

GOLDEN GOPHER BASEBALL

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Weekly Release

Hormel Foods Baseball Classic, March 5-7

Schedule:

Friday	#1 Florida State vs. #13 Wichita State	12:30 p.m.
	Washington State vs. Minnesota	6:30 p.m.
Saturday	#1 Florida State vs. Minnesota	1:30 p.m.
	<i>Amateur Baseball Clinic</i>	4:30-6 p.m.
	Washington State vs. #13 Wichita State	7 p.m.
Sunday	#13 Wichita State vs. Minnesota	12:30 p.m.
	#1 Florida State vs. Washington State	5 p.m.

Radio: KKMS-AM (980) is the home of Golden Gopher baseball. All three Minnesota games in the Hormel Foods Baseball Classic will be broadcast live. Paul Barnes is in his fourth year as the radio voice of the Golden Gophers.

Television: Midwest Sports Channel (MSC) will broadcast Sunday's Minnesota-Wichita State contest at 12:30 p.m. John Jacobson (play-by-play) and former Golden Gopher and National League All-Star Greg Olson will call the action.

Encore for the Chicken: The "World Famous" Chicken will make his return appearance to the Twin Cities on Sunday for the Minnesota-Wichita State game at 12:30 p.m. In addition to entertaining the crowd with his legendary antics, the Chicken will also be available after the game for photos and autographs.

About Anderson: Golden Gopher Head Coach John Anderson is in his 18th season with a career record of 611-388-3 and a Big Ten mark of 252-142. He coached his 1,000th career game on Friday, Feb. 26, in a 7-6 victory against Troy State. He is one of the youngest coaches in the nation to surpass the 600-win plateau and is the only active Big Ten coach to reach 250 conference victories. Anderson has led the Golden Gophers to four Big Ten titles (1982, '85, '88, and '92) and six Big Ten Tournament championships (1982, '85, '88, '92, '93 and '98) in his tenure at the U of M.

MINNESOTA SCHEDULE/RESULTS

Feb. 8	Galyan's Gopher Pro-Alumni*	W 9-7
Feb. 14	St. Cloud State	W 10-8
Feb. 15	St. Cloud State	W 10-4
Feb. 15	Viterbo College	L 7-5
Feb. 19-21	<i>Coca-Cola Classic (Mobile, Ala.)</i>	
Feb. 19	South Alabama*	W 12-5
Feb. 20	UAB*	L 13-6
Feb. 21	T.B.A.*	W 15-9
Feb. 24	@ Auburn*	L 9-5
Feb. 26-28	<i>Blue-Gray Classic (Montgomery, Ala.)</i>	
Feb. 26	Troy State*	W 7-6
Feb. 27	Kentucky*	L 12-8
Feb. 28	Ohio State*	W 16-12
March 5-7	<i>Hormel Foods Baseball Classic (H.H.H. Metrodome)</i>	
March 5	vs. Washington State*	6:30 p.m.
March 6	vs. Florida State*	1:30 p.m.
March 7	vs. Wichita State**	12:30 p.m.
March 13	Northern Illinois*	7:30 p.m.
March 14	Northern Illinois (2)*	1 p.m.
March 22	Bowling Green (2)*	6 p.m.
March 23	Bowling Green*	1 p.m.
March 26	Oregon State*	6:30 p.m.
March 27	Oregon State*	6:30 p.m.
March 28	Oregon State*	1 p.m.
April 2	@ Purdue*	3 p.m.
April 3	@ Purdue (2)*	1 p.m.
April 4	@ Purdue*	1 p.m.
April 6	@ Northern Iowa	3 p.m.
April 9	@ Iowa*	3 p.m.
April 10	@ Iowa (2)*	1 p.m.
April 11	@ Iowa*	1 p.m.
April 14	Northern Iowa	3 p.m.
April 16	Michigan*	3 p.m.
April 17	Michigan (2)*	1 p.m.
April 18	Michigan*	1 p.m.
April 21	Mankato State	3 p.m.
April 23	@ Indiana*	3 p.m.
April 24	@ Indiana (2)*	1 p.m.
April 25	@ Indiana*	1 p.m.
April 28	@ Iowa State	3 p.m.
April 30	Illinois*	6:30 p.m.
May 1	Illinois (2)**-1st game	4 p.m.
May 2	Illinois*	1 p.m.
May 5	St. Thomas	6:30 p.m.
May 7	Northwestern*	6:30 p.m.
May 8	Northwestern (2)*	4 p.m.
May 9	Northwestern**	1 p.m.
May 12	Iowa State	6 p.m.
May 14	Michigan State**	6:30 p.m.
May 15	Michigan State (2)*	4 p.m.
May 16	Michigan State*	1 p.m.
May 20-22	Big Ten Tournament	TBA
May 28-30	NCAA Regionals	TBA
June 4-5	NCAA Super Regionals	TBA
June 11-19	College World Series	TBA

All Games are Central Time
 * Games broadcast on KKMS-AM (980)
 # Games broadcast on Midwest Sports Channel

Fact Box

WHAT A HIT!

Sophomore shortstop **Rick Brosseau** (North Oaks, Minn.) has picked up where he left off last season. Brosseau finished '98 with a hit in his last five games and this season, has at least one hit in the first 10 games. His 15-game hitting streak is the longest for the Golden Gophers since Wes Denning's 19-game streak in 1994. A honorable mention Freshman All-America choice last year, he is currently second on the team in runs, doubles, walks and total bases.

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The Field: In the tournament's 15th year, it would be difficult to find a more talented field than this season's. Florida State is the consensus number one team in the nation, while Wichita State is ranked 13th by *Baseball America* and 17th by *Collegiate Baseball*. The Washington State Cougars have gotten out of the gates quickly as well with an 8-2 record.

On Florida State: The top-ranked Seminoles boasted one of the top pitching staffs in the nation last season and virtually the entire group is back in '99. The staff is led by a pair of sophomores in Jon McDonald and Nick Stocks. McDonald was 10-4 with a 4.56 ERA and Stocks was 7-2 with a 2.35 ERA. Also making an impact as a freshman was outfielder Matt Diaz. In his first season, Diaz batted .390 with 22 home runs and 84 RBIs.

Head Coach Mike Martin is in his 20th season at Florida State and has a 1,031-352-3 career record.

On Washington State: The Cougars were 25-24 last season and 12-12 in the always-difficult Pac-10 conference. The Cougars return 18 lettermen, five-of-eight position starters and all of their starting pitchers from last year's squad. Junior Wade Parrish leads the pitching staff. Last year, the all-league performer was 8-3 with a 4.93 ERA. A freshman All-American last season, sophomore outfielder Jason Grove batted .323 with 12 home runs and 31 RBIs.

Head Coach Steve Farrington is in his fifth year at the helm and has a 100-133 career record.

On Wichita State: The Shockers have three preseason All-Americans in relief pitcher Marc Bluma, outfielder Jeff Ryan and designated hitter Pat Magness. Last season Bluma was 5-0 with a 1.74 ERA and 11 saves. Ryan batted .439 with 23 home runs, 105 runs batted in and 31 stolen bases. Magness led the nation in hitting last year with a .464 batting average, in addition to 21 home runs and 100 RBIs.

Wichita State Head Coach Gene Stephenson is in his 22nd year at the helm with a career record of 1,174-350-3, in addition to one national championship and seven College World Series appearances.

The Series: Minnesota has faced all three Hormel Classic opponents. Here is the breakdown:

Minnesota and Washington State have met only once. In 1988, the Cougars defeated the Golden Gophers 7-6 in the Pillsbury Tournament held in Minneapolis.

Wichita State holds a 3-0 advantage with an 8-5 victory in 1990 and 9-7, 2-0 wins in 1991. In the 9-7 loss in Wichita, the Golden Gophers blew a 5-0 lead as the Shockers scored six runs in the fourth inning.

Minnesota has lost all 13 meetings with the Florida State Seminoles. FSU swept a three-game series with the Golden Gophers to start the 1996 season.

Golden Gophers Finish Spring Trip with 4-3 Record:

Although playing without three of the team's top four starters, Minnesota made a solid showing on its spring trip to the state of Alabama. The Golden Gophers finished the trek with a 4-3 record.

Seniors **Robb Quinlan (Maplewood, Minn.)** and **Aron Amundson (Mandan, N.D.)** led the way offensively. Quinlan finished with a .500 average with four home runs and nine RBIs. Amundson led the team with a .526 average and added three home runs and seven RBIs.

Minnesota defeated South Alabama 12-5 in the opener with 10 runs in the last two innings, including a three-run home run from Quinlan. In the Coca-Cola Classic, the Golden Gophers were defeated by UAB 13-6, and rebounded with a 15-9 win against Jacksonville.

After a mid-week 9-5 loss at sixth-ranked Auburn, Minnesota finished 2-1 in the Blue-Gray Classic hosted by Troy State. The Golden Gophers defeated the Trojans 7-6, lost to Kentucky 12-8 and beat conference rival Ohio State 16-12.

One Down, Two to Go: The Golden Gopher pitching staff has struggled this season, in part to the injuries to juniors **Ben Birk (St. Paul, Minn.)**, **Dan McGrath (Victoria, Australia)** and **Kelly Werner (Eau Claire, Wis.)**.

While Birk and McGrath look to return by the end of the month, Werner saw his first action of the season against Kentucky last Saturday. The left-hander pitched well in his four innings of relief as he allowed two runs on four hits.

With a return of the trio to their '98 forms, in addition to **Brad Pautz (Reedsville, Wis.)** and **Chadd Clarey (Rochester, Minn.)**, Minnesota's starting staff will once again rank among the Big Ten and the nation's best.

Climbing the Charts: Senior **Robb Quinlan** is primed to close out his remarkable collegiate career by rewriting the Minnesota record book. The second-team All-American set four new single-season school records last season and holds six single-season records overall.

The Maplewood, Minn., native shattered the school's home run record with 24 bombs in '98. The previous record of 18, held by Jerry Kindall, was set in 1956 and had stood for 42 years.

Quinlan, already the school's career total bases leader, is on pace to set new career marks in home runs, at-bats, hits, runs, RBIs, doubles and slugging percentage.

Number One with a Bullet: A two-time, first-team All-Big Ten selection, Quinlan led the league in home runs, runs scored, total bases, hits and slugging percentage last year. He also established new Big Ten single-season records with 39 runs scored, 92 total bases and 251 putouts in league play.

Setting the Tone: Heading into the Hormel Foods Baseball Classic, Quinlan has already set the tone for his final season at Minnesota. He leads the team with a .457 average, four home runs, 21 hits and 15 runs scored.

His four home runs leave him just two behind Tom Steinbach's ('80-83) school record of 45 career home runs.

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Records Watch: Quinlan has his sights set on the records held by many of the former greats that have worn the Maroon and Gold. Here is how he currently stacks up with almost a full season to play:

Batting Average:		Hits:	
1. Mark Merila	.393	1. Ryan Lefebvre	271
6. Robb Quinlan	.374	4. Robb Quinlan	259
Slugging Percentage:		Doubles:	
1. Mark Groebner	.678	1. Brent Gates	61
3. Robb Quinlan	.662	3. Robb Quinlan	55
At-Bats:		Home Runs:	
1. Ryan Lefebvre	787	1. Tom Steinbach	45
4. Robb Quinlan	693	2. Robb Quinlan	43
Runs Scored:		Runs Batted In:	
1. Charlie Nelson	224	1. Mark Merila	179
4t. Robb Quinlan	188	6. Robb Quinlan	162

Springing into the Limelight: A year ago on Minnesota's spring trip to California, Mike Arlt established himself as the Golden Gophers' everyday centerfielder. It also allowed Robb Quinlan to move to first base where he was flawless.

This season, several new faces had outstanding spring trips. With an injury to fellow redshirt freshman **Scott Howard (Rosemount, Minn.)**, **Jon Nuss (Bloomington, Minn.)** became the team's starting leftfielder. He finished with a .409 average with nine hits and eight RBIs. In the trip's finale against Ohio State, Nuss had a 3-for-5 day with a career-high five RBIs, which he amassed in just the first three innings of the game. Howard did not make the trip to Alabama because of a mild sprain of his rotator cuff. With his expected return, it will be an interesting battle for playing time.

Not "Soon" Enough: Prior to the start of the season, former Oklahoma Sooner **Aron Amundson** was being counted on to help provide the power and the offense lost with the departure of outfielders Mark Groebner and Craig Selander.

As a pinch hitter in the spring trip's opener at South Alabama, his pinch-hit single in the eighth tied the game at three and started the deciding seven-run inning.

After missing the next game against UAB due to an illness, Amundson came back against Jacksonville and collected two hits, two RBIs and his first career home run. He also earned the victory on the mound as he pitched 3.1 innings of relief and allowed just one run.

Against Troy State, he hit two more home runs in the 7-6 victory. In all, he finished the trip with a .526 average.

Family Ties: The middle of the infield for the Golden Gophers is patrolled by the Brosseau Brothers. **Matt Brosseau (North Oaks, Minn.)**, the eldest of the brothers, started 39 games at second base last season and committed just four errors in 152 chances. **Rick Brosseau (North Oaks, Minn.)** turned heads last season as a true freshman as he earned the starting position at shortstop.

The Brosseaus are doing their part to carry on the family name. Their father, Frank, was a three-year letterwinner for Minnesota from 1964-67. He was a member of the Golden Gophers' last national championship team in 1964 and compiled

a 5-1 record with a 1.69 ERA during the regular season.

Brosseau claimed the victory in a 12-0 rout of Maine in the second round of the College World Series as he allowed just one hit in five innings.

On the Rebound: Junior **Matt Scanlon** started the season with eight hits in his first 16 at-bats, including six doubles. On the spring trip though, he saw his average drop to .286 after three hits in his next 23 at-bats. Scanlon appears to be back on track with his 3-for-4 performance against Ohio State. He scored three runs and added a RBI.

Scanlon led the Big Ten with 21 doubles last year and ranked among the league leaders with a .366 average. He set a new school record with 243 at-bats, including a new Big Ten record with 111 at-bats in league play.

Armed and Ready: Pitching will be a key once again for Minnesota in 1999. With all but two pitchers back from last season's pitching staff, the group has the potential to be the best assembled in Head Coach John Anderson's tenure.

Leading the group is junior **Ben Birk (8-2, 2.65)** and senior right-hander **Brad Pautz (6-3, 3.65)**. After missing the first month of the '98 Big Ten season with a shoulder injury, Birk returned to post a 4-0 record with a stellar 0.34 ERA in league play. Pautz returned to school despite being drafted in the sixth round by the Minnesota Twins in last summer's amateur draft. With Birk's absence, he has more than stepped up with a 1.69 ERA in 16 innings of work.

More on Pautz: The senior started the season with 14.1 innings of scoreless baseball until Troy State scored three runs off of him in the fifth inning. With a depleted staff, the coaches have brought him along slowly with his first two starts consisting of five innings and in his last start, he went six innings.

The Ace: Ben Birk (St. Paul, Minn.) was recruited to be Minnesota's centerfielder of the future. As a true freshman in '97, Birk played in 30 games with 14 starts as an outfielder and designated hitter. He batted just .191 with nine hits in 47 at-bats. On the mound, he made five appearances posting an 0-2 record with a 7.36 ERA.

Last season, the left-hander emerged in fall camp as the team's number one pitcher and put together a brilliant year with an 8-2 record and 2.65 ERA. He gave up just 11 walks and two home runs in 74.2 innings with an outstanding 6.1 strikeouts to every walk.

To put that in perspective, Michigan State's Mark Mulder, who was the second pick taken in last year's amateur draft by the Oakland Athletics, had a 5.9 strikeout to walk ratio (113/19) last year. The fourth choice in the first round by the Kansas City Royals, Stanford's Jeff Austin, had a 4.25 ratio (136/32) in '98.

Preseason Buzz: Minnesota entered the 1999 season ranked 26th in the country by *Baseball America* and 29th by *Collegiate Baseball*. The Golden Gophers were the highest-rated Big Ten team in either poll. Illinois was ranked 36th by *Baseball America* and 30th by *Collegiate Baseball*.

Senior **Robb Quinlan**, a second-team All-America selection last year, is a preseason third-team All-America choice and is *Baseball America's* choice for preseason Big Ten player of the year. The publication also cites junior left-hander **Ben Birk** as

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its preseason Big Ten pitcher of the year, as well as the league's top major league prospect. Senior right-hander **Brad Pautz** is rated the fourth top prospect.

Here is how *Baseball America* sees the Big Ten race shaking out this season with the Golden Gophers, the Fighting Illini and the Buckeyes projected to advance to the NCAA Tournament:

1. Minnesota*
2. Illinois*
3. Ohio State*
4. Michigan
5. Penn State
6. Purdue
7. Indiana
8. Northwestern
9. Michigan State
10. Iowa

Did You Know? The 1998 Golden Gophers were the eighth-most improved Division I team in the nation. In '97, Minnesota posted a 30-24 record, while last year's squad finished 45-15, a 12-game improvement. Grand Canyon University in Phoenix, Ariz., made the most dramatic improvement in Division I last year, going from a 13-43 record two years ago to 28-27 last season. The Golden Gophers' .750 winning percentage ranked sixth in the country in '98. Wichita State posted the nation's best winning percentage at .889 with a 56-7 record.

Dome Cookin': Minnesota will play 16 of its 36 home games at the Metrodome, home of the Minnesota Twins. Last season, the Golden Gophers posted an impressive 13-4 mark at the dome and are off to a 2-1 start in '99.

Who's Back: Fresh off a school record 45 wins, the Golden Gophers return 15 of 18 lettermen from a year ago. Minnesota has its entire infield back and six of eight position starters overall. With a pitching staff that led the Big Ten in team ERA in '98, 12 of those 14 pitchers are back including the team's top three starters.

On the Offensive: Minnesota will be hard-pressed to match the dominating performance of its offense in '98. The Golden Gophers eclipsed seven single-season hitting records, including home runs which they topped by 20.

Robb Quinlan and **Matt Scanlon**, as well as the departed Craig Selander and Mark Groebner, combined to break six single-season individual records. While Quinlan broke four himself, Selander would have set four if it weren't for his teammates. Scanlon broke the school's at-bat record, while Groebner's 80 RBIs were the most in school history.

In five offensive categories (at-bats, hits, runs scored, RBIs, total bases), all four can be found in the top-ten.

The Program: The Golden Gopher baseball program is one filled with a history of success and pride. Among the facts:

- 84 winning seasons
- 36 consecutive winning seasons
- Only five losing seasons in the last 64 years
- 17 Big Ten Championships, 15 in the last 43 seasons
- 22 NCAA appearances
- Five College World Series appearances
- Three NCAA titles

KKMS-AM 980 and Midwest Sports Channel to Broadcast Games in 1999: The University of Minnesota announced that KKMS-AM (980) will broadcast 47 games including all of Minnesota's Big Ten Conference games. Paul Barnes will be entering his fourth year as the radio voice of the Golden Gophers.

Midwest Sports Channel will televise four games beginning with the Wichita State vs. Minnesota game in the Hormel Foods Baseball Classic March 7. Other games on MSC include the first game of the May 1 doubleheader with Illinois, the May 9 matchup with Northwestern and the Michigan State game on May 14.

1998 Season in Review: The Golden Gophers, picked to finish fifth in the league prior to the season, set a new school-record with 45 wins. Minnesota, after finishing second in the Big Ten during the regular season, captured the Big Ten Tournament championship and a trip to the NCAA Tournament.

As a team, the Golden Gophers established seven new single-season records in hits (715), home runs (89), RBIs (478), at-bats (2,089), runs scored (524), total bases (1,162) and slugging percentage (.556).

Robb Quinlan and **Craig Selander** earned first-team All-Big Ten honors. **Mark Groebner** and **Dan McGrath** were named second-team while **Ben Birk** and **Matt Scanlon** were third-team selections.

Minnesota Fax-On-Demand: Information on the 1999 Golden Gopher baseball team is available to members of the media on Fax-On-Demand. To access, the information, media must have a PIN number available by calling (770) 399-3066.

To access information (after obtaining a PIN number), please call 1-800-300-2050. The Big Ten passcode is 282. Cell numbers for Minnesota baseball are:

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Surf the Web: Voted "Best Website in the State" in 1997, www.gophersports.com is the ultimate source for most up-to-date information on Golden Gopher athletics. The site contains rosters, schedules, results, statistics, standings and much, much more.

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Team

BATTING

Most At-Bats: 41 vs. Kentucky (2/27)
Fewest At-Bats: 34 vs. St. Cloud State (2/15)
Most Runs (Game): 15 vs. Jacksonville (2/21)
Most Runs (Inning): 7 twice; last vs. Jacksonville (2/21, 3rd)
Fewest Runs (Game): 5 twice; last at Auburn (2/24)
Most Hits (Game): 15 three times; last vs. Ohio State (2/28)
Most Hits (Inning): 6 vs. Jacksonville (2/21, 3rd)
Fewest Hits (Game): 8 twice; last at Troy State (2/26)
Most RBIs: 14 vs. Jacksonville (2/21)
Most Doubles: 5 at South Alabama (2/19)
Most Triples: 1 vs. Viterbo College (2/15)
Most Home Runs: 2 four times; last at Troy State (2/26)
Most Walks: 9 vs. Ohio State (2/28)
Fewest Walks: 3 twice; last at Troy State (2/26)
Most Strikeouts: 12 at Auburn (2/24)
Fewest Strikeouts: 3 twice; last at Troy State (2/26)
Most Sac. Bunts: 2 vs. Viterbo College (2/15)
Most Sac. Flies: 2 vs. Ohio State (2/28)
Most Stolen Bases: 7 vs. St. Cloud State (2/15)
Most Left on Base: 12 vs. Kentucky (2/27)
Fewest Left on Base: 6 twice; last vs. Jacksonville (2/21)
Hit into Double Plays: 4 vs. UAB (2/20)

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Most Putouts: 27 seven times; last vs. Ohio State (2/28)
Most Assists: 16 twice; last vs. Ohio State (2/28)
Most Errors: 4 vs. Kentucky (2/27)
Most Double Plays: 3 three times; last at Auburn (2/24)

PITCHING

Most Runs Allowed: 13 vs. UAB (2/20)
Most Earned Runs Allowed: 13 vs. UAB (2/20)
Fewest Runs Allowed: 4 vs. St. Cloud State (2/15)
Most Hits Allowed: 17 vs. Kentucky (2/27)
Fewest Hits Allowed: 6 vs. St. Cloud State (2/15)
Most Strikeouts: 9 vs. St. Cloud State (2/15)
Fewest Strikeouts: 2 at Auburn (2/24)
Most Walks: 10 at Auburn (2/24)
Fewest Walks: 3 five times; last vs. Kentucky (2/27)

MISCELLANEOUS

Longest Game: 3:25 twice; last vs. Jacksonville (2/21)
Shortest Game: 2:45 three times; last at Troy State (2/26)
Most Innings: 9, 10 times
Most Pitchers Used: 5 vs. Viterbo College (2/15)

Pitching Breakdown

Starters:

G	W-L	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR
10	0-1	6.32	37.0	52	28	26	14	28	6

Bullpen:

G	W-L	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR
10	6-3	8.64	50.0	66	57	48	33	25	6

Minnesota's 1999 Record When...

Home	2-1
Metrodome	2-1
Siebert Field	0-0
Road	2-1
Neutral Site	2-2
Day Games	3-3
Night Games	3-1
On Turf	2-1
On Grass	4-3
Vs. Left-handed Starters	1-1
Vs. Right-handed Starters	5-3
Against Top 25 Teams	0-1
One-Run Games	1-0
Two-Run Games	1-1
Extra-Innings Games	0-0
Shutouts	0-0
Scoring First	5-2
Scoring in the First Inning	3-1
Opponents Score First	1-2
Ahead After 5 Innings	5-0
Behind After 5 Innings	1-3
Tied After 5 Innings	0-1
Ahead Going Into Final Inning	6-0
Behind Going Into Final Inning	0-4
Tied Going Into Final Regulation Inning	0-0
Doubleheaders	0-0
Teams Combine For Less Than 10 Runs	0-0
Teams Combine For Between 10-19 Runs	4-3
Teams Combine For 20 or More Runs	2-1
Scoring 5 or More Runs	6-4
Scoring 4 Runs or Fewer	0-0
Allowing 5 or More Runs	5-4
Allowing 4 Runs or Fewer	1-0
Hitting Multiple Home Runs	4-0
February	6-4
March	0-0
April	0-0
May	0-0
Sunday	3-0
Monday	1-1
Tuesday	0-0
Wednesday	0-1
Thursday	0-0
Friday	2-0
Saturday	0-2
Current Streak	W 1
Longest Winning Streak	2
Longest Home Winning Streak	2
Longest Road Winning Streak	1
Longest Losing Streak	1
Longest Home Losing Streak	1
Longest Road Losing Streak	1
Largest Winning Margin	7 at South Alabama (2/19)

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Individual

BATTING

At-Bats: 6 - Mike Arlt vs. Kentucky (2/27); Robb Quinlan vs. Ohio State (2/28)
Runs Scored: 4 - Robb Quinlan vs. SCSU (2/15)
Hits: 4 - Robb Quinlan twice; last vs. Jacksonville (2/21)
Doubles: 2 - Matt Scanlon twice; last vs. Viterbo (2/15)
Triples: 1 - Rick Brosseau vs. Viterbo (2/15)
Home Runs: 2 - Aron Amundson at Troy State (2/26)
Total Bases: 8 - Aron Amundson at Troy State (2/26)
Walks: 3 - Jason Kennedy twice; last vs. Ohio State (2/28)
Strikeouts: 3 - Jason Kennedy at Auburn (2/24)
Sac. Bunts: 1 - Mike Arlt vs. Viterbo (2/15)
Sac. Flies: 1 - Jeremy Negen vs. Jacksonville (2/21)
Stolen Bases: 2 - Robb Quinlan vs. SCSU (2/15); Mike Arlt vs. SCSU (2/15); Scott Howard vs. SCSU (2/15)
Hit By Pitch: 1 - Jeremy Negen vs. SCSU (2/14); Robb Quinlan vs. South Alabama
Caught Stealing: 1 - Mike Arlt at Troy State (2/26); Mark Devore vs. Ohio State (2/28)
Runners LOB: 6 - Jason Kennedy vs. Viterbo (2/15)

FIELDING

Most Putouts: 13 - Robb Quinlan twice; last vs. Ohio State (2/28)
Most Assists: 10 - Mark Devore vs. Ohio State (2/28)
Most Errors: 2 - Rick Brosseau vs. Kentucky (2/27)

PITCHING

Innings Pitched: 6.0 - Brad Pautz at Troy State (2/26)
Runs Allowed: 9 - Aron Amundson vs. Kentucky (2/27)
Earned Runs Allowed: 7 - Aron Amundson vs. Kentucky (2/27)
Walks Allowed: 4 - Frank Wagner twice; last at Auburn (2/24); Andy Persby at Auburn (2/24)
Strikeouts: 6 Chadd Clarey vs. SCSU (2/15)
Hits Allowed: 10 - Vince Gangl vs. Viterbo (2/15)
Doubles Allowed: 2 several
Home Runs Allowed: 3 - Jason Shupe vs. UAB (2/20)
Wild Pitches: 2 - Jason Shupe vs. SCSU (2/14)
Hit Batters: 2 - Brad Pautz twice; last at Troy State (2/26), Frank Wagner vs. Ohio State (2/28); Brandon Kitzerow vs. UAB (2/20)

Current Streaks

Player	Games	Career High
Rick Brosseau	15	15 (5/14/98-present)
Mike Arlt	4	5 twice (last 5/3-5/8/98)
Josh Holthaus	3	6 (3/10-3/25/98)
Scott Howard	3	3 (2/14/99-present)
Mark Devore	1	11 (3/6-3/27/98)
Adam Horton	2	6 (4/6-4/13/96)
Jon Nuss	2	3 (2/19-2/21/99)
Robb Quinlan	2	13 twice (last 4/19-5/22/98)
Jeremy Negen	1	5 (4/4-4/11/98)
Matt Scanlon	1	9 (3/30-4/19/97)
Matt Brosseau	--	12 (2/20-3/14/98)
Aron Amundson	--	5 (2/19-2/27/99)
Jim Egan	--	5 (2/16-2/25/98)
Jason Kennedy	--	5 (2/19-2/26/99)
Jack Hannahan	--	1 (2/15/99)
Chris Guetzlaff	--	--

Multi-Hit Games

	2	3	4	5+	Total
Robb Quinlan	3 (44)	2 (24)	2 (10)	0 (0)	7 (78)
Mike Arlt	6 (23)	0 (9)	0 (1)	0 (0)	6 (26)
Matt Scanlon	3 (26)	2 (13)	0 (4)	0 (0)	5 (43)
Aron Amundson	3 (3)	1 (1)	0 (0)	0 (0)	4 (4)
Rick Brosseau	4 (18)	0 (2)	0 (0)	0 (0)	4 (20)
Jon Nuss	0 (0)	2 (2)	0 (0)	0 (0)	2 (2)
Matt Brosseau	1 (14)	0 (2)	0 (0)	0 (0)	1 (16)
Jeremy Negen	1 (5)	0 (4)	0 (0)	0 (0)	1 (9)
Adam Horton	0 (8)	1 (4)	0 (0)	0 (0)	1 (12)
Josh Holthaus	0 (0)	1 (1)	0 (0)	0 (0)	1 (1)
Jason Kennedy	1 (1)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	1 (1)
Jack Hannahan	1 (1)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	1 (1)
Mark Devore	0 (9)	0 (2)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (11)
Jim Egan	0 (1)	0 (1)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (2)

Career Totals in Parentheses

Multi-RBI Games

	2	3	4	5+	Total
Robb Quinlan	1 (26)	2 (10)	1 (5)	0 (2)	4 (43)
Matt Scanlon	3 (11)	1 (8)	0 (4)	0 (0)	4 (23)
Josh Holthaus	1 (5)	0 (1)	1 (1)	0 (0)	2 (7)
Aron Amundson	1 (1)	1 (1)	0 (0)	0 (0)	2 (2)
Rick Brosseau	1 (10)	0 (1)	0 (1)	0 (0)	1 (11)
Jon Nuss	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	1 (1)	1 (1)
Mike Arlt	1 (6)	0 (1)	0 (0)	0 (0)	1 (7)
Jeremy Negen	0 (6)	0 (1)	1 (1)	0 (0)	1 (8)
Adam Horton	1 (3)	0 (2)	0 (0)	0 (0)	1 (5)
Jim Egan	1 (6)	0 (1)	0 (0)	0 (0)	1 (7)
Mark Devore	0 (8)	0 (2)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (10)
Matt Brosseau	0 (4)	0 (1)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (5)

Career Totals in Parentheses

1999 University of Minnesota Statistics
 Game Results for Minnesota (as of Mar 02, 1999)
 (All games)

Game date	Opposing team	Score	r	h	e/	r	h	e	Inns	Overall	Big Ten	Pitcher of record	Attend Time
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Feb 14, 1999	St. Cloud State	W 10-8	10	8	0/	8	11	2	9	1- 0- 0	0- 0- 0	Shupe (W 1-0)	462 2:45
Feb 15, 1999	St. Cloud State	W 10-4	10	11	0/	4	6	3	9	2- 0- 0	0- 0- 0	Kitzerow (W 1-0)	283 2:52
Feb 15, 1999	Viterbo College	5-7 L	5	15	0/	7	13	0	9	2- 1- 0	0- 0- 0	Bennett (L 0-1)	506 2:45
Feb 19, 1999	at South Alabama	W 12-5	12	12	0/	5	7	4	9	3- 1- 0	0- 0- 0	Wagner (W 1-0)	494 3:25
\$Feb 20, 1999	vs UAB	6-13 L	6	11	2/13	15	2	9	9	3- 2- 0	0- 0- 0	Persby (L 0-1)	674 3:01
\$Feb 21, 1999	vs Jacksonville	W 15-9	15	15	3/	9	13	3	9	4- 2- 0	0- 0- 0	Amundson (W 1-0)	0 3:25
Feb 24, 1999	at Auburn	5-9 L	5	11	3/	9	12	1	9	4- 3- 0	0- 0- 0	Wagner (L 1-1)	2650 2:51
!Feb 26, 1999	at Troy State	W 7-6	7	8	0/	6	12	8	9	5- 3- 0	0- 0- 0	Haring (W 1-0)	245 2:45
!Feb 27, 1999	vs Kentucky	8-12 L	8	13	4/12	17	3	9	9	5- 4- 0	0- 0- 0	Amundson (L 1-1)	205 3:02
!Feb 28, 1999	vs Ohio State	W 16-12	16	15	3/12	12	3	9	9	6- 4- 0	0- 0- 0	Wagner (W 2-1)	163 3:22

*Conference Game

\$Coca-Cola Classic, Mobile, Ala.

!Blue-Gray Classic, Montgomery, Ala.

%Hormel Foods Baseball Classic, Minneapolis, Minn.

() extra inning game

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1999 University of Minnesota Statistics
 Overall Statistics for Minnesota (as of Mar 02, 1999)
 (All games Sorted by Batting avg)

Record: 6-4-0 Home: 2-1-0 Away: 2-1-0 Neutral: 2-2-0 Big Ten: 0-0-0

Player	AVG	GP-GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	SLG%	BB	HBP	SO	GDP	OB%	SF	SH	SB-ATT	PO	A	E	FLD%
Robb Quinlan.....	.457	10-10	46	15	21	2	0	4	16	35	.761	5	1	3	0	.519	0	0	2-2	81	6	0	1.000
Aron Amundson.....	.455	8-6	22	8	10	1	0	3	7	20	.909	6	1	5	0	.586	0	0	0-0	9	0	0	1.000
Josh Holthaus.....	.389	8-3	18	4	7	3	0	1	8	13	.722	1	0	3	0	.421	0	0	0-0	26	1	1	.964
Jon Nuss.....	.375	9-7	24	4	9	2	0	0	8	11	.458	3	1	3	0	.448	1	0	0-0	9	0	1	.900
Rick Brosseau.....	.333	10-10	42	13	14	5	1	2	7	27	.643	9	0	4	0	.442	1	0	1-1	14	32	5	.902
Mike Arlt.....	.333	10-10	42	10	14	3	0	0	7	17	.405	5	0	5	0	.404	0	3	4-5	25	3	1	.966
Matt Scanlon.....	.326	10-9	43	12	14	6	0	1	11	23	.535	2	0	2	0	.340	2	0	2-2	10	22	1	.970
Adam Horton.....	.316	8-4	19	2	6	1	0	0	3	7	.368	2	0	3	0	.381	0	0	0-0	7	2	0	1.000
Mark Devore.....	.278	9-5	18	2	5	0	0	0	2	5	.278	2	0	2	0	.350	0	1	1-2	9	20	0	1.000
Jim Egan.....	.250	3-1	4	1	1	0	0	0	2	1	.250	0	1	1	0	.400	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
Jason Kennedy.....	.233	10-9	30	12	7	1	0	1	3	11	.367	13	0	10	0	.465	0	0	3-3	17	1	1	.947
Scott Howard.....	.231	3-3	13	4	3	0	0	0	2	3	.231	1	0	2	0	.286	0	0	2-2	5	0	0	1.000
Jack Hannah.....	.222	7-1	9	1	2	0	0	0	2	2	.222	1	0	3	0	.300	0	0	0-0	2	8	1	.909
Matt Brosseau.....	.158	10-5	19	1	3	0	0	0	0	3	.158	1	1	4	0	.238	0	0	0-1	13	13	1	.963
Jeremy Negen.....	.136	8-7	22	5	3	2	0	0	4	5	.227	1	1	6	0	.200	1	1	0-0	29	2	1	.969
Chris Guetzlaff.....	.000	2-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
Totals.....	.320	10-10	372	94	119	26	1	12	82	183	.492	52	6	56	0	.407	5	5	15-18	261	119	15	.962
Opponents.....	.333	10-10	354	85	118	19	1	12	76	175	.494	47	15	53	0	.426	7	5	12-15	260	111	29	.928

LOB - Team (86), Opp (82). DPs turned - Team (16), Opp (17). IBB - Team (2), Amundson 1, Nuss 1. Picked off - Kennedy 1, Devore 1.

(All games Sorted by Earned run avg)

Player	ERA	W-L	APP	GS	CG	SHO/CBO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	2B	3B	HR	BF	B/Avg	WP	HBP	BK	SFA	SHA
Brad Pautz.....	1.69	0-0	3	3	0	0/0	0	16.0	14	3	3	3	8	2	0	0	64	.250	0	4	0	0	1
Kelly Werner.....	4.50	0-0	1	0	0	0/0	0	4.0	4	2	2	1	0	0	0	1	15	.286	0	0	1	0	0
Bob DeWitt.....	4.91	0-0	3	0	0	0/0	1	3.2	3	5	2	1	5	2	0	1	16	.214	1	0	0	1	0
Vince Gangl.....	5.59	0-0	4	1	0	0/0	1	9.2	13	6	6	1	6	1	0	1	41	.342	0	1	0	0	1
Chadd Clarey.....	6.00	0-0	3	3	0	0/0	0	9.0	10	6	6	6	13	1	0	2	44	.286	0	2	0	0	1
Brandon Kitzerow....	7.88	1-0	3	1	0	0/0	0	8.0	11	7	7	6	4	3	0	0	43	.314	0	2	0	0	0
Aron Amundson.....	9.72	1-1	3	1	0	0/0	1	8.1	14	11	9	5	5	4	0	1	47	.359	0	2	0	1	0
Frank Wagner.....	10.32	2-1	4	0	0	0/0	0	11.1	19	18	13	9	4	3	0	2	63	.396	1	2	0	3	1
Kurt Haring.....	11.57	1-0	3	0	0	0/0	0	4.2	7	6	6	3	0	0	0	1	24	.350	0	1	0	0	0
Nathan Bennett.....	13.50	0-1	1	0	0	0/0	0	1.1	0	2	2	2	1	0	0	0	6	.000	1	1	0	0	1
Jason Shupe.....	14.21	1-0	4	1	0	0/0	0	6.1	15	10	10	1	4	3	0	3	35	.455	4	0	0	1	0
Andy Persby.....	15.43	0-1	4	0	0	0/0	0	4.2	8	9	8	9	3	0	1	0	30	.400	0	0	0	1	0
Totals.....	7.66	6-4	10	10	0	0/0	3	87.0	118	85	74	47	53	19	1	12	428	.333	7	15	1	7	5
Opponents.....	6.65	4-6	10	10	0	0/0	2	86.2	119	94	64	52	56	26	1	12	440	.320	17	6	0	5	5

PB - Team (1), Negen 1, Opp (1). Pickoffs - Team (0), Opp (1). SB/ATT - Holthaus (6-7), Negen (4-6), Persby (4-5), Kitzerow (3-3), Pautz (2-3), Clarey (1-2), Scanlon (2-2), V. Gangl (1-1), Shupe (1-1).

Hitting minimums - 1 Games

Pitching minimums - 1 Games 1 IP