



MINNESOTA BASKETBALL

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SCHEDULE/RESULTS

Date	Opponent	Time/TV
Nov. 9	URAL GREAT (EX)	W 84-68
Nov. 16	PHILIPPINE NATL. (EX)	W 98-55
Nov. 21	APPALACHIAN ST.	W 81-67
Nov. 24	SETON HALL	7 p.m./MSC
Nov. 28	WINTHROP	4 p.m./MSC
Nov. 30	OREGON	7 p.m./MSC
Dec. 4	@ Fresno State	9 p.m./MSC
Dec. 12	EASTERN MICHIGAN	2 p.m./MSC
Dec. 16	CINCINNATI	8:30 p.m./ESPN
Dec. 19	@ Nebraska	7 p.m./MSC
Dec. 22	MONTANA STATE	7 p.m./MSC
Dec. 29	SACRAMENTO STATE	7 p.m./MSC
Jan. 2	@Purdue	1 p.m./KSTP
Jan. 6	NORTHWESTERN	7 p.m./MSC
Jan. 9	PENN STATE	8 p.m./ESPN2
Jan. 13	@ Michigan State	7 p.m./MSC
Jan. 16	IOWA	1 p.m./KSTP
Jan. 20	MICHIGAN	7 p.m./MSC
Jan. 23	@ Ohio State	11 a.m./KSTP
Jan. 26	INDIANA	6:30 p.m./ESPN
Jan. 30	@ Wisconsin	11:15 a.m./KSTP
Feb. 3	ILLINOIS	7 p.m./MSC
Feb. 7	@ Michigan	Noon/CBS
Feb. 10	@ Iowa	7 p.m./MSC
Feb. 13	MICHIGAN STATE	8:30 p.m./ESPN
Feb. 17	@ Penn State	7 p.m./MSC
Feb. 24	PURDUE (ESPN Wildcard)	7 p.m./MSC
Feb. 27	@ Northwestern	3:30 p.m./KSTP
Mar. 4-7	Big Ten Tournament (United Center, Chicago, Ill.)	CBS/ESPN

Note: Big Ten games broadcast on MSC and KSTP TV are produced by ESPN Regional Television.

RELEASE

Minnesota (1-0) vs. Seton Hall (2-2)

Tuesday, Nov. 24 – Williams Arena
 Start Time: 7 p.m. (Central) - Minneapolis, Minn.

The Series: First meeting

Television: MSC/Dick Bremer, play-by-play; Jim Dutcher, analyst.

Radio: WCCO-AM 830

Probable Minnesota Starters (1998-99 stats)

	Ppg	Rpg	Apq
G - 6-2 Sr, Savannah, GA - #10 KEVIN CLARK	10.0	2.0	4.0
G - 6-3 So, Haughton, LA - #23 TERRANCE SIMMONS	10.0	3.0	1.0
C - 6-11 So, Thief River Falls, MN - #51 KYLE SANDEN	5.0	1.0	1.0
F - 6-7 Sr, Little Rock, AR - #20 QUINCY LEWIS	19.0	5.0	0.0
F - 6-8 Sr, Oakland, CA - #42 MILES TARVER	UA	UA	UA

Head Coach: Clem Haskins, 13th season, 224-154 (19th overall, 325-227)

Assistant A.D. For Basketball Operations: Charles Cunningham

Associate Head Coach: Bobby Jones

Assistant Coaches: Bill Brown, Brent Haskins

Next Up For the Golden Gophers:

Minnesota (1-0) vs. Winthrop (2-0)

Saturday, Nov. 28 – Williams Arena
 Start Time: 4 p.m. (Central) - Minneapolis, Minn.

DID U KNOW?

Head Coach Clem Haskins has a perfect 9-0 record against teams from the Big East Conference. He is 2-0 vs. Villanova, Providence and St. John's. He is 1-0 vs. Georgetown, Syracuse and West Virginia. Ironically, only one of those games was at Williams Arena. The Golden Gophers beat St. John's 77-39 on Dec. 15, 1996 at the "Barn." The other eight games were all played at neutral sites, although the West Virginia and Villanova games were in Minneapolis at the Target Center in the BCA game in 1996 and 1997.

Fact Box

1,000 POINT MAN

Senior captain Quincy Lewis entered the University of Minnesota 1,000 point club last Saturday with his 19 point effort vs. Appalachian State. Lewis has 1,008 career points and if he were to merely equal his stats of a year ago, he would finish eighth in all-time scoring. Lewis is also 9th on the all-time steals list with 131 and seventh on the all-time blocks list with 77. Lewis spent his first two seasons at Minnesota as a super sub off the bench before becoming a starter last year.

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Golden Gophers Open Season With Win Over Appalachian State: The University of Minnesota opened up the 1998-99 season with an 81-67 win against the Appalachian State Mountaineers last Saturday. The Mountaineers were a good test as they hung in against numerous Minnesota runs. The Golden Gophers played the game without the services of senior forward **Miles Tarver (Oakland, Calif.)**, who sat out the game on a Big Ten suspension following his ejection for throwing a punch during the exhibition game with the Philippine National Team on Nov. 16. In the Appalachian State game, the Golden Gophers jumped out to a 10-0 lead in the first three minutes, but the Mountaineers hung tough trailing 38-33 at half. Minnesota outscored the smaller Mountaineers 43-34 in the second half led by senior All-America candidate **Quincy Lewis' (Little Rock, Ark.)** 19 point effort, 10 of which came in the second half. Lewis was 9-of-12 from the field with five rebounds in 21 minutes of play. He was one of four players in double figures for the Maroon and Gold as they showed off its depth. For the game the Golden Gophers shot 56 percent from the field and 55 percent from three-point range. Appalachian State shot 52 percent from the field in the first half, but Minnesota's defense held them to 31 percent shooting in the second half.

Bench Strength: Minnesota demonstrated the strength of its bench vs. Appalachian State as nine players played double figure minutes even with Tarver sitting out a suspension. The Maroon and Gold tallied 31 points and 14 rebounds off the bench led by freshman **Dusty Rychart's (Grand Rapids, Minn.)** 11 point, four rebound effort. Rychart, a walk-on who redshirted last season, hit 5-of-10 shots in 17 minutes of action. Sophomore **Antoine Broxsie (Tampa, Fla.)** had his second strong outing with eight points, six rebounds and five blocks in 18 minutes. Those numbers represented career-highs for Broxsie in points and blocks. **Mitch Ohnstad (Faribault, Minn.)** continued his solid play with seven points and six assists with no turnovers. Ohnstad has averaged 6.3 assists and 1.0 turnovers per game in the two exhibitions and the opener.

Minnesota vs. The Big East: Minnesota is 22-20 all-time vs. teams in the Big East Conference. Minnesota is 12-2 vs. teams from the Big East since the start of the conference in 1979-80. The Golden Gophers have an 8-14 all-time record vs. Notre Dame in games played between 1923 and 1971. Since that time Minnesota is 13-2 vs. teams from the Big East. The two losses in that span were a 70-69 loss to Connecticut at Williams Arena (12/21/85) and a 80-69 loss at Williams Arena to West Virginia in the third round of the NIT on 3/19/81. Head Coach Clem Haskins has a perfect 9-0 mark against teams from the Big East. Ironically, only one of those games was at Williams Arena. The Golden Gophers beat St. John's 77-39 on Dec. 15, 1996 at the "Barn." The other eight games were all played at neutral sites, although the West Virginia and Villanova games were in Minneapolis at the Target Center in the BCA game in 1996 and 1997.

Next Up: The Golden Gophers will host Winthrop on Saturday. The Eagles are from the Big South Conference. Winthrop is 2-0 and they play Furman and former Golden Gopher Assistant Coach Larry Davis tonight at home. Winthrop is coached by Greg Marshall who is in his first year as a head coach.

Tough Stretch: Starting with the regular season opener against Appalachian State, the Golden Gophers are in a very busy stretch with four games in nine days. Including the Appalachian State game, Minnesota plays Seton Hall (Nov. 24), Winthrop (Nov. 28) and Oregon (Nov. 30). The team then departs for a road game at Fresno State on Dec. 4, before returning for final exams.

How Haskins Ranks: Clem Haskins is in his 13th season as the Golden Gophers' head coach. He has a 224-154 record and a 325-227 career coaching record. He is now third for length of tenure with 13 seasons. Dr. L.J. Cooke leads the list with 27 seasons (1897-1924), while Dave MacMillan is second with 18 seasons (1927-42, 1945-48). Haskins' 223 wins at the University of Minnesota puts him second to Cooke (244), trailing by just 20 wins.

Clem Sez:



On the Opener

"I was very pleased with our effort against a very good team that had played four games already. We had great bench play, but still have a long ways to go to reach our goals."

On Quincy Lewis

"Quincy had a nice night shooting the ball and did a good job of leading the team. We need him to score 15-20 points per game to win, but more than that we need his defense and leadership to set the tone for us."

On Kevin Clark

"Kevin is as explosive a player as I've ever had and that includes some great ones. He has showstopping moves and is a superb athlete. He has the ability to dominate a game at both ends of the court. We need him to give us the same kind of output he had at the end of the season last year, every day this year. If he does that, good things will happen for this team."

On the Team

"I really like this team. It has great depth and athleticism. We have size, scoring and strong defenders. If we can develop the kind of chemistry we have had in 1997-98 and build off our momentum of winning the NIT last year, we can have an excellent season and keep playing deep into March."

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Haskins Named USA Basketball Coach of The Year: Head Coach Clem Haskins was named the USA Basketball Coach of the Year on Nov. 11 for his outstanding job leading the Goodwill Games team to the gold medal in New York City last summer. Picked to fare no better than fifth place, Haskins brought his team back after a tough tournament-opening loss to Puerto Rico to win five straight games, including an overtime win over Australia in the gold medal game.

Instant Offense: Minnesota's Quincy Lewis established his nickname of "Instant Offense" his first two seasons when he averaged 7.4 points per game off the bench. A player who can score a lot of points in a short period of time, he is the Golden Gophers go-to scorer in the front court. In his first three seasons, he played behind Minnesota's fifth-all-time scorer Sam Jacobson at the wing position. Lewis, an All-Big Ten Tournament selection last year, is coming off a fine summer that saw him help Team USA to the Gold Medal at the Goodwill Games in New York City. He is the top returning scorer on the team at 14.5 points per game which was second overall last year when he played most of the year out of position at power forward.

Clark Is On The Mark: Kevin Clark (Sr., Savannah, Ga.) was one of the top three-point shooters in the conference last season. He finished fourth in the Big Ten in three-point percentage at .456. For the season, Clark hit at a .400 clip. K.C. was scorching hot the second half of the season hitting at a .500 clip (26-52) in the Golden Gophers' last 14 games. During that span, Minnesota posted an 11-3 record. The Golden Gophers were 7-1 when he hit two or more three-pointers over that same span. Clark finished as the MVP of the NIT when he averaged 29 points in the two final games. He can also score inside in transition and is an excellent defender.

Ohnstad Shines In Debut: Sophomore guard Mitch Ohnstad had an impressive debut as a Golden Gopher vs. Appalachian State. He had seven points and six assists with no turnovers in 22 minutes of play off the bench. Ohnstad was Minnesota's "Mr. Basketball" in 1996 when he led Faribault High School to a 23-2 record. A transfer who sat out last season, he played in 30 games two years ago at Cal-Poly, starting 24 and averaging 10.9 points per game. He can play either guard positions and is the fastest Golden Gopher from baseline to baseline.

That Big Man Can Pass: All the talk this year about freshman Joel Przybilla (Monticello, Minn.) has centered around his ability to block shots and be a defensive presence. But so far he has demonstrated that he can really pass the ball as well. He tallied four assists against the Philippine team and three against Appalachian State, and the big center has also shown some nice range shooting the ball. He has quickly proved why so many people are talking about his potential impact for the Golden Gophers. He averaged 11.5 points and 9.5 rebounds in the two exhibitions. Against Appalachian State he scored six points and had six rebounds and three blocks before leaving the game early in the second half after a hard elbow to the head. The highly-touted center was ranked as high as number two in the nation overall (Bob Gibbons). The school's first McDonald's All-America selection since Kevin Smith (1984-85), he has great size (7-1, 240) and is an excellent passer once he gets the rebounds.

Minnesota Picked Fourth in Big Ten Preseason Polls: The Golden Gophers were picked fourth by both the conference coaches and the Big Ten media leading into this season. Michigan State was the consensus pick to win the title, followed by Purdue and Indiana and the Golden Gophers. Penn State was picked fifth by the coaches and Michigan was picked fifth by the media. In the national polls, the Golden Gophers are just out of the top 25. The *Blue Ribbon Report* has Minnesota 26th in the nation and Minnesota is 30th in the *AP poll* based on 43 votes.

California Connection: The Golden Gophers' California connection has brought them senior captain Tarver and sophomore Kevin Nathaniel (Camarillo, Calif.). Tarver is a

The Last Time

Minnesota scored 100 points or more:

Dec. 22, 1997. Minnesota beat Sacramento State 100-56 at Williams Arena. Minnesota forced 30 turnovers and had 20 steals in the victory. Sam Jacobson had 21 points to lead the way.

Minnesota allowed 100 points or more:

Feb. 20, 1988. Iowa beat Minnesota 107-86 at Williams Arena in one of the worst home defeats in school history.

Minnesota won an overtime game:

March 24, 1998. Minnesota beat Fresno State 91-89 in overtime to advance to the finals of the NIT. Kevin Clark scored 30 points and Sam Jacobson added 24.

Minnesota lost an overtime game:

Jan. 24, 1996. Minnesota led the game the entire way until Wisconsin tied it with 37 seconds left and went on to win in overtime 75-63. Sam Jacobson led the team with 19 points.

Minnesota won a triple overtime game:

March 5, 1994. Minnesota beat Iowa 107-96 in triple overtime at Williams Arena. Voshon Lenard had a career-high 37 points.

Minnesota held an opponent to less than 60 points:

Jan. 27, 1998. Minnesota beat Wisconsin 58-48 in a defensive thriller. The Golden Gophers held the Badgers to 33 percent shooting. Minnesota forced 13 turnovers and had five blocks.

Minnesota was held to less than 60 points:

Jan. 20, 1998. Minnesota was held to a season-low 57 points at Michigan. The Golden Gophers shot 15 percent from the field in the first half. For the game, Minnesota shot 29 percent, another season low.

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physical player who was the team's leading rebounder last season with 6.2 per game. A fine low post defender and excellent passer, he does much of the dirty work necessary to get the job done. Nathaniel had a great night off the bench for the Golden Gophers in the first exhibition with eight points and three steals. He is an explosive athlete who can play the one, two or three positions. He was hampered by a nagging ankle injury last year and has had an excellent fall camp now that he is healthy.

Mr. Versatility: Kevin Nathaniel is the team's most versatile player, seeing action at all three perimeter positions. He saw extended action at point guard in the second exhibition game and did a solid job. A fine defender, he really brought the heat in the full court press and came up with seven steals and played a team-high 26 minutes.

Post Strength: Sophomore Kyle Sanden (Thief River, Falls, Minn.) started 32 of 34 games at center a year ago, but due to his medication for vasovagal syncope (increased chance of fainting from fatigue) he was never able to get into great game shape. Over the summer he worked very hard in the weightroom and toned up his body. He increased his weight to 265 pounds and is much stronger. Sanden had a nice night with nine points on 4-of-5 shooting against the Philippines team. In the season opener he demonstrated his shooting range with a big three-pointer and another that just rimmed out. A tenacious competitor, with one of the top shooting strokes on the team, he is looking to emerge as a scoring and physical force this season.

Newcomers: The Golden Gophers have seven freshmen on the roster looking to contribute this season. In addition to Przybilla and Rychart, two redshirt freshmen who practiced all last year are competing for playing time. Nick Sinville (6-6, 230, Shreveport, La.) was the Class AA Player of the Year in Louisiana and is a physical force in the post area. Kevin Burluson (6-3, 170, Seattle, Wash.) is a silky smooth guard who can play either point or shooting guard. A two-time all-city selection, who led his team to the state title his junior year, he has been one of the pleasant surprises of fall camp. Ryan Keating (5-11, 175, Minnetonka, Minn.) is the only true point guard in the class. A four-year starter at point guard and quarterback for Minnetonka High School (Minn.), he was a *Street and Smith's* honorable mention All-America selection in both sports. He brings great ball handling and decision making to the mix of backcourt players. John Aune (Maple Grove, Minn.), a 6-10, 260-pound post player who adds size and strength to the roster, saw his first action and is looking to play more. Greg Halbert (6-8, 200, White Bear Lake, Minn.) is a swing player who is an excellent three-point shooter and can rebound and score inside. An honorable mention all-state selection, he finished second on the Bear's all-time scoring list with 1,141 career points.

Minnesota on Television: The Golden Gophers will have every game televised this season. CBS will carry the Minnesota/Michigan game in Ann Arbor (2/7/99) nationally. Midwest Sports Channel will broadcast 21 games that will be produced by ESPN Regional Sports and can be seen across the country. ESPN has selected three Minnesota games, with a fourth (Purdue 2/24/99) as wildcard. ESPN2 will telecast the Penn State game (1/9/99) and Minnesota has been chosen five times for the Big Ten Game of the Week which will be carried locally by KSTP-TV.

Depth is Back: After playing last year with very little depth due to injuries and unanticipated departures, the Golden Gophers are back to full strength. The Maroon and Gold are two-deep at every position and can now play the type of pressure defense that took them all the way to the Final Four in 1997. With 17 players on the roster, the competition for playing time is intense. Coach Haskins will play from 8-10 players per game. In 1996-97 Minnesota had nine players averaging in double figures for minutes played.

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Minnesota held an opponent to less than 50 points:

Jan. 27, 1998. Minnesota beat Wisconsin 58-48 in a defensive thriller. The Golden Gophers held the Badgers to 33 percent shooting. Minnesota forced 13 turnovers and had five blocks.

Minnesota was held to less than 50 points:

Jan. 15, 1992. The Badgers held Minnesota to 49 points in a 49-48 Minnesota victory. Dana Jackson hit a rebound basket with 4.2 seconds left to give Minnesota the win. Wisconsin held Minnesota to 40 percent shooting (19-47), but the Golden Gophers overcame a 28-15 halftime deficit, outscoring the Badgers 34-20 in the second stanza. **Note:** The last time Minnesota was held to less than 50 points and lost was Feb. 4, 1987, at Iowa, when the Hawkeyes beat the Golden Gophers 78-47.

Minnesota had a player score 30 points or more:

March 24, 1998. Kevin Clark had 30 points in a 91-89 overtime win over Fresno State in the semifinals of the NIT at Madison Square Garden.

Minnesota had a player score 25 points or more:

March 25, 1998. Kevin Clark scored 28 points in a 79-72 win over Penn State in the championship of the NIT at Madison Square Garden. Clark was named MVP of the tournament with an average of 29 points per game.

Minnesota had a player score 20 points or more:

March 25, 1998. Kevin Clark scored 28 points in a 79-72 win over Penn State in the championship of the NIT at Madison Square Garden.

Minnesota had a player with 15 or more rebounds:

Nov. 23, 1996. Minnesota beat Stephen F. Austin 101-55 in the season opener as John Thomas pulled down a career-tying

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There's No Place Like Home: There is no place like home, and sophomore **Antoine Broxsie (6-10, 230, Tampa, Fla.)** is looking to go home with his teammates in the spring for the Final Four. Last year the Golden Gophers took Eric Harris home to the NIT in New York and the team goal this year is to get to Broxsie's hometown. Broxsie is a big part of that equation. A fine shot blocker (second on the team in '98 with 37), he has made big progress as a scorer and rebounder and gives Minnesota a trio of big players in the paint. Broxsie tallied eight points, six rebounds and five blocks against Appalachian State in his finest game as a Golden Gopher.

Speed Kills: The Golden Gophers have as much team speed and quickness as any team Haskins has coached. His philosophy of running under control will mean that if Minnesota can control the boards you will see them test the opponents defense by getting behind them as they did two years ago with Bobby Jackson and Charles Thomas. Ohnstad is the fastest player baseline to baseline with Clark right there with him. Clark is the quickest player on the team. Simmons might be the best overall athlete, but not by much as Nathaniel and Burseson can run as well. The defensive pressure of Clark, Simmons, Nathaniel and Ohnstad at the guard spot, should create some fast break opportunities as well.

Minnesota Connection: The Golden Gophers have seven players on the roster from the state of Minnesota and two of three signed for next year are from the Land of 10,000 Lakes. As many as half of the players next year will be from Minnesota and these are all nationally-recruited players. Only Purdue (11), Michigan State (9) and Illinois (8) in the Big Ten have more in-state players on their rosters this season.

Gophers Sign Three Elite Players to National Letters of Intent: The University of Minnesota basketball office announced that three national recruits signed letters of intent to attend the University of Minnesota. Michael Bauer a 6-8, 200 pound forward from Hastings, Minn., Shane Schilling a 6-6, 195 pound swingman from Minnetonka, Minn., and Ryan Wildenborg a 6-11, 255 pound center from Kirkland, Wash.

All three players are ranked in the top 35 in the nation by various publications. Bauer is an outstanding athlete who can score from outside or go high to the basket and score. He has excellent jumping ability and finished second in the Minnesota State Track and Field Championships last spring with a high jump of 6'-8", losing the title on number of

LAST GAME'S BOXSCORE

MINNESOTA 81, APPALACHIAN STATE 67

Williams Arena • Nov. 21, 1998 • Attendance: 14,610

Recap: Senior Quincy Lewis led a balanced attack that featured four players in double figures. Lewis tallied 19 points and five rebounds in the 81-67 win. The senior forward was 9-12 from the field. Dusty Rychart scored 11 points and Minnesota's backcourt of Clark and Simmons had 10 points each. The Maroon and Gold shot a sizzling 56 percent from the field and held the Mountaineers to 40 percent.

Minnesota	Min	FG-A	FT-A	R	A	Pt	Appalachian	Min	FG-A	FT-A	R	A	Pt
Sanden, F	22	2-5	0-0	1	1	5	Phillips, F	31	9-13	6-8	9	1	25
Lewis, F	21	9-12	0-0	5	0	19	Holmes, F	30	2-5	6-8	4	0	10
Pyzybilla, C	16	3-5	0-0	6	3	6	Grover, C	20	0-4	0-0	1	1	0
Clark, G	31	4-8	1-3	2	4	10	Patterson, G	35	6-16	0-1	4	4	13
Simmons, G	23	4-9	0-2	3	1	10	Adderly, G	21	0-4	0-2	1	0	0
Nathaniel	20	1-2	2-3	2	2	4	McMahon	21	1-4	2-4	0	0	4
Ohnstad	22	2-4	2-2	0	6	7	Davis	2	0-2	0-0	2	1	0
Broxsie	18	4-5	0-0	6	2	8	Fritts	5	0-0	0-0	0	1	0
Stanford	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	Coffey	14	3-5	0-0	5	1	6
Rychart	17	5-10	1-2	4	2	11	Alexander	21	3-7	1-2	2	1	9
Keating	1	0-0	1-2	1	0	1	TEAM						7
Sinville	6	0-1	0-0	1	0	0	Totals		24-60	15-25	35	20	67
Aune	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0							
TEAM						2							
Totals		34-61	7-13	33	21	81							

Halftime: Minnesota 38, App. St. 33 **3-Pt Goals:** Minn -6-11 (Simmons 2-2, Lewis 1-2, Sanden 1-2, Ohnstad 1-2, Clark 1-3). App. St.-4-14 (Alexander 2-5, Phillips 1-3, Patterson 1-3, Adderly 0-2, McMahon 0-1).

Turnovers: Minnesota 21, App. St. 20. **Personal Fouls:** Minnesota 22, App. St. 19. **Technical:** None **Fouled Out:** Lewis Att: 14,610

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The Last Time

high of 17 rebounds and posted his fifth career double-double by adding 11 points.

Minnesota had a player with seven or more assists:

March 25, 1998. Minnesota defeated Penn State 79-72 in the NIT title game. Eric Harris dished out a career-high tying seven assists in the win.

Minnesota had a player with five or more steals:

Feb. 28, 1998. Eric Harris had five steals vs. Northwestern. Minnesota had 10 steals and forced 18 Wildcats turnovers in the 59-54 victory.

Minnesota had a player with five or more blocks:

Nov. 21, 1998. Antoine Broxsie had five blocks in Minnesota's 81-67 win over Appalachian State. The Golden Gophers rejected nine shots in the game.

AND THE WINNER IS:

The University of Minnesota basketball program has charted a 1,267-913-4 (.581) overall record heading into the '98-99 season. In addition, Minnesota has had 22 winning seasons in the last 28 years and has made it to postseason play nine of the last 10 seasons.

Minnesota has had six straight 20-win seasons and notched 20 or more wins in seven of the last nine seasons.

2 Helms	9 Big Ten Titles
Foundation	1906
National Titles	1907
1901-02	1911
1918-19	1917
	1919
2 National	1937
Invitational	1972
Tournament	1982
National Title	1997
	1993, 1998

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misses. This past summer he went to the Nike All-America Camp and exploded on the national scene, finishing the camp as the top power forward and the top overall player according to director George Raveling. Bauer led Hastings High School (Minn.) to a 19-5 record last year and its first conference title in 39 years. A second team all-state selection as a junior, he averaged 16.5 points, 9.9 rebounds and shot 47 percent from three-point range. He tallied a career-high 52-point effort vs. St. Anthony as a sophomore. He also holds career-highs of 19 rebounds (Tartan, '97-98) and 14 blocks (Northfield, '97-98). He is listed as the 32nd best player in the nation by *Hoop Scoop* magazine.

Schilling also had an excellent season last year. He led Minnetonka High School (Minn.) to a 25-2 record and the state Class AA title. The 32nd best player available according to *Street and Smith's* magazine, he averaged 25.9 points and 8.4 rebounds per game last year. He already holds the school's all-time scoring record with one season remaining with 1,208 points. His 700 points as a junior set a school mark as did his single-game record of 48 points vs. Rochester Mayo. He followed his prep season by being invited to the USA Basketball Junior National Team trials in Colorado Springs, Colo. From a field of 50 players, he made the 14-man finalist roster and ended up being the last player cut when they reduced the roster to 12 players. Another exceptional athlete, he has a vertical leap of 36 inches.

Wildenborg is a true post player at 6-11, 255. He has strong hands and is a physical presence in the paint. He is ranked the 34th best player available, and the third best center available in the country by *Hoop Scoop* magazine. Wildenborg averaged 10.2 points, 8.2 rebounds and 4.0 blocks per game last year. His season-high of 20 points was in an elimination game in the playoffs against highly recruited Curtis Borchardt of East Lake High School. He also had a season-high 10 blocks vs. Schome High School. Wildenborg shot 71 percent from the free throw line, 60 percent from the field and helped lead his team to a Mountain Division Championship.

"We are very excited that these three young men have decided to join the Golden Gopher family," said Head Coach Clem Haskins. "Each of them has fantastic physical tools. Mike and Shane are superb athletes who can shoot the ball from outside and score inside with their athleticism. Ryan is a prototypical Big Ten post player with great size and strength already. All three players are tremendous competitors who not only are ranked high nationally, but also have proven themselves against some of the best players in the country. They will add to our already strong group of young players and give us great hope for the future."

Single Game Tickets on Sale: The University of Minnesota Athletics Ticket Office is selling a limited number of basketball season tickets by phone or at the Athletic Ticket Office in Mariucci Arena. The tickets are \$22.50 per game and can be purchased by calling (612) 624-8080 or 1-800-UGOPHER. The Michigan State and Iowa games are now sold out.

"Surf The Net": Information on the University of Minnesota Men's Athletics Department is now available on the Internet. The World Wide Web site contains news releases, statistics, rosters, schedules, student-athlete/coach/administration profiles, departmental directory, ticket and merchandise information and much, much more. The Web page can be accessed at: <http://www.gophersports.com>.

Fax On Demand: One phone call from a fax machine handset allows instant access to the Big Ten member schools' up-to-date information (releases/game notes, statistics, depth charts, etc.). The information can be accessed by calling (770) 563-1131 and entering the Big Ten passcode #282. This is for media use only. The University of Minnesota basketball "cell" numbers are listed below:

2220 Weekly release
2221 Cumulative team & ind. statistics
2223 Box score from most recent game
2222 Alphabetical/Numerical rosters

1998-99 BASKETBALL MEDIA LUNCHEON SCHEDULE SET

The 1998-99 basketball media luncheon schedule has been set for the season. The luncheons will be held at noon in the Williams Arena Club Room. Parking will be available on the south tarmac of the arena as in the past. Player interviews will begin at 2 p.m. following the conclusion of the luncheon on a request basis. Player interviews must be requested 24 hours in advance (625-4090). Coach Haskins will do all of his interviews at the luncheon.

Date	Games that Week
Jan 5	Northwestern/Penn State
Jan 12	@ Michigan St./Iowa
Jan. 19	Michigan/@ Ohio State
Jan 25 *	Indiana/@ Wisconsin (Monday)
Feb. 2	Illinois/@ Michigan
Feb. 9	@ Iowa/Michigan State
Feb. 16	@ Penn State
Feb. 23	Purdue/@ Northwestern
Mar. 2	Big Ten Tournament
* Monday, Jan. 25 due to Tuesday game (schedule tentative due to travel plans)	

STREAKIN!

Below are listed the top 10 scoring streaks of 20 or more points per game in school history. Tom Kondla's two 10-game streaks top the list.

1. Tom Kondla—1967-68
10 games (1/30-3/4)
1966-67—10 games (1/28-3/6)
3. Lou Hudson—1964-65
9 games (2/6-3/9)
4. Sam Jacobson—1997-98
8 games (12/17-1/24)
Mychal Thompson—1977-78
8 games (2/2-2/23)
6. Archie Clark—1965-66
7 games (12/30-2/1 & 2/12-3/5)

OFFICIAL BASKETBALL BOX SCORE -- G A M E T O T A L S

Appalachian State vs Minnesota
 11/21/98 at Williams Arena, Minneapolis

VISITORS: Appalachian State

No.	N A M E	TOT-FG		3-PT		FT		FTA		REBOUNDS			PF	TP	A	TO	BLK	S	MIN
		FG	FGA	FG	FGA	FT	FTA	OF	DE	TOT									
15	Marshall Phillips	f	9	13	1	3	6	8	6	3	9	4	25	1	3	0	2	31	
30	Cedrick Holmes	f	2	5	0	0	6	8	0	4	4	3	10	0	3	3	1	30	
52	Josh Grover	c	0	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	2	0	1	20	
10	Tyson Patterson	g	6	16	1	3	0	1	1	3	4	2	13	4	4	0	1	35	
23	Blair Adderley	g	0	4	0	2	0	2	1	0	1	1	0	0	3	0	2	21	
14	Matt McMahon		1	4	0	1	2	4	0	0	0	3	4	0	1	0	0	21	
21	Andrew Davis		0	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	1	0	1	0	0	1	2	
34	Seneca Fritts		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	5	
35	Mike Coffey		3	5	0	0	0	0	4	1	5	1	6	1	0	0	1	14	
45	Shawn Alexander		3	7	2	5	1	2	0	2	2	2	9	1	3	0	0	21	
TEAM REBOUNDS.....									4	3	7								
TOTALS			24	60	4	14	15	25	18	17	35	19	67	10	20	3	10	200	

TOTAL FG% 1st Half:	13-25	.520	2nd Half:	11-35	.314	Game:	.400	DEADBALL
3-Pt. FG% 1st Half:	2-5	.400	2nd Half:	2-9	.222	Game:	.286	REBOUNDS
F Throw % 1st Half:	5-7	.714	2nd Half:	10-18	.556	Game:	.600	8

HOME TEAM: Minnesota

No.	N A M E	TOT-FG		3-PT		FT		FTA		REBOUNDS			PF	TP	A	TO	BLK	S	MIN
		FG	FGA	FG	FGA	FT	FTA	OF	DE	TOT									
20	Quincy Lewis	f	9	12	1	2	0	0	4	1	5	5	19	0	3	0	2	21	
51	Kyle Sanden	f	2	5	1	2	0	0	0	1	1	3	5	1	2	1	1	22	
0	Joel Przybilla	c	3	5	0	0	0	0	3	3	6	3	6	3	4	3	0	16	
10	Kevin Clark	g	4	8	1	3	1	2	0	2	2	2	10	4	1	0	2	31	
23	Terrance Simmons	g	4	9	2	2	0	2	1	2	3	0	10	1	0	0	2	23	
04	Nick Sinville		0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	6	
11	Mitch Ohnstad		2	4	1	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	7	6	0	0	1	22	
13	Kevin Nathaniel		1	2	0	0	2	3	0	2	2	2	4	2	2	0	0	20	
21	Ryan Keating		0	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	
30	Jason Stanford		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	
40	Antoine Broxsie		4	5	0	0	0	0	2	4	6	3	8	2	2	5	0	18	
45	Dusty Rychart		5	10	0	0	1	2	1	3	4	2	11	2	3	0	1	17	
54	John Aune		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
TEAM REBOUNDS.....									1	1	2								
TOTALS			34	61	6	11	7	13	13	20	33	22	81	21	19	9	9	200	

TOTAL FG% 1st Half:	17-31	.548	2nd Half:	17-30	.567	Game:	.557	DEADBALL
3-Pt. FG% 1st Half:	3-5	.600	2nd Half:	3-6	.500	Game:	.545	REBOUNDS
F Throw % 1st Half:	1-4	.250	2nd Half:	6-9	.667	Game:	.538	3

OFFICIALS: Donnie Gray, Dan Chrisman, Tim Hutchinson

TECHNICAL FOULS:
 Appalachian State - none
 Minnesota - none

ATTENDANCE: 14,610

SCORE BY PERIODS:	1st	2nd	OT1	OT2	OT3	OT4	TOTAL
Appalachian State	33	34	0	0	0	0	67
Minnesota	38	43	0	0	0	0	81