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Transition process tops Commission's meeting agenda

The restructuring transition process will head the agenda of the NCAA Presidents Commission at its March 28-29 meeting in New York City.

Much of the Commission's work will be done in the three division subcommittees, although the full Commission will discuss the overview of the process for handling restructuring transition issues.

The membership restructuring plan, which was approved at the January NCAA Convention, is designed to provide for a more federated Association and to place control with chief executive officers.

Each division is in the process of making the transition to the new structure, although Division III is the only division in which the full transition team has met.

As a result, the Division III subcommittee has a specific agenda for restructuring issues, which includes:

■ A review of the results of a survey that was administered at the Convention (see the March 11 issue of *The NCAA News*).

■ Reports from each of the transition-team subcommittees (governance, membership and championships).

■ A review of the restructuring time line proposed by the transition team (see the March 11 issue of the *News*).

■ A discussion of possible communication initiatives.

The Divisions I and II subcommittees will consider athletics certification issues.

In Division I, the group will review the existing program, which requires all members to complete a periodic self-study that is evaluated by a committee of peers and verified by the NCAA Committee on Athletics Certification.

That committee issued its first round of certification decisions March 6, 1995, and 61 institutions now have completed the process. Several institutions have been certified with conditions; no institution has been designated "not certified."

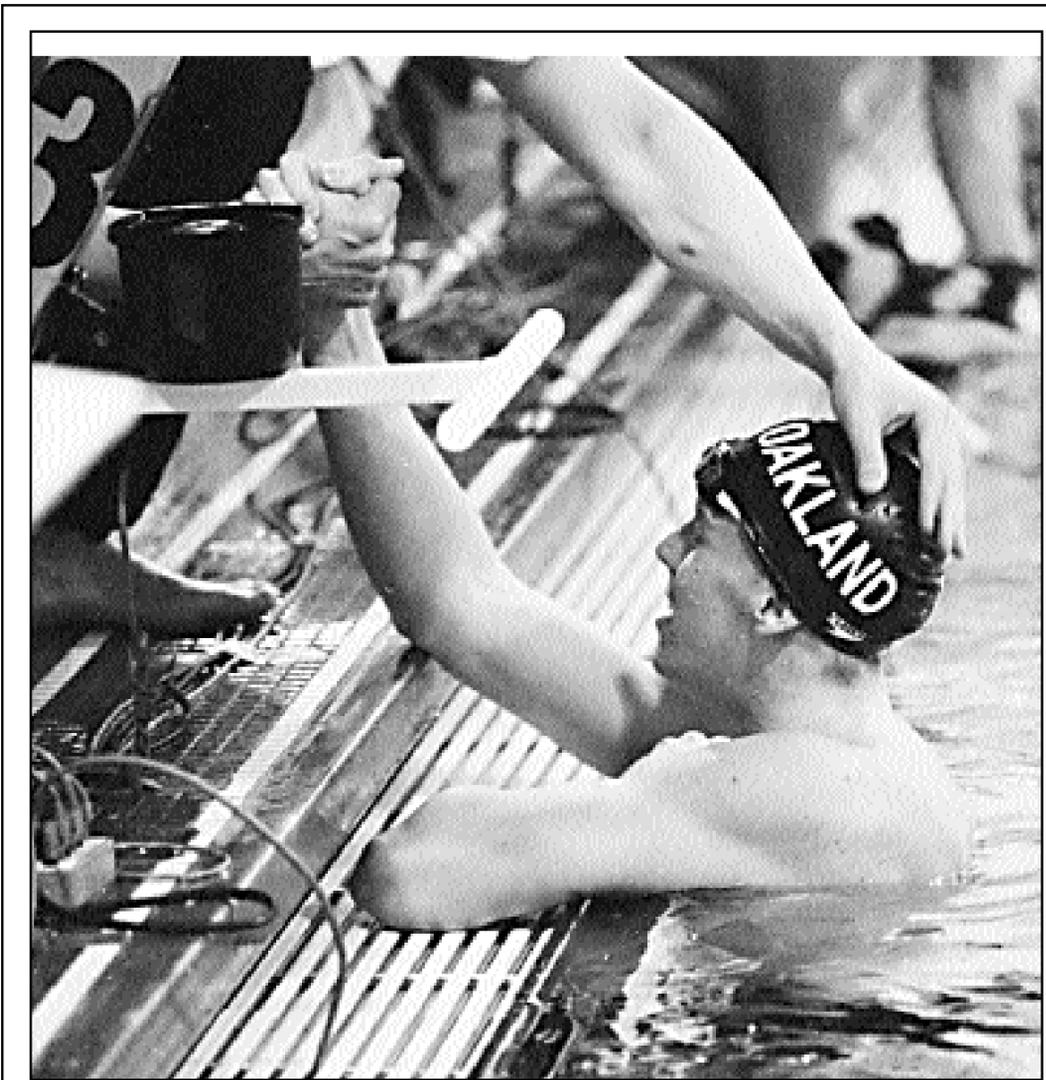
In Division II, the subcommittee will discuss how, or whether, to proceed with an athletics certification plan.

Delegates at the 1996 Convention decisively defeated Proposal No. 16, which would have required Division II members to complete an athletics certification process once every 10 years.

The full Commission also will hear a report from the Subcommittee on Minority Issues, which is chaired by David G. Carter, president of Eastern Connecticut State University and chair of the Division III subcommittee.

Robert Lawless, the president of Texas Tech University who recently accepted a similar position at the University of Tulsa, chairs the Division I subcommittee, while Adam W. Herbert, president of the University of North Florida, chairs the Division II subcommittee.

Samuel H. Smith, president of Washington State University, chairs the Presidents Commission.



Jackie Lorenz/NCAA Photos

All smiles — Jay Judson of Oakland University receives congratulations from his teammates after winning the 200-yard breaststroke at the NCAA Division II Men's Swimming and Diving Championships. Judson was one of three individual winners for Oakland, which cruised to its third straight team title. See championships story, page 10.

Picking tourney winners fun, but betting raises concerns

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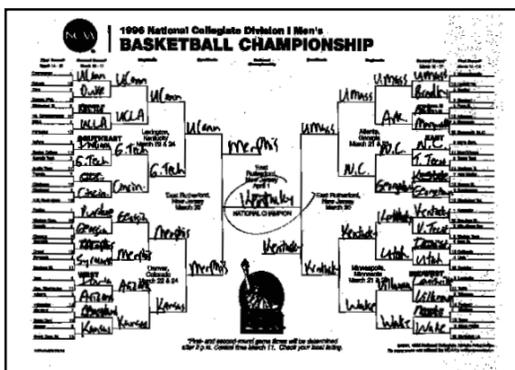
All across the country this month — in office buildings and factories, college dormitories, and locker rooms — talk about NCAA Division I Men's Basketball Championship tournament brackets has peppered sports conversations.

Millions of hoops fans each year take the 32 opening-round games and predict how the tourney will unfold, carefully considering factors such as how one team's point guard will match up against a much larger and faster opponent or what bearing Denver's altitude would have on teams that advanced to this year's West regional.

In some instances, the brackets are completed just for the pleasure of foretelling the future as Nostradamus might have done, with no money involved. That is the case at the NCAA, where staff members get in on the fun each year by filling out brackets and charting who most successfully picks winners and losers.

However, in many other places where fans take the time to predict the tournament's outcome, fans toss in anywhere from a few dollars to a few hundred dollars to enter a pool.

By virtue of the tournament's vast following throughout this country — evidenced by the \$2.5 billion that the FBI estimates was bet illegally on last year's tournament — Association concern about gambling perhaps reaches its peak this time every year.



Gambling on the NCAA men's basketball tournament bracket is considered by many people as "innocent" wagering.

The dangers of gambling to the integrity of the tournament and college athletics as a whole are so high this year that the Association will host a seminar on the topic at this year's Final Four (see story on page 18).

Addictions begin 'innocently'

Many troubled gamblers, some experts will say, often begin the cycle of their addiction by taking part in "innocent" forms of wagering such as filling out NCAA tournament brackets. Participants in such gambling may pay entry fees as meager as \$1 before advancing to more involved forms of wagering where the stakes are significantly higher.

Office and campus dormitory tournament pools technically are illegal forms of gambling in 49 of 50 states. Only in Nevada can one wager legally on sporting events.

Federal, state and local law enforcement officials and the NCAA, however, generally have concentrated on tracking and reducing forms of gambling that more directly could result in tam-

Schedule of key dates for April and May

APRIL						
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7	8	9	10	11	12	13
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21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

APRIL RECRUITING

Men's Division I basketball

1-2 (noon)Dead period.
 2 (noon)-3 (7 a.m.)Quiet period.
 3 (7 a.m.)-8 (7 a.m.)Contact period.
 8 (7 a.m.)-12 (7 a.m.)Dead period.
 12 (7 a.m.)-17Contact period.
 18-30Quiet period.

Women's Division I basketball*

1 (until noon)Dead period.
 1 (noon)-8 (7 a.m.)Contact period.
 8 (7 a.m.)-12 (7 a.m.)Dead period.
 12 (7 a.m.)-30Quiet period.

Men's Division II basketball

1-2 (noon)Dead period.
 2 (noon)-8 (7 a.m.)Contact period.
 8 (7 a.m.)-10 (7 a.m.)Dead period.
 10 (7 a.m.)-30Contact period.

Women's Division II basketball*

1-8 (7 a.m.)Contact period.
 8 (7 a.m.)-10 (7 a.m.)Dead period.
 10 (7 a.m.)-30Contact period.

Division I football

1-30Quiet period.

Division II football

1-30: Quiet period, except during any high-school all-star game that occurs within the state in which the member institution is located: Evaluation period.

MAY						
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5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

MAY RECRUITING

Men's Division I basketball

1-31Quiet period.

Women's Division I basketball*

1-31Quiet period.

Men's Division II basketball

1-13Contact period.

14-31Quiet period.

Women's Division II basketball*

1-13Contact period.

14-31Quiet period.

Division I football

Twenty days (excluding Memorial Day and Sundays) during May 1 through May 31, selected at the discretion of the institution and designated in writing in the office of the director of athletics (an authorized recruiter may visit a particular institution only one time during this period): Evaluation period.
 Those days in May not designated above: Quiet period.

Division II football

1-31Evaluation period.

*See pages 122-123 of the 1995-96 NCAA Manual for exceptions. Also, see pages 126-127 for dead periods in other Divisions I and II sports.

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NCAA News DIGEST

A weekly summary of major activities within the Association

Gambling

House passes legislation for gambling commission

The U. S. House of Representatives recently passed legislation to establish a National Gambling Commission.

The bill would fund a nine-member commission for two years to study every aspect of gambling in the United States, including casinos, lotteries, Indian gaming and sports betting. At the end of the study, a report detailing the commission's findings would be submitted to Congress.

Similar legislation is pending in the Senate Governmental Affairs Committee.

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Presidents

Restructuring issues top agenda for March 28-29 meeting

The membership restructuring transition process will top the next agenda of the NCAA Presidents Commission, which will meet March 28-29 in New York City.

In addition to membership restructuring issues, the Commission's Divisions I and II subcommittees also will discuss athletics certification.

Staff contacts: Stephen R. Morgan (Division I), Nancy L. Mitchell (Division II) and Daniel T. Dutcher (Division III).

State legislation

Tennessee governor signs agent-control bill into law

State legislation that imposes felony penalties on athlete agents who knowingly offer, give or loan anything of value to a student-athlete with remaining eligibility for the purpose of inducing the student-athlete to enter into an agent or professional sports services contract has been signed into law by the governor of Tennessee.

In other state-legislation activities, bills have been introduced in Colorado, Florida and Maine that would permit home-schooled students to participate in extracurricular activities at the student's local public (or in some cases nonpublic) school.

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Regional seminars

Rules-compliance seminars set for three sites in May

Selected individuals in the membership have received registration materials and a tentative agenda for the 1996 NCAA regional rules-compliance seminars.

The information was mailed February 8 to Divisions I and II athletics directors, faculty athletics representatives, senior woman administrators and compliance coordinators.

The seminars will be conducted May 8-10 in St. Louis (Hyatt Regency Union Station), May 22-24 in Boston (Park Plaza Hotel) and May 29-31 in Newport Beach, California (Marriott).

Staff contact: Chris Gates.

Title IX

Roster of panelists announced for seminar presentations

A roster of panelists has been announced for two Title IX seminars scheduled for April 11-12 in San Francisco and April 29-30 in Boston.

Panelists include Valerie M. Bonnette, president of Good Sports, Inc., a consultant service; Bridget Belgiovine, athletics director, University of Wisconsin, La Crosse, and NCAA Division III vice-president; Mary Ann Connell, attorney, University of Mississippi; Walter B. Connolly Jr., private attorney; Daniel DiBiasio, president, Wilmington College (Ohio); Robert E. Frederick, athletics director, University of Kansas; Ferdinand A. Geiger, athletics director, Ohio State University; Janet M. Justus, NCAA director of education resources; and Carolyn Lewis, associate athletics director, San Jose State University.

Additional panelists are Jim Livengood, athletics director, University of Arizona; Bernadette

McGlade, associate athletics director, Georgia Institute of Technology; Allan Ryan, attorney, Harvard University; Marcia L. Smeltzer, associate athletics director, Colorado State University; Judith M. Sweet, athletics director, University of California, San Diego; Angela D. Taylor, women's athletics director, University of Nevada; Patty Viverito, senior associate commissioner, Missouri Valley Conference, and commissioner, Gateway Football Conference; Diane T. Wendt, associate athletics director, University of Denver; and Charlotte West, associate athletics director, Southern Illinois University at Carbondale.

Representatives of the Office for Civil Rights (OCR) also will participate in the seminars.

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USOC

Steinbrenner optimistic about funding for initiatives

United States Olympic Committee Vice-President George Steinbrenner says he is optimistic that the USOC eventually will fund initiatives recommended by a joint NCAA/USOC Task Force.

Steinbrenner said he does not expect funding for the NCAA/USOC Task Force initiatives to be approved at the next meeting of the USOC executive committee, although he is optimistic "that we can get it in the next budget and that something will be done."

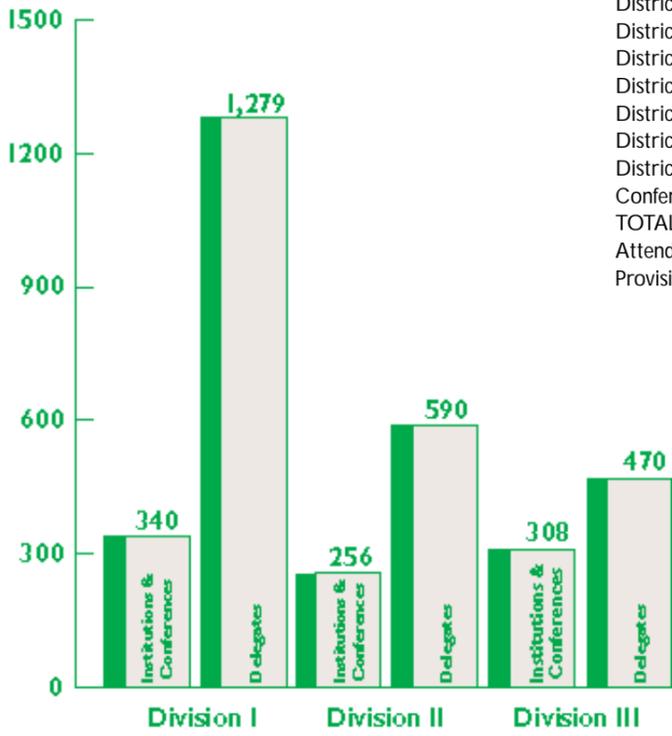
The USOC executive committee is considering a task-force request for \$12 million per year over a five-year timetable.

For more information, see the March 18 issue of The NCAA News.

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1996 Convention attendance



DIVISION I

	I-A			I-AA			I-AAA			Total		
	#	Inst.	Del.									
District 1	1	1	4	13	13	54	4	4	14	18	18	72
District 2	8	8	30	32	32	98	18	18	61	58	58	189
District 3	27	27	123	33	33	116	22	21	69	82	81	308
District 4	23	23	113	8	8	33	12	12	44	43	43	190
District 5	9	9	43	6	6	26	6	6	19	21	21	88
District 6	14	14	73	13	13	51	6	6	20	33	33	144
District 7	11	11	44	8	8	28	1	1	1	20	20	73
District 8	15	15	70	6	6	19	9	9	27	30	30	116
Conference	<u>10</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>47</u>	<u>36</u>	<u>99</u>
TOTALS	118	118	540	133	131	452	99	91	287	350	340	1279
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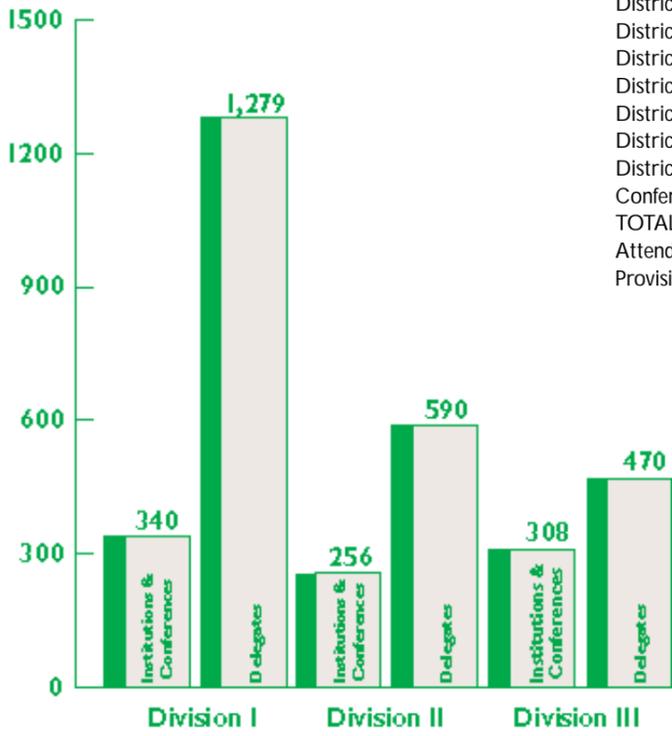
DIVISION II

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District 1	17	15	29
District 2	47	44	85
District 3	79	74	153
District 4	28	27	71
District 5	27	27	101
District 6	13	12	40
District 7	15	15	37
District 8	19	19	47
Conference	<u>24</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>27</u>
TOTALS	269	256	590
Attendance Pct.	.952		
Provisional	45	43	86

DIVISION III

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District 1	63	53	80
District 2	113	91	146
District 3	49	29	47
District 4	90	68	103
District 5	18	17	28
District 6	5	5	10
District 7	1	1	2
District 8	13	12	19
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■ Briefly in the News

Coaches avert potential crash

University of Southern California women's basketball coach Fred Williams and assistants Frank Scott and John Henderson demonstrated teamwork at its best when it was needed most.

The coaches worked together to save the team's bus from crashing after the driver — 64-year-old James M. Anderson — suffered a fatal heart attack at the wheel while transporting the team from Spokane (Washington) International Airport to Washington State University March 6.

As the bus started down a ramp toward a treacherous stretch of Interstate 90 in snowy conditions, the bus jolted as if it had struck something.

"Hey, hey, man, you OK?" Williams is quoted by the Orange County (California) Register as asking the driver.

Williams, who was seated behind the driver, jumped to his feet and grabbed the steering wheel from Anderson's hands. The bus was moving at speeds around 45 miles per hour. While Williams concentrated on keeping the vehicle from crashing, Scott and Henderson worked to untangle Anderson's feet from the accelerator and brake pedals. Once freed, the assistant coaches pulled the unconscious Anderson into the aisle, and Williams safely stopped the bus a few feet from an eight-foot drop.

"Fred was at the wheel steering," Henderson told Scott M. Reid. "He was so calm. He just said, 'Where's the brake?' and 'Tell the girls to stay calm.' He saved the team."

Sue Lernier, the team's trainer, and Marianne Patino, a student assistant, performed CPR on Anderson but could not revive him.

"It was a perfect example of good teamwork," Washington state trooper Bob Watkins said. "Another quarter mile down the road they would have been on Interstate 90, and if they had gone off the road there it would have been a disaster. It was like they had practiced it. The more I think about it, the more I realize what a miracle it was."

"It makes you realize that basketball is not that important," Scott said. "It will be a while before I forget that a man lost his life."

Perfect with little practice

Hurling a perfect game can be as elusive for a pitcher as scoring a hole-in-one can be for a golfer. Lots of practice — and a fair amount of luck — are required to attain both feats.

Dana DeVito, a pitcher on the women's soft-



University of Connecticut photo

Gift for Connecticut — *The University of Connecticut announced in February that its new outdoor athletics facility will be named the George J. Sherman Family Sports Complex. The university received a gift of more than \$650,000 from the Sherman family to help construct the \$3.7 million complex. Lottie K. Sherman (seated) was on hand at Harry A. Gampel Pavilion for the announcement. Also in attendance were (standing, from left) A. J. Pappanikou, past president of the UConn Club and former faculty athletics representative; Bill and Susan Sherman, children of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman; Lewis Perkins, Connecticut athletics director; and Donald E. "Dee" Rowe, senior advisor for athletics at Connecticut.*

ball team at Long Island University/C. W. Post Campus, managed to record a 3-0 perfect game March 9 against Wingate University without the benefit of very much practice. A freshman, DeVito tossed only the second perfect game in the program's history. More remarkably, she did it in just her second college start.

DeVito pitched three games in the Pioneers' season-opening tournament, hosted by Queens College (North Carolina). In her first collegiate game, she tossed a two-hitter in a 3-1 victory against Lincoln Memorial University. She then registered the perfect game, striking out five and snaring a knee-high line drive to save a sure hit.

Against Columbus College in her third start, a lead-off single snapped DeVito's streak of 37 batters retired without a base hit. A throwing error in the fifth inning gave Columbus all the

scoring needed for a 1-0 victory.

Mightiest of turnouts

The Western Athletic Conference's women's basketball tournament championship game attracted more fans to the stands than any other Division I conference women's tournament championship game.

A conference-record 10,426 watched Colorado State University and the University of New Mexico March 9 at New Mexico's University Arena.

Other Division I women's basketball conference championship game attendance: Southwest, 8,384; Big East, 8,241; Southeastern, 7,121; Big Ten, 6,783; Big Sky, 5,286; Atlantic Coast, 5,067; and Big Eight, 4,640.

— *Compiled by Ronald D. Mott*

■ Milestones

Ohio Wesleyan University men's basketball coach Gene Mehaffey etched his 500th victory into the books February 20 in a 71-62 upset of the College of Wooster. Mehaffey has coached for 37 years — 17 at Ohio Wesleyan.

Nazareth College women's basketball coach Mike Decillis recorded his 200th collegiate coaching victory January 31.

Bill H. Brown, men's basketball coach at Kenyon College, recorded his 100th victory when the Lords defeated Oberlin College, 72-66, January 17.

Shirley Duncan, women's basketball coach at Longwood College, collected her 200th career coaching victory in a 75-63 victory over Pfeiffer College.

Kerry Volkmann, wrestling coach at John Carroll University, recorded his 100th dual-meet coaching victory January 12.

Lynn Agee, women's basketball coach at the University of North Carolina, Greensboro, earned her 350th victory in a 73-54 triumph over the University of North Carolina, Asheville, January 17.

Gail Maloney, women's basketball coach at State University College at Buffalo, recorded her 300th victory January 22 in an 80-47 win against Hilbert College.

Keene State College women's softball coach Charlie Beach and Ken Howe, the school's baseball coach, each reached milestones during the first week of play this season. Beach won his 200th game in a 4-3 win over Ferris State University March 4. Howe garnered victory No. 100 in an 18-3 defeat of Alvernia College March 3.

Dave Wilson, women's basketball coach at State University of New York at Binghamton, recorded his 100th victory February 16 in a 63-58 win over State University College at Potsdam.

C. Alan Rowe, men's basketball coach at Widener University, captured his 500th career victory in his 796th game. The milestone occurred with a 72-57 victory over Moravian College.

Kutztown University of Pennsylvania women's softball coach Judy Lawes earned her 200th career win in the Golden Bears' 5-1 victory over the University of Charleston (West Virginia) March 2.

Joe Roberts, baseball coach at Armstrong State College, registered victory No. 700 with a 3-2 defeat of Kennesaw State College in the second game of a double-header February 25. Roberts coached his 1,000th game in the first game against Kennesaw State.

Assistant chiefs of staff, legislative services director named

The NCAA has announced four staff assignments that will continue the process of restructuring the national staff to support the new NCAA governance structure created at the January Convention.

In February, three chiefs of staffs were named who will work with the three federated divisions. Now, three assistant chiefs of staffs have been named. In addition, a director of legislative services was named to replace Daniel T. Dutcher, who earlier was named chief of staff for Division III.

The new appointees are Jacqueline G. Hudson, assistant chief of staff for Division I; Mike L. Racy, assistant chief of staff for Division II; Marybeth Ruskamp, assistant chief of staff for Division III; and Athena Yiamouyiannis, director of legislative services.

Hudson will work directly with Stephen R. Morgan, chief of staff for Division I. Her background includes a five-year history with the NCAA as a legislative assistant. Prior to joining the NCAA staff, Hudson was an administrative assistant to the director of athletics at the University of Pittsburgh.

The Willingsboro, New Jersey, native attended the University of Virginia,



Hudson



Racy



Ruskamp



Yiamouyiannis

where she received a bachelor of science degree in commerce. She then completed a master's degree in sports management at the University of Massa-

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■ Committee notices

Member institutions are invited to submit nominations to fill interim vacancies on NCAA committees. Written nominations to fill the following vacancies must be received by Fannie B. Vaughan, executive assistant, in the NCAA national office no later than April 8, 1996 (fax number 913/339-0035):

Committee on Financial Aid and Amateurism: Replacement for Morgan J. Burke, director of athletics, Purdue University, resigned from the committee effective immediately. Appointee preferably should be a Division I-A director of athletics.

Division I Baseball Committee: Replacement for Frederick J. Hill, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, declined reelection for a second term effective September 1, 1996. Appointee must be from the Division I East region of

Division I baseball.

Replacement for David P. O'Brien, Long Beach State University, declined appointment to a term effective September 1, 1996. Appointee must be from Division I.

Men's and Women's Golf Committee: Replacement for Jill Hirschinger, formerly at Ferris State University, resigned from the institution to accept a position at a Division I institution. Appointee must be a women's golf representative from Division II.

Men's and Women's Track and Field Committee: Replacement for Steven R. Hellyer, University of Oregon, declined reelection. Appointee must be a women's track representative from Division I.

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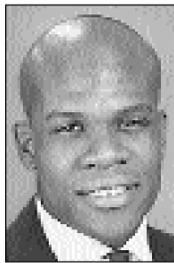
□ Student-athlete view

Athletes need a way to get the word out

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The marketplace of ideas is an institution that dates back as far as ancient Greece. In those days, it was called the "agora" and the townspeople would gather there to discuss events and issues of the day.

As we move along the information superhighway, we now include the Internet in this marketplace. For most, though, as far as written material is concerned, the marketplace of ideas is restricted to magazines and newspapers.



Belinfanti

However, under Bylaw 12.5.2.1, the NCAA limits the participation of student-athletes in this marketplace.

Under this bylaw, student-athletes are not allowed to write, for publication, any articles that will be used to promote the sale of a publication or for which the writer was selected "primarily on the reputation obtained because of athletics ability." The application of this legislation is based primarily on legislative interpretation because the original bylaw deals with promotion in regard to photo advertising, not written materials.

Recently, Dan Kreft, a basketball player at Northwestern University, was not allowed to write an article for Sports Illustrated because the NCAA ruled that Kreft would be helping to promote Sports Illustrated. This, the NCAA believes, would be an exploitation of Kreft's status as a student-athlete.

In this instance, however, Kreft clearly was not chosen on the basis of his athletics ability (Kreft is self-admittedly a mediocre basketball player). He was chosen because an editor at Sports Illustrated saw a Web site Kreft had created and was impressed with his writing. Realizing that there might be ramifications, ethical and otherwise, with accepting payment for his article, Kreft agreed not to accept compensation. Nevertheless, the NCAA forbade him to submit the article.

In this instance and others like it, I believe that the NCAA has made a grave mistake. When the NCAA claims that articles like Kreft's will be used to promote the sale of a publication, it turns its back on several realities. Perhaps the most obvious of these is that the majority of magazine and newspaper sales come from subscriptions, not newsstand

Make opportunity the Title IX standard

The participation numbers in your February 19 issue show that, in every sport, men's average squad size is larger than women's. Overall, men's squads are about 25 percent larger.

Excluding the sports that were listed only in the men's section (football, wrestling, rifle and water polo), each sex has 17 comparable sports, and the participation is as follows:

Men	
Number of sports	17
Number of teams	6,343
Number of participants	130,593
Average squad	20.59
Pct. of participants	54.1%
Women	
Number of sports	17
Number of teams	6,724
Number of participants	110,524
Average squad	16.44
Pct. of participants	45.9%
Even if the "men-only" sports did not	

□ Letter

exist, the proportionality criterion of Title IX would not be met, simply because there are more walk-ons in men's sports. Men would still be 54 percent of the participants, although there would be more teams for women than for men.

If a school offered 34 of these sports, total participation would be 360 men and 293 women (the sum of the average squad size in each sport). Would that school be forced to drop some of the men's sports or restrict the men's squad sizes to achieve proportionality? How would that benefit women?

Compliance with Title IX should be based on opportunities available rather than participation. Each sport should have a designated squad size that is used to count the number of opportunities available, and it should not matter if participation exceeds the designated number. Another alterna-

tive would be to simply count the number of sports offered. Either method would give a more accurate measure of opportunity, and men would not have opportunities taken away when women do not use all of their opportunities.

Women historically have been short-changed in opportunity and treatment (coaching positions, funding, facilities and promotion). Those factors can be accurately measured, so it is ironic that the enforcement of Title IX focuses only on participation, which is the one factor that provides a distorted measure of opportunity. The focus should be on equal treatment and equal opportunities available.

The current enforcement of Title IX amounts to this: Women must have more opportunities than men so they will participate in equal numbers so it can be claimed there is equal opportunity.

Paul Diefenbach
East Lansing, Michigan

□ Opinions

Abdul-Jabbar: Sports sending some flawed messages

Kareem Abdul-Jabbar, former basketball player
University of California, Los Angeles
60 minutes

"To me, it seems like the style of professional wrestling started to take over all sports. That style, that attitude, just seems like a whole bunch of guys on steroids that hate each other. I think the whole culture, our whole culture here in America, has become a lot more vulgar. And I think it's not considered to be cool to be a good sportsman. You're considered too square and soft..."

"The whole process of celebration has gone beyond celebration and it's taunting. I pity the people that are doing that because they really do not understand. Sports is a step away from the rule of the jungle and they're trying to move it back toward the jungle, where the strong survive and misuse the weaker in any way they want. That's really unfortunate for our whole system of values here in this country."

Late starting times

Geno Auriemma, women's basketball coach
University of Connecticut
The Associated Press

"If we're playing Monday night at 9:30, I think I'll be pretty happy. You've got to make some adjustments so the most people can watch the games.

"I know it's hard to wait around all day, but I don't know if we'll ever be able to get away from that. That's just the way things are now. I think you learn to adjust."

Leon Barmore, women's basketball coach
Louisiana Tech University
The Associated Press

"Last year, we played Western Kentucky at 11 o'clock at night here at Louisiana Tech. We had a packed house, it was an exciting atmosphere, we had a good game. If ESPN calls me, we'll play any time they want to play..."

"Not day in and day out and year in and year out, but as a growing sport, TV is what you need. Certainly we need both (newspaper and television exposure). We have the best newspaper coverage here you can imagine. Our kids are in the paper all the time. I know some places where the players never get in the paper.

"So we need both. We need to work together to get the best coverage. But right now, as we talk about it, it's television. Everybody is aware of the problems and is trying to work them out."

Academic standards

Editorial
The Springfield (Illinois) State Journal-Register

"The NCAA is to be commended for holding firm on its much-criticized commitment to raise admission standards for student-athletes.

"That commitment was underscored recently by University of Southern California President Steven Sample, who helped defeat an attempt to dilute the standards.

"At its annual Convention in Dallas, the NCAA resisted efforts to relax eligibility requirements for incoming freshmen athletes. The attempt to weaken the standards came, for the most part, from (those who assert) that raising academic standards is inherently racist because it discriminates against African-Americans (and) that tougher entrance standards translate into fewer Blacks being granted an opportunity to use their physical talents to gain ath-

letics scholarships.

"But this emotionally charged argument conveniently glosses over the shameful record of black athletes being exploited by football and basketball factories in the past, not to mention the positive effect of recently enacted tougher eligibility requirements.

"The scandalous record of poor black kids being recruited to play ball, excused from attending classes and then dumped once their athletics eligibility expires is there for all to see.

"Stories abound of prized running backs and point guards loading up on cupcake classes to maintain the fiction they are pursuing a college degree, only to disappear when the season ends.

"That helps explain why the graduation rate among all male basketball players at the 108 Division I-A schools is a pathetic 39 percent. It also explains why the NCAA has, during the last several years, stiffened entry requirements for scholarship athletes..."

"What has been the upshot of tougher academic standards? College athletes are not only doing better in the classroom, but black athletes have increased their graduation rate by about nine percent. There has been a corresponding four percent decline in the number of Blacks entering Division I schools on scholarship. But this was anticipated when the reform was enacted.

"The late tennis great, Arthur Ashe, once said that stricter academic expectations would help stem 'the devaluation of education among Blacks.'

"Ashe's words ring especially true among black athletes who are benefiting from the NCAA's higher standards."

Basketball shooting

Mike DeCourcy, columnist
The Sporting News

"With all that can happen in a college game, there is nothing so dull as a missed shot, but that's mostly what we're seeing. Defenses are able to play aggressively out to the three-point line without overextending themselves; offensive players are reluctant to penetrate because officials penalize them with charging calls..."

"There are other reasons shooters are missing more, and they don't have much to do with the theory players spend too much time working on dunks:

"1) An extra point. The number of three-point attempts has increased every season since the shot was introduced in 1987. Accuracy has either declined or stayed even, never increased..."

"2) Everyone shoots. When Austin Carr was all-American at Notre Dame in the early 1970s, the offense was designed for him to attempt a shot nearly every possession. He averaged more than 38 points his final season but shot better than 50 percent for his career. He says his teammates weren't bothered by that setup, but fewer current players are content to accept nonshooting roles.

"3) Coaches aren't stupid. Of last season's top 10 teams in field-goal defense, eight made the NCAA tournament. Only five of the top 10 in field-goal shooting made it..."

"4) Body blows. The lane has become to college basketball what the slot is to hockey; a player can score more easily from there, but only if he survives the beating. The number of personal fouls during each of the previous four seasons dropped, and the trend seems likely to continue. When official Dick Paparo worked Duke-Wake Forest and Memphis-DePaul on successive nights, his crew averaged 26.5 foul calls; that's nearly 13 below last season's average."

Saint Leo College makes gender-equity efforts following suit

Saint Leo College publicly has committed itself to developing and promoting women's athletics following a federal lawsuit by current and former members of its women's softball team and coaching staff who charged that the institution violates Title IX by giving women student-athletes inferior equipment, facilities and opportunities.

Karen White, a current member of the softball team who is not among the plaintiffs, said her teammates were justified in filing suit. She said, however, that since the initial complaints were filed months ago, some conditions have improved, although some problems remain.

"All of a sudden we are getting a ton of stuff we never had," White told the St. Petersburg (Florida) Times. "We got our grass all done, we got a new scoreboard put in, new uniforms. When I first came to the field, it was nothing like it is now."

"I really can't pinpoint one thing that's a problem. It's a lot of piddly things, and I don't like...that we have to go and complain about it. It's not just one thing."

Janet Cone, St. Leo's senior woman administrator and women's basketball coach, is the college's only full-time female coach. She said she is pleased with the gender-equity efforts made by the college since her arrival two years ago.

"All I have seen is a lot of progress for our entire program, women and men," she said. "One of the things that was made very clear to me before (I got here) was that our programs are not where we want them to be, and we are going to do some concrete things to make them better."

"Many things were presented to me as part of a plan. Since I have been here, I've seen concrete things happening, and I certainly have no major complaints."

Since Cone's arrival, Bill Lent was appointed as full-time coach of the women's volleyball program, a position Cone previously held.

In November, a new scoreboard was installed at the softball facility. The school recently announced that women's soccer will become a varsity sport this fall.

Carlyn Ross, a freshman on the women's basketball team, said she doesn't believe there is much evidence of gender inequity, at least between the men's and women's basketball programs.

"I haven't experienced any unequal treatment on anything," Ross said. "I think it's the same. We get the same amount of money to eat, the same equipment, the same everything. But I don't know about the softball team."

In the lawsuit, former softball coach Ray Carver and assistant Jerry Miller claim St. Leo provided their players with inferior equipment and facilities, less financial support, and fewer scholarships.

"I really do not want to comment further, but as far as I'm concerned the lawsuit speaks for itself," Carver said. "I really don't want to get into any name-calling with anyone at St. Leo."

Carver was suspended last October for what the college

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described as "financial irregularities" in the softball program.



Women's softball appears to be experiencing a period of rapid growth.

During the 1994-95 academic year, 69 new women's soccer programs competed for the first time. But women's softball programs have increased by 82 for the start of the 1995-96 academic year.

"It's a sport we've wanted to add for quite a while," Sharon L. McCloskey, senior associate athletics director at Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, told the Roanoke (Virginia) Times and World News. "We needed a place to play. There's no question it's become a popular sport."

Virginia Tech is among this year's crop of new women's softball sponsors. Rebecca Aase, assistant women's softball coach at Virginia Tech, credits Title IX, in part, for the sport's growth.

"Part of it is Title IX and schools needing to add women's sports to reach equality with men," said Aase, who set the NCAA record for consecutive victories (50) during her pitching career at Florida State University. "The Silver Bullets (professional women's baseball team) have added some interest. And more people are playing fast-pitch again."

Virginia Tech plans to spend \$2.25 million to build a women's softball facility. It is scheduled for completion next year and should be ready for competition in spring 1998. McCloskey said 2.75 athletics grants-in-aid are available to the program this year, and the number will increase annually.



The General Accounting Office (GAO) expects to release in August the results of a national study on Title IX compliance.

The study, which was requested by Rep. Cardiss Collins, D-Illinois, will focus on efforts by federal and state governments — as well as the NCAA — to promote gender equity in athletics.

The GAO said it may make recommendations for federal action if warranted, and agreed to include factual information only to give a "status update on gender equity" in athletics. The agency also said it will not audit secondary school districts or postsecondary institutions.

Several NCAA staff members are providing the GAO with information concerning the Association's efforts on gender-equity issues.



The Congressional Women's Caucus, meeting informally

March 7 in Washington, D.C., to discuss issues affecting women in education, has vowed to seek "continued vigorous enforcement of Title IX, in addition to other antidiscrimination laws."

Rep. Lynn Woosley, D-California, chair of the committee, said the hearing was intended to kick off National Women's History Month. She said it remains clear that women must fight an uphill battle for equality in education.

"There is no question that gender equity in education is under attack," Woosley said. "The fact remains that education in our country is made more difficult for women than men."

Participants of the hearing — which included representatives of the National Women's Law Center, the National Organization for Women Legal Defense and Education Fund, and the American Association of University Women — focused primarily on the inequities of male and female salaries in education, on whether single-sex institutions benefit women, and on unequal opportunities provided to girls and women in athletics.

Reps. Patricia Schroeder, D-Colorado; Patsy Mink, D-Hawaii; Anna Eshoo, D-California; and Nita Lowey, D-New York, also attended.



An attorney for fired West Georgia College women's basketball coach Sheila Collins told the Atlanta Journal and Constitution that he believes the institution violates Title IX in its treatment of the women's basketball program compared to the men's program.

Allen Manheim says he has written several letters to Edward G. Murphy, athletics director and men's basketball coach at West Georgia, highlighting specific areas in which he believes the institution is out of compliance with Title IX.

"The bottom line is that the women's basketball program has not been treated in a fashion consistent with Title IX," Manheim said. "They did not give the coach an equal ability to recruit on a par with the men's team. The women's team did not get the same amenities, facilities, and the opportunity for quality coaching. Thus, it did not have an equal chance to progress as the men's team."

Murphy, calling Collins' dismissal a "performance issue," said he welcomes any inquiries into his athletics program.

"We are on solid ground here," he said. "We didn't have any choice given the state of the program. So if they want to sue, let them sue."

He added that West Georgia markedly has improved its women's athletics program in recent years.

"Anybody can come out here and see what we've done."

— Compiled by Ronald D. Mott

Some information was provided by the NCAA's Washington, D.C., office. Title IX Ticker is a monthly feature in The NCAA News. News and information regarding Title IX and gender-equity issues can be sent to The NCAA News, Attn.: Title IX Ticker, 6201 College Boulevard, Overland Park, Kansas 66211-2422.

Permission to write

Rule restricting student-athletes' ability to write for commercial publications is inappropriate, inhibits development

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sales. This means that an incredible majority of sales are not influenced by specific content.

Of greater importance and consequence to the student-athlete is that by permitting published work, the NCAA would allow the student-athlete to promote himself or herself. Promotion of the student-athlete: Shouldn't this be a primary objective of the NCAA?

As we prepare ourselves for this life, certain questions always seem to present themselves. One of those questions is whether you have ever had any written work published. It appears on internship, job and graduate school applications, and its importance cannot be underestimated on a resume. In fact, for students in journalism and some other disciplines, a portfolio of written work is in large part the basis for evaluation. Through its interpretation of

Bylaw 12.5.2.1, the NCAA seems to put the student-athlete on a different playing field than the nonathlete.

I suspect the NCAA's response would be that it does not seek to curtail publication by student-athletes as students but more so as athletes. To be fair, student-athletes are allowed to write letters to the editor and in at least one instance, the NCAA has allowed a student to write restaurant reviews for his school newspaper. However, in instances when the student-athlete is asked to write about his sport and the aspects of life associated with it, the NCAA remains steadfast in its first interpretation of the bylaw.

It seems to me that the first responsibility of any writer is to know the topic he or she is writing about. The "good writers" are often able to enhance their writing by drawing on personal experiences. We often hear of the great com-

bination of athletics and academics. So why, then, does the NCAA seek to separate the two and limit the student-athletes' writing experiences by excluding sport?

We certainly never would prohibit a student in any other extracurricular club (for instance, a political organization) from writing a related article. Yet, this is what the NCAA does to the student-athlete.

There is even another issue that relates. By allowing the student-athlete to write for publication articles that may or may not be related to athletics, the NCAA would enable student-athletes to enhance their image.

Unfortunately, there is a prevailing stereotype surrounding us. We are too often seen only as athletes and not as student-athletes. We are too often bombarded with stories about athletes who have graduated without adequate communication skills. We read about NCAA rules

violations, and we have been besieged with stories about criminal allegations against student-athletes. Who better than the student-athlete to show that these instances are the exception and not the rule?

Permit us to write about experiences in the classroom and experiences in life. Permit the student-athlete to write about experiences on the playing field, life on the road, how we handle athletics and academics, or even the feeling just before a contest.

In short, let us do what we are principally in college to do: participate in the marketplace of ideas.

Greg Belinfanti is a student-athlete at New York University, where he recently completed his senior season as a member of the men's basketball team. He is a member of the NCAA Student-Athlete Advisory Committee.

Administrative Committee minutes

Conference No. 5 March 6, 1996

1. Acting for the Council:

a. Appointed Horace T. Small, Johnson C. Smith University, as chair of the National Youth Sports Program Committee, replacing Brenda L. Edmond, Southern University, Baton Rouge, resigned.

b. Appointed Brian Purcell, women's soccer coach, Presbyterian College, to the Women's Soccer Committee, re-

placing Roland Sturk, resigned.

c. Appointed T. Barry Gorman, men's soccer coach, Pennsylvania State University, to the Men's Soccer Committee, replacing Bob Bradley, resigned.

d. Appointed Joe Jones, Cameron University, to the Men's and Women's Tennis Committee, replacing Pam Gill-Fisher, University of California, Davis, whose term expires September 1, 1996.

e. Extended the term of Daniel L. Bridges, former Council member, as chair of the District 8 Postgraduate Scholarship Selection Committee through June 1996.

f. Using its authority under Bylaw 5.4.1.1.1 to modify leg-

islation consistent with the intent, revised Bylaw 13.7.1.2.4 to specify that prior to receiving an official paid visit in a sport that has an early signing period, a prospect must have a sum ACT score of 68 (rather than a minimum composite of 17).

g. Noted that a diversity training session will be held for Council members October 9-10 in Kansas City, immediately following the October 7-9 Council meeting.

h. Using its authority under Bylaw 5.3.1.1.1, amended the name of the Women's Crew Committee and the National Collegiate Women's Crew Championship to Women's Rowing Committee and National Collegiate Women's Rowing Championship, noting that such terminology is more ac-

curate.

i. Granted a waiver of the scheduling provisions of Bylaw 20.9.4.1 to West Virginia University, noting that the situation that prevented the institution from meeting the scheduling requirements for its women's indoor track team were beyond the institution's control.

2. Acting for the Executive Committee, authorized the purchase of a \$1 million certificate of deposit from Mark Twain Bank of Kansas, noting that the bank is being asked to offer additional loans for the exceptional student-athlete dis-

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BY GARY T. BROWN
STAFF WRITER

Strength in numbers?

A combined Divisions II and III championships creates new opportunities for women's golf, but some wonder if the short-term benefit will outweigh some long-term liabilities

Officially, the NCAA's newest championship in 1995-96 is the Division I Women's Golf Championships, scheduled in May. But unofficially, the newest championship is the one Division I left behind.

The Division I event, approved at the 1995 NCAA Convention, is an offshoot of the former National Collegiate Women's Golf Championships, which included golfers from all three competing divisions. That tournament offered an opportunity for 102 golfers to compete for the national crown.

But 95 of those slots were reserved for Division I players, who regularly dominated the field. So the new Division I championships is really a lot like the former championships.

The real "new kid on the block" is the Divisions II and III Women's Golf Championships, which will be hosted by Grand Valley State University May 14-17. Now, instead of just seven berths for golfers from Divisions II and III, a championships field of 63 will compete for the first time under the NCAA championships umbrella.

And while that's historic, it may not be the only step in the evolution of postseason play in women's golf. Certainly, opportunity for the two divisions has increased, but because the divisions will be competing against each other for team and individual championships, coaches who otherwise are happy with the arrangement realize that the playing field is far from level.

"I'm not going to tell you that everyone is happy with it," said Sam Lesseig, golf coach at Northeast Missouri State University and a member of the NCAA Men's and Women's Golf Committee when the legislation for the new championship structure was proposed. "When we started looking for a way to have an NCAA championship of some type for Divisions II and III, those divisions by themselves didn't have enough members to warrant separate championships. The only way was to retain the National Collegiate championship and have Division I submit the legislation to get their own, since they had the numbers. The committee figured that would provide the earliest opportunity for a championship for Divisions II and III."

63 golfers

The current format provides for a field of 27 golfers from Division II (one team of five players from each of three regions and 12 additional individual berths) and 36 from Division III (one team of five players from each of four regions and 16 additional players). Division III

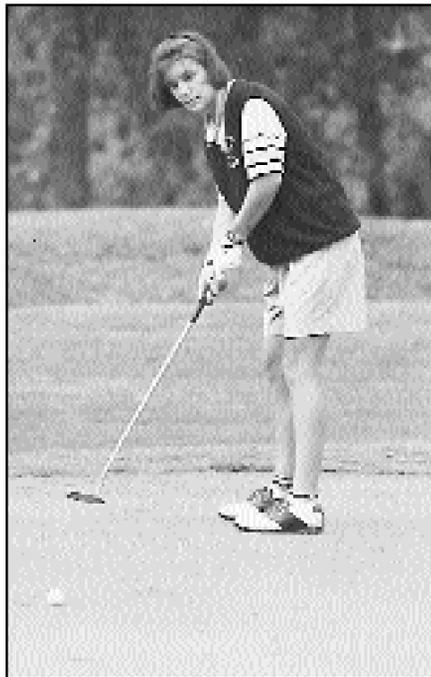
has a larger representation because more of its schools sponsor the sport, but Division II may have a competitive edge with scholarship players.

"We're competing against schools that give athletics scholarships, which is an unfair playing field," said Amherst College golf coach Michelle Morgan. "From a Division III standpoint, it's tough to play against schools that are giving money, but for the time being, it's the way we need to go."

For now, it may be an exercise in teamwork and sacrifice. Division II may have more capable golfers across the board, but Division III has the numbers to make the championship possible. Both groups need each other — at least for now.

Division III is closer than Division II to having the 50 schools necessary to establish a championship. Division III, in fact, currently has 54 sponsoring schools, but Lesseig warns against establishing a championship while hovering near the sponsorship minimum.

"It's one thing to have 50 schools that claim to provide the sport," he said. "but when you start asking for a championship, the NCAA is really to look and see whether these programs really do exist. They're going to ask how many times they compete and the whole thing will come under more scrutiny. You'd better have plenty of teams above the minimum before you even peti-



tion or you're going to fall by the wayside and you'll have to wait even longer."

Most Divisions II and III coaches feel they've waited long enough to compete for an NCAA trophy.

The National Golf Coaches Association (NGCA) previously sponsored a postseason tournament for Divisions II and III, but competing institutions paid out of pocket in order to participate.

Expenses paid

"There's less representation for both divisions in the new championship than there was in the NGCA championship," Lesseig said.

"But at the same time, the NGCA championship was basically out of your own budget, and a lot of schools were feeling the pinch. As you

well know, it often comes down to a matter of cost. And the NGCA tournaments — we always enjoyed them — but really and truthfully they're not like the NAAs. Overall that's going to be a benefit."

"The NGCA tournament was wonderful in that there was a Division II champion crowned and a Division III champion crowned," Morgan said. "Each division had a medalist and their own all-Americans. But financially, the NCAA championship is a big-time step in the right

Although there isn't yet an opportunity for separate women's golf championships for Divisions II and III, Methodist College — a Division III school — is expected to challenge in the divisions' combined championships.

Richard Small photo

State legislation relating to college athletics

This report summarizes legislation currently pending before state legislatures that could affect, or is otherwise of interest to, the intercollegiate athletics programs and student-athletes of NCAA member institutions.

Set forth below is a list of 25 bills from 13 states. The report includes 10 bills that have been introduced and 15 pending bills on which action has been taken since the last report (March 11, 1996, issue of The NCAA News). The newly introduced bills are marked with an asterisk (*). Pending bills, identified in previous reports on which no further action has been taken, do not appear in this report.

The State Legislation Report is based largely on data provided by the Information for Public Affairs on-line state legislation system as of March 12, 1996. The bills selected for inclusion in this report were drawn from a larger pool of measures that concern sports and, therefore, do not necessarily represent all of the bills that would be of interest to individual member institutions. Bills pending before the governing bodies of the District of Columbia and U.S. territories are not available on an on-line basis and are not included in this report.

The NCAA has not independently verified the accuracy or completeness of the data provided by Information for Public Affairs and is providing this summary as a service to its members. For further information regarding a particular bill, members should contact the state legislature concerned.

The bills set forth address the following subjects:

Subject	Number of Bills
Academic standards.....	1
Anabolic steroids.....	2
Athlete agents.....	2
Athletics facilities.....	2
Athletics schedules.....	1

Athletics trainers.....	3
High-school curriculum.....	1
High-school extracurricular/home schooling.....	5
Liability.....	1
Residency criteria.....	1
Safety standards/cheerleaders.....	1
Tax.....	2
Television.....	1
Tickets.....	2

Two bills have become law since the last report, one dealing with athlete agents and the other relating to residency criteria for the purposes of attending a postsecondary institution.

*Alabama S. 457 (Author: Hill)

Imposes a Class A misdemeanor criminal offense on those persons who sell or offer for sale any ticket of admission to an athletics or other entertainment event for a price in excess of the price printed on the ticket plus a nominal service charge.

Status: 2/27/96 introduced. To House Committee on Education.

Arizona S. 1181 (Author: Huppenthal)

Provides that a home-school student must be allowed to participate in interscholastic competition at the public school she or he otherwise would attend. Restricts school districts from contracting with interscholastic associations that prohibit the participation of, in addition to home-school students, charter school, private school and foreign-exchange students.

Status: 1/23/96 introduced. 2/26/96 passed Senate. 2/27/96 to House Committee on Education.

Colorado S. 9 (Author: Meiklejohn)

Allows the Colorado Commission on Higher Education, in determining academic standards for first-time admitted freshmen and transfer students, to consider nontraditional academic indicators in addition to traditional academic indicators.

Status: 1/10/96 introduced. 1/24/96 passed Senate. To House 3/6/96 reported favorably by House Committee on Education.

direction."

And while the NGCA may not be sponsoring a tournament any longer, it will continue to provide other kinds of support for Divisions II and III. Dianne Dailey, women's golf coach at Wake Forest University, current NCAA golf committee member and past president of the NGCA, said the association will do all it can to ensure that its commitment to Divisions II and III is as strong as it is to Division I.

"What we're trying to do as a coaches association is to be sure that everything provided in the Divisions II and III championships is the same as in Division I," she said. "The NGCA will continue to have the special events like the banquet that we've always had."

"We'll be giving more awards, like a coach of the year in Division II and Division III, and the all-American awards as we have done in the past, though we'll try to be more recognized now. The big difference for the association is that we're going to try to do a whole lot more in Divisions II and III than we've done before."

Few coaches deny the increased opportunity the combined championships offer in Divisions II and III, but some debate exists over whether the combined championships represent a long-term benefit.

If, however, increasing sponsorship is the way to eventually establish separate division championships, some coaches believe the current setup is a good start.

Ted Katula, athletics director and men's and women's golf coach at DePauw University, thinks that the financial lure alone will help increase the field.

A 'step up'

"It's a tremendous step up," he said. "Women's golf has taken a back seat in the past, primarily because of finances. There's a lot of ADs out there doing ballet dances around that. But now that this tournament is starting, I think you might start seeing some movement."

"I think it's like anything that starts out," Lesseig said. "It's going to evolve and as more schools sponsor golf, the representation will eventually grow. I've had people say we're hurting ourselves in the long run possibly, but I say that overall, women's golf needed this."

"My feeling is that we're basically increasing the opportunity for NCAA representation from 102 golfers (the former National Collegiate championships) to 159 (the number of participants in both championships this year). We've increased the opportunity, and that's the main thing we've got to do. In the long run I think it will help us all."

*Colorado S. 207 (Author: Wells)

Permits home-school, public school and nonpublic school students to participate in extracurricular activities (including athletics) at another public school in the student's district of attendance or district of residence. Limits participation to only those students whose school or educational program does not offer the activity. Qualifying students may participate at a nonpublic school at the discretion of that school. Permits an activities fee to be charged for all participants.

Status: 2/28/96 introduced. To Senate Committee on Education.

*Connecticut H. 5612 (Author: Committee on Energy and Technology)

Requires the University of Connecticut and four other Connecticut state universities to televise their athletics events on a broadcast station or on a cable station that is offered as part of the basic program package of such cable company.

Status: 2/29/96 introduced. To Joint Committee on Energy and Technology.

*Connecticut H. 5775 (Author: Committee on Public Health)

Establishes licensing requirements for all persons who perform athletics training. Creates Connecticut Athletic Training Board, which is responsible for conducting revocation and suspension of licensure hearings as well as adjudicating complaints against practitioners.

Status: 3/6/96 introduced. To Joint Committee on Public Health.

Florida H. 1041 (Author: Committee on Education)

Raises the required cumulative grade-point average for purposes of the school district comprehensive program for pupil progression and high-school graduation. Raises the requirements for participation in interscholastic extracurricular activities, including athletics, from 1.500 to 2.000 over a three-year period. Establishes that the new standards for participation are effective beginning with the student's first semester of ninth grade.

Status: 2/8/96 prefiled. 3/5/96 introduced. 3/7/96 reported favorably by House Committee on Appropriations.

Florida H. 1141/S. 628 (Authors: Bradley/Crist)

Exempts from state tax the admissions to semifinal and final games of a national collegiate tournament.

■ Championships previews

Division I Men's Swimming and Diving

Michigan vying for second straight title

Event: 1996 Division I Men's Swimming and Diving Championships.

Overview: Michigan ended a 33-year drought last year with its first team title since 1961, and has enough firepower to repeat. Wolverine hopes may hinge on Tom Dolan, a two-time swimmer of the meet who set three American records last year. Dolan's performance at the Olympic Trials earlier this month suggests he's peaking after not having competed much during the fall and winter. He'll be tough to beat in the distance freestyles and the 400-yard individual medley. Michigan also has world-ranked Jason Lancaster in the butterfly and freestylers John Piersma and Chris Rumley at the ready, but the Wolverines are one of several teams hoping to have enough energy left after the Olympic Trials. "We'd like to see everyone peak around the time of the Trials, and hopefully have enough reserve to last all the way to the NAAs," Michigan coach Jon Urbanek said One team hoping for Michigan's reserve to wane will be Stanford, which seeks to regain the throne. World-class backstroker Sabir Muhammed, senior Ray Carey and sophomore Tom Wilkens form a solid nucleus, and expected contributions from freshmen Dod Wales and Tate Blahnik could propel the Cardinal to its fourth title in five years Texas will contend behind seniors Matt Hooper, who will be a force in the distance freestyles and the 400-yard individual medley, and Matt Beck, a threat in the butterfly events Auburn, which finished fourth in 1994 and third last year, will be gunning for a higher finish with a senior nucleus that includes backstrokers Kurt Jachimowski and Michael Andrews (one of four transfers from UCLA) and freestyler Oliver Gumbrell Other contenders include Tennessee, Southern California, Southern Methodist, Minnesota, California and Arizona. Returning individual champions include Southern Methodist's Lars Frolander (100-yard butterfly), Ugur Taner of California (200-yard butterfly), Pat Bogart of Minnesota (one-meter diving) and Tennessee's Evan Stewart (three-meter diving).

Field: The maximum number of participants allowed is 270. All qualifiers who have met the "A" time standard will be admitted in the meet; those who have met the "B" time standard will be considered until the event is filled. No team is allowed more than 18 competitors.

Dates and site: The championships will be March 28-30 at Texas.

Information/results: The fax-on-demand telephone number is 770/399-3060 (passcode 1915); request numbers are 1488 for bracket/schedule and 1492 for results. Championships results will appear in the April 8 issue of The NCAA News.

Television coverage: ESPN will televise the championships tape-delayed at 12:30 a.m. (Eastern time) April 2. ESPN2 also will provide delayed coverage at 4 p.m. April 6.

Championships notes: Seven American records were set at last year's championships. Michigan's Tom Dolan set three marks.



Tom Dolan of Michigan set American records in the 500- and 1,650-yard freestyles and the 400-yard individual medley at last year's championships.

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Men's and Women's Fencing

Kalinovskaya leads individual qualifiers

Event: 1996 National Collegiate Men's and Women's Fencing Championships.

Overview: This will be the first year for a new format that includes a "medal round" in each of the five individual events. The 24 fencers who qualify in each weapon will fence a round-robin competition, and the top four fencers will be seeded. In semifinal matches, the No. 1 seed will face the No. 4 seed and No. 2 will face No. 3. The winners of those bouts will compete for the individual title All eyes will be on Penn State's Olga Kalinovskaya, who will be trying to capture her fourth consecutive women's foil crown and become just the second fencer to win four NCAA titles. Her biggest challenge is likely to come from Agata Wysiadecka of Wayne State (Michigan) and Sara Walsh of Notre Dame Contenders for the women's epee title in the second year of the event include 1995 third-place finisher Claudette de Bruin of Notre Dame, Lauren O'Brien of Stanford and Nicole Dygert of St. John's (New York) Brian Moroney of St. John's will be looking to improve upon his runner-up finish in men's foil last year, but this may be the most competitive event in the championships. Among other fencers with a legitimate chance for the title are Dan Kellner of Columbia, who beat Moroney in a fence-off at the Northeast regional, and the Penn State duo of Tobias Darnstadt and Nikoloz Lezhava. This weapon also boasts a sibling rivalry between brothers Timothy (Stanford) and Gregory (Harvard) Chang, both of whom can contend for the title Defending champion Paul Palestis of New York U. will have his sights on several challengers in men's sabre, especially Columbia's Ray Wong, who defeated Palestis in the regional. But he also will have to get past Serge Lilov of Penn State and Luke LaValle of Notre Dame, both of whom have medal-round ability Despite the return of defending champion Michael Gattner of Lawrence, Ryan Shams of Columbia appears to be the one to beat in men's epee after an impressive performance in the Northeast regional. Epeeists Garret Povar of Air Force and Alden Clarke of Stanford could give the West region its first individual title since 1982



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Penn State's Olga Kalinovskaya (right) is seeking her fourth straight title, in women's foil. If she succeeds, she will become the second fencer and first woman to accomplish the feat.

in a weapon other than men's foil.

Field: A total of 120 fencers — 24 in each weapon — will compete for individual titles in men's epee, men's foil, men's sabre, women's epee and women's foil. Team scoring is based on scoring compiled in the individual events.

Dates and site: Yale will host the championships March 29-April 1.

Information/results: The fax-on-demand telephone number is 770/399-3060 (passcode 1915); request numbers are 1315 for brackets/schedule and 1318 for results. Championships results will appear in the April 8 issue of The NCAA News.

Championships notes: Yale last hosted the championships in 1952 The new scoring system is the fourth one used since 1990.

Staff

Four assignments are announced

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chusetts, Amherst.

Racy will work directly with Nancy L. Mitchell, chief of staff for Division II. Racy has been an NCAA legislative assistant for two years. He previously practiced law at the Gage & Tucker Law Firm in Kansas City, Missouri.

The Abilene, Kansas, native also has held positions with the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics and Washburn University of Topeka. Racy's education includes a juris doctorate from University of Missouri, Kansas City, and a bachelor of business administration degree from Washburn.

Ruskamp will work directly with Dutcher, chief of staff for Division III.

Originally from Omaha, Nebraska, Ruskamp came to the NCAA as a legislative assistant five years ago after graduating from the University of Nebraska, Lincoln, law school. She also received a bachelor of arts degree in political science at Nebraska.

Yiamouyannis came to the NCAA six years ago as an intern and then served as a legislative assistant for five years. The Delaware, Ohio, native received undergraduate and graduate degrees from Ohio State University.

■ Championships summaries

Division I men's basketball

First round: Southeast region — Connecticut 68, Colgate 59; Eastern Mich. 75, Duke 60; Mississippi St. 58, Va. Commonwealth 51; Princeton 43, UCLA 41; Boston College 64, Indiana 51; Georgia Tech 90, Austin Peay 79; Temple 61, Oklahoma 43; Cincinnati 66, N.C.-Greensboro 61.

West region — Purdue 73, Western Caro. 71; Georgia 81, Clemson 74; Drexel 75, Memphis 63; Syracuse 88, Montana St. 55; Iowa 81, Geo. Washington 79; Arizona 90, Valparaiso 51; Santa Clara 91, Maryland 79; Kansas 92, South Caro. St. 54.

East region — Massachusetts 92, Central Fla. 70; Stanford 66, Bradley 58; Arkansas 86, Penn St. 80; Marquette 68, Monmouth (N.J.) 44; North Caro. 83, New Orleans 62; Texas Tech 74, Northern Ill. 73; New Mexico 69, Kansas St. 48; Georgetown 93, Mississippi Val. 56.

Midwest region — Kentucky 110, San Jose St. 72; Virginia Tech 61, Wis.-Green Bay 48; Iowa St. 74, California 64; Utah 72, Canisius 43; Louisville 82, Tulsa 80 (ot); Villanova 92, Portland 58; Texas 80, Michigan 76; Wake Forest 62, Northeast La. 50.

Second round: Southeast region — Connecticut 95, Eastern Mich. 81; Mississippi St. 63, Princeton 41; Georgia Tech 103, Boston College 89; Cincinnati 78, Temple 65.

West region — Georgia 76, Purdue 69; Syracuse 69, Drexel 58; Arizona 87, Iowa 73; Kansas 76, Santa Clara 51.

East region — Massachusetts 79, Stanford 74; Arkansas 65, Marquette 56; Texas Tech 92, North Caro. 73; Georgetown 73, New Mexico 62.

Midwest region — Kentucky 84, Virginia Tech 60; Utah 73, Iowa St. 67; Louisville 68, Villanova 64; Wake Forest 65, Texas 62.

Regionals: Southeast regional (March 22 and 24 in Lexington, Kentucky) — Connecticut (32-2) vs. Mississippi St. (24-7); Georgia Tech (24-11) vs. Cincinnati (27-4). West regional (March 22 and 24 in Denver, Colorado) — Georgia (21-9) vs. Syracuse (26-8); Arizona (26-6) vs. Kansas (28-4). East regional (March 21 and 23 in Atlanta, Georgia) — Massachusetts (33-1) vs. Arkansas (20-12); Texas Tech (30-1) vs. Georgetown (28-7). Midwest regional (March 21 and 23 in Minneapolis, Minnesota) — Kentucky (30-2) vs. Utah (27-6); Louisville (22-11) vs. Wake Forest (25-5).

Division I women's basketball

First round: West region — Stanford 82, Grambling 43; Colorado St. 68, Nebraska 62; North Caro. St. 77, Montana 68; Alabama 95, Appalachian St. 56; Auburn 73, Hawaii 53; Colorado 83, Tulane 75; Kent 72, Texas A&M 68; Penn St. 94, Youngstown St. 74.

Midwest region — Louisiana Tech 98, Central Fla. 41; Southern Miss. 74, Utah 66; Notre Dame 73, Purdue 60; Texas Tech 78, Portland 61; Stephen F. Austin 67, Oregon St. 65; Clemson 79, Austin Peay 52; Oklahoma St. 90, Rhode Island 82; Georgia 98, St. Francis (Pa.) 66.

East region — Tennessee 97, Radford 56; Ohio St. 97, Memphis 75; Texas 73, Southwest Mo. St. 55; Kansas 72, Middle Tenn. St. 57; Geo. Washington 83, Maine 67; Virginia 100, Manhattan 55; Toledo 65, Mississippi 53; Old Dominion 83, Holy Cross 66.

Mideast region — Connecticut 94, Howard 63; Michigan St. 60, Massachusetts 57; San Francisco 68, Florida 61; Duke 85, James Madison 53; Wisconsin 74, Oregon 60; Vanderbilt 100, Harvard 83; DePaul 96, Southern Methodist 82; Iowa 72, Butler 67.

Second round: West region — Stanford 94, Colorado St. 63; Alabama 88, North Caro. St. 68; Auburn 68, Colorado 61; Penn St. 86, Kent 59.

Midwest region — Louisiana Tech 84, Southern Miss. 46; Texas Tech 82, Notre Dame 67; Stephen F. Austin 93, Clemson 88 (ot); Georgia 83, Oklahoma St. 55.

East region — Tennessee 97, Ohio St. 65; Kansas 77, Texas 70; Virginia 62, Geo. Washington 43; Old Dominion 72, Toledo 66.

Mideast region — Connecticut 88, Michigan St. 68; San Francisco 64, Duke 60; Vanderbilt 96, Wisconsin 82; Iowa 72, DePaul 71.

Regionals: West regional (March 23 and 25 at Seattle, Washington) — Stanford (27-2) vs. Alabama (24-7); Auburn (22-8) vs. Penn St. (27-6). Midwest regional (March 23 and 25 at Nacogdoches, Texas) — Louisiana Tech (30-1) vs. Texas Tech (27-4); Stephen F. Austin (27-3) vs. Georgia (25-4). East regional (March 23 and 25 at Charlottesville, Virginia) — Tennessee (28-4) vs. Kansas (22-9); Virginia (25-6) vs. Old Dominion (29-2). Mideast regional (March 23 and 25 at Rosemont, Illinois) — Connecticut (32-3) vs. San Francisco (24-7); Vanderbilt (22-7) vs. Iowa (27-3).

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Top gun: Dietz's long-range bombs lift Titans to III women's crown

Shelley Dietz scored a game-high 20 points, including six three-pointers, and Wisconsin-Oshkosh held Mount Union to just 33 percent shooting from the field as the Titans won their first NCAA Division III Women's Basketball Championship by defeating the Raiders, 66-50, March 16 in Oshkosh.

Wisconsin-Oshkosh held Mount Union to just 25 percent shooting in the first half. Coach Kathi Bennett's team shot 44 percent from the field and 56 percent from three-point range to build a nine-point lead at half time.

Mount Union cut the lead to seven on a bucket by Lisa Nickoloff just as the second half began. Wisconsin-Oshkosh then outscored the Raiders, 13-3, over the next six minutes to lead by 17. Sarah Heckmann scored seven points for the Titans during that stretch.

Wisconsin-Oshkosh relinquished its double-digit lead only three times in the remaining seven minutes.

Suzu Venet led Mount Union with 18 points. Nickoloff finished with 12 points and 11 rebounds.

The Titans won their first championship. They finished second to Capital in 1995.

With the victory over Mount Union, Wisconsin-Oshkosh capped a perfect 31-0 season, becoming the second consecutive team to go undefeated in winning the title (Capital accomplished the feat last year). Mount Union finished at 25-8.

Members of the all-tournament team included Dietz and Wendy Wangerin of Wisconsin-Oshkosh, Venet and Tracy Wilson of Mount Union, and Kirsten Vipond of St. Thomas (Minnesota).

Wisconsin-Oshkosh gained a spot in the final by beating New York University, 62-37, while Mount Union defeated St. Thomas, 71-57, in the semifinals. St. Thomas defeated New York University in the third-place game, 75-51.

SEMIFINALS

Mount Union 71, St. Thomas (Minn.) 57

Mount Union: Andy Slaina 5-8, 0-0, 6, 13; Kara Vassily 1-3, 2-3, 5, 4; Lisa Nickoloff 4-11, 0-0, 7, 8; Suzu Venet 4-12, 4-7, 6, 12; Tracy Wilson 10-20, 2-3, 9, 28; Katie Miller 0-0, 0-0, 0, 0; Julie Cass 0-0, 0-0, 0, 0; Erica Rope 0-0, 0-0, 0, 0; Danielle Jones 2-7, 0-0, 7, 4; Megan Few 0-1, 0-0, 1, 0; Jennifer Whitt 1-1, 0-0, 0, 2; Julie Phillips 0-0, 0-0, 0, 0; Amy Aton 0-0, 0-0, 0, 0. TOTALS: 27-63; 8-13, 50 (9 team), 71.

St. Thomas (Minn.): Mollie Pattyn 1-4, 0-0, 3, 2; Laura Witte 4-10, 2-4, 6, 10; Kirsten Vipond 9-18, 3-7, 8, 21; Teri Witcraft 4-14, 0-0, 8, 8; Tonia Nelson 3-8, 0-0, 3, 7; Nerrisa Gander 0-0, 0-0, 0, 0; Tara Miller 1-1, 0-0, 0, 3; Paige Olson 0-4, 2-2, 3, 2; Jody Dye 0-0, 0-0, 0, 0; Tricia Svor 1-5, 2-2, 4, 4; Gretchen Reif 0-2, 0-0, 2, 0; Kristin Woods 0-0, 0-0, 0, 0; Jessica Sonnen 0-0, 0-0, 1, 0. TOTALS: 23-66, 9-15, 38 (8 team), 57.



Wisconsin-Oshkosh's Sarah Heckmann (with ball) scored 16 points in the title game.

Half time: St. Thomas (Minn.) 32, Mount Union 25. Three-point field goals: Mount Union 9-16 (Slaina 3-3, Wilson 6-13); St. Thomas (Minn.) 2-16 (Witcraft 0-5, Nelson 1-6, Miller 1-1, Olson 0-3, Svor 0-1). Disqualifications: None. Officials:

Kathy Lynch, Chip Schneider. Attendance: 3,512.

Wis.-Oshkosh 62, New York U. 37

New York U.: Kenya Jones 0-1, 0-0, 3, 0; Mindy Sokalsky 2-8, 1-2, 4, 5; Roselle Franklin 4-7, 1-3, 3, 9; Jen Krolkowski 2-8, 0-2, 1, 4; Marsha Harris 3-21, 6-8, 6, 12; Joelle DeJoseph 0-1, 0-2, 0, 0; Jehan Clark 2-6, 1-2, 7, 5; Erin Leahy 0-0, 0-0, 1, 0; Jennie Matthews 0-0, 0-0, 0, 0; Aloysia Jacques 1-4, 0-0, 9, 2; Samiyrah Muhammed 0-0, 0-0, 1, 0. TOTALS: 14-56, 9-19, 41 (6 team), 37.

Wis.-Oshkosh: Shelley Dietz 3-10, 3-4, 4, 10; Melanie Leet 1-4, 4-6, 8, 6; Wendy Wangerin 7-16, 7-11, 15, 21; Sarah Heckmann 4-11, 0-2, 4, 9; Tracy Johnson 2-4, 2-4, 3, 7; Jessie Davis 0-0, 1-2, 1, 1; Natalie Cuccia 0-1, 0-0, 0, 0; Holly Spoo 1-9, 0-1, 1, 2; Rachel Lachecki 2-4, 2-2, 11, 6; Kelly Warnke 0-1, 0-0, 3, 0. TOTALS: 20-60, 19-32, 56 (6 team), 62.

Half time: Wis.-Oshkosh 31, New York U. 13. Three-point field goals: New York U. 0-10 (Sokalsky 0-1, Krolkowski 0-2, Harris 0-7); Wis.-Oshkosh 3-15 (Dietz 1-6; Heckmann 1-5, Johnson 1-1, Spoo 0-3). Disqualifications: Sokalsky, Franklin. Officials: Pam Miller, Matt Laurich. Attendance: 3,512.

THIRD PLACE

St. Thomas (Minn.) 75, New York U. 51

New York U.: Kenya Jones 4-6, 1-1, 2, 9; Christin Muller 0-1, 0-0, 2, 0; Mindy Sokalsky 2-6, 0-0, 2, 4; Jen Krolkowski 1-7, 3-5, 2, 5; Marsha Harris 5-15, 2-7, 2, 13; Joelle DeJoseph 0-3, 0-0, 2, 0; Jehan Clark 0-3, 0-0, 2, 0; Ngina Johnson 0-0, 0-1, 0, 0; Erin Leahy 1-3, 0-0, 0, 2; Jennie Matthews 1-2, 3-4, 1, 5; Roselle Franklin 3-11, 1-2, 2, 7; Jenny Schinella 1-1, 0-0, 2, 2; Aloysia Jacques 1-3, 0-0, 3, 2; Lisa Jackson 0-1, 0-0, 1, 0. TOTALS: 19-62, 12-22, 26 (4 team), 51.

St. Thomas (Minn.): Mollie Pattyn 4-6, 0-1, 3, 8; Kirsten Vipond 2-6, 6-6, 6, 10; Laura Witte 4-11, 0-0, 8, 8; Teri Witcraft 3-8, 4-4, 5, 10; Tonia Nelson 1-2, 0-0, 1, 2; Nerrisa Gander 0-0, 0-0, 0, 0; Tara Miller 1-2, 0-0, 1, 2; Paige Olson 1-2, 2-2, 2, 4; Jody Dye 1-2, 2-4, 2, 4; Tricia Svor 4-8, 0-0, 3, 9; Gretchen Reif 2-2, 2-2, 5, 6; Kristin Woods 2-2, 7-9, 7, 11; Jessica Sonnen 0-2, 0-0, 3, 0. TOTALS: 25-53, 24-30, 57 (10 team), 75.

Half time: St. Thomas (Minn.) 34, New York U. 26. Three-point field goals: New York U. 1-14 (Sokalsky 0-1, Krolkowski 0-4, Harris 1-5, DeJoseph 0-1, Clark 0-2, Leahy 0-1); St. Thomas (Minn.) 1-3 (Witcraft 0-1, Nelson 0-1, Svor 1-1). Disqualifications: None. Officials: Pam Miller, Chip Schneider. Attendance: 2,507.

CHAMPIONSHIP

Wis.-Oshkosh 66, Mount Union 50

Mount Union: Andy Slaina 3-12, 0-0, 5, 6; Kara Vassily 1-2, 2-2, 2, 4; Lisa Nickoloff 4-8, 4-6, 11, 12; Suzu Venet 5-8, 8-10, 5, 18; Tracy Wilson 2-11, 2-2, 7, 7; Danielle Jones 1-6, 0-0, 1, 2; Megan Few 0-1, 1-2, 1, 1; Jennifer Whitt 0-0, 0-0, 0, 0; Neily Stouffer 0-0, 0-0, 0, 0. TOTALS: 16-48, 17-22, 36 (4 team), 50.

Wis.-Oshkosh: Shelley Dietz 7-16, 0-0, 2, 20; Wendy Wangerin 3-14, 1-2, 8, 7; Melanie Leet 0-0, 2-5, 5, 2; Sarah Heckmann 4-8, 7-7, 4, 16; Tracy Johnson 2-7, 2-2, 3, 7; Jessie Davis 0-0, 0-0, 1, 0; Natalie Cuccia 0-0, 0-0, 0, 0; Holly Spoo 3-8, 0-0, 1, 7; Rachel Lachecki 3-4, 1-2, 9, 7; Kelly Warnke 0-0, 0-0, 3, 0. TOTALS: 22-57, 13-18, 38 (2 team), 66.

Half time: Wis.-Oshkosh 30, Mount Union 21. Three-point field goals: Mount Union 1-5 (Slaina 0-2, Wilson 1-3); Wis.-Oshkosh 9-18 (Dietz 6-9, Heckman 1-3, Johnson 1-5, Spoo 1-1). Disqualifications: None. Officials: Kathy Lynch, Matt Laurich. Attendance: 4,001.

Rowan men reach winners' circle

After finishing third twice in the last three years, Rowan fulfilled preseason expectations and won its first NCAA Division III Men's Basketball Championship by defeating Hope, 100-93, March 16 in Salem, Virginia.

"The regular season was a struggle for this team because of the expectations," winning coach John Giannini said. "Those expectations can weigh on a team, especially when it is expected to get to the final and win it all."

The Profs had five players in double figures and won despite shooting lower percentages than Hope from the field, three-point range and the free-throw line. Rowan had 13 more rebounds than Hope.

Antwan Dasher led Rowan with 19 points. Terrence Stewart and Roscoe Harris added 17 each. Stewart was the tournament's most outstanding player and finished his college career as Rowan's all-time leading scorer.

Rowan led by as many as eight points in the first half before Hope closed the gap to three, 46-43, at the intermission. The Flying Dutchmen tied the game at 58 on eight straight points by Joe Holstege.

Rowan answered with a 10-0 run over the next 21/2 minutes and led, 68-62, on a conventional three-point play by Harris. Hope cut the lead to three once more with 7:43 left, but the Flying Dutchmen could get no closer. The Profs stretched the advantage to as many as 11.

Hope got big games from Holstege, who scored 39 points, and from Duane Bosma, who scored 28.

"Rowan College is unequivocally the best team we've played all season," Hope coach Glenn Van Wieren said. "But Hope would not fold. I am

extremely proud that we finished second in the nation. The only thing better would be to have won it."

In addition to Stewart, members of the all-tournament team were Dasher, Holstege, Bosma and Chris Simich of Illinois Wesleyan.

Rowan, which finished at 28-4, defeated Illinois Wesleyan, 79-77, to advance to the championship game. Hope beat Franklin and Marshall, 76-57, in the semifinals. The Flying Dutchmen finished at 27-5.

Illinois Wesleyan defeated Franklin and Marshall, 89-57, in the third-place game.

SEMIFINALS

Hope 76, Frank. & Marsh. 57

Frank. & Marsh.: Jeremiah Henry 5-10, 11-12, 3, 23; Mike Mehaffey 4-8, 0-1, 11, 8; Darren Sanborn 1-5, 1-3, 4, 3; Chris Kelliher 2-5, 0-2, 3, 4; Chris Loftus 3-6, 3-4, 4, 11; Mike Keslosky 1-4, 0-0, 1, 2; Matt Leddy 0-1, 0-0, 0, 0; Tom Deitzler 0-0, 0-0, 3, 0; Jeff Lerner 0-2, 0-0, 0, 0; Rich Davis 3-9, 0-0, 5, 6; Josh Fabian 0-0, 0-0, 1, 0; TOTALS: 19-50, 15-22, 37 (2 team), 57.

Hope: Dan Van Hekken 3-5, 0-0, 2, 7; Kris Merritt 4-10, 0-1, 11, 8; Duane Bosma 8-14, 4-5, 8, 20; Joe Holstege 5-11, 4-4, 5, 17; Kevin Brintnell 3-12, 2-2, 0, 9; Jason Woude 0-1, 0-0, 1, 0; Joe Davelaar 0-0, 0-0, 0, 0; Marc Whitford 0-5, 1-2, 3, 1; Matt Brown 1-1, 0-0, 0, 2; Pat Stegeman 0-1, 2-2, 2, 2; Matt Spencer 0-2, 0-0, 3, 0; Jeff Van Fossan 2-5, 6-7, 4, 10; Jon Vertalka 0-0, 0-0, 0, 0; Tom Gortsema 0-0, 0-0, 1, 0; TOTALS: 26-67, 19-23, 42 (2 team), 76.

Half time: Hope 31, Frank. & Marsh. 24. Three-point field goals: Frank. & Marsh. 4-9 (Henry 2-4, Loftus 2-4, Keslosky 0-1); Hope 5-19 (Van Hekken 1-3, Bosma 0-1, Holstege 3-4, Brintnell 1-6, Whitford 0-3, Spencer 0-2). Disqualifications: None. Attendance: 3,812.

Rowan 79, Ill. Wesleyan 77.

Rowan: Terrence Stewart 12-18, 1-1, 8, 30; Lamonte Harvin 3-7, 3-4, 5, 9; Demetrius Poles 2-7, 0-0, 6, 4; Osco Williams 1-5, 0-0, 2, 2; Antwan Dasher 7-16, 4-6, 3, 19; Ryan Cochrane

1-2, 0-0, 0, 2; Chris McShane 2-4, 0-0, 2, 5; Robert Scott 0-1, 0-0, 2, 0; Roscoe Harris 4-13, 0-0, 5, 8; TOTALS: 32-73, 8-11, 35 (2 team), 79.

Ill. Wesleyan: Bryan Crabtree 7-13, 5-7, 4, 21; Jon Litwiller 3-5, 0-0, 4, 6; Chris Simich 8-17, 11-12, 13, 27; Brady Knight 3-6, 1-1, 4, 7; T.J. Posey 4-8, 0-0, 2, 12; Kyle Tudeen 0-0, 0-0, 0, 0; Nathan Hubbard 0-0, 0-0, 0, 0; Andrew Boyden 0-1, 0-0, 0, 0; Scott Peterson 0-2, 0-3, 1, 0; Matt Swingler 1-1, 2-2, 2, 4; TOTALS: 26-53, 19-25, 37 (7 team), 77.

Half time: Rowan 47, Ill. Wesleyan 45. Three-point field goals: Rowan 7-25 (Stewart 5-9, Williams 0-1, Dasher 1-6, McShane 1-2, Harris 0-7); Ill. Wesleyan 6-12 (Crabtree 2-4, Litwiller 0-1, Posey 4-7). Disqualifications: Crabtree. Attendance: 3,872.

THIRD PLACE

Ill. Wesleyan 89, Frank. & Marsh. 57

Frank. & Marsh.: Mike Mehaffey 9-13, 3-3, 7, 21; Darren Sanborn 3-7, 4-6, 6, 10; Jeremiah Henry 2-9, 0-0, 0, 6; Chris Kelliher 3-5, 1-2, 0, 7; Chris Loftus 0-4, 0-0, 3, 0; Mike Keslosky 0-1, 0-0, 1, 0; Matt Leddy 2-3, 1-1, 0, 5; Erik Mahland 1-1, 0-0, 0, 2; Matt McKelvey 0-2, 0-0, 2, 0; Tom Deitzler 0-3, 0-0, 1, 0; Adam Sorce 0-1, 0-0, 0, 0; Jeff Lerner 0-0, 3-4, 1, 3; Rich Davis 0-2, 1-2, 1, 1; Josh Fabian 1-2, 0-2, 2, 2; TOTALS: 21-53, 13-20, 26 (2 team), 57.

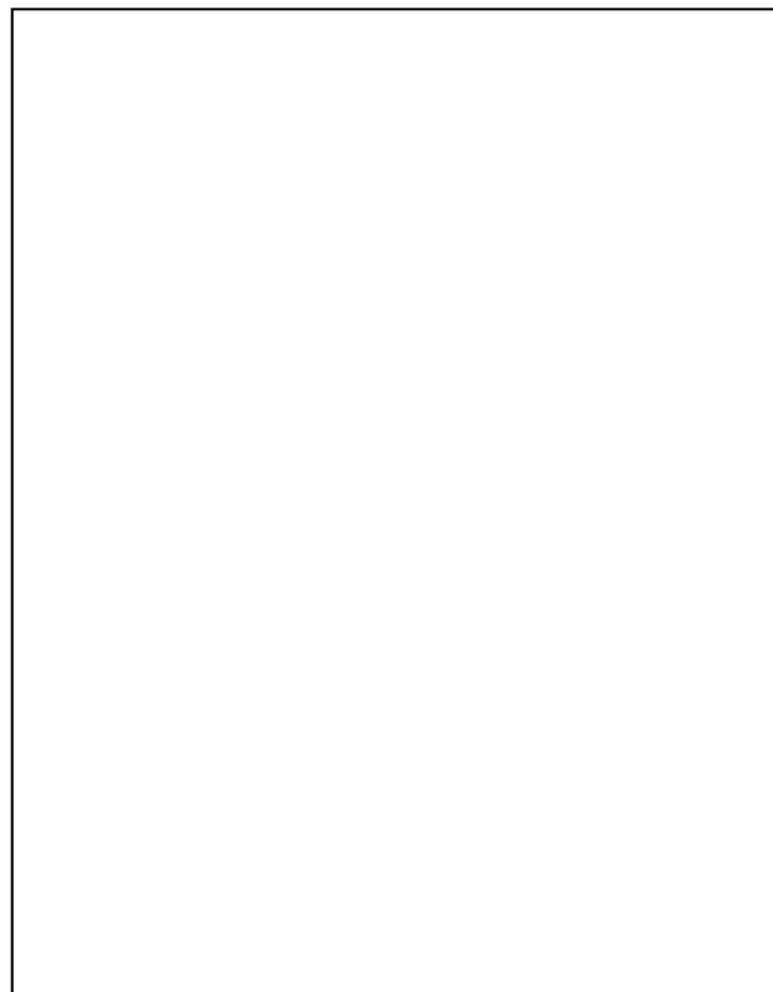
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Half time: Ill. Wesleyan 40, Frank. & Marsh. 25. Three-point field goals: Frank. & Marsh. 2-16 (Henry 2-9, Loftus 0-3, Leddy 0-1, Deitzler 0-2, Sorce 0-1); Ill. Wesleyan 6-10 (Crabtree 2-5, Posey 2-2, Tudeen 1-1, Peterson 1-1, Swingler 0-1). Disqualifications: None. Attendance: 2,895.

CHAMPIONSHIP

Rowan 100, Hope 93

Hope: Dan Van Hekken 0-1, 2-2, 1, 2; Kris Merritt 1-6, 2-2, 5, 4; Duane Bosma 11-18, 6-9,



Rowan's Terrence Stewart had his hands full with Hope guard Joe Holstege (with ball), who scored 39 points.

8, 28; Joe Holstege 13-19, 6-6, 4, 39; Kevin Brintnell 2-9, 1-2, 2, 6; Jason Vander Woude 0-0, 0-0, 0, 0; Marc Whitford 6-9, 0-0, 3, 14; Pat Stegeman 0-0, 0-0, 1, 0; Matt Spencer 0-0, 0-0, 0, 0; Jeff Van Fossan 0-1, 0-0, 0, 0; Tom Gortsema 0-0, 0-0, 1, 0; TOTALS: 33-63, 17-21, 27 (2 team), 93.

Rowan: Osco Williams 1-5, 0-0, 1, 2; Demetrius Poles 2-3, 0-1, 2, 4; Lamonte Harvin 6-11, 0-0, 9, 12; Terrence Stewart 6-12, 1-2, 7, 17; Antwan Dasher 5-10, 9-9, 4, 19; Ryan Cochrane

2-5, 3-4, 2, 7; Darius Taraila 1-1, 0-0, 0, 2; Chris McShane 7-9, 1-4, 8, 16; Robert Scott 1-4, 2-2, 3, 4; Roscoe Harris 3-5, 9-11, 2, 17; TOTALS: 34-65, 25-33, 40 (2 team), 100.

Half time: Rowan 46, Hope 43. Three-point field goals: Hope 10-25 (Van Hekken 0-1, Holstege 7-12, Brintnell 1-8, Whitford 2-4); Rowan 7-18 (Williams 0-2, Stewart 4-6, Dasher 0-4, Cochrane 0-1, McShane 1-2, Harris 2-3). Disqualifications: None. Attendance: 3,944.

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Pittsburgh-Johnstown upsets favorite to win II wrestling tourney

It didn't take long to realize that the Division II Wrestling Championships might not be just another yawner for Central Oklahoma.

Top-seeded Keith Kizzar of Central Oklahoma was shut out by San Francisco State's Travis Phippen, 4-0, in only the second match of the first weight class (118 pounds).

Meanwhile, fifth-seeded John Strittmatter advanced all the way to the finals in that class and picked up runner-up points that propelled Pittsburgh-Johnstown and coach Pat Pecora to their first team title.

The championships were March 15-16 at Northern Colorado.

Central Oklahoma had won the last four Division II tournaments by a minimum of 40½ points and had finished no worse than second since joining the NCAA in 1990.

The Bronchos still claimed three individual champions to Pittsburgh-Johnstown's one (no other team won more than one title), but eight all-Americans on Pecora's squad — led by 126-pound champion Lee Schickel — scored 86½ points to the defending champion's 81½. Nebraska-

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Omaha finished third with 70½ points.

The Bronchos' Jerry Best won the 142-pound title for the third consecutive time to become the school's first three-time NCAA champion. Central Oklahoma's Shawn Bateman (150 pounds) and Mark Cunningham (158) also were winners to give the Bronchos a sweep of the middle weights.

In the upper weights, however, Central Oklahoma had only fourth-seeded heavyweight Jeff Pease, who finished seventh.

Mankato State heavyweight Tony Kenning and South Dakota State 190-pounder Chad Lamer also repeated as individual champions.

Lamer won at 177 pounds last year, then moved to 190 pounds. The returning champion in that class — Ryan Wolters of North Dakota State, the only true freshman champion last year — finished fifth.

Lamer was named the most out-



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Central Oklahoma's Jerry Best (top) defeated Tony Albertelli of Pittsburgh-Johnstown for his third straight 142-pound title and became Central Oklahoma's first three-time winner.

standing wrestler at this year's championships.

Nebraska-Omaha's Raphael Kizze, who won the 167-pound class last year, missed the championships be-

cause of knee surgery.

The Gorrarian Award for most pins in the least amount of time went to Nebraska-Omaha's Pat Kelley, who finished fourth at 190

pounds and recorded four pins in 11:44.

Dan Lewis from Colorado School of Mines was named the division's coach of the year.

Middlebury comes from behind to claim III ice hockey crown

Middlebury overcame early deficits in both the semifinals and final to claim its second consecutive title in the Division III Men's Ice Hockey Championship March 15-16 in River Falls, Wisconsin.

The Panthers clinched the championship with a 3-2 victory over Rochester Institute of Technology.

Wisconsin-Stevens Point — which won three consecutive championships from 1989-91 — is the only other school to win consecutive Division III Men's Ice Hockey Championships.

Rochester Institute of Technology jumped on the board early in the final with a goal from Steve Toll at the 5:30 mark of the first period. However, the Panthers knotted the game at one with just over five minutes remaining in the initial period on a goal by Martin Lachaine.

Middlebury scored two goals early in the second, including the game-winner by Ross Sealfon at 2:25. Rochester Institute of Technology came

back to within one goal, but Panther goaltender Chris Farion stopped 24 of 26 shots he faced.

Middlebury ended its championship season with a 26-2 record, while Rochester Institute of Technology finished at 24-6-1.

SEMIFINALS

Wis.-Superior.....2 1 0—3
Middlebury.....2 2 0—4

First period: Wis.-Superior — Jon Garver (Fred Paine), 4:38; Wis.-Superior — Brian Barker (Rodney Graham), 13:49 (pp); Middlebury — Mike Anastasio (Sebastien Bilodeau, Marc Belliveau), 15:43 (pp); Middlebury — Martin Lachaine (Nikolai Bobrov, Ross Sealfon), 18:42. Penalties: Wis.-Superior — Barker (checking from behind), 1:12; Middlebury — Bilodeau (holding), 1:28; Wis.-Superior — Lon Hovland (tripping), 4:45; Wis.-Superior — Sheldon Friske (slashing), 8:27; Middlebury — J. S. Cournoyer (tripping), 13:47; Wis.-Superior — Barker (holding), 15:06; Wis.-Superior — Lindsey Braun (roughing), 16:27; Middlebury — Lachaine (high-sticking), 16:27.

Second period: Middlebury — Mike Bay (Anastasio, Cournoyer), 4:28; Middlebury — Mark Spence (Bilodeau, Ian Smith), 14:17 (pp); Wis.-Superior — Barker (Graham), 18:04

(pp). Penalties: Wis.-Superior — Todd Drouin (elbowing), 0:11; Middlebury — Lachaine (hitting the goaltender), 7:22; Wis.-Superior — Hovland (cross-checking), 12:27; Wis.-Superior — Nick Mulvey (hitting from behind), 13:10; Middlebury — Filip Jirousek (hooking), 15:59; Middlebury — David Erickson (slashing), 16:30; Middlebury — Bay (interference), 18:04.

Third period: Penalties: Middlebury — Ryan Goldman (hooking), 0:26; Middlebury — Peter Schneider (checking from behind), 1:18; Wis.-Superior — Janne Hassi (cross-checking), 3:38; Wis.-Superior — Braun (slashing), 8:46; Wis.-Superior — Mulvey (hooking), 12:23; Wis.-Superior — Hovland (hooking), 14:23.

Shots on goal: Wis.-Superior — 10-10-9—29; Middlebury — 24-15-17—56. Saves: Wis.-Superior — Dave Graichen 52; Middlebury — Francois Bourbeau 26. Total penalties: Wis.-Superior — 12 for 24 min.; Middlebury — 9 for 18 min. Attendance: 638.

Rochester Inst.....1 1 0—2
Wis.-River Falls.....0 1 0—1

First period: Rochester Inst. — Luke Murphy (Art Thomas), 3:35. Penalties: Rochester Inst. — Bryan Cossette (hooking), 14:34; Rochester Inst. — Erik Noack (interference), 17:56.

Second period: Rochester Inst. — Steve Toll (Cheyne

Lazar), 5:04; Wis.-River Falls — Eddie MacDonald (Brian Savage, Ryan Alstead), 17:56.

Third period: Penalties: Rochester Inst. — Cossette (hooking), 1:51.

Shots on goal: Rochester Inst. — 8-7-6—21; Wis.-River Falls — 14-20-16—50. Saves: Rochester Inst. — Jamie Morris 49; Wis.-River Falls — Jeff Heil 19. Total penalties: Rochester Inst. — 3 for 6 min.; Wis.-River Falls — 0 for 0 min. Attendance: 883.

THIRD PLACE

Wis.-Superior.....0 1 1—2
Wis.-River Falls.....2 4 2—8

First period: Wis.-River Falls — Mark Corbett (Aaron Arf, Russ Johnson), 12:30 (pp); Wis.-River Falls — Arf (Brad Nelson, Brian Wilson), 15:43 (pp). Penalties: Wis.-River Falls — Joe Smaza (high-sticking), 8:02; Wis.-Superior — Lon Hovland (roughing), 11:07; Wis.-Superior — Sheldon Friske (checking from behind), 14:08.

Second period: Wis.-Superior — Steve Wiggins (Tim Burns), 1:50; Wis.-River Falls — Johnson (Kelly Melton, Smaza), 6:50 (pp); Wis.-River Falls — Mike Schauer (Nelson, Bill Matzke), 7:09 (pp); Wis.-River Falls — Brian Savage (Ryan Alstead), 7:53; Wis.-River Falls — Greg Foster (Corbett), 12:55. Penalties: Wis.-Superior — Rodney Graham (high-sticking), 4:51; Wis.-Superior — Hovland (interference), 6:05; Wis.-Superior — Dustin Fahl (roughing), 10:23; Wis.-River Falls — Brady Alstead (roughing), 10:23 (served by Eddie MacDonald).

Third period: Wis.-River Falls — Wilson (Johnson), 0:24; Wis.-River Falls — Arf (Matzke), 2:11; Wis.-Superior — Janne Hassi (Craig Boyd, Paul Jay), 4:31. Penalties: Wis.-Superior — Fred Paine (slashing), 6:25; Wis.-River Falls — Smaza (tripping), 8:40.

Shots on goal: Wis.-Superior — 5-14-13—32; Wis.-River Falls — 16-16-14—46. Saves: Wis.-Superior — Dave Graichen 26, Dean Reed 12; Wis.-River Falls — Alstead 30. Total penalties: Wis.-Superior — 6 for 12 min.; Wis.-River Falls — 3 for 6 min. Attendance: 947.

CHAMPIONSHIP

Middlebury.....1 2 0—3
Rochester Inst.....1 1 0—2

First period: Rochester Inst. — Steve Toll (Chris Maybury), 5:30; Middlebury — Martin Lachaine (Peter Schneider, Ian Smith), 14:59. Penalties: Rochester Inst. — Maybury (tripping), 10:42; Middlebury — Ross Sealfon (roughing), 15:10.

Second period: Middlebury — Mike Anastasio (Smith), 0:59; Middlebury — Sealfon (David Erickson, Filip Jirousek), 2:25; Rochester Inst. — Cheyne Lazar (Toll, Maybury), 2:42. Penalties: Middlebury — Lachaine (interference), 6:35; Middlebury — Sebastien Bilodeau (roughing), 15:36; Rochester Inst. — Doug Luplow (roughing), 15:36.

Third period: Penalties: Rochester Inst. — Angelo Papalia (roughing), 17:20; Middlebury — Erickson (roughing), 17:20.

Shots on goal: Middlebury — 12-14-8—34; Rochester Inst. — 8-12-6—26. Saves: Middlebury — Chris Farion 24; Rochester Inst. — Jamie Morris 31. Total penalties: Middlebury — 4 for 8 min.; Rochester Inst. — 3 for 6 min. Attendance: 624.



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Rochester Institute of Technology's Steve Toll takes a shot against Middlebury goalie Chris Farion during the title game. Farion stopped 24 of the 26 shots he faced.

Air Force women go out as champions in II swimming

Air Force is leaving Division II a winner.

The Falcons, who will compete in Division I women's championships next year, made their swan song successful with a second straight team victory at the Division II Women's Swimming and Diving Championships March 13-16 at North Dakota.

Individual wins by sophomores Jenna Tukey, Beth Zeman and Krista Steenbergen paced the Falcon attack. Air Force also won two relays and became the first team other than Oakland to win more than one relay since 1992.

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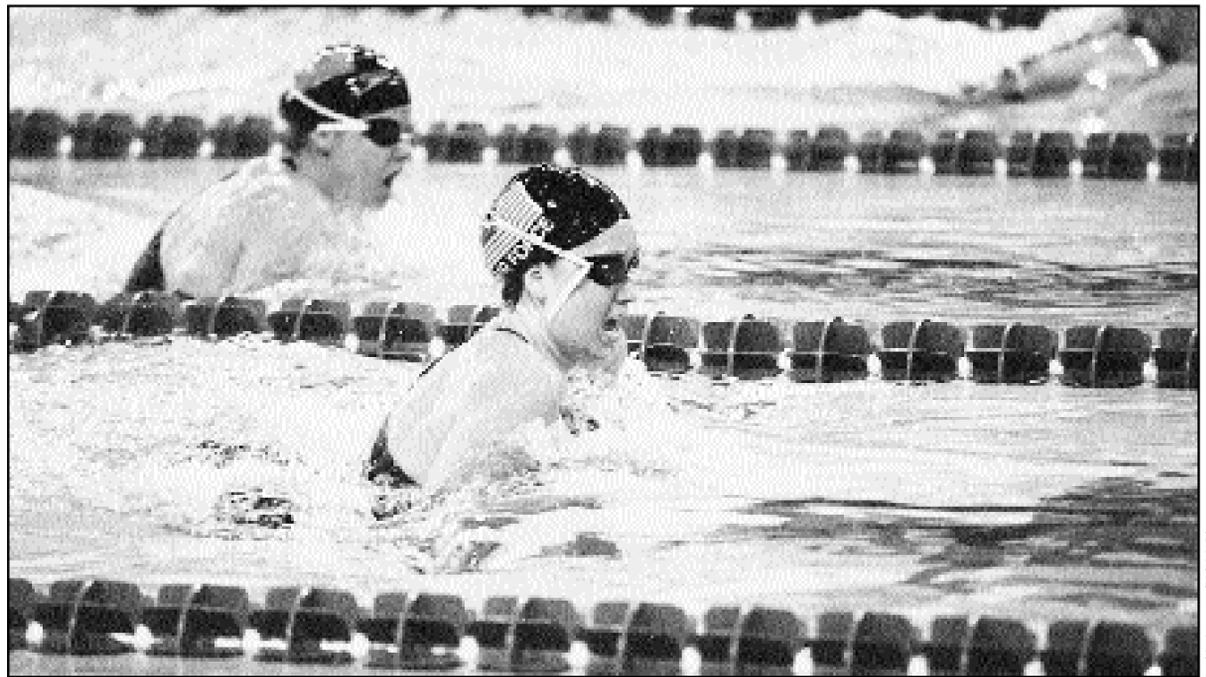
Zeman and Tukey won two events each — Zeman sweeping the freestyle sprints and Tukey the distance freestyles. Zeman won the 50-yard freestyle for the second straight year and Tukey successfully defended her 500- and 1,650-yard freestyle titles. Tukey's twin sister, Rachel, was second in both of those events for the second consecutive year.

Steenbergen's win in the 200-yard breaststroke came during the last session of the meet and helped the Falcons hold off second-place Oakland, which compiled more than 600 points without a winner in any of the 15 individual events.

Drury junior Nida Zuhail won three events and was named swimmer of the year. Zuhail won both butterfly events and cruised to a victory in the 200-yard individual medley. Zuhail also finished fourth in the 1,650-yard freestyle to compile 75 points for the meet.

Drury's Brandi Kossob won both backstrokes, and the Panthers also reaped wins from Christina Tompkins in the 400-yard individual medley and Viktoria Gadd in the 200-yard freestyle. Drury coach Brian Reynolds was named coach of the year.

Northern Michigan's Xia Fujie, who won four events last year,



Jackie Lorentz/NCAA Photos

Krista Steenbergen, who won the 200-yard breaststroke, helped lead the way for Air Force.

was held to a victory in the 100-yard breaststroke this year. Fujie finished second in the 100-yard freestyle and third in the 200-yard breaststroke, and tied for third in the 200-yard individual medley — all of which she won last year.

Tara Montgomery of UC Davis won the one-meter dive and

placed third in the three-meter event, and was named diver of the year. UC Davis coach Karla Helder was named diving coach of the year.

Cal State Bakersfield's Tina Hoagland won the three-meter event.

Pioneers successfully defend another crown in II men's division

Oakland's superior depth allowed the Pioneers to rack up 869½ points en route to a third consecutive Division II Men's Swimming and Diving Championships team title March 13-16 at North Dakota.

The Pioneers brought a full contingent of 18 swimmers and all scored; 13 placed in the top eight in at least one event. That depth allowed Oakland to withstand six event victories by Drury, as well as a strong Cal State Bakersfield squad that compiled more than 500 points and pushed the Pioneers through the first half of the meet.

Oakland's Chris Zoltak, Jay Judson and Raffi Karapetian won individual events, and the Pioneers won all five relays in winning the title. Oakland won two events during the first day of the meet and bolted to an 89½-point lead.

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Zoltak successfully defended his crown in the 100-yard backstroke to earn his sixth career win and also swam on three winning relays. Judson and Karapetian were first-time winners — Judson in the 200-yard breaststroke and Karapetian in the 50-yard freestyle.

Karapetian upset defending champion Darwin Strickland of Metropolitan State, who later won the 100-yard freestyle for a second straight year.

Oakland's depth was most evident early in the meet, when the Pioneers finished Nos. 2, 3, 4, 7, 10 and 15 in the 200-yard individual medley for 69 points and 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9 and 16 in the

200-yard freestyle for 85 points. Those two events plus the five relay wins gave Oakland 354 points, more than was scored by 24 of the 27 competing teams in the entire meet.

The meet's only three-event winner was Drury's Miroslav Bobak, who took the 200-, 500- and 1,650-yard freestyles. Bobak, a freshman from the Slovak Republic, won the 500 on Wednesday and the 200 on Thursday, then led off the Saturday finals with a win in the mile to clinch swimmer-of-the-year honors. Drury coach Brian Reynolds was named coach of the year.

Drury also had a double winner in David Aniot, who captured the 100-yard breaststroke for the second straight year and the 200-yard individual medley. Chris Maender, who took the 400-yard individual medley title, was Drury's

other event winner.

Cal State Bakersfield placed second overall without winning an event. Senior Ken Quarterman earned 56 points in four events, and the Roadrunners placed no worse than fourth in all five relays.

The meet's other double winner was Denver's Ryan Bradley, who won the 100-yard butterfly — ending Zoltak's bid for a fourth straight title in that event — and the 200-yard backstroke. Other event winners were David Kalange of Ashland in the 200-yard butterfly and Clarion divers Ken Bedford and Andy Ferguson, who won the one- and three-meter events, respectively.

Bedford was named diver of the year and Clarion coach Dave Hrovat was named diving coach of the year.

Kenyon women's 13th straight title keeps longest victory streak alive

Kenyon won just three individual events but captured four of the five relays and stormed to its 13th consecutive team title at the Division III Women's Swimming and Diving Championships March 14-16 at Emory.

Kenyon's Kathryn Petrock was a double winner and swam the leadoff leg of two winning relays to help the Ladies extend the longest victory streak in NCAA women's championships.

Petrock won both the 200 and 400-yard individual medleys, setting a meet record in the latter with a time of 4:26.99 — nearly a full second better than teammate Anna Drejer swam in 1995.

Drejer finished second in both medleys after sweeping them last year and was Kenyon's second leading scorer in the meet.

Kenyon compiled 199 points during the first day's events, winning the 200-yard freestyle relay and reaping individual wins from Petrock in the 200-yard individual medley and freshman Marisha Stawiski in the 50-yard freestyle. Stawiski also finished fifth in the 100-yard freestyle, led off the Ladies' winning 200-yard freestyle relay and anchored their winning 200-yard medley relay.

Kenyon's 160 points from four relay wins nearly represented the final margin of victory over second-place UC San Diego.

The Tritons returned to the runner-up spot they had occupied from 1988 through 1993 by winning the 800-yard freestyle relay and getting two diving victories from senior Sheri Takeuchi.

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Her wins in the one- and three-meter events were her second and third career titles and the fifth and sixth for UC San Diego in those events in the last four years.

Sophomore Heidi George of Middlebury pro-

vided perhaps the most stunning individual performance of the meet, however, when she shaved more than 11 seconds off the 1,650-yard freestyle record in winning the event for the first time. George's time of 16:40.16 smashed the previous best set by Kenyon's Jessica Berkowitz in 1993 and earned a standing ovation from the crowd at Emory. She was named swimmer of the year.

Other outstanding individual performers

included Carnegie Mellon's Rebecca Fruehan, who won the 100- and 200-yard freestyles over Gretchen Von Oesen of Williams and Renee Helbok of Ithaca.

Fruehan had an outside lane and the slowest qualifying time in the 100-yard freestyle but passed front-runner Von Oesen after the turn. Fruehan's 55 points were second to Petrock's 57 in the meet.

Cheri Tiegs of Wisconsin-Oshkosh also was a double winner, sweeping the 100- and 200-yard backstrokes to become the school's first individual winner.

Denison's Anna Tuttle finished in the top four in three events and helped the Big Red finish third in the team standings. Denison coach Gregg Parini shared coach-of-the-year honors with Mary Ellen Claffey of Middlebury.

Williams placed fourth with the help of 50 points from Von Oesen and with Marla Robertson's win in the 200-yard butterfly, and Hope rode Kristen Hoving's win in the 500-yard freestyle to a fifth-place finish.

Other individual winners were Rowan's Teri Hatcher in the 100-yard breaststroke, Rocio Lopez of Johns Hopkins in the 100-yard butterfly and UC San Diego's Kelly Byrne in the 200-yard breaststroke.

Takeuchi was named diver of the year and Triton coach Josh Curtis shared diving-coach-of-the-year-honors with Peter Avdoulos of Springfield.



Philip Williams/NCAA Photos

UC San Diego's Kelly Byrne was the winner in the 200-yard breaststroke.

Championships results

Division II men's swimming and diving

TEAM RESULTS

1. Oakland, 869 1/2; 2. Cal St. Bakersfield, 640; 3. Drury, 556; 4. Ashland, 266; 5. Denver, 220; 6. North Dak., 150; 7. Clarion, 128; 8. Northeast Mo. St., 118; 9. South Dak., 110 1/2; 10. Henderson St., 106.

11. Tampa, 94; 12. Kutztown, 86; 13. West Chester, 58; 14. UC Davis, 48; 15. Alas. Anchorage, 45; 16. Metropolitan St., 37; 17. St. Cloud St., 26; 18. Wayne St. (Mich.), 21; 19. Slippery Rock, 19; 20. Gannon, 17.

21. (tie) Shippensburg and West Va. Wesleyan, 14; 23. Southern Conn. St., 13; 24. Mo.-Rolla, 11; 25. Colorado Mines, 8; 26 (tie) Fairmont St. and Indiana (Pa.), 4.

INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

50-yard freestyle: *Final* — 1. Raffi Karapetian, Oakland, 20.09 seconds; 2. Darwin Strickland, Metropolitan St., 20:51; 3. Chris Zoltak, Oakland, 20:86; 4. Ken Quarterman, Cal St. Bakersfield, 20:97; 5. (tie) Jason Brawner, Drury, and Joe Snyder, Oakland, 21:00; 7. Ryan Packer, Cal St. Bakersfield, 21:03; 8. Bryan Hoffman, Cal St. Bakersfield, 21:19; *Consolation* — 9. Mark Gole, Oakland, 21:03; 10. Bill Mataya, Northeast Mo. St., 21:31; 11. Johannes Briechele, Shippensburg, 21:39; 12. William Ritchey, Ashland, 21:43; 13. Jason Steele, Oakland, 21:51; 14. Chris Knoche, Oakland, 21:57; 15. Holger Schmidt, North Dak., 21:82; 16. Ben Ingram, Drury, 22:03.

100-yard freestyle: *Final* — 1. Darwin Strickland, Metropolitan St., 44:92; 2. Raffi Karapetian, Oakland, 45:06; 3. Ken Quarterman, Cal St. Bakersfield, 45:79; 4. Ken Ehlen, Oakland, 45:84; 5. Ryan Packer, Cal St. Bakersfield, 45:90; 6. Bryan Hoffman, Cal St. Bakersfield, 45:95; 7. William Ritchey, Ashland, 46:04; 8. Mark Gole, Oakland, 46:07; *Consolation* — 9. Jason Brawner, Drury, 46:35; 10. Bill Ferguson, Cal St. Bakersfield, 46:38; 11. Andy Millet, Alas. Anchorage, 46:48; 12. Jason Steele, Oakland, 46:76; 13. Chris Knoche, Oakland, 46:78; 14. Holger Schmidt, North Dak., 47:03; 15. Joe Snyder, Oakland, 47:20; 16. Johannes Briechele, Shippensburg, 47:69.

200-yard freestyle: *Final* — 1. Miroslav Bobak, Drury, 1:39:01; 2. James Collins, Oakland, 1:39:29; 3. Ken Ehlen, Oakland, 1:39:96; 4. Jens Kristensen, Oakland, 1:40:50; 5. Arthur Albiero, Oakland, 1:40:88; 6. Raffi Karapetian, Oakland, 1:41:38; 7. Ken Quarterman, Cal St. Bakersfield, 1:41:87; 8. Rafael Gujjarro, Cal St. Bakersfield, 1:45:77; *Consolation* — 9. Dan Naylis, Oakland, 1:42:23; 10. Holger Schmidt, North Dak., 1:42:81; 11. George Damianidis, Ashland, 1:42:92; 12. Bill Ferguson, Cal St. Bakersfield, 1:43:14; 13. Aaron Hawks, Drury, 1:43:32; 14. Cory Tague, Cal St. Bakersfield, 1:43:43; 15. Bryan Pratt, Drury, 1:43:48; 16. Mark Gole, Oakland, 1:45:13.

500-yard freestyle: *Final* — 1. Miroslav Bobak, Drury, 4:27:92; 2. James Collins, Oakland, 4:28:32; 3. George Damianidis, Ashland, 4:30:67; 4. David Kalange, Ashland, 4:31:42; 5. David Paxton, Oakland, 4:34:36; 6. Dan Naylis, Oakland, 4:35:54; 7. Chris Breitbart, Cal St. Bakersfield, 4:35:75; 8. Mike Haro, Cal St. Bakersfield, 4:38:78; *Consolation* — 9. Rafael Gujjarro, Cal St. Bakersfield, 4:33:06; 10. Karl Kozicki, Oakland, 4:37:85; 11. Cory Tague, Cal St. Bakersfield, 4:39:55; 12. Tony Muniz, Cal St. Bakersfield, 4:40:16; 13. Kevin Everett, Oakland, 4:43:11; 14. Jason Sanderl, Cal St. Bakersfield, 4:44:72; 15. Fredrik Isaksson, Drury, 4:44:73; 16. Charles Cundiff, Cal St. Bakersfield, 4:45:00.

1,650-yard freestyle: *Final* — 1. Miroslav Bobak, Drury, 15:40:59; 2. George Damianidis, Ashland, 15:44:02; 3. James Collins, Oakland, 15:54:39; 4. David Kalange, Ashland, 15:55:67; 5. David Paxton, Oakland, 15:56:49; 6. Mike Haro, Cal St. Bakersfield, 15:56:75; 7. Tony Muniz, Cal St. Bakersfield, 16:00:39; 8. Chris Breitbart, Cal St. Bakersfield, 16:05:86; 9. Karl Kozicki, Oakland, 16:26:89; 10. Scott Olson, West Va. Wesleyan, 16:28:13; 11. Charles Cundiff, Cal St. Bakersfield, 16:33:76; 12. Bill Unzicker, Mo.-Rolla, 16:41:96; 13. Dan Naylis, Oakland, 17:00:80; 14. Mike Smith, Cal St. Bakersfield, 17:31:74.

100-yard backstroke: *Final* — 1. Chris Zoltak, Oakland, 49:28; 2. Ryan Bradley, Denver, 49:51; 3. Jens Kristensen, Oakland, 51:32; 4. Arthur Albiero, Oakland, 51:49; 5. Ken Quarterman, Cal St. Bakersfield, 51:83; 6. Cory Tague, Cal St. Bakersfield, 52:23; 7. Mark Gole, Oakland, 52:29; 8. Mariano Delle-Donne, Denver, 52:77; *Consolation* — 9. Ben Ingram, Drury, 52:69; 10. Chris Miller, Cal St. Bakersfield, 53:10; 11. Kevin Everett, Oakland, 53:51; 12. Ryan Packer, Cal St. Bakersfield, 53:55; 13. Brian Kline, Indiana (Pa.), 53:78; 14. Jason Sanderl, Cal St. Bakersfield, 54:38; 15. Greg Kristoff, Northeast Mo. St., 54:53; 16. Johannes Briechele, Shippensburg, 56:36.

200-yard backstroke: *Final* — 1. Ryan Bradley, Denver, 1:47:57; 2. Chris Zoltak, Oakland, 1:48:03; 3. David Kalange, Ashland, 1:51:67; 4. Arthur Albiero, Oakland, 1:51:75; 5. Chris Maender, Drury, 1:52:52; 6. Aaron Hawks, Drury, 1:52:77; 7. Jens Kristensen, Oakland, 1:53:80; 8. Cory Tague, Cal St. Bakersfield, 1:54:62; *Consolation* — 9. Pat Foster, UC Davis, 1:53:97; 10. Fredrik Isaksson, Drury, 1:54:28; 11. Mike Budde, Shippensburg, 1:54:32; 12. Kevin Everett, Oakland, 1:54:44; 13. Jason Sanderl, Cal St. Bakersfield, 1:54:63; 14. Bryan Parsons, Ashland, 1:54:81; 15. Greg Kristoff, Northeast Mo. St., 1:55:50; 16. Barry Hein, Denver, 1:56:54.

100-yard breaststroke: *Final* — 1. David Aniot, Drury, 55:64; 2. Dmitri Malinovsky, Alas. Anchorage, 56:51; 3. Jay Judson, Oakland, 56:96; 4. Randy Teeters, Oakland, 57:11; 5. Bryan Pratt, Drury, 57:21; 6. Scott Elliott, West Chester, 57:68; 7. Adric Arndt, Oakland, 57:76; 8. Brett Lindenmuth, Gannon, 58:59; *Consolation* — 9. Isaac Farnsworth, Oakland, 58:11; 10. Andy Smearman, Clarion, 58:30; 11. Nicklas Bohman, Drury, 58:84; 12. Jeff Piland, UC Davis, 58:88; 13. Jason Balko, Fairmont St., 59:11; 14. Travis Flowers, Colorado Mines, 59:12; 15. Dan Zelen, North Dak., 59:20; 16. Raffi Karapetian, Oakland, 59:32.

200-yard breaststroke: *Final* — 1. Jay Judson, Oakland, 2:01:73; 2. David Aniot, Drury, 2:02:65; 3. Bryan Pratt, Drury, 2:02:91; 4. Randy Teeters, Oakland, 2:03:05; 5. Jason Schatlenkirk, Cal St. Bakersfield, 2:05:04; 6. Andy Smearman, Clarion, 2:05:46; 7. Isaac Farnsworth, Oakland, 2:05:89; 8. Chris Breitbart, Cal St. Bakersfield, 2:05:99; *Consolation* — 9. Alex Beaver, Cal St. Bakersfield, 2:06:16; 10. Scott Olson, West

Va. Wesleyan, 2:06:72; 11. Brett Lindenmuth, Gannon, 2:07:26; 12. Nicklas Bohman, Drury, 2:07:93; 13. Dmitri Malinovsky, Alas. Anchorage, 2:08:03; 14. Travis Flowers, Colorado Mines, 2:08:32; 15. Adric Arndt, Oakland, 2:09:05; 16. Bill Unzicker, Mo.-Rolla, 2:09:30.

100-yard butterfly: *Final* — 1. Ryan Bradley, Denver, 49:16; 2. Chris Zoltak, Oakland, 49:34; 3. Bryan Hoffman, Cal St. Bakersfield, 50:52; 4. Ryan Packer, Cal St. Bakersfield, 50:73; 5. (tie) David Aniot, Drury, and Troy Christenson, South Dak., 50:76; 7. Pat Foster, UC Davis, 50:79; 8. Ben Ingram, Drury, 50:84; *Consolation* — 9. (tie) Donovan Coskey, Henderson St., and Mark Snow, South Dak., 51:08; 11. Joe Snyder, Oakland, 51:23; 12. Scott Hendry, Slippery Rock, 51:44; 13. Mike Smith, Cal St. Bakersfield, 51:98; 14. Bill Mataya, Northeast Mo. St., 52:06; 15. Travis Flowers, Colorado Mines, 52:55; 16. Jason Steele, Oakland, 52:87.

200-yard butterfly: *Final* — 1. David Kalange, Ashland, 1:50:11; 2. Ryan Bradley, Denver, 1:50:12; 3. Pat Foster, UC Davis, 1:51:32; 4. Miroslav Bobak, Drury, 1:51:61; 5. Scott Hendry, Slippery Rock, 1:51:97; 6. Bryan Hoffman, Cal St. Bakersfield, 1:52:90; 7. Bryan Parsons, Ashland, 1:53:15; 8. David Paxton, Oakland, 1:54:37; *Consolation* — 9. Andy Millet, Alas. Anchorage, 1:53:16; 10. James Collins, Oakland, 1:54:00; 11. Mike Smith, Cal St. Bakersfield, 1:54:03; 12. Fredrik Isaksson, Drury, 1:54:10; 13. Aaron Hawks, Drury, 1:54:77; 14. Chris Maender, Drury, 1:55:26; 15. Mike Haro, Cal St. Bakersfield, 1:55:75; 16. Mark Snow, South Dak., 1:56:50.

200-yard individual medley: *Final* — 1. David Aniot, Drury, 1:50:70; 2. Randy Teeters, Oakland, 1:50:79; 3. Jay Judson, Oakland, 1:51:60; 4. Arthur Albiero, Oakland, 1:52:02; 5. Alex Beaver, Cal St. Bakersfield, 1:52:03; 6. Chris Maender, Drury, 1:52:58; 7. Jens Kristensen, Oakland, 1:53:11; 8. Bill Ferguson, Cal St. Bakersfield, 1:53:33; *Consolation* — 9. Andy Millet, Alas. Anchorage, 1:53:58; 10. Ken Ehlen, Oakland, 1:53:71; 11. Pat Foster, UC Davis, 1:53:77; 12. Nicklas Bohman, Drury, 1:54:38; 13. Bryan Pratt, Drury, 1:54:41; 14. Andy Smearman, Clarion, 1:54:70; 15. Isaac Farnsworth, Oakland, 1:55:01; 16. Aaron Hawks, Drury, 1:55:03.

400-yard individual medley: *Final* — 1. Chris Maender, Drury, 3:57:67; 2. Randy Teeters, Oakland, 3:57:89; 3. Bill Ferguson, Cal St. Bakersfield, 3:58:37; 4. Chris Breitbart, Cal St. Bakersfield, 4:00:80; 5. George Damianidis, Ashland, 4:01:36; 6. Bryan Parsons, Ashland, 4:03:43; 7. Nicklas Bohman, Drury, 4:03:77; 8. Alex Beaver, Cal St. Bakersfield, 4:05:54; *Consolation* — 9. David Paxton, Oakland, 4:00:20; 10. Karl Kozicki, Oakland, 4:04:63; 11. Andy Smearman, Clarion, 4:04:84; 12. Bill Unzicker, Mo.-Rolla, 4:05:20; 13. Fredrik Isaksson, Drury, 4:06:13; 14. Jay Judson, Oakland, 4:08:63; 15. Greg Kristoff, Northeast Mo. St., 4:09:26; Jon Grafious, Edinboro, disqualified.

One-meter diving: *Final (22 dives)* — 1. Ken Bedford, Clarion, 472.75; 10. Andy Ferguson, Clarion, 457.75; 3. Cliff Johanson, Cal St. Bakersfield, 452.10; 4. Spencer Nelson, Drury, 438.20; 5. Robert Marks, West Chester, 433.90; 6. Trevor Hoagland, Cal St. Bakersfield, 405.85; 7. Brian Ginocchetti, Clarion, 382.45; 8. Andrew Bradley, West Chester, 378.30; *Consolation (11 dives)* — 9. Mike Jackson, Drury, 348.70; 10. Jeremy Frye, St. Cloud St., 337.30; 11. Ezequiel Alejandro, Southern Conn. St., 327.50; 12. Michael Samfilippo, Wayne St. (Mich.), 315.50; 13. Jason Kupser, Wayne St. (Mich.), 303.45; 14. Ryan Bucher, St. Cloud St., 289.90; 15. Adam Simmonds, Drury, 275.00.

Three-meter diving: *Final (22 dives)* — 1. Andy Ferguson, Clarion, 518.90; 2. Ken Bedford, Clarion, 501.20; 3. Spencer Nelson, Drury, 494.70; 4. Trevor Hoagland, Cal St. Bakersfield, 458.20; 5. Robert Marks, West Chester, 429.95; 6. Brian Ginocchetti, Clarion, 418.50; 7. Ryan Bucher, St. Cloud St., 408.30; 8. Cliff Johanson, Cal St. Bakersfield, 396.80; *Consolation (11 dives)* — 9. Jason Kupser, Wayne St. (Mich.), 373.80; 10. Ezequiel Alejandro, Southern Conn. St., 363.05; 11. Andrew Bradley, West Chester, 338.15; 12. Mike Jackson, Drury, 336.30; 13. Jeremy Frye, St. Cloud St., 336.20; 14. Michael Samfilippo, Wayne St. (Mich.), 335.55.

200-yard freestyle relay: *Final* — 1. Oakland (Raffi Karapetian, Joe Snyder, Mark Gole, Randy Teeters), 1:21:46; 2. Cal St. Bakersfield, 1:22:17; 3. Drury, 1:24:42; 4. Ashland, 1:24:64; 5. North Dak., 1:24:68; 6. South Dak., 1:24:71; 7. Northeast Mo. St., 1:25:03; 8. Kutztown, 1:25:11; *Consolation* — 9. Henderson St., 1:24:77; 10. Denver, 1:26:70; 11. Tampa, 1:27:34.

400-yard freestyle relay: *Final* — 1. Oakland (Ken Ehlen, Jens Kristensen, Chris Zoltak, Raffi Karapetian), 2:59:60; 2. Cal St. Bakersfield, 3:00:72; 3. Drury, 3:04:08; 4. Denver, 3:05:35; 5. Ashland, 3:06:60; 6. North Dak., 3:06:92; 7. South Dak., 3:08:41; Henderson St., disqualified; *Consolation* — 9. Northeast Mo. St., 3:09:53; 10. Kutztown, 3:09:85; 11. Tampa, 3:13:11.

800-yard freestyle relay: *Final* — 1. Oakland (James Collins, Jens Kristensen, Arthur Albiero, Ken Ehlen), 6:38:88; 2. Drury, 6:45:49; 3. Cal St. Bakersfield, 6:45:95; 4. North Dak., 6:52:60; 5. Northeast Mo. St., 7:04:44; 6. Denver, 7:05:34; 7. Henderson St., 7:10:48; 8. Tampa, 7:10:75; 9. Kutztown, 7:11:37; 10. South Dak., 7:12:50; Ashland, disqualified.

200-yard medley relay: *Final* — 1. Oakland (Chris Zoltak, Randy Teeters, Joe Snyder, Raffi Karapetian), 1:30:63; 2. Drury, 1:31:17; 3. Denver, 1:33:71; 4. Cal St. Bakersfield, 1:34:43; 5. Henderson St., 1:34:62; 6. North Dak., 1:34:99; 7. Tampa, 1:35:23; 8. Ashland, 1:35:63; *Consolation* — 9. Northeast Mo. St., 1:36:16; 10. Kutztown, 1:36:41; 11. South Dak., 1:36:69.

400-yard medley relay: *Final* — 1. Oakland (Chris Zoltak, Jay Judson, Joe Snyder, Ken Ehlen), 3:20:60; 2. Drury, 3:23:85; 3. Denver, 3:25:00; 4. Cal St. Bakersfield, 3:25:59; 5. Henderson St., 3:27:24; 6. North Dak., 3:28:33; 7. Tampa, 3:29:07; 8. Ashland, 3:29:62; *Consolation* — 9. Kutztown, 3:32:16; 10. Northeast Mo. St., 3:33:96; 11. South Dak., 3:35:64.

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TEAM RESULTS

1. Air Force, 69 7/8; 2. Oakland, 625; 3. Drury, 551; 4. Northern Mich., 279 1/2; 5. Clarion, 256; 6. North Dak., 230; 7. Cal St. Bakersfield, 196 1/8; 8. Kutztown, 132; 9. Northern Colo.,

129; 10. West Chester, 117.

11. Indiana (Pa.), 111; 12. South Dak., 106; 13. Bloomsburg, 80; 14. St. Cloud St., 59; 15. Northeast Mo. St., 40; 16. (tie) UC Davis and Shippensburg, 36; 18. Grand Valley St., 32; 19. Henderson St., 26 1/2; 20. Edinboro, 15.

21. Metropolitan St., 9; 22. West Va. Wesleyan, 7; 23. Southern Conn. St., 5; 24. Indianapolis, 1.

INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

50-yard freestyle: *Final* — 1. Beth Zeman, Air Force, 23.38 seconds; 2. Ellen Lessig, Oakland, 23.72; 3. Lauri Ratica, Clarion, 24:06; 4. Valerie Bates, Henderson St., 24:08; 5. Val Nordquist, Northern Mich., 24:09; 6. Nikki Noaelli, St. Cloud St., 24:10; 7. Claudine Tjho, Air Force, 24:26; 8. Kristen Storm, Northern Mich., 24:37; *Consolation* — 9. Katie Flynn, Grand Valley St., 24:26; 10. Tori Ainlay, Metropolitan St., 24:33; 11. Lisa VanTatenhove, Oakland, 24:42; 12. (tie) Kim Lubsen, Henderson St., and Cory Snow, Cal St. Bakersfield, 24:45; 14. Liz Thoryk, Kutztown, 24:60; 15. Tara Bewley, Drury, 24:62; 16. Ellen Surowiec, Oakland, 24:69.

100-yard freestyle: *Final* — 1. Beth Zeman, Air Force, 51.33; 2. Xia Fujie, Northern Mich., 51.49; 3. Ellen Lessig, Oakland, 51.72; 4. Viktoria Gadd, Drury, 51.83; 5. Katie Flynn, Grand Valley St., 51.96; 6. Lisa VanTatenhove, Oakland, 52:60; 7. Kristen Storm, Northern Mich., 52:62; 8. Kristen Nagelkirk, Oakland, 52:69; *Consolation* — 9. Lauri Ratica, Clarion, 52:63; 10. Claudine Tjho, Air Force, 53:13; 11. Mary Blandford, Northeast Mo. St., 53:17; 12. Laura Juncker, Oakland, 53:22; 13. Cory Snow, Cal St. Bakersfield, 53:31; 14. Kim Lubsen, Henderson St., 53:64; 15. Tori Ainlay, Metropolitan St., 53:99; 16. Valerie Bates, Henderson St., 54:24.

200-yard freestyle: *Final* — 1. Viktoria Gadd, Drury, 1:52:47; 2. Jenna Tukey, Air Force, 1:53:38; 3. Laura Juncker, Oakland, 1:53:66; 4. Mary Blandford, Northeast Mo. St., 1:54:09; 5. Kristen Nagelkirk, Oakland, 1:54:27; 6. Ellen Lessig, Oakland, 1:54:29; 7. Lisa VanTatenhove, Oakland, 1:55:32; 8. Rachel Tukey, Air Force, 1:56:51; *Consolation* — 9. Katie Flynn, Grand Valley St., 1:54:27; 10. Amy Hennies, Air Force, 1:56:07; 11. Kristen Storm, Northern Mich., 1:56:56; 12. Tricia Gill, Drury, 1:57:44; 13. Mitzi Braswell, Air Force, 1:57:66; 14. Liz Hawes, Oakland, 1:58:08; 15. Clarice Gelmine, Oakland, 1:58:24; 16. Claudine Tjho, Air Force, 1:58:32.

500-yard freestyle: *Final* — 1. Jenna Tukey, Air Force, 4:52:92; 2. Rachel Tukey, Air Force, 4:56:32; 3. Viktoria Gadd, Drury, 4:58:35; 4. Christina Tompkins, Drury, 4:59:20; 5. Laura Juncker, Oakland, 5:04:50; 6. Kristen Nagelkirk, Oakland, 5:04:52; 7. Jennifer Sill, Drury, 5:07:89; 8. Sharla Dimmer, Northern Colo., 5:11:58; *Consolation* — 9. Mitzi Braswell, Air Force, 5:05:63; 10. Tricia Gill, Drury, 5:07:32; 11. Conner Wyatt, Air Force, 5:08:47; 12. Jennifer Stair, Oakland, 5:08:48; 13. Name Zuhul, Drury, 5:08:89; 14. Brandi Kossub, Drury, 5:09:74; 15. Debby Nickels, Oakland, 5:12:48; 16. Danielle Olson, Northern Colo., 5:16:96.

1,650-yard freestyle: *Final* — 1. Jenna Tukey, Air Force, 16:40:86; 2. Rachel Tukey, Air Force, 16:48:72; 3. Christina Tompkins, Drury, 16:57:49; 4. Nida Zuhul, Drury, 17:17:62; 5. Debby Nickels, Oakland, 17:25:88; 6. Laura Juncker, Oakland, 17:40:99; 7. Danielle Olson, Northern Colo., 17:41:32; 8. Jennifer Sill, Drury, 17:44:31; 9. Name Zuhul, Drury, 17:49:68; 10. Conner Wyatt, Air Force, 17:50:19; 11. Jennifer Stair, Oakland, 17:50:71; 12. Mitzi Braswell, Air Force, 17:53:31; 13. Mary Blandford, Northeast Mo. St., 17:59:28; 14. Sharla Dimmer, Northern Colo., 17:59:50; 15. Liz Hawes, Oakland, 18:07:39; 16. Carolyn Hepburn, Northeast Mo. St., 18:07:76.

100-yard backstroke: *Final* — 1. Brandi Kossub, Drury, 56:77; 2. Claudine Gruver, Kutztown, 57:44; 3. Amy Hennies, Air Force, 57:87; 4. Beth Zeman, Air Force, 58:25; 5. Val Nordquist, Northern Mich., 58:76; 6. Regan Rickert, Clarion, 59:00; 7. Shannon Goff, Air Force, 59:58; 8. Jessie Bailey, Oakland, 59:73; *Consolation* — 9. Viktoria Gadd, Drury, 59:31; 10. Pattie Collom, West Va. Wesleyan, 59:34; 11. Clarice Gelmine, Oakland, 59:83; 12. Colleen Murphy, Oakland, 59:86; 13. Courtney Bennett, Drury, 59:96; 14. Alyssa Cowden, Air Force, 1:00:52; 15. Sharla Dimmer, Northern Colo., 1:00:80; 16. Kara Nekimkin, Cal St. Bakersfield, 1:01:10.

200-yard backstroke: *Final* — 1. Brandi Kossub, Drury, 2:02:37; 2. Diane Burkett, West Chester, 2:02:81; 3. Amy Hennies, Air Force, 2:02:92; 4. Claudine Gruver, Kutztown, 2:03:79; 5. Courtney Bennett, Drury, 2:07:41; 6. Jessie Bailey, Oakland, 2:07:57; 7. Clarice Gelmine, Oakland, 2:07:98; 8. Val Nordquist, Northern Mich., 2:11:84; *Consolation* — 9. Regan Rickert, Clarion, 2:05:80; 10. Katie Weyforth, Northeast Mo. St., 2:08:22; 11. Jill Yarian, Cal St. Bakersfield, 2:08:85; 12. Alyssa Cowden, Air Force, 2:08:86; 13. Kara Nekimkin, Cal St. Bakersfield, 2:10:27; 14. Heather Jones, Bloomsburg, 2:10:35; 15. Linda Wentz, Indiana (Pa.), 2:11:35; 16. Tania Younkin, North Dak., 2:11:74.

100-yard breaststroke: *Final* — 1. Xia Fujie, Northern Mich., 1:04:48; 2. Tara Magnuson, South Dak., 1:04:75; 3. Olwyn Bruce, North Dak., 1:05:94; 4. Heather Bockmann, Oakland, 1:06:41; 5. Christina Tillotson, Clarion, 1:06:43; 6. Krista Steenbergen, Air Force, 1:06:63; 7. Jill Mellis, Oakland, 1:07:34; 8. Courtney Martellucci, Drury, 1:07:62; *Consolation* — 9. Piper Padgett, Northern Colo., 1:07:64; 10. Gina LeBlanc, Drury, 1:07:83; 11. Heather Towne, Bloomsburg, 1:08:16; 12. Tammy Gustafson, Southern Conn. St., 1:08:32; 13. Jennifer Laughna, Northern Mich., 1:08:41; 14. Kristen Gilbert, West Chester, 1:08:68; 15. Alexis Palmer, West Chester, 1:09:71; 16. Sharon Clairemont, Cal St. Bakersfield, 1:11:71.

200-yard breaststroke: *Final* — 1. Krista Steenbergen, Air Force, 2:20:39; 2. Maiya Anderson, Air Force, 2:21:16; 3. Xia Fujie, Northern Mich., 2:21:85; 4. Olwyn Bruce, North Dak., 2:22:70; 5. Tara Magnuson, South Dak., 2:22:80; 6. Courtney Martellucci, Drury, 2:23:94; 7. Heather Bockmann, Oakland, 2:27:10; 8. Piper Padgett, Northern Colo., 2:27:65; *Consolation* — 9. Jill Mellis, Oakland, 2:26:46; 10. Heather Towne, Bloomsburg, 2:26:84; 11. Kristen Gilbert, West Chester, 2:27:31; 12. Jennifer Schilling, Cal St. Bakersfield, 2:27:85; 13. Jennifer Laughna, Northern Mich., 2:28:35; 14. Gina LeBlanc, Drury, 2:28:37; 15. Dina Jones, Indiana (Pa.), 2:29:99; 16. Alexis Palmer, West Chester, 2:32:69.

100-yard butterfly: *Final* — 1. Nida Zuhul, Drury, 56:54; 2. Beth Zeman, Air Force, 57:21; 3. Connie Cann, Air Force, 57:29; 4. Tania Younkin, North Dak., 57:60; 5. Svenja Siekmann, North Dak., 57:74; 6. Lauri Ratica, Clarion, 57:86;

7. Henriett Toth, Edinboro, 57:96; 8. Amy Hurst, Cal St. Bakersfield, 59:22; *Consolation* — 9. Ellen Lessig, Oakland, 59:01; 10. Liz Thoryk, Kutztown, 59:12; 11. Alyssa Cowden, Air Force, 59:28; 12. Gisa Alessandri, Oakland, 59:41; 13. Jessie Bailey, Oakland, 59:50; 14. Charlene Shearard, South Dak., 59:64; 15. Julie Freedman, Air Force, 1:00:35; 16. Deirdre Lamb, Indiana (Pa.), 1:00:45.

200-yard butterfly: *Final* — 1. Nida Zuhul, Drury, 2:02:27 (meet record; old record 2:02:92, Laurence Bensimon, Fla. Atlantic, 1987); 2. Svenja Siekmann, North Dak., 2:05:02; 3. Maiya Anderson, Air Force, 2:06:67; 4. Diane Burkett, West Chester, 2:06:74; 5. Christina Tompkins, Drury, 2:08:54; 6. Connie Cann, Air Force, 2:09:62; 7. Julie Freedman, Air Force, 2:10:60; 8. Jennifer Stair, Oakland, 2:11:89; *Consolation* — 9. Kristen Nagelkirk, Oakland, 2:09:27; 10. Carolyn Hepburn, Northeast Mo. St., 2:10:66; 11. Jennifer Schilling, Cal St. Bakersfield, 2:12:26; 12. Alexis Palmer, West Chester, 2:13:20; 13. Amy Hurst, Cal St. Bakersfield, 2:13:31; 14. Jennifer Sill, Drury, 2:13:35; 15. Name Zuhul, 2:13:67; 16. Henriett Toth, Edinboro, 2:14:53.

200-yard individual medley: *Final* — 1. Nida Zuhul, Drury, 2:05:82; 2. Christina Tillotson, Clarion, 2:06:14; 3. (tie) Maiya Anderson, Air Force, and Xia Fujie, Northern Mich., 2:06:51; 5. Diane Burkett, West Chester, 2:07:08; 6. Krista Steenbergen, Air Force, 2:08:05; 7. Amy Hennies, Air Force, 2:08:48; 8. Courtney Martellucci, Drury, 2:11:55; *Consolation* — 9. Alyssa Cowden, Air Force, 2:09:96; 10. Jessie Bailey, Oakland, 2:10:3

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Williams, 2:55; 5. Hope, 1:83; 6. UC Santa Cruz, 1:60; 7. Rowan, 1:57; 8. Johns Hopkins, 1:53; 9. Emory, 1:39; 10. Middlebury, 1:26.

11. Ithaca, 1:23; 12. Allegheny, 1:10; 13. Wooster, 94; 14. Wis.-Eau Claire, 74; 15. Wheaton (Ill.), 69; 16. Lake Forest, 65; 17. (tie) Mary Washington and Swarthmore, 64; 19. Springfield, 56; 20. Carnegie Mellon, 55.

21. Amherst, 52; 22. Union (N.Y.), 46; 23. Case Reserve, 45 1/2; 24. Wis.-Oshkosh, 45; 25. Gettysburg, 40; 26. St. Olaf, 39; 27. Frank. & Marsh., 38; 28. Smith, 35; 29. Elizabethtown, 33; 30. (tie) Principia and St. Benedict, 31.

32. Hamilton, 30; 33. Wittenberg, 20; 34. (tie) Hollins, Trenton St., and Wash. & Lee, 19; 37. Regis (Mass.), 14; 38. Bowdoin, 12; 39. (tie) Rochester and Wellesley, 11.

41. Lawrence, 9; 42. Ohio Wesleyan, 7; 43. (tie) St. Thomas (Minn.) and Tufts, 6; 45. Bates, 5 1/2; 46. (tie) Baldwin-Wallace, Claremont-M-S and Drew, 5; 49. (tie) John Carroll and William Smith, 2; 51. (tie) Chicago, Widener and Wis.-River Falls, 1.

INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

50-yard freestyle: *Final* — 1. Marisha Stawiski, Kenyon, 24.02 seconds; 2. Gretchen Von Oesen, Williams, 24.15; 3. Angela Gilardi, UC Santa Cruz, 24.20; 4. Shelly Baker, Kenyon, 24.21; 5. Kristin Goldthorpe, Denison, 24.27; 6. Jamie Ruffennach, Allegheny, 24.49; 7. Kelly Lotts, Denison, 24.57; 8. Katie Varda, Kenyon, 24.63; *Consolation* — 9. Lindsay Kircher, UC Santa Cruz, 24.47; 10. Lisa Natzke, Kenyon, 24.48; 11. Sara Shimanski, Wis.-Eau Claire, 24.71; 12. Connie Pierre, St. Thomas (Minn.), 24.92; 13. Heather McPherson, UC San Diego, 25.04; 14. Megan Lewis, Gettysburg, 25.09; 15. Jaime VanFossen, William Smith, 25.12; 16. Cara Jarnberg, Wis.-River Falls, 25.21.

100-yard freestyle: *Final* — 1. Rebecca Fruehan, Carnegie Mellon, 52.48; 2. Gretchen Von Oesen, Williams, 52.50; 3. Renee Helbok, Ithaca, 52.60; 4. Carrie Parker, UC San Diego, 52.69; 5. Marisha Stawiski, Kenyon, 52.88; 6. Angela Gilardi, UC Santa Cruz, 53.04; 7. Sarah Buntzman, Kenyon, 53.44; 8. Sara Shimanski, Wis.-Eau Claire, 53.89; *Consolation* — 9. Shelly Baker, Kenyon, 53.32; 10. Heather McPherson, UC San Diego, 53.34; 11. Jamie Ruffennach, Allegheny, 53.35; 12. Lindsay Kircher, UC Santa Cruz, 53.46; 13. Kristin Goldthorpe, Denison, 53.69; 14. Megan Lewis, Gettysburg, 53.73; 15. Jen Clark, Middlebury, 53.96; 16. Connie Pierre, St. Thomas (Minn.), 54.28.

200-yard freestyle: *Final* — 1. Rebecca Fruehan, Carnegie Mellon, 1:52.94; 2. Renee Helbok, Ithaca, 1:53.25; 3. Gretchen Von Oesen, Williams, 1:54.54; 4. Carrie Parker, UC San Diego, 1:54.58; 5. Debbie Luhmann, Denison, 1:55.95; 6. Sarah Buntzman, Kenyon, 1:56.21; 7. Liz Sichel, Hamilton, 1:56.61; 8. Emily Butler, Denison, 1:56.63; *Consolation* — 9. Sara Shimanski, Wis.-Eau Claire, 1:55.87; 10. Stacy Bertelli, Wittenberg, 1:56.36; 11. Sandi Sample, Denison, 1:56.47; 12. Heather McPherson, UC San Diego, 1:57.27; 13. Heather Doherty, Kenyon, 1:57.38; 14. Kristin Quade, St. Olaf, 1:57.54; 15. Jenny Irwin, UC San Diego, 1:57.73; 16. Lisa Natzke, Kenyon, 1:58.02.

500-yard freestyle: *Final* — 1. Kristen Hoving, Hope, 4:56.95; 2. Heidi George, Middlebury, 5:00.69; 3. Amelia Armstrong, Kenyon, 5:03.34; 4. Rebecca Fruehan, Carnegie Mellon, 5:03.84; 5. Susan Beatty, Case Reserve, 5:04.22; 6. Stephanie MacMillan, Wooster, 5:06.16; 7. Debbie Luhmann, Denison, 5:07.36; 8. Sandi Sample, Denison, 5:10.69; *Consolation* — 9. Liz Sichel, Hamilton, 5:07.68; 10. Sarah Buntzman, Kenyon, 5:07.70; 11. Stacy Bertelli, Wittenberg, 5:09.69; 12. Susan Givens, Middlebury, 5:10.50; 13. Eliza Barcus, Mary Washington, 5:11.11; 14. Deborah Palmer, Williams, 5:11.95; 15. Peggy Dempsey, 5:12.78; 16. Beth Belanger, Kenyon, 5:15.17.

1,650-yard freestyle: *Final* — 1. Heidi George, Middlebury, 16:40.16 (meet record; old record 16:51.78, Jessica Berkowitz, Kenyon, 1993); 2. Kristen Hoving, Hope, 16:57.50; 3. Susan Beatty, Case Reserve, 17:13.09; 4. Amelia Armstrong, Kenyon, 17:21.76; 5. Stephanie MacMillan, Wooster, 17:27.09; 6. Debbie Luhmann, Denison, 17:27.15; 7. Ann Magdic, Allegheny, 17:35.58; 8. Beth Belanger, Kenyon, 17:43.47; 9. Liz Sichel, Hamilton, 17:47.14; 10. Tiffany Talley, Williams, 17:48.78; 11. Sandi Sample, Denison, 17:49.09; 12. Eliza Barcus, Mary Washington, 17:49.26; 13. Deborah Palmer, Williams, 17:49.76; 14. Maura Deegan, Kenyon, 17:51.31; 15. Heather Doherty, Kenyon, 17:53.80; 16. Susan Givens, Middlebury, 17:54.54.

100-yard backstroke: *Final* — 1. Cheri Tiegs, Wis.-Oshkosh, 58.85; 2. Kristina Paulsen, Wheaton (Ill.), 59.22; 3. Gina Vittori, UC Santa Cruz, 59.79; 4. Sarah King, Mary Washington, 59.86; 5. Kristie Kleiner, Regis (Mass.), 1:00.07; 6. Tobi Limke, Lake Forest, 1:00.35; 7. Carrie Parker, UC San Diego, 1:00.56; 8. Jacqueline Woo, Wellesley, 1:01.15; *Consolation* — 9. Donna Restivo, Rowan, 59.50; 10. Laura Marean, Ohio Wesleyan, 1:00.17; 11. Kelly Vikstrom, Johns Hopkins, 1:00.18; 12. Shayn Peirce, Johns Hopkins, 1:00.29; 13. Stephanie MacMillan, Wooster, 1:00.34; 14. Katie Varda, Kenyon, 1:00.75; 15. Rebekah Prince, Wash. & Lee, 1:00.90; 16. Leean Nurek, Widener, 1:01.19.

200-yard backstroke: *Final* — 1. Cheri Tiegs, Wis.-Oshkosh, 2:05.83; 2. Kathryn Petrock, Kenyon, 2:06.64; 3. Shayn Peirce, Johns Hopkins, 2:07.30; 4. Rebekah Prince, Wash. & Lee, 2:07.67; 5. Tobi Limke, Lake Forest, 2:09.28; 6. Shanon Connolly, Kenyon, 2:09.66; 7. Jennifer Erdos, Allegheny, 2:09.69; 8. Kristin Kemmer, UC San Diego, 2:09.82; *Consolation* — 9. Kerry Weeks, Amherst, 2:09.43; 10. Kristina Paulsen, Wheaton (Ill.), 2:09.57; 11. Donna Restivo, Rowan, 2:10.27; 12. Jill Volgstadt, Baldwin-Wallace, 2:10.59; 13. Sarah King, Mary Washington, 2:10.92; 14. Lindy Chelf, Hope, 2:11.06; 15. Kelly Vikstrom, Johns Hopkins, 2:11.19; 16. Barbara Winograd, Amherst, 2:12.37.

100-yard breaststroke: *Final* — 1. Teri Hatcher, Rowan, 1:05.85; 2. Jaclyn Zimmerman, Elizabethtown, 1:06.19; 3. Sarah Chu, UC San Diego, 1:06.25; 4. Kelly Byrne, UC San Diego, 1:07.04; 5. Carmen Trombini, Frank. & Marsh., 1:07.06; 6. Skye Fulkerson, Swarthmore, 1:07.07; 7. Megan McCarthy, Union (N.Y.), 1:07.42; 8. Tracey Pavlishin, Emory,

1:08.00; *Consolation* — 9. Dawn Gerken, Smith, 1:07.49; 10. Kelly Lotts, Denison, 1:07.62; 11. Laura Baker, Kenyon, 1:08.00; 12. Megan Hunter, Hope, 1:08.04; 13. Malia McGlothlin, Kenyon, 1:08.19; 14. Rachel Schiming, Kenyon, 1:08.43; 15. Kim Makar, Lake Forest, 1:08.50; 16. Melissa Thiel, Hope, 1:08.80.

200-yard breaststroke: *Final* — 1. Kelly Byrne, UC San Diego, 2:22.03; 2. Teri Hatcher, Rowan, 2:23.56; 3. Jaclyn Zimmerman, Elizabethtown, 2:24.06; 4. Laura Baker, Kenyon, 2:24.17; 5. Megan McCarthy, Union (N.Y.), 2:25.34; 6. Ann Magdic, Allegheny, 2:26.04; 7. Debbie King, Wooster, 2:27.41; 8. Carmen Trombini, Frank. & Marsh., 2:29.97; *Consolation* — 9. Tracey Pavlishin, Emory, 2:24.88; 10. Sarah Chu, UC San Diego, 2:25.43; 11. Linda Monroe, UC San Diego, 2:27.25; 12. Malia McGlothlin, Kenyon, 2:27.52; 13. Megan Hunter, Hope, 2:27.93; 14. Kelly Lotts, Denison, 2:28.53; 15. Jenny Harvey, Swarthmore, 2:28.70; 16. Shelly Tabke, UC San Diego, 2:29.10.

100-yard butterfly: *Final* — 1. Rocio Lopez, Johns Hopkins, 58.50; 2. Lindsay Kircher, UC Santa Cruz, 58.59; 3. Anna Tuttle, Denison, 58.93; 4. Ann Girvin, Johns Hopkins, 58.94; 5. Jamie Ruffennach, Allegheny, 58.96; 6. Allison Edsall, Denison, 59.38; 7. Ashley Holderness, St. Benedict, 59.47; 8. Kelly Peters, Rochester, 59.56; *Consolation* — 9. Shelly Baker, Kenyon, 58.87; 10. Jen Clark, Middlebury, 59.24; 11. Katherine Miller, Bowdoin, 59.69; 12. Katina Horton, Hollins, 59.72; 13. Kristin Kemmer, UC San Diego, 59.90; 14. Rosemary deShazo, Emory, 1:00.01; 15. (tie) Sharon Sanborn, Case Reserve, and Melissa Sander, Bates, 1:00.23.

200-yard butterfly: *Final* — 1. Marla Robertson, Williams, 2:06.31; 2. Kristen Hoving, Hope, 2:06.47; 3. Anna Drejer, Kenyon, 2:07.12; 4. Anna Tuttle, Denison, 2:07.95; 5. Katina Horton, Hollins, 2:08.08; 6. Jill Belding, Swarthmore, 2:08.33; 7. Rocio Lopez, Johns Hopkins, 2:10.28; 8. Colleen Gallagher, Lake Forest, 2:12.11; *Consolation* — 9. Tracy Maschman, Lawrence, 2:11.01; 10. Stacy Bertelli, Wittenberg, 2:11.32; 11. Amy Sacunas, Allegheny, 2:11.93; 12. Barbara Winograd, Amherst, 2:12.15; 13. Melissa Sander, Bates, 2:12.36; 14. Ashley Holderness, St. Benedict, 2:12.40; 15. Rosemary deShazo, Emory, 2:12.59; 16. Carrie Sergi, Wooster, 2:13.39.

200-yard individual medley: *Final* — 1. Kathryn Petrock, Kenyon, 2:07.95; 2. Anna Drejer, Kenyon, 2:08.34; 3. Kelly Byrne, UC San Diego, 2:08.36; 4. Anna Tuttle, Denison, 2:08.47; 5. Marla Robertson, Williams, 2:09.90; 6. Carmen Trombini, Frank. & Marsh., 2:10.81; 7. Kerry Weeks, Amherst, 2:11.63; 8. Debbie King, Wooster, 2:11.98; *Consolation* — 9. Kristina Paulsen, Wheaton (Ill.), 2:10.33; 10. Jennifer Allaire, Union (N.Y.), 2:11.50; 11. Megan McCarthy, Union (N.Y.), 2:11.57; 12. Malia McGlothlin, Kenyon, 2:12.04; 13. Jennifer Erdos, Allegheny, 2:12.74; 14. Linda Monroe, UC San Diego, 2:12.86; 15. Lauren Kenworthy, Drew, 2:14.58; 16. Rebekah Prince, Wash. & Lee, 2:17.39.

400-yard individual medley: *Final* — 1. Kathryn Petrock, Kenyon, 4:26.99 (meet record; old record 4:27.92, Anna Drejer, Kenyon, 1995); 2. Anna Drejer, Kenyon, 4:30.46; 3. Amelia Armstrong, Kenyon, 4:30.73; 4. Marla Robertson, Williams, 4:31.02; 5. Susan Beatty, Case Reserve, 4:36.20; 6. Tracey Pavlishin, Emory, 4:38.68; 7. Jennifer Erdos, Allegheny, 4:41.05; 8. Tobi Limke, Lake Forest, 4:43.62; *Consolation* — 9. Debbie King, Wooster, 4:36.11; 10. Jennifer Allaire, Union (N.Y.), 4:37.62; 11. Melissa Warlow, Williams, 4:39.85; 12. Linda Monroe, UC San Diego, 4:39.95; 13. Heidi George, Middlebury, 4:40.30; 14. Lauren Kenworthy, Drew, 4:43.30; 15. Maura Deegan, Kenyon, 4:44.00; 16. Margaret Pizer, Chicago, 4:44.23.

One-meter diving: *Final (20 dives)* — 1. Sheri Takeuchi, UC San Diego, 385.40; 2. Jacquelyn Field, Principia, 384.80; 3. Katie Macy, St. Benedict, 370.15; 4. Andrea Underwood, Springfield, 367.45; 5. Sara Mulatz, Wis.-Eau Claire, 360.55; 6. Sabrina Oei, Williams, 351.10; 7. Nicole Huber, Smith, 333.30; 8. Kristi Young, UC San Diego, 324.15; *Consolation (10 dives)* — 9. Jennifer Phillips, Springfield, 341.15; 10. Diane Maiese, Trenton St., 332.10; 11. Alisha Alaimo, Emory, 329.50; 12. Becky Watson, Amherst, 327.70; 13. Jennifer Poole, Smith, 319.55; 14. Tammy Krug, Wis.-Oshkosh, 309.55; 15. Jennifer Ward, Tufts, 303.65; 16. Laurie Katz, Tufts, 302.00.

Three-meter diving: *Final (22 dives)* — 1. Sheri Takeuchi, UC San Diego, 483.20; 2. Andrea Underwood, 476.85; 3. Sara Mulatz, Wis.-Eau Claire, 438.65; 4. Jennifer Phillips, Springfield, 428.30; 5. Jacquelyn Field, Principia, 424.80; 6. Kristi Young, UC San Diego, 414.60; 7. Diane Maiese, Trenton St., 391.75; 8. Sabrina Oei, Williams, 382.35; *Consolation (11 dives)* — 9. Nicole Huber, Smith, 380.25; 10. Alisha Alaimo, Emory, 368.15; 11. Roseanne Werner, Bowdoin, 366.65; 12. Elena Goss, Claremont-M-S, 357.65; 13. Becky Watson, Amherst, 353.70; 14. Jennifer Ward, Tufts, 349.65; 15. Tammy Krug, Wis.-Oshkosh, 347.95; 16. Jennifer Poole, Smith, 337.70.

200-yard freestyle relay: *Final* — 1. Kenyon (Marisha Stawiski, Shelly Baker, Lisa Natzke, Katie Varda), 1:35.70; 2. Denison, 1:36.76; 3. UC San Diego, 1:37.94; 4. UC Santa Cruz, 1:38.20; 5. Rowan, 1:39.28; 6. Hope, 1:39.40; 7. Emory, 1:39.50; 8. Williams, 1:39.68; *Consolation* — 9. Wheaton (Ill.), 1:39.93; 10. Ithaca, 1:40.35; 11. Wis.-Eau Claire, 1:40.48; 12. Gettysburg, 1:40.63; 13. Johns Hopkins, 1:41.36; 14. Middlebury, 1:41.91; 15. Amherst, 1:42.89; 16. Swarthmore, 1:43.32.

400-yard freestyle relay: *Final* — 1. Kenyon (Anna Drejer, Shelly Baker, Sarah Buntzman, Marisha Stawiski), 3:31.03; 2. Denison, 3:31.63; 3. UC San Diego, 3:31.67; 4. Williams, 3:34.12; 5. UC Santa Cruz, 3:35.29; 6. Ithaca, 3:37.02; 7. Middlebury, 3:38.30; 8. Rowan, 3:39.07; *Consolation* — 9. Gettysburg, 3:37.06; 10. Johns Hopkins, 3:37.87; 11. St. Olaf, 3:38.07; 12. Emory, 3:38.50; 13. Wheaton (Ill.), 3:39.59; 14. Wis.-Eau Claire, 3:40.50; 15. Wooster, 3:46.71; Mary Washington, disqualified.

800-yard freestyle relay: *Final* — 1. UC San Diego (Heather McPherson, Jenny Irwin, Kelly Byrne, Carrie Parker), 7:41.53; 2. Kenyon, 7:44.25; 3. Williams, 7:45.07; 4. Denison, 7:47.14; 5. Hope, 7:47.96; 6. Middlebury, 7:48.51; 7. St. Olaf, 7:52.29; 8. Mary Washington, 7:57.78; 9.

Allegheny, 7:58.84; 10. Emory, 7:59.23; 11. Wooster, 7:59.72; 12. Wheaton (Ill.), 8:00.93; 13. Ithaca, 8:01.36; 14. Johns Hopkins, 8:01.70; 15. Gettysburg, 8:03.96; 16. Rowan, 8:06.31.

200-yard medley relay: *Final* — 1. Kenyon (Kathryn Petrock, Rachel Schiming, Shelly Baker, Marisha Stawiski), 1:47.65; 2. Denison, 1:49.19; 3. Hope, 1:49.66; 4. Rowan, 1:50.28; 5. Ithaca, 1:50.90; 6. UC Santa Cruz, 1:51.20; 7. Swarthmore, 1:51.68; 8. Emory, 1:51.81; *Consolation* — 9. Johns Hopkins, 1:51.37; 10. UC San Diego, 1:51.50; 11. Amherst, 1:51.87; 12. Wooster, 1:52.51; 13. Middlebury, 1:52.77; 14. Mary Washington, 1:53.37; 15. Williams, 1:54.03; 16. Lake Forest, 1:54.24.

400-yard medley relay: *Final* — 1. Kenyon (Kathryn Petrock, Rachel Schiming, Anna Drejer, Shelly Baker), 3:56.77; 2. UC San Diego, 3:57.92; 3. Denison, 3:58.90; 4. Hope, 3:59.23; 5. Johns Hopkins, 3:59.94; 6. Rowan, 4:00.36; 7. Williams, 4:01.55; Amherst, disqualified; *Consolation* — 9. Emory, 4:01.65; 10. Ithaca, 4:02.37; 11. Lake Forest, 4:03.85; 12. Swarthmore, 4:03.86; 13. Mary Washington, 4:07.01; 14. Middlebury, 4:07.44; 15. Wooster, 4:07.63; 16. Gettysburg, 4:11.39.

Division II wrestling

TEAM RESULTS

1. Pitt.-Johnstown, 86 1/2; 2. Central Okla., 81 1/2; 3. Neb.-Omaha, 70 1/2; 4. South Dak. St., 62 1/2; 5. Northern Colo., 61; 6. West Liberty St., 57; 7. Colorado Mines, 46 1/2; 8. Mankato St., 41 1/2; 9. San Fran. St., 40; 10. Western St., 33 1/2.

11. Adams St., 31; 12. Ashland, 29 1/2; 13. North Dak. St., 23 1/2; 14. Wis.-Parkside, 21; 15. Carson-Newman, 20 1/2; 16. St. Cloud St., 19; 17. Augustana (S.D.), 17 1/2; 18. North Dak., 15; 19. Southern Conn. St., 14; 20. Portland St., 10.

21. Moorhead St., 9 1/2; 22. Mass.-Lowell, 9; 23. Central Mo. St., 7 1/2; 24. (tie) Fort Hays St. and SIU-Edwardsville, 6 1/2; 26. (tie) Northern St. and Southern Colo., 5; 28. Shippensburg, 4 1/2; 29. Kutztown, 4; 30. Neb.-Kearney, 3; 31. Chadron St., 2 1/2; 32. Southwest St., 2.

INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

118-pound class

First round — Manuel Guzman, Southern Colo., def. Lamont Tucker, West Liberty St., 7-6; Travis Phippen, San Fran. St., def. Keith Kizzar, Central Okla., 4-0; John Strittmatter, Pitt.-Johnstown, def. Chad Short, Neb.-Omaha, 12-5; Pat Mathuse, Kutztown, pinned Adrian Simmons, North Dak., 2-13; Scott Goodale, Colorado Mines, def. Aaron Gonzalez, Northern Colo., 5-0; Johnny Vigil, Western St., pinned Tom Trinh, 4-18.

Quarterfinals — Guzman def. Phippen, 8-5; Strittmatter def. Karega Scott, Northeast Mo. St., 6-0; Goodale pinned Mathuse, 3-34; LeConte Merrell, Ashland, def. Vigil, 9-5.

Semifinals — Strittmatter def. Guzman, 6-5; Goodale def. Merrell, 8-2.

Finals — Goodale def. Strittmatter, 19-5; Third place — Vigil def. Merrell 4-3; Fifth place — Phippen pinned Guzman, 1-30; Seventh place — Gonzalez def. Short, 7-3.

126-pound class

First round — Lee Schickel, Pitt.-Johnstown, def. Jessie Shaffer, Colorado Mines, 8-1; Adam Feldman, South Dak. St., def. Chad Red, Indianapolis, 11-6; Tim Riehl, Kutztown, def. Jeff Kapusta, North Dak. St., 12-10; Carols Sumulong, San Fran. St., def. Nathan Hand, Carson-Newman, 10-5; Michael Barreras, Adams St., def. Marc Schulze, Mankato St., 6-4; Braumon Creighton, Neb.-Omaha, def. Brian Anderson, SIU-Edwardsville, 3-2.

Quarterfinals — Schickel def. Feldman, 5-3; Goodson def. Riehl, 11-2; Barreras def. Sumulong, 4-2; Creighton def. Bates, 9-6.

Semifinals — Schickel def. Goodson, 7-2; Barreras def. Creighton, 3-2.

Finals — Schickel def. Barreras, 7-6, tiebreaker; Third place — Goodson def. Schulze, 11-3; Fifth place — Creighton def. Shaffer, 3-1; Seventh place — Sumulong pinned Anderson, 3-07.

134-pound class

First round — Corey Kline, Ashland, def. Chris Zink, North Dak., 10-2; Ryan Vratil, Central Okla., def. Rocky Humphrey, Adams St., 9-4; Jason Reitmeier, Augustana (S.D.), pinned Ricky Jones, Carson-Newman, 1-10; George Thompson, North Dak. St., def. Chris Conroy, Mass.-Lowell, 13-8; Jeff Bricker, Pitt.-Johnstown, pinned Kip Platts, Western St., 2-09; Richard Guterrez, San Fran. St., def. Brad Shefchik, Wis.-Parkside, 4-3; Tony Johnson, Neb.-Omaha, def. Chris Heckadon, Central Mo. St., 4-2.

Quarterfinals — Kline def. Vratil, 3-1; Reitmeier pinned Thompson, 3-28; Guterrez def. Bricker, 10-5; Tony Benallo, Northern Colo., def. Johnson, 9-5.

Semifinals — Kline def. Reitmeier, 3-2; Benallo def. Guterrez, 4-0.

Finals — Kline def. Benallo, 11-9; Third place — Reitmeier def. Guterrez, 10-5; Fifth place — Bricker def. Thompson, 4-2; Seventh place — Johnson def. Vratil, by default, 1-08.

142-pound class

First round — Steve Hilas, San Fran. St., def. Jayson Querciagrossa, SIU-Edwardsville, 7-4; Scott Hewit, Northern Colo., def. Jack Gilman, West Liberty St., 9-4; Matt Mentzer, Shippensburg, def. Shane Lake, Portland St., 11-1; Dmitriy Shlemanov, Southern Conn. St., def. Troy Brown, Western St., 10-3; Tony Albertelli, Pitt.-Johnstown, def. Chris Austin, Gardner-Webb, 8-3; Jeremy LaVigne, North Dak. St., def. Marc Hodgson, 6-3.

Quarterfinals — Hilas def. Hewit, 4-3; Jerry Best, Central Okla., def. Mentzer, 5-3; Albertelli def. Shlemanov, 7-1; Travis King, South Dak. St., def. LaVigne, 3-2.

Semifinals — Best def. Hilas, 13-8; Albertelli def. King, 5-4.

Finals — Best def. Albertelli, 12-8; Third place — Hilas

def. King, 3-1; Fifth place — Hewit def. Shlemanov, 12-2; Seventh place — Mentzer def. Querciagrossa, 3-0.

150-pound class

First round — Troy Barbush, Pitt.-Johnstown, def. Dave Smith, Ashland, 3-1; Eddie Woody, Fort Hays St., def. Jason Cuperus, North Dak. St., 12-8; James Branch, West Liberty St., def. Nat Pellegrini, 10-3; Andy Reigstad, St. Cloud St., pinned Justin Hoopman, Chadron St., 4-58; Justin Kipp, Mankato St., pinned Joe Cartwright, Adams St., 4-25.

Quarterfinals — Barbush def. Woody, 4-3; Shawn Bateman, Central Okla., def. Branch, 3-2; Reigstad def. Chris Blair, Neb.-Omaha, 6-3; Jay Stephan, Northern St., def. Kipp, 3-2.

Semifinals — Bateman def. Barbush, 4-1; Reigstad pinned Stephan, 2-58.

Finals — Bateman def. Reigstad, 5-3; Third place — Branch def. Blair, 5-4; Fifth place — Barbush def. Stephan, by medical forfeit; Seventh place — Woody def. Kipp, 5-4.

158-pound class

First round — Danny Giammo, Carson-Newman, def. Kevin Allison, Chadron St., 13-0; Mark Blaschko, Neb.-Kearney, def. Zeke Allen, Gardner-Webb, 11-4; Nate Henrickson, Moorhead St., def. Rich Foston, West Liberty St., 5-3, sudden death; Mark Cunningham, Central Okla., def. Mike Gavin, Pitt.-Johnstown, 11-4; Myron Ellegood, Fort Hays St., pinned Howard Fullhart, South Dak. St., 7:33; Dave Vizzini, Portland St., def. Jason Kerkusz, 11-4.

Quarterfinals — Giammo pinned Blaschko, 2-39; Matt Lucas, Northern Colo., def. Henrickson, 3-1; Cunningham def. Ellegood, 6-4; Vizzini def. James Kisgen, North Dak., 5-3.

Semifinals — Giammo pinned Lucas, 6:48; Cunningham def. Vizzini, 15-6.

Finals — Cunningham def. Giammo, 8-6; Third place — Lucas def. Henrickson, 2-1; Fifth place — Kisgen vs. Vizzini, no winner, double flagrant misconduct; Seventh place — Foston def. Blaschko, 8-3.

167-pound class

First round — Pat Timm, South Dak. St., def. Jeron Quincy, Central Mo. St., 15-5; Kevin O'Neil, Pitt.-Johnstown, def. David Crumpler, San Fran. St., 7-5; Jason Wagner, North Dak., def. Myles Muckerheide, Wis.-Parkside, 8-5; Roy Dillow, Colorado Mines, def. T. J. Deaguero, Northern Colo., 9-6; Jim Czajowski, SIU-Edwardsville, def. Jake Holscher, Chadron St., 8-5; Sean Harrington, Mass.-Lowell, def. Deon Brimmage, Indianapolis, 12-4.

Quarterfinals — O'Neil pinned Timm, 6:12; Wagner def. Tim Pomfret, Ashland, 7-3; Dillow def. Czajowski, 8-6; Harrington def. Thad Handrick, Moorhead St., 17-3.

Semifinals — Wagner def. O'Neil, 5-3; Dillow def. Harrington, 16-11.

Chalk it up to experience in Division I men's basketball

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Seven of the top eight seeds and eight regional teams from last year's field make up the 16 teams still in the running for a Final Four berth in the 58th Division I Men's Basketball Championship.

Three of the four No. 1 seeds — Connecticut, Massachusetts and Kentucky — survived (No. 1 Purdue did not) and all of the No. 2 seeds — Cincinnati, Georgetown, Kansas and Wake Forest — did likewise. A veteran group of eight teams — Arkansas, Connecticut, Georgetown, Kansas, Kentucky, Massachusetts, Mississippi State and Wake Forest — return from last year's field of 16.

North Carolina, a member of eight regional semifinal fields since 1987, was bounced out by Texas Tech, a first-time regional semifinalist. Kansas has its sixth regional semifinal berth since 1987, Arkansas has appeared five times, and Kentucky and Louisville four times each.

Top coaches

There are three former national-championship coaches remaining in the field — Arkansas' Nolan Richardson, Georgetown's John Thompson and Louisville's Denny Crum. Kansas' Roy Williams is in his eighth year and already has delivered seven tournament appearances and two Final Four trips.

Nine coaches in the regional semifinals have taken teams to the Final Four, led by Louisville's Crum, who has two national titles and six Final Four teams. Arizona's Lute Olson, Arkansas' Richardson and Georgetown's Thompson each have had three Final Four teams. Richardson (1994) and Thompson (1984) also have won NCAA championships.

Kentucky's Rick Pitino, like Williams, has two Final Four appearances, while Cincinnati's Bob Huggins, Georgia Tech's Bobby Cremins and Syracuse's Jim Boeheim each have one Final Four appearance. Texas Tech's James Dickey is the only coach making his first appearance in the regional semifinals.

Seeding

Last year's Final Four seeding group kept alive a streak in which only two teams seeded below No. 8 have reached the Final Four. Arkansas (No. 12) still has a chance to join that list this year.

Those two teams are LSU, a No. 11 seed in 1986 when it reached the national semifinals before losing to eventual champion Louisville, 88-77, and Pennsylvania, a No. 9 seed in 1979 that lost to eventual titlist Michigan State, 101-67.

Villanova, a No. 8 seed in 1985, remains the lowest seed to win the championship, beating defending champion and No. 1-seeded Georgetown. Eight No. 1 seeds have captured the NCAA title, including last year's champion, UCLA.

In 1995, the Final Four tied for the fifth smallest combination of seeds, with numbers totaling nine. No. 1 seed UCLA, the eventual champion, teamed with No. 2 Arkansas, No. 2 North Carolina and No. 4 Oklahoma State.

The all-time smallest (and therefore best) combination of seeds was in 1993, when three No. 1 seeds — North Carolina, Michigan and Kentucky — and No. 2 Kansas totaled five.

Since 1985, when the men's bracket expanded to 64 teams, a No. 1 seed never has lost a first-round game — meaning no No. 16 seed has yet pulled the ultimate upset. This year, however, No. 1 Connecticut struggled to put away No. 16 Colgate, 68-59, and No. 1 Purdue survived shots in the final seconds by Western Carolina before winning, 73-71.

No. 1 seeds have the best record — 200-59 for a .772 winning percentage — in the tournament, followed by No. 2 seeds at 151-60 (.716) and No. 3 seeds at 104-66 (.612). No. 6 seeds have a better winning percentage than No. 4 or No. 5 seeds. Since 1985, in first-round games, No. 9 seeds are 28-20 over No. 8 seeds.

If you disregard the opening round, in which teams do not have the opportunity to meet the highest seed, then Villanova in 1985 had the toughest route to the championship. The Wildcats had to meet five opponents after the opening round whose seeds added up to only 11 (the lower the total number of seeds com-

bined, the more difficult a team's journey).

Villanova faced opponents seeded 1-5-2-2-1, while North Carolina State in 1983 faced a total of 19 in combined seeds (3-10-1-4-1). These two squads, along with Michigan State in 1979, were the only championship teams to face at least two No. 1 seeds en route to the title.

The 1995 titlist, UCLA, faced a total of 21 (8-5-2-4-2) in combined seeds.

Major upsets

As indicated by past bracket results, the NCAA Division I Men's Basketball Committee makes few errors in seeding. But in 1996, a case could be made that Arkansas — a No. 12 seed in the East region — was seeded too low. The Razorbacks, returning after two consecutive Final Four appearances, pulled two of a total of six first- and second-round major upsets. Nolan Richardson's squad bounced No. 5 Penn State, 86-80, in the first round and then dispatched No. 4 Marquette, 65-56, in the second round.

We define a major upset as involving a difference of at least five places in the seedings (such as No. 11 over No. 6 or No. 7 over No. 2) because that means the two teams were at least 16 places apart in the rankings used for regional seeding.

Princeton coach Pete Carril, retiring at the end of the tournament, got an early going-away gift from his players as his No. 13 Tigers posted a 43-41 win over defending champion (and No. 4 seed) UCLA in the first round's biggest upset.

1996 Major Upsets

Rd	Winner (Seed); Loser (Seed)	Score
1	Princeton (13); UCLA (4)	43-41
1	Boston College (11); Indiana (6)	64-51
1	Drexel (12); Memphis (5)	75-63
1	Arkansas (12); Penn St. (5)	86-80
2	Georgia (8); Purdue (1)	76-69
2	Arkansas (12); Marquette (4)	65-56

An accompanying table reports the number of major upsets — those involving teams at least five places apart in seeding — in tournaments since 1979.

Five different seeds have won a national title since 1979, with No. 1 seeds capturing the most — eight. The following chart shows the furthest seeds have gone in the tournament since 1979:

Seed	Best Finish
#1	CH — UCLA '95, Arkansas '94, North Caro. '93, Duke '92, UNLV '90, Indiana '87, Georgetown '84, North Caro. '82
#2	CH — Duke '91, Louisville '86 and '80, Michigan St. '79
#3	CH — Michigan '89, Indiana '81
#4	T3d — Oklahoma St. '95, Cincinnati '92, Arkansas '90, Georgia Tech '90, Georgia '83
#5	4th — Iowa '80
#6	CH — Kansas '88, North Caro. St. '83
#7	T3d — Virginia '84
#8	CH — Villanova '85
#9	4th — Pennsylvania '79
#10	RR — Temple '91, Texas '90, LSU '87, Dayton '84, St. John's (N.Y.) '79
#11	T3d — LSU '86
#12	RSF — Geo. Washington '93, New Mexico St. '92, Eastern Mich. '91, Ball St. '90, Wyoming '87, DePaul '86, Kentucky '85
#13	RSF — Richmond '88
#14	RSF — Cleveland St. '86
#15	2dR — Santa Clara '93, Richmond '91
#16	None has won opening-round game

(Legend: CH — champion; 2nd — second place; T3d — tied for third place; 4th — fourth place; RSF — regional semifinals; RR — regional runner-up; 2dR — second round.)

First-time teams

The success of first-time teams in the tournament is best measured by how far they advance. Before the 64-team bracket in 1985, it was not uncommon for teams to do well, even to the point of winning the national title. In fact, 10 teams since 1939 have won the championship in their first appearance in the tournament, but none of those came after 1963.

A first-time team making its way all the way through today's 64-team bracket seems a remote possibility. In fact, of the four first-time teams in this year's tournament — Monmouth (New Jersey), North Carolina-Greensboro, Valparaiso and Western Carolina — all lost in the first round.

Conferences

The Southeastern Conference has four of the 16 teams remaining, while the Big East Conference has three left. The Atlantic Coast Conference and Conference USA each have two teams left.

Since going to the 64-team bracket in 1985,

SEEDING OF FINAL FOUR TEAMS: 1979-95

Year	FF seeds	FF teams, in order of seeding	Champion (seed)
1979	1-2-2-9	Indiana St., Michigan St., DePaul, Pennsylvania	Michigan St. (2)
1980	2-5-6-8	Louisville, Iowa, Purdue, UCLA	Louisville (2)
1981	1-1-2-3	Virginia, LSU, North Caro., Indiana	Indiana (3)
1982	1-1-3-6	North Caro., Georgetown, Louisville, Houston	North Caro. (1)
1983	1-1-4-6	Houston, Louisville, Georgia, North Caro. St.	North Caro. St. (6)
1984	1-1-2-7	Kentucky, Georgetown, Houston, Virginia	Georgetown (1)
1985	1-1-2-8	St. John's (N.Y.), Georgetown, Memphis, Villanova	Villanova (8)
1986	1-1-2-11	Duke, Kansas, Louisville, LSU	Louisville (2)
1987	1-1-2-6	UNLV, Indiana, Syracuse, Providence	Indiana (1)
1988	1-1-2-6	Arizona, Oklahoma, Duke, Kansas	Kansas (6)
1989	1-2-3-3	Illinois, Duke, Seton Hall, Michigan	Michigan (3)
1990	1-3-4-4	UNLV, Duke, Georgia Tech, Arkansas	UNLV (1)
1991	1-1-2-3	UNLV, North Caro., Duke, Kansas	Duke (2)
1992	1-2-4-6	Duke, Indiana, Cincinnati, Michigan	Duke (1)
1993	1-1-1-2	North Caro., Michigan, Kentucky, Kansas	North Caro. (1)
1994	1-2-2-3	Arkansas, Arizona, Duke, Florida	Arkansas (1)
1995	1-2-2-4	UCLA, Arkansas, North Caro., Oklahoma St.	UCLA (1)

1996 MEN'S REGIONAL SEMIFINALISTS

Seed (Current Record)	Regional semifinals since 1987	CH	2nd	FF	RR
Southeast					
1 Connecticut (32-2)#	3	0	0	0	3
2 Cincinnati (27-4)	2	2	1	6	1
3 Georgia Tech (24-11)	2	0	0	1	2
5 Mississippi St. (24-7)#	1	0	0	0	0
West					
2 Kansas (28-4)#	6	2	4	10	3
3 Arizona (26-6)	3	0	0	2	1
4 Syracuse (26-8)	3	0	1	2	3
8 Georgia (21-9)	0	0	0	1	0
East					
1 Massachusetts (33-1)#	2	0	0	0	1
2 Georgetown (28-7)#	3	1	3	4	3
3 Texas Tech (30-1)	0	0	0	0	0
12 Arkansas (20-12)#	5	1	1	6	3
Midwest					
1 Kentucky (30-2)#	4	5	2	10	15
2 Wake Forest (25-5)#	2	0	0	1	4
4 Utah (27-6)	1	1	0	3	2
6 Louisville (22-11)	4	2	0	7	0

Repeater from 1995 regional semifinals.
RR — Regional runner-up, or one victory from Final Four, thus in top eight.

WON-LOST BY SEEDS

Includes records from 1979 through the first two rounds of the 1996 championship; also notes appearances in the Final Four.

Seed	W-L	Pct.	CH	2d	*T3d	4th
1	200-59	.772	8	7	11	1
2	151-60	.716	4	5	7	1
3	104-66	.612	2	3	2	—
4	89-68	.567	—	—	4	1
5	80-70	.533	—	—	—	1
6	98-66	.598	2	1	3	—
7	64-72	.471	—	—	1	—
8	53-70	.431	1	1	—	—
9	44-73	.376	—	—	—	1
10	38-72	.345	—	—	—	—
11	32-68	.320	—	—	1	—
12	26-67	.280	—	—	—	—
13	11-48	.186	—	—	—	—
14	11-48	.186	—	—	—	—
15	2-48	.040	—	—	—	—
16	0-48	.000	—	—	—	—

* Includes three that won undisputed third place in 1979, 1980 and 1981.

the Atlantic Coast Conference has placed 11 different teams in the 44 Final Four slots and has won three of the 10 national titles.

Here is a chart of the success of active men's conferences in the Final Four since 1985:

Atlantic Coast (11)
Duke '86, '88, '89, '90, '91*, '92*, '94
Georgia Tech '90
North Caro. '91, '93*, '95
Big East (6)
Georgetown '85
St. John's (N.Y.) '85
Villanova '85*
Providence '87
Syracuse '87
Seton Hall '89
Big Ten (6)
Indiana '87*, '92
Illinois '89
Michigan '89*, '92, '93
Big Eight (6)
Kansas '86, '88*, '91, '93
Oklahoma '88
Oklahoma St. '95
Big West (3)
UNLV '87, '90*, '91
Conference USA (3)
Cincinnati '92
Louisville '86#*
Memphis '85#
Pacific-10 (3)
Arizona '88, '94

MAJOR UPSETS BY ROUND

Year	Regional				National		
	1st	2nd	SF	Final	SF	CH	Tot.
1979*	—	2	1	—	—	—	3
1980*	1	2	—	—	—	—	3
1981*	1	4	—	—	—	—	5
1982	2	1	—	—	—	—	3
1983	3	2	—	1	—	1	7
1984	2	2	—	—	—	—	4
1985	5	5	—	1	1	1	13
1986	4	6	1	1	—	—	12
1987	4	2	1	1	—	—	8
1988	3	3	—	—	1	1	8
1989	7	—	—	—	—	—	7
1990	4	5	—	—	—	—	9
1991	6	—	1	—	—	—	7
1992	3	2	—	1	—	—	6
1993	5	—	—	—	—	—	5
1994	3	3	—	—	—	—	6
1995	5	0	—	—	—	—	5
Tot.	58	39	4	5	2	3	111
1996	4	2	—	—	—	—	6
Gms	472	288	136	68	34	17	1,015
Pct.	13.1	14.2	2.9	7.4	5.9	17.6	11.5

A major upset is defined as involving teams at least five places apart in regional seeding. There were eight first-round and 16 second-round games played in the 1979 championship; 16 first-round and 16 second-round games in championships from 1980 to 1984; and 32 first-round and 16 second-round games in championships from 1985 to the present.

* National third-place games these years not included (none was a major upset).

UCLA '95*
Southeastern (6)
LSU '86
Arkansas '90#, '94*, '95
Kentucky '93
Florida '94

* Won NCAA championship.

Memphis was a member of the Metro Conference in 1985; Cincinnati was a member of the Great Midwest Conference in 1992; Louisville was a member of the Metro Conference in 1986; and Arkansas was a member of the South-west Conference in 1990.

Survival

No. 12-seeded Arkansas was the only double-digit seed to survive this year's second-round games. Last year was the only time since the bracket expanded to 64 teams in 1985 that a double-digit seed did not advance to the regional semifinals.

Women following form in early rounds of tournament

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All four No. 1 seeds and all four No. 2 seeds survived the first- and second-round wars to jump into the regional semifinals of the 15th Division I Women's Basketball Championship.

Connecticut, the defending champion, leads the group of No. 1 seeds that also includes Tennessee, Stanford and Louisiana Tech, while No. 2 seeds Old Dominion, Iowa, Penn State and Georgia also joined the elite field.

There are four other former national champions in the group — Tennessee (three titles), Stanford (two titles), Louisiana Tech (two titles) and Texas Tech (one).

Tennessee is the only team that has advanced at least to the regional semifinals all 15 years, while Louisiana Tech has been in 13; Southern California, Virginia and Auburn in 10; and Long Beach State, Georgia, Mississippi and Stanford in nine each.

Nine teams return from the 1995 regional semifinals. They are Alabama, Connecticut, Georgia, Louisiana Tech, Stanford, Tennessee, Texas Tech, Vanderbilt and Virginia. No. 12 San Francisco is the second lowest seed to make the regional semifinals (No. 13 Texas A&M in 1994 was the lowest). No. 11 Stephen F. Austin also is in this year's group.

Of course, it's still a long way to the Women's Final Four.

Only 22 schools have made it to the Women's Final Four out of 152 teams that have made appearances in the championship field since 1982.

Here is a list of most regional semifinal appearances earned through the second round of the 1996 tournament:

Team (No.)	Years in regional semifinals
Tennessee (15)	82-83-84-85-86-87-88-89-90-91-92-93-94-95-96
Louisiana Tech (13)	82-83-84-85-86-87-88-89-90-93-94-95-96
Southern Cal (10)	82-83-84-85-86-87-88-89-92-93-94
Auburn (10)	83-85-86-87-88-89-90-91-93-96
Virginia (10)	87-88-89-90-91-92-93-94-95-96
Long Beach St. (9)	82-83-84-85-86-87-88-89-91
Mississippi (9)	83-84-85-86-87-88-89-90-92
Georgia (9)	83-84-85-86-87-88-91-95-96
Stanford (9)	88-89-90-91-92-93-94-95-96
Texas (8)	83-84-85-86-87-88-89-90
North Caro. St. (8)	82-84-85-87-89-90-91-95
Penn St. (7)	82-83-85-86-92-94-96
Vanderbilt (7)	90-91-92-93-94-95-96
Ohio St. (6)	85-86-87-88-89-93
Western Ky. (6)	85-86-91-92-93-95
Old Dominion (6)	82-83-84-85-87-96

Final Four teams in boldface

Final four seeds

There has never been a year in the Division I women's championship when a No. 1 seed failed to make the Women's Final Four. In fact, since 1982, only two Women's Final Four fields have had any teams seeded lower than No. 4 (1992 and 1994). Only once (1989), however, were all four teams seeded No. 1.

The lowest seed ever to make it to the Women's Final Four was No. 8 Southwest Missouri State in 1992, and No. 6 Alabama in 1994 was the only other seed below No. 4 to make it.

North Carolina, a No. 3 seed, is the lowest seed to win the championship, with 10 of 14 winners seeded No. 1. The all-time smallest (and therefore best) combination of seeds in the Women's Final Four was in 1989, when all four seeds were No. 1 seeds.

If you disregard the opening round, in which teams do not have the opportunity to meet the highest seed, then Tennessee in 1987 and Louisiana Tech in 1988 had the toughest route to the championship. Both teams had to meet five opponents whose seeds added up to only 13 (the lower the total number of seeds combined, the more difficult a team's journey).

Tennessee faced opponents seeded 7-3-1-1-1, while Louisiana Tech faced the same lineup. These two teams also are the only champions forced to meet three No. 1 seeds en route to the title.

Major upsets

A major upset is defined as a difference of at least five places in seeding (such as No. 11 over No. 6 or No. 7 over No. 2). Here is a list of 1996

upsets thus far:

1996 Major Upsets

Rd	Winner (Seed); Loser (Seed)	Score
1	Notre Dame (12); Purdue (5)	73-60
1	Stephen F. Austin (11); Oregon St. (6)	67-65
1	San Francisco (12); Florida (5)	68-61
2	Stephen F. Austin (11); Clemson (3)	93-88 (ot)
2	San Francisco (12); Duke (4)	64-60

Top seeds

In the 14 previous Division I women's tournaments, top-seeded teams have dominated the field. Since seeding began in 1982, a No. 1 or No. 2 seed has won all but one championship, including No. 1 Connecticut in 1995. The lone exception was No. 3 North Carolina in 1994.

Last year, joining Connecticut in the Women's Final Four were No. 1 Tennessee, No. 2 Stanford and No. 3 Georgia. The No. 1 seeds that have won titles are Louisiana Tech (1982), Southern California (1983 and 1984), Old Dominion (1985), Texas (1986), Tennessee (1989 and 1991), Stanford (1990 and 1992) and Connecticut (1995). The No. 2 seeds with championships are Tennessee (1987), Louisiana Tech (1988) and Texas Tech (1993).

The following chart shows the farthest seeds have gone in the tournament since 1994:

Seed	Best Finish
#1	CH — Connecticut '95
#2	T3d — Stanford '95
#3	CH — North Caro. '94
#4	2nd — Louisiana Tech '94
#5	2dR — Duke '95, Oregon St. '95, Drake '95, Mississippi '94, Texas '94, 'San Diego St. '94
#6	T3d — Alabama '94
#7	RR — North Caro. St. '95
#8	2dR — Virginia Tech '95, Memphis '95, Washington '94
#9	2dR — Florida Int'l '95, Southwest Mo. St. '95, Clemson '94, Kansas '94, Auburn '94
#10	2dR — Wisconsin '95, Creighton '94, Minnesota '94
#11	2dR — Louisville '95
#12	2dR — Montana '95, Western Ky. '94
#13	RSF — Texas A&M '94
#14	None has won opening-round game
#15	None has won opening-round game
#16	None has won opening-round game

(Legend: CH — champion; 2nd — second place; T3d — tied for third place; RSF — regional semifinal; RR — regional runner-up; 2dR — second round; 1Rd — first round.)

Conferences

The Southeastern Conference still has five teams in the field, and the Big Ten Conference is the only other league with more than one team remaining (two). Alabama, Auburn, Georgia, Tennessee and Vanderbilt are SEC teams still in the field. Big Ten teams are Iowa and Penn State.

Other conferences are represented by Stanford (Pacific-10 Conference), Louisiana Tech (Sun Belt Conference), Texas Tech (Southwest Conference), Stephen F. Austin (Southland Conference), Old Dominion (Colonial Athletic Conference), Virginia (Atlantic Coast Conference), Kansas (Big Eight Conference), Connecticut (Big East Conference) and San Francisco (West Coast Athletic Conference).

The SEC also has sent the most teams to the Women's Final Four since 1986, with 12 appearances.

Here is a chart of the success of women's conferences in the Women's Final Four since 1986:

Atlantic Coast (5)
Maryland '89
Virginia '90, '91, '92
North Caro. '94*
Big East (2)
Connecticut '91, '95*
Big Ten (3)
Ohio St. '93
Iowa '93
Purdue '94
Big West (2)
Long Beach St. '87, '88
Missouri Valley (1)
Southwest Mo. St. '92S
Pacific-10 (5)
Southern Cal '86#
Stanford '90*, '91, '92*, '95
Southeastern (12)
Tennessee '86, '87*, '88, '89*, '91*, '95
Auburn '88, '89, '90
Vanderbilt '93
Alabama '94
Georgia '95
Southwest (3)
Texas '86*, '87
Texas Tech '93*

SEEDING OF WOMEN'S FINAL FOUR TEAMS: 1982-95

Year	FF seeds	FF teams, in order of seeding	Champion (seed)
1982	1-2-2-2	Louisiana Tech, Tennessee, Cheyney, Maryland	Louisiana Tech (1)
1983	1-1-2-2	Louisiana Tech, Southern Cal, Georgia, Old Dominion	Southern Cal (1)
1984	1-1-3-3	Louisiana Tech, Southern Cal, Cheyney, Tennessee	Southern Cal (1)
1985	1-2-2-4	Old Dominion, Georgia, Northeast La., Western Ky.	Old Dominion (1)
1986	1-1-4-4	Southern Cal, Texas, Tennessee, Western Ky.	Texas (1)
1987	1-1-1-2	Long Beach St., Louisiana Tech, Texas, Tennessee	Tennessee (2)
1988	1-1-2-2	Auburn, Tennessee, Long Beach St., Louisiana Tech	Louisiana Tech (2)
1989	1-1-1-1	Auburn, Louisiana Tech, Maryland, Tennessee	Tennessee (1)
1990	1-1-2-2	Louisiana Tech, Stanford, Auburn, Virginia	Stanford (1)
1991	1-1-2-3	Tennessee, Virginia, Stanford, Connecticut	Tennessee (1)
1992	1-1-4-8	Stanford, Virginia, Western Ky., Southwest Mo. St.	Stanford (1)
1993	1-1-2-2	Ohio St., Vanderbilt, Iowa, Texas Tech	Texas Tech (2)
1994	1-3-4-6	Purdue, North Caro., Louisiana Tech, Alabama	North Caro. (3)
1995	1-1-2-3	Connecticut, Tennessee, Stanford, Georgia	Connecticut (1)

1996 WOMEN'S REGIONAL SEMIFINALISTS

Seed	(Current Record)	Regional semifinals since 1982	CH	2d	FF
West					
1	Stanford (27-2)#	9	2	0	4
2	Penn St. (27-6)	7	0	0	0
4	Alabama (24-7)#	4	0	0	1
6	Auburn (22-8)	10	0	3	3
Midwest					
1	Louisiana Tech (30-1)#	13	2	4	10
2	Georgia (25-4)#	9	0	1	3
4	Texas Tech (27-4)#	5	1	0	1
11	Stephen F. Austin (27-3)	4	0	0	0
East					
1	Tennessee (28-4)#	15	3	1	8
2	Old Dominion (29-2)	6	1	0	2
3	Virginia (25-6)#	10	0	1	3
4	Kansas (22-9)	1	0	0	0
Mideast					
1	Connecticut (32-3)#	4	1	0	2
2	Iowa (27-3)	5	0	0	1
3	Vanderbilt (22-7)#	7	0	0	1
12	San Francisco (24-7)	0	0	0	0

Repeater from 1995 regional finals.

WON-LOST BY SEEDS

Includes records from 1994 through the first two rounds of the 1996 championship; also notes appearances in the Women's Final Four.

Seed	W-L	Pct.	CH	2d	*T3d
1	36-7	.837	10	8	10
2	28-8	.778	3	3	10
3	28-9	.757	1	1	3
4	25-9	.735	0	2	3
5	8-12	.400	0	0	0
6	14-11	.560	0	0	1
7	7-12	.368	0	0	0
8	4-12	.250	0	0	1
9	8-12	.400	0	0	0
10	6-12	.333	0	0	0
11	3-11	.214	0	0	0
12	5-11	.313	0	0	0
13	2-12	.143	0	0	0
14	0-12	.000	0	0	0
15	0-12	.000	0	0	0
16	0-12	.000	0	0	0

+1994 was first year all 64 teams seeded.

Sun Belt (7)
Western Ky. '86, '92
Louisiana Tech '87&, '88@*, '89@, '90@, '94
* Won NCAA championship.
Southern Cal was a member of Pacific West Conference in 1986.
& Louisiana Tech was an independent team in 1987.
@ Louisiana Tech was a member of the American South Conference in 1988, 1989 and 1990.
S Southwest Mo. St. was a member of the Gateway Conference in 1992.

First-time teams

Since 1983, 39 teams have won first- or opening-round games in their first appearance in the tournament. (The 1982 tournament is not included because all participants were making their first appearance.)

In 1996, Colorado State is the only one of nine first-time tournament teams that survived the first round. Connecticut remains the only team to advance to the Women's Final Four after its first appearance in the regional semi-

MAJOR UPSETS BY ROUND

Year	Regional				National		Total
	1st	2nd	SF	Final	SF	CH	
1994#	2	1	—	1	—	—	4
1995	2	1	—	—	—	—	3
Tot.	4	2	—	1	—	—	7
1996	3	2	—	—	—	—	5
Games	96	48	16	8	4	2	174
Percent	7.3	8.3	0.0	12.5	0.0	0.0	6.9

A major upset is defined as involving teams at least five places apart in regional seeding. There were 32 first-round and 16 second-round games in each of the championships from 1994 to the present.

First year all 64 teams seeded.

nals.

Following are the performances of this year's first-time teams in the tournament:

Team (Seed)	Opponent	Result
First Round		
Austin Peay (14)	Clemson	L, 79-52
Butler (15)	Iowa	L, 72-67
Central Fla. (16)	Louisiana Tech	L, 98-41
Colorado St. (8)	Nebraska	W, 66-62
Harvard (14)	Vanderbilt	L, 100-83
Massachusetts (8)	Michigan St.	L, 60-57 (ot)
Rhode Island (10)	Oklahoma St.	L, 90-82
St. Francis (Pa.) (15)	Georgia	L, 98-66
Youngstown St. (15)	Penn St.	L, 94-74
Second Round		
Colorado St.	Stanford	L, 94-63

Men/women

Of 18 schools that had both men's and women's teams in NCAA Division I championships this year, only four remain in both tournaments. Connecticut, Georgia, Kansas and Texas Tech are the dual schools.

Only Georgia in 1983 managed to place both its men's and women's teams into the respective Final Fours the same year. Connecticut in 1996 and Purdue in 1994 are the only schools to have both men's and women's teams seeded No. 1 in the same year.

Committee continues efforts to simplify NCAA Manual

For the fourth consecutive year, the NCAA Legislative Review Committee will work to deregulate and/or simplify a section of the NCAA Manual.

Meeting March 12-14 in Kansas City, Missouri, the committee agreed to focus this year on the playing-and-

practice-seasons legislation of Bylaw 17. The group has solicited comments and suggestions from constituent groups such as the Collegiate Commissioners Association, Division I-A conference compliance administrators, National Association of Collegiate Women Athletic Administrators,

National Association of Collegiate Directors of Athletics and selected coaches associations, and intends to compile a report of those responses by its May meeting.

During its May meeting, the committee will review the suggestions received as well as suggestions from

committee members themselves, and will begin work on a package of deregulation proposals in this area to present to the NCAA Council for possible sponsorship at the 1997 NCAA Convention.

The Legislative Review Committee, in its first year of deregulation, tack-

led recruiting legislation. The second year of deregulation focused on Bylaw 14's eligibility legislation. At the 1996 NCAA Convention, the committee submitted eight proposals to simplify the amateurism/awards/benefits legislation of Bylaws 12 and 16. All of those proposals were adopted.

State legislation

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Status: 1/24/96 S. 628: Prefiled. 3/5/96 S. 628: Introduced. To Senate Committee on Community Affairs. 2/14/96 H. 1141: Prefiled. 3/5/96 H. 1141: Introduced. 3/7/96 H. 1141: Reported favorably by House Committee on Tourism and Cultural Affairs.

*Florida H.2505/S. 1842 (Authors: Burroughs/Grant)

Requires that a student maintain at least a 1.500 grade-point average and pass five subjects for the grading period preceding participation in extracurricular activities. A home-school student may participate in extracurricular activities at a public school (pursuant to residency requirements) or a nonpublic school (pursuant to a mutual agreement) provided that the student demonstrates educational progress equivalent to a 2.000 grade-point average in all subjects taken in the home-education program. Prohibits public schools from membership in any organization or entity that regulates or governs interscholastic extracurricular activities and discriminates against eligible students in public, nonpublic, or home-school programs.

Status: 3/5/96 S. 1842: Introduced. 3/6/96 H. 2505: Introduced. 3/7/96 S. 1842: To Senate Committee on Education.

Hawaii H. 3638/S. 2992 (Authors: Souki/Mizuguchi)

Establishes a petty misdemeanor offense, punishable by a fine not exceeding \$500, for violation of any stadium authority rule regulating conduct, parking and traffic on stadium premises.

Status: 1/25/96 S. 2992: Introduced. To Senate Committee on Tourism and Recreation. To Senate Committee on Judiciary. 1/30/96 H. 3638: Introduced. 3/5/96 H. 3638: Passed House. To Senate. 3/5/96 S. 2992: Passed by Senate Committee on Judiciary.

*Maine H. 1327 (Author: Committee on Home Schools)

Permits home-school students to participate in extracurricular activities when the student complies with the same physical examination, age and semester eligibility requirements, as well as meeting equivalent academic standards established for regularly enrolled students. Provides guidelines for home-school students to use the books, equip-

ment and facilities of the public schools those students otherwise would attend.

Status: 3/5/96 introduced. To Joint Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs.

*New Jersey A. 1665 (Author: Bateman)

Amends the Athletic Training Practice Act and allows athletics trainers who become licensed under the bill's provisions to use the title "licensed athletics trainer." Requires all applicants for licensure to demonstrate proof of completion of a program of baccalaureate education and training, which includes but is not limited to courses in human anatomy, human physiology, kinesiology/biomechanics, health, exercise physiology and athletics training. Establishes the requirement that each applicant for licensure successfully complete an examination administered by the National Athletic Trainers Association Board of Certification or a substantially equivalent examination. Permits persons who currently are registered as an athletics trainer to become licensed without satisfying the bill's curriculum and examination requirements by completing a timely renewal application.

Status: 3/4/96 introduced. To Assembly Committee on Consumer Affairs and Regulated Professions.

*New Jersey AR. 61 (Author: Gusciora)

Urges the governor and the New Jersey Sports and Exposition Authority to release for purchase to all New Jerseyans any tickets to the NCAA Final Four that have been designated for use by public officials.

Status: 3/1/96 introduced. To Assembly Committee on Senior Issues, Tourism, and Gaming.

Oklahoma H. 2065 (Author: Cox)

Expands the definition of "athletics trainer" for the purpose of licensing regulations.

Status: 2/5/96 introduced. 3/5/96 passed House. 3/7/96 to Senate Committee on Business and Labor.

South Dakota H. 1348 (Author: Committee on State Affairs)

Establishes residency criteria for the purpose of attending a post-secondary institution.

Status: 1/22/96 introduced. 2/1/96 passed House. 2/21/96 passed as amended on the floor by Senate. 2/24/96 conference report adopted by House and Senate. 3/4/96 signed by governor.

Tennessee H. 2753/S. 2211 (Author: Rhinehart/McNally)

Redefines "anabolic steroids" to exclude use administered in conjunction with estrogen for hormone deficient women for Schedule III controlled substances under the Drug Control Act of 1989.

Status: 2/2/96 H. 2753 and S. 2211: Introduced. 3/1/96 H. 2753: Reported favorably by House Committee on Judiciary.

Tennessee H. 1985/S. 1947 (Authors: Buck/Womack)

Creates a felony offense for an athlete agent, or any person acting on behalf of an athlete agent, who knowingly offers, gives or loans anything of value to a student-athlete with remaining eligibility for the purpose of inducing the student-athlete to enter into an agent or professional sports services contract.

Status: 1/10/96 S. 1947: Introduced. 1/22/96 S. 1947: Passed Senate. 2/15/96 H. 1985: S. 1947 substituted on House floor for H. 1985. Passed House. 2/29/96 signed by governor.

*West Virginia HCR 24 (Author: Chambers)

Requires the Joint Committee on Government and Finance to review, examine and study the need for cheerleading safety laws and to produce a report of its findings to the legislature by 1997.

Status: 2/26/96 introduced. To House Committee on Rules.

*West Virginia SR 19 (Author: Plymale)

Requests that Marshall University and West Virginia University play annually in the sport of football.

Status: 2/22/96 introduced.

Wisconsin A. 628 (Author: Prosser)

Changes the standard of care from ordinary negligence to recklessness for a recreational sports player who is alleged to have caused injury to another player during a recreational team contact sports competition.

Status: 10/26/95 introduced. 3/6/96 reported favorably by Assembly Committee on Judiciary.

Minutes

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ability program (to include third-round projected picks in football and second- and third-round projected picks in ice hockey).

3. Acting for the Council and Executive Committee, canceled the March 27 conference; and rescheduled the April 14 meeting for 7 a.m. April 15 (in conjunction with the Council meeting).

4. Report of actions taken by the executive director per Constitution 4.3.2.

a. Acting for the Executive Committee:

Approved a recommendation from the NCAA Men's and Women's Tennis Committee that Syracuse University host the East and the University of Kansas host the Central regional qualifying tournaments of the 1996 NCAA Division I Women's Tennis Championships.

b. Acting for the Council:

(1) Granted requests from the following institutions to replace coaches on a tem-

porary basis per Bylaw 11.7.1.1.1.2: the University of Delaware, Northern Arizona University and Purdue University to replace a women's basketball coach, and the U.S. Naval Academy to replace one of its coaches in football.

(2) Granted a waiver per Bylaw 14.1.6.2.1.3 to permit a student-athlete to participate in NCAA championships in the sport of track and field following her last term of eligibility.

(3) Granted a blanket waiver per Bylaw 14.7.6 to permit student-athletes to participate in qualifying tryouts and competition with USA Field Hockey.

(4) Granted waivers per Bylaw 14.7.6.1-(c) to permit student-athletes from various institutions to participate in competition involving national teams in cross country, gymnastics, rifle, soccer, swimming, synchronized swimming, tennis, and volleyball.

(5) Granted waivers per Bylaw 16.13.1. to permit institutions to provide incidental expenses in these situations:

(a) To student-athletes to attend funerals of members of the student-athletes' families.

(b) To student-athletes to attend funerals of fellow teammates or members of

teammates' families.

(c) To student-athletes to return to their homes to be with family members who were terminally ill, seriously injured or hospitalized.

(d) To a student-athlete to be present during the birth of his child.

(e) To the parents of student-athletes to be with their sons due to serious injuries sustained in a traffic accident.

(f) To provide flowers to families of those involved in funerals.

(g) To student-athletes to attend ceremonies where they will be honored.

(h) To student-athletes to attend the Apple Conference.

(i) To a student-athlete for transportation and telephone costs incurred while attaining a student visa.

(6) Granted a waiver for championships eligibility per Bylaw 31.2.1.3 to Stillman College to restore completely institutional eligibility for the 1995-96 NCAA championships after Stillman failed to meet the April 17, 1995, deadline for submitting the enrollment and persistence-rates disclosure form (95-6b).

Committee places Florida State on probation for one year

The NCAA Committee on Infractions has placed Florida State University on probation for one year for NCAA rules violations concerning the monitoring and investigation of rules infractions by student-athletes.

The rules infractions involved amateurism rules violations that affected student-athlete eligibility. Those eligibility cases were handled separately in the fall of 1994 by the NCAA Eligibility Committee. The institutional violations described in this case were related to the failure of the university to adequately respond to information regarding the existence of possible amateurism violations.

The processing of this case was delayed because of a Florida statute that limited the NCAA's ability to conduct investigations and impose appropriate disciplinary measures in that state. In November 1994, the statute was declared unconstitutional and the NCAA was able to proceed. The NCAA Committee on Infractions heard this case on February 3, 1996. Representatives of the university, the Atlantic Coast Conference and the NCAA enforcement staff appeared before the committee. An individual involved in the case was also present for portions of the hearing.

The Committee on Infractions found that on four occasions between the fall of 1992 and January 1994, the university failed to assure compliance with NCAA rules in its football program by not adequately monitoring the involvement of sports agents with student-athletes.

The committee did recognize the strong compliance and edu-

cational measures the institution had in place before the violations were discovered regarding the involvement of student-athletes with sports agents, as well as improvements the institution implemented once it recognized the seriousness of the problem. The committee commended the university for its efforts in this area and took that, plus the fact that the violations were unintentional, into consideration by imposing limited penalties.

The specific occasions on which institutional representatives failed to take appropriate action are:

■ During the fall of 1992, a football dormitory supervisor notified the assistant director of athletics for football operations that sports agents were being seen at the football dormitory, which led to a request that all football coaches discuss the problem of sports agents with the football student-athletes. The memo making this request was not shared with the assistant director of athletics for compliance for his review and assistance in handling this potential problem area.

■ In January or February of 1993, university representatives received a signed agency contract containing the signature of a football student-athlete who had eligibility remaining and noting that the student-athlete received an advance of \$300. The student-athlete, the managing partner of the sports agent service and an individual whose name appeared on the contract as a witness all denied that the signatures were authentic. The university did report the matter to the conference but no further action was taken. The Committee on Infractions noted that the university and confer-

ence representatives should have conducted further inquiries and that the existence of the document should have heightened the university's awareness of potential problems in this area.

■ A Florida State student who was also a sports agent told the assistant director of athletics for compliance that a shopping spree involving unnamed football student-athletes had taken place recently. The assistant director of athletics for compliance does not recall such a telephone conversation. No action was taken to investigate the matter.

■ A sports agent called an assistant football coach in January 1994 reporting contacts between other agents and football student-athletes and identifying three involved agents. The assistant football coach instructed the caller to contact the assistant director of athletics for compliance. The assistant football coach did not notify the assistant athletics director for compliance of the conversation. The caller never contacted the assistant athletics director for compliance.

In determining appropriate penalties, the committee considered Florida State's actions, including:

■ Production of a national forum on sports agents.

■ Several presentations to outside groups on agent issues.

■ Implementation of programs to educate its student-athletes and staff on NCAA agent legislation and relevant Florida statutes.

See Florida State, page 24 ►

Division I ice hockey leaders

POINTS PER GAME						
	CL	G	GLS	ASTS	PTS	AVG
1. Ryan Equale, Connecticut	SR	25	21	41	62	2.48
2. * Martin St. Louis, Vermont	JR	32	25	54	79	2.47
3. * Eric Perrin, Vermont	JR	35	28	51	79	2.26
4. Pat Lyons, Iona	SR	25	28	26	54	2.16
5. * Brendan Morrison, Michigan	JR	32	26	40	66	2.06
6. * Brian Bonin, Minnesota	SR	40	33	47	80	2.00
7. Teeder Wynne, North Dak.	SR	37	26	47	73	1.97
8. * Todd White, Clarkson	JR	36	28	41	69	1.92
9. * Chris Drury, Boston U.	SO	35	34	32	66	1.89
10. * Jay Pandolfo, Boston U.	SR	38	38	29	67	1.76
11. Josh Oort, Canisius	SO	25	15	29	44	1.76
12. * P. Geronazzo, Colorado Col.	SR	39	35	30	65	1.67
13. Mike Harder, Colgate	JR	30	22	28	50	1.67
14. Burke Murphy, St. Lawrence	SR	35	33	25	58	1.66
15. Ian Winer, Army	SR	29	21	27	48	1.66
16. * Jason Botterill, Michigan	JR	33	30	23	53	1.61
17. Bryan Richardson, Rensselaer	SR	35	20	36	56	1.60
18. * Vini Mannaia, Iona	SR	25	15	25	40	1.60
19. * P. DiFrancesco, St. Lawrence	SO	35	16	39	55	1.57
20. Phil Scarinci, Connecticut	SO	25	18	21	39	1.56

GOALS PER GAME					
	CL	G	GLS	AVG	
1. Pat Lyons, Iona	SR	25	28	1.12	
2. * Jay Pandolfo, Boston U.	SR	38	38	1.00	
3. Burke Murphy, St. Lawrence	SR	35	33	0.94	
4. * Chris Drury, Boston U.	SO	36	33	0.92	
5. * Jason Botterill, Michigan	JR	33	30	0.91	
6. * Peter Geronazzo, Colorado Col.	SR	39	35	0.90	
7. Chris DeProffo, Colgate	SR	32	28	0.88	
8. * Sean Tallaire, Lake Superior St.	SR	38	32	0.84	
9. Ryan Equale, Connecticut	SR	25	21	0.84	
10. * Brian Bonin, Minnesota	SR	40	33	0.83	
11. * Brendan Morrison, Michigan	JR	32	26	0.81	
12. * Eric Perrin, Vermont	JR	35	28	0.80	
13. * Martin St. Louis, Vermont	JR	32	25	0.78	
14. * Todd White, Clarkson	JR	36	28	0.78	
15. Eric Nickulas, New Hampshire	SO	34	26	0.76	
16. Shawn Wansborough, Maine	SO	36	27	0.75	
17. * Shawn Bates, Boston U.	JR	38	28	0.74	
18. Mike Harder, Colgate	JR	30	22	0.73	
19. * Brad Chartrand, Cornell	SR	33	24	0.73	
20. Ian Winer, Army	SR	29	21	0.72	

ASSISTS PER GAME					
	CL	G	ASTS	AVG	
1. * Martin St. Louis, Vermont	JR	32	54	1.69	
2. Ryan Equale, Connecticut	SR	25	41	1.64	
3. * Eric Perrin, Vermont	JR	35	51	1.46	
4. Teeder Wynne, North Dak.	SR	37	47	1.27	
5. * Brendan Morrison, Michigan	JR	32	40	1.25	
6. * Kevin Hilton, Michigan	SR	40	49	1.23	
7. * Brian Bonin, Minnesota	SR	40	47	1.18	
8. Josh Oort, Canisius	SO	25	29	1.16	
9. * Todd White, Clarkson	JR	36	41	1.14	
10. * Mike Crowley, Minnesota	SO	40	45	1.13	
11. Paul DiFrancesco, St. Lawrence	SO	35	39	1.11	
12. * Bob Lachance, Boston U.	SR	36	38	1.06	
13. Pat Lyons, Iona	SR	25	26	1.04	
14. Bryan Richardson, Rensselaer	SR	35	36	1.03	
15. * Christian Sbrocca, Mass.-Lowell	SR	38	38	1.00	

SAVE PERCENTAGE					
	CL	G	GLS	SH	PCT
1. * Jason Elliott, Cornell	SO	18	33	453	.927
2. * Tim Thomas, Vermont	JR	35	83	1080	.923
3. Kevin Kreutzer, Canisius	FR	20	41	466	.912
4. * Judd Lambert, Colorado Col.	JR	18	39	442	.912
5. * Marc Magliarditi, Western Mich.	FR	33	82	928	.912
6. Tom Askey, Ohio St.	SR	24	67	755	.911
7. Trevor Koening, Union (N.Y.)	SO	16	53	587	.910
8. * Dan Murphy, Clarkson	SO	36	96	1058	.909
9. * John Grahame, Lake Superior St.	SO	27	61	650	.906
10. Daryl Chamberlain, Army	SO	32	70	728	.904
11. Jeff Holowaty, Brown	SO	17	53	530	.900
12. Martin Legault, Merrimack	JR	24	63	628	.900
13. * Ryan Bach, Colorado Col.	JR	21	56	558	.900

*NCAA championship participant

GOALS-AGAINST AVERAGE					
	CL	G	MIN	GLS	AVG
1. * Judd Lambert, Colorado Col.	JR	18	1089	39	2.15
2. * Jason Elliott, Cornell	SO	18	912	33	2.17
3. * Marty Turco, Michigan	SO	38	2111	79	2.25
4. Kevin Kreutzer, Canisius	FR	20	1054	41	2.33
5. * Tim Thomas, Vermont	JR	35	2104	83	2.37
6. Daryl Chamberlain, Army	SO	32	1769	70	2.37
7. * John Grahame, Lake Superior St.	SO	27	1539	61	2.38
8. * Marc Magliarditi, Western Mich.	FR	33	1937	82	2.54
9. * Ryan Bach, Colorado Col.	JR	21	1267	56	2.65
10. * Jeff Moen, Minnesota	SR	20	1167	52	2.67
11. * Dan Murphy, Clarkson	SO	36	2104	96	2.74
12. * Steve DeBus, Minnesota	SO	23	1254	59	2.82
13. Martin Legault, Merrimack	JR	24	1295	63	2.92
14. * Chad Alban, Michigan St.	SO	39	2226	111	2.99
15. * Tom Noble, Boston U.	SO	26	1416	71	3.01
16. Dan Brenzavich, Colgate	SO	26	1485	75	3.03
17. J. J. Doherty, Connecticut	JR	14	708	36	3.05
18. Blair Allison, Maine	SR	31	1831	95	3.11
19. Jim Mullen, Denver	JR	19	996	52	3.13
20. Tom Askey, Ohio St.	SR	24	1280	67	3.14

GOALIE WINNING PERCENTAGE					
	CL	W	L	T	PCT
1. * Jason Elliott, Cornell	SO	12	1	1	.893
2. * Judd Lambert, Colorado Col.	JR	15	1	2	.889
3. * John Grahame, Lake Superior St.	SO	20	3	2	.840
4. * Tom Noble, Boston U.	SO	18	3	2	.826
5. * Ryan Bach, Colorado Col.	JR	16	3	2	.810
6. * Michel Larocque, Boston U.	FR	10	2	1	.808
7. Kevin Kreutzer, Canisius	FR	14	3	1	.806
8. * Marty Turco, Michigan	SO	30	7	1	.803
9. Jon Bracco, St. Lawrence	JR	12	3	0	.800
10. * Jeff Moen, Minnesota	SR	14	3	2	.789
11. * Tim Thomas, Vermont	JR	25	6	4	.771
12. J. J. Doherty, Connecticut	JR	9	3	0	.750
13. * Martin Fillion, Mass.-Lowell	JR	23	8	3	.721
14. * Steve DeBus, Minnesota	SO	15	6	0	.714
15. * Dan Murphy, Clarkson	SO	24	9	3	.708
16. Dan Brenzavich, Army	SO	22	9	1	.703
17. * Chad Alban, Michigan St.	SO	26	12	1	.679
18. Blair Allison, Maine	SR	19	8	4	.677
19. * Marc Magliarditi, Western Mich.	FR	21	10	2	.667
20. Dan Brenzavich, Colgate	SO	13	8	3	.604

GAME-WINNING GOALS					
	CL	GLS	GWG		
1. * Peter Geronazzo, Colorado Col.	SR	39	9		
2. * Martin St. Louis, Vermont	JR	32	8		
3. * Sean Tallaire, Lake Superior St.	SR	38	8		
4. * Jeff Daw, Mass.-Lowell	SR	38	7		
5. * Steve Ferranti, Michigan St.	JR	38	7		
6. Six players tied			6		

SHORT-HANDED GOALS					
	CL	G	SHG		
1. * John Madden, Michigan	JR	39	10		
2. * Martin St. Louis, Vermont	JR	32	6		
3. * Jay Pandolfo, Boston U.	SR	38	6		
4. * Bates Battaglia, Lake Superior St.	SO	38	6		
5. * Mike Grier, Boston U.	JR	36	5		
6. Six players tied			4		

POWER-PLAY GOALS					
	CL	G	PPG		
1. * Peter Geronazzo, Colorado Col.	SR	39	18		
2. * Jay Pandolfo, Boston U.	SR	38	16		
3. * Sean Tallaire, Lake Superior St.	SR	38	15		
4. Cody Bowtell, Alas. Fairbanks	JR	32	14		
5. * Todd White, Clarkson	JR	36	14		
6. * Jason Botterill, Michigan	JR	33	13		
7. * Chris Drury, Boston U.	SO	35	13		
8. David Vallieres, Alas. Anchorage	JR	37	13		
9. * Jay McNeill, Colorado Col.	SR	39	13		

Team Through March 17

WINNING PERCENTAGE					
	W	L	T	Pct.	
1. * Colorado Col.	31	4	4	.846	
2. * Boston U.	29	6	3	.803	
3. * Michigan	30	7	2	.795	
4. * Lake Superior St.	29	7	2	.789	
5. * Vermont	25	6	4	.771	
6. * Minnesota	29	9	2	.750	
7. Maine	26	9	4	.718	
8. Army	23	9	1	.712	
9. * Mass.-Lowell	25	9	4	.711	
10. * Clarkson	24	9	3	.708	
11. Canisius	18	7	2	.704	
12. * Western Mich.	25	10	3	.697	
13. * Cornell	21	8	4	.697	
14. * Michigan St.	28	12	1	.695	
15. Connecticut	16	9	1	.635	
16. Bowling Green	24	14	1	.628	
17. St. Lawrence	20	12	3	.614	
18. Denver	22	14	3	.603	
19. * Providence	21	14	3	.592	
20. Colgate	17	12	4	.576	

Current unbeaten streak (record during streak) *Michigan 6 (6-0-0), *Cornell 5 (5-0-0), *Minnesota 4 (4-0-0), *Providence 4 (4-0-0).

SCORING OFFENSE					
	G	WLT	GLS	AVG	
1. * Boston U.	38	29-6-3	233	6.13	
2. * Michigan	39	30-7-2	220	5.64	
3. * Colorado Col.	39	31-4-4	214	5.49	
4. Canisius	27	18-7-2	143	5.30	
5. Connecticut	26	16-9-1	134	5.15	
6. * Mass.-Lowell	38	25-9-1	191	5.03	
7. Army	33	23-9-1	162	4.91	
8. * Minnesota	40	29-9-2	196	4.90	
9. * Lake Superior St.	38	29-7-2	178	4.68	
10. Iona	25	9-15-1	113	4.52	
11. North Dak.	38	19-18-1	162	4.26	
12. Maine	39	26-9-4	164	4.21	
13. Holy Cross	26	13-11-2	108	4.15	
14. St. Lawrence	35	20-12-3	145	4.14	
15. * Cornell	33	21-8-4	135	4.09	
16. New Hampshire	34	12-18-4	139	4.09	
17. Bowling Green	39	24-14-1	157	4.03	
18. * Clarkson	36	24-9-3	144	4.00	
19. * Western Mich.	38	25-10-3	151	3.97	
20. Colgate	33	17-12-4	129	3.91	

SCORING DEFENSE					
	G	WLT	GLS	AVG	
1. * Michigan	39	30-7-2	88	2.26	
2. * Vermont	35	25-6-4	83	2.37	
3. * Colorado Col.	39	31-4-4	95	2.44	
4. Army	33	23-9-1	81	2.45	
5. * Western Mich.	38	25-10-3	101	2.66	
6. * Lake Superior St.	38	29-7-2	103	2.71	
7. * Clarkson	36	24-9-3	101	2.81	
8. Canisius	27	18-7-2	76	2.81	
9. Maine	39	26-9-4	112	2.87	
10. * Minnesota	40	29-9-2	116	2.90	
11. * Michigan St.	41	28-12-1	123	3.00	
12. * Cornell	33	21-8-4	102	3.09	
13. * Boston U.	38	29-6-3	119	3.13	
14. Minn.-Duluth	38	20-17-1	125	3.29	
15. Connecticut	26	16-9-1	86	3.31	
16. Harvard	34	13-20-1	114	3.35	
17. Denver	39	22-14-3	131	3.36	
18. Colgate	33	17-12-4	111	3.36	
19. Union (N.Y.)	29	6-20-3	98	3.38	
20. Bowling Green	39	24-14-1	133	3.41	

GAME HIGHS

INDIVIDUAL HIGHS

Points: 8, Mike Hall, Bowling Green vs. Alas. Fairbanks, Nov. 23.
Goals: 5, Eric Healey, Rensselaer vs. Air Force, Nov. 18; Burke Murphy, St. Lawrence vs. Dartmouth, Jan. 20.
Assists: 6, Derek Ladouceur, St. Lawrence vs. Dartmouth, Feb. 2.
Goalie Saves: 61, Greg Taylor, Boston College vs. Boston U., Jan. 12.
TEAM HIGHS
Scoring: 15, Connecticut vs. Villanova, Nov. 24.
Power-Play Percentage: 1.000 (6-6), New Hampshire vs. Mass.-Lowell, Jan. 12.
Penalty-Killing Percentage: 1.000 (12-12) Western Mich. vs. Alas. Fairbanks, March 1.

POWER-PLAY PERCENTAGE

	PP GLS	PP ASTS	PCT
1. * Colorado Col.	83	247	.336
2. * Boston U.	81	260	.312
3. * Michigan	72	255	.282
4. * Minnesota	57	216	.264
5. * Lake Superior St.	59	228	.259
6. * Cornell	49	194	.253
7. North Dak.	56	224	.250
8. * Mass.-Lowell	53	217	.244
9. Army	53	220	.241
10. Connecticut	32	134	.239
11. * Providence	47	200	.235
12. Maine	60	256	.234
13. New Hampshire	45	192	.234
14. Bowling Green	58	250	.232
15. St. Lawrence	43	186	.231

PENALTY-KILLING PERCENTAGE

	PP GLS	PP ASTS	PCT
1. * Cornell	29	217	.866
2. * Michigan	29	210	.862
3. * Lake Superior St.	34	236	.856
4. Maine	33	223	.852
5. * Western Mich.	38	255	.851
6. Connecticut	25	167	.850

NCAA Record

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICERS

R. Stanton Hales selected as president at Wooster, where he has been vice-president for academic affairs. He succeeds Henry Copeland, who retired after 18 years in the post ... Harry J. Hartley resigned as president at Connecticut, where he will remain on the faculty as professor of educational leadership ... Catherine W. Ingold resigned as president at Curry, effective May 20 ... G. Jeremiah Ryan appointed president at Quincy. He is vice-president for marketing, planning and development at Hartford Community College ... Phillip W. Eaton selected for the presidency at Seattle Pacific, where he has been provost ... Henry Ponder, president at Fisk, named president of the National Association for Equal Opportunity in Higher Education, effective July 1 ... Salme H. Steinberg named president at Northeastern Illinois. Steinberg was the school's acting president ... Ronald J. Applbaum, president at Westfield State, appointed president at Kean, effective July 1 ... Lee Snyder named president at Bluffton, effective in September. She is vice-president and academic dean at Eastern Mennonite ... Billy C. Black announced his retirement as president at Albany State (Georgia), effective in June. Julius S. Scott Jr., former president at Paine, will serve as interim president at the school ... Mary Patterson McPherson announced her resignation as president at Bryn Mawr, effective May 31, 1997. She will join the Andrew W. Mellon Foundation as a senior program officer ... Ronald K. Machtley appointed to the presidency at Bryant. He is an attorney and former U.S. Representative from Rhode Island.

FACULTY ATHLETICS REPRESENTATIVE

Maggie Faulkner, associate dean of the college of liberal arts at Towson State, named faculty representative. She replaced Jay Stanley, who resigned. Faulkner joined the faculty as a physical education instructor in 1970. From 1982 to 1988, she was chair of the NCAA Women's Lacrosse Committee.

DIRECTORS OF ATHLETICS

Lee Swan, associate dean for special academic programs and associate professor of

Princeton's Carril retires after tourney upset

Pete Carril, head men's basketball coach at Princeton for 30 years, announced before the Tigers' appearance in the Division I Men's Basketball Championship that he would retire following the tourney, then led the team to a first-round upset of defending champion UCLA.

Princeton lost to Mississippi State two days later in the tournament's second round, ending Carril's career with 525 victories.

The school announced that 14-year assistant Bill Carmody will become the Tigers' head coach.

Carril coached Princeton to 13 Ivy Group championships. The coach and his team attracted national attention in 1989 for a one-point NCAA tournament loss to highly seeded Georgetown and again two years later for a two-point loss to Villanova.



Carril

education at St. Olaf, named athletics director at the college, effective July 1996 ... Bill Shumard, a 1972 Long Beach State graduate and assistant AD for the past two years, appointed interim AD there. He succeeds Dave O'Brien, who was named AD at Temple ... Brad Hovious, athletics director at Arkansas State for the past three years, resigned. He will work as an assistant to the university president on special projects, including the athletics program's involvement in the NCAA certification process.

ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR OF ATHLETICS

Maxine Neill-Johnson, associate athletics director and compliance officer at UTEP, reassigned to other duties. Hank Humphreys, athletics business manager, will assume some of Neill-Johnson's duties.

ASSISTANT DIRECTORS OF ATHLETICS

Nancy Bals appointed assistant director of athletics at Westfield State. She previously was assistant AD at Endicott ... Ferris State's Jill Hirschinger named head women's volleyball coach at New Hampshire.

COACHES

Men's basketball—Dave Grube, head

men's basketball at Kent since 1992, will not be offered a contract renewal. Prior to becoming head coach, Grube was a Kent assistant for six seasons ... Joe Cravens, men's basketball coach at Idaho, will not be offered a contract renewal ... Pete Cassidy, who recently concluded his 25th season as basketball coach at Cal State Northridge, will not give a contract for next season. He has compiled a 334-337 record at Cal State Northridge ... Stew Morrill received a two-year contract extension through the 1998-99 season at Colorado State, where he led the team to a National Invitation Tournament appearance this year ... Brian Mahoney dismissed at St. John's (New York), where he compiled a 56-58 record through three seasons as head coach after serving for 16 seasons as an assistant at the school ... M. K. Turk resigned after 20 seasons at Southern Mississippi. He won his 300th game as a coach in late February. He coached the Golden Eagles to the championship of the 1987 National Invitation Tournament.

Men's basketball assistants—Brian Ostermann selected as assistant men's coach at Central Missouri State. He has

Calendar

March 25	Task Force to Review Special Assistance Fund	Kansas City, Missouri
March 26-31	Division I Women's Basketball Committee	Charlotte, North Carolina
March 28	Division III Transition Team Subcommittee	New York City
March 28-29	Presidents Commission	New York City
March 28-April 1	Division I Men's Basketball Committee	New York City
April 8-12	Wrestling Committee	Kansas City, Missouri
April 10-11	Meeting of chairs of the Academic Requirements Committee, Council Subcommittee on Initial-Eligibility Waivers and Special Committee to Oversee Implementation of the NCAA Initial-Eligibility Clearinghouse	Rosemont, Illinois
April 11-12	Postgraduate Scholarship Committee	Phoenix
April 11-12	Title IX seminar	San Francisco
April 15-17	Council	Kansas City, Missouri
April 15-18	Men's and Women's Skiing Committee	Overland Park, Kansas
April 19-21	Committee on Infractions	Philadelphia
April 21-23	Men's Basketball Rules Committee	Destin, Florida
April 21-23	Women's Basketball Rules Committee	Destin, Florida
April 22-23	Two-Year College Relations Committee	Kansas City, Missouri

been an assistant coach for the past four seasons at Missouri Western State and also has been on the staffs at Texas-Pan American, Northwest Missouri State and Mercyhurst ... Tom Hall resigned as assistant coach at Stony Brook ... Gary Brewster resigned as assistant coach at UTEP ... Joe Scott promoted to top assistant at Princeton, which also announced the promotion of John Thompson III from volunteer to full-time assistant coach.

Women's basketball—Lincoln Memorial extended the contract of women's basketball coach/associate athletics director Roger Vannoy through 1997. Vannoy has won 417 games in his 21 years as a head coach ... Doug Zimmerman, women's basketball coach at Gannon, resigned effective June 30 ... David Graves hired at Wofford after five years as an assistant at Western Kentucky, where he also assisted with the program as an undergraduate student ... Rusty Cram promoted to head coach at Georgia Southern, where he joined the staff in 1990 and has served for the past three

years as associate head coach. He replaced Drema Greer, who resigned ... Mary Cecily Holland appointed at Centre ... Marynell Meadors dismissed after 10 seasons at Florida State, where her teams compiled a 132-152 record. She won 495 games — sixth best in NCAA women's history — during 26 years of collegiate coaching ... Burl Plunkett, who has been suffering from a bad back since last October, announced his retirement after three years at Oklahoma, where his teams compiled a 52-36 record and won the 1994 Women's National Invitation Tournament title. Plunkett won more than 1,000 games during a 35-year coaching career.

Women's basketball assistant—Joe Mullaney Jr. resigned as head women's basketball coach at St. John's (New York).

Football—Joe Fincham promoted to head football coach at Wittenberg. He replaced Doug Neibuhr, who resigned to become head coach at his alma mater, Mill-

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Division II All-Around Athletics Programs

The Sears Directors' Cup top 25 NCAA Division II all-around athletics programs through March 13, administered by the National Association of Collegiate Directors of Athletics and based on performance to date in NCAA men's and women's championships. Championships included in this ranking are fall season championships and the winter sports of men's and women's indoor track. Points are awarded on the basis of an institution's finish in each of 16 sports. These standings are unofficial.

1. North Dakota State, 314;
2. Western State, 244 1/2;
3. (tie) Central Missouri State and Lewis, 235 1/2;
4. Ashland, 217 1/2;
5. Cal State Bakersfield, 215 1/2;
6. Mankato State, 208;
7. Abilene Christian, 191;
8. Millersville, 189 1/2;
9. Pittsburg State, 176 1/2;
10. Cal State Los Angeles, 173 1/2;
11. Northeast Missouri State, 172 1/2;
12. UC Davis, 166 1/2;
13. Nebraska-Kearney, 154 1/2;
14. North Florida, 153 1/2;
15. New Haven, 152;
16. Adams State, 149;
17. North Dakota, 144;
18. South Dakota State, 143;
19. South Dakota, 142;
20. Barry, 127;
21. St. Augustine's, 126;
22. Franklin Pierce, 122 1/2;
23. Hillsdale and Mercyhurst, 120.

Division I Baseball

The USA Today/Baseball Weekly top 25 NCAA Division I baseball teams through March 10 as selected by the American Baseball Coaches Association, with records in parentheses and points:

1. Cal St. Fullerton (18-2).....819
2. LSU (14-1).....786
3. Texas Tech (23-2).....752
4. Southern Cal (16-4).....703
5. Wichita St. (5-0).....702
6. Clemson (14-2).....652
7. Florida (15-5).....549
8. Florida St. (13-4).....491
9. Rice (20-2).....489
10. Arkansas (19-2).....488
11. Cal St. Northridge (21-5).....461
12. Tennessee (8-4).....444
13. Miami (Fla.) (14-4).....391
14. Arizona St. (15-6).....372
15. Texas A&M (18-5).....367
16. North Caro. St. (15-3).....310
17. UCLA (15-9).....287
18. Auburn (15-4).....271
19. Oklahoma St. (12-5).....215
20. Alabama (14-5).....212
21. South Fla. (15-4).....177
22. Stanford (14-11).....165
23. Oklahoma (10-6).....107
24. UNLV (18-6).....92
25. UC Santa Barb. (17-6).....86

Division II Baseball

The Collegiate Baseball top 25 NCAA Division II baseball teams through March 11, with records in parentheses and points:

1. Delta St. (17-1).....480
2. Columbus (12-3).....464
3. UC Riverside (18-5).....438
4. Tampa (21-5).....434
5. North Ala. (17-2).....420
6. Fla. Southern (17-4).....402
7. St. Leo (15-4).....372
8. SIU-Edwardsville (9-3).....354
9. Kennesaw St. (14-6).....338
10. Lewis (7-3).....324
11. UC Davis (14-7).....320
12. Mo. St. Louis (2-0).....292
13. Quincy (7-2-1).....288
14. New Haven (0-0).....260
15. Cal St. Dom. Hills (13-8).....256
16. Mercyhurst (6-1).....232
17. Central Mo. St. (5-5).....194
18. Central Okla. (9-4).....190
19. South Dak. St. (6-1).....188
20. Fort Hays St. (5-3).....180
21. North Fla. (10-10).....178
22. Southern Ind. (6-1).....138
23. Armstrong St. (14-8).....134
24. Georgia Col. (12-9).....92
25. Elon (12-5).....90

Men's Gymnastics

The top 20 NCAA men's gymnastics teams through March 11, based on the teams' regional qualifying averages as reported by the Collegiate Gymnastics Association:

1. Ohio St.228.5083
2. Iowa226.5417
3. Nebraska.....225.8417
4. Illinois225.1625
5. Penn St.225.1417
6. Michigan St.224.9250
7. Ill.-Chicago224.9000
8. Minnesota224.2500
9. New Mexico.....224.0250
10. Oklahoma223.7000
11. Temple223.2583
12. Massachusetts.....223.0250
13. Stanford222.6500
14. Brigham Young221.0167
15. Navy220.8000
16. Syracuse220.7500
17. William & Mary220.0667
18. Western Mich.219.9000
19. Army219.0250
20. James Madison218.1917

Women's Gymnastics

The top 20 NCAA women's gymnastics teams through March 12, based on the teams' regional

qualifying averages as reported by the National Association of Collegiate Gymnastics Coaches/Women:

1. Georgia197.250
2. Alabama196.712
3. Utah195.731
4. Florida195.531
5. Michigan.....194.750
6. Brigham Young194.737
7. UCLA194.612
8. Oregon St.194.381
9. Kentucky194.319
10. Arizona194.312
11. Arizona St.194.175
12. Nebraska.....193.831
13. Michigan St.193.450
14. Washington (7-2-1).....193.075
15. Stanford.....193.000
16. Utah St.193.000
17. Kent192.906
18. LSU192.875
19. Minnesota192.781
20. Auburn192.762

Division I Men's Ice Hockey

The USA Today/American Hockey Magazine top 10 NCAA Division I men's ice hockey teams through March 11 as selected by the American Hockey Coaches Association, with records in parentheses and points:

1. Boston U. (28-5-3)94
2. Colorado Col. (31-4-4)94
3. Lake Superior St. (28-6-2)72
4. Michigan (29-7-2)68
5. Minnesota (29-9-2)66
6. Vermont (25-5-4)48
7. Mass.-Lowell (25-7-4)38
8. Michigan St. (28-11-1)33
9. Clarkson (24-7-3)19
10. Bowling Green (26-13-1)12

Division I Women's Softball

The USA Today/National Softball Coaches Association top 25 NCAA Division I women's softball teams through March 3, with records in parentheses and points:

1. UCLA (20-2).....490
2. Arizona (21-2).....477
3. Washington (16-1).....468
4. Fresno St. (10-3).....436
5. Cal St. Fullerton (16-6).....407
6. Cal St. Northridge (15-4)378
7. UNLV (17-6).....372
8. South Caro. (18-2)360
9. Florida St. (22-9).....284
10. Southwestern La. (15-4)279
11. Nebraska (12-3)255
12. Texas A&M (20-6)252
13. California (10-5)246

14. Oklahoma (18-10)243
15. Michigan (9-6)211
16. Minnesota (18-3)191
17. Indiana (12-6)166
18. Hawaii (15-6)154
19. Iowa (8-4)123
20. Ill.-Chicago (11-5)112
21. Pacific (Cal.) (9-3)89
22. South Fla. (17-3)86
23. New Mex. St. (17-13)67
24. Notre Dame (9-8)64
25. Utah (11-7)42

Division I Men's Swimming and Diving

The Speedo America top 25 NCAA Division I men's swimming and diving teams through March 15 as selected by the College Swimming Coaches Association of America, with points:

1. Auburn, 187;
2. Michigan, 186;
3. Texas, 180;
4. Tennessee, 173;
5. Stanford, 166;
6. Southern California, 156;
7. Southern Methodist, 150;
8. Minnesota, 146;
9. Arizona, 125;
10. Georgia, 122;
11. California, 118;
12. Florida, 103;
13. Arizona State, 100;
14. North Carolina, 95;
15. Miami (Florida), 80;
16. Nebraska, 65;
17. Iowa, 61;
18. Texas A&M, 55;
19. LSU, 50;
20. Alabama, 46;
21. Ohio State, 45;
22. Indiana, 34;
23. Kansas, 27;
24. Princeton, 24;
25. Penn State, 17.

Division I Women's Swimming and Diving

The Speedo America top 25 NCAA Division I women's swimming and diving teams through March 15 as selected by the College Swimming Coaches Association of America, with points:

1. Stanford, 222;
2. Michigan, 213;
3. Southern Methodist, 201;
4. Southern California, 189;
5. Florida, 181;
6. Arizona, 178;
7. (tie) Georgia and Texas, 177;
8. UCLA, 147;
9. Nebraska, 139;
10. Auburn, 125;
11. Tennessee, 114;
12. Northwestern, 113;
13. Alabama, 105;
14. Minnesota, 100;
15. Wisconsin, 71;
16. Kansas, 68;
17. Arizona State, 67;
18. North Carolina, 66;
19. Texas A&M, 62;
20. Kentucky, 45;
21. Penn State, 38;
22. California, 30;
23. LSU, 19;
24. Indiana, 24.

Division III Men's Indoor Track

The final top 25 NCAA Division III men's indoor track teams through March 14 as determined by the United States Track Coaches Association, with power ranking:

1. Wisconsin-La Crosse, 151.3;
2. Augustana (Illinois), 134.7;
3. Mount Union, 132.5;
4. Williams, 131.1;
5. Nebraska Wesleyan, 128.6;
6. St. Thomas (Minnesota), 124.9;
7. Fredonia State, 119.6;
8. Wisconsin-Platteville, 119.7;
9. Lynchburg, 118.3;
10. Carthage, 119.4;
11. Ohio Northern, 118.3;
12. MIT, 114.9;
13. St. John's (Minnesota), 112.8;
14. Wisconsin-Oshkosh, 111.4;
15. Bing-

16. hamton, 111.1;
17. Bates, 105.5;
18. Concordia-Moorhead, 105.3;
19. (tie) Ithaca and Hamline, 104.5;
20. Gustavus Adolphus, 102.8;
21. Carleton, 102.4;
22. Rensselaer, 101.7;
23. Cortland State, 100.9;
24. Thiel, 98.8;
25. Methodist, 98.4.

Division III Women's Indoor Track

The final top 25 NCAA Division III women's indoor track teams through March 14 as determined by the United States Track Coaches Association, with power ranking:

1. Wisconsin-Oshkosh, 135.9;
2. Wisconsin-La Crosse, 129.8;
3. Williams, 103.6;
4. Wisconsin-Eau Claire, 97.9;
5. Augustana (Illinois), 92.8;
6. Ohio Northern, 92.4;
7. Lynchburg, 90.5;
8. Nebraska Wesleyan, 88.0;
9. Carthage, 87.8;
10. Wisconsin-Platteville, 86.5;
11. Trenton State, 85.9;
12. St. Olaf, 85.3;
13. Rensselaer, 84.9;
14. Wartburg, 84.4;
15. St. Lawrence, 84.1;
16. Rochester, 83.8;
17. Concordia-Moorhead, 82.6;
18. Ithaca, 77.4;
19. Cortland State, 76.8;
20. Dickinson, 74.1;
21. Chicago, 72.4;
22. Binghamton, 69.6;
23. Emory, 64.5;
24. Swarthmore, 58.4;
25. Thiel, 50.4.

Men's Volleyball

The USA Today/American Volleyball Coaches Association top 15 NCAA men's volleyball teams through March 12, with records in parentheses and points:

1. Hawaii (15-1)239
2. UCLA (14-3)225
3. Cal St. Northridge (10-6)192
4. Long Beach St. (12-4)186
5. UC Santa Barb. (9-6)175
6. Stanford (9-5)146
7. Pacific (Cal.) (12-5)141
8. Pepperdine (10-6)134
9. Lewis (13-2)110
10. Ohio St. (13-2)87
11. Penn St. (11-4)83
12. Southern Cal (5-8)78
13. Ball St. (14-5)60
14. Brigham Young (6-4)43
15. UC Irvine (6-11)15

Division III Men's Volleyball

The top 10 NCAA Division III men's volleyball teams through March 12 as selected by the American Volleyball Coaches Association, with records in parentheses and points:

1. Juniata (12-3)138
2. Springfield (13-6)124
3. UC San Diego (4-12)111
4. La Verne (4-14)94
5. Vassar (6-4)85
6. East Mennonite (9-9)72
7. N.J. Inst. of Tech. (9-8)53
8. Roger Williams (11-3)47
9. New Paltz St. (10-10)20
10. New York University (3-16)14

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kin. Fincham has served as an assistant at Wittenberg for six seasons, working with the offensive line and serving as Neibuh's chief aide on offense.

Football assistants—Chris Hall, quarterbacks coach at Morningside, hired for similar duties at North Texas. He replaced Steve Kragthorpe, who accepted a position as quarterbacks coach at Boston College. Also, North Texas appointed Fred Bleil as defensive coordinator. He succeeds James Bell, who resigned ... Homer Smith hired as offensive coordinator at Arizona ... Rich Stubler named defensive coordinator at Oregon ... Jeff Hammerschmidt, secondary coach at Arizona since 1993, appointed defensive coordinator at Southern Utah. He replaced Dale Pehrson, who resigned to take a position at Navy ... Jeff Fela named offensive line coach at Tennessee Tech. He has 16 years of collegiate coaching experience, including five seasons at offensive coordinator and line coach at Western Carolina. Tennessee Tech also announced that strength and conditioning coach Lorenza Rivers will take on additional duties working with running backs ... Marshall Hall appointed defensive line coach at Delaware ... Charles Molnar promoted from quarterbacks coach to offensive coordinator at Kent, which also announced the resignations for personal reasons of running backs coach Brad Smith and tight ends coach Craig Coleman ... Ken Zampese named quarterbacks coach at Miami (Ohio) ... Dan Radakovich named assistant head coach and defensive coordinator at Robert Morris.

Men's golf—Terry Valentine, a head golf professional since 1992, selected as head men's golf coach at Ashland. He replaced Rob Stanley ... Michael Santa Maria Jr. named at Nichols.

Women's lacrosse assistants—Vincent Louthier appointed assistant women's lacrosse coach at Brockport State. He has coached high-school sports.

Men's soccer—Seamus Purcell, assistant women's coach at Bryant last season, named head men's coach at the school. From 1983 to 1985, Purcell was a member of the Irish National Team, competing in both the European and World Cup Championships. Purcell succeeds Andy McMahon, who resigned to take a position at Clemson ... Bob Warming, former Creighton head coach, named head soccer coach at Old Dominion. Warming led Creighton to three straight Missouri Valley Conference championships and NCAA tournament appearances from 1992 to 1994. He succeeds Ralph Perez, who was named assistant coach for the New York/New Jersey Metro Stars of the new outdoor major soccer league ... John Dunlop promoted from assistant to head coach at Philadelphia Textile, where the former Temple player has been on the staff since 1994 ... Mike Reilly selected at Elon.

Women's soccer—Debbie Michael resigned as women's soccer coach at Towson State. Michael, who compiled a 17-44-3 record, was the first coach of a program that has just completed its fourth year ... Randy Farris of St. Mary's (California) has received a new contract through 1999. Farris has coached the Gaels for 15 years ... Frederico Velasquez selected as head coach for the new women's soccer program at Pratt Institute ... Oscar Suman hired at Wisconsin-Parkside, where he also will serve as sports information director effective July 1. He replaces interim soccer coach Barb Singer.

Women's softball—Glenda Hazlegrove Grubbs replaced Loretta Coughlin as head women's softball coach at Longwood. Coughlin will remain on the basketball coaching staff.

Women's softball assistants—Amy Drake appointed assistant softball coach at Brockport State, where she is a former volleyball player. She has coached at the high-school and community college levels.

Men's and women's tennis—Jim Lopez named head coach of the men's and women's tennis programs at Western Maryland. He replaced Alex Ober as men's coach and Christian Conklin as women's coach ... George O. Brome appointed head coach for the new women's tennis program at Pratt Institute.

Men's and women's track and field assistants—David Okst and Jean Massillon named volunteer assistant coaches at Stony Brook.

Women's volleyball—Penny Lucas-White selected as head women's volleyball coach at Air Force after serving since 1991 as head coach at Memphis, where her teams compiled a 95-80 record and appeared in the 1994 Division I Women's Volleyball Championship. Lucas-White, who also has been an assistant at Auburn, replaced Capt. Barb Corbeil, who left the post after two years to pursue other interests ... Jill Hirschinger appointed at New Hampshire after 12 years as head coach at Ferris State, where she earned her 400th coaching victory last season. Her 1987 team advanced to the semifinals of the Division II Women's Volleyball Championship. Hirschinger also has been assistant athletics director and compliance coordinator at the school and was senior woman administrator. She is a member of the NCAA Division II Women's Volleyball Committee and Men's and Women's Golf Committee ... Jennifer McDowell named at Emory. She has been an assistant coach at Georgia for five years and also served in 1989 as interim head coach at the school, where she played ... Leonid Yelin selected at Louisville after serving for five years as head coach at Barry, where he led his 1995 team to the Division II championship. Yelin, who compiled a 114-36 record at Barry, defected to the United States from the Soviet Union in 1989. He coached the Soviet Union's national women's volleyball team and also the Republic of Uzbek's national men's team. Yelin replaces Don Hardin, who became head coach at Illinois after leading the Cardinals to six straight Division I Women's Volleyball Championship appearances.

STAFF
Athletics trainers—Joseph Ingram Jr. resigned as athletics trainer at Pratt Institute.

Business manager—Tim Knavel appointed athletics business manager at Towson State. For the past 11 years, Knavel has worked for Marriott International as an accountant and controller.

Development director—Michael L. Simpson named director of development for athletics at Western Kentucky. He has been vice-president for development and public relations at Kentucky Wesleyan.

Equipment manager—Joanne Catanese named equipment manager at Brockport State. Catanese, who previously served as equipment manager and held other duties at Adelphi, replaces Andy Geshan, who resigned to accept a similar position at Miami (Ohio).

Marketing assistants—Mary Malone hired as assistant director of marketing and promotions at Detroit Mercy.

Sports information directors—Dan Benson, sports information director at Augsburg since 1994, appointed director of news service/media relations for the college. Benson is a former assistant SID for women's sports at Minnesota ... Oscar Suman hired as SID at Wisconsin-Parkside, where he also will be head women's soccer coach effective July 1. He replaces interim SID Jeffrey Zampanti.

CONFERENCES
Scottie Rodgers promoted from media services assistant to assistant director of media services at the Southeastern Conference. Rodgers, a recent Alabama graduate, replaced Glenn Thackston, who was named operations manager for Host Communi-

cations/Tennessee Division.

ASSOCIATIONS
Nicole A. "Nikki" Clay elected president of the 1996 Plymouth Holiday Bowl in San Diego. Clay becomes the first woman to serve as president since the game's inauguration in 1978. She is a partner in the government-relations firm of Carpi & Clay.

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CONFERENCE MEMBERS
Coe has joined the Iowa Intercollegiate Athletic Conference. The school will leave the Midwest Conference to become the 10th member of the league.

CORRECTIONS
An item in the Briefly in the News section of the March 4 issue of The NCAA News reported incorrectly the school where a student-athlete played hockey. Travis Roy is a student at Boston University and was playing in his first game for the Terriers when he was left paralyzed by an injury.

Two sports in which Lock Haven hired a new coach were identified incorrectly in the NCAA Record section of the March 11 issue of The NCAA News. Pat Rudy will serve as head coach of the women's field hockey team at Lock Haven and also will serve as assistant women's lacrosse coach. Rudy, a Lock Haven graduate, previously coached at Cortland State, where she led teams to Division III Field Hockey Championship titles in 1993 and 1994 and compiled a 217-67-13 coaching record.

Notables

Bruce Baumgartner, 1995 gold medalist at the World Freestyle Wrestling Championships and head wrestling coach at Edinboro, won the Amateur Athletic Union's Sullivan Award as the outstanding am-

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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 purposes relating to the administration of intercollegiate athletics. In addition, individuals seeking employment in intercollegiate athletics also are welcome to place positions-wanted advertisements.

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Noon Central time

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Issue date	Deadline date
April 8	March 28
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Athletics Trainer

Assistant Professor/Athletic Trainer. Wilmington College, a small liberal arts institution, seeking applications and nominations for the position of assistant professor/athletic trainer. Position is available August 15, 1996. The athletic training program is well established and ready to move toward N.A.T.A. accreditation. The full-time position will include the following responsibilities: Teaching kinesiology and physiology of exercise; athletic team coverage; assist with the accreditation process; assist with academic/administrative duties supervision of clinical experiences/instruction; other duties/responsibilities may be assigned. Qualifications necessary for the position are as follows: N.A.T.A. certification. Requires a minimum of a master's degree. Three or more years' teaching/athletic training experience. C.P.R./first aid certification (instructor). Strong background in the biological sciences. All qualified candidates will be reviewed. Tenure track contingent on credentials. To apply, submit a detailed letter of application, a resume, and names and phone numbers of at least three references by April 1 to: Sharon Sims, Area Coordinator/Department Chair, Wilmington College, Pyle Center Box 1248, 251 Ludovic Street, Wilmington, OH 45177.

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Athletic Trainer: Mount Union College is seeking a Certified Athletic Trainer/Classroom and Clinical Instructor for the N.A.T.A.-P.E.C. approved undergraduate athletic training education program. This full-time, 10-month faculty position includes teaching within the sports medicine major, in the athletic training and/or exercise science concentrations, daily supervision of student athletic trainers plus contest coverage. Qualifications: N.A.T.A.-B.O.C. certification and at least a master's degree in a sports medicine re-

lated field with at least one year of full-time experience, including classroom teaching and the clinical supervision of student athletic trainers. Preference will be given to candidates with a strong academic and teaching background in the exercise sciences. Candidates must have a strong commitment to athletic training education and to teaching in a liberal arts setting. Compensation and academic rank are competitive, based on experience and qualifications. M.U.C. is an E.O.E. Position is available August 1, 1996. Send letter of application, resume, and names, addresses and phone numbers of three current references to: Professor Daniel Gorman, N.A.T.A. Program Director, Mount Union College, Alliance, OH 44001. Fax: 330/823-2399, e-mail: GormanD@MUC.EDU. Consideration of applicants will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled.

Head Athletic Trainer. Term of Contract: Twelve-month, full-time annual appointment. Responsibilities: Primary responsibilities include: Supervision of two training rooms, three full-time assistants, four graduate assistants and student trainers, and coordination of drug education and testing programs. Primary responsibility to oversee medical care of all student-athletes in 21 Division I intercollegiate sports with specific responsibility for football and other duties assigned. Qualifications: Bachelor's degree and N.A.T.A. certification and a minimum of five years' experience at the Division I level required. Master's degree and/or physical therapy degree preferred. Application Procedures: Application deadline—April 5, 1996. Send letter of application, resume and three letters of reference to: Sarah K. Reesman, Assistant Director of Athletics, P.O. Box 677, Columbia, MO 65205.

Business Manager

Director of Business Affairs (dc37279nc). Intercollegiate Athletics at the University of Missouri-Columbia currently is seeking qualified applicants for the director of business affairs. Duties include reporting to the director of athletics and providing leadership, administrative support and supervision to assigned personnel and units. Prepare annual operating budgets and periodic financial statements. Coordinate and supervise all fiscal operations and records, and assure that all procedures are in compliance with university, conference and NCAA rules and regulations. Oversee the athletic department business functions to include personnel actions, office supplies and equipment, computer systems, and approval of expenditures. Develop business and strategic plans based on detailed income and expense analyses. Interact and communicate with related University of Missouri departments including purchasing and accounting. Coordinate maintenance of facilities and policies for risk management. Responsible for the business aspect of football game management. Qualifications are a bachelor's degree (M.B.A. and/or C.P.A. preferred) or an equivalent combination of education and experience from which comparable knowledge and abilities can be acquired. Four to five years' experience in business or fiscal administration. Additional Preferred Qualifications: Proven background and experience in comprehensive business management and intercollegiate athletic administration; proven organizational, leadership, administrative, communication and interaction skills; demonstrated commitment to developing and achieving short- and long-term goals, strategies and expectations. For full consideration, please send letter of application and credentials by April 11, 1996 to: Human Resource Services, University of Missouri-Columbia, 130 Heinkel Building, 201 S. 7th Street, Columbia, MO 65211. Should any accommodations be necessary, please call 314/882-7976. TRY users, please

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Positions Available

Athletics Director

Southwest Texas State University, Athletic Director. Applications and nominations are being accepted for the position of athletic director. The position reports to the executive vice-president and is responsible for all aspects of the management of intercollegiate athletics. The position requires supervision of administrative staff and head coaches; budget planning and execution; strict compliance with NCAA regulations and standards; demonstrated leadership, public relations and fund-raising; commitment to the education and welfare of student-athletes; and evidence of personal integrity and high ethical standards. Preference given to an advanced degree with at least five years of successful administrative experience in intercollegiate athletics. Southwest Texas is a member of the Southland Conference and competes at the Division I/II-AA level in seven women's sports and eight men's sports. The university has an enrollment of approximately 22,000 students and is located in the beautiful Texas Hill Country between Austin and San Antonio. Interested candidates should send a resume and list of references to: Chair, Search Committee for Athletic Director, Room 1080, J.C. Kellam Building, Southwest Texas State University, San Marcos, TX 78666, Fax 512/245-7720. Review of applications will begin immediately and will continue until the successful candidate is named on or about May 1, 1996. Southwest Texas State University is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

Director of Intercollegiate Athletics. The University of Wisconsin-Platteville seeks applications and nominations for the position of director of intercollegiate athletics. The University of Wisconsin-Platteville enrolls 5,300 students and

is located in southwest Wisconsin. The university offers nine men's and six women's sports competing at the NCAA Division III level in the Wisconsin State University Conference (men) and Wisconsin Women's Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (women), respectively. The director reports to the assistant chancellor for student affairs and has responsibilities for overall administration which includes personnel, planning, budgeting, marketing/fund-raising and public relations for the athletic department. The director maintains close working relations with administrative staff and faculty and ensures compliance with NCAA/N.A.I.A., conference and university regulations. Qualifications: Minimum of a master's degree in a related field (athletic administration, physical education, etc.), at least five years' experience in an administrative position (at least three years must have included supervisory experience). Preference will be given to those who have experience in intercollegiate athletics at state-funded colleges or universities. The ideal applicant should be knowledgeable of NCAA/N.A.I.A. rules and regulations, have a demonstrated commitment to both men's and women's programs, have demonstrated success in marketing and fund-raising, show evidence of the ability to develop and implement long range plans, and demonstrate skills in personnel management, budgeting, motivation, public relations and communications. This 12-month position offers a salary range of \$41,909 to \$62,863, commensurate with experience. The starting date is negotiable with the expectation that the position will begin no later than July 1, 1996. Application deadline is April 30, 1996. To apply, a letter of application, resume, and addresses and phone numbers of three references should be sent to: Athletic Director Search & Screen Committee, Office of Student Affairs, 101 Royce Hall, 1 University Plaza, University of Wisconsin-Platteville, Platteville, WI 53818-3099. The names of all nominees and applicants who have not requested in writing that their identity be held confidential, and of all finalists, will be released upon request. Minorities and women are especially encouraged to apply. U.W.-Platteville is an

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Athletic Director. Excellent children's summer camp in New Hampshire's spectacular White Mountains seeks A.D. to supervise a staff of 12 coaches and administer a strong athletic program emphasizing skill development, intra- and inter-camp games. Applicants must have experience coaching, supervising and organizing sports programs. Family accommodations available. Excellent working conditions, Good salary. Call 800/657-8282 or write C.W.W., P.O. Box 558, Armonk, NY 10504.

Assistant A.D.

Assistant Athletic Director. Kent Denver School, Colorado, an independent day school enrolling 584 students grades 6-12 located in a suburb of Denver, CO, seeks an assistant athletic director to coordinate the physical education program and assist the athletic director in overseeing the athletic program for grades 6 through 12. Kent Denver will consider candidates who have thorough knowledge of independent secondary and college programs with excellent coaching skills in either field hockey, volleyball, basketball or soccer. A member of C.H.S.A.A. (Colorado High School Activities Association), Kent Denver has won state championships in soccer, ice hockey, field hockey, football, lacrosse and tennis. Please send cover letter and resume to: Connie Smith, Attention: Athletic Position, 4000 East Quincy Avenue, Englewood, CO 80110-4998.

Academic Coordinator

Academic Athletic Assistant: Southwest Missouri State University is accepting applications for an individual to develop and coordinate the academic assistance programs that enable student-athletes to receive appropriate academic assistance to achieve viable educational goals. The assistant works closely with the compliance

officer in monitoring NCAA rules and regulations governing student eligibility. Some evening and weekend work is required. A master's degree is required, with an emphasis in student personnel, guidance and counseling, communications or a related field is preferred. One year's experience is required in responsible positions in higher education where knowledge of academic advising and counseling has been obtained. Experience with student retention programs, academic support services and counseling student-athletes is preferred. This is a 12-month position with a starting salary of \$25,000 annually. Submit letter of interest, resume, copy of transcript, and names, addresses and phone number of three professional references by April 12, 1996, to: Linda Dollar, Assistant Athletic Director, Compliance, S.M.S.U., 901 S. National, Springfield, MO 65804. Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

Academic Counselor

Academic Counselor. The University of Nebraska-Lincoln seeks qualified applicants for an Academic Counselor-Coordinator of Learning Development Programs in the Athletic Department. Primary responsibilities include coordinating all aspects of the tutorial program (hiring, training, evaluating & development of instructional materials), academic assessments of student-athletes and further development of essential academic skills with a select group. Must be committed to motivating and encouraging student-athletes while developing academic skills. Bachelor's with major in education, counseling or related field plus two years of professional experience required. Master's preferred. Strong communication/organizational skills and experience working with diverse populations essential. \$25,205 minimum annual salary plus excellent benefits. Submit cover letter of application, resume, and the names, addresses and telephone number of three professional references postmarked by April 3 to: Chairperson, Coordinator of Learning Development Search

I women's volleyball wants predetermined 1996 regional sites

The NCAA Division I Women's Volleyball Committee will seek permission from the NCAA Executive Committee to select predetermined sites for the four regionals in the 1996 Division I Women's Volleyball Championship.

The committee made the recommendation during its annual meeting February 20-23 in Phoenix.

The committee will begin soliciting bid proposals from potential regional sites. The committee also determined that if a regional host team is selected for the tournament field, that team will be permitted to play in that regional after advancing beyond the first and second rounds.

The committee also stipulated that regionals be conducted on a Friday-Saturday or Saturday-Sunday basis, rather than Thursday-Friday.

In addition, the following 17 conferences were granted automatic qualification for the 1996 championship: Atlantic Coast, Atlantic 10, Big East, Big Sky, Big Ten, Big 12, Big West, Mid-American, Midwestern Collegiate, Missouri Valley, Pacific-10, Southeastern, Sun Belt, Western Athletic and West Coast Conferences; the Colonial Athletic Association; and Conference USA.

An additional 12 conferences were selected to participate in play-ins, with the following pairings (home conference listed first): Ohio Valley Conference vs. Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference; Southland Conference vs. Southwest Athletic Conference; Trans America Athletic Conference vs. Mid-Continent Conference; Patriot League vs. Northeast Conference; Big South Conference vs. Southern Conference; and North Atlantic Conference vs. Metro Atlantic Athletic Conference.

Regarding the 1997 championship, the committee recommended combining the first and second rounds and conducting those matches at 16 sites.

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OTHER HIGHLIGHTS

Division I Women's Volleyball Committee February 20-23/Phoenix, Arizona

■ Stipulated that the rule regarding service area adopted by the National Association of Girls and Women in Sport will be used during the 1996 championship. The rule allows service from anywhere beyond the service line.

■ Moved the Midwestern Collegiate Conference from District 2 to District 6 to balance the regions after the disbanding of the Southwest Conference.

■ Revised selection criteria to require teams to have a better than .500 winning percentage in order to gain an at-large selection to the championship.

■ Stipulated that for all televised games in the Division I tournament, a television timeout will be called when the leading team reaches eight points. In addition, each coach is permitted to call two timeouts. (Note: If a coach calls a timeout before the leading team has reached eight points, the timeout at the eight-point mark will not be used.)

■ Required conferences interested in experimenting with an alternative scoring format to use the format in spring competition and to submit data to the committee no later than July 1. Conferences also must inform the committee of the number of regular-season games in which they intend to use the alternative format.

NCAA Record

DIRECTORS OF ATHLETICS

Irv Cross, a former NFL player with the Philadelphia Eagles and Los Angeles Rams, named director of athletics at Idaho State. For 17 years, Cross was cohost and expert commentator on "The NFL Today" ... Lee A. McElroy Jr., director of athletics at Cal State Sacramento since 1989, chosen as AD at American. From 1981 to 1988, he served as assistant director of men's and women's sports and then as associate AD at Houston. He is a member of the NCAA Committee on Athletics Certification ... Harding named Ted Altman athletics director, effective at the start of the 1996-97 academic year ... Daryl Leonard named AD at Fort Lewis, effective July 1 ... Bobby Keasler appointed at McNeese State.

ASSISTANT DIRECTORS OF ATHLETICS

Jeff O'Malley selected as assistant athletics director for compliance at Massachusetts. A 1994 graduate of the Dayton law school, O'Malley supervised compliance at Dayton. From 1992 to 1994, he served as an intern in the Dayton athletics department ... Steve Blake hired as assistant AD at Rhode Island. He will also serve as executive director of the Rhode Island Rams Athletic Association ... Larry Gipson, head men's basketball coach at Toledo, resigned from coaching to become interim assistant athletics director there.

COACHES

Men's basketball—Ken Atkins, men's basketball coach at King's (Pennsylvania) for the past 13 years, resigned due to health reasons ... The contract of Tom Apke, head men's basketball coach at Appalachian State, will not be renewed. Apke, who is the second most victorious coach in the school's history, compiled a 139-147 record at Appalachian State ... Ron Hunter, head coach at Indiana/Purdue-Indianapolis, agreed to a contract extension through the year 2000. During the 1995-96 campaign, Hunter compiled a 22-7 record and recorded the all-time best winning percentage (.758) at the school ... Tom McCracken, coach at Southern Oregon State, reassigned to a position within the athletics department ... Bosco Djurickovic, assistant at Elmhurst, hired as head coach at Carthage. He succeeds Tim Miller, who resigned ... David Duda appointed head coach at Delaware Valley ... Tony Mauldin, coach at Abilene Christian, resigned ... Ricardo Patton chosen as head coach at Colorado ... Rudy Washington, men's basketball coach at Drake, announced he will resign at the end of the season ... Bob Sundvold appointed head coach at Missouri-Kansas City. He has been head coach at Central Missouri State ... Larry Gipson, coach at Toledo, resigned to become interim assistant athletics director there ... David Farrar, men's basketball coach at Middle Tennessee State, will not have his contract renewed. He was 61-73 in five years.

East Tennessee State selects DeChellis

Ed DeChellis, who has served as an assistant men's basketball coach at Penn State for the past 10 seasons, has been selected as head men's basketball coach at East Tennessee State. DeChellis succeeds Alan LeForce, who will resign at the end of the 1995-96 season.

DeChellis has been an assistant at Penn State since 1986, where he has assisted in all aspects of the program, including on-floor coaching, recruiting, scheduling, scouting, compliance coordination and various administrative duties.

During DeChellis' tenure, the Nittany Lions posted a 100 percent graduation rate, posted five consecutive 20-victory seasons and appeared in four consecutive post-season tournaments.

Before joining the Penn State staff, DeChellis assisted for two years (1984 to 1986) at Salem. While there, he also served as director of intramurals.

DeChellis, who graduated from Penn State in 1982, served as a graduate assistant at his alma mater from 1982 to 1984 and was a part-time instructor in the college of health, physical education and recreation in 1984.



DeChellis

Women's basketball—Drema Greer, women's basketball coach at Georgia Southern, resigned ... Sue Richardson, head coach at Southern Colorado, will not receive a contract renewal for the 1996-97 season.

Football—Kevin Haslam named at Nebraska Wesleyan.

Football assistants—Steven Garcia, who served as defensive coordinator at San Francisco State from 1988 to 1991, hired for similar duties at Whittier. He also will serve as intramurals director ... Dave Steckel, assistant at Toledo from 1993 to 1995, named defensive line coach at Rutgers. Before joining the Toledo staff, he worked for four seasons at Lehigh as linebackers and special teams coach. He also served as assistant head coach and offensive coordinator at Dickinson ... Steve Hagen, offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach at UNLV for the past two years, appointed football coach at Wartburg. He succeeds Bob Nielson, who was named coach at Wisconsin-Eau Claire. Nielson compiled a 39-14 record while at Wartburg ... Mike Gibson, offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach at Colgate from 1993 to 1995, hired as special teams and tight ends coach at Rutgers ... Al Lavan, running backs coach at Washington since 1992, resigned to accept a position with the NFL's Baltimore team ... Michael Faragalli, former offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach at Bowling Green, will return to the team in a similar role. Faragalli served on the Falcon staff from 1991 to 1994 ... Joe Bottiglieri, a former assistant coach

at William and Mary, appointed defensive coordinator at Rhode Island. Also, the Rams named Darrell Wilson, a former high-school head coach, as their defensive secondary coach ... Duke hired Scott Brown as defensive line coach and Clay Helton as running backs coach ... Ron Hudson named assistant coach at Lenoir-Rhyne ... Charlie West, defensive backs coach at Syracuse, resigned ... Whittier named Steven Garcia defensive coordinator ... Steve Kragthorpe, offensive coordinator at North Texas, resigned to become quarterbacks coach at Boston College ... Rutgers named Dave Steckel defensive line coach ... Darrell Wyatt selected as wide receivers coach at Baylor.

Men's golf—Bob Conwell hired as men's golf coach at Carthage.

Men's lacrosse—Patrick Cooney, who was a starter at Roger Williams from 1992 to 1994, appointed head coach of the men's lacrosse team there.

Women's lacrosse—Marie Cope Nicholson, who currently serves as Earlham's acting head science librarian, chosen as head women's lacrosse coach there.

Women's lacrosse assistants—Brockport State selected Vincent Louther as assistant women's lacrosse coach ... Mary Romestant, assistant women's soccer coach at Wooster in 1995, hired as head women's soccer coach and assistant women's lacrosse coach at Wittenberg.

Women's soccer—Jim O'Brien, assistant men's soccer coach for the last four seasons at Southern Connecticut State, hired as

Calendar

March 18-19	Committee on Review and Planning	Kansas City, Missouri
March 19	Special Committee on Agents and Amateurism	Kansas City, Missouri
March 25	Task Force to Review Special Assistance Fund	Kansas City, Missouri
March 26-31	Division I Women's Basketball Committee	Charlotte, North Carolina
March 28	Division III Transition Team Subcommittee	New York City
March 28-29	Presidents Commission	New York City
March 28-April 1	Division I Men's Basketball Committee	New York City
April 8-12	Wrestling Committee	Kansas City, Missouri
April 11-12	Postgraduate Scholarship Committee	Phoenix
April 11-12	Title IX seminar	San Francisco
April 15-17	Council	Kansas City, Missouri
April 15-18	Men's and Women's Skiing Committee	Overland Park, Kansas

the Owls' first women's soccer coach ... Mary Romestant, assistant women's soccer coach at Wooster in 1995, hired as head women's soccer coach and assistant women's lacrosse coach at Wittenberg. She replaces Jim Wendling, who has held the women's soccer position on a part-time, interim basis since last August ... Luigi Pelini, women's soccer coach at New York Tech, resigned ... Frank Kowalik, top assistant at Roger Williams since 1990, elevated to head women's soccer coach. He replaced Dave Kemmy, who is retiring from the post. Kemmy will continue to serve as assistant athletics director for administration and sports information and also as head wrestling coach ... Steve Morgenthaler, a 20-year coaching veteran at Principia, announced his retirement, effective in June. Morgenthaler was the first women's soccer coach at the school. He also coached volleyball and track there.

Women's softball assistant—Amy Drake named assistant softball coach at Brockport State.

STAFF

Compliance director—Tom Bates, sports information director at Navy for the past 23 years, named NCAA compliance director there.

Sales director—Russ Hornbeck, an intern in the promotions office at Navy, named director of sales there.

Sports information directors—Steve Marovich named sports information director at Carthage ... Scott Strasemeier, assistant sports information director at Navy for the past four years, elevated to interim SID. He replaced Tom Bates, who was named compliance director there.

Sports information assistant—Beth James named coordinator of sports information at Rhode Island.

Ticket manager—Matt Helmer, assistant ticket manager for the past two years at Navy, elevated to head ticket manager.

Ticket assistant—Matt Munnely, an intern in the ticket office at Navy this year,

appointed assistant ticket manager.

CONFERENCES

Chris Repetto appointed president for the New Jersey Collegiate Baseball Association.

ASSOCIATIONS

Tom Starr, executive director of the Sun Bowl Association, resigned. Joyce Feinberg, the association's president, was named interim executive director.

The United States Collegiate Sports Council elected officers for the August 1996 to August 2000 term. Gary Cunningham, athletics director at UC Santa Barbara, was elected president; Mimi Murray of Springfield, vice-president; and Lynn Adams of the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics, secretary.

Etc.

DIRECTORY CHANGES

Active—University of Alabama, Huntsville: (AD) correct telephone number is 205/895-6144; Drexel University: (SWA) to be named: Grand Valley State University: Tim W. Selgo (AD); Mars Hill College: A. Max Lennon (P); University of Minnesota, Twin Cities: Mariah Snyder (F) — Women's Faculty Representative, 612/624-2686; University of Montana: Marie Hibbard (SWA) — Associate Director of Athletics, 406/243-5331; University of Nebraska, Omaha: Title change (SWA) — Associate Director of Athletics; State University College at Oswego: Deborah F. Stanley (Interim P); University of Rhode Island: New telephone numbers — (AD) 401/874-5278, (SWA) 401/874-5277; Salisbury State University: K. Nelson Butler (Interim P); University of South Alabama: Pamela E. Young (SWA) — Assistant Director of Athletics, 334/460-7339; Stillman College: Donald Staffo (F) — Professor and Chairman of Health, Physical Education and Recreation, 205/349-4240; University of Tennessee at Chattanooga:

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Polls

Division I Baseball	
The USA Today/Baseball Weekly top 25 NCAA Division I baseball teams through March 3 as selected by the American Baseball Coaches Association, with records in parentheses and points:	
1. Cal. St. Fullerton (15-1)	821
2. LSU (11-0)	793
3. Texas Tech (19-2)	744
4. Wichita St. (3-0)	692
5. Southern Cal (12-4)	676
6. Cal. St. Northridge (19-2)	616
7. Arkansas (17-0)	612
8. Clemson (10-2)	521
9. UCLA (14-6)	517
10. Stanford (12-8)	450
11. Florida (11-4)	429
12. Miami (Fla.) (12-3)	419
13. Florida St. (8-4)	406
14. Tennessee (5-3)	402
15. Arizona St. (13-5)	372
16. Rice (13-2)	304
17. Oklahoma (8-4)	286
18. North Caro. St. (11-2)	263
19. Texas A&M (13-4)	253
20. Auburn (10-3)	193
21. Oklahoma St. (8-4)	189
22. Alabama (11-4)	187
23. Central Fla. (15-2)	179
24. South Fla. (10-4)	63
25. UNLV (15-6)	56
Division II Baseball	
The Collegiate Baseball top 25 NCAA Division II baseball teams through March 4, with records in parentheses:	
1. Delta St. (13-0)	480
2. Columbus (11-3)	464
3. UC Riverside (15-4)	446
4. Tampa (16-3)	434
5. North Ala. (13-1)	414
6. Fla. Southern (11-3)	402

7. St. Joseph's (Ind.) (2-0)	372
8. St. Leo (8-3)	362
8. Mansfield (0-0)	362
10. Armstrong St. (10-6)	342
11. Lewis (2-0)	316
12. Mo.-St. Louis (0-0)	298
13. Fort Hays St. (4-1)	278
14. Lenoir-Rhyne (9-0)	266
15. New Haven (0-0)	262
16. Cal. St. Dom. Hills (12-5)	248
17. Kennesaw St. (9-6)	212
18. Ala.-Huntsville (11-4)	210
19. North Fla. (9-6)	176
20. Quincy (5-1-1)	172
21. Georgia Col. (11-8)	146
22. Mercyhurst (6-1)	144
23. Adelphi (0-0)	132
24. Central Mo. St. (4-5)	124
25. Bloomsburg (0-0)	110
Division II Women's Basketball	
The USA Today/Women's Basketball Coaches Association top 25 NCAA Division II women's basketball teams through March 4, with records in parentheses and points:	
1. North Dak. St. (25-2)	592
2. Abilene Christian (27-1)	579
3. South Dak. St. (25-2)	550
4. Bentley (26-2)	506
5. West Tex. A&M (26-2)	495
6. North Dak. (24-5)	456
7. Norfolk St. (28-1)	435
8. Portland St. (23-4)	428
9. Delta St. (24-4)	419
10. UC Davis (24-3)	380
11. Fla. Southern (25-4)	353
12. Stonehill (24-5)	317
13. Northern Mich. (23-4)	298
14. Minn.-Duluth (22-4)	292
15. Bellarmine (23-3)	270

16. Oakland (23-5)	224
17. Montevallo (23-1)	162
18. IU/PU-Ft. Wayne (23-4)	158
19. Bridgeport (24-4)	149
20. Mars Hill (23-5)	147
21. Central Mo. St. (23-5)	131
22. Shippensburg (24-5)	124
23. Fort Valley St. (25-3)	102
24. Western N.M. (22-5)	54
25. Mo. Southern St. (23-5)	35
Men's Gymnastics	
The top 20 NCAA men's gymnastics teams through March 5, based on the average of the teams' two highest scores this season as reported by the Collegiate Gymnastics Association:	
1. Ohio St.	228.5125
2. Iowa	227.3625
3. Michigan St.	226.6875
4. Nebraska	225.8000
5. Illinois	225.1625
6. Penn St.	224.9250
7. Ill.-Chicago	224.9000
8. Minnesota	224.6750
9. New Mexico	224.5000
10. Oklahoma	223.9250
11. Stanford	223.4250
12. Syracuse	222.8750
13. Massachusetts	222.7250
14. Brigham Young	222.5250
15. Temple	222.4000
16. Navy	220.3500
17. Western Mich.	219.7750
18. Army	219.0250
19. William & Mary	218.8875
20. James Madison	217.3750
Women's Gymnastics	
The top 20 NCAA women's gymnastics teams through March 5, based on the teams' regional qualifying averages as reported by the National	

Association of Collegiate Gymnastics Coaches/Women:	
1. Georgia	197.206
2. Alabama	196.712
3. Utah	195.387
4. Florida	195.237
5. Brigham Young	194.337
6. Oregon St.	194.262
7. Michigan	193.944
8. UCLA	193.919
9. Nebraska	193.831
10. Kentucky	193.675
11. Arizona	193.456
12. Arizona St.	193.344
13. Michigan St.	193.194
14. Washington	193.075
15. Utah St.	193.000
16. Illinois	192.350
17. Minnesota	192.325
18. Stanford	192.206
19. Auburn	192.162
20. Kent	192.100
Division I Men's Ice Hockey	
The USA Today/American Hockey Magazine top 10 NCAA Division I men's ice hockey teams through March 4 as selected by the American Hockey Coaches Association, with records in parentheses and points:	
1. Colorado Col. (30-3-4)	99
2. Boston U. (26-5-3)	85
3. Lake Superior St. (26-6-2)	77
4. Michigan (27-7-2)	70
5. Minnesota (27-9-2)	51
6. Vermont (23-5-4)	40
7. Michigan St. (26-10-1)	39
8. Mass.-Lowell (23-7-4)	34
8. Western Mich. (27-8-3)	34
10. Clarkson (22-7-3)	13

Division III Women's Softball	
The preseason top five NCAA Division III women's softball teams in each region:	
Mid-Atlantic: 1. Trenton State; 2. Montclair State; 3. Rowan; 4. Kean; 5. Salisbury State.	
East: 1. Allegheny; 2. Binghamton; 3. Buffalo State; 4. Ursinus; 5. Bethany (West Virginia).	
Northeast: 1. Ithaca; 2. North Adams State; 3. Western Connecticut State; 4. Tufts; 5. Bridgewater State (Massachusetts).	
Midwest: 1. Illinois Benedictine; 2. Coe; 3. Wisconsin-Stevens Point; 4. St. Olaf; 5. North Central.	
Central: 1. Hope; 2. Marietta; 3. Ohio Northern; 4. Calvin; 5. Alma.	
West: 1. Chapman; 2. Cal Lutheran; 3. Central (Iowa); 4. Buena Vista; 5. (tie) Wartburg and Simpson.	
Men's Volleyball	
The USA Today/American Volleyball Coaches Association top 15 NCAA men's volleyball teams through March 3, with records in parentheses and points:	
1. Hawaii (13-1)	240
2. UCLA (12-3)	224
3. Long Beach St. (11-3)	204
4. Cal St. Northridge (8-5)	164
5. UC Santa Barb. (7-5)	159
6. Pepperdine (9-5)	140
7. Pacific (Cal.) (11-4)	130
8. Southern Cal (5-6)	125
9. Lewis (11-1)	116
10. Stanford (7-5)	109
11. Penn St. (11-4)	87
12. Ohio St. (12-2)	80
13. Ball St. (11-5)	67
14. Brigham Young (5-4)	49
15. UC Irvine (6-9)	17

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NCAA Bylaw 13.7.5.7 Official-visit meals

Institutions in all divisions should note that in accordance with NCAA Bylaw 13.7.5.7.1, it is permissible during a prospect's official visit to provide a prospect and the prospect's parents or legal guardians the cost of actual meals, not to exceed three per day. In Divisions I and II, such meals may occur at a location other than an on-campus dining facility during an official visit. Pursuant to Bylaw 13.7.4, local commercial facilities may be used, but at a scale comparable to that of normal student life and only within a 30-mile radius of the institution's campus. Division III institutions should note that as set forth in Bylaw 13.7.5.7.2, meals provided to a prospect during an official visit must occur in any on-campus dining facility, provided the facility is open to students in general and the meal is comparable to the type of meal

that the prospect would receive if he or she were to enroll as a student at that institution. If all such dining facilities are closed, the institution may provide meals off campus. Further, if an institution normally participates in its home contests at a site that is not located on the institution's campus, the meal may occur at that site.

NCAA Bylaw 16.1.7.5 Conference awards

NCAA institutions should note that in accordance with Bylaw 16.1.7.5, a conference or its member institutions may provide the actual and necessary expenses for a student-athlete to travel to the conference office or other site to receive a conference award. In addition, the conference may provide actual and necessary expenses for the student-athlete's parents (or legal guardians) and spouse to attend the presentation of the conference's male or female "athlete of the year" award to the student-athlete, provided not more than one male and one female

student-athlete receive such an award per academic year. During its March 2, 1995, telephone conference, the NCAA Interpretations Committee determined that the provisions of Bylaw 16.1.7.5 may not be applied on a sport-specific basis. Further, during its September 19, 1995, telephone conference, the Interpretations Committee determined that a multidivision conference may provide actual and necessary expenses for a student-athlete's parents (or legal guardians) and spouse to attend the presentation of the conference's male or female "athlete of the year" award, provided not more than one male and one female student-athlete from the conference [as opposed to each division (or subdivision) of the conference] receives such an award per academic year.

This material was provided by the legislative services staff as an aid to member institutions. If an institution has a question or comment regarding this column, such correspondence should be directed to Steve Mallonee, director of legislative services, at the NCAA national office. This information is available on the Collegiate Sports Network.

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ateur athlete in the United States. Baumgartner, an NCAA wrestling champion in 1982 at Indiana State and three-time Olympic medalist, captured his 16th career national freestyle title last year.

Matt Fuerbringer, a junior outside hitter at Stanford, is the American Volleyball Coaches Association player of the week for March 11. He totaled 63 kills, 13 digs, 11 blocks, three aces and a .443 hitting percentage during the period. A second-team AVCA all-American last year, Fuerbringer currently ranks fourth in the country with a 7.00 kills-per-game average.

Lou Carnesecca, former St. John's (New York) men's basketball coach, elected into the National Italian-American Sports Hall of Fame.

Ten finalists have been selected for the Hobey Baker Award, given to the Division I player of the year in men's ice hockey. The finalists are Keith Aldridge of Lake Superior State, Brian Bonin and Mike Crowley of Minnesota, Chris Drury and Jan Pandolfo of Boston U., Peter Geronazzo of Colorado College, Brendan

Morrison of Michigan, Burke Murphy of St. Lawrence, and Martin St. Louis and Eric Perrin of Vermont.

Twenty-six former Academic All-America honorees have been selected as finalists for election to the GTE Academic All-America Hall of Fame. The finalists are: Baseball—Rick Cerone of Seton Hall and Ron Perry of Holy Cross (also an Academic All-America team member in basketball). Basketball—Danny Ainge of Brigham Young, Terry Gannon of North Carolina State, Mike Gminski of Duke, Dr. Karen Hiznay Rizzo of Villanova, Dr. Kenneth Koenigs of Kansas, Gail Koziara Boudreaux of Dartmouth, Kim Mulkey-Robertson of Louisiana Tech, Lynn Norenberg of William and Mary, Jim Paxson of Dayton, Jill Rankin Schneider of Tennessee, Jack Sikma of Illinois Wesleyan, and Misty Thomas of UNLV. Football—Cris Collinsworth of Florida, Randolph Dean of Northwestern, Timothy Green of Syracuse, Bernie Kosar of Miami (Florida), Paul McDonald of Southern California, Wade Mitchell of Georgia Tech, and Robert Thomas of Notre Dame. At large—Tracy Caulkins-Stockwell of Florida, Jodi Coble-Black of North Carolina State, Megan Donnelly of Massachusetts, Dr. Ellen Mayer-Sabik of Cornell and

Dr. Carlton Young of Villanova.

Deaths

Kimberly Toone, an all-American track and field athlete at Albany (New York), died in an auto accident March 6. The 22-year-old Toone lost control of a vehicle on ice and the automobile struck another car. Toone received her undergraduate degree in criminal justice at Albany last spring and was working on a master's degree. During the 1995-96 academic year, Toone received an Eastern College Athletic Conference merit medal as the school's top senior female scholar-athlete.

Thomas E. Bellavance, president at Salisbury State, died February 10 in Salisbury, Maryland. He was 62.

Jim Law, a sprinter as a student-athlete at Lincoln (Pennsylvania) who resumed competitive running at age 60 and became a record-setting sprinter in his age group, died March 10 in Charlotte, North Carolina. He was 70. Law, who had been selected to carry the Olym-

pic torch through Charlotte this summer, was a professor at Johnson C. Smith.

Dick Herbert, the 29-year sports editor of The (Raleigh, North Carolina) News and Observer who chronicled the rise of the Atlantic Coast Conference, died March 11. He was 82. Herbert, who was scheduled to receive an ACC service award during the conference's basketball tournament this year, suffered a stroke in Greensboro, North Carolina, two days before he died. He retired in 1971. He was a past president of the U.S. Basketball Writers Association and Football Writers Association of America and former secretary of the American Football Coaches Association and Atlantic Coast Sports Writers Association. He also was inducted into the Duke and North Carolina halls of fame.

James A. Brooks, the longest-serving athletics director in Texas-Pan American history, died March 11 at age 79. He became football coach at the school in 1948 and was a coach, teacher and athletics administrator there until his retirement in 1983. He also served for a time as an assistant football coach at Kentucky.

Florida State

School receives one-year probation

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■ Inviting a Florida legislator to address the university's football team on Florida's athlete-agent law.

■ Conducting special educational sessions for parents of student-athletes with a National Football League representative and the institution's professional sports counseling panel.

■ Implementing an agent registration program for any agents interested in representing university student-athletes.

■ Institution of a system to monitor student-athlete information regarding automobile registration, loans and disability insurance.

■ Conducting regular educational sessions with football student-athletes regarding agent issues.

■ Frequently educating coaches on how to monitor agent issues and how to respond to agent issues if they arise.

The Committee on Infractions imposed penalties, including:

■ One year of probation, beginning February 3, 1996, the date of the hearing.

■ Recertification of the university's athletics policies and practices.

■ Development and implementation of a comprehensive educational program on NCAA legislation.

As required by NCAA legislation for any institution in a major infractions case, Florida State is subject to the NCAA's repeat-violator provisions for a five-year period beginning on February 3, 1996, the date of the hearing.

Should Florida State wish to appeal this decision, it must submit a written notice of appeal to the NCAA executive director no later than 15 days from the date of the release of the Committee on Infractions' report. The Infractions Appeals Committee, a separate group, hears such appeals.

The members of the Committee on Infractions who heard this case are Richard J. Dunn, divisional dean of humanities, University of Washington; Jack H. Friedenthal, dean of the school of law, George Washington University; Frederick B. Lacey, attorney, LeBoeuf, Lamb, Greene and MacRae, and a retired judge; Beverly E. Ledbetter, vice-president and general counsel, Brown University; James L. Richmond, retired judge and attorney; Yvonne (Bonnie) L. Slatton, chair of the department of physical education and sports studies, University of Iowa; and committee chair David Swank, professor of law, University of Oklahoma.

The complete report of the Committee on Infractions will appear in the April 1 issue of The NCAA Register.

Finalists for Walter Byers Scholarships named

Six student-athletes — three men and three women — have been selected as finalists for the two Walter Byers Scholarships that will be awarded in April by the Association.

The finalists, who were selected by the NCAA Walter Byers Scholarship Committee, will travel to St. Louis for interviews with the committee April 28-29. The two recipients of the annual awards are expected to be named at that time.

The six finalists represent six different sports and include Christopher Palmer of St. John's University (Minnesota), winner of the 1995 Gagliardi Trophy as the nation's most outstanding football player in Division III. Palmer, a record-setting wide receiver, also was named the 1995 College Division GTE Academic All-America Team Member of the Year.

The other men's finalists are soccer player Christopher Rihn of Washington and Jefferson College, the school's all-time leading goal-scorer and 1995 most valuable player of the Presidential Athletic Conference; and tennis player Christopher Zolas of Trinity University (Texas), a three-time participant in the Division III Men's Tennis Championships.

Women finalists feature seven-time NCAA all-American swimmer Amy DeVasher of the University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa; golfer Tracey Holmes of the University of Kentucky, a National Collegiate Women's Golf Championships participant and three-time all-Southeastern Conference academic choice; and basketball player Amy Reynders of Rutgers University, New Brunswick, who helped lead the Lady Knights to two Atlantic 10 Conference championships and two Division I Women's Basketball Championship appearances.

Each Byers scholar receives a \$10,000 scholarship from the Association. The awards were established in 1988 to recognize the contributions of the former NCAA executive director by encouraging excellence in academic performance by student-athletes.

Award recipients are required to have at least a 3.500 grade-point average (4.000 scale), show evidence of superior character and leadership, and demonstrate that participation in athletics has been a positive influence on personal and intellectual development, among other qualifications.

■ Championships corner

Men's gymnastics: The NCAA Men's Gymnastics Committee is now soliciting proposed budgets from potential hosts for 1997 championships competition. The committee needs two regional sites (East regional and West regional) and one site that will be able to conduct national-championships competition. The East and West regionals are scheduled for April 5, 1997. The National Collegiate Men's Gymnastics Championships are scheduled for April 17-19, 1997. Representatives of institutions interested in serving as host of the championships are invited to contact R. Wayne Burrow (913/339-1867), NCAA assistant director of championships, at the national office.

Division I men's and women's swimming: The Division I sub-

committee of the NCAA Men's and Women's Swimming Committee is now soliciting proposed budgets from potential hosts for 1998 championships competition. The committee needs five zone diving qualifying sites (Zones A,B,C,D and E; each site hosts men and women concurrently) and two sites (one men's and one women's) that will be able to conduct national-championships competition. The zone diving competitions are scheduled for March 13-14, 1998. The Division I Women's Swimming and Diving Championships are scheduled for March 19-21, 1998. The Division I Men's Swimming and Diving Championships are scheduled for March 26-28, 1998. Representatives of institutions interested in serving as host of the championships are invited to contact Burrow at the national office.

Have a photo idea?

Mail photos (preferably black-and-white) to: Jack L. Copeland, Managing Editor, The NCAA News, 6201 College Boulevard, Overland Park, Kansas 66211-2422.