions should note that Bylaw 15.5.3.3-(b) (pages 174-175, 1991-92 Manual) should read as follows:

"(b) A fraction shall be created, with the amount received by the student-athlete as the numerator and the full grant-in-aid value for that student-athlete as the denominator, based upon the actual cost or average cost of a full grant for all students at that institution."

A member institution that uses the average cost of a full grant for all students would determine the average value of a full grant as follows:

1. Tuition and fees: Member institutions that base tuition charges on the number of hours of enrollment should utilize the average cost of tuition for all students who are full-time students (based on not less than 12 hours of enrollment). If the institution is unable to calculate average tuition for all students based on full-time enrollment, the institution should use the tuition costs based upon minimum full-time enrollment (not less than 12 hours).

2. Room and board: The institution should utilize a "weighted" average on the basis of the different room options available and the number of rooms available within each option. Institutions should determine the average board figure based on the cost of the institution's full-meal plan for

all students.

3. Books: \$200 (regardless of the actual cost of the books).

Evaluations—national Amateur Athletic Union (AAU) tournament

Division I women's basketball coaches should note that in accordance with Bylaw 30.9.2-(p), it is permissible to evaluate prospective student-athletes during AAU women's national basketball championship competition. Also, in accordance with Bylaw 13.1.6.2, the observation of such competition during the summer is not considered in the limitations on observations (or, effective August 1, 1991, in the limitations on evaluations), inasmuch as such competition does not occur during the academic year. Please note, however, that the observation of any AAU competition or tournament during the academic year would count as one of the three permissible observations for each prospect on both teams (and, effective August 1, 1991, one of the four permissible evaluations for each prospect in the competition). Thus, an institution that has utilized all of its observations/evaluations would not be permitted to observe such a competition during the academic year.

The dates and sites for the AAU national women's basketball championships are as follows:

16 and under and 18 and under — June 28-July 6, 1991; Johnson City, Tennessee.

14 and under and 15 and under — July 26-August 3, 1991; Charleston, West Virginia.

Speaking engagements outside of the contact period—NCAA Bylaw 13.1.3.1

Divisions I and II member institutions should note that in the sports of football and basketball, coaching staff members may speak at a banquet or meeting outside of the recruiting contact periods (except for dead periods per Bylaw 13.02.4.4), provided: (1) The coach does not make a recruiting presentation in conjunction with the appearance, and (2) the coach does not have direct contact with any prospect in attendance.

This material was provided by the NCAA legislative services department as an aid to member institutions. If an institution has a question it would like to have answered in this column, the question should be directed to Nancy L. Mitchell, assistant executive director for legislative services, at the NCAA national office.

Participation

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men and women.

The male-to-female ratio continues at about a two-thirds/one-third split, as it has for a decade. In 1989-90, 66.51 percent of the participants were men, 33.49 percent women. That compares to 66.34 and 33.66, respectively, in 1988-89. Until this year, the women have gained in the ratio by one percent or less annually; this year, they lost a bit.

Average squad size down

The trend to smaller squad sizes, identified in the past three years, continued after a one-year break in 1988-89. In 1989-90, the average squad size decreased in 16 of 19 men's sports and 12 of 14 women's sports. Compared to 1984-85, the average squad size still is smaller in every men's sport and in every women's sport except gymnastics.

Comparing 1989-90 to 1988-89, squad sizes decreased in every men's sport except gymnastics, ice hockey and rifle. Based on the premise that an increase or decrease of less than one participant in a sport might result simply from variations in reporting, the only significant decrease in men's sports was in volleyball (down 2.10 participants per squad); there were no increases of statistical significance.

Among women's sports, every sport decreased in squad size except lacrosse. The significant decreases were in soccer, down 1.94 participants per team, and indoor track, down 0.90.

Sponsorship numbers up

Including only those sports recognized by the NCAA, the total number of teams sponsored increased for both men and women. The men's total rose by 22; the women's went up by 47. Among the men's sports, Division II gained 21 and Division I went up 12, offsetting a drop of 11 in Division III. Among women's sports, Division II gained 21, Division III 18 and Division I eight.

Steadily down for men

Institutions with men's programs sponsored an average of 8.56 NCAA sports in 1989-90, down slightly from 8.60 a year earlier. In previous years, the averages were 8.77 in 1987-88, 8.78 in 1986-87, 8.85 in 1985-86 and 8.97 in 1984-85. Institutions with women's programs sponsored an average of 7.21 in 1989-90, up from 7.17 in the previous two years. The figures before that were 7.10 in 1986-87 and 7.00 in 1985-86.

The six-year trend is for slightly fewer men's teams, slightly more women's teams, with fewer participants virtually across the board.

For men, eight sports increased in numbers of sponsors, nine decreased and two were unchanged. The increases were in baseball (up five); cross country and soccer (four each); volleyball (three); football, lacrosse and tennis (two each); and skiing (one). Basketball and fencing were unchanged. Those declining in numbers of sponsors were wrestling (down eight); swimming (seven); rifle and indoor track (six each); ice hockey, outdoor track and water polo (three each); gymnastics (two), and golf (one).

For women, 10 sports increased in numbers of sponsors and five decreased. The increases came in soccer (24); golf (11); cross country (10); softball (eight); tennis and volleyball (three each); indoor track (two), and fencing, lacrosse and skiing (one each). Decreases: field hockey (six), gymnastics (four), basketball and outdoor track (three each), and swimming (one).

Still dealing with raw numbers of institutions sponsoring the various

sports, there now are nine men's sports and three women's sports that actually are sponsored by fewer institutions now than in 1979-80 for men and in 1981-82 for women. These are the sports that truly have declined during those periods, because there have been 49 new NCAA members sponsoring men's sports since 1979-80 and 40 new members sponsoring women's programs since 1981-82.

These clearly are the declining sports for men over that period: wrestling (down 96 in sponsorship), gymnastics (59), swimming (44), rifle (35), fencing (34), golf (33), volleyball (26), skiing (17) and outdoor track (10).

The declining women's sports in the raw-number comparison have been the same for several years: gymnastics (down 71 schools), field hockey (49) and fencing (19).

Sponsorship percentage

As noted in previous reports, the most accurate means of determining sponsorship trends among NCAA sports is not via the raw numbers, but by studying the percentage of the membership sponsoring each sport from year to year. That eliminates the effect of changes in membership totals. The NCAA now has that information for men's programs covering 11 years and for women's sports over nine years.

In terms of the percentage of the membership sponsoring the various men's sports, 10 declined from 1988-89 to 1989-90, seven gained and two were unchanged. Gainers: baseball, cross country, soccer, volleyball, lacrosse, skiing and tennis, with baseball the most significant at 0.6 percent in membership sponsorship. The biggest decliners were wrestling at 1.1 percent and swimming at 1.0.

In terms of "popularity" — the percentage of the membership sponsoring each sport — there were no ranking changes except that rifle fell into a 14th place tie with water polo.

Since 1979-80, five men's sports have increased in sponsorship percentage, while 14 have decreased. The biggest gainer in that span is soccer, up 4.4 percent (from 66.2 to 70.6 percent of the membership), followed by football (1.8), cross country (1.4) and lacrosse (1.3). Basketball has gained, but by less than one percent. The biggest drops have been in wrestling (15.7 percent — down from 51.6 percent to 35.9 percent), golf (9.5), swimming (9.3), gymnastics (8.6), outdoor track (6.6), tennis (5.4), rifle (5.3) and fencing (5.1). Also declining on this basis: volleyball, skiing, baseball, indoor track, water polo and ice hockey.

Another look at these data: Wrestling has dropped every year since 1979-80; golf and gymnastics declined every year but one, and outdoor track, rifle and fencing every year but two. Swimming declined for the third straight year, but tennis ended a five-year decline. Meanwhile, football has increased or remained the same in all but two years.

Among women's sports from 1988-89 to 1989-90, nine gained in percentage, five declined and one was unchanged. Gainers were soccer (2.9), golf (1.4), cross country (1.0), softball, indoor track, skiing, volleyball, fencing and lacrosse. The biggest drops were in field hockey (0.8), basketball, gymnastics and outdoor track (all 0.6).

No changes occurred in the women's "popularity" ranking.

For the period since 1981-82, the well-identified pattern continues: All women's sports have grown in

sponsorship percentage during that time except gymnastics, field hockey and fencing — down 10.2, 7.9 and 2.8, respectively. The biggest gainers have been cross country (up 28.6, from 53.2 percent of the membership to 81.8 percent), soccer (26.9), indoor track (16.2), softball (15.9), outdoor track and volleyball (each 11.0).

Gymnastics and field hockey have declined every year in that period, and fencing every year but one. Swimming now has declined for two straight years. Soccer has increased every year, and outdoor track, volleyball, softball, indoor track and cross country have increased every year but one.

High-school data

The annual study by the National Federation shows a slight decrease from 1988-89 to 1989-90 in boys' participation and a slight increase in girls' participation. The boys are down by about 18,000 (of about 3.4 million) and the girls are up by just over 19,000 (of more than 1.8 million). This is the second straight drop for boys after two straight years of increases, and it is the fifth increase in six years for girls.

Among boys' sports, basketball and soccer gained, and baseball, cross country, tennis and swimming had slight gains. The others declined, led by outdoor track (down 17,000) and wrestling (down 9,000). Baseball moved ahead of outdoor track in the relative rankings.

In the girls' sports, basketball, golf, soccer and fast-pitch softball gained the most, and cross country was up slightly. Swimming was about the same. The biggest drops were in outdoor track, volleyball, slow-pitch softball and field hockey. Golf passed slow-pitch softball in the "popularity" list.

In terms of sponsorship, four of the top 10 boys' sports grew in numbers of schools sponsoring them by at least 100 schools (most of the gains were slight) — cross country, golf, soccer and swimming. No sport declined, and again, there were no changes in the relative rankings.

For girls, more schools sponsored every sport except slow-pitch softball, but all of the gains were very small. Indoor track took over 10th place from slow-pitch softball.

Finally, the committee compares the numbers of high schools and their enrollments from year to year. According to the NFSHSA data, the state associations included 53 fewer schools (17,337 compared to

17,390 a year earlier) and those schools had 114,000 fewer students (10,899,000 compared to 11,013,000). So any declines in participation and sponsorship can be attributed, at least in part, to the smaller numbers of schools and declining high-school enrollment; similarly, those sports that gained in sponsorship and participants did so despite the smaller overall numbers.

Men

Sport	Institutions			Participants			Squad Size		
	88-89	89-90	+/-	88-89	89-90	+/-	88-89	89-90	+/-
Baseball	667	672	+5	19,669	19,566	-103	29.49	29.12	-0.37
Basketball	768	768	-	12,203	12,135	-68	15.89	15.80	-0.09
Cross Country	670	674	+4	9,342	9,143	-199	13.94	13.57	-0.37
Fencing	48	48	-	967	956	-11	20.15	19.92	-0.23
Football	522	524	+2	47,943	47,828	-115	91.84	91.27	-0.57
Golf	570	569	-1	6,536	6,407	-129	11.47	11.26	-0.21
Gymnastics	47	45	-2	690	664	-26	14.68	14.76	+0.08
Ice Hockey	126	123	-3	3,841	3,751	-90	30.49	30.50	+0.01
Lacrosse	150	152	+2	4,805	4,755	-50	32.03	31.28	-0.75
Rifle	61	55	-6	542	491	-51	8.88	8.93	+0.05
Skiing	39	40	+1	674	656	-18	17.27	16.40	-0.87
Soccer	543	547	+4	13,868	13,619	-249	25.54	24.90	-0.64
Swimming	368	361	-7	8,029	7,704	-325	21.82	21.34	-0.48
Tennis	673	675	+2	7,525	7,410	-115	11.18	10.98	-0.20
Track, Indoor	440	434	-6	14,660	14,047	-613	33.32	32.37	-0.95
Track, Outdoor	557	554	-3	18,296	17,850	-446	32.85	32.22	-0.63
Volleyball	51	54	+3	772	704	-68	15.14	13.04	-2.10
Water Polo	58	55	-3	1,189	1,106	-83	20.51	20.11	-0.40
Wrestling	286	278	-8	6,969	6,737	-232	24.37	24.23	-0.14

Women

Sport	Institutions			Participants			Squad Size		
	88-89	89-90	+/-	88-89	89-90	+/-	88-89	89-90	+/-
Basketball	764	761	-3	10,345	10,125	-220	13.54	13.30	-0.24
Cross Country	638	648	+10	7,371	7,133	-238	11.55	11.01	-0.54
Fencing	48	49	+1	504	504	-	10.50	10.29	-0.21
Field Hockey	225	219	-6	4,965	4,760	-205	22.07	21.74	-0.33
Golf	132	143	+11	1,129	1,126	-3	8.55	7.87	-0.68
Gymnastics	112	108	-4	1,550	1,493	-57	13.84	13.82	-0.02
Lacrosse	118	119	+1	2,880	2,908	+28	24.41	24.44	+0.03
Skiing	39	40	+1	487	487	-	12.48	12.18	-0.30
Soccer	270	294	+24	5,975	5,936	-39	22.13	20.19	-1.94
Softball	549	557	+8	9,389	9,309	-80	17.10	16.71	-0.39
Swimming	397	396	-1	7,937	7,702	-235	19.99	19.45	-0.54
Tennis	691	694	+3	6,970	6,876	-94	10.09	9.91	-0.18
Track, Indoor	419	421	+2	9,197	8,864	-333	21.95	21.05	-0.90
Track, Outdoor	540	537	-3	11,992	11,569	-423	22.21	21.54	-0.67
Volleyball	719	722	+3	9,486	9,414	-72	13.19	13.04	-0.15



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Coaches call for stronger penalties on players

By Doug Tucker

If schools and coaches are penalized when they're caught cheating, why not the young athletes who receive—and in some cases demand—under-the-table booty?

Tougher penalties for players as well as coaches and schools was one recommendation at the end of an April 24-25 meeting between NCAA executives and almost 100 Division I coaches in Overland Park, Kansas.

"We've had somewhat of a historic event here these last two days," NCAA Executive Director Richard D. Schultz said at a news conference. "Everything I heard them talk about these past two days was to improve the process."

George Raveling, head men's basketball coach at the University of Southern California, and University of Kentucky football coach Bill Curry said their groups were ready to see NCAA penalties aimed at athletes.

"These are not naive young people any more that we're dealing with, for the most part," Curry said. "Some are standing there with their hands out saying, 'What's involved here?'"

"The athletes are nowhere near as ignorant of the NCAA rules and regulations as they would allow people to believe," said Raveling, adding that the idea of athletes being exploited young people who do not understand NCAA rules "is the biggest myth in American sports."

"In a large majority of situations, the athlete encourages those inducements," Raveling said. "If they accept a car or money, they should be ineligible."

Raveling said basketball coaches are prepared to go even further and force high-school prospects to meet freshman eligibility requirements before they can accept a paid recruiting visit.

Above all, said Raveling and Curry, they want people to understand that coaches are not opposed to the academic and recruiting re-



Louisiana State University men's basketball coach Dale Brown (left) and University of Kentucky football coach Bill Curry were among the Division I coaches who attended a two-day meeting to

discuss NCAA recruiting rules. Curry was one of the coaches who called for tougher penalties on players. "These are not naive young people any more that we're dealing with, for the most part," he said.

form movement the Presidents Commission is waging.

"We want to send a message to presidents that we're reading off the same page they are, that we're interested in academic integrity and accountability," Raveling said. "We want to send a message to young people that they have to show greater academic achievement if they want to be involved in the recruiting process and if they want the privilege of interacting with coaches and student-athletes."

"What seems apparent to us is that coaches, presidents and administrators are more in agreement than we are in disagreement."

No specific recommendations were presented at the news conference other than forcing prospects to meet Proposition 48 (Bylaw 14.3)

requirements before they can make paid campus visits.

"The coaches agree that student-athletes should not be permitted to visit a campus until that prospective student-athlete has achieved a minimum of 700 on the SAT or 18 on the ACT and has a minimum of 2.000 grade-point average on seven core (college preparatory) courses," Raveling said.

Those test scores and a 2.000 GPA in 11 core courses are the minimum standards for freshman athletics eligibility as specified in Proposition 48.

Raveling and Curry reported "a strong feeling" among coaches for harsher penalties for both schools

and athletes. They declined to name recent cases in which they felt penalties had been too lenient.

"But they are only saying what a majority of people tell us by letter every time an institution is put on probation," Schultz said. "We get two kinds of letters. One says we were all wrong and that we acted too harshly. Then we get about three times as many letters saying that what we did was not tough enough."

Asked if the coaches who provide illegal inducements should be dealt with similarly, Raveling said, "You bet I would support that."

Currently, athletes involved in illegal recruiting activities are

banned only from the school that gave them improper inducements. Stephen R. Morgan, NCAA associate executive director, said he was unsure what good might come from making athletes permanently ineligible.

"But it's something to look at," Morgan said.

The coaches, including those in nonrevenue sports, all said they welcomed the chance to meet with NCAA officials and express their views.

"There was a common thread among the groups of a lot of interest in having recruiting rules be sport-specific. Individual sports and team

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Looking Back

Five years ago

In a May 21, 1986, press conference in Washington, D.C., the NCAA announced the availability of a broad-based program of rules-compliance services for member institutions. The new program, then a part of the NCAA enforcement department, was announced by NCAA President John R. Davis and NCAA Presidents Commission Chair John B. Slaughter. (The NCAA News, May 21, 1986)

Ten years ago

The 1982-83 NCAA Football Television Plan was approved May 11, 1981, by a vote of 220 to 6. The vote covered a series of principles by which the Television Committee would negotiate with interested parties, and those principles provided for two national network packages. ("NCAA: The Voice of College Sports")

Twenty years ago

As directed by the 65th annual Convention, the Financial Aid Committee expanded its report May 16, 1971, to include financial aid based on need, limits on numbers of permissible grants in all sports, a candidates-declaration system, limiting grants to one year and limiting numbers of coaches at an institution. ("NCAA: The Voice of College Sports")

Fifty years ago

Chairs of the NCAA's playing-rules committees in May 1941 were James W. St. Clair, Southern Methodist University, basketball; I. F. Toomey, University of California, Davis, boxing; John Huffman, New York University, fencing; Walter Okeson, Lehigh University, football; Maximilian Younger, Temple University, gymnastics; Albert I. Prettyman, Hamilton College, ice hockey; Harry J. Rockefeller, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, lacrosse; Robert H. Dunn, Swarthmore College, soccer; R. J. H. Kiphuth, Yale University, swimming; Kenneth L. "Tug" Wilson, Northwestern University, track and field, and R. G. Clapp, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, wrestling. (1941 NCAA Yearbook)

Judith M. Sweet, president
NCAA

Chicago Tribune

"It's disappointing to me that more institutions haven't made an effort to comply with Title IX. It shouldn't be allowed to continue."

Shirley Barton, high-school counselor
Dallas, Texas

Dallas Times Herald

"(Parents) seem to think we're going to do it all, or they leave too much up to their children."

"Parents need to stop, look, listen and be more aware of what their children are doing and what they need to do for college preparation."

Ross Bailey, head athletics trainer
Texas Christian University

The Dallas Morning News

"For steroids on our campus, at least, it (testing by the NCAA and Southwest Athletic Conference) has been an accurate deterrent."

"I'm all for testing, but I can't see why I should keep a sprinter for testing on, say, Thursday night, then turn around and Saturday morning the TAC wants to test him again."

"I'd like to coordinate all that somehow. Somewhere in there, we're wasting money."

Braxton Banks, former varsity football player
University of Notre Dame

USA Today

"I think the NCAA has a moral obligation to student-athletes. It should assume a greater role in guidance and counseling (concerning professional careers)."

"I am specifically concerned about junior student-

athletes whose misinformed decisions not only result in their inability to participate in pro sports, but also cost them the most valuable resource of all—complete



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tion of their college education.

"My hope is that the NCAA and the student-athlete can bridge the gap of misunderstanding and strive to prevent such unfortunate situations."

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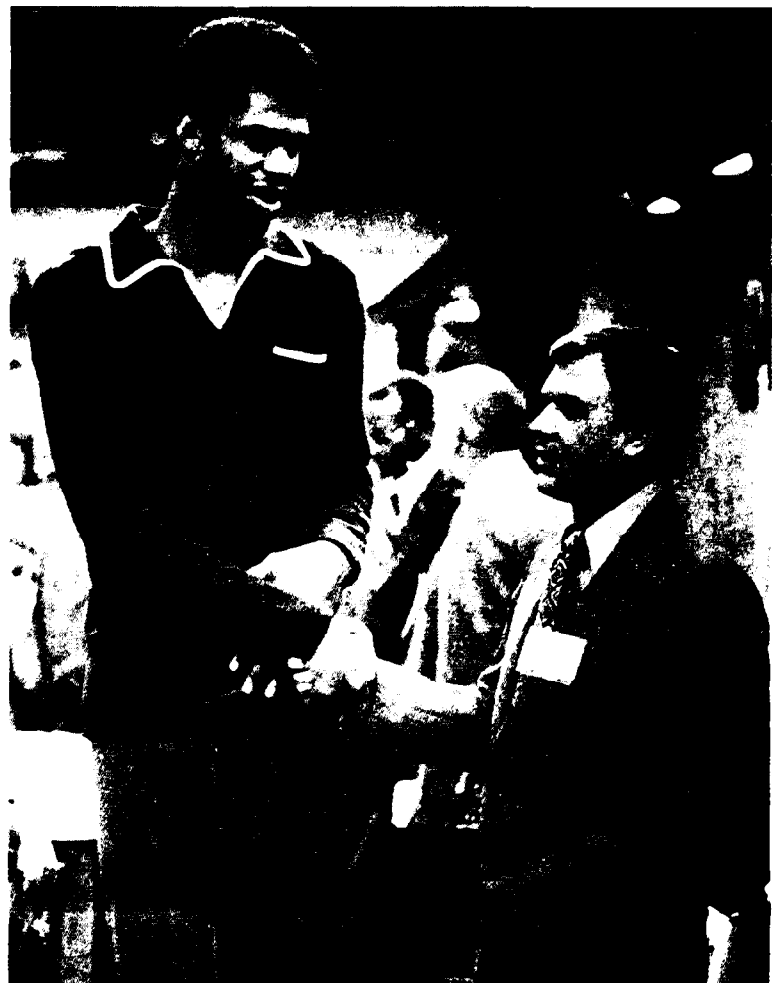
lay flat, so the switch was made to the current plastic-ring binding. Another change that occurred in the early issues was the inclusion of the opening features section, which numbered a whopping 143 pages in the 1990-91 edition.

That special section has given Franks the opportunity to run up frequent-flier mileage that would rival a government envoy's. He has covered stories in Japan, the Soviet Union, Brazil, Finland, Australia, Germany and, for this year's directory, the Bahamas. Most of the

features have dealt with teams from the United States touring foreign countries.

Franks said his most interesting port of call was the Soviet Union, where he covered the 1973 World University Games.

"It was the first time they had opened their country to that many athletes from different countries. They were trying to showcase the country for the 1980 Olympics," he said. "It turned out that the things we had heard were true—we were followed by KGB everywhere we went."



Kareem Abdul-Jabbar is among the many personalities Ray Franks got to know during a long career as head of what may have been the world's only publishing ranch

In addition to allowing him to see the world, Franks said the features section has been well-received by the readership, which has increased every year. The first year, the ranch printed 2,500 directories; this past year, 16,000 were printed—and sold out in January. The women's directory, which Franks started in 1973, also sold out its supply of 9,000 this year.

Obviously, more people bought the books than coaches and athletics directors, though Franks said that 90 percent of the sales went to colleges, with the University of Washington, which ordered 130 copies this year, leading the pack. Franks said that as college athletics has grown, so has the demand for the book. Anyone with a need to know how to contact athletics officials has a use for the book.

In order to make it useful, the directory must be accurate, so Franks and his two full-time employees—secretary and No. 1 assistant Shaine LeGrand and general assistant Bonnie Seymour—instituted a system of checks and balances. In May, the staff started getting school information from around the country via questionnaire. The information-gathering process lasted until press time in July, with print time targeted for August 1.

"Sometimes we got coaching changes before press conferences were held, because the schools wanted to be sure the information in the book was accurate," Franks said.

He said it took about a month to fill all of the schools' advance orders; then the books were sold throughout the school year. There always was a market throughout the year, he said, because when a coaching staff leaves a school, often the copies of the directory leave as well.

Once someone has spent as much time as Franks has producing a book, he doesn't want to sell the

rights to just anyone. Franks' successor as editor and publisher is Kevin Cleary, the NACDA executive director's son.

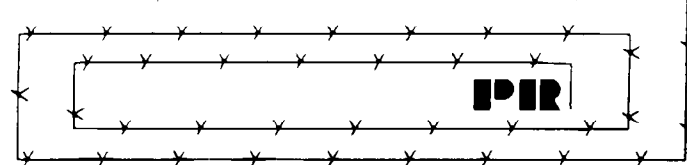
"I feel we have kept the book in the NACDA family," Franks said.

Although his official relationship with NACDA will be limited to attending occasional conventions, Franks' interest in athletics and the

He plans to continue distributing the joke books and also will serve as a consultant and contributing writer for the new publisher.

Franks has a few publishing and story ideas he'd still like to pursue, but for now he and Floy, his wife of 38 years, who worked part-time at the Ranch, plan to do some traveling and to "find that special clock."

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people involved will continue.

"I have always thought I had the greatest job in the world. The thing that I have enjoyed the most is the association with the greatest people in the world—college administrators and coaches," he said. "They're in a class by themselves. They're always exciting and colorful people."

Dullness won't be a part of Franks' "retirement." In the past, he has published other books, such as three editions of "Ol' Coach Joke-books" and "What's In a Nick-name?" (which explored the history of college mascots and nicknames).

His antique clock-collecting love began 12 years ago when his brother-in-law showed him an old grandfather clock he had just purchased. Franks' most prized clocks are one that belonged to actress Cyd Charisse's father and another that came out of the 19th century home of the first president of the First National Bank of Amarillo.

"I'm not smart enough to repair them, but I like to research them," he said. "A clock has a lot of similarities to a human—it has a heartbeat and its own unique characteristics. They're fascinating creatures."

News Quiz

The following questions relate to information that appeared in April issues of The NCAA News. How many can you answer?

1. True or false: The final game of the Division I Men's Ice Hockey Championship was decided in double overtime.
2. True or false: Warren Burger will serve on a committee recently appointed to review the NCAA enforcement process.
3. True or false: Women's volleyball attendance exceeded one million last fall.
4. True or false: Members of the Collegiate Commissioners Association and the University Commissioners Association have noted not to merge the two groups.
5. True or false: A division of the Sara Lee Corporation will sponsor an NCAA Woman of the Year Award.
6. True or false: Chief executive officers of NCAA member institutions want tighter academic standards for eligibility, according to a recent survey.
7. True or false: Pennsylvania State University's women's basketball team led Division I in three statistical categories for the season.
8. True or false: The University of Nevada, Las Vegas, led Division I men's basketball in scoring offense last season.
9. True or false: Meet scoring records were set this year in both the men's and women's NCAA gymnastics championships.
10. True or false: Limits are not going to be sought on bowl tie-ins.

Answers on page 24.

Rejection of Illinois bill is urged

NCAA representatives recently urged Illinois lawmakers to reject a measure that would require the Association to follow courtroom-style rules when investigating college athletics programs in the state.

They told an Illinois House committee April 24 that the organization is looking at ways to improve and that states would just confuse the situation by adopting separate sets of rules.

"I just urge you to step back and be patient," said Richard R. Hilliard, an NCAA director of enforcement. "If it can't withstand scrutiny, then it should be changed. But it should be changed from within."



Richard R. Hilliard

The Judiciary 1 Committee approved the bill, 10-1, and sent it to the full house.

The measure would bar the use of illegally obtained evidence, allow cross-examination of witnesses and require speedy hearings in NCAA investigations, the Associated Press reported.

An investigation last year into allegations of misconduct in the men's basketball program at the University of Illinois, Champaign, prompted the bill. Its sponsor, Rep. Timothy Johnson, R-Urbana, said the NCAA uses "Gestapo-like techniques."

Witnesses testified that the Association has a virtual monopoly on college athletics and abuses its power by stretching out investigations and not allowing schools and students to defend themselves properly.

"It's investigator, prosecutor, judge, jury and executioner," said

Robert Timmons, a former track coach at the University of Kansas.

Hilliard said Illinois has 37 NCAA members, and it takes only eight schools to propose rule changes in the organization.

Hilliard rejected the idea that NCAA investigations should be conducted by the rules of criminal law. He said the investigations aren't criminal matters, just questions of whether a university has broken rules it agreed to follow.

But committee members rejected that argument.

"When you lay down a probation penalty or forbid a member institution from being in the national play-offs or a bowl game, you're costing them and the conference they're in millions of dollars," said Rep. Louis Lang, D-Skokie. "When you cost them millions of dollars, you're acting as a court."

Johnson said Nebraska and Nevada have approved similar legislation, and other states are considering the matter. He sponsored the measure last year, but it was essentially stripped of its provisions in a parliamentary maneuver.

He wouldn't speculate on the bill's chances this time around, except to say House Speaker Michael Madigan, D-Chicago, has agreed not to oppose it.

"This is a year when the issues are so multifold that it's impossible to predict what might happen," Johnson said.

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sports other than football and basketball seem to present the greatest possibility of deregulation and simplification of rules. In men's and women's basketball and in football, there's not so much interest in eliminating the rules but in making them more reasonable.

"This is the first step in a journey we think will ultimately allow us to arrive at a position where we can restore absolute integrity to what we see are two vital areas," Raveling said.

"Academics and athletics."

Tucker writes for the Associated Press.

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Reviewing the rules

William W. Heusner (right) of Michigan State University, secretary-rules editor of the NCAA Men's and Women's Swimming Committee, reviews proposed rules changes during the committee's meeting April 27 through May 1 in Kansas City, Missouri. In September, Heusner will be succeeded on the committee by Dale Neuburger (left), manager of the Indiana University Natatorium/Track Stadium.

State legislation affecting athletics

This report summarizes legislation currently pending in state legislatures that could affect or is otherwise of interest to the intercollegiate athletics programs and student-athletes at NCAA member institutions. Set forth below is a list of 32 bills from 23 states. The report includes 10 bills that have been introduced and 22 pending bills on which action has been taken since the last report (see the April 17, 1991, issue of The NCAA News). Newly introduced bills are marked with an asterisk. Pending bills discussed in the previous report on which no action has been taken do not appear in this report.

This report is based on data provided by the Information for Public Affairs on-line state legislation system as of April 19, 1991. Listed bills were selected for inclusion in this report from a larger pool of bills concerning sports, and they therefore do not necessarily represent all bills that would be of interest to individual member institutions. Bills pending in the District of Columbia and U.S. territories are not available on-line and are not included.

The NCAA has not verified the accuracy or completeness of the information and is providing this summary as a service to members. For further information regarding a particular bill, members should contact the state legislature concerned.

As an overview, the table below summarizes the number of bills included in this report by subject:

Anabolic steroids	5
Trainers	5
Scalping	4
Coaches retirement plans	3
Due process	3
Wrestling	3
Women in sports	2
Athlete agents	1
Liability	1
Reform of college athletics	1
Tickets	1
Miscellaneous	3

Five bills in four states have become law since the last report, including one each on anabolic steroids, due process, trainers, women in sports and wrestling.

Ten state legislatures have adjourned their regular 1991 sessions. In two states in which the legislatures have adjourned—Georgia and Kansas—bills will carry over to 1992. In the remaining eight states—Arkansas, Idaho, Maryland, New Mexico, South Dakota, Utah, West Virginia and Wyoming—bills will not carry over, and pending bills died at the conclusion of the session if they had not been cleared for the governor's signature.

Finally, although the Kansas legislature has adjourned, it may consider some pending legislation during its "veto" session, which began April 24.

*Arizona H. 2247 (Author: Eskesen)

Makes anabolic steroids a Schedule III controlled substance. Status: 2/11/91 introduced. 3/7/91 passed House. To Senate. 4/11/91 passed Senate. To Governor. 4/18/91 signed by Governor.

California S. 712 (Author: Lockyer)

Provides that any person who sells a ticket to an event at a price higher than the price charged by the original distributor is guilty of a misdemeanor, unless written permission has been granted by the owner or operator of the event.

Status: 3/6/91 introduced. 3/14/91 to Senate Committee on Judiciary. 4/18/91 from Senate Committee on Judiciary: Reported with amendment.

Colorado H. 1127 (Author: Kopel)

Allows qualified athletics trainers to render certain services without a license to practice medicine.

Status: 1/11/91 introduced. 2/11/91 passed House. 4/15/91 passed

Senate with amendments. To House for concurrence.

Connecticut H. 5128 (Author: Migliaro)

Requires that police services for traffic regulation and control at any game be paid by the organization conducting or promoting the game.

Status: 1/9/91 introduced. To Joint Committee on Public Safety. 4/10/91 from Joint Committee on Public Safety: Reported with amendment.

Connecticut S. 232 (Author: Meotti)

Prohibits the imposition of a service charge on any tickets sold at the site of an event.

Status: 1/22/91 introduced. To Joint Committee on General Law. 4/12/91 from Joint Committee on General Law: Do pass.

Florida H. 845 (Author: King)

Creates the Collegiate Athletics Association Compliance Enforcement Procedures Act; provides that hearings must be held before finding that association rules were violated; specifies hearing procedures; provides restrictions on penalties imposed by associations; provides for liability of associations.

Status: 3/5/91 introduced. To House Committee on Postsecondary Education. 3/20/91 from House Committee on Postsecondary Education: Do pass. To House Committee on Appropriations. 4/8/91 withdrawn from House Committee on Appropriations.

Florida H. 2477 (Author: Tobin)

Relates to equitable treatment of women's intercollegiate athletics; revises funding for women's intercollegiate athletics programs.

Status: 3/20/91 introduced. 4/4/91 passed House. To Senate. 4/10/91 to Senate Committee on Education.

Georgia H. 437 (Author: Stephens)

Revises the definition of "athletics trainer" and the residency requirement of the Georgia Board of Athletics Trainers.

Status: 1/31/91 introduced. 3/5/91 passed House. To Senate. 3/11/91 passed Senate. 4/4/91 to Governor. 4/10/91 signed by Governor.

Georgia H. 480 (Author: Bostick)

Changes the amount of certain authorized service charges with respect to selling tickets.

Status: 2/4/91 introduced. 2/12/91 passed House. To Senate. 2/25/91 passed Senate with amendments. To House for concurrence. 3/6/91 House concurred in Senate amendments. 3/28/91 to Governor. 4/10/91 vetoed by Governor.

Georgia S. 130 (Author: Burton)

Designates the first Thursday in February of each year as "Girls and Women in Sports Day."

Status: 1/29/91 introduced. 2/5/91 passed Senate. To House. 3/6/91 passed House. 3/20/91 to Governor. 4/11/91 signed by Governor.

*Illinois H. 1311/H. 1563 (Authors: Capparelli/McAuliffe)

Repeal the Ticket Scalping Act.

Status: 4/3/93 H. 1311 and H. 1563 introduced.

*Illinois H. 1701/S. 598 (Authors: Ropp/Maitland)

Authorize participation in the American Football Coaches Retirement Trust by football coaches at public colleges and universities in Illinois.

Status: 4/4/91 introduced.

*Illinois H. 1955 (Author: Weller)

Provides that dispensing anabolic steroids for any purpose not approved by the Department of Health and Human Services is a criminal offense; provides for a statewide education program on steroid abuse.

Status: 4/5/91 introduced.

Iowa H. 152 (Author: Committee on State Government)

Relates to wrestling.

Status: 2/4/91 introduced. 2/14/91 to Senate Committee on State Government. 4/4/91 from Senate Committee on State Government: Do pass as amended.

Kansas S. 234 (Author: Winter)

Enacts the Athletics Association Procedures Act.

Status: 2/13/91 introduced. 4/8/91 passed Senate. To House. 4/9/91 to House Committee on Federal and State Affairs.

*Louisiana S. 95 (Author: McPherson)

Prohibits the use of mandatory student fees in funding intercollegiate athletics at public colleges and universities; provides for voluntary funding.

Status: 4/15/91 introduced. To Senate Committee on Education.

Maryland H. 1090 (Author: Ehrlich)

Establishes that a physician who voluntarily and without compensation renders medical services for a sports program is not liable for any act or omission in those services, makes certain exceptions.

Status: 2/14/91 introduced. 3/8/91 passed House. To Senate. 4/6/

Potsdam State discontinues 27-year-old wrestling team

The Potsdam State University College's 27-year-old wrestling program will be discontinued as the result of a recommendation from the school's Intercollegiate Athletic Board.

Potsdam State President William Merwin accepted the 10-member board's recommendation in late April.

"This decision was not made hastily or lightly, given a very proud wrestling history," said William R. Donohue, vice-president for student affairs at Potsdam State and the committee's nonvoting chair.

"Without a doubt, the budget was the driving force behind our decision. There just isn't enough money to offer a complete inventory of sports. Potsdam College is facing a \$1.3 million budget cut and the loss of 30 positions."

Jan Reetz, the school's athletics

director, said last season's wrestling team operated on a \$6,156 budget.

Donohue said the committee also saw a lack of student demand for the program. "The team finished the season with only eight members on its roster, had no recruits and no returning coaches."

The program was directed by the same coach, Neil Johnson, from 1964 to 1987, and was headed by Mike St. Armour from 1987 to 1990. Last season, Nick Zupan and Bob Zoeke led the team to a 1-8 dual-meet mark as cocoaches.

In its history, the Division III program has produced 13 all-Americans, two national champions, five NCAA finalists, 12 State University of New York Athletic Conference (SUNYAC) champions and six state champions. The 1973 team also won a SUNYAC title and the 1974 team was third in NCAA competition.

91 passed Senate. To Governor. Deadline for Governor to sign the bill is May 28.

Maryland S. 109 (Author: Blount)

Increases license fees for specified individuals engaged in activities related to wrestling matches licensed by the State Athletics Commission; requires judges of such events to obtain a license.

Status: 1/9/91 introduced. 2/7/91 passed Senate. To House. 3/28/91 passed House. To Governor. 4/9/91 signed by Governor.

Massachusetts H. 2423 (Author: McKenna)

Relates to physically assaulting sports officials.

Status: 2/6/91 introduced. To Joint Committee on Criminal Justice. 4/4/91 from Joint Committee on Criminal Justice: Reported with amendment.

Minnesota H. 663 (Author: Milbert)

Places regulation of athletics trainers under a board of medical examiners.

Status: 3/7/91 introduced. To House Committee on Commerce. 4/11/91 from House Committee on Commerce: Do pass as amended. To House Committee on Health and Human Services.

Nevada A. 204 (Author: McGaughey)

Requires national collegiate athletics associations to observe certain procedural standards in proceedings involving member institutions in Nevada; creates a cause of action if those standards are not observed.

Status: 1/23/91 introduced. 3/6/91 passed Assembly. To Senate. 3/28/91 passed Senate with amendments. To House for concurrence. 4/1/91 House concurred in Senate amendments. 4/2/91 to Governor. 4/8/91 signed by Governor.

New Hampshire S. 62 (Author: Currier)

Establishes an advisory committee on athletics trainers to advise the Board of Registration in Medicine; establishes licensing regulations and standards for athletics trainers.

Status: 1/18/91 introduced. 3/28/91 passed Senate. To House. 4/2/91 to House Committee on Executive Departments and Administration.

*New Jersey A. 4655 (Author: Catania)

Upgrades illegal distribution of anabolic steroids to minors to a crime of the second degree.

Status: 4/8/91 introduced. To Assembly Committee on Drug and Alcohol Abuse Policy.

Oklahoma H. 1113 (Author: Williams)

Modifies list of steroids included in the Schedule IV list of controlled substances.

Status: 2/4/91 introduced. 3/12/91 passed House. To Senate. 4/15/91 passed Senate with amendments. To House for concurrence.

Rhode Island H. 5109 (Author: Montanaro)

Makes anabolic steroids a Schedule IV controlled substance; reduces the maximum jail time for a conviction from five years to one year.

Status: 1/15/91 introduced. 4/9/91 passed House. To Senate. To Senate Committee on Health, Education and Welfare.

South Carolina H. 3246 (Author: Wright)

Provides that the State Athletics Commission may exempt wrestling matches from regulation when such matches are sponsored by an amateur association.

Status: 1/17/91 introduced. 2/15/91 passed House. To Senate. 2/19/91 to Senate General Committee. 4/4/91 from Senate General Committee: Do pass.

*Tennessee S.J.R. 192 (Author: McNally)

Encourages reform in college athletics.

Status: 4/11/91 introduced.

Texas S. 439 (Author: Barrientos)

Relates to the regulation of certain athletics trainers.

Status: 2/12/91 introduced. 2/14/91 to Senate Committee on Health and Human Services. 4/3/91 from Senate Committee on Health and Human Services: Do pass with amendment.

Washington H. 1712 (Author: Heavey)

Requires registration of athlete agents; requires athlete agents to file a disclosure statement.

Status: 2/6/91 introduced. 3/19/91 passed House. To Senate. 3/21/91 to Senate Committee on Commerce and Labor. 4/11/91 from Senate Committee on Commerce and Labor: Do pass.

*Wisconsin A. 324 (Author: Brandemuehl)

Relates to authorizing the board of regents of the University of Wisconsin system to deduct contributions from the salaries of football coaches who are eligible and wish to participate in a pension plan.

Status: 4/5/91 introduced. To Assembly Committee on Colleges and Universities.

New two-year college panel begins informational efforts

During its first meeting as a standing committee, the NCAA Two-Year College Relations Committee took steps to establish itself as an effective channel for keeping administrators at two-year colleges well informed of the Association's eligibility regulations.

As the result of actions at the committee's meeting April 3 in Kansas City, Missouri, the NCAA Council has endorsed and forwarded to the Executive Committee a request to fund a brochure and poster designed to help circulate eligibility regulations to two-year institutions.

The brochure, which would cost an estimated \$5,000, would provide academic advisers, faculty members, coaches and staff members at two-year colleges with information needed to advise student-athletes properly and pave the way for a smooth transfer into a four-year institution. It also might include information pertaining to recruiting regulations, transfer eligibility, amateurism guidelines and other regulations that effect student-athletes who transfer from two-year colle-

giate institutions to a four-year NCAA member institution.

The poster, estimated to cost approximately \$8,500, also would publicize eligibility requirements.

"The committee wants to inform the right people at two-year institutions about NCAA regulations, and also to give them an opportunity to voice their concerns," said Richard C. Perko, NCAA legislative assistant and staff liaison to the committee.

It is the committee's wish to become a forum where issues involving the NCAA's relationship with two-year institutions can be referred for research and discussion. The committee believes the brochure will be an important first step in achieving that goal.

"It's an opportunity to have an immediate impact, and to start dialogue flowing," Perko said.

The Two-Year College Relations Committee's recent meeting was its first since it was made a standing committee with the adoption of Proposal No. 14 at the 1991 Convention in Nashville. However, most of the members of the committee

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also were members of its predecessor, the Special Committee to Review Relationships With Two-Year Colleges, which recommended establishment of the standing committee.

In the standing committee's inaugural meeting, members also reviewed NCAA Bylaw 14.2.5-(a) pertaining to the granting of "hardship" waivers as a result of an injury or illness. The committee recommended that the Council sponsor legislation for the 1992 Convention that would permit Division I member institutions to recognize hardship waivers received by student-athletes at two-year institutions, provided that such waivers are granted under prescribed conditions.

The Council is expected to consider proposed legislation on that subject at its August meeting.

The committee also reviewed recent recommendations by the Academic Requirements Committee intended to strengthen academic requirements for initial and continuing athletics eligibility. The Two-

Year College Relations Committee reported to the Council that it generally supports that effort, but added that it specifically opposes a proposal to preclude nonqualifiers and partial qualifiers who transfer from two-year colleges from participating in competition during their first year of residence at an NCAA member institution.

The opposition is based on the committee's view that such an action would eliminate an incentive for two-year college student-athletes to perform academically at two-year institutions. The committee also noted that it is considering proposing the establishment of core-course requirements at two-year colleges for student-athletes wishing to transfer to an NCAA member institution, and believes it should be given the opportunity to develop that concept.

Fees among skiing topics

Officials' fees, disabled competitors and protest fees were among the topics discussed April 24-25 by the NCAA Men's and Women's Skiing Committee, which met in Marco Island, Florida.

The committee addressed championship-administration issues and playing-rules issues in the two-day meeting. Members of the committee agreed to forward the following recommendations regarding the National Collegiate Men's and Women's Skiing Championships to the Executive Committee:

- Fees for each of 10 officials should be increased from \$100 to \$150 for the NCAA championships.
- The University of Colorado Boulder, should host the 1993 championships, with the site to be determined at a later date.

The committee also agreed to forward recommendations regarding drug-testing procedures and suggested the use of a central point at which all contestants must check in to determine if they are to be tested.

Presentations were heard from two Central-region institutions regarding participation in the NCAA championships. In the past few years, several upper Midwestern and some western institutions have participated in other postseason championships.

Regional allocations for the NCAA meet were adjusted to accommodate as many as six additional Central-region teams in 1992.

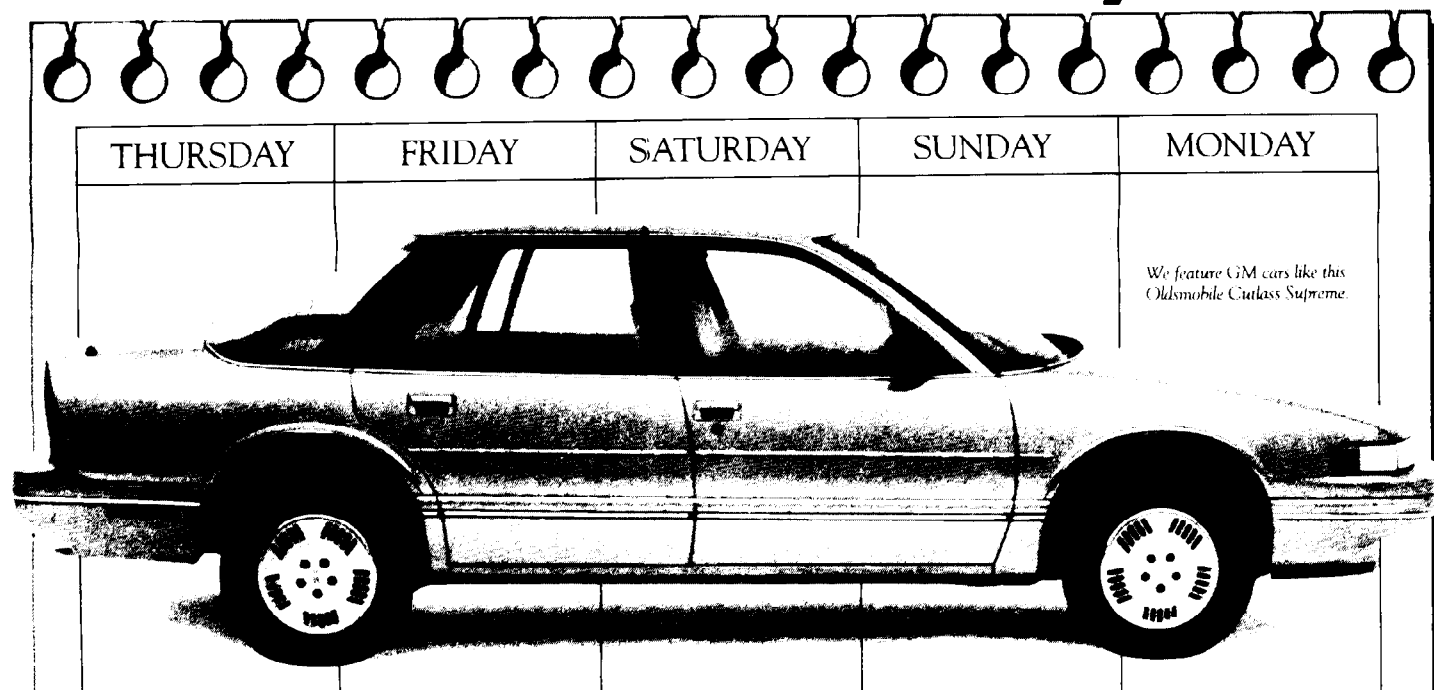
As part of its discussion regarding rules changes, the committee agreed to put a \$25 ceiling on the amount that can be charged as a protest fee. Also discussed were methods for aiding hearing-impaired or sight-impaired competitors.

News Fact File

Of the total U.S. population, 12 percent is black and eight percent is Hispanic. A 1990 Gallup poll, however, showed that the average U.S. citizen believes 32 percent of the population is black and 21 percent is Hispanic.

Source: American Demographics magazine, quoted in compilation of trends and futurism issues prepared for the NCAA Committee on Review and Planning.

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Bowl games, others anxiously await tax ruling

By Steve Wilstein

Even as this year's tax season ends, football bowl officials around the country are worried about a big hit by the Internal Revenue Service against the Cotton Bowl that could threaten all postseason games.

The PGA Tour and LPGA also are closely watching the Cotton Bowl case because most of their events, like the bowls, are run by tax-exempt, nonprofit groups.

Nobody is predicting an imminent collapse of the bowls or professional golf, even if the IRS rules that millions of dollars paid to the Cotton Bowl by Mobil Oil Corp. are taxable.

But officials of the bowls and golf tournaments fear an extension of the ruling—to include television contracts and other income—would have much broader ramifications that could hurt them.

At conflict initially would be the IRS demand for one-third of the revenues bowls receive from sponsors, and the NCAA requirement that three-quarters of the gross re-

venues go to the universities.

"If the NCAA says you've got to distribute 75 percent of your gross and the IRS says it wants 34 percent of your gross, then that would put the bowls out of business," Jack French, executive director of the Rose Bowl, said April 5.

If the NCAA allows bowls to pay out 75 percent of the money left after the IRS takes a 34 percent cut, French said, "it's going to have an effect, but it's not going to close the bowls down."

The Rose Bowl uses 80 percent of its gross to pay out \$13 million to the schools. Unlike most of the other bowls, though, it does not have title sponsorship, so it would be minimally impacted by an adverse ruling by the IRS against the Cotton Bowl.

But there are other worries.

"If the IRS went further and got into revenues from media contracts, then it would have an impact on all bowls. As I understand it, the IRS is not directly looking at media rights fees in the Cotton Bowl case, but I have heard people say that could be

a logical extension of this," said Jim Muldoon, assistant commissioner of the Pacific-10 Conference.

"And if the IRS is doing this with the Cotton Bowl, is the next step to go to the universities, which have various corporate tie-ins and certainly media contracts that involve rights fees? The trouble is you don't know how far-reaching they're going to become."

Most PGA events, like the bowls, are set up as 501(c)(3) nonprofit events, distributing their proceeds after expenses to charities.

Edward Moorhouse, vice-president and general counsel for the PGA Tour, said a ruling against the Cotton Bowl could "threaten the charitable aspect" of PGA events.

"It would substantially reduce the dollars available for charity from our various tournaments," he said. "It's conceivable that some tournaments may operate at a deficit or only break even."

PGA events contributed about \$20 million to charities last year, he said.

The PGA Tour, which negotiates the TV rights for the tournaments, is set up as a 501(c)(6), a nonprofit corporation—a trade association, in effect.

"Currently the law provides that television rights fees are nontaxable," Moorhouse said. "So I don't believe the determination the IRS makes with respect to the Cotton Bowl would directly affect us; but by analogy, it's conceivable there could be some carry-over there. It's certainly something to monitor."

French and the other bowl officials hope the IRS threat ultimately will be resolved by legislation exempting the bowls, festivals and other fund-raising events from paying taxes on sponsorship fees and television revenues.

"I think most people would feel that's the fairest, but the IRS' job is to collect money," he said.

Cotton Bowl President John Stuart said he has met with the IRS and is awaiting a decision in the case.

If the IRS rules against the Cotton Bowl, he said, not only would

the Cotton Bowl be forced to pay \$1 million in back taxes, but it could end sponsored nonprofit events.

"If one nonprofit event is taxable, then they are all the same," Stuart said.

Without Mobil sponsorship, Cotton Bowl officials said, the association would not have been able to pay the University of Miami (Florida) and the University of Texas at Austin \$3 million each for partici-

and the Cotton Bowl. But in explaining what generally is at issue in such cases, Gaysick said:

"We look at the level of control. We look at the control that the contributor has over the funds. The IRS position is when a sponsor exerts so much control on even the time of the broadcast or the way the event is named, it shows that it is in fact purchasing advertising rather than supporting a public event."

Cotton Bowl officials contend that because the New Year's Day game is a nonprofit event, the millions of dollars received from Mobil annually are a contribution that goes directly to participating universities and their conferences and are therefore tax exempt.

Bowls are required by the NCAA to pay participating universities 75 percent of revenue, including ticket sales, television and radio broadcast rights, and sponsorship fees. The other 25 percent covers the expenses of staging the events and paying the staff.

"Because of the NCAA requirement, we can't hold that money other than paying it out to the universities," Bernstein said.

"These funds are being received for contributions to a nonprofit organization," he said. "The name on the Cotton Bowl event is recognition of a donor. Many charitable organizations, when they get large contributions, recognize the donor."

Stuart said, "We feel we are giving all the money away anyway. We are not a big profit maker. We're not sticking our profits in our pockets and paying our staff with big salaries."

The bowl official said the IRS could request more information and hold hearings with the association or the IRS could simply inform them they owe back taxes for the 1989, 1990 and 1991 games.

"We either have to pay the tax or not," Stuart said. "We have the money to pay the tax. Nobody has us by the throats."

Wilstein writes for the Associated Press.

Peach Bowl to become eighth New Year's game

The Peach Bowl, in a bid to boost its postseason status, will play next year's game on New Year's Day and televise it under a new contract with ESPN.

The multiyear television contract calls for the 1992 game to be played at Atlanta-Fulton County Stadium at 11:30 a.m. Eastern time, making it the first of eight bowls to be televised that day.

The agreement also calls for the 1993 game, which will mark the bowl's 25th anniversary, to be played Saturday, January 2, in prime time. It may be the first college football game played in the new Georgia Dome, which is scheduled for completion in August 1992 as the new home of the NFL's Atlanta Falcons.

The dates for subsequent games will be scheduled later. The length of the deal and financial terms were not disclosed.

"We are committed to making some dramatic steps with the bowl, and this puts us in position to make the next step," said A. Neill Cameron Jr., Peach Bowl chair.

That next step would be finding a major corporate sponsor that would allow the Peach Bowl to raise significantly its current pay-out of approximately \$800,000 per team, according to the Associated Press.

"We feel like we've positioned ourselves not only to become more attractive to sponsors but to the competing schools as well," said Cameron.

Bowls recommended for recertification

The Postseason Football Subcommittee of the NCAA Special Events Committee has recommended that 17 postseason football bowl games be recertified for 1991-92, but a request for recertification of an 18th bowl has been delayed.

The subcommittee, meeting April 15-18 in Orlando, Florida, delayed recertification of the Poulan/Weed Eater Independence Bowl in Shreveport, Louisiana, and gave that game's organizers an August deadline for providing a date and kickoff time for the contest and evidence of an agreement to televise the game.

Last season, 19 bowl games were certified, but one of those games, the All American Bowl in Birmingham, Alabama, did not apply for recertification.

The subcommittee's recommendations will be forwarded to the NCAA Administrative Committee, which will act on those recommendations on behalf of the NCAA Council.

The following games, with dates and starting times (Eastern time) listed, are recommended for recertification:

- Blockbuster Bowl, Miami, Florida, December 28, 9 p.m.
- California Raisin Bowl, Fresno,

California, December 14, 4 p.m.

- Domino's Copper Bowl, Tucson, Arizona, December 31, 8 p.m.

- Eagle Aloha Bowl, Honolulu, Hawaii, December 25, 3:30 p.m.

- Federal Express Orange Bowl, Miami, Florida, January 1, 8 p.m.

- Fiesta Bowl, Tempe, Arizona, January 1, 4 p.m.

- Florida Citrus Bowl, Orlando, Florida, January 1, 1:30 p.m.

- Freedom Bowl, Anaheim, California, December 27, 9 p.m.

- Hall of Fame Bowl, Tampa, Florida, January 1, 1 p.m.

- John Hancock Bowl, El Paso, Texas, December 31, 12:30 p.m.

- Liberty Football Classic, Memphis, Tennessee, December 28 or 29, 8 p.m.

- Mazda Gator Bowl, Jacksonville, Florida, December 29, 8 p.m.

- Mobil Cotton Bowl, Dallas, Texas, January 1, 1:30 p.m.

- Peach Bowl, Atlanta, Georgia, January 1, 11:30 a.m.

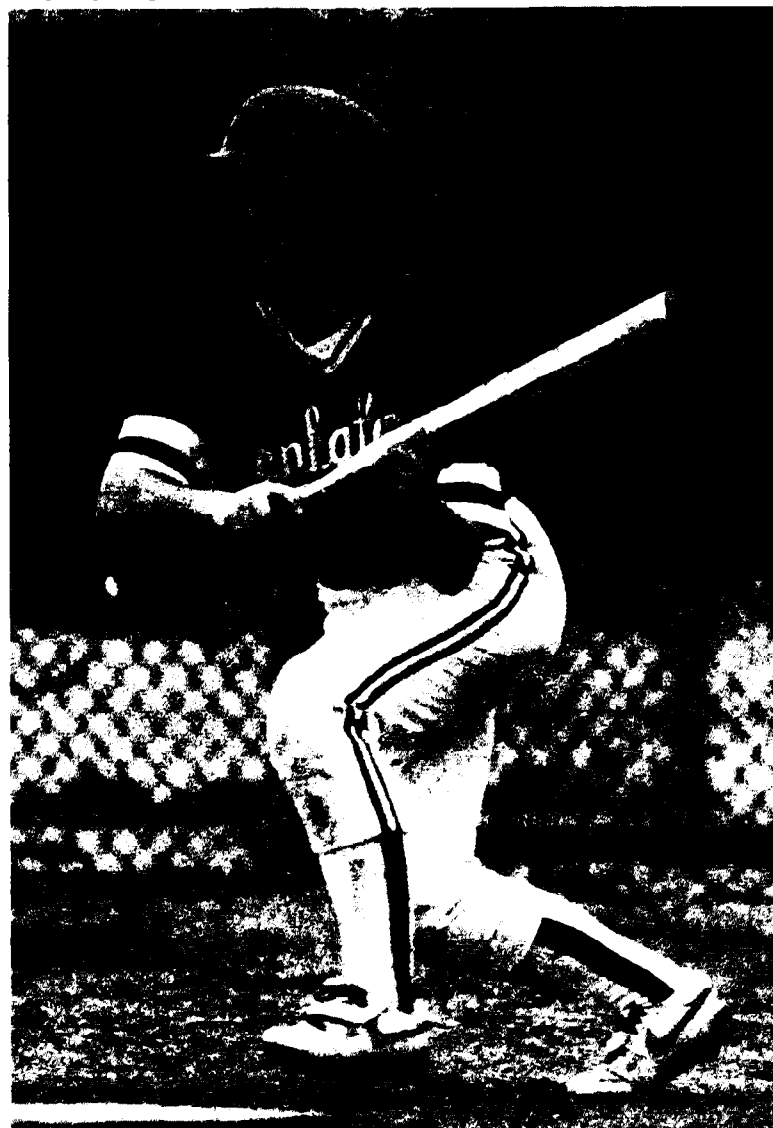
- Rose Bowl, Pasadena, California, January 1, 5 p.m.

- Thrifty Car Rental Holiday Bowl, San Diego, California, December 30, 7:30 or 8 p.m.

- USF&G Sugar Bowl, New Orleans, Louisiana, January 1, 8:30 p.m.

Streak

Stacy Cowen, a junior third baseman and pitcher at Manhattan College, set a record for NCAA Division I women's softball April 24 against St. Peter's College with a base hit in her 24th consecutive game. Cowen, who also leads Division I with a .586 batting average this season through games of April 28, used a bunt single to surpass the 23-game hitting streak in 1990 by La Salle University's Kerl McGahey. Cowen was unable to extend her streak beyond 24 games, going hitless for two games after establishing the mark, but she bounced back with a 15-of-16 batting performance in back-to-back doubleheaders, including a 10-for-10 day in two games April 28 against Niagara University. Cowen's teammate, freshman shortstop Danielle Yearick, also recently put her name in the record book by tying Division I single-game marks for home runs (three) and runs batted in (nine) against Brooklyn College April 20.



Baseball now included in NCAA insurance plan

The nation's top collegiate baseball players now can insure themselves through an NCAA program against a disabling injury that would restrict future earnings.

Under the NCAA Exceptional Student-Athlete Disability Insurance Program, student-athletes at NCAA member institutions who are likely to be chosen in the first round of the Major League Baseball draft may be eligible for up to \$900,000 in disability coverage. They would receive benefits if an injury temporarily or permanently prevents participation in the normal activities of baseball.

In addition, student-athletes who are approved for the coverage automatically will qualify for low-interest loans to finance the policy premium.

Full 24-hour accident and sickness coverage is provided, including injuries sustained while playing and practicing in the student-athlete's sport. Insured student-athletes would begin receiving benefits in monthly installments after the season that would have been their first opportunity to play as a professional. Payments would continue for up to 36 months, as long as the athlete remained disabled.

The maximum monthly payment for baseball players is \$25,000. The policy premium varies by position played. The maximum premium cost for catchers and other fielders is less than the maximum premium for pitchers.

Through an agreement between the NCAA and United Missouri Bank of Kansas City, student-athletes approved for coverage automatically qualify for a loan—without a cosigner—to pay the

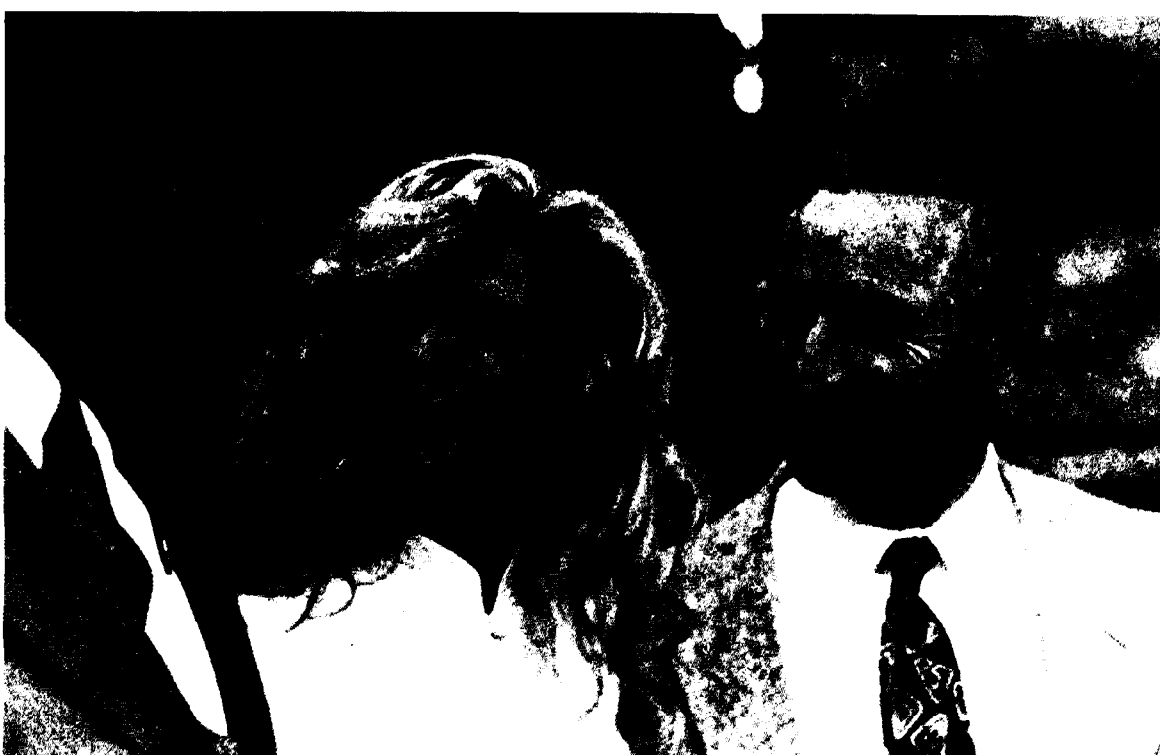
premium. The loan, which will be issued at below-market rates, is repaid when the athlete signs a professional contract or when the athlete receives benefits under the policy due to a disabling injury.

Many collegiate athletes attempt to purchase similar coverage on their own but find it difficult to afford, and local banks are reluctant to loan them money without cosigners. By providing this coverage with automatic loan approval, the NCAA is hoping to help athletes avoid unscrupulous agents who lure top draft choices by promising to pay for disability insurance.

The Federal Insurance Company, a member of the Chubb Insurance Group, is the insurer of the program and has the full responsibility for determining who qualifies for coverage. The NCAA has developed the program but does not play any role in determining which student-athletes have the potential to be drafted highly enough to qualify.

The program is administered through National Sports Underwriters of Overland Park, Kansas, which will accept inquiries about coverage for specific student-athletes only from a parent or legal guardian, a representative of the athlete's school, or the student-athlete himself.

Information about the Exceptional Student-Athlete Disability Insurance Program or specific coverage proposals is available from National Sports Underwriters, 9300 Metcalf Avenue, Suite 350, Overland Park, Kansas 66212; the toll-free telephone number is 800/621-2116.



Back home

Actress Kim Basinger, an Athens, Georgia, native, was back home April 10 when the University of Georgia men's tennis team hosted West Virginia University in the school's first-ever night match. The addition of lights to the Henry Felld Stadium complex was made possible through a contribution by Basinger, whose father, Don, and brother, Mick, have competed for years on the university courts. Prior to the match, Basinger chatted with Georgia President Charles B. Knapp (left) and athletics director Vincent J. Dooley. Georgia hosts the 1991 Division I Men's Tennis Championships beginning May 17.

New editions of four NCAA publications ready

Four new editions of NCAA publications — 1991-92 NCAA Division I Operating Manual, 1991 NCAA Convention Proceedings, 1991 NCAA Football Rules and Interpretations, and 1991 NCAA Water Polo Rules—are available this month from the Association's Sports Library.

The Division I Operating Manual contains specific operating bylaws (extracted from the "master" Man-

ual) for Division I members that relate to the primary responsibilities of coaches, athletics administrators and others involved with day-to-day application of NCAA regulations.

Cost of the operating manual is \$7 for members and nonmembers.

Convention Proceedings contains a transcript of all business sessions at the 1991 NCAA Convention,

summaries of round tables and a roster of delegates and visitors.

Cost of the proceedings is \$6 for members and \$12 for nonmembers.

This year's editions of NCAA Football Rules and Interpretations and NCAA Water Polo Rules sell for \$3 each.

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Baseball Statistics

Through games of April 28

Men's Division I individual leaders

BATTING					EARNED-RUN AVERAGE					HOME RUNS					BATTING								
(2.5 ab/game and 60 at bats)						(Minimum 35 innings)						(Minimum 12)						(Minimum 35)					
1. Ron Dziurkowski, Duquesne	SR	29	79	41	.519	1. Steve Montgomery, Pepperdine	CL	G	IP	R	ER	ERA	1. James Ruocchio, LIU-C.W. Post	CL	G	NO	AVG	1. Creighton	G	AB	H	AVG	
2. Mike Carlsen, FDU-Ianack	JR	35	124	63	.508	2. Dave Lotz, Toledo	JR	10	64.2	8	6	0.84	2. Gene Schall, Villanova	JR	36	18	0.50	2. Villanova	JR	39	1409	506	.359
3. Mike Neill, Villanova	JR	38	158	77	.487	3. John Worthington, St. Francis (Pa.)	SR	8	41.0	11	5	1.10	3. Mike Fernandez, New York Tech	JR	38	17	0.45	3. Md.-Balt. County	JR	44	1494	536	.359
4. Jon Sbrocco, Wright St.	SO	31	113	55	.487	4. Mike Steele, Nichols St.	JR	21	44.1	6	6	1.22	4. Scott Sharts, Cal St. Northridge	JR	49	21	0.43	4. Harvard	JR	31	947	338	.357
5. Gene Schall, Villanova	JR	36	146	70	.479	5. Bobby Jones, Fresno St.	SR	15	118.0	19	17	1.30	5. Bobby Pickett, Arkansas St.	SR	35	15	0.43	5. St. John's (N.Y.)	SR	37	1219	427	.350
6. Tom Vanliger, Iowa St.	SR	44	132	63	.477	6. David Leonard, Holy Cross	SR	9	61.0	15	9	1.33	6. David McCarty, Stanford	JR	47	20	0.43	6. Long Beach St.	SR	51	1813	630	.347
7. James Ruocchio, LIU-C.W. Post	SR	32	120	57	.475	7. Keith Garagozzo, Delaware	JR	10	71.1	19	11	1.39	7. Marty Neff, Oklahoma	SR	50	20	0.40	7. Delaware	SR	37	1282	444	.346
8. Mike Edwards, Utah	SO	45	160	74	.463	8. Joe Maniscalco, Fordham	JR	10	54.0	13	9	1.50	8. Andy Bruce, Georgia Tech	SR	48	19	0.40	8. Iowa	SR	34	1129	390	.345
9. J.C. Hendrix, Campbell	JR	48	176	81	.460	9. Kirk Rueter, Murray St.	JR	10	65.2	21	11	1.51	9. Eric Macrina, Clemson	SR	51	20	0.39	9. Southwest Mo. St.	SR	51	1673	573	.342
10. Phil Hollis, Purdue	SR	45	148	67	.453	10. Craig Clayton, Cal St. Northridge	JR	15	109.0	31	19	1.57	10. Todd Greene, Ga. Southern	SO	51	20	0.39	10. Arizona	SR	54	1949	666	.342
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13. John Buckley, Northeastern	JR	30	114	51	.447	13. John Dettmer, Missouri	JR	12	88.0	27	17	1.74	13. Brent Williams, Furman	SR	44	17	0.39						
14. Kevin Bellomo, Western Caro.	SR	55	209	93	.445	14. Larry Thomas, Maine	JR	10	66.1	19	14	1.90	14. Mike Edwards, Utah	SR	48	17	0.38						
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16. Al Watson, New York Tech	JR	42	150	66	.440	16. Jason Angel, Clemson	SO	13	69.2	19	15	1.94	16. Pedro Swann, Delaware St.	JR	38	14	0.37						
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18. Matt Luke, California	SO	48	208	91	.438	(La.)							17. George Phillips, Iowa	SR	33	12	0.36						
19. Brent Gales, Minnesota	JR	44	151	66	.437	18. Mike Moran, LIU-Brooklyn	FR	7	36.2	16	8	1.96	19. Mike Harris, Kentucky	JR	50	18	0.36						
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24. Matt Maloney, Navy	SR	33	114	49	.430	23. Jon Ratliff, Le Moyne	FR	8	39.0	16	9	2.08	2. James Ruocchio, LIU-C.W. Post	SR	32	57	1.78						
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Team leaders

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11. Wichita St.	57	1940	661	.341	
PITCHING					
	G	IP	R	ER	ERA
1. Pepperdine	43	371.2	139	112	2.71
2. Miami (Fla.)	51	454.0	179	150	2.97
3. McNeese St.	52	408.0	197	136	3.00
4. Northwestern (La.)	52	408.1	169	137	3.02
5. Wichita St.	57	478.0	202	161	3.03
6. Baylor	51	422.2	199	143	3.04
7. Cal St. Northridge	49	439.1	198	149	3.05
8. Florida St.	51	458.2	191	162	3.18
9. Texas A&M	57	471.2	216	172	3.28
10. Missouri	44	362.2	170	133	3.30
11. Texas	56	489.2	210	180	3.31
FIELDING					
	G	PO	A	E	PCT
1. Texas	56	1469	654	48	.978
2. North Caro.	53	1296	525	47	.978
3. Pepperdine	43	1115	568	47	.973
4. Va. Commonwealth	49	1201	506	49	.972
5. Miami (Fla.)	51	1362	612	57	.972
6. Long Beach St.	51	1349	543	56	.971
7. Northwestern (La.)	52	1225	517	55	.969
8. Ohio St.	48	1107	466	50	.969
9. North Caro. St.	54	1410	589	67	.968
10. Old Dominion	50	1240	549	60	.968
11. Houston	51	1228	616	62	.967
12. Tennessee	50	1279	535	62	.967
13. Maine	46	1088	427	52	.967
SCORING					
	G	R	AVG		
1. Villanova	39	404	10.36		
2. Creighton	49	494	10.08		
3. Clemson	51	513	10.06		
4. Delaware	37	363	9.81		
5. Md.-Balt. County	44	419	9.52		
6. Long Beach St.	51	488	9.51		
7. Delaware St.	40	380	9.50		
8. Louisville	52	475	9.13		
9. Wichita St.	57	519	9.11		
10. South Ala.	46	415	9.02		
11. Wyoming	40	359	8.96		
12. St. John's (N.Y.)	37	323	8.73		
13. Jackson St.	39	332	8.51		
WON-LOSS PERCENTAGE					
	W	L	T	PCT	
1. Clemson	44	7	0	.083	
2. Delaware	31	6	0	.038	
3. Wichita St.	47	10	0	.025	
4. Ohio St.	39	9	0	.013	
5. Florida St.	34	10	0	.002	
6. Pepperdine	39	10	0	.000	
7. Hawaii	40	10	0	.000	
8. Missouri	35	10	0	.077	
9. Southern Cal.	41	12	1	.076	
10. Miami (Fla.)	39	12	0	.076	
11. Rider	27	8	1	.074	
12. Northeastern	25	8	0	.075	

Softball Statistics

Through games of April 28

Women's Division I individual leaders

BATTING										EARNED-RUN AVERAGE										HOME RUNS										BATTING									
(2.0 ab/game and 30 at bats)	CL	G	AB	H	AVG	(Minimum 50 innings)	CL	G	IP	R	ER	ERA	(Minimum 2)	CL	G	NO	AVG	(Minimum 35)	CL	G	AB	H	AVG																
1. Stacy Cowen, Manhattan	JR	36	133	78	.586	1. Lisa Fernandez, UCLA	SO	21	134.0	3	1	0.052	1. Michelle Tujague, Brooklyn	JR	17	6	0.35	1. LIU-Brooklyn	G	27	793	285	.359																
2. Stacy Morris, Wagner	SR	28	94	50	.532	2. Heather Compton, UCLA	SO	19	127.0	6	1	0.055	2. Sue Hellman, Wagner	SR	30	10	0.33	2. Canisius	G	29	802	283	.353																
3. Barb Marean, Massachusetts	SR	38	117	55	.470	3. Karen Jackson, Iowa	FR	30	170.2	17	5	0.21	3. Joann Valtario, Brooklyn	SR	19	6	0.32	3. Manhattan	G	36	1025	351	.342																
4. Meg Thompson, Canisius	SR	29	91	42	.462	4. Karen Snelgrove, Missouri	JR	26	158.2	12	5	0.22	4. Charmelle Green, Utah	SR	28	6	0.21	4. St. Peter's	G	25	625	214	.342																
5. Rebecca Goodwin, St. Peter's	FR	25	75	34	.453	5. Michele Granger, California	SO	27	255.2	22	11	0.30	5. Deb DiMeglio, Utah	FR	28	6	0.21	5. Southern Ill.	G	34	885	290	.328																
6. Mary Ann Cloran, St. Peter's	JR	25	73	33	.452	6. Sharon Nichols, Bucknell	SR	19	115.0	15	5	0.30	6. Stacey Morris, Wagner	JR	28	6	0.21	6. Massachusetts	G	39	1068	346	.324																
7. Michelle Tujague, Brooklyn	JR	17	47	21	.447	7. Terry Bonagura, LIU-Brooklyn	SR	12	86.0	20	4	0.33	7. Marta Rohn, LIU-Brooklyn	JR	26	5	0.19	7. Wagner	G	30	842	269	.319																
8. Mary McGrath, La Salle	SR	47	147	65	.442	8. Terry Carpenter, Fresno St.	JR	24	167.2	21	8	0.33	8. Leslie Silverman, Princeton	JR	32	6	0.19	8. UCLA	G	51	1370	432	.315																
9. Danielle Yearick, Manhattan	FR	36	116	51	.440	9. Colleen McCabe, Army	SR	30	173.1	22	10	0.40	9. Meg Thompson, Canisius	SR	29	5	0.17	9. St. Francis (N.Y.)	G	31	791	242	.306																
10. Marta Rohn, LIU-Brooklyn	JR	26	83	36	.434	10. Kim Mizek, Connecticut	JR	28	180.0	26	11	0.43	10. Tracy Schneider, LIU-Brooklyn	JR	26	4	0.15	10. Brown	G	41	982	299	.304																
11. Sheri Jernigan, N.C. Wilmington	JR	51	162	69	.426	11. Debby Day, Arizona	JR	36	220.1	25	15	0.48	11. Linda Mazzella, Fairfield	SR	28	4	0.14	11. Southwestern La.	G	41	1063	321	.302																
12. Leslie Silverman, Princeton	JR	32	94	40	.426	12. Dena Carter, Oklahoma St.	JR	17	101.0	12	7	0.49	12. Deena Chipp, Northern Iowa	SO	57	8	0.14	12. Coastal Caro.	G	59	1598	481	.301																
13. Yvonne Gutierrez, UCLA	JR	51	153	65	.425	13. Lisa Kemme, Winthrop	SR	28	179.2	50	13	0.51	13. Lisa Gilfoy, Northern Ill.	SR	43	6	0.14	13. Morehead St.	G	47	1268	380	.300																
14. Leslie Samson, Canisius	SO	29	106	45	.425	14. Karen McCormick, San Diego St.	FR	18	65.2	7	5	0.53	14. H. Robinson, Sam Houston St.	JR	58	8	0.14																						
15. Chris Anderson, Wagner	JR	28	99	42	.424	15. Susie Parra, Arizona	FR	17	104.2	13	8	0.54	15. Yvonne Gutierrez, UCLA	JR	51	7	0.14																						
16. Leigh Ross, Toledo	SR	41	149	63	.423	16. Missi Young, Texas A&M	SO	41	259.2	30	20	0.54	16. Lisa Paccione, Providence	SR	37	5	0.13																						
17. Colleen Holloway, Southern Ill.	SO	34	105	44	.419	17. Melanie Roche, Oklahoma St.	SO	14	89.1	9	7	0.55	17. Barb Marean, Massachusetts	SR	38	5	0.13																						
18. Michelle Minton, Coastal Caro.	JR	38	125	52	.419	18. Angie Mick, Southern Ill.	SO	22	113.1	20	9	0.56	17. Donna Forman, Oklahoma St.	SR	38	5	0.13																						
19. Ashley Kille, Massachusetts	JR	38	125	52	.419	19. Lari McFarland, Iowa	JR	26	148.0	28	12	0.57	19. Lori Tubbs, Western Ill.	JR	38	5	0.13																						
20. Meredith Jennings, Boston U.	JR	40	111	46	.414	20. L. Harrigan, Nevada-Las Vegas	SO	31	231.1	19	5	0.57	20. Kim Papowski, South Caro.	SR	64	8	0.13																						
21. Cheryl Venorsky, Southern Ill.	JR	34	102	42	.412	21. Toni Gutierrez, Florida St.	SO	27	168.2	21	14	0.58	20. Kim Manning, Oregon	JR	48	6	0.13																						
21. Janice Davidson, LIU-Brooklyn	JR	27	85	35	.412	22. Heather Haley, Stephen F. Austin	JR	27	163.0	23	14	0.60	20. Cathy Fronheiser, Furman	FR	40	5	0.13																						
23. Julie Dorcia, San Diego	JR	36	107	44	.411	23. Paige Lauby, North Caro.	FR	19	103.2	17	9	0.61																											
24. Shelby Marshall, Brown	SO	34	78	32	.410	24. Kim Smith, Nevada-Las Vegas	JR	27	183.2	29	16	0.61																											
25. Robin Smith, Illinois St.	SO	48	162	66	.407	25. Michelle Corrigan, Canisius	FR	17	88.0	24	8	0.64																											
26. Pauline Maurice, Kent	SR	33	104	42	.404	25. Shelly Sack, Kansas	JR	14	77.0	8	7	0.64																											
27. Julie Sexton, Northern Ill.	SR	36	107	43	.402	27. Tiffany Boyd, Cal St. Fullerton	SO	40	249.2	40	23	0.64																											
28. Kerri Tanksley, Ill.-Chicago	FR	41	132	53	.402	28. Stephani Williams, Kansas	FR	29	171.0	25	16	0.65																											
29. Pam Stanley, Central Mich	JR	49	162	65	.401	29. Robin Bumpus, Minnesota	JR	28	114	27	11	0.67																											
30. Brenda Paszkiewicz, Missouri	SR	43	120	48	.400	30. Lesley Renninger, LIU-Brooklyn	SO	10	68.0	16	7	0.72																											
30. Sheila Ulrich, St. Peter's	SR	25	70	28	.400	31. Marcie Green, Fresno St.	SO	25	165.0	19	17	0.72																											
32. Tiff Toote, South Caro	SO	64	206	82	.398	32. Chrissy Oliver, Oklahoma St.	SO	11	66.1	12	7	0.74																											
33. Gabi Reichner, LIU-Brooklyn	FR	27	78	31	.397																																		
34. Barb Gaines, Southwest Mo. St.	SO	44	151	60	.397																																		
35. Doree Steamer, Southwestern La.	JR	41	131	52	.397																																		
STOLEN BASES										STRIKEOUTS (PER SEVEN INNINGS)										RUNS BATTED IN																			
(Minimum 5 made)	CL	G	SB	SBA	AVG	(Minimum 35 innings)	CL	G	IP	SO	AVG	(Minimum 12)	CL	G	NO	AVG																							
1. Sheri Jernigan, N.C. Wilmington	JR	51	42	46	0.82	1. Michele Granger, California	SO	38	255.2	332	10.7	1. Danielle Yearick, Manhattan	JR	36	54	1.50																							
2. Christy Arterburn, Kansas	JR	47	38	41	0.81	2. De De Weiman, UCLA	SR	15	93.0	136	10.2	2. Michelle Tujague, Brooklyn	JR	17	23	1.35																							
3. Pam Stanley, Central Mich	JR	49	39	43	0.80	3. Lisa Moore, Princeton	FR	23	122.0	177	10.2	3. Tracy Schneider, LIU-Brooklyn	JR	35	135	1.34																							
4. Leigh Ross, Toledo	SR	41	32	35	0.78	4. Paige Lauby, North Caro.	FR	19	103.2	146	9.9	4. Meg Thompson, Canisius	SR	29	39	1.34																							
5. Diane Pohl, Iowa	JR	45	32	40	0.71	5. Kim Mizek, Connecticut	JR	28	180.0	223	8.7	5. Maria Rohn, LIU-Brooklyn	JR	26	34	1.31																							
6. Susan VanWilligan, Butler	FR	34	23		0.68	6. Karen Snelgrove, Missouri	JR	26	158.2	196	8.6	6. Stacey Morris, Wagner	SR	28	34	1.21																							
6. Sandy Stringham, Rider	FR	34	23	30	0.68	7. Christy Larsen, Florida St.	SR	35	226.1	266	8.2	7. Sue Hellman, Wagner	SO	30	36	1.20																							
8. Laura Crowder, East Caro.	JR	41	27	27	0.68	8. Heather Compton, UCLA	SO	19	127.0	149	8.2	8. Colleen Holloway, Southern Ill.	SO	34	35	1.03																							
9. Dorsey Steamer, Southwestern La.	JR	41	27	30	0.66	9. Chrissy Oliver, Oklahoma St.	SO	11	66.1	73	7.7	9. Meredith Jennings, Boston U.	JR	40	39	0.98																							
10. Jacqui Pitts, Detroit	SR	46	30	34	0.65	10. Melanie Roche, Oklahoma St.	SO	14	89.1	96	7.5	10. Amy Koski, Canisius	SO	28	27	0.96																							
11. Tami Hoover, Sam Houston St.	JR	58	37	40	0.64	11. Susie Parra, Arizona	FR	17	104.2	111	7.4	11. Leslie Silverman, Princeton	JR	32	30	0.94																							
12. Cathy Guerriero, Wagner	SR	29	18	19	0.62	12. Lisa Fernandez, UCLA	SO	21	134.0	135	7.1	12. Christy Byrd, South Fla.	JR	53	48	0.91																							
13. Lisa Fink, Bucknell	SO	34	21	25	0.62	13. Pam Walton, Cleveland St.	SR	12	81.2	82	7.0	13. Maureen Shea, Iona	JR	28	25	0.89																							
14. Trisha Fox, N.C. Charlotte	JR	49	29	34	0.59	14. Veronica Wilson, Western Ill.	SO	13	75.1	75	7.0	13. Deb DiMeglio, Utah	FR	28	25	0.89																							
15. Kim McDowell, Pacific	FR	51	30	36	0.59	15. Missi Young, Texas A&M	SO	41	259.2	258	7.0	13. Charmelle Green, Utah	SR	28	25	0.89																							
MOST SAVES										MOST VICTORIES										DOUBLES																			
	CL	G	IP	ERA	SV		CL	G	IP	W	L	PCT		CL	G	NO	AVG																						
1. Michelle Hall, Coastal Caro.	SO	53	315.2	0.86	5	1. Missi Young, Texas A&M	SO	41	259.2	35	5	0.875	(Minimum 4)	JR	37	15	0.405																						
1. Brenda Birby, Minnesota	JR	39	193.2	0.87	5	2. Michelle Hall, Coastal Caro.	SO	53	315.2	32	12	0.775	1. Michelle Fagnant, Holy Cross	SO	30	12	0.400																						
1. Heather Frey, Drexel	JR	39	211.0	0.83	5	3. Angie Lear, South Caro.	SR	40	237.0	31	8	0.795	2. Sue Hellman, Wagner	SR	33	13	0.39																						
4. Angie Mick, Southern Ill.	SO	22	113.1	0.84	4	4. Tiffany Boyd, Cal St. Fullerton	SO	40	249.2	30	5	0.857	3. Crystal Boyd, Holstra	FR	33	13	0.39																						
4. Karey James, Arizona St.	JR	17	55.0	0.84	4	5. Christy Larsen, Florida St.	SR	35	226.1	27	5	0.844	5. Sue Hannon, Siena	SO	23	9	0.39																						
4. Andrea Nelson, Michigan	SR	26	117.0	1.56	4	5. Michele Granger, California	SO	38	255.2	27	8	0.771	5. Angela Prinos, Temple	FR	36	13	0.36																						
4. Andrea Huck, La Salle	JR	35	185.2	1.89	4	6. Debby Day, Arizona	JR	36	220.1	25	7	0.781	6. Lisa Paccione, Providence	SR	37	12	0.32																						
8. Karen Snelgrove, Missouri	JR	26	158.2	0.22	3	7. Heather Frey, Drexel	JR	39	211.0	25	10	0.714	7. Shelby Marshall, Brown	SO	34	11	0.32																						
8. Stephani Williams, Kansas	FR	29	171.0	0.65	3	9. Courtney Hankes, N.C.-Charlotte	SR	49	327.1	24	23	0.511	8. Lauren Prettitore, Iona	SO	28	9	0.32																						
8. Robin Bumpus, Minnesota	JR	28	114.1	0.67	3	10. Terry Carpenter, Fresno St.	JR	24	167.2	22	2	0.917	8. Maureen Shea, Iona	JR	28	9	0.32																						
8. Terri Carnicelli, Arizona St.	JR	23	109.2	0.89	3	8. Karen Jackson, Iowa	FR	30	170.2	22	2	0.917	20. Danielle Yearick, Manhattan	FR	36	11	0.31																						
8. Melissa Tyler, Sam Houston St.	JR	35	188.1	0.93	3	12. Kim Smith, Nevada-Las Vegas	FR	27	183.2	21	2	0.808																											
8. Sarah Maschka, Minnesota	SO	29	122.1	1.09	3	12. Tera Prosser, Robert Morris	FR	28	173.2	21	7	0.750																											
8. Carrie Collins, Ga. Southern	FR	27	159.1	1.89	3	12. Stephanie Smith, New Mexico	FR	34	202.2	21	9	0.700																											
8. Tammy Spidell, Akron	SO	32	227.1	2.16	3	15. Kyla Hall, Southwestern La.	SR	28	168.2	20	4	0.833																											
8. Mihio Sasamoto, Cal St. Fullerton	FR	11	36.2	2.29	3	15. Marcie Green, Fresno St.	SO	25	165.0	20	5	0.800																											
						15. L. Harrigan, Nevada-Las Vegas	JR	31	231.1	20	9	0.690																											
						15. Melissa Tyler, Sam Houston St.	JR	35	188.1	20	11	0.645																											
						15. Jenny Parsons, East Caro.	SO	33	208.2	20	13	0.606																											
TRIPLES										WON-LOSS PERCENTAGE																													
	CL	G	NO	AVG			CL	G	NO	AVG		CL	G	NO	AVG																								
(Minimum 3)	JR	25	8	0.32	1. Mary Ann Cloran, St. Peter's	SR	47	12	0.26	1. LIU-Brooklyn	W	L	T	PCT																									
2. Mary McGrath, La Salle	SR	47	12	0.26	2. Mary McGrath, La Salle	SR	47	12	0.26	2. UCLA	25	1	1	0.944																									
3. Tricia Papowski, South Caro.	SR	64	15	0.23	3. Tricia Papowski, South Caro.	SR	64	15	0.23	3. Southern Ill.	31	3	0	0.912																									
4. Tracy Schneider, LIU-Brooklyn	JR	26	6	0.23	4. Tracy Schneider, LIU-Brooklyn	JR	26	6	0.23	4. Fresno St.	48	8	0	0.845																									
5. Robin Smith, Illinois St.	SO	48	11	0.23	5. Robin Smith, Illinois St.	SO	48	11	0.23	5. Iowa	43	8	0	0.841																									
6. Christy Byrd, South Fla.	JR	53	12	0.23	6. Christy Byrd, South Fla.	JR	53	12	0.23																														

Baseball Statistics

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Men's Division II individual leaders

BATTING					
(2.5 ab/game and 40 at bats)	CL	G	AB	H	AVG
1 Sam Moore, Shaw	JR	23	59	31	.525
2 Dom Gatti, Adelphi	SO	23	90	47	.522
3 Dana LeVangie, American Int'l	SR	27	101	51	.505
4 Lee Stewart, Kutztown	SR	19	58	28	.483
5 Mike Motta, Bowie St.	FR	27	81	39	.481
6 Bobby Lango, Savannah St.	JR	25	82	39	.476
7 Don Dupuis, Stonehill	SO	25	65	30	.462
8 Mike Tucker, Longwood	SR	33	102	47	.461
9 Rick Collier, Delta St.	JR	35	118	54	.458
10 Mike Shepard, Denver	JR	40	137	62	.453
11 Mike Stevenson, Lewis	SR	41	146	66	.452
12 Matt Scheppers, Colorado Mines	SR	26	91	41	.451
13 Denton Higgins, Kentucky St.	SR	28	97	43	.443
14 Chris Kallagher, Emporia St.	JR	47	158	70	.443
15 Steve Erhart, North Dak.	JR	26	77	34	.442
16 Mike McCarter, Millersville	SR	32	93	41	.441
17 Andre Johnson, Norfolk St.	JR	36	132	58	.439
18 Todd Shylanski, Southeast Mo. St.	JR	36	132	58	.439
19 Brendon Peach, Metropolitan St.	JR	29	96	42	.438
20 Ron Cortez, Wayne St. (Mich.)	SR	20	64	28	.438
21 Peter Feeley, Lowell	JR	29	111	48	.432
22 Jeff Gyurina, Bloomsburg	SR	17	44	19	.432
23 Phil Stern, Concordia (N.Y.)	JR	19	51	22	.431
24 Jon Crow, South Dak. St.	JR	36	121	52	.430
25 Bryan McLain, West Ga.	JR	33	105	45	.429
26 Jack Knobloch, Stonehill	SR	29	96	41	.427
27 Diego Hernandez, Cameron	JR	42	143	61	.427
28 Bill Dobrosky, Shippensburg	JR	32	106	45	.425
29 Randy Belyue, Jacksonville St.	SR	36	118	50	.424
30 Norberto Erazo, Livingston	JR	42	137	58	.423
31 Darrell Conner, Cal St. Dom. Hills	SR	39	137	58	.423
32 Bob Farber, Cal Lutheran	JR	30	97	41	.423
33 Scott Bertrand, Lewis	SR	40	142	60	.423
34 Scott Schilling, Sacred Heart	SO	27	90	38	.422
35 Martin Costes, Bowie St.	SO	26	81	34	.420

STOLEN BASES					
(Minimum 12 made)	CL	G	SB	SBA	AVG
1 Tim Hogan, SIU Edwardsville	JR	36	34	38	0.94
2 Steve Wintermute, Northern Ky.	JR	36	33	42	0.92
3 Jed Breitbart, American Int'l	SR	21	18	21	0.86
4 Eric Shogren, Quincy	SR	33	28	31	0.85
5 Dave Wilkerson, Indianapolis	SR	35	28	30	0.80
6 Dom Gatti, Adelphi	SO	23	18	20	0.78
7 Jim Wintermute, Northern Ky.	JR	41	32	34	0.78
8 Doc Byers, Newberry	JR	30	23	25	0.77
9 Joey Baysinger, Central Mo. St.	JR	38	26	31	0.74
10 Kevin Goldsberry, Northern Colo.	JR	30	22	29	0.73
11 Tracy Lee, Troy St.	SR	46	33	39	0.72
12 Tommy Ashley, Washburn	SR	37	26	29	0.70
13 Jon Edwards, Central St. (Okla.)	JR	46	32	35	0.70
14 Dave Carey, Bryant	SO	21	14	20	0.67
15 Chris Eley, St. Paul's	SO	21	14	14	0.67

MOST SAVES					
	CL	G	IP	ERA	SV
1 Joe Renner, Northern Ky.	JR	16	32.2	1.93	10
2 Tom Beard, Grand Valley St.	JR	11	14.2	1.84	7
3 Kent Sullivan, North Ala.	SR	20	32.1	0.27	6
4 Bill Schmidt, Northwest St.	SR	15	40.0	1.58	6
5 Jim Cleave, Regis (Colo.)	SR	22	46.1	1.75	6
6 D. McCullough, Southwest Baptist	JR	16	26.1	3.46	6
7 Gary Selig, Central St. (Okla.)	SO	18	22.2	3.97	6
8 Jon Miarcecki, Assumption	FR	7	19.0	1.42	5
9 Todd Casper, Mo. Southern St.	SO	16	28.1	1.59	5
10 Vince Massey, Columbus	SR	16	22.0	3.27	5
11 Jim Foley, Mo. St. Louis	JR	13	23.0	3.52	5
12 Mike Lutz, Millersville	SO	13	45.1	3.68	5

EARNED-RUN AVERAGE					
(Minimum 25 innings)	CL	G	IP	R	ER
1 David Strain, Jacksonville St.	SR	12	57.0	18	6
2 Andy Bean, Bryant	SO	5	36.1	10	5
3 Rick Krivda, Calif. (Pa.)	JR	10	50.2	14	7
4 Jon Hland, Cal Poly SLO	JR	11	55.0	18	8
5 Jim Demler, Northern Ky.	SR	8	38.0	14	6
6 Todd Schmitt, Grand Valley St.	JR	8	43.1	9	7
7 Nick Sprovero, New Haven	SR	11	67.0	14	11
8 Rob Rossow, Ferris St.	SO	7	36.1	9	6
9 Jeff Spanswick, American Int'l	SR	7	48.0	11	8
10 Steve Davis, Lenoir-Rhyne	JR	12	63.2	21	11
11 Brian DuBois, Bentley	JR	4	27.0	6	5
12 Scott Johnson, Lowell	SR	8	63.2	16	12
13 Antonio Boone, Norfolk St.	SR	7	41.1	19	8
14 Jim Cleave, Regis (Colo.)	SR	22	46.1	14	9
15 Brian Hirschuk, Ferris St.	SR	6	30.2	12	6
16 Jon DeClue, Fla. Southern	SR	11	75.2	18	12
17 Kevin Peart, Shippensburg	JR	11	53.2	19	12
18 Jeff Locklear, Pembroke St.	SO	11	53.2	23	11
19 Jim Guidi, Lewis	SR	11	61.1	19	13
20 Dan Cherney, Cal Poly SLO	JR	12	92.1	35	20
21 Sam Gillen, Springfield	SR	6	32.0	12	7
22 Rusty Kea, Georgia Col.	JR	14	82.0	26	18
23 Mark Tranberg, Cal St. Dom. Hills	JR	13	95.1	30	21
24 John Jarvis, Southeast Mo. St.	JR	9	49.0	20	11
25 Corey Harper, Ky. Wesleyan	SR	8	52.0	16	12
26 Tim VanEmmond, Jacksonville St.	SR	11	64.1	22	15
27 Mike Clark, Cal Lutheran	SR	15	64.0	24	15
28 Jeff Faino, Florida Tech	JR	11	80.2	29	19
29 Jeff Letourneau, New Haven	SR	11	62.1	19	15
30 Cam Bullock, UC Davis	SO	16	61.0	20	15
31 Craig Holman, Jacksonville St.	SR	11	56.1	21	14
32 Gary Graham, Tampa	FR	12	83.0	28	21
33 Brad Frazier, Clarion	JR	7	39.1	15	10
34 Mike Johnson, Indiana (Pa.)	SR	5	35.0	17	9

STRIKEOUTS (PER NINE INNINGS)					
(Minimum 25 innings)	CL	G	IP	SO	AVG
1 Rick Krivda, Calif. (Pa.)	JR	10	50.2	72	12.8
2 Tracy Piehl, Oakland	JR	6	35.2	48	12.1
3 Mike Lutz, Millersville	SO	13	45.1	58	11.5
4 Brad Frazier, Clarion	JR	7	39.1	49	11.2
5 Rich Licursi, Sacred Heart	SR	11	58.2	72	11.0
6 Jason Sawin, Northwest Mo. St.	JR	9	32.2	40	11.0
7 John Star, Northern Colo.	JR	7	47.0	57	10.9
8 Tim VanEmmond, Jacksonville St.	SR	11	64.1	78	10.9
9 Craig Holman, Jacksonville St.	SR	11	56.1	68	10.9
10 Joel Bennett, East Stroudsburg	JR	8	49.1	59	10.8
11 Garvin Alston, Mercy	SO	9	34.0	40	10.6
12 Steve Kelliher, Wayne St. (Neb.)	SR	8	39.0	45	10.4
13 Kent Kelley, Northwest Mo. St.	JR	10	57.0	65	10.3
14 Lee Stenger, Shepherd	SO	10	43.0	49	10.3
15 Rick DeHart, Washburn	SR	12	72.0	80	10.0

MOST VICTORIES					
	CL	G	IP	W	L
1 Mike Holloway, Emporia St.	JR	11	59.2	11	0
2 Mark Tranberg, Cal St. Dom. Hills	JR	13	95.1	10	1
3 Rusty Kea, Georgia Col.	JR	14	82.0	10	2
4 Brad Teague, Delta St.	JR	17	86.2	10	4
5 Bryce Sellers, Cameron	SR	12	70.0	9	1
6 Jason Christiansen, Cameron	SR	12	78.0	9	1
7 Dennis Hale, Longwood	SR	15	81.3	9	1
8 Jeff Letourneau, New Haven	SR	11	62.1	8	1
9 Jim Costello, Cal St. Stanislaus	SR	13	75.1	8	1
10 Andy Dolson, Troy St.	JR	11	60.2	8	2
11 Ken Grubler, Mo. Southern St.	SR	13	69.0	8	2
12 Chad McLain, Wofford	SR	12	82.1	8	2
13 Jim Guidi, Lewis	SR	11	61.1	8	2
14 Chuck Pittman, Mo. Southern St.	JR	12	66.0	8	3
15 James Case, Delta St.	SO	16	75.2	8	3
16 Darren Dunn, Denver	SR	18	87.2	8	7

HOME RUNS					
(Minimum 6)	CL	G	NO	AVG	
1 Lee Amick, Wofford	JR	32	18	0.56	
2 John Heeter, Northern Ky.	SR	41	17	0.41	
3 Mike Tucker, Longwood	SR	33	13	0.39	
4 Todd Schreifeis, Central Mo. St.	JR	37	14	0.38	
5 Jim Cluck, Metropolitan St.	SR	31	11	0.35	
6 Matt Scheppers, Colorado Mines	JR	26	9	0.35	
7 Ozzie Timmons, Tampa	JR	38	13	0.34	
8 Kenn Blair, Lewis	SR	39	13	0.33	
9 Randy Ruff, Kearney St.	SR	21	7	0.33	
10 Jerod Hubbard, Wofford	SR	34	11	0.32	
11 Scott Bigbie, Elizabeth City St.	SR	22	7	0.32	
12 Alexis Leal, Barry	SR	36	11	0.31	
13 Merritt Bowden, Jacksonville St.	SR	36	11	0.31	
14 Tommy Hodge, S.C. Spartanburg	SR	33	10	0.30	
15 Scott Bertrand, Lewis	SR	40	12	0.30	
16 Dana LeVangie, American Int'l	SR	27	8	0.30	
17 Tracy Langer, South Dak. St.	JR	34	10	0.29	
18 Andre Johnson, Norfolk St.	JR	36	10	0.28	
19 Al Probst, Mansfield	SO	29	8	0.28	
20 Kevin Kobeltisch, Concordia (N.Y.)	JR	23	6	0.26	

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(Minimum 20)	CL	G	NO	AVG
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1 Dana LeVangie, American Int'l	SR	27	49	1.81
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2 Kenn Blair, Lewis	SR	39	63	1.62
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3 Stanley Jones, S.C. Spartanburg	SR	34	51	1.50
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4 Scott Bigbie, Elizabeth City St.	SR	22	33	1.50
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5 Jim Cluck, Metropolitan St.	SR	31	46	1.48
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6 Al Probst, Mansfield	SO	29	43	1.48
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7 Rob Tranquillo, Kutztown	SR	19	28	1.47
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8 Scott Rhodes, Shippensburg	JR	23	33	1.43
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9 Dom Gatti, Adelphi	JR	37	52	1.41
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10 Todd Schreifeis, Central Mo. St.	SR	41	57	1.39
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11 John Heeter, Northern Ky.	SR	41	57	1.39
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12 Steve Kulpa, Quinnipiac	SO	26	36	1.38
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13 Eric Hutzler, Longwood	SR	33	45	1.36
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14 Mike Tucker, Longwood	SO	33	45	1.36
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15 Tim Burrows, New Haven	SO	20	27	1.35
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16 Merritt Bowden, Jacksonville St.	SR	36	48	1.33
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17 Randy Ruff, Kearney St.	SR	21	28	1.33
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1 Rich Dervanik, Edinboro	SR	26	14	0.54
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2 Mike Stevenson, Lewis	SR	41	21	0.51
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3 Mark Saugstad, UC Riverside	JR	43	21	0.49
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4 Benny Shackelford, Southern Ind.	JR	41	20	0.49
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5 Albert Carrara, Sacred Heart	JR	27	13	0.48
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6 Dan Van Vuren, Cal St. Stanislaus	SR	38	18	0.47
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7 Todd Shylanski, Southeast Mo. St.	JR	36	17	0.47
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8 Bob Gryshak, Bloomsburg	SR	17	8	0.47
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9 Ron Royster, Quinnipiac	SO	26	12	0.46
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10 Derek Munson, Shepherd	SO	26	12	0.46
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11 Tim Burrows, New Haven	SO	20	9	0.45
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12 Mike Motta, Bowie St.	FR	27	12	0.44
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1 Denton Higgins, Kentucky St.	JR	28	10	0.36
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2 Richard Thomas, Bowie St.	JR	27	7	0.26
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3 Peter Feeley, Lowell	JR	29	6	0.21
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4 Steve Flanagan, Calif. (Pa.)	SR	26	5	0.19
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5 Jeff Jones, Southwest Baptist	SR	42	8	0.19
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6 Abdr Nelson, Elizabeth City St.	JR	22	4	0.18
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7 Dom Gatti, Adelphi



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About the rules

Members of the Association's Men's and Women's Basketball Rules Committees convened April 28 in Kansas City, Missouri, for the first-ever joint meeting of the two groups. A full report on the meeting and on changes to

the men's and women's playing rules will appear in the May 8, 1991, issue of The NCAA News.

National basketball scoring averages increase

By James M. Van Valkenburg
NCAA Director of Statistics

For the first time, national scoring is up both from two-point and three-point range in Division I men's basketball. As a result, scoring in 1991 reached a 16-year high of 152.9 points per game (both teams combined).

The scoring figure is the sixth highest in history and highest since 153.1 in 1975. The record scoring high is 155.4 in 1971.

The late Edward S. Steitz, long-time secretary-rules editor of the NCAA Men's Basketball Rules Committee and father of the three-point shot, would have loved this year's national-trends figures.

Steitz was convinced the three-pointer would enhance the role of the smaller outside shooter, open up the inside game and eventually produce more scoring, both from two-point and three-point range. In 1991, the fifth year of the universal use of the three-pointer (only experimental use in certain conferences was allowed before that), all of that happened for the first time.

National scoring jumped in 1991 by 3.1 points per game to 152.9 points per game.

Scoring via three-pointers increased by 1.7 points per game, and the remaining 1.4 of the increase came almost equally from two-point shots made and free throws made.

The 45-second clock became universal for the 1986 season, a year earlier than the three-pointer. Experiments had become more widespread after 1982 season scoring plunged to a 30-year low of 135.1. Zone defenses and slowdown games were up.

Three-pointer changes things

National scoring went up 6.8 points to 145.5 in 1987, the first year of universal three-point use, but it was impossible to determine how

much of that was caused by the three-pointer because most of country did not use it in 1986. In 1988, three-point scoring went up by 2.6 points per game, more than offsetting a decline in two-point scoring to produce a national increase of 2.3 to 147.8.

In 1989, national scoring jumped 3.6 points to 151.4, as three-point scoring jumped almost 2.8 points and free-throw scoring went up 0.9 points, offsetting a tiny drop in two-point scoring.

It was a little different in 1990, as national scoring fell to 149.8 per game, even though three-point scoring and free-throw scoring both increased. That was not enough to overcome a major decrease in two-point scoring.

The 1991 season, as mentioned, brought an increase in two-point scoring for the first time. Field-goal

1990, 37.6 in 1989, 38.2 in 1988 and 38.4 in 1987, first year of universal use. Coaches are permitting more players to shoot it, but also are doing a better job of defending it while it becomes a bigger part of the game.

How big a part? In the first year, one of every 6.4 shots was a three-point. In 1991, it was one of every 4.4 shots. Scoring via three pointers has gone from 21 points per game in the first year to 29.9 in 1991. It represented 14.4 percent of all scoring in its first year of use; in 1991, that figure was 19.6 percent.

The three-pointer is popular with fans and players, proponents say, and may be a factor in recent national-attendance increases.

But has it become too big a part and, thus, should the line be moved back nine inches from its current 19-9? The answers to those questions

field-goal accuracy from all distances fell to 45.8 percent—lowest since 45.4 back in 1974.

Free-throw accuracy (where the record high is 69.7 percent in 1979) fell to 68.5 (from 68.9)—same as in 1983; these two are lowest since 68.4 in 1974.

Conference leaders

The perennial scoring leader among conferences, the Big Eight, fell to second place behind the Southwestern Athletic, 86.57 to 83.65, with the Atlantic Coast third at 82.35 points per team per game for all games (conference and nonconference). Four other conferences topped 80.

However, the Big Eight led the nation in field-goal accuracy at 48.54 per cent, while the Southwestern ranked next-to-last at 44.22 (and took the most shots per game of any conference—72.87 per game).

The Pacific-10 was second in accuracy at 48.42, edging the Big Ten's 48.35, with the Atlantic Coast next at 48.04. In three-point accuracy, it is the Big Ten, 38.82 to 38.59, over the second-place Northeast, with the Ivy Group's 38.47 percent third.

Women's three-pointers soar

Use of the three-point shot has nearly doubled in four years in Division I women's basketball, and in 1991 that resulted in a record-high scoring figure of 140.9 points per game (both teams combined).

The former record was 139.4 in 1984—first year women's trends were compiled. The increase is 2.8 points per game over the 1990 figure of 138.1.

Virtually all of the increase is due to the three-point. Scoring went up 3.1 points via that method, and free throws made increased 0.3 points, more than offsetting a drop in two-point scoring.

Use of the three-pointer is increasing at a much faster pace in

women's basketball compared to men's. But like the men, three-point accuracy reached a record low in the 1991 season (32.6 percent vs. 33.6 the first year).

In 1991, three-pointers made soared to 5.42 per game (in 16.61 attempts) compared to just 3.03 in 9.02 in 1988, the first season of universal use. In 1989, it was 3.71 in 10.89 and in 1990, 4.39 in 13.22.

A different game

As detailed above, there are some similarities to the men, but the women's game is different. It is more of a finesse game (like oldtimers remember the men's game) because it is not played above the rim. Teamwork and execution are the thing, not in-your-face leaping and power.

Also, the women's game always has had a 30-second clock, thus more field-goal attempts than the men, through the period women's figures have been kept.

Shooting accuracy is close to the men's figures, and even closer when you remember the men's numbers include dunks. The 1991 season, for instance, produced record 67.2 free-throw accuracy, breaking the 67.1 set in 1989. Two-point accuracy edged up to 43.5 percent (from 43.4), but because of more three-pointers, accuracy of all field goals fell to a record low of 42.1 (the same thing happened in the men's game this year).

Conference leaders

Among conferences, the Atlantic Coast ranks first in both scoring at 78.81 per team per game for all games, conference and nonconference, and in field goal accuracy at 46.68 percent, with the Southeastern second in both categories at 76.01 and 45.36, respectively. In three-point accuracy, the SEC leads, 36.36 percent, with the Sun Belt second at 36.07.

Basketball trends

attempts from all ranges reached 121.3 per game, highest since 1979 and well above the all-time low of 111.2 in 1982.

Use up, accuracy down

While use of the three-point shot has gone up every year, three-point accuracy has gone down every year. Defenses are devoting more attention to the three-point shooter, leading to more scoring inside the three-point arc.

The men's rules committee at this writing is discussing whether to move the three-point line back nine inches to the international distance of 21 feet, six inches. A year ago, the committee looked at the declining-accuracy figure and decided not to move it.

This year's three-point accuracy figure is 36.1 percent. It was 36.7 in

(and others on the agenda) will be known after the rules committee adjourns May 1.

The women's rules committee met jointly with the men's for the first time. Women's trends are somewhat similar. More about that later.

Successful three-pointers have gone from exactly seven made per game (in 18.25 attempts) the first year to almost 10 in 1991 (to be exact, 9.98 in 27.64 per game, both teams combined). In 1988, it was 7.97 made in 20.84 attempts; in 1989, 8.87 in 23.60, and in 1990, 9.42 in 25.67.

Use of the wide-channel ball was optional this season, but it made little difference. Two-point accuracy was up a tiny bit to 48.7 percent (from 48.6), but when the drop in three-point accuracy is included,

NCAA Record

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICERS

Edwin G. Blue promoted from executive vice-president to president at Asbury, succeeding **Dennis F. Kinlaw**, who becomes the school's chancellor. **Judith E. N. Albino** selected for the presidency at Colorado. She has been vice-president for academic affairs and research and dean of the system graduate school at Colorado. **David W. Fraser**, who is leaving the presidency of Swarthmore, will become head of the social welfare department of the Secretariat of His Highness the Aga Khan in France, effective September 1.

DIRECTORS OF ATHLETICS

William D. McHenry, director of physical education and former AD at Washington and Lee, selected as director of physical education, athletics and recreation at Wooster, effective July 1. McHenry, who directed intercollegiate athletics at Washington and Lee from 1971 to 1989, also has served as AD and head football and men's lacrosse coach at Lebanon Valley. He is a former chair of the NCAA Division III Football Committee and Committee on Competitive Safeguards and Medical Aspects of Sports. **Don Charlton** stepped down as AD at Hiram, effective July 1, to devote more time to his duties as the school's head football coach. The eight-year football coach became AD in 1989.

COACHES

Baseball—**Ron Polk** announced he will remain at Mississippi State as head coach, rather than become executive director of the American Baseball Coaches Association in September. Polk, who is in his 16th season at Mississippi State, said he made the decision based on his desire to remain in coaching and his belief that he still can promote ABCA interests without moving to the organization. **Wayne Graham** selected at Rice after leading San Jacinto College North of Texas to five of the past six National Junior College Athletic Association baseball titles. The former high-school coach has been at San Jacinto since 1981.

Men's basketball—**Mike Bernard** appointed at Norfolk State after six years as head coach at North Carolina Central, where he coached his teams to a 115-57 record and led his 1988-89 team to the Division II title. Before moving to North Carolina Central, Bernard was an assistant for eight years at Norfolk State. He also was a player and assistant coach at Kentucky State. Former UC Santa Barbara assistant **Reginald Morris** selected at Cal State San Bernardino. He has been head coach at Los Angeles City College for the past three seasons, where two of his teams won Southern California Conference titles, and he also has coached at Compton College and Manual Arts High School of Los Angeles, which he led to a state championship in 1988. **Frank Dobbs** named at Brown after three years as an aide at Boston College. The former Villanova player also has been on the staff at Dartmouth.

Women's basketball—**Jeff Dow** named at Texas A&I, where he was interim head coach for most of the past season. He began the season as the school's first full-time assistant for women's basketball, after serving as a graduate assistant coach at Oregon. **Sandy Schuster** appointed at Eureka, where she also will assist with women's softball. She steps in temporarily for **Nancy LaCursia**, who is taking a two-year sabbatical leave to pursue a doctorate after nine years at Eureka. Schuster previously was a graduate assistant coach at Northern Illinois. **Cindy J. McKnight** selected at Hiram, where she also will be head women's softball coach, effective July 1. McKnight previously was assistant athletics director and head women's basketball and softball coach at Urbana, where her basketball teams were 53-54 through four seasons.

Football assistants **Lenny Vanden Bos** appointed defensive backs coach at Western Kentucky, which also announced that **Willie Berrios** and **Ron Fishback** will serve as graduate assistant coaches. Vanden Bos previously was defensive coordinator for three seasons at Albion, while Berrios is a former defensive back at Western Michigan and Fishback is a former Western Kentucky four-sport athlete who coached most recently at Gateway High School in Kissimmee, Florida. **Mark Weber** hired as defensive line coach at Missouri Western State. He previously was offensive line coach at Oregon State for three years and also has



Wooster appointed William D. McHenry as athletics director



Mike Bernard named for Norfolk State men's basketball



Jeff Dow selected for Texas A&I women's basketball

been on the staffs at Snow College, Eastern New Mexico and West Texas State. **John L. Felix Jr.** named linebackers coach at Lebanon Valley. He is a former football assistant at Donegal High School in Pennsylvania who continues to serve as a junior high wrestling coach in that school district.

Men's soccer—**Rob Russo** hired at South Carolina-Spartanburg, effective July 1, after nine seasons as head coach at Gannon. Russo, whose last two Gannon teams were Division II semifinalists and whose 1985 and 1986 teams were national runners-up, coached his teams at the school to a 133-37-9 record. He replaces **David Linenberger**, who will become an assistant at Fresno State this summer. **Daniel J. Shepardson** appointed at Norwich, where he was team captain while a student at the school during the mid-1970s. For the past seven years, he has been head boys' coach at Northfield (Vermont) High School, where his teams were 83-25-7 and won state titles the past four consecutive years. Shepardson replaces Bruce Jennings, who remains at Norwich as a faculty member and head ski coach. **Lindsey Dean** resigned after two seasons at Holy Cross to devote more time to his duties as sports director for WTAG Radio in Worcester, Massachusetts. Dean's teams posted a 7-24-1 record.

Women's softball—**Cindy J. McKnight** named at Hiram, where she also will be head women's basketball coach. McKnight previously was assistant athletics director and head women's basketball coach at Urbana, in addition to coaching women's softball three seasons.

Women's softball assistant—**Sandy Schuster** appointed at Eureka, where she also will serve temporarily as head women's basketball coach.

Wrestling **Randall Bogar** promoted from assistant at Susquehanna, where he has been on the staff for two years. He replaces **Charles Kunes**, who retired with a 160-161-7 dual-meet mark after 25 years. Kunes coached five individual conference champions and five Division III all-America wrestlers.

STAFF

Counseling coordinator—**Glynda Persons** hired at Jacksonville after working as an educator and counselor in New Jersey for the past three years.

Sports information assistant **Tom McClellan** promoted from assistant to associate SID at Georgia Southern, where he has been on the staff since 1988.

ASSOCIATIONS

Ron Polk, who recently announced he would become executive director of the American Baseball Coaches Association in September, decided to remain at Mississippi State as head baseball coach.

CORRECTIONS

Due to incomplete information provided to The NCAA News as the result of a clerical error, the Kenyon women's cross country team was left off a list of Division III teams in the April 10 issue of the News that were honored by the Division III Cross Country Coaches Association for achieving a combined grade-point average of at least 3.000 (4.000 scale) during the fall 1990 term. The Kenyon team, one of 29 women's teams honored, recorded a 3.260 GPA for the term.

Due to an editor's error, a story in the April 17 issue of The NCAA News regarding distribution of revenues from the Division I Men's Basketball Championship did not list a \$258,621 distribution to the East Coast Conference.

Due to an editor's error, the name of the 1991 Division II women's free-throw champion was misspelled in a caption accompanying a photograph in the Basketball Notes section of the April 24 issue of The NCAA News. Kerri Lang of St.

Anselm won the statistical title.

POLLS

Division I Baseball

The Collegiate Baseball top 30 NCAA Division I baseball teams through April 29, with records in parentheses and points:

1. Wichita St. (47-10).....	492
2. Southern Cal (41-12-1).....	491
3. Florida St. (41-9).....	490
4. Miami (Fla.) (39-12).....	486
5. Pepperdine (34-8-1).....	484
6. Clemson (44-7).....	480
7. Hawaii (40-10).....	470
8. Texas A&M (40-17).....	465
9. Fresno St. (33-15).....	462
10. Texas (41-15).....	458
11. Louisiana St. (39-15).....	457
12. Missouri (34-10).....	453
13. Stanford (31-16).....	452
14. Long Beach St. (35-16).....	448
15. Maine (33-13).....	446
16. Florida (35-17).....	443
17. Notre Dame (32-13).....	439
18. Baylor (38-13).....	434
19. Ohio St. (39-9).....	430
20. Oklahoma St. (31-17).....	427
21. Tulane (35-14).....	426
22. Cal St. Northridge (34-14-1).....	425
23. Arkansas (37-19).....	420
24. Oklahoma (35-15).....	419
25. Georgia Tech (31-18).....	416
26. Alabama (35-12).....	411
27. Southwestern La. (39-14).....	409
28. Cal St. Fullerton (27-20).....	402
29. South Ala. (33-13).....	400
30. St. John's (N.Y.) (27-9).....	396

Division II Baseball

The Collegiate Baseball top 30 NCAA Division II baseball teams through April 29, with records in parentheses and points:

1. Fla. Southern (35-8-1).....	478
2. Delta St. (28-10).....	464
3. Troy St. (34-14).....	442
4. Tampa (29-13).....	426
5. Jacksonville St. (32-8).....	406
6. Mo. Southern St. (42-11).....	392
7. UC Riverside (26-19-1).....	384
8. Armstrong St. (28-16).....	380
9. SIU-Edwardsville (32-9).....	338
10. Lowell (26-8).....	334
11. North Ala. (28-13).....	330
12. Cal Poly Pomona (23-24).....	318
13. New Haven (22-4).....	294
14. Cal Poly SLO (21-19).....	268
15. Livingston (32-13-1).....	212
16. Shippensburg (23-14).....	210
17. Lewis (26-19).....	208
18. Sonoma St. (27-11-1).....	208
19. S.C. Spartanburg (28-12).....	204
20. Florida Tech (25-14).....	200
21. Sacred Heart (23-10).....	144
22. Regis (Colo.) (31-16).....	140
23. Mercyhurst (24-10).....	118
24. Cal St. Stanislaus (30-14).....	116
25. Mankato St. (16-10-2).....	90
26. St. Joseph's (Ind.) (23-21-1).....	80
27. Adelphi (19-10).....	42
28. Norfolk St. (29-12).....	36
29. Southeast Mo. St. (21-17).....	34
30. Cal St. Dom. Hills (24-19-1).....	30

Division III Baseball

The Collegiate Baseball top 25 NCAA Division III baseball teams through April 22, with records:

1. Marietta, 24-4; 2. North Carolina Wesleyan, 26-5; 3. Brandeis, 19-5; 4. Elizabethtown, 21-5-1; 5. Cal State San Bernardino, 18-7; 6. Aurora, 16-6-1; 7. Methodist, 22-11; 8. Trenton State, 20-7; 9. Southern Maine, 17-5; 10. Wittenberg, 20-9; 11. Western Connecticut State, 25-2; 12. Amherst, 14-4; 13. Illinois Benedictine, 17-5; 14. Ohio Wesleyan, 19-9; 15. Redlands, 17-15; 16. Ithaca, 15-8-1; 17. Simpson, 19-2; 18. DePauw, 19-6; 19. Mary Washington, 23-6; 20. Bridgewater State (Massachusetts), 18-6; 21. Wisconsin-Whitewater, 13-7; 22. St. Lawrence, 14-5-1; 23. Glassboro State, 15-10-2; 24. Carleton, 16-5; 25. Staten Island, 17-3.

Division I Men's Golf

The top 20 NCAA Division I men's golf teams as selected by the Golf Coaches Association of America through April 18, with points:

1. Arizona State, 180; 2. North Carolina, 169; 3. Arizona, 154; 4. Oklahoma State, 151; 5. Nevada-Las Vegas, 144; 6. Texas, 138; 7. Southern California, 118; 8. (tie) Clemson, UT-P and Louisiana State, 113; 11. Central Florida, 88; 12. Georgia Tech, 82; 13. Florida, 71; 14. Ohio State, 57; 15. Fresno State, 47; 16. Tulsa, 44; 17. Texas Christian, 39; 18. Nevada-Reno, 29; 19. Kent, 19; 20. South Carolina, 17.

Division II Men's Golf

The top 20 NCAA Division II men's golf

teams as listed by the Golf Coaches Association of America through April 15:

1. Abilene Christian, 2. Jacksonville State, 3. Florida Southern, 4. Cal State Stanislaus, 5. Southern Illinois-Edwardsville, 6. Troy State, 7. Indiana (Pennsylvania), 8. Bryant, 9. Columbus, 10. Cameron, 11. (tie) Slippery Rock and Wofford, 13. Cal State Sacramento, 14. Indianapolis, 15. Florida Atlantic, 16. Houston Baptist, 17. Rollins, 18. UC Davis, 19. South Carolina-Spartanburg, 20. (tie) Tennessee-Martin and Southwest Baptist.

Division III Men's Golf

The top 20 NCAA Division III men's golf teams as listed by the Golf Coaches Association of America through April 17:

1. Methodist, 2. Cal State San Bernardino, 3. Ohio Wesleyan, 4. Gustavus Adolphus, 5. Skidmore, 6. Allegheny, 7. Salem State, 8. Washington and Lee, 9. Rochester, 10. Wooster, 11. Nebraska Wesleyan, 12. Wittenberg, 13. Ramapo, 14. Christopher Newport, 15. Millikin, 16. UC San Diego, 17. Redlands, 18. Greensboro, 19. Knox, 20. (tie) Kenyon and Trenton State.

Men's and Women's Rifle

The final top 20 NCAA men's and women's rifle teams as listed by the Collegiate Rifle Coaches Association:

1. West Virginia, 2. Alaska-Fairbanks, 3. Ohio State, 4. Canisius, 5. Murray State, 6. St. John's (New York), 7. UTEP, 8. Tennessee Tech, 9. Army, 10. Navy, 11. Air Force, 12. King's (Pennsylvania), 13. Jacksonville State, 14. Kentucky, 15. Texas A&M, 16. Xavier (Ohio), 17. Clarkson, 18. Tennessee-Martin, 19. DePaul, 20. Virginia Military.

Division III Women's Softball

The top 20 NCAA Division III women's softball teams through April 24, with records in parentheses and points:

1. Trenton St. (28-2).....	125
2. Central (Iowa) (31-5).....	120
3. Muskingum (18-6).....	115
4. Wm. Paterson (21-8).....	110
5. Eastern Conn. St. (17-10).....	103
6. Aurora (27-2).....	101
7. Mount Union (27-5).....	94

Sponsorship errors noted

The 1991 NCAA Spring Sports Sponsorship Supplement excluded several institutions that sponsor mixed teams in spring sports.

The following institutions were omitted for golf, and should be listed in the accompanying divisions and districts in the men's listing with a 14 code: Butler University, Division I, District 4; Fort Hays State University, Division II, District 5; Bates College, Division III, District 1; Bowdoin College, Division III, District 1; Colby College, Division III, District 1; Salve Regina College, Division III, District 1; Cabrini College, Division III, District 2; Western Maryland College, Division III, District 3; St. Norbert College, Division III, District 4; Eureka College, Division III, District 5; Claremont McKenna-Harvey Mudd-Scripps Colleges, Division III, District 8, and Occidental College, Division III, District 8.

The following schools were listed incorrectly as men's or women's

Steroid-education workshop slated

A workshop designed to help schools develop conditioning programs that deter the use of anabolic steroids will be offered June 21 in St. Louis by the National Strength and Conditioning Association.

Made possible by a grant from the NCAA, the steroid-education workshop is the first offering in a program intended to establish a "primary-contact individual" (PCI) at every collegiate institution who possesses the knowledge and skill to combat steroid use through conditioning.

Admission to the June workshop, which will be presented in conjunction with the NSCA's annual convention, is limited to collegiate strength and conditioning professionals. Ten persons from each of three NCAA divisions—Divisions I, II and III—and an additional 10 specifically from Division I-AA institutions will be admitted. The

8. Ithaca (20-10).....	92
9. Wis.-Whitewater (24-11).....	83
10. St. Thomas (Minn.) (18-6).....	78
11. Bri'water (Mass.) (16-5).....	71
12. UC San Diego (15-16).....	69
13. Glassboro St. (16-11).....	68
14. Muhlenberg (18-5).....	57
15. Adrian (15-3).....	48
16. Luther (15-9).....	47
16. Kean (17-14).....	47
18. Salem St. (15-6).....	37
19. Millikin (19-5).....	36
20. Messiah (18-5).....	32

Division I Men's Tennis

The Volvo Tennis top 25 NCAA Division I men's tennis teams as ranked by computer average by the Intercollegiate Tennis Coaches Association through April 23:

1. Southern California, 18.44; 2. UCLA, 16.00; 3. Georgia, 13.67; 4. Louisiana State, 13.11; 5. Stanford, 11.65; 6. California, 11.24; 7. Pepperdine, 10.65; 8. Arizona State, 10.00; 9. Tennessee, 9.92; 10. Auburn, 9.14; 11. Kentucky, 8.82; 12. Texas Christian, 8.24; 13. Kansas, 7.47; 14. (tie) Florida and Harvard, 7.38; 16. Texas, 7.20; 17. UC Irvine, 7.18; 18. Miami (Florida), 7.09; 19. North Carolina, 7.00; 20. Notre Dame, 6.48; 21. South Carolina, 6.33; 22. Minnesota, 6.14; 23. Indiana, 5.80; 24. Fresno State, 5.75; 25. Alabama, 5.45.

Division I Women's Tennis

The Volvo Tennis top 25 NCAA Division I women's tennis teams as selected by the Intercollegiate Tennis Coaches Association through April 23, with points:

1. Florida, 150; 2. Stanford, 144; 3. Georgia, 138; 4. UCLA, 130; 5. Pepperdine, 126; 6. Duke, 118; 7. Texas, 113; 8. Arizona, 107; 9. Oklahoma State, 102; 10. Arizona State, 97; 11. California, 95; 12. Brigham Young, 84; 13. Tennessee, 77; 14. Miami (Florida), 65; 15. San Diego, 63; 16. (tie) William and Mary and San Diego State, 61; 18. Indiana, 52; 19. (tie) Kentucky and Wisconsin, 39; 21. Utah, 27; 22. Clemson, 21; 23. Notre Dame, 15; 24. Northwestern, 14; 25. (tie) South Carolina, Louisiana State and Texas Christian, 12.

teams only and should be included in Division III in District 2 in the men's listing with a 14 code: State University of New York, Binghamton, and Franklin and Marshall College. Bethany College (West Virginia) should be included in Division III in District 3 with a 14 code.

The following institutions were omitted for tennis and should be listed in the accompanying divisions and districts in the men's listing with a 14 code: Albany State College (Georgia), Division II, District 3; Elizabeth City State University, Division II, District 3; New England College, Division III, District 1, and Lincoln University (Pennsylvania), Division III, District 2.

The following institutions were omitted for outdoor track and should be listed in the accompanying divisions and districts in the men's listing with a 14 code: Niagara University, Division I, District 2, and Cabrini College, Division III, District 2.

registration deadline is May 15.

At the workshop, information will be provided on the properties of anabolic drugs, physiological and psychological effects attributable to their use, and the latest drug-testing procedures.

The importance of the periodic athlete-performance evaluation and its role in identifying steroid users will be stressed at the workshop.

There is no charge to attend the workshop, and a certificate of completion will be awarded at its conclusion.

The workshop will run from 1 to 5 p.m. June 21 at the Clarion Hotel in St. Louis.

Interested strength and conditioning personnel can register by writing to PCI Workshop, National Strength and Conditioning Association, P.O. Box 81410, Lincoln, Nebraska 68501, or by calling 402/472-3000 (FAX 402/476-6976).

Close game expected in NCAA women's lacrosse final

If the regular season is any indication, the margin of victory in this year's National Collegiate Women's Lacrosse Championship will be mighty slim.

This year, the top teams have been taking each other to the wire. Penn State recorded victories over Virginia and Maryland, but the scores were 10-9 and 7-6, respectively. Lafayette turned the tables on the Lions, posting a 9-8 win. Virginia topped Maryland, 6-5.

"It's anybody's year, which makes it really exciting for us," Lafayette coach Ann Gold said.

Penn State and Maryland are former champions, and Maryland was the runner-up to Harvard a year ago in a one-goal decision. Virginia has played in the semifinals twice, losing to the eventual champion both times. Lafayette played in the semifinals in 1988.

Penn State is dominated by seniors, and two of the top scorers have been key figures in championship competition. Through 15 games, Megan Smith had 25 goals and 26 assists. The last time Penn State

won the title, Smith scored the decisive goal. Mary Ann Foley has returned from a knee injury suffered last year. She had 23 goals and 16 assists through 15 games. She has been on Penn State teams that won



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two titles and finished second once. She has scored eight goals in tournament competition and has been among the top-10 scorers twice. Deanna Blood had contributed 21 goals and seven assists through 15 games.

At the other end of the field, senior Kay Young has been a stand-out in goal. She had a .563 save percentage in 14 games. She made 11 stops in the one-goal win over Virginia and had 15 saves in a 9-6 victory over William and Mary.

Through 14 games, Virginia had three players who had scored more

than 20 goals. Jenny Slingluff had 26 goals and 14 assists. Cynthia Mathes had scored 29 goals and Elaine Jones had 22 goals. Both had nine assists. Heather Christman has been a key figure in goal. She had 68 saves and had allowed an average of 3.4 goals through 14 games.

"The key to our team is balance," Gold said of her Lafayette squad. "We are very solid in every position."

Liz Bagley had 39 goals and seven assists through 14 games, and Tara Warrington had 32 and 13, respectively. Emily Bristol had 24 goals and 12 assists. Goalkeeper Emily Tomlin had a save percentage of .613.

"We have to continue to play as a team," Gold said. "We have to keep working as a unit, have poise and play with hustle and determination. We have to do it together."

Coach Cindy Timchal is in her first season at Maryland. She inherited some players from last year's national runner-up team, but others have had to step to the forefront this year.

Championship Profile

Event: National Collegiate women's lacrosse.

Field: The field consists of six teams, all selected at large.

Automatic qualification: None.

Defending champion: Harvard defeated Maryland, 8-7.

Schedule: First-round games will be played May 11 at on-campus sites. The semifinals and final will be played May 18 and 19 at Trenton State College.

The NCAA News coverage: Scores and pairings will be published May 15. Results will appear May 22.

Contenders: Virginia, Penn State, Lafayette, Maryland.

Championship notes: Penn State and Temple have the most tournament appearances with eight. Penn State, Temple and Maryland all have reached the title game four times. Penn State and Temple have won the championship twice, Maryland once. Since 1986, the previous year's runner-up has been the champion. The record for most points in the tournament is 20, set by Karen Emas of Delaware in 1984. She also holds the record for most goals with 17 that same year.

"We have a combination of experienced players and inexperienced players," Timchal said. "We had some gaps to fill. We are playing very well."

Through 12 games, Leigh Frendberg had 35 goals and six assists. Michele Uhlfelder had 26 goals and 17 assists and Leann Shuck had 23 goals and 20 assists. Uhlfelder scored two goals in last year's title

contest and Frendberg had one. Uhlfelder was among the top-10 scorers in last year's tournament. Mandy Stevenson has replaced graduated senior Jessica Wilk in goal and has a .601 save percentage.

It is easy to see why the regular-season competition among these teams has been so close. The same can be expected for the championship.

1990-91 NCAA championships dates and sites

FALL

Cross Country, Men's: *Division I champion* — University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, Arkansas; *Division II champion* — Edinboro University of Pennsylvania, Edinboro, Pennsylvania; *Division III champion* — University of Wisconsin, Oshkosh, Wisconsin.

Cross Country, Women's: *Division I champion* — Villanova University, Villanova, Pennsylvania; *Division II champion* — California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo, California; *Division III champion* — Cortland State University College, Cortland, New York.

Field Hockey: *Division I champion* — Old Dominion University, Norfolk, Virginia; *Division III champion* — Trenton State College, Trenton, New Jersey.

Football: *Division I-AA champion* — Georgia Southern University, Statesboro, Georgia; *Division II champion* — North Dakota State University, Fargo, North Dakota; *Division III champion* — Allegheny College, Meadville, Pennsylvania.

Soccer, Men's: *Division I champion* — University of California, Los Angeles, California; *Division II champion* — Southern Connecticut State University, New Haven, Connecticut; *Division III champion* — Glassboro State College, Glassboro, New Jersey.

Soccer, Women's: *Division I champion* — University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, North Carolina; *Division II champion* — Sonoma State University, Rohnert Park, California; *Division III champion* — Ithaca College, Ithaca, New York.

Volleyball, Women's: *Division I champion* — University of California, Los Angeles, California; *Division II champion* — West Texas State University, Canyon, Texas; *Division III champion* — University of California, San Diego, La Jolla, California.

Water Polo, Men's: *National Collegiate Champion* — University of California, Berkeley, California.

WINTER

Basketball, Men's: *Division I champion* — Duke University, Durham, North Carolina; *Division II champion* — University of North Alabama, Florence, Alabama; *Division III champion* — University of Wisconsin, Platteville, Wisconsin.

Basketball, Women's: *Division I champion* — University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Tennessee; *Division II champion* — North Dakota State University, Fargo, North Dakota; *Division III champion* — University of St. Thomas, St. Paul, Minnesota.

Fencing, Men's and Women's: *National Collegiate Champion* — Pennsylvania State University, University Park, Pennsylvania.

Gymnastics, Men's: *National Collegiate Champion* — University of Oklahoma, Norman, Oklahoma.

Gymnastics, Women's: *National Collegiate Champion* — University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, Alabama.

Ice Hockey, Men's: *Division I champion* — Northern Michigan University, Marquette, Michigan; *Division III champion* — University of Wisconsin, Stevens Point, Wisconsin.

Rifle, Men's and Women's: *National Collegiate Champion* — West Virginia University, Morgantown, West Virginia.

Skiing, Men's and Women's: *National Collegiate Champion* — University of Colorado, Boulder, Colorado.

Swimming and Diving, Men's: *Division I champion* — University of Texas, Austin, Texas; *Division II champion* — California State University, Bakersfield, California; *Division III champion* — Kenyon College, Gambier, Ohio.

Swimming and Diving, Women's: *Division I champion* — University of Texas, Austin, Texas; *Division II champion* — Oakland University, Rochester, Michigan; *Division III champion* — Kenyon College, Gambier, Ohio.

Indoor Track, Men's: *Division I champion* — University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, Arkansas; *Division II champion* — St. Augustine's College, Raleigh, North Carolina; *Division III champion* — University of Wisconsin, La Crosse, Wisconsin.

Indoor Track, Women's: *Division I champion* — Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, Louisiana; *Division II champion* — Abilene Christian University, Abilene, Texas; *Division III champion* — Cortland State University College, Cortland, New York.

Wrestling: *Division I champion* — University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa; *Division II champion* — University of Nebraska, Omaha, Nebraska; *Division III champion* — Augsburg College, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

SPRING

Baseball: *Division I, 45th*, Rosenblatt Municipal Stadium, Omaha, Nebraska (Creighton University, host), May 31-June 8, 1991; *Division II, 24th*, Paterson Stadium, Montgomery, Alabama (Troy State University, host), May 25-June 1, 1991; *Division III, 16th*, C. O. Brown Field, Battle Creek, Michigan (Albion College, host), May 23-28, 1991.

Golf, Men's: *Division I, 94th*, Poppy Hills Golf Course, Monterey, California (San Jose State University, host), June 5-8, 1991; *Division II, 29th*, Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, Florida, May 14-17, 1991; *Division III, 17th*, Firethorn Golf Club, Lincoln, Nebraska (Nebraska Wesleyan University, host), May 21-24, 1991.

Golf, Women's: *10th championships*, Scarlett Golf Course, Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio, May 22-25, 1991.

Lacrosse, Men's: *Division I, 21st*, Syracuse University, Syracuse, New York, May 25-27, 1991; *Division III, 12th*, on-campus site to be determined, May 18, 1991.

Lacrosse, Women's: *National Collegiate, 10th*, Trenton State College, Trenton, New Jersey, May 18-19, 1991; *Division III, 7th*, Trenton State College, Trenton, New Jersey, May 18-19, 1991.

Softball, Women's: *Division I, 10th*, Amateur Softball Association Hall of Fame Stadium, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma (University of Oklahoma and Oklahoma State University, cohosts), May 22-26, 1991; *Division II, 10th*, Curric Stadium, Midland, Michigan (Saginaw Valley State University, host), May 17-19, 1991; *Division III, 10th*, Eastern Connecticut State University, Willimantic, Connecticut, May 16-19, 1991.

Tennis, Men's: *Division I, 107th*, University of Georgia, Athens, Georgia, May 17-27, 1991; *Division II, 29th*, Central State University (Oklahoma), Edmond, Oklahoma, May 10-16, 1991; *Division III, 16th*, Claremont, California (Claremont McKenna-Harvey Mudd-Scripps Colleges and Pomona-Pitzer Colleges, cohosts), May 12-19, 1991.

Tennis, Women's: *Division I, 10th*, Stanford University, Stanford, California, May 8-16, 1991; *Division II, 10th*, Gold River Racquet Club, Sacramento, California (University of California, Davis, host), May 3-9, 1991; *Division III, 10th*, Emory University, Atlanta, Georgia, May 15-21, 1991.

Outdoor Track, Men's: *Division I, 70th*, University of Oregon, Eugene, Oregon, May 29-June 1, 1991; *Division II, 29th*, Angelo State University, San Angelo, Texas, May 23-25, 1991; *Division III, 18th*, Baldwin-Wallace College, Berea, Ohio, May 22-25, 1991.

Outdoor Track, Women's: *Division I, 10th*, University of Oregon, Eugene, Oregon, May 29-June 1, 1991; *Division II, 10th*, Angelo State University, San Angelo, Texas, May 23-25, 1991; *Division III, 10th*, Baldwin-Wallace College, Berea, Ohio, May 22-25, 1991.

Volleyball, Men's: *22nd championship*, University of Hawaii, Honolulu, Hawaii, May 3-4, 1991.



Hobart assumes familiar role in III men's lacrosse

Historically, the field for the Division III Men's Lacrosse Championship has included seven teams trying to break tradition and one trying to maintain it.

Hobart has won every Division III title since the championship started. The Statesmen took 10 titles under the guidance of Dave Urlick, now the head coach at Georgetown, and added their 11th a year ago in B. J. O'Hara's first year as head coach.

Two teams that will make a run at breaking the Hobart barrier this year are Ohio Wesleyan and Salisbury State. These teams are not strangers to tournament competition or to meeting up with the Statesmen.

Ohio Wesleyan finished second in 1987, 1988 and 1989. The Battling Bishops also met the Statesmen in the semifinal round in 1983. They reached the semifinals in 1990 and lost to Washington (Maryland), a team that has finished second five times.

Salisbury State never has reached the title game, but has advanced to the semifinals five times. The Sea Gulls have lost to the Statesmen three times in that round, including last year.

This year, there are some similarities between Ohio Wesleyan and Salisbury State that should benefit the teams in championship play. First of all, both teams have balanced scoring.

"There is no one player who is the key figure," Ohio Wesleyan's first-year coach Lelan Rogers said.

Senior Rich Franz was the leading scorer through 12 games with 28 goals and 24 assists. Another senior, Mike Arfin, also had 28 goals and had seven assists. Junior Billy Bishop was the assist leader with 29 and had scored 19 goals. Senior Neil Ringers also had 19 goals and had nine assists.

"We have a lot of depth," Salisbury State coach Jim Berkman said.



Every Division III Men's Lacrosse Championship victory celebration has produced a photo like this. Ohio Wesleyan and Salisbury State

are among the teams that will be out to keep Hobart from adding a 12th print to this series.

"Nobody cares who scores. We take whatever the other team gives us."

Through 12 games, Rick Berkman (nephew of the coach) had 47 goals and 36 assists. Eric Ungleich had 39 goals and 43 assists.

At the other end of the field, both Ohio Wesleyan and Salisbury State are getting strong performances from their goalkeepers. The Battling Bishops have senior Rich Flynn in the net. Through 12 games, he had made 169 saves and allowed 112 goals. His save percentage was .601.

Salisbury State has used a tandem in goal this year. Senior Scott Bentkowski has been the starter and junior Geoff Sanders has been the closer. Bentkowski had played in 11 of the first 12 games and had a save

percentage of .623. Sanders had played in 10 of the 12 games and had a save percentage of .723.

Ohio Wesleyan could have one edge going into the tournament. The Battling Bishops beat Hobart at Hobart this season, 18-17. However, Ohio Wesleyan posted regular-season victories over the Statesmen in both 1987 and 1988, only to see Hobart beat the Battling Bishops in the title games in those years.

"Hobart has a tradition unlike any other Division III school," Rogers said.

"Hobart has been there so many times," Berkman said. "To me, Hobart is still the No. 1 team until somebody beats them in the tournament."

Championship Profile

Event: Division III men's lacrosse.

Field: The eight-team field will include three teams from Districts 1 and 2 and one team from Districts 3 through 8, with the remaining teams chosen at large.

Automatic qualification: None.

Defending champion: Hobart defeated Washington (Maryland), 18-6.

Schedule: Championship competition consists of quarterfinals May 8, semifinals May 12 and the championship game May 18. All games will be played at on-campus sites.

The NCAA News coverage: Scores and pairings will be published May 15. Championship results will appear May 22.

Contenders: Hobart, Ohio Wesleyan, Salisbury State.

Championship notes: Cortland State (twice) and Roanoke are the only other schools to reach the title game. Hobart's narrowest margin of victory was one in 1982 when Washington (Maryland) took the Statesmen to overtime. The largest margin of victory was 12, a year ago. Hobart and Washington (Maryland) are the only teams that have competed in the championship all 11 years. Ohio Wesleyan is next in tournament appearances with nine. Alfred made its first appearance in the tournament last year.

Diplomat balance keys hopes

If Franklin and Marshall can keep its balance, the team could take a new step in the Division III Women's Lacrosse Championship.

The Diplomats have made tournament appearances in 1987, 1989 and 1990. They have lost first-round games to Ursinus twice and Trenton State once. These are the only two teams that have won the championship since its inception in 1985.

"One of the things that has been key for us this year is a balanced scoring attack," coach Heather Setzler said. "We've worked for that."

The work has paid off. Through nine games, sophomore Katie Aman had 27 goals and 11 assists, junior

Paige Worth had 23 goals and 13 assists and senior Beth Weiner had 26 goals and seven assists. In addition, another trio—senior Anne-Marie Merow, junior Nancy Benz and freshman Lauren Petrella—had contributed 30 goals among them. Franklin and Marshall was outscoring opponents, 117 to 41.

Some of that disparity in scoring can be attributed to the Diplomats' defense and goalkeeper Tasha Fail. Through nine games, the senior netminder had made 96 saves and allowed 41 goals for a 70.1 save percentage.

"She has had an outstanding year," Setzler said. "She has played

really strong in pressure situations."

Setzler had high praise for all of the seniors on this year's team.

"The seniors have been the core of the team," she said. "They have shown a lot of leadership. They want to get to the final four. They have come up and really played big in the big games."

Another factor in big games this year has been the attitude of the team. The players seem to have developed the toughness needed to go from being competitive with good teams to beating them.

"Mentally, we're better," Setzler said. "We've never been able to win the big ones. This year, we've won big ones."

Setzler said the team has developed the ability to focus on the game at hand and execute the game plan for that particular opponent. That attribute could be invaluable in the tournament.

"(In last year's tournament), Ursinus went out and executed its game plan at all times," she said. "The players showed a lot of composure."

The players also have to adjust to some of the trappings that come with tournament competition—such as heightened emotions, larger crowds and more noise.

"The kids have to be able to lead themselves on the field," Setzler said.

The Franklin and Marshall players hope to lead themselves into a new phase of tournament play.



Through nine games, Franklin and Marshall's Beth Weiner (No. 20) had 26 goals and seven assists.

Championship Profile

Event: Division III women's lacrosse.

Field: The eight-team field will consist of at least one team from each of five regions and three at-large selections.

Automatic qualification: None.

Defending champion: Ursinus defeated St. Lawrence, 7-6.

Schedule: First-round games will be played May 11 at on-campus sites. The semifinals and final will take place May 18 and 19 at Trenton State College.

The NCAA News coverage: Scores and pairings will appear May 15. Results will be published May 22.

Contenders: Trenton State, Franklin and Marshall, William Smith.

Championship notes: Trenton State and Ursinus have won three championships apiece. They are the only two teams that have played in all six tournaments. William Smith (1988) and St. Lawrence (1990) are the only two teams other than Trenton State and Ursinus to reach the championship game. The largest margin of victory in a title game is three goals in 1985. The smallest margin is one goal in 1987 and 1990. The 1987 title game between Trenton State and Ursinus went into overtime. The only other overtime contest in the history of the tournament was last year's semifinal between the same two teams.

Florida netters are set to snare elusive Stanford

For the past few years, the team competition in Division I women's tennis has held all the suspense of a Road Runner-Wile E. Coyote cartoon battle, with the Stanford Cardinal doing an Oscar-worthy interpretation of the undefeated bird.

Last season was no different, as the perennial powerhouse steam-rolled to its fifth straight title, bouncing Florida from the finals, 5-1. The Cardinal also claimed the individual singles and doubles titles, becoming the first team in the tournament's nine-year history to sweep all three championships.

This year, however, Stanford's and Florida's roles are reversed. It's Florida that has left all its opponents, including the defending champions, looking like a booby trap backfired on them. The Gators boast a 26-0 record, including a 6-0 whitewashing of the Cardinal in the USTA/ITCA Women's National Indoor Championship in early March that snapped Stanford's 76-match winning streak.

Now, Florida is on a streak of its own. Just as with the Cardinal, the victories have come at the expense of the country's best, including 16 against top-20 foes. Despite that seemingly tough trail, no match score has been close. Besides the shutout of then No. 1 Stanford, Florida has beaten No. 3 Georgia, 5-2, and No. 4 UCLA, 6-0. In all, Florida outscored its opponents 184-14.

The Gators, who last finished the regular season undefeated in 1988, dominated the ITCA individual indoor championships as well as the team tournament, with senior Nicole Arendt winning the singles title and teaming with Jillian Alexander to



Andy Brandi

take the doubles crown.

The explanation for Florida's ascent to tournament heavy is simple, in coach Andy Brandi's view—experience and improvement.

Brandi has basically the same singles players as last year, although their order of play has changed. Arendt, currently the nation's third-ranked singles player and the 1990 Division I singles runner-up,



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switched positions with sophomore Andrea Farley, the Gators' No. 1 player a year ago, and has had "a fabulous season," according to Brandi. In November, she fell in the first round of the DuPont National Clay Court Championships but recovered to win the third-place round, and has been dominant ever since.

At No. 3 singles, junior Holly Lloyd jumped a spot to unseat senior Holly Danforth. Freshman Erika Kuttler occupies Lloyd's old



Nicole Arendt

position. Alexander plays No. 5. Senior Kay Louthian, who plays No. 6, is the only newcomer to the lineup besides Kuttler.

All of the Gators' starting singles players are ranked in the country's top 80, with three cracking the top 11.

"(Alexander, Kuttler and Lloyd) have improved quite a bit since last year," Brandi said. "Alexander has improved her mobility and fitness. Kuttler now has a more well-rounded game (than she did in high school). Lloyd has improved mentally and raised her confidence level."

In doubles, it's hard to tell exactly what Florida has, since the Gators, because of their singles dominance, have only had to complete doubles play once since April 6. Still, that abbreviated court time has been enough to convince the ITCA ranking committee to rank Arendt-Alexander first and Farley-Louthian 30th.

Considering the way Florida blew through the regular season, it's not surprising the team is confident. Overconfidence, you would think, might be a problem, but Brandi said a low-key approach prevented that.

If some of their teammates show

signs of cockiness, Arendt and Danforth can remind the rest of the Gators of 1988, when the Florida lineup they were part of won its first ITCA indoor crown by beating Stanford, but lost to the Cardinal in the NCAA finals.

Of course, coach Frank Brennan and his Stanford squad hope for a repeat of the 1988 scenario, and two of the players who were on that team, seniors Sandra Birch and Teri Whitlinger, are present to remind their teammates of it.

"I made sure that came up," Brennan said. "We have spoken about it again and again. I wanted the younger players to understand the season was not over just because we lost a match in March."

That loss may even have been a good thing because it took some pressure off the defending champions.

"Our players could see (the end

of the streak) coming and so could I," Brennan said. "It was like a time bomb ticking. It happened to be Florida that beat us, but it could have been another team (Stanford beat Wisconsin and Georgia, 5-4, earlier in the indoor tournament)."

"It was sort of a relief. I didn't feel pressure because of it but I wasn't the one hitting the ball. I think the girls are more relaxed now."

Brennan suspected this year's team wouldn't be quite as strong as last year's, since he lost Meredith McGrath—who won the 1990 Division I doubles title as a freshman—when she decided to turn professional (she is ranked 34th in the world in singles; 14th in doubles), and four-time all-America Lisa Green.

Chances are, no opponents shed any tears for Brennan's losses. Stanford still had enough aces left to

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Event: Division I women's tennis.

Field: Twenty squads will compete for the team title, with 64 singles players and 32 doubles teams competing for individual championships.

Automatic qualification: None.

Defending champion: Stanford became the first team to sweep the team, singles and doubles championships. The team title was the Cardinal's fifth straight.

Schedule: Stanford will host the championships May 8-16.

The NCAA News coverage: Complete results will appear in the May 22 issue of the News.

Television coverage: Singles and doubles championships will be shown on Prime Network May 16-19. Check local listings for times.

Contenders: Florida, Stanford, Georgia, UCLA.

Championships notes: Stanford has won five straight team titles, six overall... Southern California is the only other team to have won (1983 and 1985)... This is the first time Stanford has hosted... The host team has never won... Both the 1989 singles champion, Stanford's Sandra Birch, and the 1990 singles champion, teammate Debbie Graham, will compete in this year's tournament.

California II men's tennis powers cook up one hot rivalry

Even though just saying UC Davis and Cal Poly San Luis Obispo in the same sentence tries the tongue, the two teams have provided for some tasty tennis over the past few years.

The Division II teams' rivalry came to a head last season when they met in the national finals, with Cal Poly SLO prevailing for the third time in the teams' four 1990 meetings. The score, 5-4, was identical to that of the five previous meetings between the two rivals.

That was UC Davis' first appearance in the finals, and the Aggies (17-5), ranked No. 1 in Volvo Tennis' midseason poll, stand as one of the favorites this year.

After opening the season with an easy, 9-0, triumph over Notre Dame (California), third-year coach John Nelson's squad took its lumps against two of Division I's finest, bowing to Pepperdine, 8-1, and UCLA, 9-0. UC Davis then won three straight before bowing to Division I Oklahoma, 5-3.

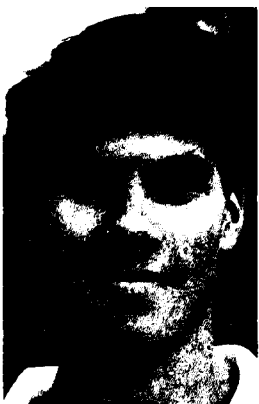
"If you're always winning, you don't learn a lot," said Nelson. "It was good to play teams like that early so we could improve down the road."

Whatever problems Nelson saw in those early matches must've been corrected, considering that the Aggies proceeded to win 13 in a row, including an indoor 8½-hour battle royale with SLO, before losing to Division I Nevada-Reno. Oh, by the way, that score against the Mustangs, as if you couldn't guess, was 5-4.

Despite the fact that the Davis-SLO rivalry continues, not many players returned from last year on either squad.

"We're both different teams, but the rivalry is still there," Nelson said. "But it's not like, oh, it's these guys again."

The two people who have remained constants in the matches are Nelson and Cal Poly San Luis Obispo coach Kevin Platt. That the



Mark Segesta

rivalry between the two teams is so intense has become somewhat of a private joke between them.

"During this year's match, everyone was yelling and screaming and we made eye contact and laughed (as if to say) here we go again," Nelson said.

The Aggies are led by two strong contenders for the individual singles crown, sophomore Mark Segesta and junior Dave Allen. Segesta is ranked No. 1 nationally, while Allen is ranked seventh. Segesta mans the No. 1 position, where he has raced to a 23-5 mark. At No. 2, Allen is 21-4.

In doubles, the two all-America performers occupy the No. 1 spot, where they are 16-4 and ranked second nationally. UC Davis' No. 2 tandem, juniors Steve Summer and Jeff McCann, are ranked 11th nationally.

Platt also has a far different lineup from last year's, returning only two starters, seniors Eric Sasao and Alex Havrilenko, who occupy the Nos. 1 and 2 slots, respectively. Sasao is ranked second, and Havrilenko 19th, but both players' records have hovered around .500 because of some outstanding competition.



Brett Field

In doubles, SLO's top two are 10-6 and ranked fifth, while No. 2 junior Max Allman and freshman Marc Olliver are 17-5 and ranked 12th. The No. 3 doubles team also is strong. Sophomore Mark Nielsen and freshman Ricardo Reyes have posted a 17-4 record.

Besides Sasao, Havrilenko and Allman, Platt's team is all freshmen and sophomores.

"(Our upperclassmen) have held quite a few team meetings," Platt said. "We're young, but we have had a good year with some relatively unknown players. They maybe haven't played as much tennis (as some other players before coming to college), but that may make them a little more eager. They've done a super job."

Just like Davis, SLO has taken its lumps against Division I teams, so the Mustangs' record is an unimpressive-looking 14-8. The only Division II loss, however, was to Davis. Platt and his troops would like nothing better than to reverse that result in the national-championship match.

"It would be nice to play them again," he said. "It's a friendly rivalry, but the teams don't like each other

very much when they're on the court together."

Both Nelson and Platt agreed that Rollins could be a force in the tournament. The tradition-rich Tars are looking for their third national championship and first since 1972, when they shared the crown with UC Irvine.

Norm Copeland, the most victorious coach in Division II history, returned all of last year's top six for his 36th year at the Winter Park, Florida, school, and not all of them made this season's starting lineup.

"We should have a pretty good shot," Copeland said. "We probably have as good a team as anyone and maybe a little better, but you can be two times as good on paper and intangibles can beat you."

Four of Copeland's top six are ranked in the nation's top 15, led by senior Brett Field, who is ranked fourth and has a 17-3 record.

Brown cuts sports

Brown University announced April 29 that it is dropping four varsity sports as part of a campus-wide budget-reduction process aimed at eliminating a projected \$1.6 million deficit in the 1991-92 fiscal year.

The four sports are men's water polo, men's golf, women's gymnastics and women's volleyball.

The reductions in the athletics department affect about 60 student-athletes and will save the university about \$75,000 next year. While the university's funding for the four sports is being eliminated, the sports could continue next year as club programs if they can raise their own funds, according to athletics director David T. Roach.

Championships Profile

Event: Division II men's tennis.

Field: Eight squads will compete for the team title, and 64 singles players and 32 doubles teams will compete for individual titles.

Automatic qualification: None.

Defending champion: Cal Poly San Luis Obispo defeated UC Davis, 5-4, to win its second team championship.

Schedule: Central State (Oklahoma) will host the championships May 10-16.

The NCAA News coverage: Championship results will appear in the May 22 issue of the News.

Contenders: UC Davis, Cal Poly San Luis Obispo, Rollins.

Championships notes: Cal Poly San Luis Obispo's championship was its first since 1986... The Mustangs were runners-up in 1989 for the second time... This is the first time Central State (Oklahoma) has hosted... Southern Illinois-Edwardsville leads in all-time team (seven), singles (seven) and doubles (five) championships.

Even Kalamazoo coach surprised by tennis Hornets' performance

With four national Division III team tennis championships under his belt in 33 years of coaching at Kalamazoo, George Acker knows a contending team when he sees one, and the 1991 Hornets fit the bill. But even Acker didn't foresee the regular season the Hornets have had.

Kalamazoo lost two of its first three matches, but that really didn't surprise anyone, since all were against Division I foes. Michigan handed the Hornets a 6-0 loss to start the season, but Kalamazoo rebounded for an 8-1 victory over Northern Illinois February 23. Michigan State beat the Hornets the following day, 6-3, but later the same afternoon, the Hornets beat Miami (Ohio), 9-0. Acker's troops haven't lost since, winning 20 straight for a 21-2 record.

"With three seniors, two juniors and a sophomore, this is the oldest team I can remember having... but I didn't think we would be 21-2," he said. "We're a mature team. We're not great, but we're hard to beat."

Acker got an inkling that his team could be something special when the Hornets beat fifth-ranked Emory (6-3) and third-ranked Claremont-Mudd-Scripps (6-3) on successive days in late March.

Kalamazoo, the last team to win two straight national team titles (1986-87), is led by two players who are ranked in the top 13. At No. 1, sophomore Lewis Miller is ranked third and could make some noise in the singles tournament. Miller was

the No. 6 starter early last season, but has steadily improved his game, posting a 20-4 record.

"He is a base-line player who is very consistent and hits hard," Acker said. "If the real Lewis Miller stands up in the tournament, he will be tough."

Senior Jeff Fieldhack, with a 21-3 mark while playing No. 6, is ranked 13th. Senior Doug Keen, the No. 3 player, is 20-3 and ranked 32nd.



Championships Preview

In doubles, Fieldhack and Keen hold the country's top ranking, with a 17-2 mark.

Individual results, however, aren't what Acker stresses.

"Team competition is ultra-important for us," he said. "There was a time when we knew we couldn't get anyone to nationals unless we got some recognition as a team, and that's where we started."

"We've got the kind of kids this year who are really interested (in the national tournament) and are concerned about being the best they can be."

Rest assured that UC Santa Cruz, the country's second-ranked team, feels the same way. The Banana Slugs have been in the finals the past three years, winning the crown

in 1989, so coach Bob Hanson is also no stranger to what is needed to win a team title, and he sees it in his 14-3 squad.

Hanson said his team has grown the whole season, with the key Division III match coming at third-ranked Claremont-Mudd-Scripps, this year's tournament host. The three losses have come against Division II UC Davis and Division I San Jose State and Pacific.

All that success is somewhat of a surprise since the Slugs returned only two players from last year's top six. It could be argued that they, in fact, returned only two starters, since Morgan Shepherd played sparingly at No. 5 last year. The other returnee, junior Greg Jarasitis (11-5), is currently ranked 15th while playing No. 2. At No. 1 is Eric Oehlschlager, a sophomore in eligibility who sat out last year because of academic difficulties. Because of the layoff, Oehlschlager, who is ranked 22nd, has been somewhat erratic (6-9), but Hanson likes his game.

"He's the most capable of beating the top-ranked players, but he's been up and down this year," Hanson said. "He's the key to our chances in nationals."

Host Claremont-Mudd-Scripps last made the finals in 1983, finishing as runner-up. With the third-ranked team this season, coach Hank Krieger has another contender on his hands.

Senior Lance Au, with a 14-8 mark and a national ranking of

Championships Profile

Event: Division III men's tennis.

Field: Twelve squads will compete for the team title, with 64 singles players and 32 doubles teams competing for individual titles.

Automatic qualification: None.

Defending champion: Swarthmore defeated UC Santa Cruz, 5-1, to claim its first title since 1985 and its fourth overall.

Schedule: Claremont-Mudd-Scripps will host the tournament May 12-19.

The NCAA News coverage: Championships results will appear in the May 22 issue of the News.

Contenders: Kalamazoo, UC Santa Cruz, Claremont-Mudd-Scripps, Washington (Maryland), Emory, Swarthmore.

Championships notes: Kalamazoo leads in all-time team championships with four... Claremont-Mudd-Scripps last hosted in 1986, with Kalamazoo winning. Claremont-Mudd-Scripps also hosted in 1980, with Gustavus Adolphus winning... The host team has only won the tournament once, in 1988 when Washington and Lee claimed the team trophy... The last team to win two straight team titles was Kalamazoo (1986-87).



George Acker



Lewis Miller

fifth, leads the Stags. Sophomore Ryan McKee and junior Erik Chan also appear in the rankings, McKee (17th) with a 14-4 mark and Chan (48th) at 14-6.

Au and McKee form the country's second-ranked doubles tandem with a 14-4 mark.

Fourth-ranked Washington (Maryland) is led by strong veterans at Nos. 1 and 2 and some eager underclassmen in the rest of the

lineup.

Senior Scott Read, who plays No. 1, hopes to carry on what's becoming a tradition of Shoremen NCAA singles finalists. Read lost in the finals to teammate and 1989 NCAA singles runner-up Larry Gewer last year. Already this season, Read has won a title of his own, taking the Division III crown at the Rolex Small-Colleges Championships in October.

Last year's finalists find field crowded in III women's tennis

Parity seems to have arrived in the Division III women's tennis picture, but many familiar teams are likely to be factors in the championships, including the two teams that squared off in last year's final, surprise winner Gustavus Adolphus and runner-up UC San Diego.

The Gusties, now 12-8, returned four of the top six players that dethroned defending champion UC San Diego last year, reversing an 8-1 regular-season loss with a 5-4 win. Leading that quartet is senior Amy McCrea, who claimed third place in this year's Division III small-college championships. McCrea, ranked third nationally, has posted a 16-3 record, losing but one match to a Division III foe.

Sophomore Heidi Rostberg, last year's No. 6 player, has ascended to the No. 2 spot, where she is 13-6. Sophomore Molly McCormick, last year's No. 5, now plays No. 3, while Nikki Lavoie, the only other senior besides McCrea, occupies the No. 4 spot. Sophomore Dawn Parmley and freshman Linnea Carlson round out the starting lineup.

Despite the returning veterans,



Amy McCrea

the Gusties limped to a 1-5 record early in the season, playing a schedule peppered with Division I teams. After an 8-1 loss to Minnesota April 8, however, coach Jon Carlson's squad reeled off seven straight wins before bowing to St. Thomas (Minnesota) April 20. Three regular-season dual matches remain.

Although his team is the defending champion, Carlson said the team prefers not to think of itself as a favorite.

"We felt a little pressure (because of last year) at the beginning of the season," he said. "We came up big



Christy Copper

last year, but on another day any team could have won it.

"Right now we see ourselves as an underdog, and we're more relaxed."

UC San Diego is hoping for an unusual trend to continue. The Tritons have won the team title in every odd-numbered year starting with the 1985 championship. This year, however, figured to be a rebuilding one considering that coach Liz LaPlante, the most successful coach in the history of Division III women's tennis, lost four of the top six players from last year's national runner-up team. Included in that group was Christine Behrens, the 1990 singles champion.

Robyn Inaba, last year's No. 2, has gone 8-10 at No. 1, while Amanda Lynch returned at her fourth spot to post a 12-6. Lynch, No. 5 Nancine Hayden and No. 6 Catherine Yim have been the keys to Triton success, posting a combined 36-17 mark.

The Sagehens of Pomona-Pitzer, who finished third in last year's tournament, boast the Division III Rolex small-college champion in junior Shelley Keeler and the top-ranked, defending national-champion doubles team, Keeler and class-

mate Caryn Cranston. Keeler earned her second national title when she defeated Washington's (Maryland) Tracy Peel, 6-0, 7-5, October 20 in Corpus Christi, Texas. Overall, she is 23-5 on the year.

Fourth-year coach Lisa Beckett's squad stood at 16-3 in dual matches with one remaining. The Sagehens' impressive wins in Division III include a 7-2 win over the Tritons (which avenged an earlier 6-3 loss) and a 9-0 win over Skidmore.

Given the way her team has performed during the regular season, Beckett said this is the best shot the Sagehens have had at a national championship.

"Not just in terms of talent, but mentally," she said. "This is also a very close group."

"Six of our players have experienced national competition."

Mary Washington, the 1988 champion, posted a 15-5 regular-season record but didn't play many of the elite teams. The Eagles' top Division III wins have come against tournament host Emory and Sewanee (Uni-

versity of the South), both by 6-3 counts. Emory was ranked 10th in preseason, while Sewanee was ranked 14th.

"When we (came from behind and) beat Emory 6-3, it looked like we had the necessary mental toughness (to win it all)," said 15-year coach Ed Hegmann. "I knew we had the physical talent."

The Eagles are led by Christy Copper, the team's only senior.

Wellesley, at 17-2, could be a dark horse, having played only Gustavus Adolphus and Skidmore among the Division's top teams. Coach Joanne Paul's team fell to the Gusties and beat Skidmore, both by 6-3 scores.

Paul's squad is led by some impressive individual talent. Junior Karyn Cooper is a strong contender for the singles championship.

Skidmore, which is 14-3 on the year, has voted not to compete in this year's tournament, since it conflicts with the school's graduation date.

Florida

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carry the top ranking into the indoor championships. How many teams, after all, could have the defending Division I singles champion (junior Debbie Graham), playing No. 2 for them? Probably only Stanford, which has 1989 singles champion Birch at No. 1.

With a full regular season behind him, Brennan said he likes what he sees in his team.

"I can't remember us playing better going into the tournament," he said. "We don't have a player who has experienced defeat in the

tournament. We feel that this is our tournament—it's our time to shine.

"If a few Stanford fans show up to cheer us on, that's all the better."

Amidst the Florida-Stanford hullabaloo, third-ranked Georgia, the Gators' Southeastern Conference rival, hopes to sneak in and claim its first team championship. However, having lost twice to Stanford and once to Florida (5-2), the Bulldogs appear to have their work cut out for them.

In addition to its team-title hopes, Georgia has a potential singles champion in junior Shannan McCarthy.

Championships Profile

Event: Division III women's tennis.

Field: Twelve squads will compete for the team title, with 32 singles players and 16 doubles teams competing for individual titles.

Automatic qualification: None.

Defending champion: Gustavus Adolphus upset defending champion UC San Diego, 5-4.

Schedule: Emory will host the championships May 12-18.

The NCAA News coverage: Championships results will appear in the May 22 issue of the News.

Contenders: Gustavus Adolphus, Pomona-Pitzer, UC San Diego, Mary Washington, Wellesley, St. Thomas (Minnesota).

Championships notes: Last year's championship marked the first time Gustavus Adolphus had finished in the top two... UC San Diego has won three championships, capturing the trophy every other year starting in 1985... Principia leads with the most singles (three) and doubles (four) championships... Emory last hosted in 1988, when Mary Washington won its first and only national championship... Menlo's Caroline Bodart, who won the singles title in 1988 and 1989, is back in Division III after a one-year hiatus.

June Walker finds 'better way'

As a college softball player in the early 1950s, June Walker knew there had to be a better way.

"I never had a good coach in any sport, but especially in softball, which I loved so much. At the practices, I kept thinking, 'There's got to be a better way to do this.'"

Walker, in her 18th season as Trenton State's softball coach, channeled her frustrations as a player into building possibly the most successful Division III program in the sport. Quite simply, she found a better way to do things.

"It's hard to live anywhere around the Trenton area and not know anything about the winning program coach Walker puts on the field year in and year out," pitcher Jennifer LoPresti said. "She works year 'round and nonstop and does more



June Walker

than anyone else I know to promote the sport. But she also knows how to have fun when the time is right."

Walker's 1991 team recently has been having a lot of fun. Currently ranked first in the NCAA top-20 poll, Trenton State is 26-2 through 28 games. The Lions have won

three NCAA championships and were runners-up four times, including last year. Walker's record in championship play is 49-15, good for a .766 winning percentage.

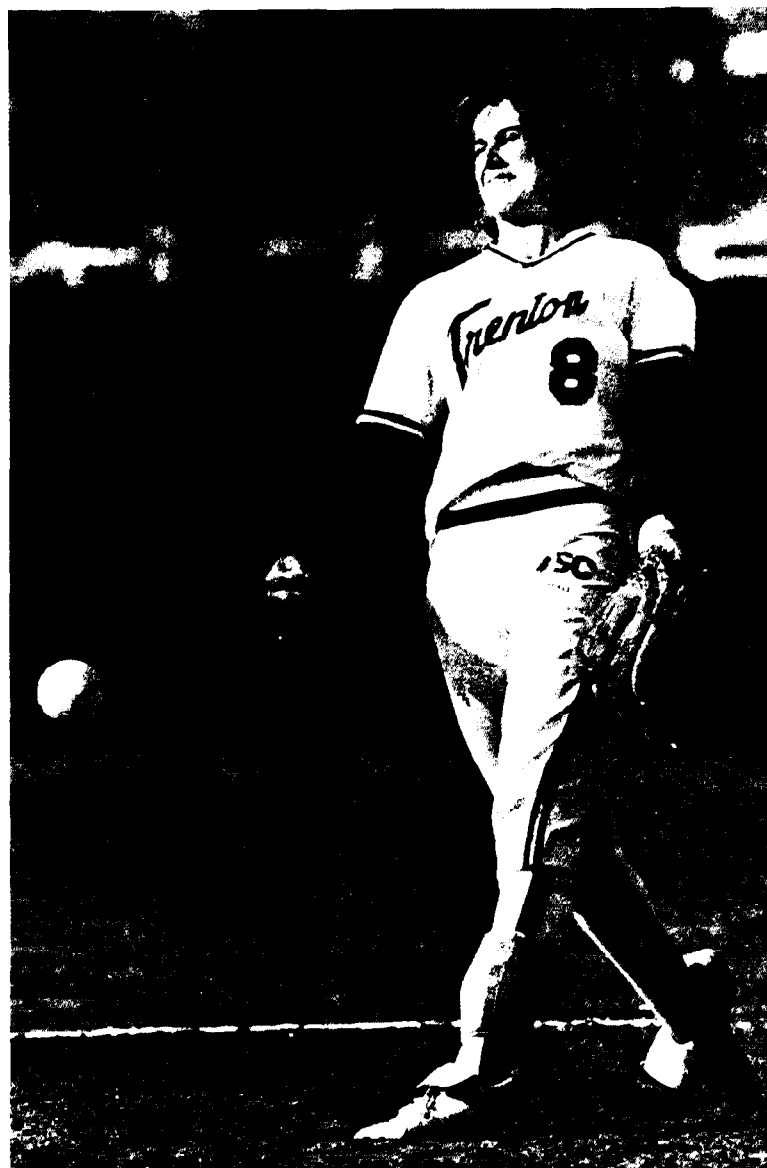
A 1954 graduate of the University of Georgia, Walker has produced 40 all-America performers and two Division III players of the year. She recorded her 500th career victory earlier this season.

Walker earned her master's degree from Georgia and a doctorate at the University of Texas at Austin. In addition to her duties as softball coach, she is the associate director of athletics at Trenton State. Her national involvement includes serving on the board of directors of the National Softball Coaches Association. But probably the most exciting administrative achievement for Walker was her part in organizing the NCAA Division III Women's Softball Championship, an event that celebrates its 10th anniversary this year.

"I had the chance to serve as chair of the softball committee," Walker said. "The most exciting thing was going to Kansas City for the first committee meeting and being handed a map of the United States and a list of Division III schools and being told to fix it. What kind of tournament format did we want, what kind of regions, that kind of thing."

"We've gotten a lot more sophisticated. We've learned about everybody across the country. It's nice to have a feel for how you compare with the rest of the division," Walker said.

This year's Lion squad compares favorably with the rest of Division III. LoPresti, a senior right-hander, leads the pitching staff with an earned-run average of 0.82. She is 10-1 and has 44 strikeouts. The emergence of freshman Becky



Becky Koenig

Koenig has solidified the Lion pitching efforts. Koenig is 12-0 with an ERA of 0.91 in 69 innings pitched.

Offensively, the Lions are paced by junior Patti Kinghorn. The center-fielder is hitting .512 with a team-high 43 hits. She has added 20 runs batted in and 23 runs scored. Junior third baseman Jeanne Hengemuhle leads the team with 39 runs scored and is second in RBIs with 21 and in

hits with 42. She has recorded a team-high 12 triples. Senior second baseman Lynn Spirko has contributed 23 RBIs, 34 hits and 23 runs scored. Spirko is batting .386 and has 10 doubles.

"I don't know if we have any major weakness," Walker said. "We always tell our team there are three parts to the game—pitching, defense and overall offense."

Championship Profile

Event: Division III softball.

Field: The Division III championship provides for a field of 20 teams. Four teams will compete at each of two regional sites, and three teams will compete at each of four regional sites. All regionals will use a double-elimination format. At least one team from each of the five regions will be selected. Three conferences have been granted automatic qualification. The remaining berths will be selected at large.

Automatic qualification: Iowa Intercollegiate Athletic Conference, Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association, New Jersey Athletic Conference.

Defending champion: Eastern Connecticut State won its fourth NCAA Division III softball title with a 1-0 victory over defending champion Trenton State.

Schedule: Regional competition will be May 10-12 at on-campus sites. The finals will be conducted May 16-19 at Eastern Connecticut State University.

The NCAA News coverage: Regional results and pairings will be published in the May 15 issue of the News. Final results will appear in the May 22 issue.

Contenders: Trenton State, Central (Iowa), Eastern Connecticut State, Muskingum.

Championship notes: Eastern Connecticut State and Trenton State are the only two teams that have appeared in all nine tournaments. Eastern Connecticut State has four titles, while Trenton State won three championships. Trenton State has the highest winning percentage of any tournament participant, compiling a 49-15 record (.766). Last year's tournament saw six extra-inning games, including an 11-inning contest between Coe and Luther. Coe won, 1-0. The longest game in tournament history was a 15-inning game between Bucna Vista and Trenton State in 1984.

With nowhere to go but up, Vikings hit the top quickly

Portland State softball coach Teri Mariani's team had nowhere to go but up.

The first NCAA Division II softball poll made no mention of the Vikings. Their response? Portland State beat No. 1-ranked Chapman twice and No. 2-ranked Cal State Bakersfield once to win the championship of the Bakersfield Tournament. The result? Portland State vaulted from the bottom to No. 1, a spot it has held since April 3.

The Vikings' reaction?

"Slightly excited," Mariani said. "It was fun to tell them about the ranking. Their goal has been to go all the way. They were excited to get the No. 1 ranking so early. It hasn't affected them, though. We've only lost one game since then."

Mariani believes her team's good start had something to do with its drastic jump in the polls.

"Personally, I was surprised that we weren't ranked in the first poll. We had not played any games, so I guess you couldn't judge us, but then we got off to such a good start."

The Vikings won 12 of their first 13 games and through 32 games had lost only three. Portland State is hitting .318 as a team and holding opponents to just .185. Offense, says Mariani, is the glue for this year's squad.

"The difference from last year is that our offense is better," she said. "Our hitting has been carrying us. We score a lot of runs, and we score early. Probably 60 percent of our runs come in the first two innings. We're really hitting the ball well, and everyone's contributing. It's not a case where we have to rely on one



Teri Mariani

or two people. Everyone helps."

Six Vikings are hitting above the .300 mark. Sophomore third baseman Karin Jacobs leads Portland State with a .396 average. She is tied for second with 38 hits and is third on the team with 19 runs batted in. Senior center fielder Cynthia Macom leads the team in runs scored and hits with 32 and 43, respectively. She also is the Vikings' top base stealer with 14 stolen bases in 18 attempts.

Seniors Kristin Jacobs and Christy Merrill spearhead the Viking pitching staff. Kristin, who is

Karin's older sister, has a 0.89 earned-run average through 118 innings pitched. Kristin has 17 starts, 17 complete games and a record of 15-2. She was named to the all-tournament teams in each of Portland State's two regular-season tournaments. Merrill is 14-1 with an ERA of 1.07.

An experienced team, the Vikings have seven seniors on their roster. Mariani says her upperclassmen have had one thing in mind since they began playing at Portland State.

"The nucleus of this group has been together since their freshman year. Their goal was to make it to nationals their junior year and win it all their senior year. I think at the start of their sophomore year, they knew they were capable of going all the way."

Portland State seniors realized their first goal last year. The team made its first appearance in the NCAA tournament. The Vikings were knocked out of the regionals in two games.

Championship Profile

Event: Division II softball.

Field: The Division II championship provides for a field of 16 teams. Four teams will participate at each of four regional sites in a double-elimination format to determine the tournament's semifinalists. Nine teams will be selected at large with the remaining seven berths going to automatic-qualifying conferences.

Automatic qualification: Great Lakes Intercollegiate Athletic Conference, Missouri Intercollegiate Athletic Association, New England Collegiate Conference, North Central Intercollegiate Athletic Conference, Northeast-10 Conference, Pennsylvania State Athletic Conference, Sunshine State Conference.

Defending champion: Cal State Bakersfield, making its third appearance in the Division II tournament, won its third consecutive title. Head coach Kathy Welter's squad came through the loser's bracket to defeat Cal State Northridge, 6-2, in the final game.

Schedule: Regional competition will be conducted May 11-12 at on-campus sites. The finals will be held May 17-19 at Currie Stadium in Midland, Michigan. Saginaw Valley State University is host.

The NCAA News coverage: Regional results and pairings will be published in the May 15 issue of the News. Final results will appear in the May 22 issue.

Contenders: Portland State, Chapman, Bloomsburg, Augustana (South Dakota), Florida Southern, Cal State Bakersfield.

Championship notes: The Division II championship celebrates its 10th anniversary. The states of Texas and California claim all nine previous champions. Sam Houston State won the first title in 1982, while Stephen F. Austin took the 1986 crown. Cal State Northridge, now participating in Division I, owns four titles. Cal State Bakersfield owns the tournament's best winning percentage with a .869 mark and a 20-3 overall record in championship play. Cal State Northridge was the only team to appear in all of the first nine tournaments, finishing its stay in Division II with a 45-12 tournament record (.789). Bloomsburg is second in appearances with eight.



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Grid coach still comatose but making progress

Pete Peltzer, who coached football at the University of Nevada, Las Vegas, and Northern Illinois University, is making progress in recovering from a massive heart attack suffered early this year.

He has been in a coma since the heart attack, although he has begun responding to various stimuli.

Peltzer, who medical personnel believe was without a pulse for up to 10 minutes after the January 6 coronary, currently is a patient at the Meadowbrook Neurological Hospital in Gardner, Kansas—about 30 minutes from the Association's national office in Overland Park.

Friends of the Peltzer family have established a fund to help raise money to offset what continue to be growing medical bills. Although Peltzer, who turned 40 Easter Sunday (March 31), has medical insurance, a significant portion of the expenses associated with his recovery will not be covered.

Donations may be made to the Pete Peltzer Benefit Fund, First of America Bank, 363 East Lincoln Highway, DeKalb, Illinois 60115. Cards may be sent to Peltzer at Meadowbrook Neurological Hospital, 427 West Main Street, Gardner, Kansas 66030.

Wofford College outfielder **Lee Amick** hit home runs in four consecutive at-bats April 16 and drove in 10 runs as the Terriers defeated Allen College, 17-7.

Villanova University faculty member **Ray Heitzmann** has authored "Careers for Sports Nuts and Other Athletic Types," a book that offers background information on a wide variety of athletics-related careers. It is available for \$8.95 from NTC Publishing, 4255 West Touhy Avenue, Lincolnwood, Illinois 60466 (toll-free telephone 800/323-4900).

Tennessee State University women's golf coach **Catana Starks** got a



Pete Peltzer

chance to use her American Red Cross first-aid training recently when her team played the Eagle Classic hosted by Morehead State University. Starks was the first person on the scene of an accident that occurred after a motorist lost control of her car on a rain-slick highway and hit a tree on the golf course.

In addition to providing first aid, Starks said she kept telling the woman "she should be glad that she was wearing her safety belt."

Coaching Milestones: **Bill Helman**, Metropolitan State College baseball coach, earned career victory No. 300 April 6 when his team defeated the University of Denver, 12-2.

Villanova University baseball coach **George Bennett** earned career victory No. 250 April 11 when his Wildcats defeated St. Joseph's Uni-



Lee Amick

cramento, women's softball coach **Irene Shea** earned career victory No. 200 April 14 when her team defeated St. Mary's College (California). Shea is in her fifth season at the school.

Aurora University baseball coach **Jim Schmid** picked up career victory No. 200 April 10 when the Spartans defeated Illinois Wesleyan University, 6-3.

At Alma College, women's tennis coach **Deb Mapes** earned career victory No. 100 recently when her team defeated Saginaw Valley State University, 7-2.

Marietta College baseball coach **Don Schaly** earned career victory No. 900 earlier this season. Through April 21, his record was 921-223—including three national championships—in 28 seasons.

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versity (Pennsylvania), 17-3. Ironically, 68 of Bennett's triumphs came in three seasons as head coach at St. Joseph's (Pennsylvania).

Another baseball coach, **Bill Berrier** of Juniata College, picked up career victory No. 300 April 13 when his team swept a pair from Dickinson College, 3-2 and 8-2. Berrier joined 19 active Division III coaches with 300 career triumphs.

California State University, Sa-

student-athletes from Big Ten Conference schools have been named to the league's women's winter academic all-conference teams. University of Illinois, Champaign, gymnast **Lynn Devers** led all selections with a grade-point average of 4.980 (5.000 scale). The University of Iowa led all members with 11 women selected.

Leading the nine-man Colorado Athletic Conference all-academic men's basketball team is University

of Denver premedicine major **Pat Boyle**, who has a 4.000 GPA (4.000 scale). No member of the team had a GPA lower than 3.110.

Seven student-athletes have been honored for academic prowess by the East Coast Conference. Scholar-athletes were selected for each conference winter sport, and student-athletes from the University of Maryland, Baltimore County, earned three of the seven awards—led by distance runner **Rob Magin** (indoor track), who owns a 3.990 GPA (highest of the honorees) in computer science.

Gateway Collegiate Athletic Conference officials have announced that 16 senior student-athletes from member schools have been selected to receive the Presidents' Academic Excellence Award, which is given to those who maintain cumulative GPAs of at least 3.800 during their college careers. Also honored by the Gateway were 109 student-athletes who earned GPAs of at least 3.500 through the fall semester. They received the Commissioner's All-Academic Award.

Great Lakes Intercollegiate Athletic Conference officials have honored 16 student-athletes—eight men and eight women—on the annual all-academic basketball teams. Michigan Technological University sophomore **K. C. Leisenring** had the highest GPA among the men (a 4.000), while Oakland University sophomore **Nicole Leigh** had a 3.790 GPA to lead the women.

Among the 37 student-athletes recently honored as scholar-athletes by New Jersey Institute of Technology was senior **Rudy Romulus**, an electrical engineering major with a 3.980 GPA who was the school's first academic all-America. Two multisport athletes—**Gina Ochs** (volleyball, basketball and softball) and **Thomas Jones** (soccer and volleyball)—also were honored.

University of South Carolina, Columbia, officials recently recognized 182 student-athletes who earned GPAs of at least 3.000 during

either the spring or fall semesters of 1990. Among them were 14 Gamecock athletes who earned 4.000s.

Retiring Southern Methodist University women's basketball coach **Welton Brown** has a lot to remember about his final team—in spite of its overall record of 9-19. Another overall record—the team's cumulative GPA—stood at 3.300, and 11 of the 14 players on Brown's final roster earned GPAs of at least 3.000—four of them were above 3.500.

Among the 63 student-athletes recently honored for academic achievement at Trenton State College were seniors **Tom Preston** and **Melinda Fricks**, who were named outstanding scholar-athletes for 1990-91. Preston owned a cumulative GPA of 3.830 entering his final semester, and Fricks had a 3.780 GPA going into her last semester.

For the second consecutive year, the aggregate grade-point average for Plymouth State College student-athletes has risen. During the 1989-90 school year, the school's 443 student-athletes earned a collective GPA of 2.510 (4.000 scale), while nonathletes on campus combined to produce a 2.430 GPA.

Oregon State University's women's gymnastics team produced a combined winter-quarter GPA of 3.516 to go with a fall-quarter GPA of 3.589.

From **Mike Hall**, assistant athletics director for academics at Liberty University, comes word that 98 student-athletes earned GPAs of at least 3.000 last semester. Forty-five of them were named to the dean's list after earning GPAs of at least 3.500, including 11 who earned 4.000s.

Seven student-athletes have been named winter-sport scholar athletes by the Patriot League. Bucknell University's **Matt Deardorff** led the group with a 3.900 GPA in biology. All of those selected own cumulative GPAs of at least 3.200.

Wrestling coaches recognize all-academic performances

Oklahoma State University, with four first-team honorees, leads the National Wrestling Coaches Association's Division I all-academic team. In Division II, North Dakota State University's seven selections leads the pack. The U.S. Coast Guard Academy and Concordia College, Moorhead, each with three, lead the Division III list.

Selection formats varied by division and are noted in the following list.

Division I

All-academic top 10 teams — 1. Stanford; 2. Michigan; 3. Navy; 4. Nebraska; 5. Air Force; 6. Penn St.; 7. Iowa St.; 8. Army; 9. Drake; 10. Clemson.

First team — Charles R. Barbee, Oklahoma St.; Randy D. Couture, Oklahoma St.; Alan M. Fried, Oklahoma St.; Matthew T. Chesbro, Oklahoma St.; Jason Kelber, Nebraska; Sylvester M. Terkay, North Caro. St.; Greg S. Warren, Missouri; Gary J. Steffensmeier, Northern Iowa; Lanny L. Green, Michigan; Scott Collins, West Va.

Second team — Timothy M. Finn, Delaware; Rodney W. Fisher, Liberty; Michael G. Grubbs, Cal St. Fullerton; Mark D. Cesari, North Caro. St.; Layne Billings, Nebraska; Craig R. Holiday, Liberty; Jacob L. Garcia, Army; Michael K. Carpenter, Cleveland St.; Dave Hart, Penn St.; David K. Rosenberger, Clemson.

Third team — Clinton S. Williams, Clemson; Matt White, Penn St.; Marc Padwey, Penn St.; Chad Dubin, Penn St.; Timothy A. McClellan, Purdue; Mark Mangrum, North Caro. St.; John Buxton, Nebraska; Chris Nelson, Nebraska; James Nalbene, Frank. & Marsh.; Chris Drimak, Drexel; Michael Mokos, Drexel; John R. Erickson, Air Force; Brook J. Leonard, Air Force; Mike Disabato, Ohio St.; Darren D. Gustafson, Oregon; Cam B. Strahm, Oregon; Charles S. Irick, Wisconsin; Terry Miller,

Pittsburgh; Brad A. Gazaway, Navy; Ward T. Buster, Drake; Charles H. Wahtola III, Wisconsin; James C. Byrne, Northern Iowa; Cory E. Manning, Northern Iowa; David T. Marlow, Eastern Ill.; Keith J. Linden, Purdue; Tad F. Yeager, Northwestern; Dan Knight, Iowa St.; Matt Topham, Stanford; Steve Yarbrough, Stanford; John Harms, Wisconsin.

Division II

118-pound class — Richie Douglas, St. Cloud St.; Brett Maghan, North Dak. St.; Jon Zuccala, Ferris St.; Scott Marvin, Grand Valley St.; Robert Symanns, Lake Superior St.; Donnell Rawls, Winston-Salem; Randy Zellner, Central St. (Okla.); Kevin Kinane, Calif. (Pa.).

126-pound class — Phil Johns, SIU-Edwardsville; Scott Gates, Northern Colo.; Mike Pankratz, South Dak. St.; Brad King, Ferris St.; Wayne Werner, North Dak. St.; Dave Streje, Grand Valley St.; Eric Bowser, Pitt-Johnstown; Kevin Bird, Wis.-Parkside.

134-pound class — Mike Pantoya, Northern Colo.; Dennis DuChene, Wis.-Parkside; Jeff Gowens, Central St. (Okla.); Avery Winford, Pembroke St.; Glen Frank, Colorado Mines; Lloyd Wurm, North Dak. St.; Carl Yanek, Calif. (Pa.); Shane Blake, Augustana (S.D.).

142-pound class — Scott Ruff, Nebraska-Omaha; Ali Amiri-Eliasi, Kearney St.; Kris Presler, North Dak.; Sam Mantagna, Cheyney; Pat Lambrecht, Grand Valley St.; Eric Roberson, SIU-Edwardsville; Marty Vigil, Northern Colo.; Mike Bruner, Lake Superior St.

150-pound class — Jim Kennedy, Lowell; Michael Swift, Calif. (Pa.); Mark Savoia, Ashland; Gary Hoopes, Ferris St.; Steve Skarda, Wis.-Parkside; Shawn O'Hearn, Springfield; Herman Moultrie, Cheyney; James Wall, Pembroke St.

158-pound class — Dan Russell, Portland St.; Mark Cosby, Grand Valley St.; Steve Harmon, SIU-Edwardsville; Mark Ander-

son, North Dak. St.; Eric Cluck, Lake Superior St.; Chris Muhlfield, Central Mo. St.; Clayton McIlravy, Augustana (S.D.); Shannon Peters, Kearney St.

167-pound class — Howard Moore, Central St. (Okla.); Mark Hemauer, Wis.-Parkside; Tom Kirpach, North Dak. St.; Bill Stanbro, Buffalo; Jesse Smith, Nebraska-Omaha; Paul Coffland, Ashland; Mike Gohde, Northern Colo.; Johnell Gainey, Norfolk St.

177-pound class — Tony Champion, Portland St.; Joe Wypiszewski, Nebraska-Omaha; Dave Yahner, Pitt-Johnstown; Dave Grabenstetter, Buffalo; Brian Loeffler, South Dak. St.; Jason Skapyak, North Dak.; Mike Leberknight, Northern Colo.; Chad Cox, Colorado Mines.

190-pound class — Greg Oplotnik, Central St. (Okla.); Brian Nelson, North Dak. St.; Dave Suroschef, Ferris St.; Pat Gentzler, Nebraska-Omaha; Greg Saylor, South Dak. St.; Phil Farley, Augustana (S.D.); Scott Wessley, Wis.-Parkside; Carson Wollert, Cal St. Chico.

Heavyweight class — Matt Blevin, San Fran. St.; Greg Matheis, Indianapolis; Jair Toedter, North Dak.; Rick Hufnus, Wis.-Parkside; Barney Drenth, South Dak. St.; Tim Pennie, Virginia St.; Tim Tekautz, North Dak. St.; Luke Parham, Humboldt St.

Division III

Timothy J. Tousignant, Augsburg; Jeff S. Vacca, Illinois Col.; Peter A. P. Wulfs, Wesleyan; Timothy R. Wenhof, St. Olaf; Jon T. Young, Simpson; Michael B. Zamparini, Coast Guard; Christopher D. Zygiel, Western New Eng.; Tim Fader, Augustana (Ill.); Rob Schmidt, Wis.-Whitewater; Richard Straub, Wis.-Whitewater; Matthew F. Morin, Rose-Hulman; Patrick G. Payne, Chicago; Daniel J. Rascol, Albany (N.Y.); James M. Risser, Carleton; David Regina, Ononta St.; Jason L. Richey, Allegheny; Corey B. Runnels, Coast Guard.

Daniel A. Schultz, Concordia-Mhead; Jeff Scott, Millikin; Jason Sperry, Case Reserve; Marlen I. Halverson Jr., Concordia-Mhead; Kenneth E. Hoff, Montclair St.;

Andrew J. Huse, Wabash; Dennis Jorgensen, Swarthmore; Gary N. Kruskall, Bri'water (Mass.); Steve R. Larsen, Concordia-Mhead; Edward P. Lindell, St. Olaf; Robert S. Linker, York (Pa.); Jeff Matszak, Wis.-Oshkosh; Mathew L. McClenahan, New York U.; Monte N. Merz, Buena Vista; David L. Ciocca, Rochester Inst.; David A. Carr, Luther; Paul Coats, Olivet; Brian Colao, Binghamton; David Delesky, Western New Eng.; Dane Delozier, Elizabethtown; Mark Dowell, Millikin.

Jedd Engle, Olivet; Glenn P. Even, Buena Vista; John M. Facciani, Williams; Arthur Gilliland, Carleton; Kurt Habeck, Augsburg; Ryan M. Healey, Ohio Northern; Michael J. Ahearne, Worcester Tech; Mark Ambrose, Delaware Valley; Anders Apgar, Wesleyan; Jason Ashburn, Coast Guard; James Barbera, Rhode Island Col.; Andrew Blank, Binghamton; Dylan Bloy, Williams; Dean Bolte, Luther; Christopher Buhner, Oswego St.; Joe Lange, Swarthmore; Robert Sauer, Ononta St.; Daniel Deao, York (Pa.); Al Beck, Central (Iowa); Richard W. Walker, Cortland St.

How many?

Big Ten Conference officials have unveiled a new logo that maintains the league's traditional name while recognizing the addition of Pennsylvania State University as its 11th member.

BIG TENTM CONFERENCE

Committee appointment procedures are explained

Editor's note: The NCAA Council has approved an Administrative Committee recommendation that the procedures for appointment to an NCAA committee be reviewed periodically in The NCAA News. This article is an attempt to review the NCAA committee structure and the procedures and requirements involved in committee appointments.

The NCAA committee structure is broken down into three distinct groupings—administrative structure, general committees and sports committees. The administrative structure includes the Presidents Commission, Council, Executive Committee and Administrative Committee—the groups that, for all intents and purposes, run the NCAA between annual Conventions.

The other groupings handle everything from the administration of championships to requests for NCAA funding of research projects. Following is a description of each group. Detailed information regarding specific representation requirements of various committees is set forth in Constitution 4 and Bylaw 21 in the NCAA Manual.

Administrative structure Administrative Committee

Service: Administrative Committee members, except for the executive director, serve for not more than two years—the duration of their terms as NCAA officers.

Election: Members of the Administrative Committee, as NCAA officers, are elected annually by the membership at the Convention, except, of course, the executive director. Division vice-presidents are elected in division business sessions and ratified by the full membership in the general business session. NCAA presidents and secretary-treasurers are elected in the general business session.

The NCAA Nominating Committee, appointed in April by the NCAA Council, is responsible for developing the slate of nominees for Association officers. Late each summer, The NCAA News publishes a list of vacancies among officers with a call for nominations from the membership, which is asked to submit nominations to the chair of the Nominating Committee and other appropriate members of that committee, as well as to Fannie B. Vaughan, executive assistant, at the national office.

After the deadline for nominations passes, Vaughan counsels with the chair of the Nominating Committee, summarizes the nominations the committee has received and mails them to Nominating Committee members two to three weeks prior to their meeting, which is held the day before the Council's October



When staff members at NCAA member institutions are interested in serving on a certain committee, they should call the chair of that committee and contact members of the body responsible for

meeting. Everyone on the Nominating Committee's slate of candidates is contacted to confirm his or her ability to serve and intention to attend the next Convention.

The Nominating Committee's slate of candidates then is published in a November issue of The NCAA News and in the Official Notice of the Convention.

Council

Service: Council members are elected to serve four-year terms.

Council members are not eligible for reelection until two years have elapsed. No Council member may serve more than two terms.

Election: Council members are elected annually by the membership during the division business sessions at the Convention.

The NCAA Nominating Committee is responsible for developing the slate of Council nominees. Late each summer, The NCAA News publishes a list of Council vacancies with a call for nominations from the membership, which is asked to submit nominations to the Nominating Committee and to Vaughan.

After the deadline for nominations passes, Vaughan summarizes the nominations and mails them to Nominating Committee members two to three weeks prior to their meeting, which is held the day before the Council's October meeting. The individuals recommended by the Nominating Committee are contacted to confirm their ability to serve and their intention to attend the next Convention.

The list of candidates is published in The NCAA News as soon as possible after the candidates are confirmed and in the Official Notice of the Convention.

Interim vacancies: When an in-

terim vacancy occurs, notice is published in the Committee Notices section of the next issue of The NCAA News with a call for nominations from the membership. The News editors attempt to place that section on page 2 or page 3 of each issue. Following the deadline, which is at least two weeks after the date of News publication, Vaughan prepares a list of nominees for the Administrative Committee, which makes the appointment during its next regularly scheduled conference—subject to approval by the Council at its next meeting. Interim appointees serve until the next Convention and are eligible for reelection to a full term if they have not served more than half of a term.

Executive Committee

Service: NCAA officers serve for the duration of their terms. The remaining nine members serve five-year terms that are staggered to assure that vacancies occur in the proper sequence.

Election: Executive Committee members other than the officers are appointed by the Council in its post-Convention meeting. Each November, The NCAA News publishes a list of Executive Committee vacancies with a call for nominations from the membership, which is asked to submit nominations to Vaughan at the national office.

After the deadline for nominations passes, Vaughan summarizes nominations and provides them to the Council in advance of its post-Convention meeting.

Interim vacancies: When an interim vacancy occurs, notice is published in the Committee Notices

appointment. It is most important for people to identify specific committees and vacancies in which they are interested.

section of the next News (on page 2 or page 3) with a call for nominations from the membership. After the deadline, which is at least two weeks following the date of News publication, Vaughan prepares a list of nominees for the Administrative Committee, which makes the appointment during its next regularly scheduled conference—subject to approval by the Council at its next meeting. Interim appointees serve the unexpired portion of the term and are eligible for reappointment if they have not served more than half of a term.

Presidents Commission

Service: Only current institutional chief executive officers are eligible to serve on the Commission, whose members are elected to four-year terms that are staggered so that no more than six Division I positions, three Division II positions and three Division III positions are open in any one year.

Commission members are not eligible to serve a second term for at least two years (i.e., members whose terms expire in January 1992 may not be reelected to take office before January 1994). Commission members may not serve more than two terms.

Election: The Commission chair each summer appoints a Presidential Nominating Committee to develop a slate of nominees for upcoming term expirations. Following appointment of the nominating committee, the list of vacancies is published in The NCAA News with a call for nominations.

After the deadline for nominations has passed, the nominating committee meets to develop a slate of nominees for review by the full Commission in October. Following that meeting, chief executive officers of all NCAA member institutions receive ballots. They vote only for those nominees to fill positions within their own membership division. In addition, Division I-A conferences select their own Commission members.

Election results are announced at the Convention each January.

Interim vacancies: When an interim vacancy occurs, the Presidents Commission chair appoints a subcommittee of Commission members from the division in which the vacancy occurs to recommend a replacement. The Commission chair then is authorized to make that appointment.

Appointments are made only for the unexpired portion of a term. However, interim appointees who serve less than one-half of a term

(i.e., less than two years) will be considered eligible for reelection to a full term.

General and Sports Committees

Service: Committee members are appointed or elected to three-year terms that begin September 1 following the member's election or appointment (e.g., in its October 1991 meeting, the Council will appoint general committee members who will take office September 1, 1992). Members may serve up to three terms on one committee—two consecutive terms, and a third term that may begin no less than three years after they end their second consecutive term. It is rare that an individual serves a third term.

Committee on Infractions members are subject to the three-term limit, but they may serve all three terms consecutively.

Interim vacancies: When an interim vacancy occurs, notice is published in the Committee Notices section of the next News with a call for nominations from the membership. Following the deadline, which is at least two weeks after the date of News publication, Vaughan prepares a list of nominees for the Administrative Committee, which makes the appointment during its next regularly scheduled conference—subject to approval by the Council at its next meeting. (Note: The Executive Committee, rather than the Council, appoints the Divisions I, II and III Championships Committees.)

Interim appointees serve the unexpired portion of the term. In these instances, members who serve more than one-half of a term (i.e., more than 18 months) are considered to have served a full term.

Secretary-rules editors of sports committees may be reelected without restriction and serve as nonvoting members of committees except on the Football Rules Committee, on which the secretary-rules editor is a voting member.

General Committees

Appointed by the Council or the Executive Committee, these are the standing committees that perform the duties necessary to the ongoing operation of the NCAA (e.g., Academic Requirements Committee, Committee on Infractions, division championships committees). These committees are listed in Bylaw 21.3.

Election: Each summer, The NCAA News publishes a list of general-committee vacancies with a call for nominations from the membership, which is asked to submit

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Members of the NCAA Council are elected to serve four-year terms, and they are not eligible for reelection until at least two years have elapsed. No Council member may serve more than two terms.

Committee

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nominations to Vaughan. The committees involved also are asked to submit recommendations.

After the deadline for nominations passes, Vaughan summarizes nominations and provides them to the Council approximately four weeks in advance of its October meeting. Appointments are announced following the annual Convention.

Sports Committees

These include rules committees without championships administration responsibilities (e.g., Baseball Rules Committee, Women's Basketball Rules Committee), sports committees with playing rules and championships administration responsibilities (e.g., Men's and Women's Rifle Committee, Men's and Women's Swimming Committee), and sports committees with only championships administration responsibilities (e.g., Field Hockey Committee, Division III Men's Ice

Hockey Committee). These committees are listed in Bylaws 21.4, 21.5 and 21.6.

Election: Each fall, The NCAA News publishes a list of sports committee vacancies with a call for nominations from the membership, which is asked to submit nominations to members of the Men's Committee on Committees and the Women's Committee on Committees, as well as to Vaughan.

After the deadline for nominations passes, Vaughan summarizes nominations and provides them to the Men's Committee on Committees and the Women's Committee on Committees, which meet at the Convention to make recommendations. Following their meetings, Vaughan prepares the slate of recommended nominees at the Convention site for distribution in the general business session, where elections take place.

There is an opportunity for nominations from the floor, although

very few nominations have been made in this manner.

Notification of election is made through publication following the Convention of the NCAA Committee Handbook. Committee listings then are updated when the NCAA Directory is published in the fall.

'Let 'em know'

Coaches and administrators at NCAA member institutions who become interested in committee service should let the appropriate people know of that interest.

It is permissible for people in the membership to nominate themselves but they also should talk with members of the committee on which they're interested in serving.

When staff members at NCAA member institutions are interested in serving on a certain committee, they should call the chair of that committee and contact members of the body responsible for appointment (i.e., Administrative Committee, Council, Nominating Commit-

tee, or Men's and Women's Committee on Committees). It is most important for people to identify specific committees and vacancies in which they are interested.

People who are not appointed to fill an interim vacancy on a committee must be renominated when another vacancy occurs. Nominations are not held over.

'On the staff'

Nominees for NCAA committee service also must meet some basic eligibility requirements, such as being on the staff of a member institution or conference.

• Individuals "on the staff" are those who receive a regular salary from a member institution or organization for the regular performance of a staff function representing at least 50 percent of the normal workload for a staff member at that institution or conference. Those on sabbatical or other temporary leave for not more than 12 consecutive months will be considered "on the

staff," but those on terminal leave or on leave in excess of 12 months will not.

• In addition, to serve on the Council or Executive Committee (and, consequently, as an officer), an individual must be employed as chief executive officer, faculty athletics representative, athletics director, senior woman administrator of athletics programs or a full-time athletics administrator who is a member of an ethnic minority—or must be a member conference's full-time, salaried employee who serves as executive officer, senior woman administrator or an athletics administrator who is a member of an ethnic minority.

• To serve on the NCAA Presidents Commission, nominees must be chief executive officers of member institutions.

Additional information on NCAA committee service is available from Vaughan at the national office.

The Market

Readers of The NCAA News are invited to use The Market to locate candidates for positions open at their institutions, to advertise open dates in their playing schedules or for other appropriate purposes.

Rates are 55 cents per word for general classified advertising (agate type) and \$27 per column inch for display classified advertising. Orders and copy are due by noon five days prior to the date of publication for general classified space and by noon seven days prior to the date of publication for display classified advertising. Orders and copy will be accepted by mail, fax or telephone.

For more information or to place an ad, call Susan Boyts at 913/339-1906 or write NCAA Publishing, 6201 College Boulevard, Overland Park, Kansas 66211-2422, Attention: The Market.

Positions Available

Commissioner

Associate Commissioner. Radio/TV/Sponsorships. Qualified applicant will report to the Commissioner and is responsible for the cultivation and solicitation of sponsorship dollars required to fund championships, meeting hospitality rooms, radio/TV packages and various programs. Additionally the Associate Commissioner will negotiate and implement the Conference Television Package. He/She will coordinate all activities involving television/radio and sponsorships. Qualifications include a bachelor's degree with a minimum three years' experience in intercollegiate athletics; experience in solicitation and sponsorships with radio/TV syndicator. Salary: Commensurate with experience. Application Deadline: May 15, 1991. Position available July 1, 1991. Application Procedure: Interested individuals send letter of application, resume and references to The Southern Conference, Wright Waters, Ten Woodfin Street, Suite 206, Asheville, NC 28801.

Administrative

Executive Secretary. Anticipated position opening. The Independent College Athletic Conference (ICAC) will be seeking to fill a newly created position of conference executive secretary. The part-time job will involve conference administrative responsibilities, marketing and publicity, and coordination of championships. The ICAC is an Upstate New York Division III conference composed of eight private institutions. Inquiries may be directed to Louis W. Spotti, conference president and director of athletics at Rochester Institute of Technology, Rochester, NY. Phone: 716/475-2615.

Athletic Administration Internship. The Big Sky Conference is accepting applications for an 11 or 12 month athletic administration internship during the 1991-92 academic year. The successful candidate will spend almost all of the time at the Big Sky Conference office, located in Boise, Idaho. The internship is available to women and members of minority groups through funds provided by the NCAA Conference Grant Program. The Big Sky Conference seeks a highly motivated person who has familiarity with collegiate athletics, especially in the sports information field, and wants to explore a career in athletic administration. Applicants should have earned a bachelor's degree, have strong organizational, interpersonal, writing and communicative skills and be demonstrably ready to assume a variety of independent responsibilities. Please send applications and three letters of reference by May 15, 1991, to: Ron Stephenson, Commissioner, Big Sky Athletic Conference, P.O. Box 1736, Boise, 83701.

Athletics Trainer

Athletic Training Internship, The College of

Charleston is currently accepting applications for an internship position in athletic training. This is a nine month position starting August 1991. Responsibilities include assisting the Director of Sports Medicine and Associate Athletic Trainer with providing medical coverage of both men's and women's sports, maintaining accurate records, and other related duties. Some travel will be required. The stipend will be \$7,000. The College of Charleston is currently applying for NCAA Div. I membership and has an enrollment of approximately 7,000 students. Send letter of application, resume, and three letters of recommendation to: Roger Hinds, CSCS, ATC, Director of Sports Medicine, College of Charleston, 66 George St., Charleston, SC 29424.

Assistant Athletic Trainer. Elmira College (NCAA Division III) invites applications for the position of assistant athletic trainer. Duties include assisting the head trainer in the evaluation, treatment, and rehabilitation of athletic injuries in 12 varsity sports, assisting with supervision of student training program, and covering home and some away contests. Ten-month appointment. Salary includes stipend, room, board, and graduate tuition waiver. Candidate must be a graduate of NATA approved curriculum or internship program. First Aid, CPR, BLS required. NATA certification preferred. Application deadline: May 15. A letter of application, resume, and three current letters of reference should be forwarded to: Mrs. Patricia A. Thompson, Director of Athletics, Elmira College, Elmira, New York 14901. Equal Opportunity Employer.

Head Athletic Trainer. Wofford College. Full-time (10 months) position at an NCAA Division II college with 11 sports including football. NATA certification required and master's degree preferred. Starting Date: August 1, 1991. Send letter of application with resume to: Daniel B. Morrison, Jr., Director of Athletics, Wofford College, 429 North Church Street, Spartanburg, SC 29303.

Instructor in Kinesiology/Assistant Athletic Trainer, non-tenure track: Will teach undergraduate courses in Athletic Training option; advise students & coordinate internship experiences in option; assist with athletic training responsibilities for NCAA Division I Women's Program. Master's degree and NATA certification required. Experience in teaching and coordinating interns preferred. Salary: \$22,000, 10-month position. Beginning date: August 19, 1991. Deadline for application: May 21, 1991, or until position is filled. Send letter of application, resume, official transcript of all college credits, and three current letters of reference to: Dr. Robert DiBretto, Search Committee Chair, 306 HPER Building, University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, AR 72701, 501/575-6762.

Athletic Trainer: Earn a Master's of Sport Science Degree in two five week summer sessions plus a mentorship. Scholarships and other financial aid available. Contact the United States Sports Academy, Department of Admissions, One Academy Drive, Daphne, AL 36526, 1-800-223-2668. An Affirmative Action Institution. SACS accredited. "Inquire about our Doctoral Program."

Assistant Athletic Trainer. For a residential independent school with a coeducational, formal sports program. NATA Certification. Salary dependent upon experience. Housing provided. Resumes and letters of reference to Leon Modeste, Athletic Director, Phillips

Academy, Andover, MA 01810. Equal Opportunity Employer.

Athletic Trainer. Southwest Missouri State University seeks an Athletic Trainer for the Midwest Sports Medicine Center. The Center provides outpatient service for high school and recreational athletes and does not involve servicing the varsity athletic program. The AT will be responsible for coverage at two local high schools, supervise student interns from an NATA approved undergraduate curriculum, and other duties as assigned by the Director of the Center. Additional responsibilities of the Trainer will be administration and supervision of student workers, research, instruction and coverage of special athletic events. The position will involve evening and some weekend activities. The position requires a master's degree in athletic training or related field. Must have experience working in an outpatient sports medicine clinic or high school setting. Must be certified by the National Athletic Trainers Association and have or be eligible for Missouri registration as an athletic trainer. This is a 12-month, non-tenure track staff position. Future funding and continuation of the position depends upon center revenues. Salary is \$24,000 annually. Interested and qualified applicants should submit a letter of interest, resume, transcripts, and names, addresses and telephone numbers of three current professional references by June 21, 1991, to: Personnel Office, Southwest Missouri State University, 901 S. National, Springfield, MO 65804. An Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

Athletic Trainer. Physical Therapy Clinic on the Mississippi Gulf Coast is seeking a NATA Certified/Eligible Athletic Trainer. The primary responsibility is to coordinate athletic training services for area high schools. The ATC will be involved in continuing education for coaches and athletes, sports specific athletic screenings, and treatment programs. The trainer will also oversee a student athletic training program. This is a single ATC position with an opportunity to be independent and creative. We are located 1 1/2 hours from New Orleans and 1/2 hour from Mobile, AL, and one hour from Pensacola, FL. Cost of living is very low in this area-enjoy outdoor activities all year. Competitive salary and benefit package. Interested persons should send resume by May 15, 1991, to: Stickle Memorial Physical Therapy Center, Medical Arts Plaza, Hospital Road, Pascagoula, MS 39567. Please send all inquiries to the attention of David Wilkins, R.P.T., Telephone 601/762-2333.

Athletic Trainer. Emporia State University invites applications for the 12-month position of Athletic Trainer beginning July 18, 1991. Responsibilities include: athletic training for women's intercollegiate program, teaching, and other duties as assigned. Master's degree required. Training and teaching experience preferred. Screening will begin June 15, 1991, and continue until position is filled. Send letter of application, resume, three current letters of reference and transcripts to: Director of Athletics, Campus Box 20, Emporia State University, Emporia, Kansas 66801-5087. ESU is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer. We encourage applications from members of protected classes.

Compliance

Compliance Officer: Old Dominion University is accepting applications for the position of Compliance Officer within the Department of Athletics. The Compliance Officer will be responsible for ensuring compliance with University, Conference and NCAA rules and regulations to include coordinating and overseeing of matters concerning eligibility, admissions, registration, financial aid, education, interpretations, and monitoring procedures. Qualifications: Master's degree preferred. General knowledge of Division I athletics and knowledge of NCAA rules and regulations. Ability to organize material and information and establish strong working relationships with University offices involving admissions, financial aid, etc. Candidates should possess strong communication skills, both written and oral, and a high level of personal integrity. Basic computer experience extremely helpful. Salary commensurate with experience and qualifications. Application deadline: May 18, 1991. Please send letter of application, resume, college transcripts, and three letters of recommendation to: Ms. Mikki Flowers, Associate Athletic Director, Old Dominion University, Athletic Administration Building, Norfolk, VA 23529. Old Dominion University is an equal opportunity institution and actively seeks minority candidates.

Marketing

Marketing/Special Events Intern: The Hilton Head Island Recreation Association is looking for an aggressive, outgoing individual desiring to gain experience in sports marketing and tournament promotions. Primary responsibilities will involve the coordination of two NCAA Division I women's sporting events. Individual must have experience in sports marketing, a knowledge of NCAA women's basketball and volleyball, and excellent organizational and communication skills. August 19-December 30, 1991. Send Resume to Island Recreation Association, P.O. Box 22593, Hilton Head, SC 29925-2593.

Coordinator, Promotions and Marketing. Professional staff position. Full-time 12 months. Starting Date: June 10, 1991. Qualifications: A bachelor's degree in Business Administration or related field. A master's degree is preferred. Four to five years of marketing, promotion of events or fund-raising experience is necessary. Responsibilities: Direct and coordinate the athletics department sports promotion effort. Act as chairman on various promotional committees. Perform general management duties for concessions, parking and novelties at all events held in the athletics department facilities. Solicit and obtain advertising for game programs, marketing techniques, advertising and promotions budgets. Plan and implement short and long term promotion planning, maintain records and prepare reports. Coordinate advertising for ticket printing and provide assistance to the ticket manager in the promotion of sales for all athletic events. Assist in contract negotiations and financial settlement for outside events held in the athletics department facilities. Position requires strict adherence to University, Western Athletic Conference, and NCAA policies, procedures, and regulations. Salary commensurate with experience and qualifications. Applications must be received by 5:00 p.m. Wednesday, May 22, 1991. Send letter of application and resume to: Search Committee, Coordinator, Promotions and Marketing, University of Wyoming Personnel Services Office, P.O. Box 3422, University Station, Laramie, WY 82071. AA/EOE.

Public Relations

The Big Ten Conference announces the availability of the C. D. Henry Internship, a 10 month entry-level internship for an ethnic minority individual. Charles D. Henry was assistant Big Ten Commissioner from 1974 until his death in 1982. His contributions were substantial in helping promote the overall missions of the conference, and particularly in the areas of affirmative action and equal opportunities for ethnic minorities and women. The intern will have primary responsibilities in the Communications Department, with additional duties in the areas of promotions, marketing and men's and women's championships. Other responsibilities will include assisting in the organization and preparation of weekly press releases and statistics, media guides and other special projects. Minimum qualifications should include an undergraduate degree in public relations, journalism, communications or a related field, with a desire to pursue a career in athletics administration. Term of employment will be from July 15, 1991 May 15, 1992; salary is \$1,600.00 per month with a benefits package that includes medical and dental insurance. Applicants should forward a cover letter with a resume, three writing samples and at least one letter of recommendation by May 15, 1991, to: Charles Waddell, Big Ten Conference, 1500 W. Higgins Rd., Park Ridge, Illinois 60068-6300.

Sports Information

Sports Information Director. Murray State University invites applications for the position of Sports Information Director. Twelve-month full-time position for Division I program. Qualifications include a bachelor's degree or commensurate experience in journalism, communications or related field. Previous experience in sports information a plus. Must have good writing, editing and organizational skills and have the ability to work under deadlines. Typing and computer knowledge and experience required. Responsibilities include preparation of department publica-

tions, coordinate weekly press releases, media guide production, coordinate player files and photography, produce game programs, feature story writing and statistical update for various sports. Coordinate media interviews and preparation of editorial content for programs of all sports. Responsible for daily media requests on a local, regional and national level. Some travel required with selected teams. Salary commensurate with qualifications and experience. Application deadline is May 10, 1991. Send resume, letter of application and a minimum of three references to Steve Rich, Marketing Director, Murray State University, 211 Stewart Stadium, Murray, KY 42071. EOE/MFVH.

Metro Conference, Communications Internship. The Metro Conference is accepting applications for a communications internship—a 10-month appointment for a female or an ethnic minority individual. Responsibilities include publicizing the conference's 12 men's and women's sports through compilation of statistics, release writing, assisting the associate director of communications with production of media guides and conference biweekly tabloid, "Metro News." Duties also include maintenance of mailing lists, answering telephone, and other responsibilities designated by the communications staff. Qualifications: Bachelor's degree in journalism or related field, and experience in a collegiate sports information environment. Demonstrated oral and written skills as well as basic computer knowledge also required. Compensation: \$7,500. Employment dates: Aug. 1, 1991, through May 31, 1992. To apply, send letter and resume, work samples and list of three references to: Jamie Kimbrough, Director of Communications, Metro Conference, Two Ravinia Drive, Suite 210, Atlanta, GA 30346. Application deadline: June 7, 1991. The Metro Conference is comprised of the University of Louisville, University of North Carolina at Charlotte, University of South Florida, University of Southern Mississippi, Tulane University, Virginia Commonwealth University, and Virginia Tech.

Media Relations/Internship. The Patriot League, located in Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, seeks candidates for the position of media relations intern for a term beginning August 1, 1991, and ending May 31, 1992. Responsibilities will include overall assistance in the media relations office with primary responsibilities to be determined upon hiring. Qualifications required include a bachelor's degree in journalism or a related field and experience working in sports information office, preferably on the Division I level. Must have proven writing and publications experience and good computer skills. A working knowledge of PageMaker is a strong advantage. This position reports directly to the Director of Information Services. Salary to be issued based upon experience. To apply, send resume, work samples and three references by May 20 to: Todd Newcomb, Director of Information Services, Patriot League, 3987 Adler Place, Bethlehem Office Commons, Suite 310, Bid. C, Bethlehem, PA 18017. The Patriot League is an Equal Opportunity Employer. Women and members of minority groups are encouraged to apply.

Position: Sports Information Director, Women's Intercollegiate Athletics, University of Minnesota. See display ad page 23.

The University of Delaware Sports Information Office has openings for two full-time sports information interns to be filled for the period from August 15, 1991, through May 15, 1992. The internship is for an individual seeking hands on experience in all phases of sports information work. Qualifications include a bachelor's degree, a sports information background as an undergraduate student, strong writing skills and computer usage skills. The University of Delaware offers a 23-sport athletics program that competes in the East Coast Conference at the Division I NCAA classification in all sports except football which is classified Division I-AA and competes for championships through membership in the Yankee Conference. The selected candidate will receive a stipend of \$600 per month totaling \$7,200 over the nine-month internship. The University of Delaware is a land-grant state university of 14,000 undergraduate students located in Newark, Delaware, a city of approximately 30,000 located 40 miles south of Philadelphia and 60 miles north of Baltimore. Applicants should submit a letter of application, resume, reference list and writing and publication samples to: Benjamin M. Sherman, Assistant Director of Athletics, University of Delaware, Delaware Field House Annex, Newark, DE 19716. Deadline: May 15, 1991. The University of Delaware is an Equal Opportunity

Employer which encourages applications from minority group members and women.

Sports Medicine

Sports Nutritionist, Penn State. Intercollegiate Athletics seeks someone to develop a comprehensive program of sports nutrition in the Center for Sports Medicine. This individual will collaborate with team physicians, and provide educational services and nutritional counseling for the 28 men's and women's varsity sports teams. Additional responsibilities include participation in educational activities of the department and participation in research on sports conditioning and athletes preparation through interaction with sports medicine and nutrition personnel. Requires bachelor's degree, or equivalent, and Registered Dietician, plus 1 to 2 years of effective experience in sports nutrition counseling to athletes. Master's degree preferred. Send letter of application, resume and salary requirements to: Employment Division, Job #N1451, 120 South Burrows Street, University Park, PA 16801. Application Deadline: May 22, 1991. An Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer. Women and minorities encouraged to apply.

Ticket Office

Supervisor—Athletic Ticket Office. Full-time staff position (12 months). Starting date June 15th, 1991. Qualifications: Strong accounting background, two to three years of progressively responsible business experience. Prior work experience in ticket office environment preferred. Experience on Select Ticketing System desirable. Responsibilities: Maintain all ticket inventories, develop financial and attendance reports and provide income/expenditure profile for athletic and non-athletic events held in Athletic Department facilities. Train and supervise all ticket sellers. Develop and implement a quality public relations program regarding box office activities. Position requires strict adherence to University, Big West and NCAA rules and regulations. Salary commensurate with experience. Application deadline, May 17, 1991. Send letter of application and resume to: Athletic Business Manager/Box Office Search, University of the Pacific, 3601 Pacific Avenue, Stockton, California 95211. AA/EOE.

Aquatics

Waterfront Director. Must be Red Cross Certified WSI to be fully in charge of aquatic program-sailing and waterskiing. Beautiful 3 1/2 mile lake in W. Mass. Boys residential camp. Great accommodations for director and family. Very high salary, travel expenses, laundry, room and board. From June 14-Aug. 20, 1991. Call Mr. Lee collect at 914/381-5983 or send resume to: 5 Glen Lane, Mamaroneck, N.Y. 10543.

Baseball

Head Coach for Men's Baseball and Soccer. Located in Pocono Northeast Region, College Misericordia is a four-year co-educational liberal arts Catholic institution seeking a head coach with proven ability on college level for full-time, 10-month position of coach for men's intercollegiate soccer and baseball. Applicant will also assist Coach of Women's Basketball. In addition to proven interpersonal, leadership, and organizational skills, applicant must subscribe to NCAA Division III Philosophy. Qualifications: Bachelor's degree in Physical Education. Salary negotiable. Submit letter of application, resume and three letters of reference to Director of Personnel, College Misericordia, Dallas, PA 18612. (Priority given applications received prior to May 13, 1991, with applications being accepted until the position is filled). AA/EOE.

Basketball

Head Coach Men's Basketball-University of Alaska, Anchorage (NCAA Division II). University of Alaska, Anchorage, host of the

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Great Alaska Shootout, invites applications for the position of Head Men's Basketball Coach. The head coach is responsible for all phases of a successful basketball program including: recruiting, program development, budget management, supervision of assistant coach, fund-raising, public relations, knowledge of and commitment to comply with NCAA rules and regulations. Requirements include: Bachelor's degree and five years' successful coaching experience with preference three years at the intercollegiate level. However consideration will be given to successful Division III, Jr. College or high school coaches. This is a full-time, permanent, 10-month position. Send a letter of application detailing coaching experience/commitment, commitment to academic excellence, recruiting ability and experience, community, media and promotional experience and knowledge of NCAA rules and compliance along with current resume and the names and phone numbers of at least three references. Personnel Services Office, University of Alaska, Anchorage, 3890 University Lake Drive, Anchorage, AK 99508. Review of applications will begin on May 1, 1991, with the search remaining open until the position is filled. UAA is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer. Must be eligible for employment under the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986.

Head Women's Basketball Coach. Master's required with experience in college coaching required. A possibility of being head women's track coach also exists. Salary commensurate with experience. Send your letter of application, resume and three current letters of recommendation to: Bob Ronai, Athletic Director, Urbana University, One College Way, Urbana, Ohio 43078. Please have your information into this office by May 17, 1991.

Assistant Men's Basketball Coach. South Dakota State University, a Division II institution in Brookings, SD, invites applications for a position in the HPER and Athletic Department. Master's degree in HPER or related field required with basketball coaching and recruiting experience at the collegiate level. Teaching responsibilities in the HPER Department. Submit letter of application, resume, transcript and three current letters of reference to: Jay Parker, Chair Search Committee, Box 2820, SDSU, Brookings, SD 57007-1497. SDSU is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

University of the Pacific, Assistant Women's Basketball Coach. Duties include on-field coaching, recruiting and assisting in daily operation of a Division I basketball program. Bachelor's degree required, master's preferred along with experience in a wide range of duties in a collegiate basketball program. Salary commensurate with experience. This is a full-time, 12-month position. Send letter of application, resume and names of three references to: Melissa DeMarchi, Head Women's Basketball Coach, University of the Pacific, Stockton, California 95211. Deadline: May 14, 1991.

Asst. Women's Basketball Coach. Western Illinois University seeks an assistant women's basketball coach, 10-month, non-tenure coaching position. Requirements: Bachelor's degree, coaching experience required, either at high school or college level; knowledge of techniques and strategies of basketball; ability to communicate with and effectively coach skilled performers; organizational and public relations skills are necessary. Application deadline is May 15, 1991, or until position is filled. Send letter of application, resume, and three recent letters of recommendation to: Dr. Helen Smiley, Director of Athletics for Operations, Western Hall 234, Western Illinois University, Macomb, Illinois 61455. AA/EOE.

Women's Assistant Basketball Coach. Anticipated Starting Date: September 1, 1991. Salary: Commensurate with experience and qualifications. Nine (9) month appointment in the Department of Athletics. Qualifications: Bachelor's degree, master's preferred. Experience in playing and/or coaching basketball, some background in track and field. Responsibilities: Assisting the Women's Head Basketball Coach in all aspects of the operation of the program; also includes assisting the Head Outdoor Track Coach; teaching activity classes in the Department of Physical Education. Applications will be accepted until position is filled and will be reviewed beginning May 15, 1991. Michigan Tech won the 1990-91 Great Lakes Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (GLIAC) Women's Basketball Championship, with a 14-2 record, and was invited to compete in the NCAA Division II Regional Tournament at Highland Heights, Kentucky. Send letter of application and a minimum of three references to: J. Richard Yeo, Athletic Director, c/o Personnel Services, Michigan Technological University, 1400 Townsend Drive, Houghton, MI 49931. Michigan Technological University is an Equal Opportunity Educational Institution/Equal Opportunity Employer.

Diving

Diving Coach, Rice University. Part-time, 9-month position beginning no later than Sept. 1, 1991. NCAA Division I. Submit letter of application and resume to Martha Hawthorne, Assistant Athletic Director, Rice University, P.O. Box 1892, Houston, TX 77251.

Football

Teaching/Coaching: Fitness Center Coordinator. Description: (State Funded) 25% Teaching-Weight Training Specialist, 25% Football Recruiting Coordinator & Position Coach; (Generated Revenue) 50% Coordinator of UWSP Fitness Center. Qualifications: Master's degree preferred. Experience in teaching concepts of weight training and an interest in becoming a weight training expert. CSCS certification helpful; Ability to organize, market and manage a 5,000 sq. ft. Fitness Center which currently has 1,200 members; Successful candidate must be able to demonstrate the ability to recruit players to a competitive NCAA III football program and organize recruitment efforts of the football staff. Appointment Date: August 1991—Begins with football season. Rank and Salary: 12-month Academic Staff position. Salary negotiable and dependent upon qualifications. Application Procedure: Send letter of application, resume, fitness center and football recruiting ability, three letters of reference to: Dr. John W. Munson, Search Committee Chair, School of HPERA, UW-Stevens Point, Stevens Point, WI 54481, 715/346-3147. Deadline: Screening will begin on May 14, 1991, and continue until a successful candidate is identified. Note: The University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Assistant Football Coach: William and Mary (Division I-AA) is seeking an outstanding individual with the following qualifications: (1) advanced degree (or equivalent training and work experience); (2) experience with successful recruitment of student athletes at the collegiate level; (3) coaching experience at the collegiate level; and (4) proven ability to communicate with college and high school students; (5) ability to coordinate defense and coach linebackers. Responsibilities: include recruiting exceptional student athletes and duties relative to coaching varsity football. Salary commensurate with experience and qualifications. Application review will begin May 20, position will remain open until filled. Send resumes (including names and telephone numbers of three references) to: Mr. Jimmie Laycock, Head Football Coach, The College of William and Mary, P.O. Box 399, Williamsburg, VA 23187. The College of William and Mary is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

Golf

University of South Carolina, Head Coach Women's Golf Team. The Department of Athletics invites applications for a head coach of the women's golf team, a full-time, 12-month appointment. A minimum of a bachelor's degree required, a master's degree preferred. Previous coaching and administrative experience, preferably at the University level, with a demonstrated competence in the area of recruiting student athletes. Responsible for organizing and conducting a golf program necessary to develop a nationally competitive team. Applications should be received by May 30, 1991, to be given prime consideration, but will be accepted until the position is filled. Send letter of application, current resume, and three letters of reference to: Sterling R. Brown, Associate Director of Athletics for Sports Programs, Student Services, and Compliance, University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC 29208. The University of South Carolina offers Equal Opportunity in its employment, admissions, and education activities in compliance with Title IX and other Civil Rights Laws.

Gymnastics

Asst. Coach—Women's Gymnastics, Stanford University. Duties: Assist the Head Coach with administration of daily practices for the women's gymnastics program; coordinate recruiting as directed by the Head Coach; compliance with NCAA and University regulations. Qualifications: Minimum of bachelor's degree. Coaching experience at the club level (Level 10, Elite) and/or college level; demonstrated competency in the field of routine choreography; good spotting skills. Salary: \$23,000-\$25,000/Year. Appointment: Academic Appointment, renewable annually. Application: Send letter of interest, resume and names of three references by May 15, 1991, to: Susan A. Sterner, Staff Affairs Officer, Athletics, Physical Education & Recreation, Stanford, CA 94305. Stanford University is an Equal Opportunity Employer committed to a program of Affirmative Action.

Soccer

Assistant Men's Soccer Coach, Elmira College (NCAA Division III) invites applications for the position of assistant men's soccer coach. Ten-month appointment. Bachelor's degree and college playing experience required. Salary includes stipend, room, board, and graduate tuition waiver. Application deadline: May 8, 1991. A letter of application, resume, and three letters of reference should be forwarded to: Mrs. Patricia A. Thorson, Director of Athletics, Elmira College, Elmira, New York, 14901. Equal Opportunity Employer.

Head Men's Soccer Coach/Instructor in Physical Education, Gannon University, a Roman Catholic liberal arts institution of 4,200 students, seeks an Instructor in Physical Education/Head Men's Soccer Coach. Possible tenure track position. Ten month joint appointment (salary and benefits arranged over 12 months). Responsible for teaching in the

Physical Education Program under the direction of the Dean, College of Education, and the planning, development, and coaching of a highly competitive Division II Soccer program under the direction of the Director of Athletics. Qualifications: Master's degree and teacher certification required. Doctorate and experience in PE methodology desirable. Successful coaching experience in the sport at the collegiate level a plus. Salary commensurate with qualification, and experience. Screening of candidates will begin immediately. Applications accepted until the position is filled. Send application, resume, and three letters of recommendation to: Bud Elwell, Director of Athletics, Gannon University, Erie, PA 16541. Gannon University is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

Softball

Women's Softball Coach. South Dakota State University, a Division II institution in Brookings, SD, invites applications for a position in the HPER and Athletic Department. Master's degree in HPER or related field required with softball coaching experience at the collegiate level. Teaching responsibilities in the HPER Department. Submit letter of application, resume, transcript and three current letters of reference to: Jack Ewing, Chair Search Committee, Box 2820, SDSU, Brookings, SD 57007-1497. SDSU is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

Swimming

Assistant Coach For Men's And Women's Swimming—Texas A&M University is expanding the coaching staff for swimming and is seeking qualified candidates for the position of Assistant Swim Coach. Full-time, 12-month position available September 1. Bachelor's degree and coaching experience of NCAA qualifying athletes or USS senior national level required. Responsibilities include all phases of intercollegiate coaching: on-deck, recruiting and administration with proven strength in the area of recruiting or administration. Thorough knowledge of NCAA Division I swimming rules and regulations. Salary commensurate with experience. Send letter of applications and resume to Mel Nash, Head Swim Coach, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX 77843. Deadline for Application—May 31, 1991. Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

The University of Wisconsin-River Falls has extended its search for a Head men's and women's swim coach/teacher. Minimum of a master's degree preferred. Certification in W.S.I. and L.T.I. and coaching experience required. Background in adapted physical education desirable. Send letter of application, resume, three current letters of recommendation, and transcripts to: Dr. Carol LeBreck, University of Wisconsin-River Falls, River Falls, WI 54022, by May 31, 1991. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply.

The University of Rochester invites applications for the position of coaching intern for men's and women's swimming. The position will be a regular full-time, academic year appointment in the Department of Sports & Recreation, a Division III member of the NCAA competing in the University Athletic Association. A bachelor's degree, background in physical education or related field, swimming experience at the collegiate level preferred. To apply, send letter of application and names of three references to: Jeffrey Vennell, Director of Sports & Recreation, University of Rochester, Rochester, NY 14627. Equal Opportunity Employer (M/F).

Tennis

Tennis Director. Excellent coed children's summer camp in New Hampshire's spectacular White Mountains. Eleven clay courts. Emphasis on fundamentals. 6/17/91 to 8/18/91. Experience necessary. Family accommodations available. Call 800/657-8282, or write CWW, P.O. Box 558, Armonk, New York 10504.

Tennis Coach/Faculty: To teach courses as assigned in the Division of Physical Education and Athletics. To coach, recruit, and promote a successful NCAA Division II intercollegiate tennis program for both men and women. Master's degree in Physical Education or a related field minimally with Ph.D. preferred. Demonstrated prior teaching and coaching experience. Ability to instruct in the areas of methods and curriculum or techniques of teaching physical education. Effective date: September 1, 1991. Salary and rank: Commensurate with qualifications and experience. Closure date: May 24, 1991. The applicant should submit a letter of interest, a resume, transcripts of all graduate work, and names and addresses of three references who may be contacted to: Mr. Michael Larisay, Search Committee Chairman, Division of Physical Education and Athletics, Armstrong State College, Savannah, GA 31419.

Track & Field

Assistant Coach Men's/Women's Track And Field. Coordinate recruiting; coach sprinters,

hurdlers and pole vaulters; and help teach class in coaching track and field. Requires knowledge of NCAA rules and regulations and three years' coaching experience at Division I Track and Field (men's and women's). Master's degree and TAC Level I and II coach preferred. Send letter of application, resume and three letters of recommendation to: Utah State University, Athletic Department, Logan, UT 84322-7400. USU is an AA/EOE and seeks applications from women and minorities.

Assistant Track Coach, University of Mississippi. Full time, 12-month position. Responsibilities include assisting in directing all aspects of the Ole Miss Track program which includes Indoor Track, Outdoor Track, and Cross Country teams for men and women. Coaching, recruiting, scheduling, and other duties as assigned by the Head Track Coach. Salary commensurate with qualifications and experience. Qualifications require bachelor's degree. Send resume with letter of application and three current recommendations to: Joe Walker, Head Track Coach, Department of Intercollegiate Athletics, The University of Mississippi, University, MS 38677. Application deadline May 31, 1991. Starting date July 1, 1991. The University of Mississippi is an Affirmative Action/Equal Employment Opportunity Employer.

Volleyball

Assistant Women's Volleyball Coach. Appointment Date: July 1, 1991. Salary: Commensurate with experience and qualifications. Ten (10) month appointment in the Department of Intercollegiate Athletics. (Benefits arranged on a 12-month basis.) Responsibilities: 1. Assisting in all phases of the volleyball program, which includes practices, recruiting, correspondence, conditioning, fund-raising, public relations and travel. 2. Any other duties assigned by the head volleyball coach. 3. Teaching summer sports camps (optional). Qualifications: 1. Bachelor's degree required. 2. Previous coaching at college level preferred or comparable teaching or coaching experience. 3. Collegiate playing experience preferred. 4. Commitment to and responsibility for adhering to all rules, regulations, and policies of MSU, the Big Ten Conference and the NCAA. Deadline for Application: May 15, 1991. Send letter of application and resume and three letters of recommendation to: George Peries, Director of Athletics, Michigan State University, 218 Jenison Field House, East Lansing, MI 48824-1025.

Assistant Volleyball Coach, Kansas State University. B.S. degree required; master's degree preferred with collegiate coaching and recruiting experience preferred. Responsibilities under direction of the head coach, plan and direct the evaluation and recruitment of prospective student athletes. Assist with all phases of the program including coaching, administrative duties, academics, and public relations. Submit letter of application, resume and three references by May 8, 1991, to: Patti Hagenmeyer, Head Volleyball Coach, Kansas State University, 109 Ahearn Field House, Manhattan, KS 66506. KSU is an Affirmative Action and Equal Opportunity Employer.

Assistant Coach, Women's Volleyball. University of Arizona. Full-time, academic position. Minimum qualifications: Bachelor's degree required; thorough knowledge of NCAA rules and regulations; previous collegiate coaching experience. Responsibilities include assisting the Head Coach in all aspects of the program, including recruiting. Salary is commensurate with experience and qualifications. Applications will be accepted through May 17, 1991, or until position has been filled. Start date is August 5, 1991. Send letter of application, resume and three letters of recommendation to: Rosie Wegnich, Head Volleyball Coach, McKale Center, Room 211, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ 85721, 602/621-2856. The University of Arizona is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

Southwestern Michigan College, a rural comprehensive community college, has the following opening: Head Volleyball Coach (part-time assignment but may be combined with a part-time teaching assignment if credentials are appropriate). Review of applications will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled. Send letter of application, resume, and names of three references immediately to: Mr. Ronald A. Gunn, Dean of Sports Education, Southwestern Michigan College, 58900 Cherry Grove Road, Dowagiac, Michigan 49047. SMC is an EOE. Title IX, Section 504 Employer.

Assistant Volleyball Coach: Responsibilities include recruiting coordination and evaluation, supervising training and conditioning, administrative duties and all other areas pertinent to operating a competitive Division I program. Salary commensurate with qualifications and experience. This is a nine-month part-time position. Bachelor's degree required. Previous college coaching experience desired. Preference will be given to applicants who can serve well in an increasingly diverse university community. Send letter of application, resume and listing of professional reference to: Search Committee-Volleyball Assistant, Northern Arizona University, P.O. Box 15400, Flagstaff, AZ 86011-5400. Search will remain open until filled, however, the screening committee will begin reviewing applications on May 10, 1991. Northern

Arizona University is a committed Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Institution. **Head Women's Volleyball Coach.** Seeking application for a full-time 12-month position as head volleyball coach. Duties consist of handling all phases of mid-level Division I program, including recruiting, budgeting, fund-raising, promotions, public relations, and conducting the program in accordance with NCAA, The Great Midwest Conference and Saint Louis University rules and regulations. Saint Louis University offers an excellent compensation package which includes a competitive rate of pay, medical/life/dental insurance, retirement plans, tuition waiver for employees and family, and a recreation center. Saint Louis University is a Catholic Jesuit University, the first institution of higher learning west of the Mississippi. Founded in 1818, the University has 11 schools and colleges on four campuses, with a student population of 11,000. Qualifications: Minimum of a bachelor's degree. Prior competitive coaching experience at the collegiate level preferred. Send letter of application, including salary requirements, resume and list of a minimum of three references to: Mr. Michael Memos, Personnel Office, Saint Louis University, 3500 Lindell Blvd., St. Louis, MO 63103. Application deadline is June 1, 1991. Saint Louis University is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

Water Polo

Head Water Polo Coach. Part-time. Under the direction of the Aquatics Director, the Men's Water Polo Coach is responsible for planning and directing the recruitment, conditioning, training and performance of water polo team members, as well as competition. Develop and manage the sport budget, promote intercollegiate athletics as an integral part of the University and assume responsibility for team performance and student academic performance and eligibility. Bachelor's degree required. Coaching experience at the Division I level, skills in managing and coaching a sports program at a major institution, and recruiting experience at the university level are preferred. Send application and resume and three references by June 1, 1991, to: Don Galluzzi, Aquatics Director, Fordham University, E. Fordham Road, Bronx, NY 10458. Absolutely no telephone calls. Fordham University is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

Graduate Assistant

Graduate Assistantship available for the 1991-92 academic year in women's swimming. Available: September 1991. Salary: \$4,500 stipend + five credit waiver. Minimum qualifications: Bachelor's degree from an accredited four-year institution required. Applicant must be accepted in the graduate college of Michigan State University. Preference will be given to candidate with knowledge and background in the sport of swimming. Minority applications encouraged. Responsibilities: Assist head coach with all aspects of the women's swimming program, including coaching as-

signment, recruiting, weight room and dry-land supervision and varied administrative duties as assigned. Application Deadline: June 10, 1991, or until position is filled. Applications: Applicant should indicate: 1) education, 2) experience, and 3) activities as related to the sport of swimming. Forward letter of application and complete resume to: Corin Convis, Women's Swim Coach, Michigan State University, 236 I.M. West, East Lansing, MI 48824. Michigan State is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

Graduate Internship Position: University of New England is seeking applications for one (1) Graduate Internship within the Sports Medicine Program. The position will encompass the following: 1. Complete coverage of a local interscholastic athletic program. 2. Daily training room treatments. 3. Assisting with the supervision of student athletic trainers. Each applicant must possess the following: 1. A degree from an accredited four-year university or college. 2. Must be NATA certified or eligible for certification. 3. Must have a minimum G.P.A. of 3.0 (4.0 point scale). Graduate assistants are paid a stipend for a nine-month contract. All applications should be submitted by May 10, 1991. Please send letter of application, three letters of recommendation, a resume, and all transcripts to: Brian Bachelder, A.T.C., University of New England, Campus Center, Biddeford, Maine 04005. The University of New England is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

Graduate Assistantships-Ashland University. Ashland, Ohio. An NCAA Division II institution, invites applications for the position of Graduate Assistant in: (1) Assistant Women's Basketball (2) Assistant Volleyball-Assistant Softball. The two positions involve: a two-year appointment, 18 hours per school year, room, board and tuition plus a \$1,500 stipend. Letter of application and resume should be sent to: Sue Martensen, Associate Athletic Director, Ashland University, Ashland, Ohio 44805. Deadline is May 10, 1991.

Sports Information Graduate Assistant. Ball State University is seeking a graduate assistant who is interested in pursuing a career in sports information plus fulfilling requirements for a master's degree. The assistantship includes a monthly stipend and can be a one- or two-year position. Send resume to Joe Hernandez, sports information director, Ball State University, HP 120, Muncie, Indiana 47306.

West Virginia University is seeking a Graduate/Assistant coach for men's and women's diving. This is a one-year, possibly two-year position. Responsibilities include coaching, recruiting and other duties as assigned by the head coach. Applicant must be accepted into the WVU Graduate School. Tuition waiver for the full academic year and a stipend of approximately \$680.00 per month for nine months. Send resume and three letters of recommendation to: Kevin H. Gibson, West Virginia University, P.O. Box 877, Morgantown, WV 26507. WVU is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

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ATHLETICS AND RECREATION

Northwestern University invites applicants for two full-time internship positions in the Department of Athletics and Recreation. NU is a member of the Big Ten Conference and sponsors 17 Division I Intercollegiate Sports.

RECRUITING INTERN: Assists Recruiting Coordinator and the Assistant Director of Athletics.

1. Primary responsibilities consist of assisting all coaches (primarily non-revenue) in facilitating recruiting correspondence.
2. Arranging academic appointments for campus visits.
3. Organizing recruiting literature.
4. Planning and implementing recruiting weekends and maintaining recruiting computer database files.

Opportunities exist for secondary involvement with other areas of the athletics department.

COMPLIANCE INTERN: Assists Assistant Director of Athletics in areas of NCAA and Big Ten rules compliance.

1. Compiles NCAA Squad List information.
2. Maintains accurate scholarship information for all sports.
3. Updates and presents rules education materials to service areas (i.e. academic services, sports information, equipment room, etc.)
4. Assists in the institution's admissions process for student-athletes.
5. Creates and administers annual NCAA and Big Ten rules test.
6. Assists in daily NCAA and Big Ten rules interpretations for NUDAR staff.

Intern will also be involved in game management activities for a variety of sports.

Internship positions at Northwestern University are nine-month appointments (September-June) with a \$1,200 monthly salary. Interns are eligible to receive all benefits available to NUDAR employees.

Northwestern University is an Equal Opportunity Employer. Women and minority candidates are encouraged to apply. Preference given to candidates with earned graduate degrees.

Candidates please send resume and the names of three references by May 15 to:

Betsy J. Mosher
Assistant Director of Athletics
Northwestern University
1501 Central Street—Anderson Hall
Evanston, IL 60208-3630

HEAD FOOTBALL COACH (MADRID, SPAIN)

The Madrid Bears, of the Spanish National Football League, seek a young Head Coach, with proven experience. Minimum exp. required: Asst. Coach at NCAA Division III level. To begin early summer '91, preparing for '91-'92 season. Compensation includes round trip airfare, competitive salary, bonus plan, other benefits, assistance in locating, etc. Interesting challenge for adaptable, dynamic individual, to live and work in Europe. Call Mr. D. Levin at 34-1-259-7784 between 1:00 and 5:00 p.m. EST or send C.V. w/refs., availability, salary reqs. to: Calle Pedro Muguruza, 8 (Apt. 5-H), 28036 Madrid, Spain. 1st Deadline: 27 May, 1991.

GREENSBORO C.O.L.L.E.G.E.

Head Men's Soccer Coach

Greensboro College, an NCAA III and Dixie Intercollegiate Athletic Conference member, invites applications for the full-time position of head men's soccer coach combined with assistant coaching a Spring sport or teaching in the physical education program. Greensboro College is a comprehensive, church-related four-year co educational college of 1,100 students located in the heart of Greensboro, N.C.

Qualifications: B.A. required, M.A. in physical education preferred. Demonstrated coaching and teaching ability, preferably at the collegiate level. Candidates should possess a USSF or NSCAA coaching license.

Salary: Commensurate with qualifications and experience. Letter of appointment is for 10 months commencing July 15, 1991. Preference given to applications received by May 15, 1991, but will be accepted until the position is filled. Interested persons should submit a letter of application, statement of coaching philosophy, resume and names and telephone numbers of at least three references to:

Mr. Kim A. Strable
Director of Athletics
Greensboro College
815 W. Market St.
Greensboro, NC 27401
FAX #919/271-2237

AA/EOE

Coordinator of Athletic Training Program and (Clinical) Assistant Professor

Boston University Sargent College has a full-time, nine-month faculty position as Coordinator of Athletic Training Program available September 1, 1991. Depending on candidate's qualifications, position can either be assistant professor (tenure track) or clinical assistant professor (non-tenure track). The unique position includes administration of the ATC program in the Department of Physical Therapy, teaching options in one or both programs, student advising, and clinical placement in conjunction with the athletic training clinical staff. Master's degree required, doctorate optional. Requirements include: current NATA certification, a minimum of three years' full-time experience as an ATC with at least one year of clinical supervision of students. Will consider PT/ATC or ATC. Letter of application, curriculum vitae, and three letters of reference should be sent to Catherine Certo, Sc.D., PT, Chairperson, Search Committee.

Boston University
Sargent College of Allied Health Professions
Department of Physical Therapy
635 Commonwealth Avenue
Boston, MA 02215
617/353-2720

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NORTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY

Head Ice Hockey Coach, Men's Athletics

Manage all aspects of NCAA Division I varsity Hockey program. Monitor and develop the recruitment program of student-athletes. Supervise the activities and assistant hockey coaches. Direct varsity game and practice activities. Oversee academic progress of student-athletes. Manage budgets, supplies and equipment determinations. Participate in public relations activities. Bachelor's degree required. Minimum of four years of experience coaching at the Division I level. Successful background on the collegiate or professional level as a player. Thorough knowledge of recruiting practices and NCAA regulations. Previous experience with budgetary procedures. Strong communication skills. Must be able to travel with the team and for recruiting purposes. Please send resume to: Irwin M. Cohen, 219 Cabot Center, 360 Huntington Avenue, Boston, MA 02115.

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Ohio University, Graduate Assistantship Positions. Positions: Graduate Assistantships available for the 1991-92 academic year in the following sports: men's and women's swimming, field hockey, wrestling, softball, volleyball, and athletic academic advising. Available: August/September 1991. Salary: Tuition waiver. Minimum Qualifications: Bachelor's degree from an accredited four-year institution required. Applicant must be accepted in the graduate college of Ohio University. Studies in the following graduate fields are excluded from this program: Business, Engineering, Communications, and Sports Administration. Preference will be given to candidate with a knowledge and background in the particular sport of interest. Minority applications encouraged. Responsibilities: Assist head coach with all aspects of the sport's program, including coaching assignment, recruiting, weight room and study hall supervision and varied administrative duties as assigned. Application Deadline: May 24, 1991. Applications will be accepted until all positions are filled. Applications: Applicant should indicate 1) education, 2) experience, and 3) activities as related to the sport of interest. Forward letter of application and complete resume to: Dr. Peggy Pruitt, Department of Athletics, Ohio University, P.O. Box 689, Athens, OH 45701. Ohio University is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

Millersville University Of Pennsylvania, Graduate Assistantship, Office of Sports Information. Millersville University of Pennsylvania is seeking a graduate assistant to assist the Director of Sports Information for the 1991-92 academic year. The successful candidate will assist with publicity for Millersville's 18 intercollegiate varsity sports. The work includes writing news releases and features, gathering and writing data for sports publications, compilation and dissemination of statistics and records, and assistance with coverage of major campus athletic events. Off-campus travel possible. Excellent writing and typing skills and a thorough knowledge of sports are required, and experience with IBM computer equipment is desirable. A bachelor's degree in journalism, communications or related field is preferred. Applicants must be eligible to enroll in a graduate program at Millersville. The assistantship carries a fee remittance and a nine-month stipend of \$4,000 for the first year and \$4,500 for the second year. Millersville offers a graduate program in English. A complete list of graduate programs is available from the

Graduate Office, 717/872-3099. Please submit an introductory letter, resume, and samples of news writing and/or publications work to: Amy H. Dmiltzak, Director of Public Relations, Millersville University of Pennsylvania, Millersville, PA 17551-0302. Millersville University is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action institution.

Graduate Assistant: Volleyball And Softball. Capital University, Columbus, Ohio, an NCAA Division III school, seeks applicants for the position of a Graduate Assistant Coach in Volleyball and Softball beginning with the Fall Term, 1991-92. Duties include coaching, recruiting, scouting, supervision of facilities and other duties assigned by the athletic department. Candidates must be eligible for unconditional admission to a graduate school within the Columbus region. Salary includes room and board plus a stipend. Candidates should send letter of interest, resume, and letters of recommendation to: Peg Hofmann, Head Volleyball and Softball Coach, Capital University, Columbus, Ohio 43209. FAX 614/236-6484. The search will continue until the position is filled. Capital University is an institution of the Lutheran Church and an equal opportunity employer.

Graduate/Intern-Athletic Trainer. The University of Wisconsin-Stout is seeking applicants for a graduate/intern position starting August 15, 1991. Individual is to assist in administering athletic health care program for 16 sport intercollegiate athletic program in the Wisconsin State University Conference. Stipend is \$5,500, out-of-state tuition waiver available. Contact Mike Ramaeker, MS, ATC, University of Wisconsin-Stout, Johnson Fieldhouse-Athletic Treatment Center, Menomonie, WI 54751, 715/232-1189, 232-2224.

Intramurals

Director of Intramurals/Head Baseball and Assistant Football Coach. Description: 50% (State Funds) Director of Intramurals - Responsible for providing the vision for a total campus intramural program with a strong wellness emphasis; supervision of student staff, budget planning, facilities management, scheduling, 50% (Program Revenue) Coaching in NCAA III competitive football program and Head Baseball positions; responsible for planning, recruiting and other duties assigned by the Director of Athletics. Qualifications: Master's degree preferred; experience in organization of a university level intramural program very helpful; successful coaching background; comparable experiences will be evaluated as provided by the applicant. Appointment Date: August 1991. Beginning of football season. Rank and Salary: 12-month, Academic Staff Position - Salary negotiable and dependent upon qualifications. Application Procedure: Send letter of application, resume, evidence of organizational skill and

coaching ability, three letters of reference to: Dr. Jerry Gotham, Search Committee Chair, School of HPERA, UW-Stevens Point, Stevens Point, WI 54481, 715/346-2405. Deadline: Screening will begin on May 14, 1991, and continue until a successful candidate is identified. Note: The University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Miscellaneous

Coaches, Soccer, Track & Field, Volleyball, Tennis. Excellent coed children's summer camp in New Hampshire's spectacular White Mountains. 6/17 to 8/18. Call 800/657-8282.

Head Volleyball Coach/Head Softball Coach. Experience in teaching and coaching required. Minimum of a master's degree preferred. Position may also call for assisting with the women's basketball program and teaching. Salary is commensurate with experience. Send your letter of application, resume and three current letters of recommendation to: Bob Ronai, Athletic Director, Urbana University, One College Way, Urbana, Ohio 43078. Please have your information into this office by May 17, 1991.

Physical Education Instructor/Head Softball Coach, Or Women's Volleyball Coach. \$27,511-\$45,669/year; excellent benefits. Bachelor's & master's degree in PE, Kinesiology, Movement Exercise or related field; or a valid & appropriate CA Community College Credential. Call 714/564-6485 for application/job announcement; deadline is May 28, 1991. AA/EOE. Rancho Santiago Community College District, 1530 W. 17th Street, Santa Ana, CA 92706.

Lecturer in P.E./Coaching and Asst. to the A.D./Coaching (Two positions). Lecturer in P.E./Coaching: Master's required, Ph.D. preferred. Teaching in undergraduate P.E. theory and licensure courses. Assistant to the Ath-

letic Director/Coaching: Bachelor's required. Master's preferred. Supervises planning, purchasing and issuing of athletic equipment. Teaching may include a coaching theory course. Coaching responsibilities for either position may include: Head Wrestling, Defensive Coordinator Football, Head Track, Assistant Football. Submit letter identifying position applied for, resume, transcripts & credentials by May 13, 1991, to: Mark Fohl, Chair, Search Committee, P.E. Center, University of Minnesota, Morris, MN 56267. The University of Minnesota is an Equal Opportunity Educator and Employer.

Camp Wayne Coed children's camp. Northeast Pennsylvania. 6/21-8/20/91. Seeking Directors for Sports, Tennis, Gymnastics, Drama, Nature/Camping Counselors for Fine Arts, Waterfront, Tennis. Salary Rm & Bd. 516/889 3217, or write: 12 Allevard St., Lido Beach, N.Y. 11561.

Play-by-Play Sportscaster Opportunities! Listings nationwide at all levels—including attractive major college football/basketball availabilities. Register today! Media Marketing/The Hot Sheet, P.O. Box 1476—SP, Palm Harbor, FL 34682-1476.

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Open Dates

Men's Basketball: Mercyhurst College (Erie, PA), Division II, is seeking one team for tournament on December 6 & 7, 1991. Guarantee and rooms provided. Additional

Dates: January 4, January 28 & February 22, 1992, at home. Please contact Pete Russo, AD, at 814/825-0228.

Football Open Dates. Jacksonville State University seeking to fill 1991 date on Sept. 7, Oct. 26, or Nov. 16. Will consider Div. II, Div. I-AA, Home and Home, giving or receiving guarantee. Will travel in 1991. Contact Jerry Cole, 205/782-5368.

Women's Volleyball-Loyola College (MD) needs three teams for tournament on Sept. 27-28, 1991. Please contact Sue Gelston 301/323-1010 x 2772.

Women's Basketball - Gannon University is seeking teams for a tip-off tournament (Division II, III, or NAIA) Nov. 23-24, 1991. Guarantees available. Also looking for games home or away for the 1991-92 season. Contact Kristie Delbrugge, 814/871-5811 or 871-7419.

Women's Basketball Division I - Purdue University is seeking one team to participate in post Christmas Tournament, December 28-29, 1991. Excellent guarantee! Contact Tom Collier, 317/494-1781.

Football, Division III, Open Date. September 21, 1991. Stonehill College, North Easton, Massachusetts. Contact: Assistant Athletic Director, David DeCiantis, 508/230-1384.

Football, Division I-AA. Eastern Kentucky University seeks to fill open dates on September 5, 12, & 19 in 1992 and September 11 & 18 in 1993. Interested in home-and-home series. Contact Roy Kidd, Head Football Coach, 606/622-2146.

Men's Basketball Division III Tournament Opening. November 23, 24th, 1991, at St. John Fisher College. Guarantee available. Contact Andy Moore: 716/385-8309.

Women's Basketball. Eastern Montana Col-

lege seeks Division I or II teams for November 22-23, 1991. Tip-Off Tournament. Will pay guarantee. Contact Coach Frank McCarthy at 406/657-2368.

Women's Basketball Division I: The University of Iowa needs one team for its 1991 Amana Hawkeye Classic November 30-December 1. Includes \$2,000 guarantee, tournament banquet, tournament gifts for entire travel party, tournament trophies and tournament awards. Contact: Angie Lee, 319/335-9258.

Football, Division III/II. University of California, Santa Barbara. November 16. Contact: Rick Candaele, 805/893-4153.

Men's Basketball: Gallaudet University—NCAA III (Washington, D.C.) is seeking one more team to compete in the 3rd Annual Gallaudet Holiday Tournament December 6-7, 1991. We will provide one night lodging along with a guarantee. Please contact James DeStefano 202/651-5603.

Men's Basketball: Missouri Western State College is looking for opponents to fill the following dates in the 1991-92 season: November 26th, November 30th, December 3rd or 4th, December 11th, December 21st, and January 4th. Other dates possible. Guarantee available or reciprocal game the following season. Contact Tom Smith, 816/271-4486.

Women's Basketball: Division I team needed for Days Inn/Phoenix Classic December 13 & 14, 1991. Corporate sponsorship and negotiable guarantee. Contact Holly Huso, University of Wisconsin-Green Bay, 414/465-2145.

Men's Basketball Tournament - NCAA Div. III. December 6 and 7, 1991. Guarantee. Contact Bill Chambers 919/977-7171, North Carolina Wesleyan College.

Commissioner North Star Conference/ Asst. Commissioner Mid-Continent Conference

The North Star Conference and Mid-Continent Conference invite nominations and applications for their Commissioner/Asst. Commissioner vacancy. The North Star Conference represents eight Division I NCAA member institutions and sponsors six women's championships. The North Star is currently in the process of an integration with the Mid-Continent Conference, to become effective July 1, 1992. The Mid-Continent Conference represents nine Division I NCAA member institutions and sponsors seven men's championships.

The North Star Conference Commissioner's position (in effect for 1991-92) will convert to an Assistant Commissioner's position for the Mid-Continent Conference, effective July 1, 1992. North Star Conference Commissioner responsibilities include overall management and supervision of the Conference office, liaison with the NCAA and Conference member institutions, overseeing budgeting and scheduling, and active involvement in the integration of the two conferences. The Assistant Commissioner's position with the Mid-Continent Conference will include responsibilities in many different areas, including regular season and championship administration, sports regulation, awards and games management.

Qualifications: Bachelor's degree required, master's preferred. Three to five years' experience in related field, and knowledge of NCAA rules and regulations.

Effective date of employment: July 1, 1991.

Application deadline: June 1, 1991.

Send letter of application, resume and three (3) letters of recommendation to:

Mr. Gerald O'Dell
Sports Integration Committee Chair
c/o Northern Illinois University
101 Evans Field House
DeKalb, Illinois 60115

PATRIOT LEAGUE

Assistant Director of Information Services

The Patriot League, located in Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, seeks candidates for the position of Assistant Director of Information Services, a 12-month full-time position which will begin July 1, 1991. The Patriot League is an NCAA Division I conference (I-AA in football) which sponsors 22 sports. Member institutions include: Army, Bucknell, Colgate, Fordham, Holy Cross, Lafayette, Lehigh and Navy.

RESPONSIBILITIES: The qualified candidate will assist in all operations of the Patriot League Service Bureau, write and edit news releases, media guides and championship programs, compile and maintain accurate statistics and records for a variety of sports, write and edit the league newsletter, and handle other duties as assigned by the Director of Information Services.

QUALIFICATIONS: Candidates must have a bachelor's degree in journalism or a related field, at least one year of full-time sports information experience at the Division I level, and a genuine sports information interest. A working knowledge of desktop publishing, particularly PageMaker, is highly desirable and a strong advantage. This position reports directly to the Director of Information Services.

SALARY: Commensurate with experience and qualifications.

APPLICATION: Send resume, work samples and three references by May 13 to:

Todd Newcomb, Director of Information Services
Patriot League
3897 Adler Place
Bethlehem Office Commons, Suite 310, Bld. C
Bethlehem, PA 18017

The Patriot League is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer. Women and members of minority groups are encouraged to apply.

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR/ HEAD ATHLETIC TRAINER SUNY Plattsburgh

SUNY Plattsburgh seeks qualified applicants for an Assistant Professor/Head Athletic Trainer position within its Department of Physical Education, Athletics and Recreational Sports. The position begins August 15, 1991, and is non-tenure track.

RESPONSIBILITIES: Serve as athletics trainer to 17 intercollegiate athletics teams; supervise established student athletics training program; teach courses in athletics training minor and elective physical education program; provide limited athletics training services to general student body through College Health Services.

QUALIFICATIONS: Master's degree in physical education or related area; NATA certification; two years' experience successful athletics training with teaching experience. Preference given to candidates with expertise with latest isokinetic testing equipment (Merac machine). CPR/First Aid certification desirable.

Rank and salary commensurate with experience and qualifications.

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Send letter of application, resume, credentials and three letters of recommendation by May 24, 1991, to:

Chair, Search Committee
c/o Office of Personnel/Affirmative Action
SUNY Plattsburgh
Box 1715-906
Plattsburgh, New York 12901

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University of Minnesota-Twin Cities DIRECTOR OF SPORTS INFORMATION

THE UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA-TWIN CITIES has an opening for Director of Sports Information for the Department of Women's Intercollegiate Athletics. This position is responsible for administering the sports information office and serving as an informational liaison between the department and the Big Ten, NCAA, and local, regional and national media. The University of Minnesota sponsors nine Division I sports and is one of five separate women's athletics departments in the NCAA Division I.

Other duties include, but are not limited to, coordinating interviews; arranging news conferences; publications coordinator; unit budget planning; overseeing computer operations; assisting in implementation of overall promotional, fund-raising and department plans and projects.

A minimum of a bachelor's degree in communications, journalism or related field required. Three years' full-time sports information experience required (excluding graduate assistantships or internships); five years' experience preferred. Must have knowledge of women's intercollegiate sports and demonstrated ability to work with media, athletes, coaches and administrators. Supervisory skills and computer experience preferred.

Twelve-month, 100%-time appointment beginning July 1, 1991, or as soon as possible, no later than August 1, 1991. Salary is commensurate with experience. Send letter of application, resume and two letters of recommendation, writing and publication samples to: **Karen Smith, Chair, Search Committee for Director of Sports Information, University of Minnesota-Twin Cities, Women's Athletics, 516 45th Avenue SE, Minneapolis, MN 55455.** Applications must be received by May 10, 1991.

The University of Minnesota is an
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University of NORTH DAKOTA Assistant Hockey Coach

QUALIFICATIONS: Bachelor's required, master's degree preferred.

EXPERIENCE: Prior intercollegiate (NCAA Division I) coaching experience preferred, or high school head coaching experience. Applicant must be knowledgeable of the University of North Dakota, its athletics program, and its recruiting area to include both the high-school and the junior-ranks systems of the United States and Canada.

PERSONAL: Applicants must possess the ability to interact with colleagues, students and constituents of the community. Public speaking experience is desirable. Applicants must possess a strong personal commitment toward the academic well-being of the student-athletes.

RESPONSIBILITIES: The University of North Dakota is seeking applications for an Assistant Hockey Coach. Responsibilities assigned will depend in large measure on background and experience against the position for which hired; however, they will include recruiting. Additional responsibilities could include teaching within the HPER Department dependent on qualifications of individual selected. The individual selected must work completely within the standards and regulations of the University of North Dakota, the Western Collegiate Hockey Association and the NCAA.

SALARY: Negotiable (commensurate with experience and background).

APPOINTMENT: Twelve-month appointment beginning immediately upon selection.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: May 15, 1991, or until position is filled.

Applicant must include resume, transcripts and three letters of recommendation to:

Gino Gasparini, Head Hockey Coach
University of North Dakota
P.O. Box 8175
Grand Forks, ND 58202

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University of California at Berkeley DIRECTOR OF ATHLETICS

THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AT BERKELEY is seeking an individual with exceptional experience and skill to provide vision and leadership for its newly created Athletics Department which merges Men's and Women's Intercollegiate Athletics and Recreational Sports. It will encompass 24 Division I and 17 club sports competing at the national level, with an overall budget of \$18 million.

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The successful candidate will bring leadership experience in all aspects of athletics administration, including fiscal management in a large and complex institutional setting. Demonstrated commitment to excellence in academics and athletics, the well-being of student-athletes, and gender equity is essential, as is the ability to communicate effectively with members of the campus, the alumni and the many other communities interested in Cal.

Salary is commensurate with qualifications and experience.

Closing date: June 7, 1991. Nomination letters are invited. Please submit letter of application, resume and the names of three current references to:

Ms. Betty Briggs-Marshall
University of California at Berkeley
Box 04-102-11
2539 Channing Way
Berkeley, California 94720

The University of California at Berkeley is committed to fostering diversity in its student body, faculty and staff. Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

Playing and practice times, academic help draw interest

Student-athletes at NCAA member institutions list playing and practice times and academic support as the issues or concerns in college athletics that are of the greatest interest to them, according to results of a survey conducted early last fall.

The survey, which was distributed with a special issue of The NCAA News for student-athletes last September, attracted 17,550 responses.

It asked student-athletes to express whether they are "somewhat interested," "interested" or "very interested" in such topics as drug abuse, recruiting, financial support, academic-support services and a variety of other issues.

Considering all of those issues, the largest percentages of both men and women student-athletes in all three NCAA membership divisions and in a variety of sports said they are interested or very interested in the issues of practice and playing times and academic support. Overall, 87.5 percent said they were interested or very interested in the issue of academic support, and 86.6 percent said they were interested or very interested in playing and practice times.

Similar interest was shown for the issue of providing financial support for sports teams, with more than half (51.5 percent) saying they are very interested in the issue and another 35.6 percent indicating they are interested. However, among student-athletes in four specific sports—men's and women's basketball, football, and women's volleyball—whose responses to the survey were analyzed separately, the issue was of slightly greater importance to football and men's basketball players than to women's basketball and volleyball players.

Those four sports were analyzed because more than 30 percent of the survey's respondents play one of those sports.

Student-athletes at Division II institutions listed the same five issues of greatest interest as student-athletes at Division I institutions—playing and practice times, academic issues, financial support for sports teams, individual financial support, and opportunities for career development. However, while student-athletes at Division III schools agreed with their counterparts at Divisions I and II schools on the importance of practice and playing times, academic support, and financial support for sports teams, they differed in showing greater interest in relationships with coaches and relationships with peers.

The accompanying chart indicates overall and by division, sex and sport the issues in which the largest percentages of student-athletes in each category are interested or very interested.

Respondents to the survey included 10,398 males and 7,152 females. Broken down by class, 5,295 freshmen responded, along with 4,343 sophomores, 4,309 juniors and 3,602 seniors. By membership classification, responses were received from 8,054 student-athletes at Division I institutions, 4,305 at Division II institutions and 5,192 at Division III institutions.

The survey was developed by the NCAA Student-Athlete Advisory Committee.

News quiz answers: 1-False. 2-True. 3-True. 4-False. 5-True. 6-True. 7-True. 8-False. 9-True. 10-False.

1990 NCAA Student-Athlete Survey

Items Student-Athletes Most Frequently Indicated as Those in Which They are "Interested" or "Very Interested."

	DIVISION			SEX		SPORTS*						DIVISION			SEX		SPORTS*				
	Overall	I	II	III	Male	Female	MBB	MFB	WBB	WVB		Overall	I	II	III	Male	Female	MBB	MFB	WBB	WVB
Recruiting Process											Relationships with Coaches	X			X		X	X		X	X
Athletics Time Demands											Relationships with Peers			X			X			X	X
Practice/Playing Times	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	Relationships with Professors/ Administration										
Individual Financial Support		X	X		X				X		Student-Athlete Role-Model Responsibilities										
Sport-Team Financial Support	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			Race/Gender Relations										
NCAA Rules											The NCAA: What It Is, What It Does										
Freshman Eligibility											On-Campus Student-Athlete Organizations										
Student-Athlete Support Services											Student-Athlete Involvement in the NCAA										
Academic Support	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	Forum for Student-Athletes' Concerns/Issues										
Opportunities for Personal Growth																					
Opportunities for Career Development	X	X	X		X		X	X	X	X											
Choosing an Agent																					
Eating Disorders																					
Drugs and Alcohol in Sport																					

NOTE: In every category, student-athletes expressed a great deal of interest in the practice/playing time and academic support categories.

*These four sports were chosen because together they represent more than 30 percent of the respondents.

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