

THIS WEEK IN MEN'S ATHLETICS

October 24-31, 1999 (Homecoming Week/"M" Club Hall of Fame)

FOOTBALL

VS. PURDUE, SATURDAY, OCT. 30 - 11:10 A.M. - METRODOME
ESPN LIVE - WCCO 830-AM LIVE



Last Week's Results:

- Ohio State 20, Minnesota 17 -- Metrodome (50,842)
- Senior Thomas Hamner collected 115 yards on 25 carries, but the Golden Gophers lost 20-17 to Ohio State.

CROSS COUNTRY

AT BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIPS, SATURDAY, OCT. 30 - UNIVERSITY PARK, PA.

Last Week's Results:

- The Golden Gophers competed in the Marathon Sports 5K last Saturday at the Les Bolstad Course.



SWIMMING AND DIVING

ALUMNI MEET, FRIDAY, OCT. 29 - AQUATIC CENTER



Last Week's Results:

- The Golden Gopher swimming and diving team is set to open their season with the annual alumni meet.

HOCKEY

VS. BOSTON COLLEGE, FRIDAY-SATURDAY, OCT. 29-30 - 7:05 P.M. - MARIUCCI ARENA
MIDWEST SPORTS CHANNEL LIVE - KSTP 1500 AM LIVE

Last Week's Results:

- Minnesota played to a 2-2 overtime tie with North Dakota Friday night, but fell 3-2 in Saturday's contest.



TENNIS

REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS, FRIDAY-SUNDAY, NOV. 5-7 - EAST LANSING, MICH.



Last Week's Results:

- Junior Jorge Duenas won the Penn Fall Classic in Philadelphia, Pa., defeating Joost Hol 6-2, 7-6 (7-5).

GOLF

AT STAN SHERIFF INVITATIONAL, MONDAY-TUESDAY, NOV. 22-23 - HAWAII

Last Week's Results:

- Minnesota finished ninth at the Jerry Pate National Intercollegiate with a three-round score of 863.



GOPHER HOTLINE

The Golden Gopher Hotline features daily interviews with players and coaches. It is available to the media 24 hours a day by calling (612) 625-7887. The hotline is broadcast quality and is changed by noon each day. This service is for media use only. The schedule for this week is as follows:

Monday, October 25:

Defensive Coordinator **DAVID GIBBS** and offensive coordinator **STEVE LONEY**.

Tuesday, October 26:

Head Football Coach **GLEN MASON'S** weekly news conference.

Wednesday, October 27:

All-America senior **TYRONE CARTER** and senior **BILLY COCKERHAM**.

Thursday, October 28:

Head Hockey Coach **DON LUCIA** previews the Boston College series.

Friday, October 29:

Junior hockey forward **ERIK WESTRUM** previews the Boston College series.

Saturday-Sunday, October 30-31:

Head Football Coach **GLEN MASON'S** post-game news conference from the Purdue game.

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THE 1999 "M" CLUB HALL OF FAME INDUCTEES

The University of Minnesota "M" Club and the Men's Intercollegiate Athletic Department is holding the Ninth Annual Hall of Fame this weekend. Eleven former athletes and a former team physician will be inducted into the prestigious University of Minnesota "M" Club Hall of Fame. The induction ceremony will be held at the Radisson Metrodome on the Minnesota campus. For more information, call the "M" Club at (612) 929-8813.

Contemporary Group:

Ron Backes served as a track & field team captain in 1986. He was an indoor Big Ten individual champion in shot put in 1985 and 1986, and an outdoor Big Ten champion in the event in 1984, 1985 and 1986. He also captured the conference crown in the discus in 1986. He was an indoor shot put All-American in both 1985 and 1986, finishing first in the NCAA championships in 1986. He was also an outdoor All-American in the shot put in 1984, '85 and '86. A member of the 1992 U.S. Olympic Team, he was also honored as co-MVP at the 1986 Big Ten Outdoor Championships.

Marion Barber lettered in football from 1977-80. He was selected as team MVP in 1978 and 1980. He is currently third on the all-time school records list in career rushing with 660 attempts, fourth with 3,094 yards and second in career rushing touchdowns with 34. He served as captain for the 1980 season. He was a member of the Golden Gopher team that played Maryland in the 1977 Hall of Fame Bowl. He went on to play professionally for the NFL's New York Jets.

Alfred "Bud" Ericksen was a swimming letterwinner from 1962-64. He was a two-time All-American in 1963 and 1964. He competed on the Big Ten and NCAA Championship 400-yard medley relay team in 1963.

Lew Kennedy was a three-time wrestling letterwinner. He was a Big Ten individual champion in 1963 at 130 pounds and in 1964 at 137 pounds. He was an All-American in 1962 and 1963, finishing fourth both years at the NCAA Championships at 130 pounds.

Trent Tucker was a four-time letterwinner as a guard under Head Basketball Coach Jim Dutcher. He was an All-American in 1982 and selected as team MVP in 1981. He helped lead the Golden Gophers to the 1982 Big Ten title and the NCAA Tournament. He is currently tied for sixth place on the all-time school records list in career steals with 153 and seventh place for a steals in a single season with 63.

Doug Woog was hockey team captain in 1965-66. He led the team in scoring in 1965 with 47 total points in 29 games for the Maroon and Gold. He was selected as the John Mariucci MVP of the 1965-66 season and was named a First-Team All-American in 1965. Following his collegiate playing years he was selected as a member of the 1967 U.S. National Team. He continued his career at Minnesota as head coach from 1985-99. In 14 years as head coach he went 389-187-40, over 66% winning average.

Pioneer Group:

Neil Croonquist lettered in golf from 1938-40. He was a member of the 1938 Big Ten title team and the 1939 NCAA 11th-place finishers. He was a co-captain in 1939.

Amie Oss was a three-time basketball letterwinner from 1919-21 under Head Coach L. J. Cooke. He was Minnesota's first repeat All-American in basketball, receiving those honors in 1919 and 1921. He also lettered in football from 1919-21, earning All-Big Ten honors in 1919 and lettered twice in track. He was an assistant coach for football and basketball.

Alan Rice earned his wrestling letters from 1947-50. He was a Big Ten individual champion in 1949 at 136 pounds and in 1948 at 128 pounds. He won a medal in the National AAU championships.

Gordon Soltau lettered from 1946-49. He was selected to play on the 1949 East-West Shrine Game, the 1950 All-Star Game and the 1950 Hula Bowl. He also lettered in hockey in 1949.

Lifetime Achievement Group:

David Metzen began his dedication to education and athletics as a hockey player lettering from 1962-64. He served as team captain in 1963-64. He earned his undergraduate degree in elementary education, his master's degree in administration and his doctorate in educational administration all from the University of Minnesota. He is currently the superintendent for the South St. Paul Public Schools and a member of the University's Board of Regents.

Harvey O'Phelan served as a team orthopedic surgeon for the Golden Gophers for more than two decades from 1962-83 after graduating from the University of Minnesota Medical School. He received his honorary letter in 1983. He became the associate clinical professor of orthopedic surgery at the U of M Medical School in 1955. He is a member of the American Board of Orthopedic Surgeons and the American Academy of Sports Medicine. He also served as team orthopedic surgeon for numerous U.S.A. Olympic and World Championship squads, along with a number of professional teams.

The purpose of the annual Hall of Fame event is to honor achievements and preserve the tradition of those athletes, coaches and athletic staff members who have contributed in an outstanding and positive way to the University of Minnesota Men's Athletics Program.

CROSS COUNTRY



GOLDEN GOPHERS COMPETE IN THE MARATHON SPORTS 5K:

Freshman **NEIL HANSON** (Granada, Minn.), running unattached, captured the Marathon Sports 5K crown at the Les Bolstad Golf Course on Saturday. Hanson finished the open race with a time of 15:44.8.

Although it was not an official Minnesota race, freshman **LUKE MULLRANIN** (Bemidji, Minn.) took second with a time of 16:05.3 and freshman **ANDY KUMMER** (White Bear Lake, Minn.) rounded out the top three with a time of 16:22.5.

The Golden Gophers will head to Penn State University on Saturday, Oct. 30, to take part in the 1999 Big Ten Championships.

LAST YEAR AT THE BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIPS: The University of Minnesota cross country team finished fourth at the 1998 Big Ten Championships. It was the second year in a row that the Golden Gophers brought home a fourth-place finish. Michigan won the team title for the second year in a row with 50 points, followed by Michigan State with 64 and Wisconsin with 70 points. Redshirt freshman **JOEY CORR** (Redmond, Wash.) was the highest-placing freshman overall in the league with a tenth-place finish (25:05). Minnesota placed six other runners in the field's top 30, including **ERIC PIERCE** (Forest Lake, Minn.), who took 14th with a time of 25:14.

Golden Gopher Finishers at Marathon Sports 5K

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|-------------------|---------|
| 1. Neil Hanson | 15:44.8 |
| 2. Luke Mullranin | 16:05.3 |
| 3. Andy Kummer | 16:22.5 |
| 4. Chuck Smith | 16:29.7 |
| 5. Brent Loberg | 16:32.4 |
| 6. Eric Quam | 16:51.1 |
| 11. Zach Edmonson | 18:05.6 |

GOLDEN GOPHER SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

Sept. 10	Drake, South Dakota	2nd/29 pts.
Sept. 25	Roy Griak Invitational	14th/361 pts.
Oct. 9	Iowa State Memorial Classic	3rd/70 pts.
Oct. 16	Pre-NCAA	16th/432 pts.
Oct. 23	Marathon Sports	No Team Scores
Oct. 30	Big 10 Championship	University Park, PA
Nov. 13	NCAA Districts	Champaign, IL
Nov. 22	NCAA Championship	Bloomington, IN

1999 GOLDEN GOPHERS

Joshua Brang**	Sr.	Winona, Minn.
Nate Clay**	Sr.	Rochester Hills, Mich.
Joey Corr*	So.	Redmond, Wash.
Neil Hanson	Fr.	Granada, Minn.
Eric Hartmark*	Jr.	Duluth, Minn.
Andy Kummer	Fr.	White Bear Lake, Minn.
Brent Loberg	Fr.	Duluth, Minn.
Ryan Mack	Fr.	Ukiah, Calif.
Andrew McKessock*	So.	Owens Sound, Ontario
Luke Mullranin	Fr.	Bemidji, Minn.
Jason Owen	So.	Stewartville, Minn.
Eric Pierce**	Jr.	Forest Lake, Minn.
Jeremy Polson***	Sr.	Duluth, Minn.
Jesse Prince	Fr.	Bemidji, Minn.
Erik Quam	Fr.	Alexandria, Minn.
Chuck Smith*	Jr.	Lakeville, Minn.
Michael Stoick***	Sr.	St. Michael, Minn.
Scott Utne	Fr.	Shoreville, Minn.

* letters earned



Golf



GOLDEN GOPHERS PLACE NINTH AT JERRY PATE INVITATIONAL: The

Golden Gopher men's golf team fired a final round score of 283 to finish in ninth place in the 12-team Jerry Pate National Intercollegiate at the Old Overton Club in Shoal Creek, Ala. The event was hosted by the University of Alabama.

Golden Gopher two-time All-American James McLean rebounded from an opening round 78 to fire a six-under 65 in the final round. McLean tied for 12th place individually. Senior All-American Martin LeMesurier tied for 30th in the 60-player field with a four-over par total of 217.

Clemson defeated UNLV in the second hole of the team playoff to capture the team title. Both squads set the pace with a 17-under par total of 835. Georgia finished third at 838, three strokes behind the Tigers and the Rebels.

Charles Howell of Oklahoma State claimed the individual title with a 12-under par total of 201. Paul Casey of Arizona State and Andy Sanders of Houston finished one stroke behind at 11-under par 202. Casey's opening round 65 was undone by Sanders' final round 64 as the tournament's best 18-hole score.

NEXT UP: Minnesota will take three weeks off before competing in the Stan Sheriff Invitational. Nov. 22-23 in Hawaii.

Jerry Pate National Intercollegiate Old Overton Club Shoal Creek, Ala.

Team Results:

1. Clemson	284-273-278--835
2. UNLV	283-275-277--835
3. Georgia	280-277-281--838
4. Houston	279-281-280--840
5. Oklahoma State	288-288-273--849
6. Arizona State	277-285-288--850
7. Arizona	292-281-282--855
8. Alabama-Birmingham	284-284-290--858
9. Minnesota	305-275-283--863
10. Alabama	293-288-294--875
11. Auburn	302-293-289--884
12. Florida	306-301-295--902

Golden Gopher Scores:

T12. James McLean	78-67-65--210
T30. Martin LeMesurier	72-71-74--217
34. Joe Affrunti	78-68-72--218
44. Dave Gunderson	77-69-76--222
Wilhelm Schauman	79-73-72--224

GOLDEN GOPHER FALL SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

Sept. 19-21	NCAA Preview	T13th/902
Oct. 4-5	Windon Memorial	6th/890
Oct. 12-13	Pepperdine Intercollegiate	7th/893
Oct. 18-19	Jerry Pate	9th/863
Nov. 22-23	Stan Sheriff Invitational	Ko'Olau, HI
Nov. 25-26	Mauna Kea Invitational	Mauna Kea, HI

1999 GOLDEN GOPHERS

Joe Affrunti	Fr.	Crystall, Ill.
Bob Brink	Sr.	Bemidji, Minn.
Matt Burgess	Sr.	Mankato, Minn.
David Evenson	Fr.	Bloomington, Minn.
Zachary Faulds	Fr.	Wardsville, Ontario, Canada
Santiago Fernandez	Jr.	Bogota, Columbia
Matthew Gibb	Fr.	Toronto, Ontario, Canada
Dave Gunderson	Jr.	Stillwater, Minn.
Martin LeMesurier	Sr.	South Hampton, England
James McLean	Jr.	Wahgunjah, Victoria, Australia
Ben Meyers	Fr.	Frankston, Victoria, Australia
David Morgan	Fr.	Rochester, Minn.
Ethan Otterlei	Fr.	Edina, Minn.
Justin Robel	Fr.	Rochester, Minn.
Wilhelm Schauman	Fr.	Djursholm, Sweden
Andrew Tank	Jr.	Des Moines, Iowa



SWIMMING & DIVING



SWIMMING AND DIVING TEAM

COMPETES IN INTRASQUAD SCRIMMAGE: The University of Minnesota men's swimming and diving team competed in an intrasquad scrimmage on Saturday, Oct. 16 at the Aquatic Center. The meet was co-ed and divided into maroon and gold teams.

Freshman Ryan L'Roy took first place for the maroon team in the 1000m free with a time of 9:40.03 and junior Tim Sheely, also of the maroon team, took second place with a time of 9:43.00. The maroon team rounded out the top three with Nick Toumanoff taking third place with a time of 9:47.28.

In the men's 1M diving, junior Dan Croaston took first place with 322.85 points for the maroon team, while freshman Adam White, of the gold team, took second place with 244.85 points and sophomore Shane Hillsley took third with 241.40 points.

In the 200 free, sophomore Max von Bodungen took top honors for the maroon team with a time of 1:41.27, while sophomore Brandon Crook, of the gold team took second with a time of 1:41.45.

In the men's 200 backstroke, All-American Alex Massura took top honors with a time of 1:55.58 for the maroon team, while Ben Bartell of the gold team took second with a time of 1:55.83.

The Golden Gophers will compete in the 1999 Alumni meet on Friday, Oct. 29 and will officially open the 1999-2000 season on Nov. 5 and 6, when they take on Nebraska and North Carolina at the Aquatic Center.

GOLDEN GOPHER SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

Oct. 16	Intrasquad Meet	No Team Scores
Oct. 29	Alumni Meet	7 p.m.
Nov. 5-6	N. Carolina/Nebraska	6 p.m.
Nov. 13	Northwestern	2 p.m.
Nov. 19-21	Minnesota Invitational	All Day
Dec. 3-5	Texas Invitational	Austin, Texas
Jan. 22	Iowa	2 p.m.
Jan. 28-29	Triple Duals	All Day
Feb. 4-5	Minnesota Challenge	6 p.m.
Feb. 24-26	Big Ten Championships	Ann Arbor, Mich.
March 5	Go-Pher It Invitational	Aquatic Center
March 9-11	NCAA Diving Zone Qual.	Aquatic Center
March 23-25	NCAA Championships	Aquatic Center

1999 GOLDEN GOPHERS

Keam Ang	Jr.	Ipoh Perak, Malaysia
Mark Atoowd	Fr.	Alexandria, Minn.
Ryan Ayres	Jr.	Snellville, Ga.
Ben Bartell	So.	Grafton, Wis.
David Batulis	Fr.	Burnsville, Minn.
Ben Baumann	Fr.	Overland Park, Kan.
Max von Bodungen	So.	Malmö, Sweden
Chris Brunson	Fr.	Madison, Wis.
Clifford Buccicone	So.	Rochester, Minn.
Grant Butler	Jr.	West Bend, Wis.
Dan Croaston	Jr.	Champlin, Minn.
Brandon Crook	So.	Omaha, Neb.
Ryan Crosby	Sr.	Maplewood, Minn.
Travis Crow	So.	Sheboygan, Wis.
Matt Dahlstrom	Fr.	Wishek, N.D.
Mark Dillion	Fr.	Cumberland, R.I.
Ricardo Dornelas	So.	Jacaraide, Brazil
Chris Forrest	So.	Appleton, Wis.
Karl Frisinger	Fr.	Napa, Calif.
Jeff Hackler	Fr.	Alpharetta, Ga.
Ben Herdt	Fr.	East Lansing, Mich.
Shane Hillsley	So.	Longmount, Colo.
Brian Howard	Sr.	Kearney, Mo.
Chad Krastins	So.	Apple Valley, Minn.
Ryan L'Roy	Fr.	Beaverton, Ore.
Mike Mahoney	Fr.	Edina, Minn.
Dov Malnik	So.	Rishon Le-Zion, Israel
Alex Massura	Jr.	Sao Bernardo, Brazil
Marc Maynard	Fr.	St. Paul, Minn.
Yoav Meiri	Sr.	Modein, Israel
Mike Melrose	Fr.	Eau Claire, Wis.
Allen Ong	Fr.	Perak, Malaysia
Brian Porter	So.	Omaha, Neb.
Ryan Shane	Fr.	Cross Plains, Wis.
Brandon Schindler	Sr.	Saratoga, Calif.
Tim Sheely	Jr.	Schaumburg, Ill.
Aaron Shilt	Fr.	Appleton, Wis.
Todd Smolinski	Fr.	St. John, Ind.
Peter Sonstegard	Fr.	Sioux Falls, S.D.
Matt Taylor	Fr.	Shorewood, Minn.
Nick Toumanoff	Fr.	Pewaukee, Wis.
Adam White	Fr.	Hopkins, Minn.

Tennis



DUENAS WINS THE PENN FALL CLASSIC: Three members of the Golden Gophers competed in the Penn

Fall Classic in Philadelphia, Pa. Junior Jorge Duenas stormed through the bracket and defeated Joost Hol of Northwestern 6-2, 7-6 (7-5) to win the Penn Fall Classic title.

In the first round Duenas defeated Brian Barki of Penn 7-6 (4), 6-2. Duenas then went on to defeat Jackie Jenkins of Northwestern, 6-4, 6-4. In the third round he topped Brad Erickson of Northwestern, the fourth-seeded individual 7-6, 6-4. In the fourth round, Duenas defeated Jamie Sahara of Northwestern 6-3, 6-4.

Sophomore Karl Sloss dropped his first round match to Robert Chen of Dartmouth 6-1, 6-1. Sloss then defeated Andy Kolker of Penn 6-3, 3-6, 6-4 in the first round of the consolation bracket. In the second round of the consolation bracket, Sloss topped Matt Nielson of Penn State 7-6, 2-6, 5-3. He was then defeated by Ethan Farbman of Columbia. 6-3, 6-4.

Freshman Eric Robertson was the other Golden Gopher to compete in the Penn Fall Classic. Robertson also dropped his first round match 7-5, 6-4 to Josh Axler of Northwestern. He then lost to Chris Chatham of Virginia 6-4, 6-2 in the first round of the consolation bracket.

Duenas and Robertson paired up in doubles competition. In the first round Minnesota defeated the team of Ethan Farbman and



Mickey Kaplan of Columbia 8-4. They then lost to Joost Hol and Brad Erickson of Northwestern 8-4.

FOUR FRESHMEN JOIN THE GOLDEN GOPHER ROSTER:

Four new faces will join the Golden Gopher tennis roster this year. Harsh Mankad comes all the way from Mumbai, Maharashtra, India, to Minnesota this season. Mankad won the Junior National Championships in India in 1997. Freshman Nathan McClain, originally from Prior Lake, Minn., attended high school at New Braunfels, Texas. Milwaukee, Wis., native Eric Robertson crosses the border to join the Golden Gophers. Robertson won the Wisconsin state title in 1996, '98 and '99. Finally, Steve Solberg joins the team. The Fridley, Minn., native won the regional singles title in Minnesota in 1997.

NEXT UP: The Golden Gophers will have a weekend off before traveling to East Lansing, Mich., to compete in the Regional Championships Friday-Sunday, Nov. 5-7. Last year, graduated senior Tom Chicoine won the Regional Championships.

GOLDEN GOPHER FALL SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

Oct. 1-3	N. C. State Invitational	No Team Scores
Oct. 7-10	Thunderbirds Invitational	No Team Scores
Oct. 14-17	All-American Tournament	No Team Scores
Oct. 22-24	Penn Fall Tournament	No Team Scores
Oct. 22-24	Tulane Invitational	New Orleans, LA
Nov. 5-7	Regional Championships	East Lansing, MI
Nov. 13-15	Oregon Fall Tournament	Eugene, OR

1999 GOLDEN GOPHERS

Jorge Duenas	Jr.	Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic
Thomas Haug	So.	Zurich, Switzerland
Harsh Mankad	Fr.	Mumbai, Maharashtra, India
Ed Marques	Jr.	Brasillia, Brazil
Nathan McLain	Fr.	Prior Lake, Minn.
Martin Michalowski	Jr.	Ottawa, Ontario
Tyson Parry	Jr.	Chatham, Ontario
Eric Robertson	Fr.	Milwaukee, Wis.
Karl Sloss	So.	Kildeer, Ill.
Steve Solberg	Fr.	Fridley, Minn.
Jon Svensson	Jr.	Kristianstad, Sweden

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What: Yudof imposes sanctions on men's basketball program
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U OF M PRESIDENT SANCTIONS MEN'S BASKETBALL PROGRAM

MINNEAPOLIS / ST. PAUL--University of Minnesota President Mark Yudof today, Tuesday, Oct. 26, announced self-imposed sanctions in response to allegations of academic misconduct in the men's basketball program. The announcement comes a month before the start of the regular season.


"We are taking this action to allow the basketball program to enter the 1999-2000 season with a clearer understanding of its future," Yudof explained. "Coach Monson, his players and prospective recruits deserve to know the conditions under which they'll be competing. As well, I've said for months that I believe that the investigation will show instances of academic fraud in the men's basketball program. The university has an obligation both to the public and the NCAA to demonstrate that we are holding ourselves accountable."

Specifically, Yudof imposed a one-year ban on postseason play, including the national invitational tournament and the National Collegiate Athletics Association (NCAA) tournament. As well, he announced that as of today, the team will self-impose NCAA probation for an unspecified period of time. The probation will include a heightened level of reporting, such as periodic self-studies and compliance checks, to the NCAA.

"These actions demonstrate that we understand the gravity of the academic misconduct allegations while allowing the team to begin the process of rebuilding for the future," said Yudof. He stressed that upon review of the final investigative report, the university and the NCAA may impose additional sanctions on the men's basketball program. "Regardless," said Yudof, "It is important for the university to act on its own accord and continue the process that began with the hiring of coach Monson, of restoring public confidence."

The allegations of academic misconduct in the men's basketball program were first leveled in March 1999. The university immediately launched an independent investigation, which is expected to be completed and released, along with the university's action plan, by mid-November.

The university today informed the NCAA of the self-imposed sanctions, which are effective immediately. □



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MEDIA ADVISORY

1999-2000 UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA MEN'S BASKETBALL PRACTICE POLICY AND FALL CAMP PRACTICE SCHEDULE

As a rule all practices, other than game-day shoot arrounds and the practices prior to gameday, will be open to the media. Player interviews will be every Tuesday beginning at 2:30 p.m. and ending by 3:30. Media must notify Bill Crumley in the media relations office 24 hours in advance, as to who they would like to interview. Coach Monson will be available for interviews, when the team begins stretching (about 20 minutes **into** the start of practice). There will be no filming of the walk-through (first 20 minutes), any opponent scouting report, or game preparation work. Media are asked to cooperate fully with this or they will be asked to leave.

If media are looking for a short or one-one-one interview with Coach Monson, they must set it up in advance or conduct it at the weekly media luncheons during the Big Ten season. There is some flexibility built into this schedule, in case of Tuesday or Wednesday games, conflicts in the player's or coach's schedule. Interviews must not conflict with classes, meetings, training room treatments or other team obligations. The team locker room and training room are off limits to the media at all times. This policy and schedule is subject to change at the media relations director and or coaches discretion. If there are questions, call Bill Crumley at (612) 625-4090.

TENTATIVE FALL PRACTICE SCHEDULE

Oct. 16	Noon-3 p.m.
Oct. 17	10 a.m.-Noon; 5-7 p.m.
Oct. 18	Off
Oct. 19	3:30-6:30 p.m.
Oct. 20	3:30-6:30 p.m.
Oct. 21	3:30-6:30 p.m.
Oct. 22	3:30-6:30 p.m.
Oct. 23	Scrimmage, 8 a.m. or 10 a.m.
Oct. 24	Off
Oct. 25	3:30-6:30 p.m.
Oct. 26	3:30-6:30 p.m.
Oct. 27	3:30-6:30 p.m.
Oct. 28	3:30-6:30 p.m.
Oct. 29	Scrimmage, 5:30 p.m.
Oct. 30	Off
Oct. 31	5-8 p.m.
Nov. 1	3:30-6:30 p.m.
Nov. 2	3:30-6:30 p.m.
Nov. 3	3:30-6:30 p.m.
Nov. 4	3:30-6:30 p.m.
Nov. 5	3:30-6:30 p.m.
Nov. 6	Scrimmage, noon, Bierman
Nov. 7	Off
Nov. 8	TBD
Nov. 9	3:30-6:30 p.m.

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U MEN SET TO COMPETE IN THE 1999 BIG TEN CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS

The 24th-ranked University of Minnesota men's cross country team will participate in the 84th running of the Big Ten Cross Country Championships in University Park, Pa., this Saturday at 11:30 a.m. Last year, the Golden Gophers finished fourth in the conference and currently trail Wisconsin (5th) and Michigan (8th) in the NCAA Coaches Poll.

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November 1-7, 1999

FOOTBALL

AT PENN STATE, SATURDAY, NOV. 6 - 11:10 A.M. - UNIVERSITY PARK, PA.
ESPN2 LIVE - WCCO 830-AM LIVE



Last Week's Results:

- Purdue 33, Minnesota 28 -- Metrodome (48,869)
- Senior Thomas Hamner rushed for 166 yards on 20 carries and scored two touchdowns.

CROSS COUNTRY

AT NCAA DISTRICT CHAMPIONSHIPS, SAT. NOV. 13 - CHAMPAIGN, ILL.

Last Week's Results:

- The Golden Gophers captured third place at the Big Ten Championships in University Park, Pa.



SWIMMING AND DIVING

NORTH CAROLINA/NEBRASKA, FRI.-SAT., NOV.5-6 - AQUATIC CENTER



Last Week's Results:

- The Golden Gophers open their regular season schedule with North Carolina and Nebraska.

HOCKEY

AT COLORADO COLLEGE , FRI.-SAT., NOV. 5-6 - 8:35/8:05 P.M. - COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO.
MIDWEST SPORTS CHANNEL LIVE - KSTP 1500 AM LIVE

Last Week's Results:

- Minnesota defeated No. 1-ranked Boston College 6-5 in overtime Friday, but lost 4-1 Saturday at Mariucci.



TENNIS

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CROSS COUNTRY



U CROSS COUNTRY TEAM PLACES - THIRD AT THE 1999 BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIPS: The No. 18 University of Minnesota men's cross country team finished

third with 61 points at the 1999 Big Ten Cross Country Championships in University Park, Pa., on Saturday. It was the highest finish for the Golden Gophers since they finished third in 1989. The University of Wisconsin captured the overall title with 38 points, just edging out the University of Michigan who finished with 40 points. Between Michigan and Wisconsin, the two teams have won every cross country title in the 1990s.

Leading the way for the Golden Gophers were seniors **ERIC PIERCE** (Forest Lake, Minn.) and **JEREMY POLSON** (Duluth, Minn.), who finished eighth (25:43.31) and ninth (25:45.16), respectively. Sophomore **JOEY CORR** (Redmond, Wash.) clocked a time of 25:52.73 to take 13th, while freshman **WILL MCCOMB** (Port Elgin, Ontario) (25:54.35) and sophomore **ANDREW MCKESSOCK** (Owen Sound, Ontario) (26:02.38) finished 14th and 17th, respectively to round out the top five for the Golden Gophers.

Wisconsin's Matt Downin captured the individual title for the second year in a row with a time of 24:57.20, while Michigan's John Schoenfelder took runner-up honors with a time of 25:06.11.

With their top 14 finish, Pierce, Polson, Corr and McComb earn second-team All-Big Ten status. The All-Big Ten team consists of the top 15 finishers, first through seventh are on the first team and eight through 14 make up the second team.

Minnesota will travel to Champaign, Ill., to take part in the 1999 NCAA District V Championships on Saturday, Nov. 13.

BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

Place	School	Points
1.	Wisconsin	38
2.	Michigan	40
3.	Minnesota	61
4.	Ohio State	118
5.	Indiana	143
6.	Michigan State	147
7.	Penn State	186
8.	Illinois	187
9.	Iowa	210
10.	Purdue	233

GOLDEN GOPHER FINISHERS

8. Eric Pierce	25:43.31
9. Jeremy Polson	25:45.16
13. Joey Corr	25:52.73
14. Will McComb	25:54.35
17. Andrew McKessock	26:02.38
22. Jason Owen	26:14.02
38. Josh Brang	26:41.42
44. Neil Hanson	26:53.06
47. Nate Clay	26:56.88

GOLDEN GOPHER SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

Sept. 10	Drake, South Dakota	2nd/29 pts.
Sept. 25	Roy Griak Invitational	14th/361 pts.
Oct. 9	Iowa State Memorial Classic	3rd/70 pts.
Oct. 16	Pre-NCAA	16th/432 pts.
Oct. 23	Marathon Sports	No Team Scores
Oct. 30	Big 10 Championship	3rd/61 pts.
Nov. 13	NCAA Districts	Champaign, IL
Nov. 22	NCAA Championship	Bloomington, IN

1999 GOLDEN GOPHERS

Joshua Brang**	Sr.	Winona, Minn.
Nate Clay**	Sr.	Rochester Hills, Mich.
Joey Corr*	So.	Redmond, Wash.
Neil Hanson	Fr.	Granada, Minn.
Eric Hartmark*	Jr.	Duluth, Minn.
Andy Kummer	Fr.	White Bear Lake, Minn.
Brent Loberg	Fr.	Duluth, Minn.
Ryan Mack	Fr.	Ukiah, Calif.
Andrew McKessock*	So.	Owens Sound, Ontario
Luke Mullranin	Fr.	Bemidji, Minn.
Jason Owen	So.	Stewartville, Minn.
Eric Pierce**	Jr.	Forest Lake, Minn.
Jeremy Polson***	Sr.	Duluth, Minn.
Jesse Prince	Fr.	Bemidji, Minn.
Erik Quam	Fr.	Alexandria, Minn.
Chuck Smith*	Jr.	Lakeville, Minn.
Michael Stoick***	Sr.	St. Michael, Minn.
Scott Utne	Fr.	Shoreville, Minn.

* letters earned



Golf



GOLDEN GOPHERS PLACE NINTH AT JERRY PATE INVITATIONAL: The

Golden Gopher men's golf team fired a final round score of 283 to finish in ninth place in the 12-team Jerry Pate National Intercollegiate at the Old Overton Club in Shoal Creek, Ala. The event was hosted by the University of Alabama.

Golden Gopher two-time All-American James McLean rebounded from an opening round 78 to fire a six-under 65 in the final round. McLean tied for 12th place individually. Senior All-American Martin LeMesurier tied for 30th in the 60-player field with a four-over par total of 217.

Clemson defeated UNLV in the second hole of the team playoff to capture the team title. Both squads set the pace with a 17-under par total of 835. Georgia finished third at 838, three strokes behind the Tigers and the Rebels.

Charles Howell of Oklahoma State claimed the individual title with a 12-under par total of 201. Paul Casey of Arizona State and Andy Sanders of Houston finished one stroke behind at 11-under par 202. Casey's opening round 65 was undone by Sanders' final round 64 as the tournament's best 18-hole score.

NEXT UP: Minnesota will take three weeks off before competing in the Stan Sheriff Invitational, Nov. 22-23 in Hawaii.

Jerry Pate National Intercollegiate Old Overton Club Shoal Creek, Ala.

Team Results:

1. Clemson	284-273-278--835
2. UNLV	283-275-277--835
3. Georgia	280-277-281--838
4. Houston	279-281-280--840
5. Oklahoma State	288-288-273--849
6. Arizona State	277-285-288--850
7. Arizona	292-281-282--855
8. Alabama-Birmingham	284-284-290--858
9. Minnesota	305-275-283--863
10. Alabama	293-288-294--875
11. Auburn	302-293-289--884
12. Florida	306-301-295--902

Golden Gopher Scores:

T12. James McLean	78-67-65--210
T30. Martin LeMesurier	72-71-74--217
34. Joe Affrunti	78-68-72--218
44. Dave Gunderson	77-69-76--222
Wilhelm Schauman	79-73-72--224

GOLDEN GOPHER FALL SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

Sept. 19-21	NCAA Preview	T13th/902
Oct. 4-5	Wendon Memorial	6th/890
Oct. 12-13	Pepperdine Intercollegiate	7th/893
Oct. 18-19	Jerry Pate	9th/863
Nov. 22-23	Stan Sheriff Invitational	Ko'Olau, HI
Nov. 25-26	Mauna Kea Invitational	Mauna Kea, HI

1999 GOLDEN GOPHERS

Joe Affrunti	Fr.	Crystall, Ill.
Bob Brink	Sr.	Bemidji, Minn.
Matt Burgess	Sr.	Mankato, Minn.
David Evenson	Fr.	Bloomington, Minn.
Zachary Faulds	Fr.	Wardsville, Ontario, Canada
Santiago Fernandez	Jr.	Bogota, Columbia
Matthew Gibb	Fr.	Toronto, Ontario, Canada
Dave Gunderson	Jr.	Stillwater, Minn.
Martin LeMesurier	Sr.	South Hampton, England
James McLean	Jr.	Wahgunjah, Victoria, Australia
Ben Meyers	Fr.	Frankston, Victoria, Australia
David Morgan	Fr.	Rochester, Minn.
Ethan Otterlei	Fr.	Edina, Minn.
Justin Robel	Fr.	Rochester, Minn.
Wilhelm Schauman	Fr.	Djursholm, Sweden
Andrew Tank	Jr.	Des Moines, Iowa



SWIMMING & DIVING



MINNESOTA MEN'S SWIMMING AND DIVING TAKES PART IN ANNUAL ALUMI MEET: The Golden Gopher men's and women's swimming team took part in the annual alumni meet this weekend. The meet saw the return of All-Americans John Cahoy and Jono McLeod, as well as Big Ten Champion Martin Zielinski, who all competed for Team Alumni.

In the 50 Free, **RICARDO DORNELAS** (Belo Horizonte, Brazil) of Team Minnesota took first with a time of 20:50, while **ALEX MASSURA** (Sao Paulo, Brazil), also of Team Minnesota, took second with a time of 20:69.

In the men's 100 free, Massura took first with a time of 45:04, while Luis Lopez of Team Alumni took second with a time of 46:74.

In the 50 Back, Duane Dobko of Team Alumni took first place with a time of 24.50, while **MARK DILLION** (Cumberland, R.I.) came in a close second with a time of 24:87.

In the men's 50 breast, Oscar Godoi from Team Alumni took top honors, with Team Minnesota's **JEFF HACKLER** (Alpharetta, Ga.) taking second with a time of 26.53.

In his return to Minnesota, John Cahoy narrowly defeated **YOAV MEIRI** (Modein, Israel) in the 100 Fly with times of 50.13 and 50.61 respectively. While Jono McLeod for Team Alumni, took eighth out of 18 swimmers in the 25 Free.

The Golden Gophers are back in action next weekend when they host North Carolina and Nebraska at the University of Minnesota Aquatic Center.

GOLDEN GOPHER SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

Oct. 16	Intrasquad Meet	No Team Scores
Oct. 29	Alumni Meet	No Team Scores
Nov. 5-6	N. Carolina/Nebraska	6 p.m.
Nov. 13	Northwestern	2 p.m.
Nov. 19-21	Minnesota Invitational	All Day
Dec. 3-5	Texas Invitational	Austin, Texas
Jan. 22	Iowa	2 p.m.
Jan. 28-29	Triple Duals	All Day
Feb. 4-5	Minnesota Challenge	6 p.m.
Feb. 24-26	Big Ten Championships	Ann Arbor, Mich.
March 5	Go-Pher It Invitational	Aquatic Center
March 9-11	NCAA Diving Zone Qual.	Aquatic Center
March 23-25	NCAA Championships	Aquatic Center

1999 GOLDEN GOPHERS

Keam Ang	Jr.	Ipoh, Malaysia
Mark Atoowd	Fr.	Alexandria, Minn.
Ryan Ayres	Jr.	Snellville, Ga.
Ben Bartell	So.	Grafton, Wis.
David Batulis	Fr.	Burnsville, Minn.
Ben Baumann	Fr.	Overland Park, Kan.
Max von Bodungen	So.	Malmö, Sweden
Chris Brunson	Fr.	Madison, Wis.
Blair Buccicone	So.	Rochester, Minn.
Grant Butler	Jr.	West Bend, Wis.
Dan Croaston	Jr.	Champlin, Minn.
Brandon Crook	So.	Omaha, Neb.
Travis Crow	So.	Sheboygan, Wis.
Mark Dillon	Fr.	Cumberland, R.I.
Ricardo Dornelas	So.	Jacaraide, Brazil
Chris Forrest	So.	Appleton, Wis.
Karl Frisinger	Fr.	Napa, Calif.
Jeff Hackler	Fr.	Alpharetta, Ga.
Ben Herdt	Fr.	East Lansing, Mich.
Shane Hillsley	So.	Longmont, Colo.
Brian Howard	Sr.	Kearney, Mo.
Chad Krastins	So.	Apple Valley, Minn.
Ryan L'Roy	Fr.	Beaverton, Ore.
Mike Mahoney	Fr.	Edina, Minn.
Dov Malnik	So.	Rishon Le-Zion, Israel
Alex Massura	Jr.	Sao Paulo, Brazil
Marc Maynard	Fr.	St. Paul, Minn.
Yoav Meiri	Sr.	Modein, Israel
Mike Melrose	Fr.	Eau Claire, Wis.
Allen Ong	Fr.	Perak, Malaysia
Brian Porter	So.	Omaha, Neb.
Shane Ryan	Fr.	Cross Plains, Wis.
Brandon Schindler	Sr.	Saratoga, Calif.
Tim Sheely	Jr.	Schaumburg, Ill.
Aaron Shilt	Fr.	Appleton, Wis.
Todd Smolinski	Fr.	St. John, Ind.
Peter Sonstegard	Fr.	Sioux Falls, S.D.
Matt Taylor	Fr.	Shorewood, Minn.
Nick Toumanoff	Fr.	Pewaukee, Wis.
Adam White	Fr.	Hopkins, Minn.

Tennis



DUENAS WINS THE PENN FALL CLASSIC: Three members of the Golden Gophers competed in the Penn

Fall Classic in Philadelphia, Pa. Junior Jorge Duenas stormed through the bracket and defeated Joost Hol of Northwestern 6-2, 7-6 (7-5) to win the Penn Fall Classic title.

In the first round Duenas defeated Brian Barki of Penn 7-6 (4), 6-2. Duenas then went on to defeat Jackie Jenkins of Northwestern, 6-4, 6-4. In the third round he topped Brad Erickson of Northwestern, the fourth-seeded individual 7-6, 6-4. In the fourth round, Duenas defeated Jamie Sahara of Northwestern 6-3, 6-4.

Sophomore Karl Sloss dropped his first round match to Robert Chen of Dartmouth 6-1, 6-1. Sloss then defeated Andy Kolker of Penn 6-3, 3-6, 6-4 in the first round of the consolation bracket. In the second round of the consolation bracket, Sloss topped Matt Nielson of Penn State 7-6, 2-6, 5-3. He was then defeated by Ethan Farbman of Columbia, 6-3, 6-4.

Freshman Eric Robertson was the other Golden Gopher to compete in the Penn Fall Classic. Robertson also dropped his first round match 7-5, 6-4 to Josh Axler of Northwestern. He then lost to Chris Chatham of Virginia 6-4, 6-2 in the first round of the consolation bracket.

Duenas and Robertson paired up in doubles competition. In the first round Minnesota defeated the team of Ethan Farbman and



Mickey Kaplan of Columbia 8-4. They then lost to Joost Hol and Brad Erickson of Northwestern 8-4.

FOUR FRESHMEN JOIN THE GOLDEN GOPHER ROSTER:

Four new faces will join the Golden Gopher tennis roster this year. Harsh Mankad comes all the way from Mumbai, Maharashtra, India, to Minnesota this season. Mankad won the Junior National Championships in India in 1997. Freshman Nathan McClain, originally from Prior Lake, Minn., attended high school at New Braunfels, Texas. Milwaukee, Wis., native Eric Robertson crosses the border to join the Golden Gophers. Robertson won the Wisconsin state title in 1996, '98 and '99. Finally, Steve Solberg joins the team. The Fridley, Minn., native won the regional singles title in Minnesota in 1997.

NEXT UP: The Golden Gophers will travel to Madison, Wis., to compete in the Regional Championships Friday-Sunday, Nov. 5-7. Last year, graduated senior Tom Chicoine won the Regional Championships.

GOLDEN GOPHER FALL SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

Oct. 1-3	N. C. State Invitational	No Team Scores
Oct. 7-10	Thunderbirds Invitational	No Team Scores
Oct. 14-17	All-American Tournament	No Team Scores
Oct. 22-24	Penn Fall Tournament	No Team Scores
Nov. 5-7	Regional Championships	East Lansing, MI
Nov. 13-15	Oregon Fall Tournament	Eugene, OR

1999 GOLDEN GOPHERS

Jorge Duenas	Jr.	Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic
Thomas Haug	So.	Zurich, Switzerland
Harsh Mankad	Fr.	Mumbai, Maharashtra, India
Ed Marques	Jr.	Brasillia, Brazil
Nathan McLain	Fr.	Prior Lake, Minn.
Martin Michalowski	Jr.	Ottawa, Ontario
Tyson Parry	Jr.	Chatham, Ontario
Eric Robertson	Fr.	Milwaukee, Wis.
Karl Sloss	So.	Kildeer, Ill.
Steve Solberg	Fr.	Fridley, Minn.
Jon Svensson	Jr.	Kristianstad, Sweden

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GAME TIMES AND TELEVISION SELECTIONS ANNOUNCED FOR REMAINING GOLDEN GOPHER REGULAR SEASON FOOTBALL GAMES

The University of Minnesota football team's home finale vs. Indiana on Nov. 13, and the regular season finale at Iowa on Nov. 20, will both begin at 11:10 a.m. (Central) and be televised on Midwest Sports Channel.

The Minnesota-Indiana game is the ESPN Regional Game of the Week which means that it will be televised throughout the Big Ten region. The Minnesota-Iowa game will be seen on a point-to-point basis, which means that it will be televised throughout Iowa in addition to the regular MSC viewing audience. Both games will also be available to a national audience via the ESPN GamePlan package.

A reminder that this Saturday's game at Penn State will be nationally-televised on ESPN2 with a start time of 11:10 a.m. (Central).

The remaining Golden Gopher regular season schedule is listed below with starting times and television selections:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Television</u>	<u>Time (Central)</u>
Nov. 6	at Penn State	ESPN2	11:10 a.m.
Nov. 13	INDIANA	Midwest Sports Channel	11:10 a.m.
Nov. 20	at Iowa	Midwest Sports Channel	11:10 a.m.

Every Golden Gopher game can be heard live on WCCO-AM 830 (also www.gophersports.com).

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LIMITED NUMBER OF INDIVIDUAL GAME MEN'S BASKETBALL TICKETS TO GO ON SALE SATURDAY

The University of Minnesota Athletics Ticket Office announced today that a limited number of individual game men's basketball tickets go on sale Saturday, November 6. All available seats are singles or have partially obstructed views. Sales are limited to two games and four tickets per game per household for Big Ten games. There are no limits for nonconference games. Tickets are \$25 each and can be purchased by phone (612) 624-8080 or 1-800-UGOPHER from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Saturday. Any tickets not sold Saturday will be available by phone or over the counter on Monday at the Athletics Ticket Office at Mariucci Arena.



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Nov. 12	3:30 Bierman gym
Nov. 13	8:30 a.m. (St. Paul Concordia State High School Coaches Clinic)
Nov. 14	Noon Williams
Nov. 15	game day

1999-2000 Basketball Media Day

Schedule of Events

Wednesday, Nov. 3, 1999

- 11:00 a.m. Media relations staff begins setup of Williams Arena Club Room, begin distribution of season credentials as media arrive
- 11:30 a.m. Caterer arrives to set up food for noon luncheon
- Noon General welcome to luncheon by Bill Crumley —statement about Monson and how he has assembled a great staff (short bullet points on each)
- 12:20 p.m. Introduction of Dan Monson, assistant coaches and players to media, Monson talks about new coaching staff. Opening statement by Monson on team and season. Entertain questions from media (Players in attendance, Joel Przybilla, Mitch Ohnstad, Dusty Rychart)
- 1:30 p.m. Luncheon ends (Bill Crumley closes and explains schedule of events for remainder of afternoon to media). One-on-one interviews with players and coach will be available at this time.
- 2 p.m. Wendell Vandersluis and Bob Marcus set up for individual still and video shots
- 2:30-3:30 p.m. Players arrive and begin taking individual and still and video shots. Players do one-on-one interviews with media as needed in between their photo obligations.
- 3:30 p.m. Team photo, coaching staff photo, senior photo, managers photo etc.
- 4 p.m. Practice begins
- Note:** Players will dress in game uniforms for photos and change into practice gear following team photos. Coaches and other staff will wear casual coaching gear at Coach Monson's discretion for luncheon and suit and tie for team photos.

Cc. Carolyn Allen, Harry Broadfoot, Kimberly DeKam, Mark Dienhart, Barb Dunker, Scott Ellison, Sean Hanner, Jerry Lee, Shannon Loecher, Bob Marcus, Mike Peterson, Art Prevost, Bob Rohde, Marc Ryan, Jeff Schemmel, Roger Schipper, Jeff Seifriz, Derek Thomas, Wendell Vandersluis, Bill Walker, Karen Zwach

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MINNESOTA'S MCCOMB NAMED BIG TEN FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR

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DIENHART NAMED TO NCAA MEN'S AND WOMEN'S TRACK AND FIELD COMMITTEE

University of Minnesota Men's Athletics Director Mark Dienhart has been named to the NCAA Men's and Women's Track and Field Committee. The committee controls, directs and supervises the NCAA Division I, II and III Men's and Women's Track and Field Championships.

The Golden Gopher men's track and field team, under the direction of Head Coach Phil Lundin, has won three Big Ten track and field team championships in the last two years. The program won its first indoor team title ever in 1998, and won back-to-back outdoor titles for the first time in school history in 1998 and 1999.



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THIS WEEK IN MEN'S ATHLETICS

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FOOTBALL



**VS. INDIANA, SATURDAY, NOV. 13 - 11:10 A.M. - METRODOME
ESPN REGIONAL LIVE - WCCO 830-AM LIVE**

Last Week's Results:

- Minnesota 24, Penn State 23 -- Beaver Stadium (96,753)
- The Golden Gophers defeated No. 2-ranked Penn State for the first time in school history, 24-23.

CROSS COUNTRY

AT NCAA DISTRICT CHAMPIONSHIPS, SAT. NOV. 13 - CHAMPAIGN, ILL.

Last Week's Results:

- The Golden Gophers captured third place at the Big Ten Championships in University Park, Pa.



SWIMMING AND DIVING

VS. NORTHWESTERN (CO-ED), SAT., NOV. 13 - AQUATIC CENTER



Last Week's Results:

- No. 10 Golden Gophers defeated No. 14 Nebraska 247-123 and No. 22 North Carolina 235-135 last weekend.

HOCKEY

**AT WISCONSIN, FRI.-SAT., NOV. 13-14 - 7:05 P.M. - MADISON, WIS.
MIDWEST SPORTS CHANNEL LIVE - KSTP 1500 AM LIVE**

Last Week's Results:

- Minnesota split its series at Colorado College, losing 3-0 Friday and winning 2-1 Saturday night.



TENNIS

AT OREGON FALL TOURNAMENT, SAT.-MON., NOV. 13-15 - EUGENE, ORE.



Last Week's Results:

- Tyson Parry and Thomas Haug advanced to the fourth round of the Region IV Championships in Madison.

WRESTLING

AT BISON OPEN, SAT., NOV. 13 - FARGO, N.D.

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Ryan L'Roy	Fr.	Beaverton, Ore.
Mike Mahoney	Fr.	Edina, Minn.
Dov Malnik	So.	Rishon Le-Zion, Israel
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Peter Sonstegard	Fr.	Sioux Falls, S.D.
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Tennis



PARRY AND HAUG ADVANCE TO FOURTH ROUND OF REGION IV CHAMPIONSHIPS: Junior Tyson

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In doubles competition, Haug and senior Martin Michalowski, the sixth seed overall, earned a first round bye. In the second round, the team defeated Vitak Wild and Gabel 8-5. In the third round, Michalowski and Haug lost to Scott Rutherford and Chang 8-6.

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THIS WEEK IN MEN'S ATHLETICS

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FOOTBALL



VS. INDIANA, SATURDAY, NOV. 13 - 11:10 A.M. - METRODOME
ESPN REGIONAL LIVE - WCCO 830-AM LIVE

Last Week's Results:

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MIDWEST SPORTS CHANNEL LIVE - KSTP 1500 AM LIVE

Last Week's Results:

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TENNIS

AT OREGON FALL TOURNAMENT, SAT.-MON., NOV. 13-15 - EUGENE, ORE.



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WRESTLING

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Wednesday, November 10:

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Head Hockey Coach DON LUCIA previews the Wisconsin series.

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Sophomore goaltender ADAM HAUSER previews the Wisconsin series.

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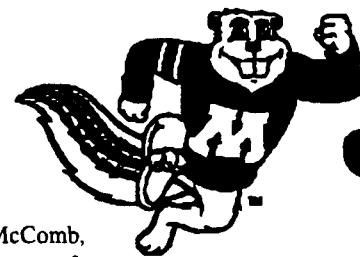
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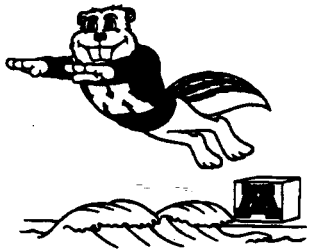
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Karl Frisinger	Fr.	Napa, Calif.
Jeff Hackler	Fr.	Alpharetta, Ga.
Ben Herdt	Fr.	East Lansing, Mich.
Shane Hillsley	So.	Longmont, Colo.
Brian Howard	Sr.	Kearney, Mo.
Chad Krastins	So.	Apple Valley, Minn.
Ryan L'Roy	Fr.	Beaverton, Ore.
Mike Mahoney	Fr.	Edina, Minn.
Dov Malnik	So.	Rishon Le-Zion, Israel
Alex Massura	Jr.	Sao Paulo, Brazil
Marc Maynard	Fr.	St. Paul, Minn.
Yoav Meiri	Sr.	Modein, Israel
Mike Melrose	Fr.	Eau Claire, Wis.
Allen Ong	Fr.	Perak, Malaysia
Brian Porter	So.	Omaha, Neb.
Shane Ryan	Fr.	Cross Plains, Wis.
Brandon Schindler	Sr.	Saratoga, Calif.
Tim Sheely	Jr.	Schaumburg, Ill.
Aaron Shilt	Fr.	Appleton, Wis.
Todd Smolinski	Fr.	St. John, Ind.
Peter Sonstegard	Fr.	Sioux Falls, S.D.
Matt Taylor	Fr.	Shorewood, Minn.
Nick Toumanoff	Fr.	Pewaukee, Wis.
Adam White	Fr.	Hopkins, Minn.

Tennis



PARRY AND HAUG ADVANCE TO FOURTH ROUND OF REGION IV CHAMPIONSHIPS: Junior Tyson

Parry and sophomore Thomas Haug both advanced to the fourth round of the Region IV Championships in Madison, Wis., before dropping out of the bracket. Parry drew a first round bye after earning a seventh seed overall. Parry then defeated Danny McCain of Michigan, 3-6, 7-6 (3), 6-4. He went on to top Oliver Cantrell of Louisville 6-3, 6-3 to advance to the fourth round. There he met Javier Taborga of Notre Dame and lost 6-4, 6-4.

Haug also drew a first round bye. In the second round, he defeated Fernando Garcia of Western Michigan 4-6, 7-6 (4), 6-2. Haug cruised to a third round victory over Andrew Laflin of Notre Dame 4-6, 6-4, 6-3. In the fourth round he lost to Francisco Trinidad of Michigan State, 6-1, 6-3.

Freshman Harsh Mankad also competed and advanced to the third round. Mankad defeated Christian Brattstrom of Western Michigan 6-3, 6-1. Next he defeated Robert Topalo of Michigan State, 4-6, 6-2, 6-4. In the third round he faced No. 1 seed Ryan Sachire of Notre Dame. Sachire defeated Mankad in a tough two-match set, 7-6 (6), 7-6 (6).

Junior Jorge Duenas also made his way through the bracket. Duenas defeated Ivica Primorac of Michigan State, 4-6, 7-6 (4), 6-4. He then went on to defeat George McGill of Indiana 6-1, 6-2. In the



third round, he lost to John Long of Michigan, 6-3, 2-6, 6-3.

In doubles competition, Haug and senior Martin Michalowski, the sixth seed overall, earned a first round bye. In the second round, the team defeated Vitak Wild and Gabel 8-5. In the third round, Michalowski and Haug lost to Scott Rutherford and Chang 8-6.

NEXT UP: The Golden Gophers will travel to Eugene, Ore., to compete in the Oregon Fall Tournament, Saturday-Monday, Nov. 13-15. Oregon and Washington will join Minnesota in this three-team tournament.

GOLDEN GOPHER FALL SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

Oct. 1-3	N. C. State Invitational	No Team Scores
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Nov. 13-15	Oregon Fall Tournament	Eugene, OR

1999 GOLDEN GOPHERS

Jorge Duenas	Jr.	Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic
Thomas Haug	So.	Zurich, Switzerland
Harsh Mankad	Fr.	Mumbai, Maharashtra, India
Ed Marques	Jr.	Brasillia, Brazil
Nathan McLain	Fr.	Prior Lake, Minn.
Martin Michalowski	Jr.	Ottawa, Ontario
Tyson Parry	Jr.	Chatham, Ontario
Eric Robertson	Fr.	Milwaukee, Wis.
Karl Sloss	So.	Kildeer, Ill.
Steve Solberg	Fr.	Fridley, Minn.
Jon Svensson	Jr.	Kristianstad, Sweden

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COCKERHAM AND NYSTROM EARN BIG TEN PLAYER OF THE WEEK HONORS

University of Minnesota senior quarterback Billy Cockerham and freshman placekicker Dan Nystrom have both earned Big Ten Player of the Week honors for their outstanding performances in the Golden Gophers' 24-23 win at No. 2-ranked Penn State, Saturday. Cockerham has been named co-Big Ten Offensive Player of the Week along with Wisconsin's Ron Dayne, while Nystrom has been selected as a co-Big Ten Special Teams Player of the Week along with Neil Rackers of Illinois.

Nystrom drilled the game-winning 32-yard field goal on the final play of the game to give the Golden Gophers the win Saturday. The game-winner gives him 11 field goals in 15 attempts on the season which ties Chip Lohmiller's freshman single-season school record set back in 1984. Nystrom also hit a 27-yard field goal in the first quarter.

Cockerham completed 14 of 24 pass attempts for a career-high 277 yards and two touchdowns in the victory over Penn State. He also gained 44 yards and scored a touchdown on the ground. Cockerham engineered the nine-play, 65-yard drive that culminated with Nystrom's game-winning field goal.

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GAME TIME CHANGED FOR GOPHER-BADGER HOCKEY SATURDAY

There has been a change in the game time for this Saturday night's Minnesota-Wisconsin men's hockey game at Kohl Center in Madison, Wis. The game will now begin at 7:35 p.m. to accommodate congestion associated with the Wisconsin-Iowa football game which kicks off at 2:30 p.m. The hockey game had originally been scheduled for 7:05 p.m.

The two teams will play Friday night's opening game of the two-game series at 7:05 p.m., as originally scheduled.



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RACKLEY AND PRIGGE NAMED TO GTE ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICAN DISTRICT V FOOTBALL TEAM

University of Minnesota seniors Derek Rackley and Brad Prigge were named to the GTE Academic All-American District V Football Team for their accomplishments in the classroom and on the field.

Rackley, from Apple Valley, Minn., has a 3.31 gpa enrolled in an M.Ed program for sports administration. He has already earned a B.S. degree in marketing from Minnesota. Rackley serves as the team's longsnapper and has also caught a 44-yard pass at the tight end position.

Prigge, originally from Zumbrota, Minn., has a 3.55 gpa as a graduate student in an M.Ed licensure program. He previously earned a B.S. degree in kinesiology. Prigge plays fullback for the Golden Gophers and also contributes on special teams.

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November 15, 1999

NYSTROM EARNS SECOND STRAIGHT BIG TEN PLAYER OF THE WEEK HONOR

University of Minnesota freshman placekicker Dan Nystrom earned Big Ten Player of the Week honors for his outstanding performance in the Golden Gophers' 44-20 win over Indiana at the Metrodome Saturday. Nystrom has been selected as a co-Big Ten Special Teams Player of the Week along with fellow placekicker Neil Rackers of Illinois.

Nystrom scored 14 points against the Hoosiers with three field goals and five extra points. In the process, he broke the school single-season scoring record with 79 points thus far in 1999. Nystrom split the uprights from a career-high 51 yards out to record the longest field goal in Minnesota history by a freshman. He also was perfect from 25 and 24 yards out, respectively.

Nystrom's honor marks the first time that a Golden Gopher player has won back-to-back Big Ten Player of the Week honors since the inception of the award in 1987.

THIS WEEK IN MEN'S ATHLETICS

November 15-21, 1999

FOOTBALL



AT IOWA, SATURDAY, NOV. 20 - 11:10 A.M. - IOWA CITY, IOWA
ESPN REGIONAL LIVE - WCCO 830-AM LIVE

Last Week's Results:

- Minnesota 44, Indiana 20 -- Metrodome (47,852)

CROSS COUNTRY

AT NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS, MON. NOV. 22 - BLOOMINGTON, IND.

Last Week's Results:

- The Golden Gophers won the NCAA District Championships with 56 team points to advance to NCAAs.



SWIMMING AND DIVING

MINNESOTA INVITATIONAL, FRI.-SUN., NOV. 19-21 - AQUATIC CENTER



Last Week's Results:

- The Golden Gophers defeated Northwestern 198-95 by winning 17 events Saturday at the Aquatic Center.

HOCKEY

VS. MINNESOTA-DULUTH, FRI.-SAT., NOV. 19-20 - 7:05 P.M. - MARIUCCI ARENA
MIDWEST SPORTS CHANNEL LIVE - KSTP 1500 AM LIVE

Last Week's Results:

- The Golden Gophers lost 4-3 to Wisconsin Friday night and 5-4 in overtime Saturday night at Madison.



BASKETBALL

VS. TEXAS-ARLINGTON, SAT., NOV. 20 - 3 P.M. - WILLIAMS ARENA
MIDWEST SPORTS CHANNEL LIVE - WCCO 830 AM LIVE



Last Week's Results:

- Minnesota opened it season with an 82-58 win over the Cimeba Mexican All-Stars in exhibition play.

WRESTLING

AT NORTH DAKOTA STATE, FRI., NOV. 19 - FARGO, N.D.

Last Week's Results:

- The Golden Gophers won all 10 titles at the Bison Open in Fargo, N.D., last weekend.



GOPHER HOTLINE

The Golden Gopher Hotline features daily interviews with players and coaches. It is available to the media 24 hours a day by calling (612) 625-7887. The hotline is broadcast quality and is changed by noon each day. This service is for media use only. The schedule for this week is as follows:

Monday, November 15:

Defensive Coordinator **DAVID GIBBS** and
Offensive Coordinator **STEVE LONEY**.

Tuesday, November 16:

Head Football Coach **GLEN MASON'S**
weekly news conference.

Wednesday, November 17:

All-America senior **TYRONE CARTER** and
senior **THOMAS HAMNER**.

Thursday, November 18:

Head Basketball Coach **DAN MONSON** pre-
views Saturday's season opener.

Friday, November 19:

Head Hockey Coach **DON LUCIA** previews
the Minnesota-Duluth series.

Saturday-Sunday, November 20-21:

Head Football Coach **GLEN MASON'S** post-
game news conference from the Iowa game.

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CROSS COUNTRY



MEN'S CROSS COUNTRY WINS NCAA DISTRICT V CHAMPIONSHIP: Senior **ERIC PIERCE** (Forest Lake, Minn.) placed third and four Golden Gophers earned All-District team honors as the Golden Gophers won the 1999 NCAA District V Championship held at the University of Illinois with 56 points. With the win, Minnesota receives an automatic bid to the NCAA Championships at Indiana University on Monday, Nov. 22. The Golden Gophers will be competing in their third consecutive NCAA Championship. The University of Missouri took runner-up honors with 76 points and Oklahoma State rounded out the top three with 104 points.

Pierce was the top finisher for the Golden Gophers. He placed third in the 10K course with a time of 30:54. Sophomore **ANDREW MCKESSOCK** (Owen Sound, Ontario) placed ninth for Minnesota with a time of 31:07, while sophomore **JOEY CORR** (Redmond, Wash.) rounded out the top three for the Golden Gophers with a time of 31:08 for 10th place. Senior **JEREMY POLSON** (Duluth, Minn.) and junior **JASON OWEN** (Stewartville, Minn.) took 15th and 27th place, respectively with times of 31:18 and 31:37. With their top 15 finish, Pierce, McKessock, Corr and Polson were named to the All-District team.

Chuck Sloan of Oklahoma State and Jason Lehmkuhle tied for top honors with an identical time of 30:25. The Golden Gophers will compete in their third consecutive NCAA Championship on Monday, Nov. 22 at Indiana University.

GOLDEN GOPHER SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

Sept. 10	Drake, South Dakota	2nd/29 pts.
Sept. 25	Roy Griak Invitational	14th/361 pts.
Oct. 9	Iowa State Memorial Classic	3rd/70 pts.
Oct. 16	Pre-NCAA	16th/432 pts.
Oct. 23	Marathon Sports	No Team Scores
Oct. 30	Big 10 Championship	3rd/61 pts.
Nov. 13	NCAA Districts	1st/56 pts.
Nov. 22	NCAA Championship	Bloomington, IN

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Joshua Brang**	Sr.	Winona, Minn.
Nate Clay**	Sr.	Rochester Hills, Mich.
Joey Corr*	So.	Redmond, Wash.
Neil Hanson	Fr.	Granada, Minn.
Eric Hartmark*	Jr.	Duluth, Minn.
Andy Kummer	Fr.	White Bear Lake, Minn.
Brent Loberg	Fr.	Duluth, Minn.
Ryan Mack	Fr.	Ukiah, Calif.
Andrew McKessock*	So.	Owens Sound, Ontario
Luke Mullranin	Fr.	Bemidji, Minn.
Jason Owen	So.	Stewartville, Minn.
Eric Pierce**	Jr.	Forest Lake, Minn.
Jeremy Polson***	Sr.	Duluth, Minn.
Jesse Prince	Fr.	Bemidji, Minn.
Erik Quam	Fr.	Alexandria, Minn.
Chuck Smith*	Jr.	Lakeville, Minn.
Michael Stoick***	Sr.	St. Michael, Minn.
Scott Utne	Fr.	Shoreville, Minn.

* letters earned



Golf



GOLDEN GOPHERS PLACE NINTH AT JERRY PATE INVITATIONAL: The

Golden Gopher men's golf team fired a final round score of 283 to finish in ninth place in the 12-team Jerry Pate National Intercollegiate at the Old Overton Club in Shoal Creek, Ala. The event was hosted by the University of Alabama.

Golden Gopher two-time All-American James McLean rebounded from an opening round 78 to fire a six-under 65 in the final round. McLean tied for 12th place individually. Senior All-American Martin LeMesurier tied for 30th in the 60-player field with a four-over par total of 217.

Clemson defeated UNLV in the second hole of the team playoff to capture the team title. Both squads set the pace with a 17-under par total of 835. Georgia finished third at 838, three strokes behind the Tigers and the Rebels.

Charles Howell of Oklahoma State claimed the individual title with a 12-under par total of 201. Paul Casey of Arizona State and Andy Sanders of Houston finished one stroke behind at 11-under par 202. Casey's opening round 65 was undone by Sanders' final round 64 as the tournament's best 18-hole score.

NEXT UP: Minnesota will travel to Hawaii next week to compete in the Stan Sheriff Invitational, Nov. 22-23.

Jerry Pate National Intercollegiate Old Overton Club Shoal Creek, Ala. Team Results:

1. Clemson	284-273-278--835
2. UNLV	283-275-277--835
3. Georgia	280-277-281--838
4. Houston	279-281-280--840
5. Oklahoma State	288-288-273--849
6. Arizona State	277-285-288--850
7. Arizona	292-281-282--855
8. Alabama-Birmingham	284-284-290--858
9. Minnesota	305-275-283--863
10. Alabama	293-288-294--875
11. Auburn	302-293-289--884
12. Florida	306-301-295--902

Golden Gopher Scores:

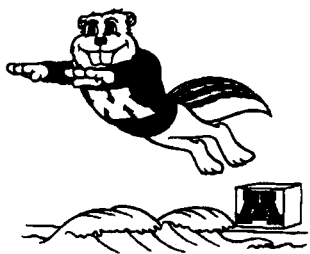
T12. James McLean	78-67-65--210
T30. Martin LeMesurier	72-71-74--217
34. Joe Affrunti	78-68-72--218
44. Dave Gunderson	77-69-76--222
Wilhelm Schauman	79-73-72--224

GOLDEN GOPHER FALL SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

Sept. 19-21	NCAA Preview	T13th/902
Oct. 4-5	Windon Memorial	6th/890
Oct. 12-13	Pepperdine Intercollegiate	7th/893
Oct. 18-19	Jerry Pate	9th/863
Nov. 22-23	Stan Sheriff Invitational	Ko'Olau, HI
Nov. 25-26	Mauna Kea Invitational	Mauna Kea, HI

1999 GOLDEN GOPHERS

Joe Affrunti	Fr.	Crystall, Ill.
Bob Brink	Sr.	Bemidji, Minn.
Matt Burgess	Sr.	Mankato, Minn.
David Evenson	Fr.	Bloomington, Minn.
Zachary Faulds	Fr.	Wardsville, Ontario, Canada
Santiago Fernandez	Jr.	Bogota, Columbia
Matthew Gibb	Fr.	Toronto, Ontario, Canada
Dave Gunderson	Jr.	Stillwater, Minn.
Martin LeMesurier	Sr.	South Hampton, England
James McLean	Jr.	Wahgunjah, Victoria, Australia
Ben Meyers	Fr.	Frankston, Victoria, Australia
David Morgan	Fr.	Rochester, Minn.
Ethan Otterlei	Fr.	Edina, Minn.
Justin Robel	Fr.	Rochester, Minn.
Wilhelm Schauman	Fr.	Djursholm, Sweden
Andrew Tank	Jr.	Des Moines, Iowa



SWIMMING & DIVING



MINNESOTA SWIMMING AND DIVING WINS DUAL MEET WITH NORTHWESTERN: The University of Minnesota men's swimming and diving team defeated Northwestern 198-95 Saturday afternoon at the Aquatic Center. The Golden Gophers took a first-place finish in all 17 individual events.

In the men's 200 medley relay, the team of **TODD SMOLINSKI** (St. John, Ind.), **JEFF HACKLER** (Alpharetta, Ga.), **KEAM ANG** (Ipoh, Malaysia) and **GRANT BUTLER** (West Bend, Wis.) took top honors with a time of 1:32.83. The Northwestern 200 medley relay took second with a time of 1:34.66, while the team of **MIKE MAHONEY** (Edina, Minn.), **CHRIS FORREST** (Appleton, Wis.), **YOAV MEIRI** (Modein, Israel) and **MARK ATWOOD** (Alexandria, Minn.) took third with a time of 1:36.67.

In the 1-meter diving, **DAN CROASTON** (Champlin, Minn.) took top honors for the U with 285.3 points, followed by Elliot Massuda of Northwestern with 251.3 points and Minnesota's **SHANE HILLSLEY** (Longmont, Colo.) took third with 233.18 points.

Croaston also took first place in the 3-meter diving with 375.83 points. Northwestern's Massuda also placed second with 252.33 points and Minnesota freshman **ADAM WHITE** (Hopkins, Minn.) took third

with 246.60 points.

In the 200 freestyle, All-American **ALEX MASSURA** (Sao Paulo, Brazil) took top honors with a time of 1:38.12; Northwestern's Steve Steketeet took second with a time of 1:40.79, while Minnesota's **MAX VON BODUNGEN** (Malmo Sweden) took third with a time of 1:41.02.

The Golden Gophers will host the Minnesota Invitational on Nov. 19-21 at the Aquatic Center. Teams included will be Air Force, Iowa, Iowa State, North Dakota, Pittsburgh, St. Cloud State, St. Olaf, Utah and Wisconsin.

GOLDEN GOPHER SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

Oct. 16	Intrasquad Meet	No Team Scores
Oct. 29	Alumni Meet	No Team Scores
Nov. 5-6	N. Carolina	W, 235-135
	Nebraska	W, 247-123
Nov. 13	Northwestern	W, 198-95
Nov. 19-21	Minnesota Invitational	All Day
Dec. 3-5	Texas Invitational	Austin, Texas
Jan. 22	Iowa	2 p.m.
Jan. 28-29	Triple Duals	All Day
Feb. 4-5	Minnesota Challenge	6 p.m.
Feb. 24-26	Big Ten Championships	Ann Arbor, Mich.
March 5	Go-Pher It Invitational	Aquatic Center
March 9-11	NCAA Diving Zone Qual.	Aquatic Center
March 23-25	NCAA Championships	Aquatic Center

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Keam Ang	Jr.	Ipoh, Malaysia
Mark Atoowd	Fr.	Alexandria, Minn.
Ryan Ayres	Jr.	Snellville, Ga.
Ben Bartell	So.	Grafton, Wis.
David Batulis	Fr.	Burnsville, Minn.
Ben Baumann	Fr.	Overland Park, Kan.
Max von Bodungen	So.	Malmo, Sweden
Chris Brunson	Fr.	Madison, Wis.
Blair Buccicone	So.	Rochester, Minn.
Grant Butler	Jr.	West Bend, Minn.
Dan Croaston	Jr.	Champlin, Minn.
Brandon Crook	So.	Omaha, Neb.
Travis Crow	So.	Sheboygan, Wis.
Mark Dillion	Fr.	Cumberland, R.I.
Ricardo Dornelas	So.	Jacaraide, Brazil
Chris Forrest	So.	Appleton, Wis.
Karl Frisinger	Fr.	Napa, Calif.
Jeff Hackler	Fr.	Alpharetta, Ga.
Ben Herdt	Fr.	East Lansing, Mich.
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Tennis



MINNESOTA BEATS OREGON, LOSES TO WASHINGTON AND SHUTS OUT PORTLAND:

The Golden Gopher tennis team lost to Washington 6-3 Friday night, defeated Oregon 5-2 Saturday and shutout Portland 9-0 Sunday.

Friday, Minnesota's Thomas Haug defeated Marc Woolley of Washington 6-2, 6-0 and junior Jon Svensson also won his match 6-2, 6-0 over Nick Quatrochi. The lone doubles team to win was freshman Erik Robertson and Haug with an 8-6 win over Andy Posavac and Jeremy Berman at the No. 2 spot.

Saturday Minnesota won five singles matches and all three doubles matches en route to winning the team match 5-2. No. 1 singles player junior Tyson Parry defeated Joaquin Hamdan 6-4, 6-2. Haug won his other match 6-2, 7-6 over Leslie Eisinga at the No. 3 singles position. In the No. 4 spot, Robertson defeated David Becker 4-6, 6-4, 6-2. Svensson won again with a 6-3, 6-2 score over Jason Menke at No. 5 and sophomore Karl Sloss defeated Eduardo Kohlberg of Williamette University 6-0, 2-6, 6-2 at No. 6 singles.

Haug and junior Ed Marques defeated Leslie Eisinga and T.J. Cameron 8-2. Freshman Harsh Mankad and Parry topped Joaquin Hamdan and Jason Menke 8-6 at the No. 2 spot. Also winning doubles was Svensson and Sloss at the No. 3 spot, 9-7 over Oded Teig and Vanhaver 9-7.

Sunday Minnesota won six singles matches and all three doubles matches to defeat Portland 9-0. Parry defeated Quang Nguyen 6-3, 6-2 at the No. 1 spot. At No. 2 singles, freshman Harsh Mankad defeated George Agapitos 6-1, 6-2 and at No. 3 singles Thomas Haug defeated Nick Tostenrude 6-2, 6-2. Also winning singles was freshman Erik Robertson, who topped Joe Tostenrude 6-2, 6-0 at the fourth spot. Junior Jon Svensson defeated Lars Anderson 6-3, 6-1 and sophomore Karl Sloss beat Christian Dumitru 6-3, 6-4.

In doubles action, Haug and Mankad defeated Tostenrude and Tostenrude 8-4. At the No. 2 spot, Parry and Robertson defeated Nguyen and Anderson 8-4. Sloss and junior Ed Marques also won at No. 3 doubles, 8-4 over Agapitos and Dumitru.

NEXT UP: The Golden Gophers will not compete again until Jan. 3-8 at the Milwaukee Tennis Classic in Milwaukee, Wis. Minnesota will also take on Marquette University Jan. 7, also in Milwaukee, Wis.

GOLDEN GOPHER FALL SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

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Ed Marques	Jr.	Brasillia, Brazil
Nathan McLain	Fr.	Prior Lake, Minn.
Martin Michalowski	Jr.	Ottawa, Ontario
Tyson Parry	Jr.	Chatham, Ontario
Eric Robertson	Fr.	Milwaukee, Wis.
Karl Sloss	So.	Kildeer, Ill.
Steve Solberg	Fr.	Fridley, Minn.
Jon Svensson	Jr.	Kristianstad, Sweden

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PLASENCIA NAMED MIDWEST COACH OF THE YEAR

The United States Cross Country Coaches Association named head cross country coach Steve Plasencia the Midwest Region Cross Country Coach of the Year.

Under Plasencia, the Golden Gophers won the NCAA District V title and earned an automatic bid to the NCAA Championships on Nov. 22 at Indiana University. The Golden Gophers placed 3rd at the 1999 Big Ten Championships on Oct. 30 at Penn State. It was Minnesota's highest finish since 1989.

The Golden Gophers will compete in the NCAA Championships on Nov. 22 at Indiana University.

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STATEMENT FROM JOEL PRZYBILLA

I first want to thank Coach Monson and my teammates for giving me the two days off and respecting my privacy as I dealt with some personal issues. The past nine months have been very difficult for my teammates and I. We have faced tremendous pressure and scrutiny from our fellow students, the media and the general public and through it all we have stuck together as a team and tried to act in a first class manner. I hope I can put an end to the speculation by once again stating I am proud to be a member of this team and a student at the University of Minnesota. I'm pleased with the direction that coach Monson and his staff are taking us. I'm very excited about this Saturday's game and getting back to basketball and would like to put this distraction behind me. So, if you will excuse me, I need to talk briefly to my teammates and then we have another exciting film session to go over before practice starts.

Thank You

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GOPHERS SIGN FOUR TOP RECRUITS TO HOCKEY TENDERS

The University of Minnesota men's hockey program has announced the signing of four student-athletes to national letters of intent to play for the Golden Gophers beginning with the 2000-2001 season.

Matt Koalska is a 5'11 1/2", 188-pound left-handed shooting forward who is spending this season with the Twin Cities Vulcans in the United States Hockey League. Koalska, a 1999 graduate of Hill-Murray High School in St. Paul, Minn., played last season as a prep with the Pioneers. He was honored on the all-metro and all-state teams after the 1998-99 campaign. This season, Koalska has scored eight goals and assisted on 10 others in 18 games for the Vulcans.

Paul Martin is a 6'0", 196-pound left-handed shooting defenseman from Elk River High School in Elk River, Minn. Martin was named to the first team All-State squad as a junior, scoring nine goals and assisting on 11 others for a total of 20 points in 28 games. Martin, who as a wide receiver in football just recently set the Minnesota State High School all-time record for most receptions (189 career catches for 3,009 yards), carries a 3.87 grade-point average (A minus average).

Troy Riddle, a 5'9 1/2", 172-pound right-handed shooting forward from Minneapolis, Minn., was named to the All-State squad as a junior after leading Benilde-St. Margaret High School to the Minnesota State High School Class A Championship. Riddle, who was the state's leading scorer last season as a junior (both Class A and Class AA), is spending his senior season in Iowa playing with Des Moines of the United States Hockey League. Riddle has 12 goals and eight assists in 15 games this season with the Des Moines.

Jon Waibel, a 5'11", 180-pound right-handed forward from Baudette, Minn., is the fourth recruit to commit to the Golden Gophers during the early signing period. Waibel has spent the last two seasons playing with the U.S. National Development Team in Ann Arbor, Mich., after spending his sophomore season as a prep player at Lake Of The Woods High School. Waibel has seven goals and nine assists in 19 games this season with the U.S. National Team, which plays a schedule consisting of United States Hockey League teams.

"We are extremely pleased with not only the talent that we've been able to sign in these four recruits, but also the quality of student-athletes that these four young men represent," said Golden Gopher Head Coach Don Lucia. "All four of these recruits are solid students, and that represents something that I feel is extremely important in recruiting kids into your program. And certainly not to be overlooked is the fact that all four are also focused on the task of returning our program to one of the elite in the WCHA and the nation."

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GOPHERS SIGN SMITH TO GOLF TENDER

The University of Minnesota men's golf program has announced the signing of Justin Smith of Moon Township, Penn. to a national letter of intent to play for the Golden Gophers beginning with the 2000-2001 season.

Smith played in both the 1998 and 1999 U.S. Junior Amateur, and finished second in the American Junior Golf Association (AJGA) event at Ardsley. He was named 1998 West Penn Golf Association Junior Player of the Year, and is ranked in the top 75 in the Izzo Cup standings and among the top 150 amateur players in the Golfweek/Titleist rankings. Smith, who won the 1999 Pennsylvania State High School Tournament, was named to the national prep All-America team after a top 25 finish in the National High School Coaches Association (NHSCA) National Championships.

"We are excited to be adding Justin (Smith) into our program for next season," said Golden Gopher Head Men's Golf Coach John Means. "In addition to being a great golfer, Justin is also an outstanding student (3.3 GPA, B-plus average). He is focused on coming to the University of Minnesota to earn his degree and become a part of a program focused on winning a Big Ten Championship."