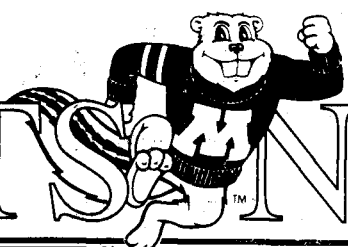


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January 2, 1994

BAKER TO TRANSFER FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA

Kevin Baker, a 6-6, 205-pound sophomore forward, will transfer from the University of Minnesota effective immediately. He has indicated that he will enroll for winter quarter at the University of Toledo.

Baker, who had played in eight of 11 games with two starts for the Golden Gophers this season, was averaging 1.8 points and 1.5 rebounds per game with highs of 10 points and 7 rebounds against Mississippi Valley State.

"Kevin Baker is a fine young man, an excellent student, and a talented ballplayer," said Golden Gopher Head Coach Clem Haskins. "This is a decision that will give him an opportunity to play more, which he wanted, and to be closer to his family. We wish Kevin nothing but the best in his future there."

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1994 GOLDEN GOPHER BASEBALL SCHEDULE FEATURES FIVE TOP 20 TEAMS

The University of Minnesota baseball team begins its 56-game regular season with three games, February 11-13, against second-ranked Georgia Tech University, in Atlanta, Ga. In all, the Golden Gophers will play three teams in the top 10, and five in the pre-season top 20 as listed by *Collegiate Baseball* magazine. The Golden Gophers are ranked 22nd in the pre-season poll.

The 1994 Golden Gopher schedule consists of 27 home games, with 18 games at Siebert Field and nine games at the Metrodome, including three during the Oscar Mayer Baseball Classic.

The Golden Gophers will open the home portion of their schedule with the Professional Alumni game on February 1, at the Metrodome. The regular season home opener is March 4-6 when they host the Oscar Mayer Baseball Classic. The round-robin tournament will feature ninth-ranked Arizona State University, as well as 19th-ranked Ohio State University. Perennial national power, the University of Arizona, will also take part in the classic.

The Golden Gophers' Big Ten Conference season begins the weekend of April 1-3, when they travel to Champaign to take on the University of Illinois in a four-game set. The conference home opener is slated for the weekend of April 9-10, when they host the University of Iowa. Doubleheaders are scheduled for Saturday and Sunday at 1:00 p.m.

Minnesota starts the season against some stiff competition when they will face second-ranked Georgia Tech, followed by fourth-ranked Florida State, and 15th-ranked Miami on three straight weekends in February.

1994 UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA BASEBALL SCHEDULE

FEBRUARY 1	PRO-ALUMNI GAME	METRODOME
February 11-13	Georgia Tech	Atlanta, Ga.
February 18-20	Florida State	Tallahassee, Fla.
February 25-27	Miami	Miami, Fla.
	<i>OSCAR MAYER BASEBALL CLASSIC</i>	
MARCH 4	ARIZONA STATE	METRODOME
MARCH 5	ARIZONA	METRODOME
MARCH 6	OHIO STATE	METRODOME
March 20	S.W. Missouri	Springfield, Mo.
March 21	Oral Roberts	Tulsa, Okla.
March 22	S.W. Missouri	Springfield, Mo.
MARCH 24	IOWA STATE	METRODOME
MARCH 25-27	KANSAS STATE	METRODOME
MARCH 29	ST. CLOUD STATE	METRODOME
MARCH 30	CREIGHTON	METRODOME
April 1-3	Illinois	Champaign, Ill.
APRIL 6	MANKATO STATE	SIEBERT FIELD
APRIL 9-10	IOWA	SIEBERT FIELD
APRIL 13	ST. OLAF	SIEBERT FIELD
April 16-17	Purdue	W. Lafayette, Ind.
APRIL 19	ST. THOMAS	SIEBERT FIELD
April 23-24	Michigan State	East Lansing, Mich.
April 27	Northern Iowa	Cedar Falls, Iowa
APRIL 29-MAY 1	NORTHWESTERN	SIEBERT FIELD
MAY 4	NORTH DAKOTA STATE	SIEBERT FIELD
MAY 5	CONCORDIA-MOORHEAD	SIEBERT FIELD
MAY 11	UM-DULUTH	SIEBERT FIELD
MAY 13-15	INDIANA	SIEBERT FIELD
May 19-22	Big Ten Championship	Battle Creek, Mich.

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HOCKEY & MEN'S BASKETBALL TICKETS STILL REMAIN

Tickets are still available for all remaining University of Minnesota hockey games. A limited number of tickets remain for selected Golden Gopher men's basketball games.

There are approximately 100 standing room only tickets at \$15 remaining for Saturday afternoon's hockey game against Wisconsin at Mariucci Arena. A total of 300 reserved tickets priced at \$18 are left for Sunday afternoon's rematch with the Badgers at Target Center. For the remainder of the season, about 200 tickets at \$15 are available for each home game. Student and standing room season ticket refunds have made a small single-game inventory of tickets available.

There are approximately 300 obstructed-view reserved tickets at \$16 remaining for the Northwestern (Feb. 5), Ohio State (Feb. 9) and Penn State (Feb. 16) basketball games. All other Golden Gopher home games are sold out.

For more information, contact the Athletic Ticket Sales Office at (612) 624-8080 or 1-800-U-GOPHER.

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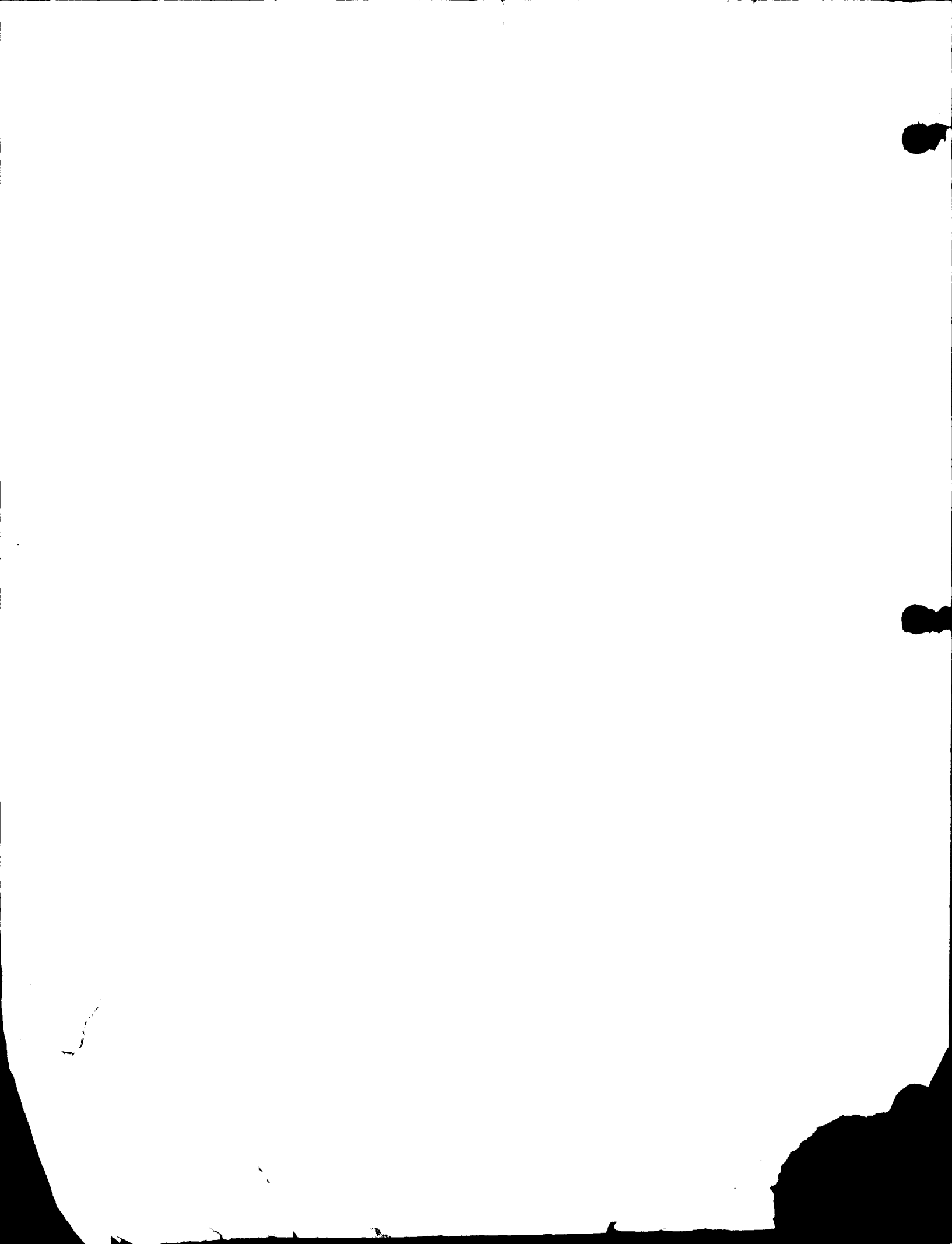
January 4, 1994

WILLY SHORT NAMED BIG TEN WRESTLER OF THE MONTH


Golden Gopher senior captain Willy Short has been named the Big Ten wrestler of the month for December. The 150-pound returning All-American currently boasts a 15-0 record with four pins for the 1993-94 season. He has won individual championships thus far at the Bison Open, Northern Open, and the Oregon Classic.

Short, who recently dropped down to his competing weight of 150, is ranked third at 158 pounds in the latest *Amateur Wrestling News*/National Wrestling Coaches Association poll. The Simley High School alum helped lead the Maroon and Gold's upset victory at the Oregon Classic on December 29. The ninth-ranked Golden Gophers dumped second-ranked Oregon State and 18 other squads to capture the team crown.

Short was 33-4 last season for the Golden Gophers while placing third in the NCAA Tournament at 150 pounds. The fifth-year senior's career record at Minnesota now stands at 98-28-6 heading into this Sunday's Big Ten Conference opener at 14th-ranked Wisconsin.



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The University of Minnesota department of Men's Athletics was notified today that hockey player Steve Magnusson has been declared academically ineligible for winter quarter of 1994. Magnusson competed in 16 of the Golden Gophers first 18 games this season. He will be unavailable for competition for all games during winter quarter starting with the Wisconsin series this weekend.

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Golden Gopher Events This Week

Friday, January 7

Gymnastics @ Michigan
6:00 p.m., Ann Arbor, Mich.

Saturday, January 8

Track and Field/Early Bird Open
U of M Field House, 11:00 a.m.

Swimming and Diving Gold Country Invite

U of M Aquatic Center, 11:00 a.m.

Hockey vs. Wisconsin 2:05 p.m.,
Mariucci Arena
MSC/KSTP-AM 1500

Basketball @ Northwestern
7:00 p.m., Evanston, Ill.
MSC/WCCO-AM 830

Gymnastics @ Michigan St.
East Lansing, Mich., 7:00 p.m.

Sunday, January 9

Wrestling @ Wisconsin
Madison, Wis., 1:30 p.m.

Hockey vs. Wisconsin 2:05 p.m.
Target Center
KSTP-AM 1500

1993-94 Basketball Schedule

Nov. 18	UM 70, RICE 61 (NIT)
Nov. 20	UM 91, GEORGIA 71 (NIT)
Nov. 24	UM 71, Kansas 75 (NIT)
Nov. 26	UM 76, No. Carolina, 90 (NIT)
Nov. 29	UM 107, MISS. VALLEY ST. 63
Dec. 1	UM 98, USA VERICH REPS 60
Dec. 3	UM 90, @ Middle Tenn. St. 76
Dec. 12	UM 87, TEAM MEXICO 76
Dec. 15	UM 73, CLEMSON 54
Dec. 19	UM 79, WESTERN CAROLINA 61
Dec. 23	UM 66, @ San Jose State 53
Dec. 28	UM 57, @ Virginia 62
Dec. 31	UM 73, JAMES MADISON 68
Jan. 3	UM 89, N.E. ILLINOIS 62
Jan. 8	@ Northwestern 7:00 p.m.
Jan. 12	WISCONSIN 7:00 p.m.
Jan. 15	@ Penn State 7:00 p.m.
Jan. 20	MICHIGAN 8:30 p.m.
Jan. 22	MICHIGAN STATE 2:00 p.m.
Jan. 26	@ Indiana 7:00 p.m.
Jan. 29	PURDUE Noon
Jan. 30	@ St. John's 11:00 a.m.
Feb. 2	@ Iowa 7:00 p.m.
Feb. 5	NORTHWESTERN 7:00 p.m.
Feb. 9	OHIO STATE 7:00 p.m.
Feb. 12	@ Wisconsin 1:00 p.m.
Feb. 16	PENN STATE 7:00 p.m.
Feb. 19	@ Michigan 11:00 a.m.
Feb. 23	@ Michigan State 7:00 p.m.
Feb. 27	INDIANA 1:00 p.m.
Mar. 3	@ Purdue 6:30 p.m.
Mar. 5	IOWA 7:00 p.m.
Mar. 9	@ Illinois 7:00 p.m.

Hotline

Call the Golden Gopher
Hotline (1-900-884-UOFM) for
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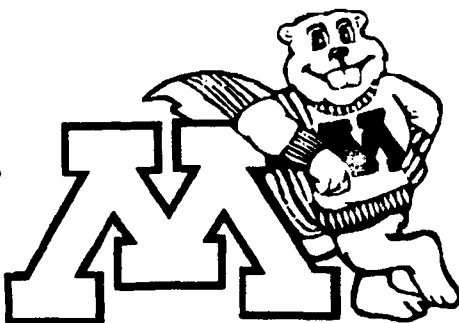
Big Ten FAX On Demand

Releases from all Big Ten
schools will be available this season. For more information, call
612-625-4090 or 708-696-1010.

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1993-94 Hockey Schedule

Oct. 22	UM 3, @ Colorado College 7
Oct. 23	UM 2, @ Colorado College 4
Oct. 27	UM 6, U.S. Olympic Team 7
Oct. 29	UM 2, @ St. Cloud State 3
Oct. 30	UM 4, ST. CLOUD STATE 4 (OT)
Nov. 5	UM 1, @ Northern Michigan 3
Nov. 6	UM 3, @ Northern Michigan 7
Nov. 12	UM 3, @ Minnesota-Duluth 1
Nov. 13	UM 3, @ Minnesota-Duluth 3 (OT)
Nov. 19	UM 3, DENVER 3 (OT)
Nov. 20	UM 5, DENVER 4
Nov. 26	WCHA/CCHA Challenge UM 0, Michigan 6
Nov. 27	UM 6, Michigan State 5
Dec. 11	UM 6, NORTH DAKOTA 5
Dec. 12	UM 3, NORTH DAKOTA 0
Dec. 17	UM 4, Alaska-Anchorage, 3
Dec. 18	UM 2, Alaska-Anchorage 7
Dec. 28	UM 2, RUSSIAN SELECTS 4
Dec. 31	Mariucci Classic UM 5, CORNELL 2
Jan. 1	UM 3, LAKE SUPERIOR ST. 4 (2OT)
Jan. 8	WISCONSIN 2:05 p.m.
Jan. 9	WISC. (Target Center) 2:05 p.m.
Jan. 14	MICHIGAN TECH 7:05 p.m.
Jan. 15	MICHIGAN TECH 7:05 p.m.
Jan. 21	@ Denver 8:05 p.m.
Jan. 22	@ Denver 8:05 p.m.
Jan. 28	NO. MICHIGAN 7:05 p.m.
Jan. 29	NO. MICHIGAN 7:05 p.m.
Feb. 5	UM-DULUTH 1:05 p.m.
Feb. 6	UM-DULUTH 1:05 p.m.
Feb. 11	@ North Dakota 7:35 p.m.
Feb. 12	@ North Dakota 7:35 p.m.
Feb. 18	ALASKA-ANCHORAGE 7:05 p.m.
Feb. 19	ALASKA-ANCHORAGE 7:05 p.m.
Feb. 25	@ Wisconsin 7:05 p.m.
Feb. 26	@ Wisconsin 7:05 p.m.
Mar. 4	ST. CLOUD STATE 7:05 p.m.
Mar. 5	@ St. Cloud State 7:05 p.m.
Mar. 12-13	WCHA First Round
Mar. 18-20	WCHA Playoff Championship
Mar. 26-27	NCAA Regionals
Mar. 31	NCAA Semifinals St. Paul, Minn.
April 2	NCAA Championship St. Paul, Minn.



BASKETBALL

GOLDEN GOPHERS OPEN BIG TEN SEASON AT NORTHWESTERN SATURDAY

Head Coach Clem Haskins' 19th-ranked Golden Gopher basketball team (9-3) will open the Big Ten campaign on Saturday at Northwestern. Game time at Welsh-Ryan Arena in Evanston, Ill., is 7:00 p.m. Prior to meeting the Golden Gophers, the Wildcats (9-0) will play host to 10th-ranked Purdue (11-0) on Wednesday in a clash of unbeaten.

Probable Starters:

F - #34 Randy Carter (6-8, Sr., Memphis, Tenn.)
F - #32 Jayson Walton (6-6, Jr., Dallas, Texas)
C - #12 John Thomas (6-9, Fr., Minneapolis, Minn.)
G - #21 Voshon Lenard (6-4, Jr., Detroit, Mich.)
G - #10 Arriel McDonald (6-3, Sr., Raleigh, N.C.)

Broadcast Coverage: The Northwestern game Saturday will be broadcast on the Midwest Sports Channel (MSC) with Dick Bremer on the play-by-play and Jim Dutcher as the analyst. WCCO-AM 830 is the exclusive radio voice of Golden Gopher basketball with Ray Christensen calling the action.

Coach Haskins: Clem Haskins put the appropriate finishing touches on his seventh season at the helm of the University of Minnesota basketball program by leading the Golden Gophers to the 1993 NIT title. After rebuilding the program in his first two seasons, he has now directed the Golden Gophers to post-season tournament action in four of the past five seasons. He has a record of 120-103 in eight seasons at Minnesota, and a 221-176 mark in 14 seasons overall. Haskins' success in post-season play is certainly no secret. He has an impressive 10-3 (5-2 NCAA; 5-1 NIT) record in post-season tournament action at Minnesota.

Lenard/Nzigamasabo Lead The Way: Voshon Lenard scored 17 points, and senior Ernest Nzigamasabo (Bujumbura, Burundi - Africa) added a season-high 13 of his own, to pace the Golden Gophers to an 89-62 win over Northeastern Illinois before 13,722 at Williams Arena Monday. Arriel McDonald (12) and junior Ryan Wolf (Martinsville, Ind.) (11) also scored in double figures.

Northwestern: Under the direction of first-year Head Coach Ricky Byrdsong, Northwestern capped an undefeated non-conference portion of its schedule with a 74-68 win over Rider in the title game of the Hatter Classic in Deland, Fla., on Dec. 30. Seniors Pat Baldwin (8.6 ppg/5.8 apg), Kip Kirkpatrick (14.9 ppg/3.2 rpg), Todd Leslie (16.1 ppg/4.6 rpg) and Kevin Rankin (17.3 ppg/8.7 rpg), along with junior Cedric Neloms (9.0 ppg/3.6 rpg), headline the returnees for the Wildcats. In his sixth season overall as a head coach, Byrdsong has compiled a 62-87 record.

The Series: Minnesota holds a 76-50 edge in the all-time series with Northwestern, which includes four straight wins at Welsh-Ryan Arena and nine straight victories overall. Last season, the Golden Gophers defeated the Wildcats 70-55 at Williams Arena on Jan. 23, and then 79-60 in the rematch at Welsh-Ryan Arena on Feb. 24.

Big Ten Openers: Clem Haskins heads into Saturday's game against Northwestern with a 3-4 record in Big Ten season openers. During his first season at the helm in 1986-87, the Golden Gophers topped Wisconsin 69-67 at Williams Arena. A 65-61 homecourt loss to Illinois in 1987-88, a 75-67 defeat at Wisconsin in 1988-89, a 91-74 victory over Illinois at home in 1989-90, a 72-62 loss at Wisconsin in 1990-91, and a 96-50 defeat at Indiana in 1991-92 followed, before the Golden Gophers beat Michigan State 64-57 at Williams Arena last year.

Walton Returns in Style: Jayson Walton returned to action against Virginia on Dec. 28 and scored eight points in 16 minutes of action. He then scored 16 points and collected a career-high 15 rebounds in 25 minutes in the win over James Madison on New Year's Eve, and had nine points and five boards in the victory over Northeastern Illinois Monday. After seeing limited playing time in the loss to Kansas in the Preseason NIT semifinals on Nov. 24, he had missed the team's next six games. He underwent arthroscopic surgery on his right knee on Dec. 7.

Injury Update: The Golden Gophers have already had their share of injury problems this season. Although Jayson Walton has returned to the lineup, junior Townsend Orr (Dolton, Ill.) did not play against Northeastern Illinois Monday after suffering an injury to his right forearm in practice Sunday. X-rays taken on the forearm and elbow were negative, and he is listed as day-to-day. Orr, who is averaging 10.3 points, 4.1 rebounds, 4.0 assists and a team-leading 1.7 steals a game, has been one of the team's best players this season. Redshirt freshman Trevor Winter (Slayton, Minn.), a 7-0, 250-pound center, suffered a broken bone in his left wrist during practice Nov. 13 and is expected to be out of action for at least two more weeks. He had surgery on Nov. 17.

1,000 Point Club: Voshon Lenard has moved into 17th-place on the all-time school scoring list with 1,114 points. Darry Mitchell (1978-82) is 16th with 1,182 points. Arriel McDonald is now 24th all-time with 1,044 points. Eric Hill (1968-71) is 23rd with 1,057 points. Randy Carter is also closing in on the coveted 1,000 point mark with 936 points going into Saturday's game at Northwestern.

Balanced Scoring: The Golden Gophers have six players averaging 9.7 points a game or better, and have had at least four players score in double figures in nine of 12 games this season.

Defense, Defense: Defense has been one of the keys to the Golden Gophers' success this season. Through 12 games, opponents are shooting just 41.1 percent (295 of 717) from the field. The team's stingy defense has held opponents to less than 40 percent shooting in six of 12 games. Only one team, defending NCAA champion North Carolina (50.9 percent, 29 of 57), has shot better than 50 percent from the field against the Golden Gophers.

Williams Arena: The Golden Gophers have registered an impressive 32-6 record (.842) over the past three seasons in Williams Arena, which includes a perfect 7-0 mark this season.

INCLUDES NON-LEAGUE GAMES

NAME	G	ST	TOTAL FG			3-PT FG			FREE THROWS			REBOUNDS			AVG	PF	DIS	AST	AVG			PTS	AVG		
			FG	FGA	PCT	FG	FGA	PCT	FT	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT					AST	TO	BLK			STL	MIN
Lenard	12	12	60	148	40.5	28	69	40.6	24	29	82.8	12	39	51	4.3	36	2	34	2.8	29	7	13	29	172	14.3
HIGHS:			PTS 21	vs North Carolina							RBS 8	vs NE ILLINOIS					AST 6	vs JAMES MADISON							
Carter	12	12	55	103	53.4	2	12	16.7	37	56	66.1	29	60	89	7.4	36	1	34	2.8	27	4	15	29	149	12.4
HIGHS:			PTS 27	vs Middle Tennessee Sta							RBS 13	vs Virginia					AST 6	vs WESTERN CAROLINA							
McDonald	12	12	42	94	44.7	9	30	30.0	29	40	72.5	10	21	31	2.6	15	0	53	4.4	28	1	19	26	122	10.2
HIGHS:			PTS 18	vs Virginia							RBS 5	vs CLEMSON					AST 8	vs WESTERN CAROLINA							
Grim	12	4	45	106	42.5	15	33	45.5	11	17	64.7	22	21	43	3.6	11	0	21	1.8	14	2	12	21	116	9.7
HIGHS:			PTS 15	vs North Carolina							RBS 7	vs CLEMSON					AST 5	vs MISSISSIPPI VALLEY S							
Orr	11	0	36	76	47.4	15	42	35.7	26	35	74.3	7	38	45	4.1	19	0	44	4.0	21	0	19	23	113	10.3
HIGHS:			PTS 16	vs Kansas							RBS 7	vs Middle Tennessee Sta					AST 9	vs MISSISSIPPI VALLEY S							
Kolander	12	10	32	70	45.7	0	0	.0	22	34	64.7	19	27	46	3.8	42	3	14	1.2	14	9	13	22	86	7.2
HIGHS:			PTS 13	vs North Carolina							RBS 7	vs San Jose State					AST 3	vs RICE							
Walton	6	5	25	52	48.1	0	0	.0	8	15	53.3	12	25	37	6.2	10	0	2	.3	12	1	4	21	58	9.7
HIGHS:			PTS 16	vs JAMES MADISON							RBS 15	vs JAMES MADISON					AST 2	vs JAMES MADISON							
Nzigamasabo	12	1	18	44	40.9	0	0	.0	7	7	100.0	26	17	43	3.6	22	0	14	1.2	13	4	6	16	43	3.6
HIGHS:			PTS 13	vs NE ILLINOIS							RBS 7	vs CLEMSON					AST 3	vs GEORGIA							
Thomas	11	2	17	43	39.5	0	0	.0	7	18	38.9	25	15	40	3.6	19	1	1	.1	6	1	1	12	41	3.7
HIGHS:			PTS 8	vs GEORGIA							RBS 8	vs San Jose State					AST 1	vs MISSISSIPPI VALLEY S							
Wolf	12	0	7	24	29.2	3	7	42.9	11	12	91.7	4	9	13	1.1	11	0	5	.4	8	1	0	6	28	2.3
HIGHS:			PTS 11	vs NE ILLINOIS							RBS 6	vs NE ILLINOIS					AST 3	vs Middle Tennessee Sta							
Baker	8	2	6	11	54.5	0	0	.0	2	4	50.0	4	8	12	1.5	5	0	0	.0	4	2	2	5	14	1.8
HIGHS:			PTS 10	vs MISSISSIPPI VALLEY S							RBS 7	vs MISSISSIPPI VALLEY S													
Crittenden	7	0	0	5	.0	0	2	.0	0	0	.0	0	0	0	.0	1	0	1	.1	1	0	0	1	0	.0
HIGHS:																	AST 1	vs GEORGIA							
TEAM														65	5.4										
TOTAL	12		343	776	44.2	72	195	36.9	184	267	68.9	170	345	515	42.9	227	7	223	18.6	181	32	104		942	78.5
HIGHS:			PTS 107	vs MISS. VALLEY STATE							RBS 58	vs MISS. VALLEY STATE					AST 31	vs MISS. VALLEY STATE							
OPPONENTS	12		295	717	41.1	62	211	29.4	144	231	62.3	149	287	436	36.3	241	6	153	12.8	206	53	76		796	66.3
HIGHS:			PTS 90	vs North Carolina							RBS 44	vs North Carolina					AST 23	vs Kansas							

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University of Minnesota BASKETBALL TEAM STATISTICS

UM	FG%	OPPONENT	OPP	FG%	HIGH SCORER	HIGH REBOUNDER	ATTEND	PLACE & DATE
70	35.0	RICE	61	46.2	18 Lenard	8 Walton	14,180	WILLIAMS ARENA (NIT) - Nov. 18
91	57.8	GEORGIA	71	37.7	20 Carter	6 Lenard	14,197	WILLIAMS ARENA (NIT) - Nov. 20
71	43.3	Kansas	75	49.1	16 Orr		13,470	New York, NY (NIT) - Nov. 24
76	37.5	North Carolina	90	50.9	21 Lenard		13,590	New York, NY (NIT) - Nov. 26
107	49.4	MISS. VALLEY STATE	63	38.2	16 Lenard	8 Carter	13,764	WILLIAMS ARENA - Nov. 29
					16 Carter			
90	56.1	M. Tennessee State	76	44.6	27 Carter	7 Lenard	4,400	Murfreesboro, TN - Dec. 3
						7 Orr		
73	40.3	CLEMSON	54	35.5	19 Lenard	11 Carter	13,686	WILLIAMS ARENA - Dec. 15
79	54.7	WESTERN CAROLINA	61	43.1	15 Lenard	8 Carter	13,505	WILLIAMS ARENA - Dec. 19
66	33.8	San Jose State	53	39.6	15 Grim		6,152	San Jose, CA - Dec. 23
57	36.1	Virginia	62	47.1	18 McDonald	13 Carter	8,457	Charlottesville, VA - Dec. 28
73	39.7	JAMES MADISON	68	39.3	16 Lenard	15 Walton	13,744	WILLIAMS ARENA - Dec. 31
					16 Walton			
89	48.4	NE ILLINOIS	62	28.8	17 Lenard	8 Lenard	13,722	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 3
		Northwestern						Evanston, IL - Jan. 8 (7:00 PM)
		WISCONSIN						WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 12 (7:00 PM)
		Penn State						Univ. Park, PA - Jan. 15 (7:00 PM)
		MICHIGAN						WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 20 (8:30 PM)
		MICHIGAN STATE						WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 22 (2:00 PM)
		Indiana						Bloomington, IN - Jan. 26 (7:00 PM)
		PURDUE						WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 29 (Noon)
		St. John's						New York, NY - Jan. 30 (11:00 AM)
		Iowa						Iowa City, IA - Feb. 2 (7:00 PM)
		NORTHWESTERN						WILLIAMS ARENA - Feb. 5 (7:00 PM)
		OHIO STATE						WILLIAMS ARENA - Feb. 9 (7:00 PM)
		Wisconsin						Madison, WI - Feb. 12 (1:00 PM)
		PENN STATE						WILLIAMS ARENA - Feb. 16 (7:00 PM)
		Michigan						Ann Arbor, MI - Feb. 19 (11:00 AM)
		Michigan State						E. Lansing, MI - Feb. 23 (7:00 PM)
		INDIANA						WILLIAMS ARENA - Feb. 27 (1:00 PM)
		Purdue						W. Lafayette, IN - Mar. 3 (6:30 PM)
		IOWA						WILLIAMS ARENA - Mar. 5 (7:00 PM)
		Illinois						Champaign, IL - Mar. 9 (7:00 PM)
TEAM RECORD		ALL GAMES	9- 3	75.0%				
		LEAGUE	0- 0					

GOLDEN GOPHERS RESUME WCHA ACTION WITH BORDER BATTLE AGAINST WISCONSIN

The University of Minnesota Golden Gophers return to WCHA action this weekend with the Border Battle against arch-rival Wisconsin. The Badgers and Gophers will face-off at Mariucci Arena in a sold-out affair on Saturday at 2:05 p.m. Sunday, the Border Battle heads to a new venue at the 18,000 seat Target Center in downtown Minneapolis. The game is slated for a 2:05 p.m. start, and as of January 3, there were under 400 tickets remaining.

Pre-Holiday Surge: The Maroon and Gold made a big turnaround just before the holiday break, to make up some valuable ground in the WCHA standings. Minnesota started the season 0-5-1, but since that point has registered a 7-3-2 mark and a 5-1-2 record in WCHA games. The Golden Gophers will be at the midway mark of the WCHA slate following the Wisconsin series. They are in sixth place heading into the weekend, but are only six points out of first place, and one point away from home ice in the first round of the WCHA playoffs. If they continue to improve as the second half progresses, the Golden Gophers could have a shot at the MacNaughton Cup. The series this weekend with co-leader Wisconsin is very big for the Maroon and Gold.

The Series: The Golden Gopher/Badger series is one of the best rivalries in all of college sports. The Minnesota and Wisconsin programs are arguably the two top programs in the country over the past 20 years. The two teams make regular appearances in the NCAA Tournament. Wisconsin has six straight, while the Golden Gophers have been to the NCAA Tournament nine consecutive times and an NCAA record 20 times overall. The all-time series is at 101-60-13, with the first game between the two teams played in Madison in 1922. The Maroon and Gold prevailed 3-0. The University of Wisconsin does not count the games played between 1921 and 1932 (when the sport was discontinued until 1965). Wisconsin has the series listed at 73-54-9 in favor of the Golden Gophers with the first meeting in January of 1965. Last year, the Golden Gophers gained only a 4-4 tie in the Border Battle, but rebounded to take three points in Madison in late February. They also beat the Badgers 3-2 in overtime in the WCHA playoffs in March.

About the Badgers: The Wisconsin Badgers were the pre-season pick to win the WCHA this season, and the main reason was the experience they had at all positions and the goaltending of Jim Carey, last year's WCHA Freshman of the Year. They have lived up to their billing so far and are tied for the WCHA lead two games away from the midway point of the season. They have been ranked in the top 10 most of the season and are coming off a big 3-2 win over WCHA co-leader Northern Michigan in the championship game of the Bank One Badger Showdown. The Cardinal and White took three of four possible points last year in the Border Battle, winning 3-2 at the Met Center, and then gaining a 4-4 overtime tie at Mariucci Arena.

Nielsen Ignites: Senior wing Jeff Nielsen (Grand Rapids, Minn.) has really picked up his game in the last three games. He had two goals and four assists in the Mariucci Classic and was named to the all-tournament team. He leads the Golden Gophers

in scoring with 10 goals and six assists. The newly formed line of Nielsen, Joe Dziedzic (Minneapolis, Minn.) and Tony Bianchi (Bloomington, Minn.) was the best line in the tournament and accounted for five of the eight Minnesota goals in the two games. Nielsen has outstanding speed and is a very physical player. He has the ability to take over the flow of a game with his play and will be a key cog in the Minnesota offense the rest of the way.

Mac on the Attack: All-American candidate Chris McAlpine (Roseville, Minn.) continues to prove that he is one of the top defensemen in the country. He completely dominated the defensive zone for the Golden Gophers over the weekend and was a unanimous pick for the all-tournament team. He scored a pair of goals, and added an assist, to bring his season totals to five goals and seven assists. He is on pace to become the all-time leading scoring defensemen at Minnesota and the all-time penalty leader as well. Those two stats indicate just how dominating he can be in both ends of the rink.

The Woog Report: Coach Woog has an impressive list of credentials, including eight consecutive NCAA Tournament berths. He has three WCHA Championships and has never finished lower than second place in the WCHA standings. Six of his eight teams have posted 30 or more wins. He is the winningest coach in the history of the program and he has one of the highest winning percentages of any college coach in the country. Woog has a 29-10-3 mark against Wisconsin, with a 19-6-2 mark in games played in the Twin Cities. If you take away Woog's 2-3 record in the Civic Center, and a 1-1 mark at the Met Center against the Badgers, you have an even more impressive 16-2-2 mark at Mariucci Arena. The Golden Gophers will be looking to extend that success into the new arena this year.

Golden Gophers on KSTP-AM 1500: The Golden Gophers signed a three-year contract with KSTP-AM 1500 over the summer that will greatly enhance the coverage of Minnesota hockey in the state. All games will be live on KSTP with former North Star broadcaster and NHL Hall of Famer, Al Shaver, calling the action. He will be joined by former Golden Gopher coach Glen Sonmor. KSTP's Rob Leer and former North Star Bobby Smith will also add to the coverage with special assignments.

Golden Gophers on MSC: The Golden Gophers inked another three-year deal this summer with Midwest Sports Channel that will have the Maroon and Gold on television a record 28 times, plus the playoffs. Frank Mazzocco and Tom Reid will call all the action on MSC. This weekend there will be television coverage at the Mariucci Arena game only.

Credentials: Any media wishing to cover Golden Gopher hockey during the 1993-94 season should write a credential request on company letterhead and mail or FAX it to the Men's Media Relations Office. We encourage out-state media who have been unable to cover Gopher hockey in the past, to come to the game. For credentials, FAX (612) 625-0359, or write U of M Men's Media Relations, 516 15th Ave. SE, Minneapolis, Minn. 55455. If there are any questions regarding Golden Gopher hockey, call (612) 625-4090 and ask for hockey contact, Bill Crumley.

1993-94 Minnesota HOCKEY STATS AFTER 18 GAMES

W-L-T	MN	OPP	OPPONENT	ATTEND	PLACE & DATE
L	3	7	Colorado College	2955	Colorado Springs, Co 10/22/93
L	2	4	Colorado College	2809	Colorado Springs, Co 10/23/93
L	2	3	St. Cloud State	6375	St. Cloud, Minn 10/29/93
T(OT)	4	4	ST. CLOUD STATE	9207	Mariucci Arena 7:05 10/30/93
L	1	3	Northern Michigan	3937	Marquette, Mich. 7:05 11/05/93
L	3	7	Northern Michigan	3937	Marquette, Mich. 7:05 11/06/93
W	3	1	UMD	5612	Duluth, Minn. 7:35 11/12/93
T(OT)	3	3	UMD	5612	Duluth, Minn. 7:05 11/13/93
T(OT)	3	3	DENVER	9149	Mariucci Arena 7:05 11/19/93
W	4	3	DENVER	9250	Mariucci Arena 7:35 11/20/93
L	0	6	Michigan	11531	Palace, Auburn Hills 11/26/93
W	6	5	Michigan State	13214	Palace Auburn Hills, 11/27/93
W	6	5	NORTH DAKOTA	9059	Mariucci Arena 7:05 12/11/93
W	3	0	NORTH DAKOTA	8661	Mariucci Arena 7:05 12/12/93
W	4	3	Alaska-Anchorage	6406	Anchorage 7:05 12/17/93
L	2	7	Alaska-Anchorage	6406	Anchorage 7:05 12/18/93
W	5	2	CORNELL	8879	Mariucci Arena, 4:05 12/31/93
L(OT)	3	4	LAKE SUPERIOR ST.	8869	Mariucci Arena 7:05 01/02/94

RECORD	HOME	ROAD	SEASON
LEAGUE	3- 0- 2	2- 6- 1	5- 6- 3
NON-LEAGUE	1- 1- 0	1- 1- 0	2- 2- 0
TOTAL	4- 1- 2	3- 7- 1	7- 8- 3

ATTENDANCE	HOME	ROAD	NEUTRAL
LEAGUE	45,326	44,049	0
OTHER	17,748	0	24,745
TOTAL	63,074	44,049	24,745
AVERAGE	9,010	4,894	12,372
TOTAL	131,868	TOTAL AVG	7,326

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POWER PLAYS	ATT	PPG	PCT	SH
Minnesota	106	14	.130	2
OPPONENTS	92	24	.260	2

HAT TRICKS FOR	0
SHORT HANDED FOR	2
Brian Bonin (1)	ST. CLOUD STATE 10/30/93
Greg Zwakman (1)	LAKE SUPERIOR ST. 01/02/94

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NO	NAME	OVERALL										LEAGUE ONLY						
		GP	G	A	PTS	PEN	MIN	PP	SH	HAT	WG	EN	GP	G	A	PTS	PEN	MIN
20	Jeff Nielsen, F	17	10	6	16	14	53	2	0	0	1	1	13	7	2	9	13	51
21	Brian Bonin, F	18	9	7	16	4	8	3	1	0	2	0	14	9	5	14	4	8
15	Steve Magnusson, F	16	2	12	14	8	16	0	0	0	1	0	12	1	12	13	6	12
04	Chris McAlpine, D	15	5	7	12	26	52	1	0	0	1	0	11	3	6	9	16	32
19	Justin McHugh, F	18	4	7	11	14	28	2	0	0	0	1	14	3	6	9	11	22
28	Tony Bianchi, F	15	2	9	11	5	10	1	0	0	1	0	11	2	3	5	3	6
18	Andy Brink, F	16	4	3	7	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	14	4	3	7	0	0
11	Bobby Dustin, F	15	4	2	6	6	12	0	0	0	0	0	11	3	2	5	5	10
09	Joe Dziedzic, F	6	3	3	6	6	12	1	0	0	0	0	4	2	2	4	5	10
17	Dave Larson, F	8	2	4	6	13	26	0	0	0	0	0	5	1	3	4	9	18
08	Eric Means, D	16	2	4	6	9	18	1	0	0	0	0	14	2	4	6	6	12
02	Greg Zwakman, D	18	2	4	6	7	14	0	1	0	0	0	14	1	2	3	4	8
05	Danny Trebil, D	18	0	6	6	7	14	0	0	0	0	0	14	0	3	3	6	12
27	Jed Fiebelkorn, F	16	4	1	5	16	33	1	0	0	0	0	12	2	1	3	10	21
06	Charlie Wasley, D	17	0	5	5	7	15	0	0	0	0	0	13	0	4	4	4	9
23	Dan Woog, F	14	0	4	4	14	37	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	3	3	13	35
29	Dan Hendrickson, F	18	2	1	3	17	34	0	0	0	0	0	14	2	1	3	14	28
33	Nick Checcho, F	17	1	2	3	5	18	0	0	0	0	0	14	1	2	3	2	4
12	Brian LaFleur, D	16	0	2	2	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	2	2	1	2
22	Jesse Bertogliat, F	6	1	0	1	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	3	6
35	Steve Green, G	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
26	Jim Hillman, F	2	0	0	0	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	4	8
03	Mike McAlpine, D	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
30	Jeff Moen, G	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0
25	Brent Godbout, F	9	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	1	2
24	John Hillman, F	9	0	0	0	7	22	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	6	20
31	Jeff Callinan, G	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	10	0	0	0	0	0
	Bench					2	4										2	4

Minnesota	18	57	89	146	197	446	14	2	0	7	4	14	43	66	109	148	340
OPPONENTS	18	71	108	179	212	477	24	2	2	7	1	14	53	81	134	167	371

NO	GOALIE	OVERALL										LEAGUE ONLY									
		W	L	T	GP	PER	MIN	GA	AVG	SAV	PCT	W	L	T	GP	PER	MIN	GA	AVG	SAV	PCT
35	Steve Green	0	0	0	1	1	8:13	0	0.00	1	1.000	0	0	0	1	1	8:13	0	0.00	11.000	
30	Jeff Moen	3	5	0	8	24	422:55	25	3.55	176	.876	2	4	0	6	16	297:20	16	3.23	132	.892
31	Jeff Callinan	4	3	3	12	36	666:8	44	3.96	260	.855	3	2	3	10	30	546:8	36	3.96	223	.861
Minnesota		7	8	3	18	59	1097:16	69	3.77	437	.863	5	6	3	14	45	851:41	52	3.66	356	.872
OPPONENTS		7	8	3	18	59	1098:20	60	3.28	439	.880	6	5	3	14	45	853:33	43	3.02	358	.893

	Minnesota					OPPONENTS				
	PERIOD	1	2	3	OT	TOTAL	1	2	3	OT
GOALS	20	20	17	0	57	21	24	24	1	70
SHOT ON GOAL	163	173	165	5	506	152	183	155	11	501
GOALIE SAVES	131	160	137	10	438	142	166	143	5	456
PENALTIES	42	82	71	1	196	55	79	75	3	212

WRESTLING

GOLDEN GOPHERS CAPTURE OREGON CLASSIC TITLE; OPEN BIG TEN SEASON AT WISCONSIN THIS WEEKEND

The University of Minnesota wrestling squad tuned up for the start of the Big Ten campaign by claiming the team championship at the Oregon Classic held last Wednesday in Portland, Ore. The ninth-ranked Golden Gophers ran away from the pack with 140.5 points, outclassing second-ranked Oregon State who came in second with 115.0 points.

In addition to the team crown, five Golden Gophers also garnered individual titles in their respective weight classes. Junior **Tim Harris** (126, St. Louis, Mo.), senior **Willy Short** (150, Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), sophomore **Wade Short** (158, Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), senior **Darren Andy** (190, Billings, Mont.), and sophomore **Billy Pierce** (Hwt, Minneapolis, Minn.), all brought home first place honors from the West Coast.

Finishing second for the Maroon and Gold were redshirt freshman **Brandon Paulson** (118, Anoka, Minn.), and senior **Brad Gibson** (177, Chokio, Minn.). Minnesota won the title despite having wrestlers compete at only nine of the 10 weight classes. The Golden Gophers did not wrestle at 167, as regular **Brett Colombini** (Jr., Redwood Valley, Calif.), was sidelined with the flu bug.

The Golden Gophers will open the Big Ten dual meet season by traveling to Madison, Wis., this Sunday to tangle with the Badgers. The meet is scheduled for a 1:30 p.m. start.

Robinson Pleased With Effort: Head Coach J Robinson was particularly pleased with his team's effort in the Oregon Classic. "It was a great effort by the team. We had seven out of our nine guys in the finals," Robinson said. "We responded very well to our loss at Fresno State, and the hard work we've put in over the break is starting to pay off. It was a good way to end 1993 as we look ahead to a challenging 1994."

Team Slips To Number Nine In Latest Poll: Due in large part to their 18-17 upset loss to Fresno State on December 12, the Golden Gophers dipped from fourth to ninth in the latest

Amateur Wrestling News/ National Wrestling Coaches Association poll. The victory at the Oregon Classic over the Beavers of Oregon State University, who were rated second in the nation, should help propel J Robinson's crew higher in the next poll, to be released on January 12.

Short Remains Perfect: Senior returning All-American Willy Short maintained his unblemished record on the season by defeating all four opponents on his way to the 150-pound championship in the Oregon Classic. The Simley High School alum raised his mark on the year to 15-0 (including unattached meets), and his career record to 98-28-6.

Gibson Impressive: Senior returning All-American Brad Gibson was perhaps one of the most impressive Golden Gophers in the Oregon Classic despite being runner-up at 177 pounds. The Chokio, Minn. native was 3-1, pinning two opponents, while dropping his only decision, 3-1, to Les Gutches of Oregon State. Gutches is currently the number one ranked 177-pounder in the country.

Pierce Continues To Roll: Sophomore heavyweight Billy Pierce, the number one ranked heavyweight in the nation, continued to dominate opponents in the Oregon Classic. Pierce racked up three more wins on his way to the title, while raising his season log to 17-2 with 11 pins.

Home Opener Slated For January 22: The first home wrestling meet of the season is scheduled for Saturday, January 22, when the Golden Gophers will host Northwestern and Illinois in a Big Ten triangular meet. The Wildcats will meet the Fighting Illini at noon in the new Sports Pavilion, followed by the Golden Gophers challenging the Wildcats at 2:00 p.m. The action will then move next door to Williams Arena for the 4:00 p.m. showdown between Minnesota and Illinois. The matchup will follow the men's basketball game in Williams Arena between the Golden Gophers and the Michigan State Spartans.

Tickets for the triangular will be good for all three matches and are priced at \$5 for adults and \$3 for students. For ticket information, call the Gopher ticket office at (612) 624-8080.

GYMNASTICS

GYMNASTICS TEAM HEADS TO THE STATE OF MICHIGAN THIS WEEKEND

The University of Minnesota men's gymnastics team opens the season in the state of Michigan this weekend. The Golden Gophers will take on the Michigan Wolverines at 6:00 p.m. in dual meet action on Friday, and then travel to Michigan State to take on the Spartans at 7:00 p.m. in dual meet action on Saturday.

Four letterwinners return this season for the Maroon & Gold, along with four newcomers; **Ryan Carns** (Grafton, Wis.), **Jeff Johnson** (Maple Grove, Minn.), **Frank Ticknor II** (Milwaukee, Wis.) and **Heath Wall** (Sterling Heights, Mich.). Minnesota's biggest challenge will be to replace the two top performers from last year, Rob Hanson and the nation's top-ranked gymnast last year, John Roethlisberger. Hanson and Roethlisberger were key components in the Golden Gophers' success throughout the past four seasons.


Senior co-captains **Bo Haun** (Springfield, Mo.) and **Brian Ottenhoff** (Kersey, Colorado) will provide the team with talent

and leadership throughout the season. Haun also placed 20th at the USA Championships, and is a favorite to be a top 10 all-around performer at the NCAA Championships. Ottenhoff will also provide leadership and experience, and is much improved after a strong summer of training.

Juniors **Kerry Huston** (Spring, Texas) and **Brian Yee** (Houston, Texas) are two of the top returning performers for the Maroon and Gold. Both will be team leaders in the scoring category. Huston, who placed eighth at the USA Championships this past summer, is the top-ranked collegiate gymnast on the USA National team and is a favorite to capture the all-around title at the Big Ten and the NCAA Championships. Yee also had a successful summer, placing second on the pommel horse and finishing 17th at the USA Championships. An All-American on the pommel horse two seasons ago, Yee looks to place high at both the Big Ten Championships and the NCAA Championships.

Next weekend, the Golden Gophers will take part in the two-day, 12-team Windy City Invitational in Chicago, Ill.

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WILLY SHORT NAMED BIG TEN WRESTLER OF THE MONTH

Golden Gopher senior captain Willy Short has been named the Big Ten wrestler of the month for December. The 150-pound returning All-American currently boasts a 15-0 record with four pins for the 1993-94 season. He has won individual championships thus far at the Bison Open, Northern Open, and the Oregon Classic.

Short, who recently dropped down to his competing weight of 150, is ranked third at 158 pounds in the latest *Amateur Wrestling News*/National Wrestling Coaches Association poll. The Simley High School alum helped lead the Maroon and Gold's upset victory at the Oregon Classic on December 29. The ninth-ranked Golden Gophers dumped second-ranked Oregon State and 18 other squads to capture the team crown.

Short was 33-4 last season for the Golden Gophers while placing third in the NCAA Tournament at 150 pounds. The fifth-year senior's career record at Minnesota now stands at 98-28-6 heading into this Sunday's Big Ten Conference opener at 14th-ranked Wisconsin.

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Golden Gopher Events This Week

Wednesday, January 12

Basketball vs. Wisconsin
7:00 p.m., Williams Arena
WCCO-TV/WCCO-AM 830

Friday, January 14

Gymnastics @ Windy City Invite
Chicago, Ill., All Day

Wrestling @ Virginia Duals
Norfolk, Va., All Day

Hockey vs. Michigan Tech
7:05 p.m., Mariucci Arena
MSC/KSTP-AM 1500

Saturday, January 15

Track and Field/Northwest Open
U of M Field House, 9:00 a.m.

Gymnastics @ Windy City Invite
Chicago, Ill., All Day

Wrestling @ Virginia Duals
Norfolk, Va., All Day

Swimming & Diving @ Kansas
1:00 p.m., Lawrence, Kan.

Hockey vs. Michigan Tech
7:05 p.m., Mariucci Arena
KSTP-AM 1500

Basketball @ Penn State
7:00 p.m., University Park, Pa.
MSC/WCCO-AM 830

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1993-94 Basketball Schedule

Nov. 18	UM 70, RICE 61 (NIT)
Nov. 20	UM 91, GEORGIA 71 (NIT)
Nov. 24	UM 71, Kansas 75 (NIT)
Nov. 26	UM 76, No. Carolina, 90 (NIT)
Nov. 29	UM 107, MISS. VALLEY ST. 63
Dec. 1	UM 98, USA VERICH REPS 60
Dec. 3	UM 90, @ Middle Tenn. St. 76
Dec. 12	UM 87, TEAM MEXICO 76
Dec. 15	UM 73, CLEMSON 54
Dec. 19	UM 79, WESTERN CAROLINA 61
Dec. 23	UM 66, @ San Jose State 53
Dec. 28	UM 57, @ Virginia 62
Dec. 31	UM 73, JAMES MADISON 68
Jan. 3	UM 89, N.E. ILLINOIS 62
Jan. 8	UM 73, Northwestern 65
Jan. 12	WISCONSIN 7:00 p.m.
Jan. 15	@ Penn State 7:00 p.m.
Jan. 20	MICHIGAN 8:30 p.m.
Jan. 22	MICHIGAN STATE 2:00 p.m.
Jan. 26	@ Indiana 7:00 p.m.
Jan. 29	PURDUE Noon
Jan. 30	@ St. John's 11:00 a.m.
Feb. 2	@ Iowa 7:00 p.m.
Feb. 5	NORTHWESTERN 7:00 p.m.
Feb. 9	OHIO STATE 7:00 p.m.
Feb. 12	@ Wisconsin 1:00 p.m.
Feb. 16	PENN STATE 7:00 p.m.
Feb. 19	@ Michigan 11:00 a.m.
Feb. 23	@ Michigan State 7:00 p.m.
Feb. 27	INDIANA 1:00 p.m.
Mar. 3	@ Purdue 6:30 p.m.
Mar. 5	IOWA 7:00 p.m.
Mar. 9	@ Illinois 7:00 p.m.

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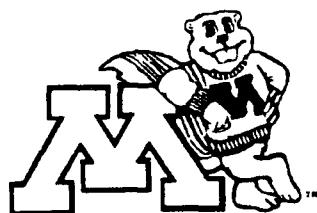
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Big Ten FAX On Demand

Releases from all Big Ten
schools will be available this season. For more information, call
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1993-94 Hockey Schedule

Oct. 22	UM 3, @ Colorado College 7
Oct. 23	UM 2, @ Colorado College 4
Oct. 27	UM 6, U.S. Olympic Team 7
Oct. 29	UM 2, @ St. Cloud State 3
Oct. 30	UM 4, ST. CLOUD STATE 4 (OT)
Nov. 5	UM 1, @ Northern Michigan 3
Nov. 6	UM 3, @ Northern Michigan 7
Nov. 12	UM 3, @ Minnesota-Duluth 1
Nov. 13	UM 3, @ Minnesota-Duluth 3 (OT)
Nov. 19	UM 3, DENVER 3 (OT)
Nov. 20	UM 5, DENVER 4
Nov. 26	WCHA/CCHA Challenge UM 0, Michigan 6
Nov. 27	UM 6, Michigan State 5
Dec. 11	UM 6, NORTH DAKOTA 5
Dec. 12	UM 3, NORTH DAKOTA 0
Dec. 17	UM 4, Alaska-Anchorage, 3
Dec. 18	UM 2, Alaska-Anchorage 7
Dec. 28	UM 2, RUSSIAN SELECTS 4
Dec. 31	Mariucci Classic UM 5, CORNELL 2
Jan. 1	UM 3, LAKE SUPERIOR ST. 4 (2OT)
Jan. 8	UM 5, WISCONSIN 2
Jan. 9	UM 4, WISCONSIN 3 (OT)
Jan. 14	MICHIGAN TECH 7:05 p.m.
Jan. 15	MICHIGAN TECH 7:05 p.m.
Jan. 21	@ Denver 8:05 p.m.
Jan. 22	@ Denver 8:05 p.m.
Jan. 28	NO. MICHIGAN 7:05 p.m.
Jan. 29	NO. MICHIGAN 7:05 p.m.
Feb. 5	UM-DULUTH 1:05 p.m.
Feb. 6	UM-DULUTH 1:05 p.m.
Feb. 11	@ North Dakota 7:35 p.m.
Feb. 12	@ North Dakota 7:35 p.m.
Feb. 18	ALASKA-ANCHORAGE 7:05 p.m.
Feb. 19	ALASKA-ANCHORAGE 7:05 p.m.
Feb. 25	@ Wisconsin 7:05 p.m.
Feb. 26	@ Wisconsin 7:05 p.m.
Mar. 4	ST. CLOUD STATE 7:05 p.m.
Mar. 5	@ St. Cloud State 7:05 p.m.
Mar. 12-13	WCHA First Round
Mar. 18-20	WCHA Playoff Championship
Mar. 26-27	NCAA Regionals
Mar. 31	NCAA Semifinals St. Paul, Minn.
April 2	NCAA Championship St. Paul, Minn.



GOLDEN GOPHERS HOST UNDEFEATED WISCONSIN WEDNESDAY; TRAVEL TO PENN STATE SATURDAY

Head Coach Clem Haskins' Golden Gopher basketball team (10-3, 1-0) will play host to the undefeated Wisconsin Badgers (11-0, 2-0) in the Big Ten home opener on Wednesday at Williams Arena, and then journey to State College, Pa., to meet the Penn State Nittany Lions (7-4, 0-2) on Saturday. Both games will begin at 7:00 p.m. (Central).

Probable Starters:

F - #34 **Randy Carter** (6-8, Sr., Memphis, Tenn.)

F - #32 **Jayson Walton** (6-6, Jr., Dallas, Texas)

C - #53 **Ernest Nzigamasabo**

(6-9, Sr., Bujumbura, Burundi - Africa)

G - #21 **Voshon Lenard** (6-4, Jr., Detroit, Mich.)

G - #10 **Arriel McDonald** (6-3, Sr., Raleigh, N.C.)

Broadcast Coverage: The Wisconsin game Wednesday will be broadcast on WCCO-TV, while Saturday's game at Penn State will air on the Midwest Sports Channel (MSC). Dick Bremer will handle the play-by-play duties and Jim Dutcher will be the analyst. WCCO-AM 830 is the exclusive radio voice of Golden Gopher basketball with Ray Christensen calling the action.

Coach Haskins: Clem Haskins put the appropriate finishing touches on his seventh season at the helm of the University of Minnesota basketball program by leading the Golden Gophers to the 1993 NIT title. After rebuilding the program in his first two seasons, he has now directed the Golden Gophers to post-season tournament action in four of the past five seasons. He has a record of 121-103 in eight seasons at Minnesota, and a 222-176 mark in 14 seasons overall. Haskins' success in post-season play is certainly no secret. He has an impressive 10-3 (5-2 NCAA; 5-1 NIT) record in post-season tournament action at Minnesota.

Lenard/Orr Lead The Way: Voshon Lenard scored 23 points, and junior **Townsend Orr** (Dolton, Ill.) added 18 of his own...season-highs for both...to pace the Golden Gophers to a 73-65 win over Northwestern in the Big Ten opener at Evanston, Ill., Saturday. Senior **Ernest Nzigamasabo** (Bujumbura, Burundi - Africa) made his second start of the season and the veteran frontcourt performer came through in style. He tallied 10 points and collected five rebounds in 21 minutes of action.

Wisconsin: Under the direction of second-year Head Coach Stu Jackson, Wisconsin will bring a perfect 11-0 record into Williams Arena Wednesday. Michael Finley, a silky-smooth 6-6 junior forward, is averaging 19.6 points and 6.9 rebounds a game this season. One of the Big Ten's finest playmakers, 6-0 senior guard Tracy Webster is averaging 13.9 points and a team-leading 6.0 assists a game. Highly-touted freshman Rashard Griffith has been as good as advertised...and then some. The 6-11, 265-pound center is averaging 16.6 points and a team-leading 9.3 rebounds a game. Jackson, who led the Badgers to a 14-14 overall mark and a berth in the NIT during his first season in Madison, brings a 25-14 overall mark into Wednesday's confrontation with the Golden Gophers.

Penn State: Penn State dropped a hard-fought 80-72 decision on the road to defending Big Ten champion Indiana Saturday to fall to 7-4 overall and 0-2 in the Big Ten. John Amaechi, a 6-10 junior center, leads the Nittany Lions in both scoring (16.1) and rebounding (8.8) this season. In his 11th season at Penn State, Head Coach Bruce Parkhill has a 154-148 record. He is 243-223 in his 17th season overall.

Series Records: Minnesota holds an 89-69 edge in the all-time series with Wisconsin, which includes a 58-24 advantage in games played in Minneapolis. In fact, the Golden Gophers have won 22 of the past 23 games against the Badgers at Williams Arena. Minnesota is a perfect 3-0 in the all-time series against Penn State.

Big Ten Home Openers: Clem Haskins Golden Gophers have become "Giant Killers" in past Big Ten home openers. Heading into Wednesday's game against undefeated and nationally-ranked Wisconsin, Haskins' squads have registered a 6-1 overall record in Big Ten home openers. During his first season at the helm in 1986-87, the Golden Gophers topped unranked Wisconsin 69-67 at Williams Arena. The Golden Gophers also defeated No. 5 Iowa 80-78 in 1988-89, No. 4 Illinois 91-74 in 1989-90, No. 22 Iowa 79-77 in 1990-91, No. 11 Michigan 73-64 in 1991-92, and then No. 14 Michigan State 64-57 at Williams Arena last January. The lone setback in a Big Ten home opener under Haskins was a 65-61 defeat to No. 19 Illinois in 1987-88.

Injury Update: Redshirt freshman **Trevor Winter** (Slayton, Minn.), a 7-0, 250-pound center, suffered a broken bone in his left wrist during practice Nov. 13 and is expected to be out of action for at least one more week. He had surgery on Nov. 17.

1,000 Point Club: Voshon Lenard has moved into 17th-place on the all-time school scoring list with 1,137 points. Darry Mitchell (1978-82) is 16th with 1,182 points. Arriel McDonald is 24th all-time with 1,052 points. Eric Hill (1968-71) is 23rd with 1,057 points. Randy Carter is also closing in on the coveted 1,000 point mark. He has scored 940 in his career.

Balanced Scoring: The Golden Gophers have six players averaging 8.9 points a game or better, and have had at least four players score in double figures in nine of 13 games this season.

Defense, Defense: Defense has been of the keys to the Golden Gophers' success this season. Through 13 games, opponents are shooting just 41.6 percent (321 of 772) from the field. The team's stingy defense has held opponents to less than 40 percent shooting in six of 13 games. Only one team, defending NCAA champion North Carolina (50.9 percent, 29 of 57), has shot better than 50 percent from the field against the Golden Gophers.

Williams Arena: The Golden Gophers have registered an impressive 32-6 record (.842) over the past three seasons in Williams Arena, which includes a perfect 7-0 mark this season.

Weekly Luncheons: A luncheon/news conference with Coach Clem Haskins will be held every Tuesday at Noon in the Williams Arena Club Room.

University of Minnesota BASKETBALL TEAM STATISTICS

INCLUDES LEAGUE GAMES & NON-LEAGUE GAMES

NAME	G	ST	TOTAL FG			3-PT FG			FREE THROWS			REBOUNDS			AVG	PF	DIS	AST	AVG			PTS	AVG		
			FG	FGA	PCT	FG	FGA	PCT	FT	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT					AST	TO	BLK			STL	MIN
Lenard HIGHS:	13	13	67	159	42.1	31	74	41.9	30	35	85.7	13	44	57	4.4	37	2	35	2.7	30	7	14	29	195	15.0
			PTS 23 vs Northwestern								RBS 8 vs NE ILLINOIS							AST 6 vs JAMES MADISON							
Carter HIGHS:	13	13	57	111	51.4	2	12	16.7	37	57	64.9	30	66	96	7.4	38	1	36	2.8	29	4	15	29	153	11.8
			PTS 27 vs Middle Tennessee Sta								RBS 13 vs Virginia							AST 6 vs WESTERN CAROLINA							
Orr HIGHS:	12	0	41	84	48.8	18	47	38.3	31	42	73.8	7	40	47	3.9	21	0	47	3.9	22	0	20	23	131	10.9
			PTS 18 vs Northwestern								RBS 7 vs Middle Tennessee Sta							AST 9 vs MISSISSIPPI VALLEY S							
McDonald HIGHS:	13	13	45	99	45.5	9	31	29.0	31	43	72.1	10	26	36	2.8	16	0	56	4.3	28	1	19	27	130	10.0
			PTS 18 vs Virginia								RBS 5 vs CLEMSON							AST 8 vs WESTERN CAROLINA							
Grim HIGHS:	13	4	45	107	42.1	15	33	45.5	11	17	64.7	22	21	43	3.3	12	0	21	1.6	14	2	12	19	116	8.9
			PTS 15 vs North Carolina								RBS 7 vs CLEMSON							AST 5 vs MISSISSIPPI VALLEY S							
Kolander HIGHS:	13	10	34	77	44.2	0	0	.0	22	34	64.7	20	28	48	3.7	42	3	15	1.2	14	9	14	22	90	6.9
			PTS 13 vs North Carolina								RBS 7 vs San Jose State							AST 3 vs RICE							
Walton HIGHS:	7	6	28	61	45.9	0	0	.0	8	15	53.3	13	30	43	6.1	11	0	4	.6	15	1	5	23	64	9.1
			PTS 16 vs JAMES MADISON								RBS 15 vs JAMES MADISON							AST 2 vs JAMES MADISON							
Nzigamasabo HIGHS:	13	2	22	53	41.5	0	0	.0	9	10	90.0	31	17	48	3.7	25	0	15	1.2	14	4	8	16	53	4.1
			PTS 13 vs NE ILLINOIS								RBS 7 vs CLEMSON							AST 3 vs GEORGIA							
Thomas HIGHS:	12	2	17	43	39.5	0	0	.0	7	18	38.9	25	15	40	3.3	20	1	1	.1	6	1	1	11	41	3.4
			PTS 8 vs GEORGIA								RBS 8 vs San Jose State							AST 1 vs MISSISSIPPI VALLEY S							
Wolf HIGHS:	12	0	7	24	29.2	3	7	42.9	11	12	91.7	4	9	13	1.1	11	0	5	.4	8	1	0	6	28	2.3
			PTS 11 vs NE ILLINOIS								RBS 6 vs NE ILLINOIS							AST 3 vs Middle Tennessee Sta							
Baker HIGHS:	8	2	6	11	54.5	0	0	.0	2	4	50.0	4	8	12	1.5	5	0	0	.0	4	2	2	5	14	1.8
			PTS 10 vs MISSISSIPPI VALLEY S								RBS 7 vs MISSISSIPPI VALLEY S														
Crittenden HIGHS:	7	0	0	5	.0	0	2	.0	0	0	.0	0	0	0	.0	1	0	1	.1	1	0	0	1	0	.0
																		AST 1 vs GEORGIA							
TEAM														68	5.2										
TOTAL	13		369	834	44.2	78	206	37.9	199	287	69.3	179	372	551	42.4	239	7	236	18.2	188	32	110		1015	78.1
HIGHS:			PTS 107 vs MISS. VALLEY STATE								RBS 58 vs MISS. VALLEY STATE							AST 31 vs MISS. VALLEY STATE							
OPPONENTS	13		321	772	41.6	70	232	30.2	149	240	62.1	155	312	467	35.9	261	7	171	13.2	218	55	78		861	66.2
HIGHS:			PTS 90 vs North Carolina								RBS 44 vs North Carolina							AST 23 vs Kansas							

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OPPONENTS
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UM	FG%	OPPONENT	OPP	FG%	HIGH SCORER	HIGH REBOUNDER	ATTEND	PLACE & DATE
70	35.0	RICE	61	46.2	18 Lenard	8 Walton	14,180	WILLIAMS ARENA (NIT) - Nov. 18
91	57.8	GEORGIA	71	37.7	20 Carter	6 Lenard	14,197	WILLIAMS ARENA (NIT) - Nov. 20
71	43.3	Kansas	75	49.1	16 Orr		13,470	New York, NY (NIT) - Nov. 24
76	37.5	North Carolina	90	50.9	21 Lenard		13,590	New York, NY (NIT) - Nov. 26
107	49.4	MISS. VALLEY STATE	63	38.2	16 Lenard 16 Carter	8 Carter	13,764	WILLIAMS ARENA - Nov. 29
90	56.1	M. Tennessee State	76	44.6	27 Carter	7 Lenard 7 Orr	4,400	Murfreesboro, TN - Dec. 3
73	40.3	CLEMSON	54	35.5	19 Lenard	11 Carter	13,686	WILLIAMS ARENA - Dec. 15
79	54.7	WESTERN CAROLINA	61	43.1	15 Lenard	8 Carter	13,505	WILLIAMS ARENA - Dec. 19
66	33.8	San Jose State	53	39.6	15 Grim		6,152	San Jose, CA - Dec. 23
57	36.1	Virginia	62	47.1	18 McDonald	13 Carter	8,457	Charlottesville, VA - Dec. 28
73	39.7	JAMES MADISON	68	39.3	16 Lenard 16 Walton	15 Walton	13,744	WILLIAMS ARENA - Dec. 31
89	48.4	NE ILLINOIS	62	28.8	17 Lenard	8 Lenard	13,722	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 3
73	44.8	Northwestern	65	47.3	23 Lenard	7 Carter	8,117	Evanston, IL - Jan. 8
		WISCONSIN						WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 12 (7:00 PM)
		Penn State						Univ. Park, PA - Jan. 15 (7:00 PM)
		MICHIGAN						WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 20 (8:30 PM)
		MICHIGAN STATE						WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 22 (2:00 PM)
		Indiana						Bloomington, IN - Jan. 26 (7:00 PM)
		PURDUE						WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 29 (Noon)
		St. John's						New York, NY - Jan. 30 (11:00 AM)
		Iowa						Iowa City, IA - Feb. 2 (7:00 PM)
		NORTHWESTERN						WILLIAMS ARENA - Feb. 5 (7:00 PM)
		OHIO STATE						WILLIAMS ARENA - Feb. 9 (7:00 PM)
		Wisconsin						Madison, WI - Feb. 12 (1:00 PM)
		PENN STATE						WILLIAMS ARENA - Feb. 16 (7:00 PM)
		Michigan						Ann Arbor, MI - Feb. 19 (11:00 AM)
		Michigan State						E. Lansing, MI - Feb. 23 (7:00 PM)
		INDIANA						WILLIAMS ARENA - Feb. 27 (1:00 PM)
		Purdue						W. Lafayette, IN - Mar. 3 (6:30 PM)
		IOWA						WILLIAMS ARENA - Mar. 5 (7:00 PM)
		Illinois						Champaign, IL - Mar. 9 (7:00 PM)
TEAM RECORD		ALL GAMES	10- 3	76.9%				
		LEAGUE	1- 0	100.0%				

GOLDEN GOPHERS SWEEP WISCONSIN AND CLIMB TO FIFTH; HOST MICHIGAN TECH THIS WEEKEND

The University of Minnesota ice hockey team continued its winning ways with an exciting two-game sweep of the Wisconsin Badgers this past weekend. The Golden Gophers defeated Wisconsin 5-2 at Mariucci Arena Saturday and followed it with a 4-3 overtime win before 17,109 fans at the Target Center on Sunday. The Golden Gophers (9-8-3, 7-6-3), climbed above the .500 mark for the first time this season with the overtime win. Minnesota has rebounded from a 0-5-1 start, by posting a 9-3-2 mark since that juncture, including a 7-1-2 WCHA mark that thrust them from the cellar of the WCHA into fifth place. They are just four points out of first place at the mid-way point of the WCHA schedule.

Nielsen/Dziedzic/Bianchi Line Ignites: The all-senior line of **Joe Dziedzic (Minneapolis, Minn.)**, **Jeff Nielsen (Grand Rapids, Minn.)**, and **Tony Bianchi (Bloomington, Minn.)** has really caught fire the past two weeks. Against the Badgers, they were the best line on the ice and accounted for three even strength goals against the number-two rated team in the country. Nielsen leads the team in goals scored with 12 and seven assists. Dziedzic has scored four goals and added three assists in the six games since he returned to the lineup. Dziedzic broke his arm in the second game of the year and was out for 12 games before returning for the Alaska-Anchorage series. Bianchi has quietly climbed to fourth in the scoring chart and now has two goals and 12 assists, three of which came against the Badgers.

Bonin Leads Teams In Scoring: Sophomore **Brian Bonin (White Bear Lake, Minn.)** has taken over the team's scoring lead with 10 goals and 12 assists. He had an outstanding weekend against the Badgers, scoring his 10th goal and assisting on four others, including both game winning goals. He is tied for the team lead in power play goals with three and has helped set up the forwards on his power play unit as well. **Andy Brink (Bemidji, Minn.)** and **Justin McHugh (Minnetonka, Minn.)** are on his unit and have three power play goals each. McHugh is now third on the team in scoring with six goals and nine assists.

McAlpine Attack: All-American candidate **Chris McAlpine (Sr., Roseville, Minn.)** is a force for the Golden Gophers. He is a dominant player in both ends of the rink. Last year, he was the second leading goal scorer from the blue line in the WCHA with 14 goals. If he equals his statistics of a year ago he will become the all-time leading goal-scoring defenseman at Minnesota as well as the leader in all-time penalty minutes. This year he has five goals and seven assists. He was injured in the first game of the Wisconsin series with a deep thigh bruise and missed the second game. His status is listed as probable for the Michigan Tech series. His play the past three weeks has been outstanding in both ends and if he continues to play at this level he will be a top candidate for All-America honors in the west.

Injury Update: The Golden Gophers suffered some injuries in the Wisconsin, the most serious of which was McAlpine's thigh. **Greg Zwakman (Edina, Minn.)** suffered a laceration on each elbow, but played through it on Sunday. **Brandon Steege (Richfield, Minn.)** has been out since the Hall of Fame game

with reoccurring headaches from a concussion and will be held out of contact for the season and red shirt this year. **Scott Bell (St. Paul, Minn.)** is already out for the year due to off-season back surgery. These two lettermen will be sorely missed this season.

Next Up: The Golden Gophers and Michigan Tech Huskies will clash this weekend in a pair of 7:05 p.m. games at Mariucci Arena Friday and Saturday night. The Maroon and Gold will be looking to avenge a 5-4 exhibition loss to the Huskies in the Hall of Fame Game at Mariucci last October 15. Michigan Tech is currently 7-12-4 overall, 5-7-4 in the WCHA after starting the year 4-1-2 in the WCHA. The Huskies 3-0 home victory over UMD allowed them to gain the split and their first WCHA win since a 4-0 home win over Wisconsin on November 12.

Solid Goaltending: The goaltending duo of **Jeff Moen (Roseville, Minn.)** and **Jeff Callinan (Minnetonka, Minn.)** have gradually developed into one of the best tandems in the WCHA. Callinan has a 5-3-3 record with a 3.80 GAA, while Moen has a 4-5-0 record and a 3.45 GAA which is in the top five in the WCHA. Moen has won three of his last four WCHA starts, including the 4-3 overtime win over Wisconsin when he stopped 32 of 35 shots, and has the team's only shutout (3-0 over North Dakota). Callinan is 4-0-2 in his last six WCHA starts, allowing only seventeen goals (2.83 per-game) in that span.

The Woog Report: Coach Woog has an impressive list of credentials, including eight consecutive NCAA Tournament berths. He has three WCHA Championships and has never finished lower than second place in the WCHA standings. Six of his eight teams have posted 30 or more wins. He is the winningest coach in the history of the program (259-105-22) and he has one of the highest winning percentages of any collegiate coaches in the country.

Golden Gophers on KSTP-AM 1500: The Golden Gophers signed a three-year contract with KSTP-AM 1500 over the summer that will greatly enhance the coverage of Minnesota hockey in the state. All games will be live on KSTP with former North Star broadcaster and NHL Hall of Famer, Al Shaver calling the action. He will be joined by former Golden Gopher coach Glen Sonmor. KSTP's Rob Leer and former North Star Bobby Smith will also add to the coverage with special assignments.

Golden Gophers on MSC: The Golden Gophers inked another three-year deal this summer with Midwest Sports Channel that will have the Maroon and Gold on television a record 28 times, plus the playoffs. Frank Mazzocco and Tom Reid will call all the action on MSC. The Friday night game is the only contest slated for television coverage.

Credentials: Any media wishing to cover Golden Gopher hockey during the 1993-94 season should write a credential request on company letterhead and mail or FAX it to the Men's Media Relations Office. We encourage out-state media who have been unable to cover Gopher hockey in the past, to come to the game. For credentials, FAX (612) 625-0359, or write U of M Men's Media Relations, 516 15th Ave. SE, Minneapolis, Minn. 55455. If there are any questions regarding Golden Gopher hockey, call (612) 625-4090 and ask for hockey contact, Bill Crumley.

1993-94 Minnesota HOCKEY STATS AFTER 20 GAMES

W-L-T	MN	OPP	OPPONENT	ATTEND	PLACE & DATE
L	3	7	Colorado College	2955	Colorado Springs, Co 10/22/93
L	2	4	Colorado College	2809	Colorado Springs, Co 10/23/93
L	2	3	St. Cloud State	6375	St. Cloud, Minn 10/29/93
T(OT)	4	4	ST. CLOUD STATE	9207	Mariucci Arena 7:05 10/30/93
L	1	3	Northern Michigan	3937	Marquette, Mich. 7:05 11/05/93
L	3	7	Northern Michigan	3937	Marquette, Mich. 7:05 11/06/93
W	3	1	UMD	5612	Duluth, Minn. 7:35 11/12/93
T(OT)	3	3	UMD	5612	Duluth, Minn. 7:05 11/13/93
T(OT)	3	3	DENVER	9149	Mariucci Arena 7:05 11/19/93
W	4	3	DENVER	9250	Mariucci Arena 7:35 11/20/93
L	0	6	Michigan	11531	Palace, Auburn Hills 11/26/93
W	6	5	Michigan State	13214	Palace Auburn Hills, 11/27/93
W	6	5	NORTH DAKOTA	9059	Mariucci Arena 7:05 12/11/93
W	3	0	NORTH DAKOTA	8661	Mariucci Arena 7:05 12/12/93
W	4	3	Alaska-Anchorage	6406	Anchorage 7:05 12/17/93
L	2	7	Alaska-Anchorage	6406	Anchorage 7:05 12/18/93
W	5	2	CORNELL	8879	Mariucci Arena, 4:05 12/31/93
L(OT)	3	4	LAKE SUPERIOR ST.	8869	Mariucci Arena 7:05 01/02/94
W	5	2	WISCONSIN	9195	Mariucci Arena 2:05 01/08/93
W(OT)	4	3	WISCONSIN	17109	Target Center 2:05 01/09/94

RECORD	HOME	ROAD	SEASON
LEAGUE	5- 0- 2	2- 6- 1	7- 6- 3
NON-LEAGUE	1- 1- 0	1- 1- 0	2- 2- 0
TOTAL	6- 1- 2	3- 7- 1	9- 8- 3

ATTENDANCE	HOME	ROAD	NEUTRAL
LEAGUE	71,630	44,049	0
OTHER	17,748	0	24,745
TOTAL	89,378	44,049	24,745
AVERAGE	9,930	4,894	12,372
TOTAL	158,172	TOTAL AVG	7,908

1993-94 Minnesota HOCKEY STATS AFTER 20 GAMES

POWER PLAYS	ATT	PPG	PCT	SH
Minnesota	114	16	.140	2
OPPONENTS	102	24	.240	2

HAT TRICKS FOR 0
 SHORT HANDED FOR 2
 Brian Bonin (1)
 Greg Zwakman (1)

ST. CLOUD STATE 10/30/93
 LAKE SUPERIOR ST. 01/02/94

1993-94 Minnesota HOCKEY STATS AFTER 20 GAMES

NO	NAME	OVERALL											LEAGUE ONLY					
		GP	G	A	PTS	PEN	MIN	PP	SH	HAT	WG	EN	GP	G	A	PTS	PEN	MIN
21	Brian Bonin, F	20	10	12	22	5	10	3	1	0	2	0	16	10	10	20	5	10
20	Jeff Nielsen, F	19	12	7	19	16	57	2	0	0	1	1	15	9	3	12	15	55
19	Justin McHugh, F	20	6	9	15	15	30	3	0	0	0	1	16	5	8	13	12	24
15	Steve Magnusson, F	16	2	12	14	8	16	0	0	0	1	0	12	1	12	13	6	12
28	Tony Bianchi, F	17	2	12	14	5	10	1	0	0	1	0	13	2	6	8	3	6
04	Chris McAlpine, D	16	5	7	12	26	52	1	0	0	1	0	12	3	6	9	16	32
18	Andy Brink, F	18	5	5	10	0	0	3	0	0	2	0	16	5	5	10	0	0
09	Joe Dziedzic, F	8	4	4	8	10	20	1	0	0	0	0	6	3	3	6	9	18
11	Bobby Dustin, F	17	5	2	7	7	14	0	0	0	0	0	13	4	2	6	6	12
17	Dave Larson, F	10	3	4	7	17	34	0	0	0	1	0	7	2	3	5	13	26
08	Eric Means, D	18	2	5	7	9	18	1	0	0	0	0	16	2	5	7	6	12
06	Charlie Wasley, D	19	0	7	7	8	17	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	6	6	5	11
27	Jed Fiebelkorn, F	18	4	2	6	17	35	1	0	0	0	0	14	2	2	4	11	23
02	Greg Zwakman, D	20	2	4	6	8	16	0	1	0	0	0	16	1	2	3	5	10
05	Danny Trebil, D	20	0	6	6	7	14	0	0	0	0	0	16	0	3	3	6	12
23	Dan Woog, F	17	0	4	4	14	37	0	0	0	0	0	13	0	3	3	13	35
29	Dan Hendrickson, F	20	2	1	3	18	36	0	0	0	0	0	16	2	1	3	15	30
33	Nick Checcho, F	19	1	2	3	5	18	0	0	0	0	0	16	1	2	3	2	4
12	Brian LaFleur, D	18	0	3	3	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	14	0	3	3	1	2
22	Jesse Bertogliat, F	6	1	0	1	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	3	6
35	Steve Green, G	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
26	Jim Hillman, F	2	0	0	0	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	4	8
03	Mike McAlpine, D	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0
30	Jeff Moen, G	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0
25	Brent Godbout, F	9	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	1	2
24	John Hillman, F	9	0	0	0	7	22	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	6	20
31	Jeff Callinan, G	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	0	0
	Bench					2	4										2	4

Minnesota	20	66	108	174	214	480	16	2	0	9	2	16	52	85	137	165	374
OPPONENTS	20	76	115	191	227	510	24	2	2	7	1	16	58	88	146	182	404

NO	GOALIE	OVERALL										LEAGUE ONLY									
		W	L	T	GP	PER	MIN	GA	AVG	SAV	PCT	W	L	T	GP	PER	MIN	GA	AVG	SAV	PCT
35	Steve Green	0	0	0	1	1	8:13	0	0.00	1	1.000	0	0	0	1	1	8:13	0	0.00	11.000	
30	Jeff Moen	4	5	0	9	28	486:1	28	3.46	208	.881	3	4	0	7	20	360:26	19	3.16	164	.896
31	Jeff Callinan	5	3	3	13	39	726:8	46	3.80	281	.859	4	2	3	11	33	606:8	38	3.76	244	.865
Minnesota		9	8	3	20	66	1220:22	74	3.64	490	.868	7	6	3	16	52	974:47	57	3.51	409	.877
OPPONENTS		7	10	3	20	66	1222:57	69	3.39	492	.877	6	7	3	16	52	978:10	52	3.19	411	.888

GOALS	Minnesota					OPPONENTS					
	PERIOD	1	2	3	OT	TOTAL	1	2	3	OT	TOTAL
		25	20	20	1	66	21	27	26	1	75
SHOT ON GOAL		182	198	182	10	572	170	208	170	11	559
GOALIE SAVES		149	182	150	10	491	152	191	157	9	509
PENALTIES		48	89	75	1	213	61	85	78	3	227

WRESTLING

GRAPPLERS OPEN WITH VICTORY; VIRGINIA DUALS UP THIS WEEKEND

The ninth-ranked University of Minnesota wrestling squad opened the Big Ten Conference dual meet season Sunday afternoon, defeating the 15th-ranked Wisconsin Badgers by the score of 28-18 in Madison, Wis. The Golden Gophers raised their overall dual meet record to 4-1 on the young season, while the Badgers dropped to 1-2 overall and 0-2 in the conference.

Senior **Brad Gibson** (177, Chokio, Minn.) made quick work of Wisconsin's Eric Rice, winning by fall at 1:27 of the first period. Winning matches by decision for the Maroon and Gold were junior **Tim Harris** (126, St. Louis, Mo.), senior **Willy Short** (150, Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), and freshman **Zac Taylor** (158, Sandpoint, Idaho). Minnesota received forfeits from the injury-stricken Badgers at 118 and heavyweight.

Both Minnesota and Wisconsin will travel to Hampton, Va. this weekend to participate in the Virginia Duals tournament. The Golden Gophers will resume their conference schedule on Saturday, January 22, when they host the Northwestern Wildcats and Illinois Fighting Illini in a triangular.

Results from the Wisconsin dual meet:

118--**Brandon Paulson** (MN) won by forfeit
126--**Tim Harris** (MN) dec. Rocco Marchionda (UW) 5-2
134--Ron Pieper (UW) dec. **Chris Berglin** (MN) 4-2
142--Ryan Lord (UW) dec. **Jeff Thompson** (MN) 3-2
150--**Willy Short** (MN) dec. Steve Best (UW) 12-4
158--**Zac Taylor** (MN) dec. Mike Dowell (UW) 9-3
167--Chris Walter (UW) default over **Wade Short** (MN) 3:17
177--**Brad Gibson** (MN) pinned Eric Rice (UW) 1:27
190--Keith Davidson (UW) pinned **Darren Andy** (MN) 3:46
HWT--**Billy Pierce** (MN) won by forfeit

Team Slips To Number Nine In Latest Poll: Due in large part to their 18-17 upset loss to Fresno State on December 12, the Golden Gophers dipped from fourth to ninth in the latest *Amateur Wrestling News*/National Wrestling Coaches Association poll. The victory at the Oregon Classic over the Beavers of Oregon State University, who were rated second in the nation, in addition to the road victory this past weekend against the 15th-ranked Badgers, should help propel J Robinson's crew higher in the next poll, to be released on Wednesday.

Short One Win Away From 100: Senior returning All-American Willy Short maintained his unblemished record on the season by defeating Steve Best of Wisconsin 12-4 on Sunday. The Simley High School alum raised his mark on the year to 16-0 (including unattached meets), and his career record to 99-28-6.

Gibson Sticking It To Opponents: Senior returning All-American Brad Gibson was perhaps one of the most impressive Golden Gophers in Badger Country. The Chokio, Minn. native pinned Eric Rice of Wisconsin in only 1:27, giving the 177-pounder three pins in his last four matches.

Home Opener Slated For January 22: The first home wrestling meet of the season is scheduled for Saturday, January 22, when the Golden Gophers will host Northwestern and Illinois in a Big Ten triangular meet. The Wildcats will meet the Fighting Illini at noon in the new Sports Pavilion, followed by the Golden Gophers challenging the Wildcats at 2:00 p.m. The action will then move next door to Williams Arena for the 4:00 p.m. showdown between Minnesota and Illinois. The matchup will follow the men's basketball game in Williams Arena between the Golden Gophers and the Michigan State Spartans.

Tickets for the triangular will be good for all three matches and are priced at \$5 for adults and \$3 for students. For ticket information, call the Gopher ticket office at (612) 624-8080.

TRACK & FIELD

TRACK & FIELD TEAM SET TO OPEN SEASON AT NORTHWEST OPEN SATURDAY

Head Coach Roy Griak's Golden Gopher track & field squad will open the 1994 indoor season when they host the Northwest Open on Saturday at the U of M Field House. The competition, which annually features some of the finest competitors in the Upper Midwest, is scheduled to get underway at 9:00 a.m.

Defending Champions: A number of Golden Gophers are defending Northwest Open champions. Sophomore **Chris Darkins** (Houston, Texas) in the 55 meters (6.31), sophomore **Jason Boon** (Cottage Grove, Minn.) in the 800 meters (1:56.16), junior **Jason Rathe** (Maple Grove, Minn.) in the 3,000 meters (8:31.20), junior **Adrian Ellis** (Racine, Wis.) in the triple jump (47-7 3/4), and senior **Matt Burns** (Cedar Rapids, Iowa) in the high jump (6-11), all return for the Golden Gophers this season after collecting individual titles in the competition a year ago.

A Season To Remember: The 1993 season will go down in the

books as one of the most successful in the history of the track & field program at the University of Minnesota. Led by **Martin Eriksson's** (Stockholm, Sweden) victory in the pole vault (18-0 1/2), the Golden Gophers finished sixth at the 1993 NCAA Indoor Championships...the program's best finish ever at the national indoor meet. Prior to the NCAA Championships, the Golden Gophers tallied a school record 77 points en route to a fourth-place finish at the Big Ten Indoor Championships. The team stayed on fire during the outdoor season, placing third at the Big Ten meet with a school record 102.5 points. Third is the program's best finish at the outdoor league championships since winning the team crown in 1968. In the classroom, Eriksson was honored on the GTE Academic All-America first-team, and Matt Burns was a third-team selection. In addition, a total of 10 Golden Gophers were selected to the Academic All-Big Ten Team.

Big Ten Indoor Championships: The Big Ten Indoor Championships will be held Feb. 25-26 at Ann Arbor, Mich. The Big Ten Outdoor Championships will take place May 21-22 at Madison, Wis.

SWIMMING & DIVING

GOLDEN GOPHER SWIMMING & DIVING TEAM WINS GOLD COUNTRY INVITATIONAL; KANSAS UP NEXT

The Golden Gopher men's swimming & diving team scored 1,368 points en route to top honors in the six team Gold Country Invitational last Saturday. St. Olaf finished second with 499 points, Gustavus third with 269.5, St. Cloud State fourth with 261.5, Mankato State fifth with 252, and Macalester sixth with 105 points.

Triple Threats: Minnesota won 16 of 17 events as seniors **Matt Brown (Beaverton, Ore.)** and **Paul Nelsen (Lincoln, Neb.)** were the Maroon & Gold's only triple winners. Nelsen took top honors in the 500 free (4:35.52), 100 butterfly (50.23) and 100 back (1:49.16). Brown touched first in 100 breast (57.60), 400 individual medley (4:03.46), and 200 butterfly (1:55.27).

Double Winners: Sophomore diver **P.J. Bogart (Mesa, Ariz.)** landed two individual victories with first place finishes in the both the one meter (520.88) and three meter (514.43) events.

Other Winners: Minnesota had seven single-event winners on the day and they included: 100 back - **Can Ergenekan (Beaverton, Ore.)** (55.17); 200 free - **Eric Jorgensen (Rochester, Minn.)** (1:45.25); 200 breast - **Mike Hinchcliffe (Elm Grove, Wis.)** (2:20.55); 50 free - **Matt Schlessman (Avon,**

Ohio) (21.54); 100 free - **Scott Walker (Muskegon, Mich.)** - (47.52); 200 individual medley - **Matt Eisenhuth (Lakewood, Colo.)** (1:56.46); 200 free - **Eric Jorgensen (Rochester, Minn.)** (1:45.25); 200 breast - **Mike Hinchcliffe (Elm Grove, Wis.)** - (2:20.55).

"This meet gave us an opportunity to evaluate our conditioning after the winter training trip," said Head Coach Dennis Dale. "The meet also gave us chance to see some of our younger athletes perform under meet conditions."

"Next weekend we will face a Kansas team that will test us the entire meet," said Dale. "They have great sprinters, outstanding distance swimmers, and good depth on their squad."

The Golden Gophers will take to the road next weekend when they face the Kansas Jayhawks in Lawrence, Kan. Meet time is scheduled for 1:00 p.m.

The University of Minnesota Men's Athletics Department and the men's swimming & diving program will host two of the nation's top swimming & diving events during 1994 — the Big Ten Championships on Feb. 24-26 and the NCAA Championships on March 24-26.

For ticket information on the men's championships in 1994, please contact the Golden Gopher ticket office at (612) 624-

GYMNASTICS

GYMNASTS DOWNED TWICE IN MICHIGAN; WINDY CITY INVITATIONAL UP NEXT

The Golden Gophers gymnastics team opened the season with two losses over the weekend to Big Ten foes. Minnesota lost to Michigan 274.80-272.70 in Ann Arbor and Michigan State 269.85-268.50 in East Lansing.


It marked the first time in the same year that both teams have defeated the Golden Gophers in dual meet action. The last time the Wolverines won was in 1982 (271.65-270.15) in Ann Arbor and for the Spartans it was 1974 (161.70-157.05) in East Lansing. Minnesota took top honors in nine of 12 events over the weekend.

Senior **Bo Haun (Springfield, Mo.)** led the way for Golden Gophers as he captured the all-around competition against Michigan State and also added victories on horizontal bar (9.55) and vault (9.30). Junior **Kerry Huston (Spring, Texas)** added victories on three events over the weekend. Huston won the floor exercise during both meets, and also added a victory on the vault against Michigan.

Freshman **Heath Wall (Sterling Heights, Mich.)**, competing in his first collegiate meet and junior **Brian Yee (Houston, Texas)** were the Maroon & Gold's single event winners against Michigan. Wall captured first place honors on the horizontal bar (9.50) and Yee on the parallel bars (9.40). On Saturday, Yee earned top honors on the pommel horse (9.60) and still rings (9.55).

The Golden Gophers will take to the road next weekend as they will compete in the Windy City Invitational in Chicago, Ill. Meet time is scheduled for 7:00 p.m. on Friday and 1:00 p.m. on Saturday.

"Both losses were tough for us this weekend, what we need to do is get some of our young kids in our lineup some experience (Wall, Weaver, Ticknor)," said Coach Fred Roethlisberger. "Kerry (Huston) was really unable to go for us this weekend except for vault and floor due to the injury to his hand and we lost Heath (Wall) Saturday night due to a muscle strain he suffered to his back on Friday night."



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GOLDEN GOPHER WRESTLERS EIGHTH IN LATEST POLL

The University of Minnesota wrestling squad has climbed to eighth in the nation in the latest *Amateur Wrestling News*/National Wrestling Coaches Association poll released on Wednesday. The Golden Gophers, who were ranked ninth in the previous ranking, knocked off previously second-ranked Oregon State in the Oregon Classic on December 29. The Beavers, who remain undefeated in dual meets, dropped to third. Seven Big Ten schools in all are represented in the top 20, led by the second-ranked Iowa Hawkeyes.

Individually, sophomore heavyweight Billy Pierce maintained his number one ranking, which he has held all season. Other Golden Gophers appearing in the top 10 individually were junior Tim Harris, fourth at 126 pounds; senior Willy Short, third at 158 pounds; and junior Brett Colombini, seventh at 177 pounds.

The Golden Gophers, who defeated 16th-ranked Wisconsin 28-18 last Sunday in Madison, Wis., will be traveling to Hampton, Va., to participate in the Virginia Duals this Friday and Saturday. The 16-team tournament includes six teams ranked in the top 25 nationally. The following is the top 20, followed by respective dual meet record in parenthesis, and total points received in the voting.

1. Oklahoma State (4-0) (14)	350
2. Iowa (2-0)	329
3. Oregon State (7-0)	323
4. Michigan (3-0)	297
5. Clarion (9-0)	290
6. North Carolina (3-0)	259
7. Penn State (2-3)	257
8. Minnesota (4-1)	253
9. Oklahoma (2-1)	245
10. Fresno State (4-1)	235
11. Nebraska (3-2)	227
12. Arizona State (2-1)	193
13. Iowa State (2-0)	187
14. Edinboro (3-0)	165
15. Clemson (5-1)	159
16. Wisconsin (1-2)	111
17. Syracuse (5-0)	94
18. Northwestern (2-0)	86
19. Army (6-0)	73
20. Indiana (3-1)	72

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UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA ANNOUNCES BASEBALL SEASON TICKET PACKAGE

The University of Minnesota unveiled its 1994 baseball season ticket package that will allow fans to purchase a season punch card good for 30 admissions, in contrast to the single-game ticket packages of previous years. The \$60 card, being offered for the first time, will enable fans to make a one-time purchase and will cut the average ticket price to \$2. The card is good for the Pro-Alumni Game and the Oscar Mayer Baseball Classic scheduled for the Metrodome, February 1, and March 4-6, respectively. The punch card, subject to availability, and single game tickets, can be purchased at the Gopher Athletic Ticket Sales Office in Mariucci Arena, in addition to at the Metrodome during the Pro-Alumni Game and the Oscar Mayer Classic.

The single-game ticket price for adult and student tickets to the Pro-Alumni game is \$6. There will be a two-for-one discount for people bringing in a cash register receipt from Rainbow Foods. All day tickets for the Oscar Mayer Classic are \$7 for adults and \$4 for high school students and younger. U of M students will gain free admittance to all non-conference games, including the Oscar Mayer Classic, with a student ID and current fee statement.

Prices for regular season games are \$5 for adults, \$3 for students, and children under 6 are admitted free. Call the Athletic Ticket Sales Office at 624-8080 for further information.

Note: University students will be admitted free with a fee statement and ID to the following games: Oscar Mayer Baseball Classic; Iowa State @ Metrodome, March 24; Kansas State @ Metrodome, March 25-27; St. Cloud State @ Metrodome, March 29; Creighton @ Metrodome, March 30; Mankato State @ Siebert Field, April 6; St. Olaf @ Siebert Field, April 19; North Dakota State @ Siebert Field, May 4; Concordia Moorhead @ Siebert Field, May 5; and UMD @ Siebert Field, May 11.

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HASKINS NEWS CONFERENCE SET FOR 2 P.M. TODAY AT WILLIAMS ARENA

University of Minnesota Head Men's Basketball Coach Clem Haskins will conduct a news conference at 2 p.m. (Central) today at Williams Arena (3rd floor Club Room), prior to the team's departure to Penn State. Players are NOT available.

Parking is available on the University Avenue (south end, same as for weekly media luncheons) side of Williams Arena.

Coach Haskins' complete news conference today will be available on the Golden Gopher Hotline (1-900-884-UOFM) by approximately 3 p.m. (Central).



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HEAD BASKETBALL COACH CLEM HASKINS COMMENTS ON THE POSSIBLE BOYCOTT

"At this stage we have not decided when we will boycott. We as coaches, both black and white, are in agreement that sooner or later we will boycott. At this time, we have not decided when, what game or where the boycott will take place."

"This is an issue that is not about fourteen scholarships. We as black coaches want to emphasize that it runs deeper than the scholarship limits. We (BCA) are not interested in just getting one more scholarship. There are many more issues involved in our decisions to stage a boycott. We are talking about more opportunities for blacks to be hired in administrative positions, more black female athletes as well as the issue of the restricted earnings coach. Most of these issues have never been addressed before and those are the types of topics we are talking about as well as the number of scholarships."

"We as coaches care about education; I feel my job as coach is just as important as a professor. We as coaches also educate our kids as well, but we just happen to be in the field of athletics."

(On Possible Player Walkouts)

"I think it would have to be up to individual coaches and players, and you have to understand that young people years ago would follow their (coaches) lead. Young people today are more educated and have a mind of their own. My players for example, if I were to boycott, would strongly support my decision on my boycotting. We (Minnesota) are not going to ask our players to boycott. I think when you are a leader and you are doing the right job and people believe in you, they will follow your lead. I want my players to be their own men and when that time comes, they will be able to make their own decision."

(On What Will The Boycott Accomplish)

"I think it will accomplish a lot of things. We will have brought the issue to the attention of the world, all the presidents, to let them know we as coaches are not talking about our little nest of eggs or just winning basketball games. We want them to take a look at the problems we have in this country. We are supposed to be able to help people, and to me, we are just taking opportunities away from people and when you take opportunities from young people there is something seriously wrong with that and people really need to take a look at that. We are not talking just about black youngsters, we are talking about all youngsters. This is an issue about people, and doing what is right, so that blacks as well as whites will have an opportunity to go to a university or college and get a free education."

(On Violation Of University Contract)

"It is not in violation of my contract with the University of Minnesota, we have checked it out. I have full support of my president and athletic director. I have had no indications that there will be any penalties if I decide to boycott."

For more information on Coach Haskins press conference, call the University of Minnesota hotline at 1-900-884-UOFM.

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Golden Gopher Events This Week

Thursday, January 20
Basketball vs. Michigan
8:30 p.m., Williams Arena
ESPN/WCCO-AM 830

Friday, January 21
Gymnastics vs. Iowa State
Sports Pavilion, 7:00 p.m.

Hockey @ Denver
8:05 p.m., Denver, Colo.
MSC/KSTP-AM 1500

Saturday, January 22
Basketball vs. Michigan St.
2:00 p.m., Williams Arena
WCCO-TV/WCCO-AM 830

Track and Field @ Wisconsin Invite
Madison, Wis., 9:00 a.m.

Wrestling vs. Northwestern/Illinois
Sports Pavilion, 2:00 p.m./
Williams Arena, 4:30 p.m.

Tennis vs. Iowa State
Burnsville, Minn., 6:30 p.m.

Hockey @ Denver
8:05 p.m., Denver, Colo.
MSC/KSTP-AM 1500

Sunday, January 23
Wrestling @ Purdue/Indiana
West Lafayette, Ind., 2:00 p.m./
Bloomington, Ind., 7:30 p.m.

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1993-94 Basketball Schedule

Nov. 18	UM 70, RICE 61 (NIT)
Nov. 20	UM 91, GEORGIA 71 (NIT)
Nov. 24	UM 71, Kansas 75 (NIT)
Nov. 26	UM 76, No. Carolina, 90 (NIT)
Nov. 29	UM 107, MISS. VALLEY ST. 63
Dec. 1	UM 98, USA VERICH REPS 60
Dec. 3	UM 90, @ Middle Tenn. St. 76
Dec. 12	UM 87, TEAM MEXICO 76
Dec. 15	UM 73, CLEMSON 54
Dec. 19	UM 79, WESTERN CAROLINA 61
Dec. 23	UM 66, @ San Jose State 53
Dec. 28	UM 57, @ Virginia 62
Dec. 31	UM 73, JAMES MADISON 68
Jan. 3	UM 89, N.E. ILLINOIS 62
Jan. 8	UM 73, @ Northwestern 65
Jan. 12	UM 90, WISCONSIN 53
Jan. 15	UM 67, @ Penn State 78
Jan. 20	MICHIGAN 8:30 p.m.
Jan. 22	MICHIGAN STATE 2:00 p.m.
Jan. 26	@ Indiana 7:00 p.m.
Jan. 29	PURDUE Noon
Jan. 30	@ St. John's 11:00 a.m.
Feb. 2	@ Iowa 7:00 p.m.
Feb. 5	NORTHWESTERN 7:00 p.m.
Feb. 9	OHIO STATE 7:00 p.m.
Feb. 12	@ Wisconsin 1:00 p.m.
Feb. 16	PENN STATE 7:00 p.m.
Feb. 19	@ Michigan 11:00 a.m.
Feb. 23	@ Michigan State 7:00 p.m.
Feb. 27	INDIANA 1:00 p.m.
Mar. 3	@ Purdue 6:30 p.m.
Mar. 5	IOWA 7:00 p.m.
Mar. 9	@ Illinois 7:00 p.m.

Hotline

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Big Ten FAX On Demand

Releases from all Big Ten
schools will be available this sea-
son. For more information, call
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1993-94 Hockey Schedule

Oct. 22	UM 3, @ Colorado College 7
Oct. 23	UM 2, @ Colorado College 4
Oct. 27	UM 6, U.S. Olympic Team 7
Oct. 29	UM 2, @ St. Cloud State 3
Oct. 30	UM 4, ST. CLOUD STATE 4 (OT)
Nov. 5	UM 1, @ Northern Michigan 3
Nov. 6	UM 3, @ Northern Michigan 7
Nov. 12	UM 3, @ Minnesota-Duluth 1
Nov. 13	UM 3, @ Minnesota-Duluth 3 (OT)
Nov. 19	UM 3, DENVER 3 (OT)
Nov. 20	UM 5, DENVER 4
Nov. 26	WCHA/CCHA Challenge UM 0, Michigan 6
Nov. 27	UM 6, Michigan State 5
Dec. 11	UM 6, NORTH DAKOTA 5
Dec. 12	UM 3, NORTH DAKOTA 0
Dec. 17	UM 4, Alaska-Anchorage, 3
Dec. 18	UM 2, Alaska-Anchorage 7
Dec. 28	UM 2, RUSSIAN SELECTS 4
Dec. 31	Mariucci Classic UM 5, CORNELL 2
Jan. 1	UM 3, LAKE SUPERIOR ST. 4 (2OT)
Jan. 8	UM 5, WISCONSIN 2
Jan. 9	UM 4, WISCONSIN 3 (OT)
Jan. 14	UM 3, MICHIGAN TECH 1
Jan. 15	UM 2, MICHIGAN TECH 1
Jan. 21	@ Denver 8:05 p.m.
Jan. 22	@ Denver 8:05 p.m.
Jan. 28	NO. MICHIGAN 7:05 p.m.
Jan. 29	NO. MICHIGAN 7:05 p.m.
Feb. 5	UM-DULUTH 1:05 p.m.
Feb. 6	UM-DULUTH 1:05 p.m.
Feb. 11	@ North Dakota 7:35 p.m.
Feb. 12	@ North Dakota 7:35 p.m.
Feb. 18	ALASKA-ANCHORAGE 7:05 p.m.
Feb. 19	ALASKA-ANCHORAGE 7:05 p.m.
Feb. 25	@ Wisconsin 7:05 p.m.
Feb. 26	@ Wisconsin 7:05 p.m.
Mar. 4	ST. CLOUD STATE 7:05 p.m.
Mar. 5	@ St. Cloud State 7:05 p.m.
Mar. 12-13	WCHA First Round
Mar. 18-20	WCHA Playoff Championship
Mar. 26-27	NCAA Regionals
Mar. 31	NCAA Semifinals St. Paul, Minn.
April 2	NCAA Championship St. Paul, Minn.



All times are Central zone and schedules are subject to change

GOLDEN GOPHERS PLAY HOST TO MICHIGAN AND MICHIGAN STATE THIS WEEK

Head Coach Clem Haskins' Golden Gopher basketball team (11-4, 2-1) will play host to Michigan (11-3, 3-1) in a game to be nationally-televised on ESPN at 8:30 p.m. Thursday, and then entertain Michigan State (11-5, 2-2) at 2:00 p.m. Saturday.

Probable Starters:

- F - #34 Randy Carter (6-8, Sr., Memphis, Tenn.)
- F - #32 Jayson Walton (6-6, Jr., Dallas, Texas)
- C - #53 Ernest Nzigamasabo (6-9, Sr., Bujumbura, Burundi - Africa)
- G - #21 Voshon Lenard (6-4, Jr., Detroit, Mich.)
- G - #10 Arriel McDonald (6-3, Sr., Raleigh, N.C.)

Broadcast Coverage: The Michigan game Thursday will be nationally-televised on ESPN. Bob Carpenter will handle the play-by-play duties and Dan Bonner will be the analyst. Saturday's game against Michigan State will be seen locally on WCCO-TV and is part of the Raycom Weekend package. John Rooney will do the play-by-play and Greg Kelser will be the analyst. WCCO-AM 830 is the exclusive radio voice of Golden Gopher basketball with Ray Christensen calling the action.

Coach Haskins: Clem Haskins put the appropriate finishing touches on his seventh season at the helm of the University of Minnesota basketball program by leading the Golden Gophers to the 1993 NIT title. After rebuilding the program in his first two seasons, he has now directed the Golden Gophers to post-season tournament action in four of the past five seasons. He has a record of 122-104 in eight seasons at Minnesota, and a 223-177 mark in 14 seasons overall. Haskins' success in post-season play is certainly no secret. He has an impressive 10-3 (5-2 NCAA; 5-1 NIT) record in post-season tournament action at Minnesota.

Up & Down Week: It would be an understatement to say that last week was an up and down one for the Golden Gophers. It started with a bang on Wednesday when Voshon Lenard scored 23 points, and Arriel McDonald registered a single-game school record 16 assists, to lead the 18th-ranked Golden Gophers to a 90-53 rout of previously undefeated and 12th-ranked Wisconsin before a sellout crowd of 14,413 at Williams Arena. It ended with a whimper when Penn State, behind 26 points from standout center John Amaechi, stunned the Golden Gophers 78-67 at Rec Hall in University Park, Pa. Lenard once again led the way with 20 points, but the Golden Gophers shot just 33 percent (20 of 60) from the field en route to the defeat.

Michigan: The Fab Five at Michigan is now the Fab Four, but one thing hasn't changed...Head Coach Steve Fisher once again has his Wolverines in the thick of things in the chase for the Big Ten title. Michigan, ranked No. 10 in the Jan. 10 AP national poll, fell to 11-3 overall and 3-1 in the Big Ten, with an 82-72 defeat on the road to defending league champion Indiana Sunday. Junior Jalen Rose, a teammate of Minnesota's Voshon Lenard at Detroit Southwestern High School where they led the school to back-to-back state crowns, leads the Wolverines in scoring with an average of 21.1 points a game. He is also aver-

aging 6.1 rebounds and 3.2 assists. Fellow juniors and Fab Four members Juwan Howard (18.3), Jimmy King (13.8) and Ray Jackson (11.4) are also averaging in double digits this season. Howard leads the team in rebounding with 8.1 boards a game. In his fifth full season at the helm, Fisher has logged an impressive 110-40 record, which includes the 1989 NCAA title, and NCAA runner-up finishes in each of the past two seasons.

Michigan State: Behind 21 points and 11 rebounds from 6-9 senior forward/center Anthony Miller, Michigan State upped its record to 11-5 overall and 2-2 in the Big Ten with a 67-46 win at home over Northwestern last Saturday. The Spartans are led by Shawn Respert, a 6-3 junior guard, who is averaging 22.7 points a game. In his 18th season at Michigan State, Head Coach Jud Heathcote has charted a 309-207 record, which includes the 1979 NCAA title. He is 389-260 in his 23rd season overall. Prior to meeting the Golden Gophers, the Spartans will entertain Wisconsin on Wednesday.

Series Records: Michigan holds a 65-50 edge in the all-time series with Minnesota. The Wolverines have won three of the past four games at Williams Arena. Minnesota leads 47-36 in the all-time series with Michigan State, which includes a 31-12 advantage over the Spartans in games played in Minneapolis.

1,000 Point Club: Voshon Lenard is ranked 17th on the all-time school scoring list with 1,180 points. Darryl Mitchell (1978-82) is 16th with 1,182 points, and Archie Clark (1963-66) is 15th with 1,199 points. Arriel McDonald is now 20th with 1,076 career points. George Kline (1954-58) is 19th with 1,096 points. Randy Carter is also closing in on the coveted 1,000 point mark with 962 points entering this week's action.

Balanced Scoring: The Golden Gophers have six players averaging 8.1 points a game or better, and have had at least four players score in double figures in 10 of 15 games this season. A total of nine players are averaging at least 10 minutes per game.

Defense, Defense: Defense has been of the keys to the Golden Gophers' success this season. Through 15 games, opponents are shooting just 41.9 percent from the field. The team's stingy defense has held opponents to less than 40 percent shooting in six of 15 games. Only one team, defending NCAA champion North Carolina (50.9 percent, 29 of 57), has shot better than 50 percent from the field against the Golden Gophers. Prior to giving up 78 points in last Saturday's loss at Penn State, the Golden Gophers had kept opponents under the 70-point mark in eight straight games.

Williams Arena: The Golden Gophers have registered an impressive 33-6 record (.846) over the past three seasons in Williams Arena, which includes a perfect 8-0 mark this season. The Golden Gophers' average margin of victory at home this season is 22.4 points.

Weekly Luncheons: A luncheon/news conference with Coach Clem Haskins will be held every Tuesday at Noon in the Williams Arena Club Room.

NAME	INCLUDES LEAGUE GAMES & NON-LEAGUE GAMES																								
	G	ST	TOTAL FG			3-PT FG			FREE THROWS			REBOUNDS			AVG			AVG							
		FG	FGA	PCT	FG	FGA	PCT	FT	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	DIS	AST	AST	TO	BLK	STL	MIN	PTS	AVG	
Lenard	15	15	81	187	43.3	39	92	42.4	37	42	88.1	16	46	62	4.1	43	2	36	2.4	33	8	16	29	238	15.9
HIGHS:			PTS 23	vs Northwestern							RBS 8	vs NE ILLINOIS					AST 6	vs JAMES MADISON							
Carter	15	15	66	135	48.9	2	12	16.7	41	64	64.1	36	71	107	7.1	45	2	40	2.7	34	4	15	30	175	11.7
HIGHS:			PTS 27	vs Middle Tennessee Sta							RBS 13	vs Virginia					AST 6	vs WESTERN CAROLINA							
McDonald	15	15	54	116	46.6	10	34	29.4	36	48	75.0	11	27	38	2.5	21	1	75	5.0	33	1	25	27	154	10.3
HIGHS:			PTS 18	vs Virginia							RBS 5	vs CLEMSON					AST 16	vs WISCONSIN							
Orr	14	0	44	95	46.3	18	52	34.6	33	46	71.7	7	42	49	3.5	22	0	53	3.8	23	0	25	22	139	9.9
HIGHS:			PTS 18	vs Northwestern							RBS 7	vs Middle Tennessee Sta					AST 9	vs MISSISSIPPI VALLEY S							
Grim	15	4	51	121	42.1	18	38	47.4	11	17	64.7	24	29	53	3.5	16	0	23	1.5	15	3	13	19	131	8.7
HIGHS:			PTS 15	vs North Carolina							RBS 7	vs CLEMSON					AST 5	vs MISSISSIPPI VALLEY S							
Kolander	15	10	38	84	45.2	0	0	.0	34	49	69.4	27	34	61	4.1	49	4	17	1.1	16	9	17	21	110	7.3
HIGHS:			PTS 15	vs Penn State							RBS 8	vs Penn State					AST 3	vs RICE							
Walton	9	8	32	69	46.4	0	0	.0	9	17	52.9	14	35	49	5.4	14	0	8	.9	16	2	8	22	73	8.1
HIGHS:			PTS 16	vs JAMES MADISON							RBS 15	vs JAMES MADISON					AST 2	vs JAMES MADISON							
Nzigamasabo	15	4	27	62	43.5	0	0	.0	9	14	64.3	35	23	58	3.9	31	0	16	1.1	17	6	8	16	63	4.2
HIGHS:			PTS 13	vs NE ILLINOIS							RBS 7	vs CLEMSON					AST 3	vs GEORGIA							
Thomas	14	2	17	44	38.6	0	0	.0	9	20	45.0	27	17	44	3.1	21	1	1	.1	6	2	1	10	43	3.1
HIGHS:			PTS 8	vs GEORGIA							RBS 8	vs San Jose State					AST 1	vs MISSISSIPPI VALLEY S							
Wolf	14	0	7	25	28.0	3	7	42.9	11	12	91.7	6	9	15	1.1	12	0	5	.4	8	1	0	6	28	2.0
HIGHS:			PTS 11	vs NE ILLINOIS							RBS 6	vs NE ILLINOIS					AST 3	vs Middle Tennessee Sta							
Baker	8	2	6	11	54.5	0	0	.0	2	4	50.0	4	8	12	1.5	5	0	0	.0	4	2	2	5	14	1.8
HIGHS:			PTS 10	vs MISSISSIPPI VALLEY S							RBS 7	vs MISSISSIPPI VALLEY S													
Winter	2	0	2	2	100.0	0	0	.0	0	0	.0	0	1	1	.5	1	0	0	.0	1	0	0	4	4	2.0
HIGHS:			PTS 4	vs WISCONSIN							RBS 1	vs Penn State													
Crittenden	8	0	0	5	.0	0	2	.0	0	2	.0	0	1	1	.1	1	0	2	.3	1	0	0	1	0	.0
HIGHS:											RBS 1	vs WISCONSIN					AST 1	vs GEORGIA							
TEAM														72	4.8										5
TOTAL	15		425	956	44.5	90	237	38.0	232	335	69.3	207	415	622	41.5	281	10	276	18.4	212	38	130		1172	78.1
HIGHS:			PTS 107	vs MISS. VALLEY STATE							RBS 58	vs MISS. VALLEY STATE					AST 31	vs MISS. VALLEY STATE							
OPPONENTS	15		362	864	41.9	80	262	30.5	188	301	62.5	173	360	533	35.5	304	10	192	12.8	255	64	89		992	66.1
HIGHS:			PTS 90	vs North Carolina							RBS 44	vs North Carolina					AST 23	vs Kansas							

INCLUDES LEAGUE GAMES

NAME	G	ST	TOTAL FG			3-PT FG			FREE THROWS			REBOUNDS			PF	DIS	AST	AVG			AVG							
			FG	FGA	PCT	FG	FGA	PCT	FT	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT				AVG	TO	BLK	STL	MIN	PTS	AVG				
Lenard HIGHS:	3	3	21	39	53.8	11	23	47.8	13	13	100.0	4	7	11	3.7	7	0	2	.7	4	1	3	29	66	22.0			
	PTS 23 vs Northwestern						RBS 6 vs Northwestern						AST 1 vs Northwestern															
McDonald HIGHS:	3	3	12	22	54.5	1	4	25.0	7	8	87.5	1	6	7	2.3	6	1	22	7.3	5	0	6	33	32	10.7			
	PTS 12 vs WISCONSIN						RBS 5 vs Northwestern						AST 16 vs WISCONSIN															
Carter HIGHS:	3	3	11	32	34.4	0	0	.0	4	8	50.0	7	11	18	6.0	9	1	6	2.0	7	0	0	31	26	8.7			
	PTS 13 vs WISCONSIN						RBS 7 vs Northwestern						AST 3 vs WISCONSIN															
Orr HIGHS:	3	0	8	19	42.1	3	10	30.0	7	11	63.6	0	4	4	1.3	3	0	9	3.0	2	0	6	21	26	8.7			
	PTS 18 vs Northwestern						RBS 2 vs Northwestern						AST 4 vs WISCONSIN															
Kolander HIGHS:	3	0	6	14	42.9	0	0	.0	12	15	80.0	8	7	15	5.0	7	1	3	1.0	2	0	4	20	24	8.0			
	PTS 15 vs Penn State						RBS 8 vs Penn State						AST 2 vs WISCONSIN															
Nzigamasabo HIGHS:	3	3	9	18	50.0	0	0	.0	2	7	28.6	9	6	15	5.0	9	0	2	.7	4	2	2	19	20	6.7			
	PTS 10 vs Northwestern						RBS 5 vs Northwestern						AST 1 vs Northwestern															
Walton HIGHS:	3	3	7	17	41.2	0	0	.0	1	2	50.0	2	10	12	4.0	4	0	6	2.0	4	1	4	23	15	5.0			
	PTS 6 vs Northwestern						RBS 6 vs Northwestern						AST 2 vs Northwestern															
Grim HIGHS:	3	0	6	15	40.0	3	5	60.0	0	0	.0	2	8	10	3.3	5	0	2	.7	1	1	1	12	15	5.0			
	PTS 13 vs WISCONSIN						RBS 7 vs WISCONSIN						AST 1 vs WISCONSIN															
Winter HIGHS:	2	0	2	2	100.0	0	0	.0	0	0	.0	0	1	1	.5	1	0	0	.0	1	0	0	4	4	2.0			
	PTS 4 vs WISCONSIN						RBS 1 vs Penn State																					
Thomas HIGHS:	3	0	0	1	.0	0	0	.0	2	2	100.0	2	2	4	1.3	2	0	0	.0	0	1	0	4	2	.7			
	PTS 2 vs Penn State						RBS 3 vs Penn State																					
Crittenden HIGHS:	1	0	0	0	.0	0	0	.0	0	2	.0	0	1	1	1.0	0	0	1	1.0	0	0	0	1	0	.0			
							RBS 1 vs WISCONSIN						AST 1 vs WISCONSIN															
Wolf HIGHS:	2	0	0	1	.0	0	0	.0	0	0	.0	2	0	2	1.0	1	0	0	.0	0	0	0	3	0	.0			
							RBS 2 vs WISCONSIN																					
TEAM														7	2.3													
TOTAL	3	82		180	45.6	18	42	42.9	48	68	70.6	37	70	107	35.7	54	3	53	17.7	32	6	26	230	76.7				
HIGHS:	PTS 90 vs WISCONSIN						RBS 37 vs Penn State						AST 30 vs WISCONSIN															
OPPONENTS	3	67		147	45.6	18	51	35.3	44	70	62.9	24	73	97	32.3	63	4	39	13.0	49	11	13	196	65.3				
HIGHS:	PTS 78 vs Penn State						RBS 37 vs Penn State						AST 18 vs Northwestern															

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University of Minnesota BASKETBALL TEAM STATISTICS

UM	FG%	OPPONENT	OPP	FG%	HIGH SCORER	HIGH REBOUNDER	ATTEND	PLACE & DATE
70	35.0	RICE	61	46.2	18 Lenard	8 Walton	14,180	WILLIAMS ARENA (NIT) - Nov. 18
91	57.8	GEORGIA	71	37.7	20 Carter	6 Lenard	14,197	WILLIAMS ARENA (NIT) - Nov. 20
71	43.3	Kansas	75	49.1	16 Orr		13,470	New York, NY (NIT) - Nov. 24
76	37.5	North Carolina	90	50.9	21 Lenard		13,590	New York, NY (NIT) - Nov. 26
107	49.4	MISS. VALLEY STATE	63	38.2	16 Lenard	8 Carter	13,764	WILLIAMS ARENA - Nov. 29
					16 Carter			
90	56.1	M. Tennessee State	76	44.6	27 Carter	7 Lenard	4,400	Murfreesboro, TN - Dec. 3
						7 Orr		
73	40.3	CLEMSON	54	35.5	19 Lenard	11 Carter	13,686	WILLIAMS ARENA - Dec. 15
79	54.7	WESTERN CAROLINA	61	43.1	15 Lenard	8 Carter	13,505	WILLIAMS ARENA - Dec. 19
66	33.8	San Jose State	53	39.6	15 Grim		6,152	San Jose, CA - Dec. 23
57	36.1	Virginia	62	47.1	18 McDonald	13 Carter	8,457	Charlottesville, VA - Dec. 28
73	39.7	JAMES MADISON	68	39.3	16 Lenard	15 Walton	13,744	WILLIAMS ARENA - Dec. 31
					16 Walton			
89	48.4	NE ILLINOIS	62	28.8	17 Lenard	8 Lenard	13,722	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 3
73	44.8	Northwestern	65	47.3	23 Lenard	7 Carter	8,117	Evanston, IL - Jan. 8
90	58.1	WISCONSIN	53	40.8	23 Lenard	7 Grim	14,413	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 12
67	33.3	Penn State	78	48.8	20 Lenard	8 Kolander	7,306	Univ. Park, PA - Jan. 15
		MICHIGAN						WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 20 (8:30 PM)
		MICHIGAN STATE						WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 22 (2:00 PM)
		Indiana						Bloomington, IN - Jan. 26 (7:00 PM)
		PURDUE						WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 29 (Noon)
		St. John's						New York, NY - Jan. 30 (11:00 AM)
		Iowa						Iowa City, IA - Feb. 2 (7:00 PM)
		NORTHWESTERN						WILLIAMS ARENA - Feb. 5 (7:00 PM)
		OHIO STATE						WILLIAMS ARENA - Feb. 9 (7:00 PM)
		Wisconsin						Madison, WI - Feb. 12 (1:00 PM)
		PENN STATE						WILLIAMS ARENA - Feb. 16 (7:00 PM)
		Michigan						Ann Arbor, MI - Feb. 19 (11:00 AM)
		Michigan State						E. Lansing, MI - Feb. 23 (7:00 PM)
		INDIANA						WILLIAMS ARENA - Feb. 27 (1:00 PM)
		Purdue						W. Lafayette, IN - Mar. 3 (6:30 PM)
		IOWA						WILLIAMS ARENA - Mar. 5 (7:00 PM)
		Illinois						Champaign, IL - Mar. 9 (7:00 PM)
TEAM RECORD		ALL GAMES	11- 4	73.3%				
		LEAGUE	2- 1	66.6%				

GOLDEN GOPHERS RECORD SECOND STRAIGHT SWEEP; TRAVEL TO DENVER THIS WEEKEND

The University of Minnesota ice hockey team notched its second consecutive home sweep, knocking off the Michigan Tech Huskies 3-1 and 2-1 at Mariucci Arena this past weekend. The Golden Gophers (11-8-3, 9-6-3), have won four straight WCHA games and eight of their last nine league contests, to climb into a tie for fourth place with Wisconsin, just two points out of second place and four points out of first. The Maroon and Gold will travel to Denver for a key road series this weekend with the Pioneers. After an 0-5-1 start, the Golden Gophers have posted an 11-3-2 record and have been one of the hottest teams in the country.

Bonin Leads Team To Victory: Sophomore **Brian Bonin** (White Bear Lake, Minn.) has become the offensive catalyst for the Golden Gophers. He went into the weekend as the leading scorer on the team and was coming off two consecutive WCHA Offensive Players of the Week awards. Once again, he made the difference, as he scored both game-winners in the sweep of Michigan Tech, including the decisive power play goal at the 1:08 mark of the third period that broke a 1-1 tie and gave the Golden Gophers their 11th win of the season Saturday. He leads the team in power play goals with four and has helped set up the forwards on his power play unit as well. **Andy Brink** (Bemidji, Minn.) and **Justin McHugh** (Minnetonka, Minn.) are both on his unit and have three power play goals each. The line of Brink/Bonin/McHugh has been very strong the past few weeks and gives other teams trouble with their speed and quickness. McHugh is now tied for third on the team in scoring with six goals and 10 assists, while Brink has five goals and five assists.

Nielsen/Dziedzic/Bianchi Line Ignites: The all-senior line of **Joe Dziedzic** (Minneapolis, Minn.), **Jeff Nielsen** (Grand Rapids, Minn.), and **Tony Bianchi** (Bloomington, Minn.) has really caught fire the last month. They have been a dominant force since they were united when Dziedzic came off his arm injury. Nielsen leads the team in goals scored with 13 to go along with seven assists. Dziedzic has scored five goals and four assists in the seven games since he returned to the lineup after a 12-game absence with a broken arm. Bianchi has quietly climbed to third in the scoring chart and now has two goals and a team-high 14 assists, two of which came against Michigan Tech. This line has size, speed, and great scoring ability.

McAlpine Attack: All-American candidate **Chris McAlpine** (Sr., Roseville, Minn.) is a force for the Golden Gophers. He is a dominant player at both ends of the rink. Last year, he was the second leading goal scorer from the blue line in the WCHA with 14 goals. If he equals his statistics of a year ago he will become the all-time leading goal-scoring defenseman at Minnesota, as well as the leader in all-time penalty minutes leader. Over the weekend, he became the all-time penalty leader when he surpassed Ben Hankinson's mark of 182 career penalties. He has five goals and eight assists so far this year. He was injured in the first game of the Wisconsin series with a deep thigh bruise and missed the second game. He played both games of the Tech series, but was not 100 percent. He is one of the best defensemen in the WCHA, and is a top candidate for All-America honors.

Injury Update: The Golden Gophers suffered another loss at the blueline when sophomore **Mike McAlpine** (So. St. Paul, Minn.) went down on Saturday with a third degree shoulder separation. He will be out for at least two weeks and possibly more. He had stepped in for **Charlie Wasley** (Edina, Minn.), who had minor knee surgery last week and missed the Michigan Tech series. Wasley is listed as doubtful for the Denver series.

Next Up: The Golden Gophers and Denver Pioneers will clash this weekend in a pair of 8:05 p.m. games at the Denver University Arena on Friday and Saturday. The Maroon and Gold will be looking to continue their upward march in the WCHA standings. Last year, the Golden Gophers took three of four points from the Pioneers in Denver, winning 7-4 and also ending up in a controversial 2-2 tie (Denver was awarded a goal and Minnesota had a goal disallowed). The all-time series stands at 68-43-8 in favor of the Maroon and Gold. The Golden Gophers took three of four points at Mariucci Arena earlier this season from Denver, tying 3-3 and winning 4-3.

Solid Goaltending: The goaltending duo of **Jeff Moen** (Roseville, Minn.) and **Jeff Callinan** (Minnetonka, Minn.) has gradually developed into one of the best tandems in the WCHA. Callinan has a 6-3-3 record with a 3.59 GAA, while Moen has a 5-5-0 record and a 3.19 GAA. In WCHA games, Moen is 4-4 with a 2.86 GAA which puts him in the top three in the league. Moen has won four of his last five WCHA starts, and has the team's only shutout (3-0 over North Dakota). Callinan is 6-0-2 in his last eight WCHA starts, allowing only 18 goals (2.25 per game) in that span.

The Woog Report: Coach Woog has an impressive list of credentials, including eight consecutive NCAA Tournament berths. He has three WCHA Championships and has never finished lower than second place in the WCHA standings. Six of his eight teams have posted 30 or more wins. He is the winningest coach in the history of the program (261-105-22), and he has one of the highest winning percentages of any collegiate coaches in the country. Woog has a 25-8-3 record vs. Denver (.736), and a 10-4-2 record in games played at Denver.

Golden Gophers on KSTP-AM 1500: The Golden Gophers signed a three-year contract with KSTP-AM 1500 over the summer that will greatly enhance the coverage of Minnesota hockey in the state. All games will be live on KSTP with former North Star broadcaster and NHL Hall of Famer, Al Shaver calling the action. He will be joined by former Golden Gopher coach Glen Sonmor. KSTP's Rob Leer and former North Star Bobby Smith will also add to the coverage with special assignments.

Golden Gophers on MSC: The Golden Gophers inked another three-year deal this summer with Midwest Sports Channel that will have the Maroon and Gold on television a record 28 times, plus the playoffs. Frank Mazzocco and Tom Reid will call all the action on MSC. Both games of the Denver series will be broadcast on MSC this weekend.

1993-94 Minnesota HOCKEY STATS AFTER 22 GAMES

W-L-T	MN	OPP	OPPONENT	ATTEND	PLACE & DATE
L	3	7	Colorado College	2955	Colorado Springs, Co 10/22/93
L	2	4	Colorado College	2809	Colorado Springs, Co 10/23/93
L	2	3	St. Cloud State	6375	St. Cloud, Minn 10/29/93
T(OT)	4	4	ST. CLOUD STATE	9207	Mariucci Arena 7:05 10/30/93
L	1	3	Northern Michigan	3937	Marquette, Mich.7:05 11/05/93
L	3	7	Northern Michigan	3937	Marquette, Mich.7:05 11/06/93
W	3	1	UMD	5612	Duluth, Minn. 7:35 11/12/93
T(OT)	3	3	UMD	5612	Duluth, Minn. 7:05 11/13/93
T(OT)	3	3	DENVER	9149	Mariucci Arena 7:05 11/19/93
W	4	3	DENVER	9250	Mariucci Arena 7:35 11/20/93
L	0	6	Michigan	11531	Palace, Auburn Hills 11/26/93
W	6	5	Michigan State	13214	Palace Auburn Hills, 11/27/93
W	6	5	NORTH DAKOTA	9059	Mariucci Arena 7:05 12/11/93
W	3	0	NORTH DAKOTA	8661	Mariucci Arena 7:05 12/12/93
W	4	3	Alaska-Anchorage	6406	Anchorage 7:05 12/17/93
L	2	7	Alaska-Anchorage	6406	Anchorage 7:05 12/18/93
W	5	2	CORNELL	8879	Mariucci Arena, 4:05 12/31/93
L(OT)	3	4	LAKE SUPERIOR ST.	8869	Mariucci Arena 7:05 01/02/94
W	5	2	WISCONSIN	9195	Mariucci Arena 2:05 01/08/93
W(OT)	4	3	WISCONSIN	17109	Target Center 2:05 01/09/94
W	3	1	MICHIGAN TECH	8836	Mariucci Arena 7:05 01/14/94
W	2	1	MICHIGAN TECH	9100	Mariucci Arena 01/15/94

RECORD	HOME	ROAD	SEASON
LEAGUE	7- 0- 2	2- 6- 1	9- 6- 3
NON-LEAGUE	1- 1- 0	1- 1- 0	2- 2- 0
TOTAL	8- 1- 2	3- 7- 1	11- 8- 3

ATTENDANCE	HOME	ROAD	NEUTRAL
LEAGUE	89,566	44,049	0
OTHER	17,748	0	24,745
TOTAL	**,**	44,049	24,745
AVERAGE	9,755	4,894	12,372
TOTAL	176,108	TOTAL AVG	8,004

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POWER PLAYS	ATT	PPG	PCT	SH
Minnesota	124	18	.150	2
OPPONENTS	111	25	.230	2

HAT TRICKS FOR	0	
SHORT HANDED FOR	2	
Brian Bonin (1)		ST. CLOUD STATE 10/30/93
Greg Zwakman (1)		LAKE SUPERIOR ST. 01/02/94

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NO	NAME	OVERALL											LEAGUE ONLY					
		GP	G	A	PTS	PEN	MIN	PP	SH	HAT	WG	EN	GP	G	A	PTS	PEN	MIN
21	Brian Bonin, F	22	12	12	24	5	10	3	1	0	4	0	18	12	10	22	5	10
20	Jeff Nielsen, F	21	13	7	20	18	64	2	0	0	1	1	17	10	3	13	17	62
19	Justin McHugh, F	22	6	10	16	16	32	3	0	0	0	1	18	5	9	14	13	26
28	Tony Bianchi, F	19	2	14	16	5	10	1	0	0	1	0	15	2	8	10	3	6
15	Steve Magnusson, F	16	2	12	14	8	16	0	0	0	1	0	12	1	12	13	6	12
04	Chris McAlpine, D	18	5	8	13	30	60	1	0	0	1	0	14	3	7	10	20	40
18	Andy Brink, F	20	5	5	10	1	2	3	0	0	2	0	18	5	5	10	1	2
09	Joe Dzedzic, F	10	5	4	9	12	24	2	0	0	0	0	8	4	3	7	11	22
05	Danny Trebil, D	22	0	9	9	7	14	0	0	0	0	0	18	0	6	6	6	12
11	Bobby Dustin, F	19	5	3	8	10	28	0	0	0	0	0	15	4	3	7	9	26
17	Dave Larson, F	12	3	4	7	18	36	0	0	0	1	0	9	2	3	5	14	28
08	Eric Means, D	20	2	5	7	10	20	1	0	0	0	0	18	2	5	7	7	14
06	Charlie Wasley, D	19	0	7	7	8	17	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	6	6	5	11
27	Jed Fiebelkorn, F	20	4	2	6	20	41	1	0	0	0	0	16	2	2	4	14	29
02	Greg Zwakman, D	22	2	4	6	9	18	0	1	0	0	0	18	1	2	3	6	12
33	Nick Checcho, F	21	2	2	4	6	20	0	0	0	0	0	18	2	2	4	3	6
23	Dan Woog, F	18	0	4	4	14	37	0	0	0	0	0	14	0	3	3	13	35
29	Dan Hendrickson, F	21	2	1	3	18	36	0	0	0	0	0	17	2	1	3	15	30
12	Brian LaFleur, D	20	0	3	3	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	16	0	3	3	2	4
22	Jesse Bertogliat, F	6	1	0	1	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	3	6
35	Steve Green, G	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
26	Jim Hillman, F	3	0	0	0	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	4	8
03	Mike McAlpine, D	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0
24	John Hillman, F	9	0	0	0	7	22	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	6	20
30	Jeff Moen, G	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0
25	Brent Godbout, F	10	0	0	0	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	3	6
31	Jeff Callinan, G	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	0	0
	Bench					2	4										2	4

Minnesota	22	71	116	187	237	537	17	2	0	11	2	18	57	93	150	188	431
OPPONENTS	22	78	119	197	256	590	25	2	2	7	1	18	60	92	152	211	484

NO	GOALIE	OVERALL										LEAGUE ONLY									
		W	L	T	GP	PER	MIN	GA	AVG	SAV	PCT	W	L	T	GP	PER	MIN	GA	AVG	SAV	PCT
35	Steve Green	0	0	0	1	1	8:13	0	0.00	1	1.000	0	0	0	1	1	8:13	0	0.00	11.000	
30	Jeff Moen	5	5	0	10	31	546:1	29	3.19	229	.888	4	4	0	8	23	420:26	20	2.85	185	.902
31	Jeff Callinan	6	3	3	14	42	786:8	47	3.59	305	.866	5	2	3	12	36	666:8	39	3.51	268	.873
Minnesota		11	8	3	22	72	1340:22	76	3.40	535	.875	9	6	3	18	58	1094:47	59	3.23	454	.885
OPPONENTS		7	12	3	22	72	1342:57	74	3.31	555	.882	6	9	3	18	58	1098:10	57	3.11	474	.893

	Minnesota					OPPONENTS				
PERIOD	1	2	3	OT	TOTAL	1	2	3	OT	TOTAL
GOALS	27	22	21	1	71	21	28	27	1	77
SHOT ON GOAL	212	218	200	10	640	182	226	187	11	606
GOALIE SAVES	161	199	166	10	536	180	209	174	9	572
PENALTIES	57	94	85	1	237	70	93	90	3	256

**GOLDEN GOPHER WRESTLERS CRUISE TO VIRGINIA
DUALS TITLE**

The eighth-ranked University of Minnesota wrestling squad tripped four opponents over the weekend, including two in the Top 20, to claim their second consecutive Virginia Duals championship in Hampton, Va. The victories raise the Golden Gophers record on the season to 8-1 in dual meets.

Friday's action saw the Maroon and Gold defeat Morgan State 35-12, and Cornell 27-11. Minnesota lost only one contested match on the afternoon, and for the weekend posted victories in 29 of 34 contested matches.

In the semi-finals Saturday, the Golden Gophers crushed Big Ten rival Wisconsin for the second time in less than a week by the score of 41-3. The only Badger victory came at 190 pounds, where third-ranked Keith Davison won a hard fought 6-2 decision.

Minnesota continued its winning ways by defeating fifteenth-ranked Clemson, 28-11, in the finals. Senior **Chris Berglin** (134, West Bend, Wis.), senior **Willy Short** (150, Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), and freshman **Zac Taylor** (158, Sandpoint, Idaho) all won major decisions to help lead the Golden Gophers to victory. Sophomore **Billy Pierce** (Hwt, Minneapolis, Minn.), made quick work of his Tiger opponent, pinning Keith Turner in just 3:29.

The following are weight-by-weight individual results from the weekend:

118--Brandon Paulson (Fr., Anoka, Minn.), 3-1; only loss was to Sam Henson of Clemson, ranked number one in the nation at 118 pounds.

126--Tim Harris (Jr., St. Louis, Mo.), 2-0

134--Chris Berglin, 4-0; won 8-3 decision over Cornell's David Hirsch, ranked number three in the nation at 134 pounds.

142--Jeff Thompson (So., Great Falls, Mont.), 4-0

150--Willy Short, 2-0

Tony Farina (So., Mequon, Wis.), 1-1

158--Zac Taylor (Fr., Sandpoint, Idaho), 1-0

Tony Farina, 0-1

Willy Short, 2-0

167--Zac Taylor, 3-0

Tony Farina, 1-0

177--Brett Colombini (Jr., Redwood Valley, Calif.), 3-0

190--Darren Andy (Sr., Billings, Mont.), 3-1 with one fall

HWT--Billy Pierce, 4-0 with two falls

Team Climbs To Number Eight In Latest Poll: The Golden Gophers climbed a notch to number eight in the latest *Amateur Wrestling News*/National Coaches Association poll released last Wednesday. Four Minnesota wrestlers remain ranked in the top ten in their respective weight classes. Tim Harris is fourth at 126 pounds, Willy Short remains third at 158 pounds, Brett Colombini seventh at 177 pounds, and holding steady as the number one heavyweight in the country is Billy Pierce.

Short Notches Number 100; Stays Perfect On The Season: Senior returning All-American Willy Short racked up number 100 in his career as a Golden Gopher, pinning Darrius Hill of Morgan State in the first round of the Virginia Duals last Friday. Short's record this season now stands at 20-0, with a career record of 103-28-6.

Busy Weekend Ahead: Head Coach J Robinson's crew will have a busy weekend of wrestling ahead of them as they dive into the heart of their Big Ten schedule. The Golden Gophers will tangle with Northwestern and Illinois on Saturday, then hit the road for matches with Purdue and Indiana on Sunday. The match with the Wildcats will be the first-ever at the new Sports Pavilion, beginning at 2:00 p.m., followed by the showdown with the Fighting Illini at Williams Arena at 4:30 p.m. For ticket information, call the Golden Gopher ticket office at (612) 624-8080.

TRACK & FIELD

**TRACKSTERS TO COMPETE AT WISCONSIN INVITE
SATURDAY; SIX WIN TITLES AT NORTHWEST OPEN**

Head Coach Roy Griak's Golden Gopher track & field squad will compete in the Wisconsin Invitational on Saturday at Madison, Wis. The competition is scheduled to get underway at 9:00 a.m.

Last Year: The Golden Gophers won five events at the 1993 Wisconsin Invitational, and three of those individual events winners are back this season. Senior **Omar Douglas** (New Orleans, La.) took the 55 meters with a clocking of 6.43, senior **Martin Eriksson** (Stockholm, Sweden), who would go on to capture the NCAA crown, won the pole vault with a mark of 17-8 1/2, and sophomore **Jason Boon** (Cottage Grove, Minn.) hit the tape first in the 800 meters with a time of 1:55.02. Tyrone Minor in the long jump (24-0 3/4), and Chad Goldstein in the shot put (58-1 3/4), rounded out the Golden Gophers' event winners at last year's meet. Both have completed their collegiate eligibility.

Northwest Open: The Golden Gophers won six events at last Saturday's Northwest Open at the U of M Field House, but junior **Rob Hydukovich's** (Bemidji, Minn.) runner-up finish in the shot put with a personal-best and NCAA provisional qualifying throw of 57-9 1/2 stole the show. Former Golden Gopher All-American Mark Lacy won the event with a heave of 60-0 1/4. Senior **Norris Williams** (Milwaukee, Wis.) in the 600 meters (1:19.78), Jason Boon in the 800 meters (1:55.35), junior **Mark Gonzales** (La Habra, Calif.) in the 3,000 meters (8:36.9), junior **Adrian Ellis** (Racine, Wis.) in the triple jump (50-8 3/4), freshman **Tye Harvey** (Jamestown, Calif.) in the pole vault (16-0 3/4), and the 4 x 400 meter relay unit (3:17.55), took top honors in the competition as the Golden Gophers impressively opened the 1994 indoor season.

Big Ten Championships: The Big Ten Indoor Championships will be held Feb. 25-26 at Ann Arbor, Mich. The Big Ten Outdoor Championships will take place May 21-22 at Madison, Wis.

NETTERS TO OPEN HOME SEASON THIS WEEKEND

The defending Big Ten Champion Golden Gopher men's tennis team will host Iowa State on Saturday at 6:30 p.m. at the Northwest Tennis & Racquet Club in Burnsville.

Minnesota is currently ranked 27th in the country in the latest ITA Rolex Collegiate Rankings. The doubles combination of Adam Krafft (Saginaw, Mich.) and Paul Pridmore (North Aurora, Ill.) is tied for 24th in the national rankings.

Pridmore had a solid fall season with a 10-2 singles record, in addition to a 4-1 doubles mark with Krafft. Junior Ross Loel (Rancho La Costa, Calif.) also had a successful fall season posting a 7-2 match record.

Fall Singles Records

Erik Donley, So.	4-3
Jack Enfield, Fr.	3-1
Ben Gabler, Fr.	3-3
Lars Hjarrand, Fr.	4-3
Ross Loel, Jr.	7-2
Eric Morton, Fr.	2-3
Paul Pridmore, Sr.	10-2

Fall Doubles Records

Loel/Hjarrand	7-2
Krafft/Pridmore	4-1
Donley/Gabler	3-0

SWIMMING & DIVING

NELSEN, JORGENSEN & BOGART LEAD GOLDEN GOPHERS PAST KANSAS

The 12th-ranked men's swimming and diving team defeated the 16th-ranked Kansas Jayhawks 135.5-109.5 in dual meet action, in Lawrence, Kan., over the weekend. The Golden Gophers were led by a trio of All-Americans, senior Paul Nelsen (Lincoln, Neb.), senior Can Ergenekan (Beaverton, Ore.), and sophomore diver P.J. Bogart (Mesa, Ariz.). Nelsen had first place finishes in the 200 free (1:40.84) and in the 200 individual medley (1:53.26). Ergenekan touched first in the 200 fly (1:50.88) and 500 free (4:36.75). Bogart continued his success in the diving well by taking top honors in the one meter (313.00) and in the three meter (361.50) events. The Maroon & Gold also took the top three spots in the 200 breast.

Minnesota also had outstanding performances turned in by sophomore Duane Dobko (Ajax, Ontario, Canada), who placed first in the 200 back (1:50.25), and senior Matt Brown (Beaverton, Ore.), who touched first in the 200 breast (2:04.45). The Golden Gophers' 400 medley team took top honors when they finished with a time of 3:26.36. That team was made up of Dobko, Brown, senior Eric Jorgensen (Rochester, Minn.) and junior Darren Heydanek (Hawthorn Woods, Ill.).

Minnesota will be off next week and will return to action on January 29 vs. Iowa at the University of Minnesota Aquatic Center. Meet time is scheduled for 1:00 p.m.

All-American swimmer, Bernie Zeruhn (Hamburg, Germany), injured ligaments in his ankle over the holiday break and has not competed for the Golden Gophers in the New Year. Zeruhn will start swimming at the end of the month and is likely to return to action on Feb. 4-5 when the Golden Gophers host Purdue and Wisconsin in the University of Minnesota Aquatic Center.

"This meet was extremely challenging for us, because this is a hard place for us to swim," said Head Coach Dennis Dale. "Kansas is ranked 16th in the nation and will only get stronger as the season goes along."

CSCAA Men's Top 25 Poll - 1. Stanford - 200; 2. Texas - 189; 3. Michigan - 184; 4. California - 162; 5. USC - 161; 6. Auburn - 145; 7. UCLA - 144; 8. Florida - 133; 9. Tennessee - 129; 10. Arizona State & Arizona - 125; 12. MINNESOTA - 114; 13. Georgia - 97; 14. South Carolina - 93; 15. SMU - 90; 16. Kansas - 73; 17. North Carolina - 62; 18. Harvard - 67; 19. Alabama - 66; 20. Ohio State - 54; 21. Iowa - 47; 22. Nebraska - 29; 23. Indiana - 26; 24. Virginia - 21; 25. Iowa State - 17.

The University of Minnesota Men's Athletics Department and the men's swimming & diving program will host two of the nation's top swimming & diving events during 1994 — the Big Ten Championships on Feb. 24-26 and the NCAA Championships on March 24-26.

For ticket information on the men's championships in 1994, please contact the Golden Gopher ticket office at (612) 624-

GYMNASTICS

GYMNASTS FINISH THIRD AT WINDY CITY INVITATIONAL; IOWA STATE UP NEXT

The Golden Gopher men's gymnastics team finished third at the 23rd annual Windy City Invitational held at the University of Illinois-Chicago last weekend.

Minnesota scored a season high 273.825 in the 12-team meet, as junior Brian Yee (Houston, Texas) and senior Bo Haun (Springfield, Mo.) led the way for the Maroon & Gold. Yee placed first on the pommel horse (9.55), third on vault (9.25) and fourth in the all-around (108.30). Haun finished in a tie for first on the horizontal bar with senior teammate Brian Ottenhoff (Kersey, Colo.) and Kip Simons of Ohio State. He also finished ninth in the all-around (104.95).

Junior Kerry Huston (Spring, Texas), took top honors on the vault (9.25) as he tied with Simons. Huston also added a second place finish in floor exercise (9.70, behind Jay Thornton of Ohio State).

Friday, the Golden Gophers open their home season in the new Sports Pavilion when they host Iowa State. Meet time is scheduled for 7:00 p.m.

Final Windy City Team Results - 1. Ohio State - 280.35; 2. Iowa - 276.075; 3. Minnesota 273.825; 4. Michigan - 271.925; 5. Illinois-Chicago - 267.575; 6. Illinois - 264.45; 7. Michigan State - 261.56; 8. Kent State - 256.65; 9. UMass. - 255.85; 10. Western Michigan - 253.90; 11. Washington - 252.50; 12. Iowa State - 250.80.

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Table reservations, as well as individual ticket orders, are now being accepted. Individual tickets are being sold for \$75, with tables of 10 selling for \$750. Fans interested in having dinner with a randomly-selected pro player can purchase a table of eight for \$2,000. In addition, fans interested in having dinner with a top member of the University or Twins staff can purchase a table of eight for \$1,250. Doors will open for a silent auction of Golden Gopher and Twins collectibles at 5:30 p.m. with dinner being served at 7 p.m. For tickets or more information fans, can call the Williams Fund at (612) 625-1001.

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SPORTS DESK

MINUTEMEN BANQUET JAN. 31

MOLITOR, HUNDLEY TO HEADLINE

MINNEAPOLIS---Paul Molitor will receive the Minnesota Athlete of the Year award at the 21st Annual Minneapolis/St. Paul Minutemen Banquet Monday, January 31, at the Minneapolis Convention Center.

Molitor, former Creton Durham Hall and University of Minnesota standout, led the Toronto Blue Jays to their second consecutive World Series championship last fall and was named MVP of the series. Molitor was also runner-up in balloting for MVP of the American League after enjoying his most productive year in major league baseball.

Rod "Hot Rod" Hundley, former U. of Virginia All-American and NBA All-Star, will be the featured speaker of the banquet. Hundley today is the voice of the NBA Utah Jazz.

The Courage Award, presented annually, this year goes to Rob Wills, Jr., of Minneapolis. Wills last year finished second in his weight lifting division at the World Para-Olympics. An outstanding amateur athlete, Wills was paralyzed from the waist down following a tragic auto accident several years ago.

Additional recognition will be given to three individuals who recorded outstanding achievements last year. Included are: John Gagliardi, head football coach at St. John's University in Collegeville, who posted his 300th career victory last fall; John Harris of Edina who was a member of the victorious U.S. Walker Cup Team, and later won the U.S. Amateur golf championship sponsored by the USGA, and Sue Jackson, setter on the U. of Minnesota volleyball team which reached the NCAA final eight in December.

Players and administrators representing the Twins, Vikings, Wolves and Saints plus numerous other local celebrities will also be in attendance.

Banquet tickets are still available at \$35. or \$320 for a table of eight. Tickets may be purchased from any Minuteman, or by calling event director Bob McNamara at 661-4729.

A social hour at the Convention Center precedes the banquet along with a special silent auction featuring numerous excellent souvenir items from all levels of the sports world. Proceeds from the auction are donated to the Variety Heart Hospital at the University of Minnesota.

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Golden Gopher Events This Week

Wednesday, January 26
Basketball @ Indiana
7:00 p.m., Bloomington, Ind.
WCCO-TV/WCCO-AM 830

Friday, January 28
Tennis - Ice Volleys Classic
4:30 p.m., 98th Street

Hockey vs. Northern Michigan
7:05 p.m., Mariucci Arena
MSC/KSTP-AM 1500

Wrestling vs. Iowa
7:30 p.m., Williams Arena

Saturday, January 29
Basketball vs. Purdue
Noon, Williams Arena
MSC/WCCO-AM 830

Swimming vs. Iowa
1:00 p.m., Aquatic Center

Track & Field - Minnesota Invt.
4:00 p.m., UM Field House

Tennis - Ice Volleys Classic
4:30 p.m., 98th Street

Gymnastics @ Ohio State
7:00 p.m., Columbus, Ohio

Hockey vs. Northern Michigan
7:05 p.m., Mariucci Arena
MSC/KSTP-AM 1500

Sunday, January 30
Basketball @ St. John's
11:00 a.m., New York, N.Y.
CBS/WCCO-AM 830

1993-94 Basketball Schedule

Nov. 18	UM 70, RICE 61 (NIT)
Nov. 20	UM 91, GEORGIA 71 (NIT)
Nov. 24	UM 71, Kansas 75 (NIT)
Nov. 26	UM 76, No. Carolina, 90 (NIT)
Nov. 29	UM 107, MISS. VALLEY ST. 63
Dec. 1	UM 98, USA VERICH REPS 60
Dec. 3	UM 90, @ Middle Tenn. St. 76
Dec. 12	UM 87, TEAM MEXICO 76
Dec. 15	UM 73, CLEMSON 54
Dec. 19	UM 79, WESTERN CAROLINA 61
Dec. 23	UM 66, @ San Jose State 53
Dec. 28	UM 57, @ Virginia 62
Dec. 31	UM 73, JAMES MADISON 68
Jan. 3	UM 89, N.E. ILLINOIS 62
Jan. 8	UM 73, @ Northwestern 65
Jan. 12	UM 90, WISCONSIN 53
Jan. 15	UM 67, @ Penn State 78
Jan. 20	UM 63, MICHIGAN 58
Jan. 22	UM 68, MICHIGAN ST. 66
Jan. 26	@ Indiana 7:00 p.m.
Jan. 29	PURDUE Noon
Jan. 30	@ St. John's 11:00 a.m.
Feb. 2	@ Iowa 7:00 p.m.
Feb. 5	NORTHWESTERN 7:00 p.m.
Feb. 9	OHIO STATE 7:00 p.m.
Feb. 12	@ Wisconsin 1:00 p.m.
Feb. 16	PENN STATE 7:00 p.m.
Feb. 19	@ Michigan 11:00 a.m.
Feb. 23	@ Michigan State 7:00 p.m.
Feb. 27	INDIANA 1:00 p.m.
Mar. 3	@ Purdue 6:30 p.m.
Mar. 5	IOWA 7:00 p.m.
Mar. 9	@ Illinois 7:00 p.m.

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schools will be available this sea-
son. For more information, call
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1993-94 Hockey Schedule

Oct. 22	UM 3, @ Colorado College 7
Oct. 23	UM 2, @ Colorado College 4
Oct. 27	UM 6, U.S. Olympic Team 7
Oct. 29	UM 2, @ St. Cloud State 3
Oct. 30	UM 4, ST. CLOUD STATE 4 (OT)
Nov. 5	UM 1, @ Northern Michigan 3
Nov. 6	UM 3, @ Northern Michigan 7
Nov. 12	UM 3, @ Minnesota-Duluth 1
Nov. 13	UM 3, @ Minnesota-Duluth 3 (OT)
Nov. 19	UM 3, DENVER 3 (OT)
Nov. 20	UM 5, DENVER 4
Nov. 26	WCHA/CCHA Challenge (@ Auburn Hills, Mich.) UM 0, Michigan 6
Nov. 27	UM 6, Michigan State 5
Dec. 11	UM 6, NORTH DAKOTA 5
Dec. 12	UM 3, NORTH DAKOTA 0
Dec. 17	UM 4, @ Alaska-Anchorage 3
Dec. 18	UM 2, @ Alaska-Anchorage 7
Dec. 28	UM 2, RUSSIAN SELECTS 4
Dec. 31	Mariucci Classic UM 5, CORNELL 2
Jan. 1	UM 3, LAKE SUPERIOR ST. 4 (2OT)
Jan. 8	UM 5, WISCONSIN 2
Jan. 9	UM 4, WISCONSIN 3 (OT)
Jan. 14	UM 3, MICHIGAN TECH 1
Jan. 15	UM 2, MICHIGAN TECH 1
Jan. 21	UM 6, @ Denver 5 (OT)
Jan. 22	UM 5, @ Denver 3
Jan. 28	NO. MICHIGAN 7:05 p.m.
Jan. 29	NO. MICHIGAN 7:05 p.m.
Feb. 5	UM-DULUTH 1:05 p.m.
Feb. 6	UM-DULUTH 1:05 p.m.
Feb. 11	@ North Dakota 7:35 p.m.
Feb. 12	@ North Dakota 7:35 p.m.
Feb. 18	ALASKA-ANCHORAGE 7:05 p.m.
Feb. 19	ALASKA-ANCHORAGE 7:05 p.m.
Feb. 25	@ Wisconsin 7:05 p.m.
Feb. 26	@ Wisconsin 7:05 p.m.
Mar. 4	ST. CLOUD STATE 7:05 p.m.
Mar. 5	@ St. Cloud State 7:05 p.m.
Mar. 12-13	WCHA First Round
Mar. 18-20	WCHA Playoff Championship
Mar. 26-27	NCAA Regionals
Mar. 31	NCAA Semifinals St. Paul, Minn.
April 2	NCAA Championship St. Paul, Minn.

All times are Central zone and schedules are subject to change

GOLDEN GOPHERS DEFEAT BOTH MICHIGAN & MICHIGAN STATE; BUSY STRETCH AHEAD

Head Coach Clem Haskins' Golden Gopher basketball team (13-4, 4-1) will begin a busy and very important stretch of the season this week. Starting with Wednesday's game at defending Big Ten champion Indiana (11-3, 4-1), the Golden Gophers will play four games in eight days. Game time at Assembly Hall in Bloomington, Ind., is at 7:00 p.m. (Central). Following the game against the Hoosiers, the Golden Gophers will play host to Purdue (16-1, 4-1) at noon Saturday, face St. John's (8-7, 2-5) of the Big East Conference at Madison Square Garden in New York at 11:00 a.m. (Central) Sunday, and then travel to Iowa (7-7, 1-4) to meet the Hawkeyes at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, Feb. 2.

Probable Starters:

F - #34 Randy Carter (6-8, Sr., Memphis, Tenn.)
F - #32 Jayson Walton (6-6, Jr., Dallas, Texas)
C - #51 Chad Kolander (6-9, Jr., Owatonna, Minn.)
G - #21 Voshon Lenard (6-4, Jr., Detroit, Mich.)
G - #10 Arriel McDonald (6-3, Sr., Raleigh, N.C.)

Broadcast Coverage: The Indiana game Wednesday will be televised back to the Twin Cities on WCCO-TV (4). Saturday's game against Purdue State will be seen locally on the Midwest Sports Channel. Sunday's game against St. John's will be televised nationally on CBS. WCCO-AM 830 is the exclusive radio voice of Golden Gopher basketball with Ray Christensen calling the action.

Coach Haskins: Clem Haskins put the appropriate finishing touches on his seventh season at the helm of the University of Minnesota basketball program by leading the Golden Gophers to the 1993 NIT title. After rebuilding the program in his first two seasons, he has now directed the Golden Gophers to post-season tournament action in four of the past five seasons. He has a record of 124-104 in eight seasons at Minnesota, and a 225-177 mark in 14 seasons overall. Haskins' success in post-season play is certainly no secret. He has an impressive 10-3 (5-2 NCAA; 5-1 NIT) record in post-season tournament action at Minnesota.

Big Wins: Minnesota stayed in the thick of things in the chase for the Big Ten title with a pair of wins at Williams Arena last week. The Golden Gophers raced out to a 17-2 advantage in the first eight-plus minutes, and then held off Michigan for a hard-fought 63-58 win Thursday. Juniors Townsend Orr (Dolton, Ill.) and Chad Kolander both scored in double figures with 12 and 10 points, respectively. Arriel McDonald drained a 10-foot jumper with 1.9 seconds remaining to propel the Golden Gophers to a thrilling 68-66 victory over Michigan State Saturday. McDonald led the team with 16 points, a career-high 10 rebounds and six assists. Orr (13), Voshon Lenard (11) and Kolander (10) also scored in double figures.

A Closer Look: Indiana defeated Northwestern 81-76 at home on Saturday to raise its record to 11-3 overall and 4-1 in the Big Ten. In his 23rd season at Indiana, Head Coach Bob Knight has charted a 528-167 record, which includes three NCAA titles. He is 630-217 in 29 seasons overall. Purdue, led by star forward

Glenn Robinson, raised its record to 16-1 on the season and 4-1 in the Big Ten with a 101-63 rout of Ohio State at home Saturday. In his 14th season at the helm of the Boilermakers, Head Coach Gene Keady has recorded a 284-131 mark heading into Thursday's game at Penn State. He is 322-150 in 16 seasons overall. St. John's topped Miami 75-63 on the road in a Big East Conference clash Saturday to run its record to 8-7 overall and 2-5 in the league. In his second season at St. John's, Head Coach Brian Mahoney has compiled a 27-18 record.

Big Week: Although it is still early in the season, this is definitely a big week for the Golden Gophers in the chase for the Big Ten title. With a 4-1 league record, they enter the week as one of the teams atop the Big Ten standings. The Golden Gophers' two conference foes this week...Indiana and Purdue...have identical 4-1 league marks entering this week's action. It's a race that looks like it will go right down to the wire.

Series Records: Indiana has an 80-48 advantage in the all-time series with Minnesota, which includes a 50-16 edge in games played in Bloomington. Purdue leads the all-time series with Minnesota by a 75-64 margin, but the Golden Gophers have won four of the past five at Williams Arena. Sunday's game will be the first-ever meeting between St. John's and Minnesota.

Great Start: The last time Minnesota opened Big Ten play with a 4-1 record was back in 1981-82. In their next game that year, the Golden Gophers dropped a 64-57 to Illinois, but still went on to finish 14-4 in the league (23-6 overall) and capture the program's most recent Big Ten title. If the Golden Gophers are able to defeat Indiana Wednesday to up their record to 5-1 in the league, it would mark the program's best start since the 1976-77 team raced out to a 7-1 conference mark. That team, which featured eventual first round NBA draft picks Mychal Thompson, Ray Williams and Kevin McHale, ended up 15-3 and in second-place in the Big Ten, and 24-3 overall (school record for most victories in one season).

Minnesota & Madison Square Garden: Sunday's game against St. John's will be the Golden Gophers' fifth game in Madison Square Garden in the past 10 months. Last March, the Golden Gophers topped Providence in the semifinals and then Georgetown in the championship game to take the Postseason NIT crown. This past November, the Golden Gophers fell to Kansas in the semifinals and then North Carolina in the third-place game of the Preseason NIT. Minnesota is 9-6 overall in games played at the historic arena.

1,000 Point Club: Voshon Lenard is ranked 16th on the all-time school scoring list with 1,197 points. Archie Clark (1963-66) is 15th with 1,199 points and Jim McIntyre (1945-49) is 14th with 1,223 points. Arriel McDonald is now 19th with 1,101 career points. Randy Carter is also closing in on the coveted 1,000 point mark with 973 points entering this week's action.

Williams Arena: The Golden Gophers have registered an impressive 35-6 record (.854) over the past three seasons in Williams Arena, which includes a perfect 10-0 mark this season.

NAME	G		TOTAL FG			3-PT FG			FREE THROWS			REBOUNDS		AVG	PF	DIS	AST	AVG			PTS	AVG						
	ST	FG	FGA	PCT	FG	FGA	PCT	FT	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT					TO	BLK	STL			MIN					
Lenard	17	17	88	209	42.1	40	100	40.0	39	44	88.6	16	53	69	4.1	51	3	38	2.2	39	8	19	29	255	15.0			
HIGHS:	PTS 23 vs Northwestern			RBS 8 vs NE ILLINOIS			AST 6 vs JAMES MADISON																					
Carter	17	17	71	144	49.3	2	13	15.4	42	66	63.6	38	78	116	6.8	46	2	44	2.6	37	5	17	28	186	10.9			
HIGHS:	PTS 27 vs Middle Tennessee Sta			RBS 13 vs Virginia			AST 6 vs WESTERN CAROLINA																					
McDonald	17	17	61	132	46.2	13	39	33.3	44	56	78.6	16	34	50	2.9	23	1	85	5.0	36	1	25	28	179	10.5			
HIGHS:	PTS 18 vs Virginia			RBS 10 vs MICHIGAN STATE			AST 16 vs WISCONSIN																					
Orr	16	0	53	111	47.7	23	62	37.1	35	48	72.9	9	46	55	3.4	24	0	61	3.8	25	0	27	23	164	10.3			
HIGHS:	PTS 18 vs Northwestern			RBS 7 vs Middle Tennessee Sta			AST 9 vs MISSISSIPPI VALLEY S																					
Grim	17	4	53	130	40.8	18	42	42.9	11	18	61.1	25	34	59	3.5	18	0	25	1.5	17	3	14	19	135	7.9			
HIGHS:	PTS 15 vs North Carolina			RBS 7 vs CLEMSON			AST 5 vs MISSISSIPPI VALLEY S																					
Kolander	17	12	48	101	47.5	0	0	.0	34	51	66.7	28	39	67	3.9	59	6	21	1.2	19	10	19	22	130	7.6			
HIGHS:	PTS 15 vs Penn State			RBS 8 vs Penn State			AST 3 vs RICE																					
Walton	11	10	36	76	47.4	0	0	.0	9	18	50.0	15	41	56	5.1	18	0	10	.9	18	2	10	21	81	7.4			
HIGHS:	PTS 16 vs JAMES MADISON			RBS 15 vs JAMES MADISON			AST 2 vs JAMES MADISON																					
Nzigamasabo	17	4	33	74	44.6	0	0	.0	14	20	70.0	39	27	66	3.9	33	0	19	1.1	19	6	9	17	80	4.7			
HIGHS:	PTS 13 vs NE ILLINOIS			RBS 7 vs CLEMSON			AST 3 vs GEORGIA																					
Thomas	15	2	19	48	39.6	0	0	.0	9	20	45.0	30	19	49	3.3	22	1	2	.1	6	2	1	10	47	3.1			
HIGHS:	PTS 8 vs GEORGIA			RBS 8 vs San Jose State			AST 1 vs MISSISSIPPI VALLEY S																					
Wolf	14	0	7	25	28.0	3	7	42.9	11	12	91.7	6	9	15	1.1	12	0	5	.4	8	1	0	6	28	2.0			
HIGHS:	PTS 11 vs NE ILLINOIS			RBS 6 vs NE ILLINOIS			AST 3 vs Middle Tennessee Sta																					
Baker	8	2	6	11	54.5	0	0	.0	2	4	50.0	4	8	12	1.5	5	0	0	.0	4	2	2	5	14	1.8			
HIGHS:	PTS 10 vs MISSISSIPPI VALLEY S			RBS 7 vs MISSISSIPPI VALLEY S																								
Winter	3	0	2	2	100.0	0	0	.0	0	0	.0	0	1	1	.3	1	0	0	.0	1	0	0	3	4	1.3			
HIGHS:	PTS 4 vs WISCONSIN			RBS 1 vs Penn State																								
Crittenden	8	0	0	5	.0	0	2	.0	0	2	.0	0	1	1	.1	1	0	2	.3	1	0	0	1	0	.0			
HIGHS:	RBS 1 vs WISCONSIN			AST 1 vs GEORGIA																								
TEAM														81	4.8													
TOTAL	17	477		1068	44.7	99	265	37.4	250	359	69.6	226	471	697	41.0	313	13	312	18.4	235	40	143	1303		76.6			
HIGHS:	PTS 107 vs MISS. VALLEY STATE			RBS 58 vs MISS. VALLEY STATE			AST 31 vs MISS. VALLEY STATE																					
OPPONENTS	17	408		984	41.5	91	298	30.5	209	332	63.0	198	406	604	35.5	336	11	215	12.6	279	70	100	1116		65.6			
HIGHS:	PTS 90 vs North Carolina			RBS 44 vs North Carolina			AST 23 vs Kansas																					

INCLUDES LEAGUE GAMES

NAME	G	ST	TOTAL FG			3-PT FG			FREE THROWS			REBOUNDS			AVG	PF	DIS	AST	AVG			AVG	PTS	AVG						
			FG	FGA	PCT	FG	FGA	PCT	FT	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT					AST	TO	BLK				STL	MIN				
Lenard HIGHS:	5	5	28	61	45.9	12	31	38.7	15	15	100.0	4	14	18	3.6	15	1	4	.8	10	1	6	28	83	16.6					
	PTS 23 vs Northwestern						RBS 6 vs Northwestern						AST 1 vs Northwestern																	
McDonald HIGHS:	5	5	19	38	50.0	4	9	44.4	15	16	93.8	6	13	19	3.8	8	1	32	6.4	8	0	6	33	57	11.4					
	PTS 16 vs MICHIGAN STATE						RBS 10 vs MICHIGAN STATE						AST 16 vs WISCONSIN																	
Orr HIGHS:	5	0	17	35	48.6	8	20	40.0	9	13	69.2	2	8	10	2.0	5	0	17	3.4	4	0	8	22	51	10.2					
	PTS 18 vs Northwestern						RBS 3 vs MICHIGAN						AST 6 vs MICHIGAN STATE																	
Kolander HIGHS:	5	2	16	31	51.6	0	0	.0	12	17	70.6	9	12	21	4.2	17	3	7	1.4	5	1	6	22	44	8.8					
	PTS 15 vs Penn State						RBS 8 vs Penn State						AST 3 vs MICHIGAN																	
Nzigamasabo HIGHS:	5	3	15	30	50.0	0	0	.0	7	13	53.8	13	10	23	4.6	11	0	5	1.0	6	2	3	21	37	7.4					
	PTS 10 vs Northwestern						RBS 5 vs Northwestern						AST 2 vs MICHIGAN STATE																	
Carter HIGHS:	5	5	16	41	39.0	0	1	.0	5	10	50.0	9	18	27	5.4	10	1	10	2.0	10	1	2	26	37	7.4					
	PTS 13 vs WISCONSIN						RBS 8 vs MICHIGAN						AST 3 vs WISCONSIN																	
Walton HIGHS:	5	5	11	24	45.8	0	0	.0	1	3	33.3	3	16	19	3.8	8	0	8	1.6	6	1	6	21	23	4.6					
	PTS 6 vs Northwestern						RBS 6 vs Northwestern						AST 2 vs Northwestern																	
Grim HIGHS:	5	0	8	24	33.3	3	9	33.3	0	1	.0	3	13	16	3.2	7	0	4	.8	3	1	2	15	19	3.8					
	PTS 13 vs WISCONSIN						RBS 7 vs WISCONSIN						AST 2 vs MICHIGAN																	
Thomas HIGHS:	4	0	2	5	40.0	0	0	.0	2	2	100.0	5	4	9	2.3	3	0	1	.3	0	1	0	6	6	1.5					
	PTS 4 vs MICHIGAN STATE						RBS 5 vs MICHIGAN STATE						AST 1 vs MICHIGAN STATE																	
Winter HIGHS:	3	0	2	2	100.0	0	0	.0	0	0	.0	0	1	1	.3	1	0	0	.0	1	0	0	3	4	1.3					
	PTS 4 vs WISCONSIN						RBS 1 vs Penn State																							
Crittenden HIGHS:	1	0	0	0	.0	0	0	.0	0	2	.0	0	1	1	1.0	0	0	1	1.0	0	0	0	1	0	.0					
							RBS 1 vs WISCONSIN						AST 1 vs WISCONSIN																	
Wolf HIGHS:	2	0	0	1	.0	0	0	.0	0	0	.0	2	0	2	1.0	1	0	0	.0	0	0	0	3	0	.0					
							RBS 2 vs WISCONSIN																							
TEAM															16	3.2											2			
TOTAL	5	134		292	45.9	27	70	38.6	66	92	71.7	56	126	182	36.4	86	6	89	17.8	55	8	39	361			72.2				
HIGHS:	PTS 90 vs WISCONSIN						RBS 41 vs MICHIGAN						AST 30 vs WISCONSIN																	
OPPONENTS	5	113		267	42.3	29	87	33.3	65	101	64.4	49	119	168	33.6	95	5	62	12.4	73	17	24	320			64.0				
HIGHS:	PTS 78 vs Penn State						RBS 39 vs MICHIGAN STATE						AST 18 vs Northwestern																	

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University of Minnesota BASKETBALL TEAM STATISTICS

UM	FG%	OPPONENT	OPP	FG%	HIGH SCORER	HIGH REBOUNDER	ATTEND	PLACE & DATE
70	35.0	RICE	61	46.2	18 Lenard	8 Walton	14,180	WILLIAMS ARENA (NIT) - Nov. 18
91	57.8	GEORGIA	71	37.7	20 Carter	6 Lenard	14,197	WILLIAMS ARENA (NIT) - Nov. 20
71	43.3	Kansas	75	49.1	16 Orr		13,470	New York, NY (NIT) - Nov. 24
76	37.5	North Carolina	90	50.9	21 Lenard		13,590	New York, NY (NIT) - Nov. 26
107	49.4	MISS. VALLEY STATE	63	38.2	16 Lenard	8 Carter	13,764	WILLIAMS ARENA - Nov. 29
					16 Carter			
90	56.1	M. Tennessee State	76	44.6	27 Carter	7 Lenard	4,400	Murfreesboro, TN - Dec. 3
						7 Orr		
73	40.3	CLEMSON	54	35.5	19 Lenard	11 Carter	13,686	WILLIAMS ARENA - Dec. 15
79	54.7	WESTERN CAROLINA	61	43.1	15 Lenard	8 Carter	13,505	WILLIAMS ARENA - Dec. 19
66	33.8	San Jose State	53	39.6	15 Grim		6,152	San Jose, CA - Dec. 23
57	36.1	Virginia	62	47.1	18 McDonald	13 Carter	8,457	Charlottesville, VA - Dec. 28
73	39.7	JAMES MADISON	68	39.3	16 Lenard	15 Walton	13,744	WILLIAMS ARENA - Dec. 31
					16 Walton			
89	48.4	NE ILLINOIS	62	28.8	17 Lenard	8 Lenard	13,722	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 3
73	44.8	Northwestern	65	47.3	23 Lenard	7 Carter	8,117	Evanston, IL - Jan. 8
90	58.1	WISCONSIN	53	40.8	23 Lenard	7 Grim	14,413	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 12
67	33.3	Penn State	78	48.8	20 Lenard	8 Kolander	7,306	Univ. Park, PA - Jan. 15
63	47.3	MICHIGAN	58	37.5	12 Orr	8 Carter	14,452	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 20
68	45.6	MICHIGAN STATE	66	39.1	16 McDonald	10 McDonald	14,452	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 22 (2:00 PM)
		Indiana						Bloomington, IN - Jan. 26 (7:00 PM)
		PURDUE						WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 29 (Noon)
		St. John's						New York, NY - Jan. 30 (11:00 AM)
		Iowa						Iowa City, IA - Feb. 2 (7:00 PM)
		NORTHWESTERN						WILLIAMS ARENA - Feb. 5 (7:00 PM)
		OHIO STATE						WILLIAMS ARENA - Feb. 9 (7:00 PM)
		Wisconsin						Madison, WI - Feb. 12 (1:00 PM)
		PENN STATE						WILLIAMS ARENA - Feb. 16 (7:00 PM)
		Michigan						Ann Arbor, MI - Feb. 19 (11:00 AM)
		Michigan State						E. Lansing, MI - Feb. 23 (7:00 PM)
		INDIANA						WILLIAMS ARENA - Feb. 27 (1:00 PM)
		Purdue						W. Lafayette, IN - Mar. 3 (6:30 PM)
		IOWA						WILLIAMS ARENA - Mar. 5 (7:00 PM)
		Illinois						Champaign, IL - Mar. 9 (7:00 PM)
TEAM RECORD		ALL GAMES	13- 4	76.4%				
		LEAGUE	4- 1	80.0%				

GOLDEN GOPHERS WIN SIXTH STRAIGHT; HOST LEAGUE-LEADING NORTHERN MICHIGAN

The University of Minnesota ice hockey team continued its sizzling hot streak with an impressive, two-game, come-from-behind road sweep of the Denver Pioneers. The Golden Gophers (13-8-3, 11-6-3), got behind the eight ball early in both games giving up 4-1, and 2-1 first period leads. On Friday, the Maroon and Gold won its second consecutive overtime game with just seventeen seconds left in the extra period when **David Larson (So. St. Paul, Minn.)** hit his second overtime game winner of the season. Saturday, the Golden Gophers spotted the Pioneers 2-0, and 3-1 leads, before **Brian Bonin (White Bear Lake, Minn.)** notched his first career hat trick in the third period to lead the team to a 5-3 victory. The series sweep elevated the Golden Gophers into a tie for second place with St. Cloud State, and set up a key matchup with league-leading Northern Michigan this weekend at Mariucci Arena. The Wildcats will come in with a two-point lead in the standings and first place on the line. Game times for the series are set at 7:05 for both games.

Bonin Leads Team To Victory: Sophomore Brian Bonin again led the team to victory with his four goals for the weekend, including a natural hat trick in the third period of Saturday's game. He is the team's leading scorer with 16 goals and 12 assists and has become the offensive catalyst for the Golden Gophers. He has been named WCHA Offensive Player of the Week twice in the last six games and is a strong candidate again this week. He leads the team in power play goals with five and has helped set up the forwards on his power play unit as well. **Andy Brink (Bemidji, Minn.)** and **Justin McHugh (Minnetonka, Minn.)** are both on his unit and have three power play goals each. The new line of David Larson/McHugh/Bonin was very strong over the weekend and had both game-winning goals. McHugh is now tied for third on the team in scoring with six goals and 13 assists, while Larson has four goals and six assists in 12 games, including two overtime game-winning goals.

Nielsen/Dziedzic/Bianchi Line On Fire: The all-senior line of **Joe Dziedzic (Minneapolis, Minn.)**, **Jeff Nielsen (Grand Rapids, Minn.)**, and **Tony Bianchi (Bloomington, Minn.)** has really caught fire the last month. They have been a dominant force since they were united when Dziedzic came off his arm injury. Nielsen is second on the team in goals with 14 to go with nine assists. Dziedzic has scored five goals and has eight assists in the nine games since he returned to the lineup after a 12-game absence with a broken arm. Bianchi has quietly climbed to third in the scoring chart and now has three goals and a team-high 16 assists. This line has size, speed, and great scoring ability, and has been one of the big keys to the Minnesota turnaround.

McAlpine Attack: All-American candidate **Chris McAlpine (Sr., Roseville, Minn.)** is a force for the Golden Gophers. He is a dominant player in both ends of the rink. Last year, he was the second leading goal scorer from the blue line in the WCHA with 14 goals. If he equals his statistics of a year ago he will become the all-time leading goal-scoring defenseman at Minnesota as well as the leader in all-time penalty minutes leader. He is already the all-time penalty leader with 187 penalties, surpassing

Ben Hankinson's mark of 182. He is just three minutes short of the all-time penalty minutes mark held by Pat Micheletti with 403. He has been bothered by some nagging injuries, but has played through them and has been the backbone of the Minnesota defense. He has five goals and eight assists so far this year. He is the best defenseman in the WCHA and is a top candidate for All-America honors in the west.

Injury Update: The Golden Gophers have suffered through some key injuries this year. A week ago they had another loss at the blueline when sophomore **Mike McAlpine (So. St. Paul, Minn.)** went down against Michigan Tech with a third degree shoulder separation and will be out for at least two weeks. He had stepped in for **Charlie Wasley (Edina, Minn.)**, who had minor knee surgery two weeks ago and missed the Michigan Tech and Denver series. He is listed as possible for the Northern Michigan series.

Turnaround: The Golden Gophers turnaround from last place to second place in four weeks has been very impressive. The Maroon and Gold started the season 0-5-1, one of the worst starts in school history. Since then they have gone 13-3-2 overall and 11-1-2 in WCHA games, including nine wins in the last 10 games. The main key to this remarkable turnaround has been overall improvement in every area of the game. The Golden Gophers started the season as the second youngest team in the conference, now those young players are developing into the next generation of Minnesota stars and they are on a mission to lead the team back to its traditional position as one of the top teams in the country.

Next Up: The Golden Gophers will play host to key WCHA rival Northern Michigan this weekend at Mariucci Arena. The two teams combined have won two of the last three WCHA Championships and the last three WCHA Tournament Championships. The all-time series stands at 21-15-6, with each team having also won a Hall of Fame exhibition game. Minnesota has a 13-5-3 edge at Mariucci Arena, and the Golden Gophers are unbeaten at home in WCHA games (7-0-2) this year. Northern Michigan has an impressive 11-0 home record this year, including 3-1, and 7-3 victories over Minnesota last November.

Solid Goaltending: The goaltending duo of **Jeff Moen (Roseville, Minn.)** and **Jeff Callinan (Minnetonka, Minn.)** have gradually developed into one of the best tandems in the WCHA. Callinan has a 7-3-3 record with a 3.67 GAA, while Moen has a 6-5-0 record and a 3.17 GAA. In WCHA games, Moen is 5-4 with a 2.87 GAA which is in the top three in the WCHA. Moen has won five of his last six WCHA starts, and has the team's only shutout (3-0 over North Dakota). Callinan is 7-0-2 in his last nine WCHA starts, allowing only 23 goals (2.55 per-game in that span).

Golden Gophers on KSTP-AM 1500: The Golden Gophers signed a three-year contract with KSTP-AM 1500 over the summer that will greatly enhance the coverage of Minnesota hockey in the state. All games will be live on KSTP with former North Star broadcaster and NHL Hall of Famer, Al Shaver calling the action along with former Golden Gopher coach Glen Sonmor.

1993-94 Minnesota HOCKEY STATS AFTER 24 GAMES

NO	NAME	OVERALL											LEAGUE ONLY					
		GP	G	A	PTS	PEN	MIN	PP	SH	HAT	WG	EN	GP	G	A	PTS	PEN	MIN
21	Brian Bonin, F	24	16	12	28	5	10	4	1	1	5	1	20	16	10	26	5	10
20	Jeff Nielsen, F	23	14	9	23	21	70	2	0	0	1	1	19	11	5	16	20	68
19	Justin McHugh, F	24	6	13	19	18	36	3	0	0	0	1	20	5	12	17	15	30
28	Tony Bianchi, F	21	3	16	19	5	10	1	0	0	1	0	17	3	10	13	3	6
09	Joe Dziedzic, F	12	6	8	14	15	30	2	0	0	0	0	10	5	7	12	14	28
15	Steve Magnusson, F	16	2	12	14	8	16	0	0	0	1	0	12	1	12	13	6	12
04	Chris McAlpine, D	20	5	8	13	34	68	1	0	0	1	0	16	3	7	10	24	48
18	Andy Brink, F	22	5	6	11	1	2	3	0	0	2	0	20	5	6	11	1	2
05	Danny Trebil, D	24	0	11	11	9	18	0	0	0	0	0	20	0	8	8	8	16
11	Bobby Dustin, F	21	7	3	10	10	28	0	0	0	0	0	17	6	3	9	9	26
17	Dave Larson, F	14	4	6	10	19	38	0	0	0	2	0	11	3	5	8	15	30
08	Eric Means, D	22	3	6	9	10	20	1	0	0	0	0	20	3	6	9	7	14
27	Jed Fiebelkorn, F	22	4	3	7	20	41	1	0	0	0	0	18	2	3	5	14	29
06	Charlie Wasley, D	19	0	7	7	8	17	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	6	6	5	11
02	Greg Zwakman, D	24	2	4	6	10	20	0	1	0	0	0	20	1	2	3	7	14
33	Nick Checco, F	23	2	2	4	6	20	0	0	0	0	0	20	2	2	4	3	6
23	Dan Woog, F	20	0	4	4	14	37	0	0	0	0	0	16	0	3	3	13	35
12	Brian LaFleur, D	22	0	4	4	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	18	0	4	4	2	4
29	Dan Hendrickson, F	23	2	1	3	20	40	0	0	0	0	0	19	2	1	3	17	34
22	Jesse Bertogliat, F	6	1	0	1	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	3	6
35	Steve Green, G	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
26	Jim Hillman, F	3	0	0	0	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	4	8
03	Mike McAlpine, D	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0
25	Brent Godbout, F	10	0	0	0	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	3	6
30	Jeff Moen, G	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0
24	John Hillman, F	11	0	0	0	10	28	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	9	26
31	Jeff Callinan, G	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	0	0	0	0	0
	Bench					2	4										2	4

Minnesota	24	82	135	217	258	579	18	2	1	13	3	20	68	112	180	209	473
OPPONENTS	24	86	132	218	269	626	26	2	2	7	1	20	68	105	173	224	520

NO	GOALIE	OVERALL											LEAGUE ONLY								
		W	L	T	GP	PER	MIN	GA	AVG	SAV	PCT	W	L	T	GP	PER	MIN	GA	AVG	SAV	PCT
35	Steve Green	0	0	0	1	1	8:13	0	0.00	1	1.000	0	0	0	1	1	8:13	0	0.00	11.000	
30	Jeff Moen	6	5	0	11	34	606:1	32	3.17	258	.890	5	4	0	9	26	480:26	23	2.87	214	.903
31	Jeff Callinan	7	3	3	15	46	850:51	52	3.67	325	.862	6	2	3	13	40	730:51	44	3.61	288	.867
Minnesota		13	8	3	24	79	1465:5	84	3.44	584	.874	11	6	3	20	65	1219:30	67	3.30	503	.882
OPPONENTS		7	14	3	24	79	1466:42	85	3.48	596	.875	6	11	3	20	65	1221:55	68	3.34	515	.883

	Minnesota					OPPONENTS				
	PERIOD	1	2	3	OT	TOTAL	1	2	3	OT
GOALS	28	25	27	2	82	27	29	28	1	85
SHOT ON GOAL	224	237	219	12	692	206	241	204	12	663
GOALIE SAVES	179	213	182	11	585	191	225	187	10	613
PENALTIES	61	102	94	1	258	73	100	93	3	269

1993-94 Minnesota HOCKEY STATS AFTER 24 GAMES

W-L-T	MN	OPP	OPPONENT	ATTEND	PLACE & DATE
L	3	7	Colorado College	2955	Colorado Springs, Co 10/22/93
L	2	4	Colorado College	2809	Colorado Springs, Co 10/23/93
L	2	3	St. Cloud State	6375	St. Cloud, Minn 10/29/93
T(OT)	4	4	ST. CLOUD STATE	9207	Mariucci Arena 7:05 10/30/93
L	1	3	Northern Michigan	3937	Marquette, Mich. 7:05 11/05/93
L	3	7	Northern Michigan	3937	Marquette, Mich. 7:05 11/06/93
W	3	1	UMD	5612	Duluth, Minn. 7:35 11/12/93
T(OT)	3	3	UMD	5612	Duluth, Minn. 7:05 11/13/93
T(OT)	3	3	DENVER	9149	Mariucci Arena 7:05 11/19/93
W	4	3	DENVER	9250	Mariucci Arena 7:35 11/20/93
L	0	6	Michigan	11531	Palace, Auburn Hills 11/26/93
W	6	5	Michigan State	13214	Palace Auburn Hills, 11/27/93
W	6	5	NORTH DAKOTA	9059	Mariucci Arena 7:05 12/11/93
W	3	0	NORTH DAKOTA	8661	Mariucci Arena 7:05 12/12/93
W	4	3	Alaska-Anchorage	6406	Anchorage 7:05 12/17/93
L	2	7	Alaska-Anchorage	6406	Anchorage 7:05 12/18/93
W	5	2	CORNELL	8879	Mariucci Arena, 4:05 12/31/93
L(OT)	3	4	LAKE SUPERIOR ST.	8869	Mariucci Arena 7:05 01/02/94
W	5	2	WISCONSIN	9195	Mariucci Arena 2:05 01/08/93
W(OT)	4	3	WISCONSIN	17109	Target Center 2:05 01/09/94
W	3	1	MICHIGAN TECH	8836	Mariucci Arena 7:05 01/14/94
W	2	1	MICHIGAN TECH	9100	Mariucci Arena 01/15/94
W(OT)	6	5	Denver	4463	Denver, Colo 7:05 01/21/94
W	5	3	Denver	4700	Denver, Colo. 7:05 01/22/94

RECORD	HOME	ROAD	SEASON
LEAGUE	7- 0- 2	4- 6- 1	11- 6- 3
NON-LEAGUE	1- 1- 0	1- 1- 0	2- 2- 0
TOTAL	8- 1- 2	5- 7- 1	13- 8- 3

ATTENDANCE	HOME	ROAD	NEUTRAL
LEAGUE	89,566	53,212	0
OTHER	17,748	0	24,745
TOTAL	**,**	53,212	24,745
AVERAGE	9,755	4,837	12,372
TOTAL	185,271	TOTAL AVG	7,719

POWER PLAYS	ATT	PPG	PCT	SH
Minnesota	132	19	.140	2
OPPONENTS	125	26	.210	2

HAT TRICKS FOR	1	
Brian Bonin		Denver 01/22/94
SHORT HANDED FOR	2	
Brian Bonin (1)		ST. CLOUD STATE 10/30/93
Greg Zwakman (1)		LAKE SUPERIOR ST. 01/02/94

GYMNASTICS

GOLDEN GOPHER GYMNAST DEFEAT CYCLONES; BUCKEYES UP NEXT

The Golden Gopher men's gymnastics team opened the home portion of their season in the new Sports Pavilion by knocking off Iowa State 275.40-236.15, in dual meet action, over the weekend.

The win was the teams' first of the season, as they finished first in all six events, including the all-around. Senior co-captains **Brian Ottenhoff** (Kersey, Colo.) and **Bo Haun** (Springfield, Mo.) led the way for the Golden Gophers. Ottenhoff won both the parallel bars (9.50) and the horizontal bar (9.65), he also placed second in the all-around (54.95). Haun

captured top honors on the floor exercise (9.45) and in the all-around (55.35). Junior **Brian Yee** (Houston, Texas) took top honors on the pommel horse (9.70). Freshmen **Frank Ticknor** (Milwaukee, Wis.) and **Chris Harrington** (Brookfield, Wis.) won individual events as well. Ticknor on the still rings (9.40) and Harrington on the vault (9.25).

Minnesota has added UCLA to their regular season schedule. The Bruins will compete against the Golden Gophers along with nationally-ranked Nebraska in a triangular meet, on February 12, in the new Sports Pavilion at 1:00 p.m.

Next Saturday, the Maroon & Gold will travel to Columbus, Ohio to take on top-ranked Ohio State in dual meet action. Meet time is scheduled for 7:00 p.m.

WRESTLING

WRESTLERS COAST TO FOUR VICTORIES; GEAR UP FOR SECOND-RANKED IOWA FRIDAY NIGHT

J Robinson's Golden Gopher wrestling squad made relatively easy work of four conference foes this past weekend, and will now focus on getting ready for the second-ranked Iowa Hawkeyes, who invade Williams Arena this Friday evening.

Minnesota defeated Northwestern 33-9, and Illinois 29-13 on Saturday at the Sports Pavilion and Williams Arena. On Sunday, the Maroon and Gold journeyed to both Purdue and Indiana, disposing of the Boilermakers 29-12, and handing the 20th-ranked Hoosiers a 22-9 defeat.

Sophomore heavyweight **Billy Pierce** (So., Minneapolis, Minn.), currently ranked number one in the nation, lost two hard fought battles Sunday to other top-ranked heavyweights. Pierce lost to Tony Vaughn of Purdue (#6) 2-1 in double overtime, then lost another heartbreaker to Vito Maurici of Indiana (#4) 3-2 also in double overtime.

Results from Sunday's action:

MINNESOTA 29, PURDUE 12

118--Matt Koontz (P) won by forfeit
126--Tim Harris (MN) dec. Shane Hanson (P) 12-7
134--Alex Coriano (P) dec. Chris Berglin (MN) 9-7 OT
142--Jeff Thompson (MN) major dec. Steve Lapadat (P) 12-4
150--Willy Short (MN) tech. fall Eric Douglas (P) 22-7 6:44
158--Zac Taylor (MN) major dec. Toby Turner (P) 12-0
167--Brett Colombini (MN) won by forfeit
177--Brad Gibson (MN) major dec. David McCubbins (P) 16-4
190--Darren Andy (MN) dec. John Hansen (P) 6-2
HWT--Tony Vaughn (P) dec. Billy Pierce (MN) 2-1 OT

MINNESOTA 22, INDIANA 9

118--Brandon Paulson (MN) dec. Derek Moscovic (IND) 10-4
126--Tim Harris (MN) dec. Chris Russo (IND) 5-4
134--Roger Chandler (IND) dec. Chris Berglin (MN) 8-2
142--Andy Trevino (IND) dec. Jeff Thompson (MN) 7-3

TRACK & FIELD TEAM SET TO HOST MINNESOTA INVITATIONAL SATURDAY

Coach Roy Griak's Golden Gopher track & field squad will host the Minnesota Invitational on Saturday at the U of M Field House. The pentathlon competition will begin at 10:30 a.m., with the regular meet schedule set to get started at 4:00 p.m.

Last Year: The Golden Gophers had six individual event winners at the 1993 Minnesota Invitational, and three of those will return to defend their titles. Sophomore **Chris Darkins** (Houston, Texas) won the 55 meters with a time of 6.33, senior **Matt Burns** (Cedar Rapids, Iowa) took the high jump with a leap of 6-11, and senior **Martin Eriksson** (Stockholm, Sweden) captured the pole vault with a U of M Field House record mark of 17-11 3/4.

Looking Good: Martin Eriksson and junior **Keita Cline** (Gainesville, Fla.) qualified provisionally for the NCAA Indoor Championships at last Saturday's Badger Classic in Madison,

150--Willy Short (MN) maj. dec. Scott Petsche (IND) 15-6
158--Zac Taylor (MN) dec. Jonathan McClain (IND) 5-1
167--Brett Colombini (MN) dec. Ryan Edmunson (IND) 10-4
177--Brad Gibson (MN) dec. Brady Harrison (IND) 8-4
190--Darren Andy (MN) dec. Ben Nachtrieb (IND) 9-4
HWT--Vito Maurici (IND) dec. Billy Pierce (MN) 3-2 2OT

Upper Weights Impressive: For the weekend, the Maroon and Gold grapplers literally owned their competition at the bigger weights. From 150 pounds through 190 pounds, the Golden Gophers won all 20 matches without a defeat. Barring injury or illness, it appears Head Coach J Robinson is set with **Willy Short** (Sr., 150, Inver Grove Heights), **Zac Taylor** (Fr., 158, Sandpoint, Idaho), **Brett Colombini** (Jr., 167, Redwood Valley, Calif.), **Brad Gibson** (Sr., 177, Chokio, Minn.), and **Darren Andy** (Sr., 190, Billings, Mont.). Add these to number one ranked heavyweight Pierce, and it appears to have the potential to be one of the best Golden Gopher lineups in history.

Short Remains Perfect; Tough Test Friday Night: Short remained unblemished on the season with his four victories this weekend, raising his record to 24-0. The 150-pound senior from Simley will face his toughest test of the campaign Friday evening, as he challenges Iowa's Lincoln McIlravy, ranked number one in the nation at 150 pounds. McIlravy won the NCAA title at 142 pounds last season as a true freshman.

Hawkeye Dominance To Be Tested: The Golden Gophers will get a shot at doing something Friday night that only one Big Ten team has done in the last 20 years---defeat the Iowa Hawkeyes. The only team to beat the Hawkeyes in a Big Ten dual meet since 1974 was Michigan in 1989.

Next Poll To Be Released Wednesday: The latest *Amateur Wrestling News/Coaches Association* team and individual rankings will be released on Wednesday. The Maroon and Gold are sure to climb from their current position of eighth, having won their last eight matches without a blemish since the last poll was released on January 12.

TRACK & FIELD

Wis. Eriksson won the pole vault with a mark of 17-4 3/4. He set the indoor school record with a vault of 18-0 1/2 en route to winning the NCAA indoor title last year. Freshman **Tye Harvey** (Jamestown, Calif.), the top-ranked prep pole vaulter in the country last season, finished second with a mark of 16-0. Cline finished second in the long jump with a school record leap of 25-2 3/4. That broke the previous record of 24-11 1/4 set last year by Tyrone Minor. Cline also placed second in the 55 meters with a time of 6.46. Defending Big Ten indoor champion **Matt Burns** in the high jump (6-8), junior **Rob Hydukovich** (Bemidji, Minn.) in the shot put (56-0), and sophomore **Paul Michalek** (Bloomington, Minn.) in the 800 meters (1:55.8) also captured individual events for the Golden Gophers.

Big Ten Championships: The Big Ten Indoor Championships will be held Feb. 25-26 at Ann Arbor, Mich. The Big Ten Outdoor Championships will take place May 21-22 at Madison, Wis.

TENNIS

GOLDEN GOPHERS PLAY HOST TO ICE VOLLEYS

The defending Big Ten Champion Golden Gopher Men's tennis team will put their 14-match winning streak on the line Friday, when they play host to No. 11 ranked Alabama in the first round of the 13th annual Ice Volleys Classic at the 98th Street Racquet Club in Bloomington on Friday at 4:30 p.m.

Minnesota's 14th straight dual match win streak dates back to last March, which includes three matches at the Big Ten Championships. Minnesota was 28-3 last season, 10-0 in the Big Ten and captured their second straight Big Ten title. The last Golden Gopher lost was March 26 to Tennessee, 6-1.

Minnesota 1-0 this season, currently ranked No. 27 in the ITA poll, will also host No. 22 ranked Tennessee and Indiana in the two-day tournament.

Next: Following the Ice Volleys, the Golden Gophers will host the Minnesota Invitational on February 11-12 at the 98th Street Racquet Clubs in Bloomington. Along with Minnesota, Kansas, Washington and West Virginia will compete in the two-day tournament.

Last Week: Minnesota opened their home season with a 6-0 victory over Iowa State at the Burnsville Racquet Club this past Saturday. The entire team won each of its matches in both singles and doubles play.

The doubles pair of **Ross Loel (Marina Del Ray, Calif.)** and **Lars Hjarrand (Oslo, Norway)** improved their record to 8-2 on the season with a victory over the Cyclones No. 1 doubles team.

BASEBALL

17th-RANKED GOLDEN GOPHER BASEBALL TEAM OPENS WITH TOP TWO TEAMS IN THE COUNTRY

The University of Minnesota baseball team begins its 56-game regular season with three games, February 11-13, against number one-ranked Georgia Tech University, in Atlanta, Ga. In all, the Golden Gophers will play five teams in the pre-season top 20 as listed by *Baseball America* magazine. Following the Tech series, the Golden Gophers will play second-ranked Florida State, and 15th-ranked Miami, on three straight weekends in February.

The 1994 Golden Gopher schedule consists of 27 home games, with 18 games at Siebert Field and nine games at the Metrodome, including three during the Oscar Mayer Baseball Classic.

The Golden Gophers will open the home portion of their schedule with the Professional Alumni game on February 1, at 7:00 p.m. at the Metrodome. The regular season home opener is March 4-6 when they host the Oscar Mayer Baseball Classic. The round-robin tournament is celebrating its 10th anniversary and will feature 13th-ranked Arizona State University, 16th-ranked Ohio State University, and perennial national power Arizona in a match up of the Big Ten and the Pac 10.


The Golden Gophers' Big Ten Conference season begins the weekend of April 1-3, when they travel to Champaign, Ill. to take on the University of Illinois in a four-game set. The conference home opener is slated for the weekend of April 9-10, when they host the University of Iowa. Doubleheaders are scheduled for Saturday and Sunday at 1:00 p.m.

1994 UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA BASEBALL SCHEDULE

FEBRUARY 1	PRO-ALUMNI GAME	METRODOME
February 11-13	Georgia Tech	Atlanta, Ga.
February 18-20	Florida State	Tallahassee, Fla.
February 25-27	Miami	Miami, Fla.
OSCAR MAYER BASEBALL CLASSIC		
MARCH 4	ARIZONA STATE	METRODOME
MARCH 5	ARIZONA	METRODOME
MARCH 6	OHIO STATE	METRODOME
March 20	S.W. Missouri	Springfield, Mo.
March 21	Oral Roberts	Tulsa, Okla.
March 22	S.W. Missouri	Springfield, Mo.
MARCH 24	IOWA STATE	METRODOME
MARCH 25-27	KANSAS STATE	METRODOME
MARCH 29	ST. CLOUD STATE	METRODOME
MARCH 30	CREIGHTON	METRODOME
April 1-3	Illinois	Champaign, Ill.
APRIL 6	MANKATO STATE	SIEBERT FIELD
APRIL 9-10	IOWA	SIEBERT FIELD
APRIL 13	ST. OLAF	SIEBERT FIELD
April 16-17	Purdue	W. Lafayette, Ind.
APRIL 19	ST. THOMAS	SIEBERT FIELD
April 23-24	Michigan State	East Lansing, Mich.
April 27	Northern Iowa	Cedar Falls, Iowa
APRIL 29-MAY 1	NORTHWESTERN	SIEBERT FIELD
MAY 4	NORTH DAKOTA ST.	SIEBERT FIELD
MAY 5	CONCORDIA-MHD	SIEBERT FIELD
MAY 11	UM-DULUTH	SIEBERT FIELD
MAY 13-15	INDIANA	SIEBERT FIELD
May 19-22	Big Ten Championship	Battle Creek, Mich.

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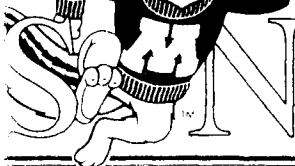
SKATE WITH THE GOPHERS SCHEDULED FOR JANUARY 30

The University of Minnesota Athletic Department, in conjunction with KITN/Fox 29 television, announced plans for the Annual Skate with the Golden Gophers. The event is scheduled for Sunday, January 30 between 3:30 and 5:30 p.m. at Mariucci Arena.

Fans of all ages are invited to take to the ice, for a chance to meet and skate with the team. The event is free with a \$1 donation to the Minnesota Foodshelves. Fans will need to bring their own skates. For more information fans can call the promotions and marketing office at (612) 625-4879.

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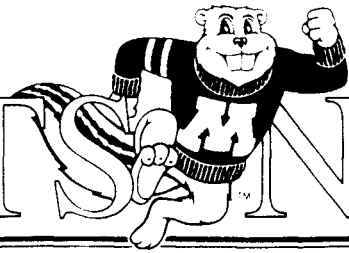
UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA TO RETIRE PAUL MOLITOR'S JERSEY

The University of Minnesota announced today that Paul Molitor's baseball jersey will be retired at a ceremony at the First Annual Minnesota Baseball Banquet, Wednesday, February 2, 1994, at the Radisson Metrodome at 7:00 p.m. The banquet is a combination fundraising effort between the Minnesota Twins and the Golden Gopher baseball program. All proceeds from the event will go to the Williams Scholarship Fund and the Twins Community Fund.

Molitor competed for Dick Siebert and the Golden Gophers from 1975-77, leading them to the Big Ten Championship and the College World Series in 1977. He was a first team All-Big Ten selection in 1976 and 1977 as well as an All-America pick in 1976. During his career he broke many single-season and career records, including the single season at bats record of 186, most hits with 70, most runs with 47, most triples with six and the most total bases in a season with 113. All those single-season records were set in a 49-game season. When he left the Golden Gophers for the professional ranks he held the following career records; runs scored (112), hits (159), RBIs (99), triples (11), home runs (18), total bases (254) and stolen bases (52).

Since Molitor left the U of M he has gone on to great success as a major league baseball player. But he has not lost his connection to the University of Minnesota. A strong supporter of the program, he gave \$100,000 in 1992 to endow a scholarship for the baseball program and he has challenged his counterparts in the major leagues from the U of M to contribute as well. He has been known throughout his career as a player who gave everything he had on the field, and he has done that for his alma mater as well. As a small token of the appreciation that the University of Minnesota and the Golden Gopher baseball program feels towards him, no player will ever again wear Molitor's number 11 jersey.

Tickets are available for the banquet. For more information on the Minnesota Baseball Banquet or the retiring of Paul Molitor's jersey, call the Williams Fund at 625-1001.



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GOLDEN GOPHERS TO RETIRE DAVE WINFIELD'S BASEBALL NUMBER 31

The University of Minnesota announced today that they will officially retire Dave Winfield's number 31 baseball jersey at the First Annual Minnesota Baseball Banquet. The ceremony will be held Wednesday, February 2, 1994, at the Radisson Metrodome at 7:00 p.m. Winfield will be honored with fellow St. Paul native and Golden Gopher Paul Molitor, who will have his number retired at that time as well. The banquet is a combined fundraising effort between the Minnesota Twins and the Golden Gopher baseball program. All proceeds from the event will go to the Williams Scholarship Fund and the Twins Community Fund.

Winfield competed for Dick Siebert and the Golden Gophers from 1971-73, leading them to the Big Ten Championship and the College World Series in 1973. He was a first team All-Big Ten selection for three consecutive seasons (1971-73), as well an All-America pick by the Sporting News in 1973. Winfield was named the MVP of the 1973 College World Series for his hitting and pitching performance when he led the Maroon and Gold to a third-place finish.

The St. Paul native posted a .353 career batting average with nine home runs and 38 RBIs, but it was on the mound that he made his biggest contributions. He had a 19-4 career record with 229 strikeouts, including a single-season record of 109 in 1973. His career winning percentage of .826 is still fourth-best in Golden Gopher history.

Since Winfield left the U of M he has gone on to great success as a major league baseball player. But he has not lost his connection to the University of Minnesota. A strong supporter of the program, he has helped raise money for the athletic department by making numerous public appearances and contributions to the program. As a token of the appreciation that the University of Minnesota and the Golden Gopher baseball program feels towards him, no player will ever again wear Winfield's number 31 jersey.

Tickets are available for the banquet. For more information on the Minnesota Baseball Banquet or the retiring of Dave Winfield and Paul Molitor jersey numbers, call the Williams Fund at 625-1001.

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COACH WACKER AVAILABLE TO MEDIA WEDNESDAY

University of Minnesota Head Football Coach Jim Wacker will be available to the media at 4:30 p.m. Wednesday in the players lounge of the Gibson-Nagurski Football Complex. The list of Golden Gopher national letter of intent signees will be released at that time.

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**Golden Gopher Events
This Week**

Tuesday, February 1
Baseball - Pro-Alumni
7:00 p.m., Metrodome

Wednesday, February 2
Basketball @ Iowa
7:00 p.m., Iowa City, Iowa
WCCO-TV/WCCO-AM 830

Thursday, February 3
Wrestling vs. Nebraska
7:30 p.m., Worthington, Minn.

Friday, January 4
Swimming/Diving-Triple Duals
6:00 p.m., Aquatic Center

Saturday, January 5
Swimming/Diving-Triple Duals
Noon, Aquatic Center

Track & Field-Iowa/South
Dakota/Mankato State
Noon, UM Field House

Hockey vs. Minnesota-Duluth
1:05 p.m., Mariucci Arena
MSC/KSTP-AM 1500

Gymnastics-Winter Cup Invite.
Colorado Springs, Colo.

Wrestling vs. Oklahoma St.
7:30 p.m., Sports Pavilion

Basketball vs. Northwestern
7:00 p.m., Williams Arena
MSC/WCCO-AM 830

Sunday, January 6
Hockey vs. Minnesota-Duluth
1:05 p.m., Mariucci Arena
MSC/KSTP-AM 1500

Gymnastics-Winter Cup Invite.
Colorado Springs, Colo.

Wrestling vs. Northern Iowa
2:30 p.m., Cedar Falls, Iowa

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1993-94 Basketball Schedule

Nov. 18 UM 70, RICE 61 (NIT)
Nov. 20 UM 91, GEORGIA 71 (NIT)
Nov. 24 UM 71, Kansas 75 (NIT)
Nov. 26 UM 76, No. Carolina, 90 (NIT)
Nov. 29 UM 107, MISS. VALLEY ST. 63
Dec. 1 UM 98, USA VERICH REPS 60
Dec. 3 UM 90, @ Middle Tenn. St. 76
Dec. 12 UM 87, TEAM MEXICO 76
Dec. 15 UM 73, CLEMSON 54
Dec. 19 UM 79, WESTERN CAROLINA 61
Dec. 23 UM 66, @ San Jose State 53
Dec. 28 UM 57, @ Virginia 62
Dec. 31 UM 73, JAMES MADISON 68
Jan. 3 UM 89, N.E. ILLINOIS 62
Jan. 8 UM 73, @ Northwestern 65
Jan. 12 UM 90, WISCONSIN 53
Jan. 15 UM 67, @ Penn State 78
Jan. 20 UM 63, MICHIGAN 58
Jan. 22 UM 68, MICHIGAN ST. 66
Jan. 26 UM 66, @ Indiana 78
Jan. 29 UM 72, PURDUE 75
Jan. 30 UM 92, @ St. John's 64
Feb. 2 @ Iowa 7:00 p.m.
Feb. 5 NORTHWESTERN 7:00 p.m.
Feb. 9 OHIO STATE 7:00 p.m.
Feb. 12 @ Wisconsin 1:00 p.m.
Feb. 16 PENN STATE 7:00 p.m.
Feb. 19 @ Michigan 11:00 a.m.
Feb. 23 @ Michigan State 7:00 p.m.
Feb. 27 INDIANA 1:00 p.m.
Mar. 3 @ Purdue 6:30 p.m.
Mar. 5 IOWA 7:00 p.m.
Mar. 9 @ Illinois 7:00 p.m.

Hotline

Call the Golden Gopher
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Big Ten FAX On Demand

Releases from all Big Ten
schools will be available this season.
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1993-94 Hockey Schedule

Oct. 22 UM 3, @ Colorado College 7
Oct. 23 UM 2, @ Colorado College 4
Oct. 27 UM 6, U.S. Olympic Team 7
Oct. 29 UM 2, @ St. Cloud State 3
Oct. 30 UM 4, ST. CLOUD STATE 4 (OT)
Nov. 5 UM 1, @ Northern Michigan 3
Nov. 6 UM 3, @ Northern Michigan 7
Nov. 12 UM 3, @ Minnesota-Duluth 1
Nov. 13 UM 3, @ Minnesota-Duluth 3 (OT)
Nov. 19 UM 3, DENVER 3 (OT)
Nov. 20 UM 5, DENVER 4
Nov. 26 **WCHA/CCHA Challenge**
(@ Auburn Hills, Mich.)
UM 0, Michigan 6
Nov. 27 UM 6, Michigan State 5
Dec. 11 UM 6, NORTH DAKOTA 5
Dec. 12 UM 3, NORTH DAKOTA 0
Dec. 17 UM 4, @ Alaska-Anchorage 3
Dec. 18 UM 2, @ Alaska-Anchorage 7
Dec. 28 UM 2, RUSSIAN SELECTS 4
Dec. 31 **Mariucci Classic**
UM 5, CORNELL 2
Jan. 1 UM 3, LAKE SUPERIOR ST. 4 (2OT)
Jan. 8 UM 5, WISCONSIN 2
Jan. 9 UM 4, WISCONSIN 3 (OT)
Jan. 14 UM 3, MICHIGAN TECH 1
Jan. 15 UM 2, MICHIGAN TECH 1
Jan. 21 UM 6, @ Denver 5 (OT)
Jan. 22 UM 5, @ Denver 3
Jan. 28 UM 4, NO. MICHIGAN 2
Jan. 29 UM 4, NO. MICHIGAN 2
Feb. 5 UM-DULUTH 1:05 p.m.
Feb. 6 UM-DULUTH 1:05 p.m.
Feb. 11 @ North Dakota 7:35 p.m.
Feb. 12 @ North Dakota 7:35 p.m.
Feb. 18 ALASKA-ANCHORAGE 7:05 p.m.
Feb. 19 ALASKA-ANCHORAGE 7:05 p.m.
Feb. 25 @ Wisconsin 7:05 p.m.
Feb. 26 @ Wisconsin 7:05 p.m.
Mar. 4 ST. CLOUD STATE 7:05 p.m.
Mar. 5 @ St. Cloud State 7:05 p.m.
Mar. 12-13 WCHA First Round
Mar. 18-20 WCHA Playoff Championship
Mar. 26-27 NCAA Regionals
Mar. 31 NCAA Semifinals St. Paul, Minn.
April 2 NCAA Championship St. Paul, Minn.

**GOLDEN GOPHERS PLAY AT IOWA WEDNESDAY;
HOST NORTHWESTERN SATURDAY**

Fresh off a big 92-64 non-conference victory over St. John's at Madison Square Garden in New York Sunday, Head Coach Clem Haskins' Golden Gopher basketball team (14-6, 4-3) will stay busy with a pair of Big Ten games this week. The Golden Gophers will meet the Iowa Hawkeyes (8-8, 2-5) at Carver-Hawkeye Arena in Iowa City Wednesday, and then play host to the Northwestern Wildcats (9-7, 0-7) at Williams Arena Saturday. The starting time for both games is 7:00 p.m.

Probable Starters:

- F - #34 Randy Carter (6-8, Sr., Memphis, Tenn.)
- F - #32 Jayson Walton (6-6, Jr., Dallas, Texas)
- C - #51 Chad Kolander (6-9, Jr., Owatonna, Minn.)
- G - #21 Voshon Lenard (6-4, Jr., Detroit, Mich.)
- G - #10 Arriel McDonald (6-3, Sr., Raleigh, N.C.)

Broadcast Coverage: The Iowa game Wednesday will be televised back to the Twin Cities on WCCO-TV (4). Saturday's home game against Northwestern will be seen on the Midwest Sports Channel. Dick Bremer will handle the play-by-play duties, with Jim Dutcher as the analyst. WCCO-AM 830 is the exclusive radio voice of Golden Gopher basketball with Ray Christensen calling the action.

Coach Haskins: Clem Haskins put the appropriate finishing touches on his seventh season at the helm of the University of Minnesota basketball program by leading the Golden Gophers to the 1993 NIT title. After rebuilding the program in his first two seasons, he has now directed the Golden Gophers to post-season tournament action in four of the past five seasons. He has a record of 125-106 in eight seasons at Minnesota, and a 226-179 mark in 14 seasons overall. Haskins' success in post-season play is certainly no secret. He has an impressive 10-3 (5-2 NCAA; 5-1 NIT) record in post-season tournament action at Minnesota.

Huge Win: After dropping a pair of hard-fought Big Ten games...78-66 at Indiana Wednesday and then 75-72 to Purdue at Williams Arena Saturday...the Golden Gophers bounced back in grand fashion with a 92-64 victory over St. John's at Madison Square Garden Sunday. The Golden Gophers blew open a close game with a 31-6 run over the last 10:50 of the first half. The team shot a blistering 66.7 percent (22 of 33) from the floor in the first 20 minutes, and 55.2 percent (37 of 67) for the game. Voshon Lenard led all scorers in the game with 27 points. Randy Carter turned in an equally outstanding game with 17 points, 12 rebounds and a career-high seven assists.

A Closer Look: In a game that went right down to the wire, Iowa fell to 8-8 overall and 2-5 in the Big Ten with a heartbreaking 87-84 loss at Michigan State Saturday. In his eighth season at the helm of the Hawkeye program, Head Coach Tom Davis will bring a 160-80 mark into Wednesday's confrontation with the Golden Gophers. He is 434-230 in his 23rd season overall. After concluding its non-conference schedule with a perfect 9-0 mark, the tough times in the Big Ten continued for Northwestern

this past weekend. The Wildcats fell to 0-7 in the league after an 80-75 defeat at home to Penn State Saturday. Ricky Byrdson is in his first season as head coach of the Wildcats. He is 62-94 in his sixth season overall.

Series Records: Minnesota has an 82-72 advantage in the all-time series with Iowa, but the Hawkeyes hold a 43-32 edge in games played in Iowa City. Minnesota opened the Big Ten schedule with a 73-65 win over Northwestern at Welsh-Ryan Arena in Evanston, Ill., back on Jan. 8, and the Golden Gophers now lead the all-time series 77-50. The Golden Gophers have won 10 straight over the Wildcats heading into Saturday's game.

Turnover Story: Minnesota has created 99 turnovers in Big Ten play and had just 76 of its own to rank first in the league in turnover margin at +3.3 a game. The Golden Gophers have had less turnovers than their opponents in 15 of 20 games overall.

1,000 Point Club: Three current Golden Gophers are members of the school's prestigious 1,000 Point Club. Voshon Lenard is ranked 13th on the all-time school scoring list with 1,258 points. Lou Hudson (1963-66) is 12th with 1,329 points. Arriel McDonald is 18th with 1,121 career points. Darryl Mitchell (1978-82) is 17th with 1,182. Randy Carter went over the 1,000 point mark with his first basket in Sunday's win over St. John's. He finished with 17 points on the day and is now ranked 25th on the all-time list with 1,016 points. Eric Hill (1968-71) is 24th with 1,057.

Williams Arena: The Golden Gophers have registered an impressive 35-7 record (.833) over the past three seasons in Williams Arena, which includes a sparkling 10-1 mark this season. Last Saturday's 75-72 loss to Purdue was the team's first home defeat of the season.

70 The Magic Number: Minnesota is 12-1 this season when they hold an opponent to less than 70 points, and 2-5 when the opponent scores 70 points or more.

Hitting The Boards: The Golden Gophers have outrebounded their opponents in 15 of 20 games overall this season.

Getting Out In Front: The Golden Gophers are a perfect 13-0 this season when they hold the lead at halftime, 14-1 when they lead with five minutes remaining, and 14-0 when they lead with one minute remaining.

Orr Has Surgery: Junior guard Townsend Orr (Dolton, Ill.) had surgery last Thursday after suffering a broken nose in the team's loss at Indiana. Wearing a protective mask, he scored nine points in 17 minutes in Saturday's loss to Purdue, and then came back with 11 points, seven rebounds and six assists in the victory over St. John's Sunday.

Weekly Luncheons: A luncheon/news conference with Coach Clem Haskins will be held every Tuesday at Noon in the Williams Arena Club Room.

INCLUDES LEAGUE GAMES

NAME	G	ST	TOTAL FG			3-PT FG			FREE THROWS			REBOUNDS			AVG	PF	DIS	AST	AVG			MIN	PTS	AVG	
			FG	FGA	PCT	FG	FGA	PCT	FT	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT					AST	TO	BLK				STL
Lenard	7	7	41	94	43.6	16	45	35.6	19	21	90.5	5	19	24	3.4	19	1	8	1.1	14	2	8	30	117	16.7
HIGHS:			PTS 23	vs Northwestern							RBS 6	vs Northwestern						AST 2	vs Indiana						
Orr	7	0	25	52	48.1	10	29	34.5	13	18	72.2	5	11	16	2.3	11	0	19	2.7	7	0	8	22	73	10.4
HIGHS:			PTS 18	vs Northwestern							RBS 4	vs Indiana						AST 6	vs MICHIGAN STATE						
McDonald	7	7	23	57	40.4	5	15	33.3	22	25	88.0	7	21	28	4.0	12	1	42	6.0	12	0	7	32	73	10.4
HIGHS:			PTS 16	vs MICHIGAN STATE							RBS 10	vs MICHIGAN STATE						AST 16	vs WISCONSIN						
Carter	7	7	28	59	47.5	1	3	33.3	6	12	50.0	21	24	45	6.4	18	1	15	2.1	11	3	3	27	63	9.0
HIGHS:			PTS 18	vs Indiana							RBS 9	vs Indiana						AST 3	vs WISCONSIN						
Kolander	7	4	23	49	46.9	0	0	.0	14	22	63.6	14	19	33	4.7	25	4	8	1.1	7	3	7	24	60	8.6
HIGHS:			PTS 15	vs Penn State							RBS 8	vs Penn State						AST 3	vs MICHIGAN						
Walton	7	7	15	37	40.5	0	0	.0	10	15	66.7	4	21	25	3.6	9	0	12	1.7	9	1	8	20	40	5.7
HIGHS:			PTS 9	vs PURDUE							RBS 6	vs Northwestern						AST 3	vs PURDUE						
Nzigamasabo	7	3	15	32	46.9	0	0	.0	7	13	53.8	15	12	27	3.9	14	0	6	.9	6	2	4	19	37	5.3
HIGHS:			PTS 10	vs Northwestern							RBS 5	vs Northwestern						AST 2	vs MICHIGAN STATE						
Grim	7	0	10	31	32.3	4	13	30.8	2	7	28.6	6	17	23	3.3	10	0	5	.7	6	2	4	16	26	3.7
HIGHS:			PTS 13	vs WISCONSIN							RBS 7	vs WISCONSIN						AST 2	vs MICHIGAN						
Thomas	5	0	2	5	40.0	0	0	.0	2	2	100.0	5	4	9	1.8	3	0	1	.2	0	1	0	6	6	1.2
HIGHS:			PTS 4	vs MICHIGAN STATE							RBS 5	vs MICHIGAN STATE						AST 1	vs MICHIGAN STATE						
Winter	3	0	2	2	100.0	0	0	.0	0	0	.0	0	1	1	.3	1	0	0	.0	1	0	0	3	4	1.3
HIGHS:			PTS 4	vs WISCONSIN							RBS 1	vs Penn State													
Crittenden	1	0	0	0	.0	0	0	.0	0	2	.0	0	1	1	1.0	0	0	1	1.0	0	0	0	1	0	.0
HIGHS:											RBS 1	vs WISCONSIN						AST 1	vs WISCONSIN						
Wolf	2	0	0	1	.0	0	0	.0	0	0	.0	2	0	2	1.0	1	0	0	.0	0	0	0	3	0	.0
HIGHS:											RBS 2	vs WISCONSIN													
TEAM														24	3.4					3					
TOTAL	7		184	419	43.9	36	105	34.3	95	137	69.3	84	174	258	36.9	123	7	117	16.7	76	14	49		499	71.3
HIGHS:			PTS 90	vs WISCONSIN							RBS 43	vs PURDUE						AST 30	vs WISCONSIN						
OPPONENTS	7		165	375	44.0	45	123	36.6	98	151	64.9	67	173	240	34.3	133	5	96	13.7	99	24	35		473	67.6
HIGHS:			PTS 78	vs Penn State							RBS 39	vs MICHIGAN STATE						AST 20	vs Indiana						

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OPPONENTS
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University of Minnesota BASKETBALL TEAM STATISTICS

INCLUDES LEAGUE GAMES & NON-LEAGUE GAMES

NAME	G	ST	TOTAL FG			3-PT FG			FREE THROWS			REBOUNDS			AVG	PF	DIS	AST	AVG			PTS	AVG						
			FGA	PCT	FG	FGA	PCT	FT	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	AST					TO	BLK	STL			MIN					
Lenard HIGHS:	20	20	111	256	43.4	46	118	39.0	48	56	85.7	17	62	79	3.9	57	3	44	2.2	43	9	21	29	316	15.8				
	PTS 27 vs St. John's						RBS 8 vs NE ILLINOIS			AST 6 vs JAMES MADISON																			
Carter HIGHS:	20	20	90	173	52.0	3	15	20.0	46	72	63.9	53	93	146	7.3	56	2	56	2.8	42	9	18	28	229	11.5				
	PTS 27 vs Middle Tennessee Sta						RBS 13 vs Virginia			AST 7 vs St. John's																			
McDonald HIGHS:	20	20	67	153	43.8	14	45	31.1	51	66	77.3	17	44	61	3.1	31	1	102	5.1	42	1	27	28	199	10.0				
	PTS 18 vs Virginia						RBS 10 vs MICHIGAN STATE			AST 16 vs WISCONSIN																			
Orr HIGHS:	19	0	65	135	48.1	26	74	35.1	41	55	74.5	14	54	68	3.6	31	0	69	3.6	31	0	28	22	197	10.4				
	PTS 18 vs Northwestern						RBS 7 vs Middle Tennessee Sta			AST 9 vs MISSISSIPPI VALLEY S																			
Kolander HIGHS:	20	15	58	125	46.4	0	0	.0	37	58	63.8	33	54	87	4.4	71	7	22	1.1	22	12	22	22	153	7.7				
	PTS 15 vs Penn State						RBS 8 vs Penn State			AST 3 vs RICE																			
Grim HIGHS:	20	4	57	142	40.1	20	48	41.7	13	24	54.2	29	38	67	3.4	22	0	26	1.3	22	4	17	19	147	7.4				
	PTS 15 vs North Carolina						RBS 7 vs CLEMSON			AST 5 vs MISSISSIPPI VALLEY S																			
Walton HIGHS:	14	13	45	95	47.4	0	0	.0	20	32	62.5	19	47	66	4.7	21	0	17	1.2	24	2	12	21	110	7.9				
	PTS 16 vs JAMES MADISON						RBS 15 vs JAMES MADISON			AST 3 vs PURDUE																			
Nzigamasabo HIGHS:	20	4	34	79	43.0	0	0	.0	14	20	70.0	41	30	71	3.6	36	0	20	1.0	20	6	10	16	82	4.1				
	PTS 13 vs NE ILLINOIS						RBS 7 vs CLEMSON			AST 3 vs GEORGIA																			
Thomas HIGHS:	17	2	19	50	38.0	0	0	.0	9	20	45.0	30	19	49	2.9	24	1	2	.1	6	3	1	10	47	2.8				
	PTS 8 vs GEORGIA						RBS 8 vs San Jose State			AST 1 vs MISSISSIPPI VALLEY S																			
Wolf HIGHS:	15	0	7	29	24.1	3	10	30.0	11	12	91.7	6	10	16	1.1	14	0	5	.3	9	1	0	6	28	1.9				
	PTS 11 vs NE ILLINOIS						RBS 6 vs NE ILLINOIS			AST 3 vs Middle Tennessee Sta																			
Baker HIGHS:	8	2	6	11	54.5	0	0	.0	2	4	50.0	4	8	12	1.5	5	0	0	.0	4	2	2	5	14	1.8				
	PTS 10 vs MISSISSIPPI VALLEY S						RBS 7 vs MISSISSIPPI VALLEY S																						
Winter HIGHS:	4	0	5	9	55.6	1	1	100.0	0	0	.0	1	3	4	1.0	2	0	0	.0	1	1	2	6	11	2.8				
	PTS 7 vs St. John's						RBS 3 vs St. John's																						
Crittenden HIGHS:	9	0	0	5	.0	0	2	.0	0	2	.0	0	1	1	.1	1	0	4	.4	1	0	0	1	0	.0				
							RBS 1 vs WISCONSIN			AST 2 vs St. John's																			
TEAM															93	4.7											6		
TOTAL	20	564		1262	44.7	113	313	36.1	292	421	69.4	264	556	820	41.0	371	14	367	18.3	273	50	160	1533		76.7				
HIGHS:	PTS 107 vs MISS. VALLEY STATE						RBS 58 vs MISS. VALLEY STATE			AST 31 vs MISS. VALLEY STATE																			
OPPONENTS	20	484		1167	41.5	109	351	31.1	256	409	62.6	233	488	721	36.1	388	11	265	13.3	319	80	118	1333		66.7				
HIGHS:	PTS 90 vs North Carolina						RBS 45 vs St. John's			AST 23 vs Kansas																			

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UM	FG%	OPPONENT	OPP	FG%	HIGH SCORER	HIGH REBOUNDER	ATTEND	PLACE & DATE
70	35.0	RICE	61	46.2	18 Lenard	8 Walton	14,180	WILLIAMS ARENA (NIT) - Nov. 18
91	57.8	GEORGIA	71	37.7	20 Carter	6 Lenard	14,197	WILLIAMS ARENA (NIT) - Nov. 20
71	43.3	Kansas	75	49.1	16 Orr		13,470	New York, NY (NIT) - Nov. 24
76	37.5	North Carolina	90	50.9	21 Lenard		13,590	New York, NY (NIT) - Nov. 26
107	49.4	MISS. VALLEY STATE	63	38.2	16 Lenard	8 Carter	13,764	WILLIAMS ARENA - Nov. 29
					16 Carter			
90	56.1	M. Tennessee State	76	44.6	27 Carter	7 Lenard	4,400	Murfreesboro, TN - Dec. 3
						7 Orr		
73	40.3	CLEMSON	54	35.5	19 Lenard	11 Carter	13,686	WILLIAMS ARENA - Dec. 15
79	54.7	WESTERN CAROLINA	61	43.1	15 Lenard	8 Carter	13,505	WILLIAMS ARENA - Dec. 19
66	33.8	San Jose State	53	39.6	15 Grim		6,152	San Jose, CA - Dec. 23
57	36.1	Virginia	62	47.1	18 McDonald	13 Carter	8,457	Charlottesville, VA - Dec. 28
73	39.7	JAMES MADISON	68	39.3	16 Lenard	15 Walton	13,744	WILLIAMS ARENA - Dec. 31
					16 Walton			
89	48.4	NE ILLINOIS	62	28.8	17 Lenard	8 Lenard	13,722	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 3
73	44.8	Northwestern	65	47.3	23 Lenard	7 Carter	8,117	Evanston, IL - Jan. 8
90	58.1	WISCONSIN	53	40.8	23 Lenard	7 Grim	14,413	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 12
67	33.3	Penn State	78	48.8	20 Lenard	8 Kolander	7,306	Univ. Park, PA - Jan. 15
63	47.3	MICHIGAN	58	37.5	12 Orr	8 Carter	14,452	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 20
68	45.6	MICHIGAN STATE	66	39.1	16 McDonald	10 McDonald	14,452	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 22
66	38.5	Indiana	78	52.9	18 Carter	9 Carter	17,110	Bloomington, IN - Jan. 26
72	40.3	PURDUE	75	43.9	18 Lenard	9 Carter	14,474	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 29
92	55.2	St. John's	64	32.0	27 Lenard	12 Carter	10,578	New York, NY - Jan. 30
		Iowa						Iowa City, IA - Feb. 2 (7:00 PM)
		NORTHWESTERN						WILLIAMS ARENA - Feb. 5 (7:00 PM)
		OHIO STATE						WILLIAMS ARENA - Feb. 9 (7:00 PM)
		Wisconsin						Madison, WI - Feb. 12 (1:00 PM)
		PENN STATE						WILLIAMS ARENA - Feb. 16 (7:00 PM)
		Michigan						Ann Arbor, MI - Feb. 19 (11:00 AM)
		Michigan State						E. Lansing, MI - Feb. 23 (7:00 PM)
		INDIANA						WILLIAMS ARENA - Feb. 27 (1:00 PM)
		Purdue						W. Lafayette, IN - Mar. 3 (6:30 PM)
		IOWA						WILLIAMS ARENA - Mar. 5 (7:00 PM)
		Illinois						Champaign, IL - Mar. 9 (7:00 PM)
TEAM RECORD		ALL GAMES	14- 6	70.0%				
		LEAGUE	4- 3	57.1%				

**GOLDEN GOPHERS SWEEP NORTHERN MICHIGAN;
TAKE OVER FIRST PLACE IN THE WCHA**

The University of Minnesota ice hockey team continued its sizzling hot streak with an impressive two-game sweep of the Northern Michigan Wildcats at Mariucci Arena this past weekend. The Golden Gophers (15-8-3, 13-6-3), won both games by a score of 4-2 over the previously league-leading Wildcats. Minnesota has now won eight straight games and 12 of their last 13 WCHA games to climb from the cellar of the WCHA to the top of the standings. The Golden Gophers hold a narrow one point edge on Colorado College and a two-point edge on Northern Michigan in what has developed into one of the most hotly contested races in the history of the WCHA. The top five teams in the conference are within four points of each other. This week the Maroon and Gold will host the UMD Bulldogs in another key home series. The games are Saturday and Sunday at 1:00 p.m., and both will be televised on Midwest Sports Channel.

Nielsen/Bianchi/Dziedzic Line Leads Team To Victory: The all-senior line of Jeff Nielsen (Grand Rapids, Minn.), Tony Bianchi (Bloomington, Minn.) and Joe Dziedzic (Minneapolis, Minn.) were a dominating force over the weekend and made the difference in the team's sweep of the Wildcats. Since the return of Dziedzic to the lineup 12 games ago, they have been a catalyst for the team in both ends of the rink. Against Northern Michigan they were on the ice for five of the eight goals and Bianchi also assisted on Eric Means' gamewinner on Friday night on the power play. Nielsen had a pair of goals and an assist and also had a goal disallowed when a mysterious holding call was called after he shot the puck in the net at the end of the first period Saturday. He is second on the team in scoring with 16 goals and 10 assists. Dziedzic had a power play goal Friday to give him six goals and eight assists since his return to the lineup. Bianchi has steadily climbed the scoring charts and is third on the team with four goals and a team-high 18 assists. He has been a key to the line's success, Bianchi was injured in the second period Saturday with a minor shoulder separation. He is listed as doubtful for this weekend's series.

Bonin Continues to Shine: All-WCHA candidate Brian Bonin (White Bear Lake, Minn.) again was instrumental in the team's success. He had a key goal Saturday to give the Golden Gophers a two-goal lead when Northern was threatening and also assisted on Jeff Nielsen's gamewinner. He is the team's leading scorer with 17 goals and 13 assists. He has become the offensive catalyst for the Golden Gophers. He went into the weekend as the leading scorer on the team and has been named WCHA Offensive Player of the Week twice in the last eight games. He was overlooked last week by the WCHA when he led the Golden Gophers to a road sweep with a natural hat trick in the third period vs. Denver, but was honored by the U.S. Hockey Hall of Fame as the National Division I Player of the Week. He leads the team in power play goals with five, and has helped set up the forwards on his power play unit as well. He went into the weekend tied for the lead in game winners in the country with five. An extremely smart player with great vision of the ice, he has come into his own this season and is ranked in the top 10 in scoring in the WCHA.

McAlpine May Miss UMD Series: All-American candidate Chris McAlpine (Sr., Roseville, Minn.) may miss the UMD series due to a controversial spearing call late in the third period Saturday night. The disqualification call is being appealed to the WCHA. McAlpine is a force for the Golden Gophers. He is a dominant player in both ends of the rink. Last year, he was the second leading goal scorer from the blue line in the WCHA with 14 goals. If he equals his statistics of a

year ago he will become the all-time leading goal-scoring defenseman at Minnesota. He is the all-time penalty leader with 189 penalties, surpassing Ben Hankinson's mark of 182. He also broke Pat Micheletti's all-time minutes mark of 403 with the spearing penalty which was his first penalty of the series. He has five goals and 10 assists so far this year. He has been bothered by some nagging injuries, but has played through them and has been the backbone of the Minnesota defense. He is the best defenseman in the WCHA and is a top candidate for All-America honors in the west.

Injury Update: The Golden Gophers have suffered through some key injuries this year. Two weeks ago they had another loss at the blueline when sophomore Mike McAlpine (So. St. Paul, Minn.) went down against Michigan Tech with a third degree shoulder separation. He will be out for at least another week. McAlpine stepped in for Charlie Wasley (Edina, Minn.), who had minor knee surgery two weeks ago and missed the Michigan Tech and Denver series, but returned for the second game of the Northern Michigan series. Tony Bianchi's minor shoulder separation is another big blow and his status is doubtful for the UMD series this weekend.

Turnaround: The Golden Gophers turnaround from last place to first place in five weeks has been very impressive. The Maroon and Gold started the season 0-5-1, one of the worst starts in school history. Since then they have gone 15-3-2 overall and 13-1-2 in WCHA games, including 11 wins in the last 12 games. The main key to this remarkable turnaround has been overall improvement in every area of the game. The Golden Gophers started the season as the second youngest team in the conference, now those young players are proving to be the next generation of Minnesota stars and they are on a mission to lead the team back to its traditional position as one of the top teams in the WCHA and country.

Next Up: The Golden Gophers will play host to intra-state rival Minnesota-Duluth. Ironically, the road trip to Duluth in mid-November marked the start of the Golden Gophers turnaround. The Golden Gophers won and tied at Duluth and raised their lead in the all-time record to 86-46-9. UMD is coming off home split with Alaska-Anchorage, elevating themselves into eighth place in the WCHA.

Solid Goaltending: The goaltending duo of Jeff Moen (Roseville, Minn.) and Jeff Callinan (Minnetonka, Minn.) have gradually developed into one of the best tandems in the WCHA. Callinan has a 7-3-3 record with a 3.56 GAA, while Moen has a 6-5-0 record and a 3.06 GAA. In WCHA games, Moen is 5-4 with a 2.78 GAA which leads the WCHA. Moen has won five of his last six WCHA starts, and has the team's only shutout (3-0 over North Dakota). Callinan is 7-0-2 in his last nine WCHA starts, allowing only twenty goals (2.22 per-game) in that span.

The Woog Report: Coach Woog has an impressive list of credentials, including eight consecutive NCAA Tournament berths. He has three WCHA Championships and has never finished lower than second place in the WCHA standings. Six of his eight teams have posted 30 or more wins. He is the winningest coach in the history of the program (265-105-22) and he has one of the highest winning percentages of any collegiate coaches in the country (.704). The coaching job he has done this year after the worst start in three decades, makes him a prime candidate for WCHA Coach of the Year honors.

Golden Gophers on KSTP-AM 1500: The Golden Gophers signed a three-year contract with KSTP-AM 1500 over the summer that will

1993-94 Minnesota HOCKEY STATS AFTER 26 GAMES

W-L-T	MN	OPP	OPPONENT	ATTEND	PLACE & DATE
L	3	7	Colorado College	2955	Colorado Springs, Co 10/22/93
L	2	4	Colorado College	2809	Colorado Springs, Co 10/23/93
L	2	3	St. Cloud State	6375	St. Cloud, Minn 10/29/93
T(OT)	4	4	ST. CLOUD STATE	9207	Mariucci Arena 7:05 10/30/93
L	1	3	Northern Michigan	3937	Marquette, Mich.7:05 11/05/93
L	3	7	Northern Michigan	3937	Marquette, Mich.7:05 11/06/93
W	3	1	UMD	5612	Duluth, Minn. 7:35 11/12/93
T(OT)	3	3	UMD	5612	Duluth, Minn. 7:05 11/13/93
T(OT)	3	3	DENVER	9149	Mariucci Arena 7:05 11/19/93
W	4	3	DENVER	9250	Mariucci Arena 7:35 11/20/93
L	0	6	Michigan	11531	Palace, Auburn Hills 11/26/93
W	6	5	Michigan State	13214	Palace Auburn Hills, 11/27/93
W	6	5	NORTH DAKOTA	9059	Mariucci Arena 7:05 12/11/93
W	3	0	NORTH DAKOTA	8661	Mariucci Arena 7:05 12/12/93
W	4	3	Alaska-Anchorage	6406	Anchorage 7:05 12/17/93
L	2	7	Alaska-Anchorage	6406	Anchorage 7:05 12/18/93
W	5	2	CORNELL	8879	Mariucci Arena, 4:05 12/31/93
L(OT)	3	4	LAKE SUPERIOR ST.	8869	Mariucci Arena 7:05 01/02/94
W	5	2	WISCONSIN	9195	Mariucci Arena 2:05 01/08/93
W(OT)	4	3	WISCONSIN	17109	Target Center 2:05 01/09/94
W	3	1	MICHIGAN TECH	8836	Mariucci Arena 7:05 01/14/94
W	2	1	MICHIGAN TECH	9100	Mariucci Arena 01/15/94
W(OT)	6	5	Denver	4463	Denver, Colo 7:05 01/21/94
W	5	3	Denver	4700	Denver, Colo. 7:05 01/22/94
W	4	2	NORTHERN MICHIGAN	9199	Mariucci Arena 7:05 01/28/94
W	4	2	NORTHERN MICHIGAN	9326	Mariucci Arena 7:05 01/29/94

RECORD	HOME	ROAD	SEASON
LEAGUE	9- 0- 2	4- 6- 1	13- 6- 3
NON-LEAGUE	1- 1- 0	1- 1- 0	2- 2- 0
TOTAL	10- 1- 2	5- 7- 1	15- 8- 3

ATTENDANCE	HOME	ROAD	NEUTRAL
LEAGUE	** , ***	53,212	0
OTHER	17,748	0	24,745
TOTAL	** , ***	53,212	24,745
AVERAGE	9,679	4,837	12,372
TOTAL	203,796	TOTAL AVG	7,838

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POWER PLAYS	ATT	PPG	PCT	SH
Minnesota	149	24	.160	3
OPPONENTS	135	28	.210	2

HAT TRICKS FOR	1	
Brian Bonin		Denver 01/22/94
SHORT HANDED FOR	3	
Brian Bonin (1)		ST. CLOUD STATE 10/30/93
Greg Zwakman (1)		LAKE SUPERIOR ST. 01/02/94
Tony Bianchi (1)		NORTHERN MICHIGAN 01/28/94

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NO	NAME	OVERALL											LEAGUE ONLY					
		GP	G	A	PTS	PEN	MIN	PP	SH	HAT	WG	EN	GP	G	A	PTS	PEN	MIN
21	Brian Bonin, F	26	17	13	30	5	10	5	1	1	5	1	22	17	11	28	5	10
20	Jeff Nielsen, F	25	16	10	26	22	72	3	0	0	2	1	21	13	6	19	21	70
28	Tony Bianchi, F	23	4	18	22	5	10	1	1	0	1	0	19	4	12	16	3	6
19	Justin McHugh, F	26	6	14	20	20	43	4	0	0	0	1	22	5	13	18	17	37
09	Joe Dziedzic, F	14	7	8	15	20	40	3	0	0	0	0	12	6	7	13	19	38
04	Chris McAlpine, D	22	5	10	15	36	83	1	0	0	1	0	18	3	9	12	26	63
15	Steve Magnusson, F	16	2	12	14	8	16	0	0	0	1	0	12	1	12	13	6	12
18	Andy Brink, F	24	6	6	12	2	4	3	0	0	2	0	22	6	6	12	2	4
05	Danny Trebil, D	26	0	12	12	9	18	0	0	0	0	0	22	0	9	9	8	16
11	Bobby Dustin, F	23	8	3	11	11	30	1	0	0	0	0	19	7	3	10	10	28
08	Eric Means, D	24	4	7	11	11	22	2	0	0	1	0	22	4	7	11	8	16
17	Dave Larson, F	15	4	6	10	19	38	0	0	0	2	0	12	3	5	8	15	30
27	Jed Fiebelkorn, F	24	4	3	7	23	47	1	0	0	0	0	20	2	3	5	17	35
06	Charlie Wasley, D	20	0	7	7	9	19	0	0	0	0	0	16	0	6	6	6	13
02	Greg Zwakman, D	26	2	4	6	10	20	0	1	0	0	0	22	1	2	3	7	14
23	Dan Woog, F	22	0	6	6	14	37	0	0	0	0	0	18	0	5	5	13	35
12	Brian LaFleur, D	24	0	5	5	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	20	0	5	5	2	4
33	Nick Checco, F	25	2	2	4	6	20	0	0	0	0	0	22	2	2	4	3	6
29	Dan Hendrickson, F	25	2	2	4	20	40	0	0	0	0	0	21	2	2	4	17	34
22	Jesse Bertogliat, F	6	1	0	1	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	3	6
35	Steve Green, G	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
26	Jim Hillman, F	3	0	0	0	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	4	8
03	Mike McAlpine, D	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0
25	Brent Godbout, F	10	0	0	0	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	3	6
30	Jeff Moen, G	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0
24	John Hillman, F	13	0	0	0	12	32	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	11	30
31	Jeff Callinan, G	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	0	0	0	0	0
	Bench					2	4										2	4
Minnesota		26	90	148	238	277	631	24	3	1	15	3	22	76	125	201	228	525
OPPONENTS		26	89	139	228	291	681	28	2	2	8	1	22	72	112	184	246	575

NO	GOALIE	OVERALL										LEAGUE ONLY									
		W	L	T	GP	PER	MIN	GA	AVG	SAV	PCT	W	L	T	GP	PER	MIN	GA	AVG	SAV	PCT
35	Steve Green	0	0	0	1	1	8:13	0	0.00	1	1.000	0	0	0	1	1	8:13	0	0.00	11.000	
30	Jeff Moen	7	5	0	12	37	666:1	34	3.06	282	.892	6	4	0	10	29	540:26	25	2.78	238	.905
31	Jeff Callinan	8	3	3	16	49	910:51	54	3.56	343	.864	7	2	3	14	43	790:51	46	3.49	306	.869
Minnesota		15	8	3	26	85	1585:5	88	3.33	626	.876	13	6	3	22	71	1339:30	71	3.18	545	.884
OPPONENTS		7	16	3	26	85	1585:35	90	3.41	650	.878	6	13	3	22	71	1340:48	76	3.40	569	.882

	Minnesota					OPPONENTS						
	PERIOD	1	2	3	OT	TOTAL	1	2	3	OT	TOTAL	
GOALS		30	28	30	2	90		27	31	30	1	89
SHOT ON GOAL		250	260	232	12	754		218	253	226	12	709
GOALIE SAVES		191	223	202	11	627		219	245	197	10	671
PENALTIES		68	105	103	1	277		82	104	102	3	291

WRESTLING

#5 GOLDEN GOPHERS CRUSH #2 IOWA; GET READY FOR #6 NEBRASKA AND #1 OKLAHOMA STATE

The fifth-ranked University of Minnesota wrestling squad (13-1, 6-0) accomplished something Friday night that only one other Big Ten team had in the last 20 years---they defeated the perennial kingpin of college wrestling, the Iowa Hawkeyes. It marked only the second time since 1974 that the Hawkeyes had lost a Big Ten conference dual meet. The only other blemish was an 18-16 defeat at the hands of the Michigan Wolverines back in 1989. It also marked the first time since 1968 Iowa had lost back-to-back matches. The second-ranked Hawkeyes (6-2, 1-1) lost to top-ranked Oklahoma State, 17-15, last weekend at the National Duals in Lincoln, Neb.

Freshman **Brandon Paulson** (118, 21-7, Anoka, Minn.) got the Golden Gophers off on the right foot, scoring a tight 3-2 decision over the Hawkeyes' Mike Mena, currently ranked #7 in the country at 118 pounds. After Iowa knotted the match at 3-3, two Golden Gopher grapplers came up huge at the 134-pound and 142-pound weight classes to give Minnesota the momentum and a lead they would never relinquish. Senior **Chris Berglin** (134, 24-10, West Bend, Wis.), downed Kevin Hogan of the Hawkeyes 7-4, followed by sophomore **Jeff Thompson** (142, 19-9, Great Falls, Mont.) turning in his best performance of the season, a 6-4 overtime triumph over Iowa's Matt Hatcher.

Robinson Gets Number 100: In addition to it being probably the biggest dual meet victory in recent Golden Gopher history, it was also Head Coach J Robinson's 100th career victory at the helm of the Maroon and Gold. Robinson, a former assistant of Iowa Head Coach Dan Gable, tried to keep the victory in perspective. "We really haven't won anything yet," Robinson said. "This is a great win for our program, and the guys (wrestlers) accomplished something very special tonight. But we've got our eyes on bigger things yet this season."

Robinson acknowledged the fact that the Golden Gophers can no longer sneak up on anybody. "I'm sure tonight's score will get some attention," Robinson explained. "We will have to get used to some people looking at us from a different light, but it's a nice position to be in."

TRACK & FIELD

MAROON AND GOLD TO HOST IOWA, SOUTH DAKOTA AND MANKATO STATE THIS SATURDAY

The Golden Gopher track & field squad will host Iowa, South Dakota, and Mankato State in a quadangular meet this Saturday at the U of M Field House, with the action set to begin at noon. Head Coach Roy Griak's crew enters the month of February with their sights set on the Big Ten Indoor Championships, to be held in Ann Arbor, Mich. on Feb. 25-26.

Beadle, Cline, Eriksson Shine At Minnesota Invitational:

Three Golden Gophers took home titles on Saturday at the Minnesota Invitational, held at the U of M Field House. **Martin Eriksson** (Sr., Stockholm, Sweden), captured the pole vault with a spring of 17-8 1/2, **Scott Beadle** (Fr., Moorhead, Minn.), smoked past the rest of the field to claim the 400 meter dash in a time of 49.26, and **Keita Cline** (Jr., Gainesville, Fl.), won the

MINNESOTA 23, IOWA 11

118--**Brandon Paulson** (MN) dec. Mike Mena (IA) 3-2
126--**Jeff McGinness** (IA) dec. **Tim Harris** (MN) 5-4
134--**Chris Berglin** (MN) dec. Kevin Hogan (IA) 7-4
142--**Jeff Thompson** (MN) dec. Matt Hatcher (IA) 6-4
150--**Willy Short** (MN) major dec. Mike Uker (IA) 13-4
158--**Zac Taylor** (MN) dec. Daryl Weber (IA) 2-0
167--**Matt Nerem** (IA) dec. **Brett Colombini** (MN) 4-3
177--**Brad Gibson** (MN) dec. Greg Stiltner (IA) 9-7
190--**Joel Sharrat** (IA) tech. fall **Darren Andy** (IA) 20-5 (5:44)
Hwt--**Billy Pierce** (MN) major dec. Mike Manganiello (IA) 12-1

Short-McIlravy Matchup Nixed: The expected marquee matchup of the evening between the Golden Gophers' **Willy Short** (Sr., 150, Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked #2 in the nation, and the Hawkeyes' top-ranked Lincoln McIlravy never came about. McIlravy was scratched at the last moment due to a nagging knee injury. Short disposed of his replacement, Mike Uker, by the count of 13-4.

Paulson, Gibson Turn In Gutty Performances: The Golden Gophers' **Brandon Paulson** and **Brad Gibson** (Sr., 177, Chokio, Minn.) both wrestled Friday despite being injured. Paulson aggravated a shoulder injury, and Gibson sustained the same type of injury in his match, yet both finished with victories to help lead the Maroon and Gold. "I think both these young men showed exactly what they're made of tonight," said Head Coach J Robinson.

#6 Cornhuskers, #1 Cowboys To Test Golden Gophers: So you think the tough part of the schedule's over? Minnesota will travel to Worthington, Minn., to battle #6 Nebraska on Thursday, then host top-ranked Oklahoma State Saturday night at the Pavilion. A pair of victories will virtually guarantee the Maroon and Gold a number one ranking when the next *Amateur Wrestling News/Coaches Association* poll is released on February 9.

Ticket Info: For ticket information on Golden Gopher wrestling, call the Golden Gopher ticket office at (612) 624-8080. The Minnesota/Iowa match Friday drew a nice crowd of 3,457.

triple jump with a school record and NCAA provisional qualifying leap of 52-11. Former Golden Gopher **Tyrone Minor**, participating unattached, set a new Field House and meet record with his 25-5 1/4 leap in the long jump. Minor also took the honors in the hotly contested 55-meter dash in a time of 6.33, edging a pair of Golden Gopher sprinters, **Omar Douglas** (Sr., New Orleans, La.), and **Chris Darkins** (So., Houston, Tex.).

Other Golden Gophers turning in strong performances were sophomore **Jason Boon** (Cottage Grove, Minn.) finishing second in the 800 meter run with a time of 1:53.73, and senior **Matt Burns** (Cedar Rapids, Ia.) tying for second place in the high jump with a height of 6-10 3/4.

NCAA Championships: The NCAA Indoor track & field championships will be held on Mar. 11-12 in Indianapolis, Ind. The NCAA Outdoor championships will take place from May 31-June 2 in Boise, Idaho on the campus of the University of Idaho.

BASEBALL

1994 GOLDEN GOPHER BASEBALL TEAM TO DEBUT FEBRUARY 1 AGAINST PRO ALUMNI

The University of Minnesota baseball team will take the field to host the 3rd Annual Professional Alumni game Tuesday, February 2 at 7:00 p.m. at the Metrodome. The game will feature current and past professional players who have donned the Maroon and Gold at one point in their baseball careers. Among the players who are scheduled to attend are 1993 World Series MVP Paul Molitor, Terry Steinbach, Brent Gates, Bryan Hickerson, Dan Wilson, Denny Neagle, and Greg Olson. Coaching the team will be former Golden Gopher, coach and major leaguer George Thomas.

The Golden Gophers, who are ranked 17th in the nation by *Baseball America*, will showcase their most experienced team in many years as six of eight starting position players return. The team is captained by pre-season All-American second baseman Mark Merila (Plymouth, Minn.), 1993 Team USA member Charlie Nelson (Perham, Minn.), and senior Mike Oster (Richfield, Minn.).

This year's contest will be broadcast live on KFAN-AM 1130 with Jeff Hagedorn and former Golden Gopher center fielder Ryan Lefebvre calling the action.

The Metrodome gates will open at 4:30 p.m. Unlike the previous two years, there will not be an autograph session held before the game, but fans may gather along the railings during batting practice to get autographs. The Professional Alumni game is sponsored by Rainbow Foods, Kraft General Foods, KFAN-AM 1130, Maxwell House, American Airlines and Oscar Mayer. Tickets for the game are \$6 and can be ordered from the Gopher ticket office at 624-8080. Fans coming to the game with a register receipt from Rainbow Foods can receive two tickets for the price of one. All proceeds for the game benefit the Dick Siebert Scholarship Endowment Fund.

GOLDEN GOPHERS START 1994 SLATE AT NUMBER ONE-RANKED GEORGIA TECH

The University of Minnesota baseball team begins its 56-game regular season with three games, February 11-13, against top-ranked Georgia Tech University, in Atlanta, Ga. That series will mark the first of three tough road matchups vs top twenty teams. Following the Georgia Tech series, the Golden Gophers travel to second-ranked Florida State for a three-game set on February 18-20, and after that its off to Miami to face the 18th-ranked Hurricanes in a three-game set at Mark Light Stadium in Miami, Fla. In all, the Golden Gophers will play the top two teams in the country, and five teams in the pre-season top 20 as listed by *Baseball America* magazine. The Golden Gophers are ranked 17th in the pre-season poll.

The 1994 Golden Gopher schedule consists of 27 home games, with 18 games at Siebert Field and nine games at the Metrodome, including three during the Oscar Mayer Baseball Classic.

UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA TO RETIRE PAUL MOLITOR'S NUMBER AT THE FIRST ANNUAL MIN- NESOTA BASEBALL BANQUET

The University of Minnesota announced last week that Paul Molitor's baseball jersey will be retired at a ceremony at the First Annual Minnesota Baseball Banquet, Wednesday, February 2, 1993 at the Radisson Metrodome at 7:00 p.m. The banquet is a combination fundraising effort between the Minnesota Twins and the Golden Gopher baseball program. All proceeds from the event will go to the Williams Scholarship Fund and the Twins Community Fund.

Among the other Golden Gophers who are expected to attend are U of M baseball coach John Anderson, Terry Steinbach and Brent Gates of the Oakland Athletics, Greg Olson of the New York Mets, Dan Wilson of the Seattle Mariners, Denny Neagle of the Pittsburgh Pirates and Bryan Hickerson of the San Francisco Giants. In addition, the Minnesota Twins who are scheduled to be in attendance include manager Tom Kelly, Rick Aguilera, Kevin Tapani, Scott Leius and several others.

Ticket Information: Table reservations, as well as individual ticket orders, are now being accepted. Individual tickets are being sold for \$75, with tables of 10 selling for \$750. Doors will open for a silent auction of Golden Gopher and Twins collectibles at 5:30 p.m. with dinner being served at 7 p.m. For tickets or more information, fans can call the Williams Fund at (612) 625-1001.

The regular season home opener for the Maroon and Gold is March 4-6 when they host the Oscar Mayer Baseball Classic. The round-robin tournament is celebrating its 10th anniversary and will feature 13th-ranked Arizona State University, 16th-ranked Ohio State University, and perennial national power Arizona in a match up of the Big Ten and the Pac 10.

The Golden Gophers' Big Ten Conference season begins the weekend of April 1-3, when they travel to Champaign to take on the University of Illinois in a four-game set. The conference home opener is slated for the weekend of April 9-10, when they host the University of Iowa. Doubleheaders are scheduled for Saturday and Sunday at 1:00 p.m.

For ticket information for Golden Gopher home games, call 624-8080.

GYMNASTICS

GYMNASTS FALL TO BUCKEYES; WINTER CUP UP NEXT

The seventh-ranked Golden Gopher (1-3) gymnastics fell 283.725-275.00 to second-ranked Ohio State in Columbus, over the weekend. Senior **Bo Haun** (Springfield, Mo.) and junior **Kerry Huston** (Spring, Texas) were they only Gophers to win individual events. Haun took top honors on the horizontal bars (9.75 - season high) and Huston on the floor exercise (9.90 - sea-

son high). Ohio State claimed the top two spots in the all-around as three Golden Gophers rounded out the top five. Huston finished third (55.05), junior **Brian Yee** (Houston, Texas) was fourth (54.60) and Haun was fifth (53.60).

Next weekend, three Golden Gophers will participate in the Winter Cup Invitational. Haun, Huston and Yee will take part in the two day meet in Colorado Springs, Colo.

SWIMMING & DIVING

GOLDEN GOPHER SWIM TEAM DUNKS THE HAWKEYES; TRIANGULAR DUALS UP NEXT

The 11th-ranked Golden Gophers (5-1) defeated the 22nd-ranked Iowa Hawkeyes (5-2) 143-100 in dual meet action at the University of Minnesota Aquatic Center, over the weekend. Seniors **Paul Nelsen** (Lincoln, Neb.) and **Can Ergenekan** (Beaverton, Ore.) each won two events on the day. Nelsen won both the 200 individual medley (1:49.28) and the 200 breaststroke (2:03.80). Ergenekan touched first in the 1000 freestyle (9:31.71) and the 500 freestyle (4:33.85). Sophomore diver **P.J. Bogart** (Mesa, Ariz.) also added two first-place finishes, as captured top honors in the 1-meter (286.35) and 3-meter (350.33) diving events.

The maroon & gold also had two individuals win single events. Sophomore **Duane Dobko** (Ajax, Ontario, Canada) touched first in the 200 backstroke (1:48.68) and sophomore sensation **Bernie Zeruhn** (Hamburg, Germany). Zeruhn, who returned to action for the first time in since being injured over holiday break, finished first with a time of 1:40.90 in the 200 freestyle.

"We were very excited by the victory, as this was our first over Iowa in five seasons in dual meet competition," said Head coach Dennis Dale. "We are starting to perform well in the pool, but know we have to stay consistent because the Big Ten championship is only three weeks away."

Next weekend, Minnesota will face Purdue and Wisconsin in the University of Minnesota Aquatic Center. The triangular meet is slated to begin at 6:00 p.m., on Friday and noon on Saturday. Minnesota defeated Wisconsin (159-84) earlier this season in Madison.

The University of Minnesota Men's Athletics Department and the men's swimming & diving program will host two of the nation's top swimming & diving events during 1994 — the Big Ten Championships, on Feb. 24-26 and the NCAA Championships on March 24-26.

For ticket information on the men's championships in 1994, please contact the Golden Gopher ticket office at (612) 624-8080.