
After several months of discussion and negotiation, the U of M reached the decision to move its Gopher Griddders to the new facility in downtown Minneapolis.

A contract to move the Gophers for the '82 campaign was approved in a 10-1 vote by the University of Minnesota's Board of regents on May 16 with the stipulation that the new arrangement be reviewed carefully at the end of each of the next three years.

"The contract is a good deal, fair to both sides and has the right sort of protection for both sides," University President C. Peter Magrath told the board members.

A number of factors led to the agreement with the Metropolitan Sports Facilities Commission, but of critical importance, Magrath said, was the fact that Memorial Stadium on the U of M campus would need extensive and expensive renovation within the next five to 10 years if it were to remain in use for football games.

"I don't think that's a good investment for us to be considering in light of other university needs," Magrath said.

At an earlier meeting, Magrath told the board he would recommend signing the contract only if it came with a guarantee that the university would lose nothing in the bargain. Revenue and attendance estimates have indicated the university could lose as much as $47,000 a year if ticket sales don't increase.

But that amount is based on very conservative revenue predictions, he said and five private companies have agreed to cover a loss of up to $25,000 in the first year, Magrath said.

The five companies, all headed by alumni, are: L.S. Joseph Co., Dyco Petroleum, Graco Inc., Mackay Minnesota Envelopes and Super Valu Stores Inc.

The dome contract -- a 30-year agreement that allows the university to pull out after each of the first three years -- permits the university use of the dome rent free. However, the university will have to pay a 10 percent ticket tax approved by the Legislature.

"Students would prefer to see football played in Memorial Stadium," said Rose Johnson, chair of the student representatives to the board of regents. But she said she didn't think the move would decrease the number of students who attend. The proportion of current students at football games is usually quite small.

Board Chair Wenda Moore said she and other regents had received many phone calls and letters from persons who feel the Gophers should stay at Memorial Stadium and that a move to the dome would rob football games of their collegiate atmosphere.

"We know Gopher football is different and special," she said. "We think we can transport that specialness to the dome. We hope the fans will give us a chance."

Madison Lake regent Lauris Krenik, who sponsored the resolution said, "It's going to take a lot of maroon and gold to warm that place up, but I think we can get used to it."

Memorial Stadium, which has been home to the Gopher football team since 1924, will be maintained in the team's absence during the first three years of the contract in case the university decides to bring the team back to campus.

Below the seats, the stadium houses a number of classrooms and laboratories and used for the recreational sports program. The stadium building will remain in use for those purposes, Magrath said.

In the Bierman Building, the Announcement that the Gophers would be moving to the dome was welcomed with open arms.

Coach Joe Salem was especially pleased and felt playing in the dome would help recruiting and attendance besides being a plus for his "weather-controlled" passing game.
HERE’S A DOME SEATING DIAGRAM

"U" Responds To Ticket Queries

We know that our fans have many questions about the new stadium, and we have attempted to answer those that are most common. Please feel free to contact us regarding information not covered here.

Q. What is the basic criteria that you will use in assigning seats in the new stadium?

A. Priority longevity, based on the number of consecutive years each priority holder has purchased season tickets. The priorities with the longest histories will be assigned first, and the process will continue until we finish with season ticket holders who are new this year.

Q. How can I find out the number of years I have purchased?

A. Check the first number in the "reference" box of your ticket order form.

Q. Will my seat in the Metrodome be in the same or a better yard line location than I had at Memorial Stadium?

A. Probably not, since there are fewer seats between the goal lines at the Dome than there are at Memorial Stadium. However, the sightlines at the Metrodome are generally much better, and we expect that most people will enjoy a significant improvement in their view of the action. Some people have yardage locations better than would normally correspond to their ordering histories because they purchased seating in the low, less desirable rows of Memorial Stadium. Those people will almost certainly notice a yardage loss at the Dome, but they will benefit from a new, higher viewing perspective.

Q. Do you have many longtime priorities?

A. More than 4,000 season tickets carry priorities of thirty years or more.

Q. I have several sets of season tickets. They were purchased in different years and thus have separate priorities and are in different locations. Can they be consolidated now?

A. Yes, but they will be assigned according to the average of all priorities involved. Thus there will be some compromise in the relocation of your best seats. Separate priorities will not be consolidated unless a specific request is made.

Q. I have four season tickets now but would like to buy more for this year. Can they be located together?

A. Yes, but the same formula for priority averaging will apply. The same is true for season ticket holders wishing to form a group with other established ticket holders.

Q. What kind of provisions have been made for wheelchairs?

A. Wheelchair accommodations appear to be excellent. Please inform us when ordering if you require this type of seating.

Q. Is there any way that I can bypass the longevity requirements for good seating?

A. Some seats have been set aside for Williams Fund contributors at certain levels. Those contributing $1000 per year on a continuing basis may purchase four preferred seats. Those contributing $500 may buy two: For more information call the Williams Fund office at (612) 373-4216.

Q. I have been using a friend’s tickets for several years in Memorial Stadium. May I have those tickets transferred to me?

A. There can be no transfer of ticket priorities.
Mike Martz ranks as the newest addition to the University of Minnesota football staff after joining the Golden Gophers in time for spring practice. He replaces Don Baker who resigned at the conclusion of the 1981 football campaign.

Martz comes to Minnesota from the University of the Pacific where he served as an assistant football coach last fall. At UOP, Martz worked primarily with quarterbacks and receivers. At Minnesota, he'll function as the offensive backfield coach.

Prior to that one-year stint at the University of the Pacific, Martz also was on the football staffs at California State University in Fresno, at Santa Anna Junior College, at San Diego Mesa Junior College, at California State University in San Jose and prior to that at Bullard High School in Fresno.

Martz got his start in athletics at Madison High School in San Diego. He was graduated in 1969 and then attended Mesa Junior College where he played varsity football before transferring to California State University at Santa Barbara where he continued those same exploits. Martz completed his playing career at California State University in Fresno and was graduated, Summa Cum Laude, in 1974.

Thirty years old, Martz and his wife, Julie, have three sons, Christopher six, Daniel two and Timmy six months.

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**University of Minnesota 1982 Football Schedule**

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Dear Coach Dutcher:

Just a short note to let you know that as an "M" man (hockey), I am exceedingly proud of the way you have conducted yourself since arriving at the University to coach the basketball team.

You have been through some very difficult times—probation, the Mark Hall situation and others, and have acted in a way that should be a model for not only our young people in the state, but also for coaches.

Too often the public and the media dwell on the negative; the student who drops out; the coach who has a poor value system; they seldom praise people who demonstrate that you can be successful and still have high principles and standards, and be a gentleman.

Thanks, Jim, for the outstanding job you are doing at the University of Minnesota.

Sincerely,

David R. Metzen
Larry Miller, center hosted the Big Ten Champion Golden Gopher basketball team at a testimonial dinner at the Calhoun Beach Club recently, and Coach Jim Dutcher, left and Athletic Director Paul Giel, right, were among the appreciative dignitaries on hand. Miller, a long-time friend of U of M athletics, is among many Golden Gopher boosters paying tribute to Dutcher and his championship cagers this year.

GOPHER CAGERS WIN 23 GAMES

For the third time in his seven years as head basketball coach at the University of Minnesota, Jim Dutcher piloted his Golden Gophers to a season of 20 or more wins.

Minnesota finished the 1981-82 campaign as Big Ten champions, its first title in a decade, and wound up with an overall record of 23-6.

The Gophers, on the strength of their Big Ten title, advanced to the NCAA tourney and, playing in the Mideast Regional, won over U-T Chattanooga 62-61 at Market Square in Indianapolis, IND., but then fell 67-61 to Louisville at Birmingham, ALA.

Honors were heaped on the Gophers for their accomplishments this season. For example, Dutcher was named the Big Ten Coach of the Year. Randy Breuer and Darryl Mitchell were honored with first-team berths and Trent Tucker gained spots on several All-America teams. Tucker also played in three post-season all-star games including the Pizza Hut Classic and the Aloha Classic while Gary Holmes was selected as the Most Valuable Player in a four-league all-star game in Huntington, IND.

In the team-honor category, Tucker was honored as the free throw champion, Mitchell was the Gopher MVP as well as the team’s Most Improved Player Award winner while Kelly Scott was honored as Mr. Hustle.

ICEMEN NOTCH FINE SEASON

To some a third place finish in the WCHA and a 22-12-2 season record may not seem too great for the 1981-82 Gopher hockey team...but to those “in the know” all of the above make it quite an accomplishment for Coach Brad Buetow and his third Gopher varsity.

When Minnesota opened its season back in October, no less than 12 new faces were on the ice for the first time, so finishing third behind the two top teams in the nation (North Dakota and Wisconsin) was considered totally impressive.

The Gophers had some great days including three wins and a tie against Wisconsin, and a win over NCAA champion North Dakota.

Erickson also received numerous post-season honors and was a finalist for the Hobey Baker Memorial Award. Captain Kevin Hartzell represented the Gophers in the Third Annual East-West College All-Star game.

Senior Paul Ostby was named Minnesota’s John Mariucci MVP award winner while Erickson and David Jensen were selected co-captains of the 1982-83 Gophers.

Jeff Teal was named Minnesota’s Unsung Hero, Paul Butters the top student-athlete, Hartzell the Leadership & Sportsmanship Award winner and Tom Hirsch the Rookie of the Year.

Coach Fred Roethlisberger guided the University of Minnesota gymnastic team to its sixth Big Ten Title in seven years in 1982, and his Golden Gophers celebrated the crown with the traiditional “We’re Number One” pose. Brian Meeker, a two-time national team member and 1981 National Sports Festival champ, successfully defended his Big Ten conference all-around title. Teammates Joe Ray and Tim Koopman finished in second and third to give the Gophers the only 1-2-3 sweep in the Big Ten’s 74-year gymnastic history. On the year Minnesota was 4-3 overall and 1-1 against loop foes thanks to additional contributions from such Gophers as Bob Harrison, Jeff Murray, Tom Goechel, Mike Hunger, Jason Laks, Tim Ryan, Kevin Cochran and Pat Houde.
WALLY JOHNSON
Wrestling Coach "Going Strong"

A man who equates the Rouser to the Star Spangled Banner, Gopher wrestling coach Wally Johnson has been associated with U of M athletics for over 40 years, and he's still "going Strong."

In his 30 years of coaching, Johnson's winning percentage is over .650 but his most remarkable statistic is that every wrestling letterman he's coached has graduated or is making progress towards a degree. His dedication to his athletes goes beyond the mat.

Had it not been for an injury, the energetic 65-year old from Detroit Lakes may never have been involved in the sport that has dominated his life.

In a winter football practice at Williams Arena in 1938, his left leg was broken in a collision with teammate Orville Freeman. And while Freeman went on to a life in politics as Minnesota's governor and the nation's secretary of agriculture, Johnson turned to wrestling.

Johnson received his B.S. degree in education in 1942, served in World War II and returned to the U of M for his masters in 1948. Following stints as South Dakota State and Luther, he returned for good in 1952 as head wrestling coach and freshman football coach.

Johnson worked under Wes Fesler and Murray Warmath, but chose to concentrate on wrestling following the '71 football season.

His Gopher mat teams won 26 straight Big Ten duals and two conference titles during the 1960's. This past season's squad ranked fifth in the nation with a 17-2 record and for the second straight year finished as runner-up in the Big Ten.

Johnson is a member of the Helms Foundation Hall of Fame and was named "Coach of the Year" by the NCAA in 1976 and by the USWF in 1977.

He also is a past president of the USWF and the NCAA Wrestling Coaches Association as well as past chairman of the NCAA Wrestling Rules Committee.

MATMEN FINISH SECOND

Minnesota's wrestlers, under Wally Johnson, finished 17-2 overall, 5-1 in the Big Ten and wound up in the runner-up position in the Big Ten championships.

Throughout the year the Gophers were blessed with tremendous lower weight strength. Seniors Gary Lefebvre, Jim Martinez and Dalen Wasmund ranked among the nation's best.

Martinez, who finished the season with a 40-3 record and was third at the NCAA championships, wrestled at 142 pounds. Lefebre was at 126 and Wasmund at 134.

Other seniors contributing heavily were George Bowman, Brad Huckle, Mark Luby, Mark Miller and Craig Wiklund.

Although Jim Trudeau was injured early in the year, he hopes to be back next year with such underclassmen as Even Bernstein, Steve Martinez, Mark Miller, Greg Evans, Darrell Gholar, Jeff Anhut, Ed Giese and Todd Guse.

SWIMMING

The Gophers, under second-year coach Paul Stearns, closed the season with a sixth place finish in the 71st Annual Big Ten Champion ship Meet. The Gophers broke six varsity and ten freshmen records during the meet in which they scored 268 points. Host Iowa won its second straight title with 721.

Senior Joe Nagy concluded his Gopher career with a second place finish in the 200-yard breaststroke. Freshman Scott Etnyre was the only other individual placer finishing sixth in the 200-yard butterfly.

Senior Brian Mortenson joined freshmen Jim Brzezinski, Etnyre and Jay Peterson on the 400-yard freestyle relay team that finished sixth.

INDOOR TRACK

On the indoor track front, Minnesota finished eighth in the 72nd Annual Big Ten Championship Meet at Indiana. During the season Roy Griak's thinclads competed in invitational meets at Illinois, Nebraska and Wisconsin and hosted their own Northwest Open and Minnesota Open Relays.

Junior miler Mike Gebeke emerged as the top individual performer, qualifying for the NCAA Championships. He eclipsed Garry Bjorklund's 1970 mark by nearly three seconds to set a new varsity indoor record of 4:02.91 at Illinois. At the conference meet Gebeke finished third in the 1000 yard run, but failed to place in the mile.

Gebeke was not the only one to do well at the Big Ten Championships, six other Gophers placed at the meet. Sprinter Francis Ude was third in the 60 yard dash, John Idstrom and Dave Morrison finished fourth and fifth in the three mile. Mike Moran was fifth in the 880, Tom Coles placed sixth in the 600 and Al Whitesell was sixth in the pole vault.
**SHARON HARRIS**

**North Suburban Gal A Booster**

We are extremely proud to introduce to our readers our very first lady benefactor of the Golden Gophers through the Williams Fund -- Sharon Harris.

We are sure that Sharon needs no introduction to many of you, but for those of you unfamiliar with this dynamite gal, here are some of her accomplishments:

...Started the North Suburban Williams Fund Golf Outing eight years ago. Not only headed the committee, but pretty much ran the show, which during that period of time netted the Williams Fund over $50,000! Sharon is a tireless worker and fan of the Golden Gophers, in spite of having a full-time career as a top sales rep for Century 21 - Borden Realtors.

When we asked Sharon "Why do you get involved in so many outside civic activities, including the Chamber of Commerce, University of Minnesota, etc., plus running a household that includes three children?" (father deceased), she quickly responded, "Raising three children as a single parent is really a tremendous responsibility. One thing I learned long ago (thankfully) was to get them interested in sports and keep them interested! Sports have played a big part in our lives and I'm just happy to be able to contribute in my small way to the Golden Gophers who mean so much to our family."

Sharon's three children are Rochelle, a Mankato State freshman (psychology); Jeff, St. Cloud State senior in Environmental Studies; and Dan, a sophomore at North Dakota State University, who wants to be a coach. Dan is a running back on the football team.

Sharon is originally from Cambridge, Minnesota, where she graduated from high school and first became interested in sports.

So, the Gopher Chatter salutes Sharon Harris -- our first lady benefactor. From the entire Men's Intercollegiate Athletic Department staff, our warm thanks and deep appreciation to a great booster--and a pretty one too!

Sharon invites all of you to come on out to Greenhaven Golf Course (Anoka) for the 8th Annual Williams Fund Golf Outing on Monday, June 14. She'll be there to greet you! For reservations, call Sharon at 755-5050 or 755-3831.

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### 1982 WILLIAMS FUND EVENTS CALENDAR

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SPORTACULAR KICKS OFF SEASON

Once again the spectacular Sportacular will kick off the University of Minnesota’s Williams Fund golf outing season.

This year’s Wayzata event is on tap Monday, May 24 at the Wayzata Country Club with additional golf and tennis events also schedule at Woodhill and Oakdale.

Highlighting the 1982 Sportacular will be the appearance here of Terry Bradshaw, Pittsburg Steeler quarterback, and he’ll follow a pattern of established pro signal callers appearing at the Sportacular such as Bart Star, Bob Griese and Fran Tarkenton.

Also on the program will be Keith Fahnhorst, former Golden Gopher tight end and now a standout offensive tackle with the San Francisco 49ers.

Ray Scott, veteran sportscaster, and a member of the Sportacular family, will return as master of ceremonies.

In addition, U of M Athletic Director Paul Giel and several members of his staff will be in attendance at both the 7 a.m. breakfast and at the 12 noon luncheon.

Chairman of this year’s event is Chip Glaser, and it’s safe to assume that such Wayzata stalwarts as Jaye Dyer and Wayne Jimmerson again are deeply involved.

On top of that, Glaser has been assisted by a veteran committee and by more than 50 Sportacular Hunt Captains.

Bradshaw, two-time Super Bowl MVP and the only active National Football League quarterback to win more than one league championship, will be a top-notch headliner for the ’82 Sportacular.

He ranks in the all-time top 20 in all passing categories in the NFL and holds all-time post-season career record in five categories. He has twice been named the NFL Player of the

Year and in 1979 was one of two named as the Sports Illustrated Man of the Year.

Giel calls the Sportacular event “Another outstanding program. Chip and his committee have done a super job. We’re sure it will be another superb day.”

Golf Reservations Mandatory

For more information: please call a Hunt Captain or Chip Glaser, Sportacular Chairman (339-9744).

 spécial bag tag, and directed to the assigned tee. THE TAG ON YOUR BAG ASSURES YOUR STARTING POSITION. Then, you’re off to breakfast or lunch, reuniting with your bag for the shotgun start. Replacements for confirmed reservations are acceptable only if they can identify the reservation they are replacing. Non-reserved players can be accommodated on a “standby” basis only. If there are any “no-shows,” standbys may be accepted.

Morning players should be off the course by 1:00 p.m. to permit reassignment to golf carts for the afternoon rounds. Please don’t “play on” after your 18-hole round.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Monday, May 24, 1982

Morning Program

7:00 a.m. Buffet Breakfast at Wayzata Country Club

7:30 a.m. Program featuring Terry Bradshaw

8:30 a.m. Golf...shotgun teesoff at Wayzata and Woodhill C.C.

Tennis...round robin doubles at Wayzata C.C.

(in case of rain at Oakdale)

Afternoon Program

11:00 a.m. Cocktail service at Wayzata C.C.

12:00 p.m. Luncheon at Wayzata C.C.

Program featuring Terry Bradshaw

2:00 p.m. Golf...shotgun teesoff at Wayzata and Woodhill C.C.

Tennis...round robin doubles at Wayzata C.C.

(in case of rain at Oakdale)

Contributions to the U of M Williams Fund (Tax Deductible)

Tickets are $150 and include breakfast or lunch, the program, golf or tennis and favors.

Checks payable to: U. of M. Williams Fund
Sharing in name and spirit...

Minnesota Federal and the University of Minnesota

The Minnesota spirit. It's there when the band strikes up the “Rouser,” the maroon and gold come into view and the crowd cheers the Gophers on to victory. It's the dedication to excellence and the determination to achieve a common goal that have made the University and Gopher athletics the pride of Minnesota.

Minnesota Federal has shared in that spirit for more than 100 years, with a commitment to excellence in service and a dedication to helping Minnesotans achieve their financial goals.

Like the University, we're proud of that spirit. And we're just as proud of the Minnesota name.
DOMECOMING ON TAP FOR OHIO

DOMECOMING

SEPT. 11, 1982

Salem Shows Set

Smokey Joe Salem will go electronic again this fall with both radio and television shows throughout the football season.

Salem's radio shows will be aired on WCCO. He'll be heard at 6:45 a.m. each Tuesday and Thursday, and at 8:20 a.m. each Monday and Wednesday every week of the 1982 campaign beginning September 6.

In addition, Salem will have a pre-game and a post game on all 11 Saturdays of the football season.

Salem will be seen on his football television show on KSTP-TV beginning on Saturday, September 11 for 12 consecutive weeks.

Time of that show will be 30 minutes preceding the ABC-TV NCAA College Football game of the week.

In the past Salem's TV show has been on Sunday following the Gopher game, and that show served as a wrap-up of the preceding day's action.

Domecoming is on tap at the Hubert H. Humphrey Metrodome on Saturday, September 11 beginning at 7:00 p.m. when the University of Minnesota opens its 1982 football season by playing host to the Ohio University Bobcats.

It will mark the first time in history that the Golden Gopher football team has played in an indoor facility, and it signifies the beginning of a new era as Minnesota begins its move from Memorial Stadium to downtown Minneapolis.

Numerous special promotions are underway for the Ohio opener in the Metrodome all designed to sell out the 62,250 seat stadium and in the process fill 'er up with Gopher fans while signifying the start of a new era.

And on top of all else, that new era, besides providing a new home for the Golden Gophers, starts the second 100 years of football at the University of Minnesota.

Among the promotions now underway for Domecoming is the second annual Rotary Challenge Day. Rotary Clubs throughout Minnesota participated in the beginning of that event a year ago when the Gophers hosted Northwestern, and it proved so successful that it now looms as an annual event. Lee Sundat again is leading the way for that undertaking.

Ken Buell, University of Minnesota athletic ticket manager, indicated that Rotary Challenge Day brought in 2,000 Rotary Club members last fall, and "We think the Rotarians will more than double their effort for the first college game played in the dome on September 11."

Also on top as part of Domecoming will be Minnesota's annual Cap Day promotion. Official Golden Gopher caps were sold at the U of M booth in the grandstand during the state fair for $10.00, and with that cap each person making the purchase also received a ticket for the Ohio Game. A year ago Cap Day attracted more than 4,000 Gopher fans, and "We think the Rotarians will more than double their effort for the first college game played in the dome on September 11."

Then at halftime Murray Warmath and his wife Mary Louise, along with members of the 1960 National Champion Golden Gophers and 1962 Big Ten representatives and Rose Bowl winners will be honored in additional ceremonies at mid-field.

It's all a part of Domecoming, and Dairy Queen deserves a big salute for its participation.

GOLDEN GOPHER

DOMECONING

SEPT. 11, 1982

Second Hundred Underway

To commemorate the beginning of its second 100 years of football, the University of Minnesota has planned several special events for the 1982 opener against Ohio University September 11 at the Metrodome.

Through the cooperation of the Dairy Queen stores of the Twin Cities, every ticket holder attending the opening game will receive a 22 ounce Gopher souvenir cup created especially for the occasion.

A special coin-toss also is planned, and Lucius Smith, a football letterman at the U of M in 1910 and 1911 and the father of Bruce Smith, Minnesota's only Heisman Trophy winner, will be on hand to conduct those ceremonies.

Then at halftime Murray Warmath and his wife Mary Louise, along with members of the 1960 National Champion Golden Gophers and 1962 Big Ten representatives and Rose Bowl winners will be honored in additional ceremonies at mid-field.

It's all a part of Domecoming, and Dairy Queen deserves a big salute for its participation.

Domecoming: Cont. on Page 4
When Minnesota kicks off its 1982 football season against Ohio at 7:00 p.m. on Saturday, September 11 in the Hubert H. Humphrey Metrodome, it will signify several new items for the Gophers.

First of all it will be the start of the second 100 years of football at the University of Minnesota. Second, it will mark the beginning of the Golden Gophers playing indoors....in the fabulous new Metrodome. And third, it marks the start of a new three-year extension on Coach Joe Salem's contract.

A year ago Minnesota finished 6-5-1....the first time the Gophers had been above the .500 mark since 1977, and for those efforts Salem was rewarded with an extension of three years on his original contract.

So where does all of that put the Golden Gophers for 1982? Salem hopes it will put them in the midst of the fight for Big Ten honors in what he has called "The most even race our conference has seen in years."

According to Salem, any one of six or seven teams could win the title, and he has to be including his own squad in that category. Ohio State and Michigan have been tabbed by many as the co-favorites, but most also figure Illinois, Purdue, Minnesota and Wisconsin are "break through" possibilities.

Reason for Salem's guarded optimism might be the fact that a year ago Minnesota was 6-3 with two games left. Then injuries depleted the Gophers, especially their defense, and they dropped their final two decisions to Michigan State and Wisconsin, both teams Minnesota fans felt were not as good as the 1981 squad, and all but six starters returned. It may be that solid nucleus of veterans that has Coach Salem smiling as he prepares for the Ohio opener.

True, the Gophers lost two superb offensive tackles in Ken Dallafior and Wally Kersten. True, Minnesota lost two excellent receivers in Chester Cooper and Ron Weckbacker. True, Minnesota lost two outstanding linebackers in Jim Fahnhorst and Glenn Howard. But it's also true that the "other" 16 starters are veterans, and all are fighting for starting roles.

That leaves the linebacking corps. Mike Robb has been moved from the deep four to an outside backer post, and if he's healthy he'll get the job done. Help there will be provided by Andre Gilbert and Tony Horton.

The runningbacks look salty with Frank Jacobs and Tony Hunter leading the way. Also on hand are Manny Henry, Bob Stroup, Alan Reid and Marvell Ross. It should make for an explosive offensive show in the climate controlled Metrodome.

Defensively Salem has made some changes in hopes of adding quickness to his club and to provide more depth in case injuries start taking their toll again in 1982. Up front Fred Orgas, Kevin Kellin (or Rene' Capo) Karl Mecklenburg and Jimmie James will lead the way while the deep four will be selected from Kevin Taylor, Craig White, Glenn Cardelli, Melvin Ferguson, Terrence Henderson, Rick Withhus, Phil Sutton or Kerry Glenn. All are veterans, and all are fighting for starting roles.

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The kicking game again will be handled by punter Paul Blanchard and kicking specialist Jim Gallery.

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Keohen Paces "U" Harriers

The 1982 University of Minnesota cross country team, head coach Ray Griak's 20th, again appears to be a force in the Big Ten's first division.

Senior captain John Keohen ranks as Griak's top returner as he attempts to replace all-America selection Lloyd Ness and standouts Don Hurley and John Idstrom.

Mike Gebeke joins Keohen as the squad's only seniors. John Kromer, Mike Moran, Dave Morrison and Dave Sharp are juniors, while Dallas Allaire and Dan Roach are sophomores.

Griak has recruited a talented group of incoming freshman that should contribute this season. They include: Michael Capra, Dave Casale, John Chatelaine, Dave Duvick, Tim Magnuson, Roger Roettger and Bryan Schmidt.

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Bierman Briefs

Bobby Weber, a defensive back with the Golden Gophers from 1974 through 1977, is now Dr. Robert Weber interning at St. John's Hospital in St. Paul. Dr. Weber, who once returned a kickoff 100 yards for a touchdown against Ohio State, received his medical degree from the University of Wisconsin this past May. While an undergraduate at Minnesota, Dr. Weber was a William Scholar and the recipient of an NCAA Post Graduate Scholarship Award.

Current footballers Mike Hohenese and Ed Olson accompanied Joe Salem to Chicago in late July for the 1982 Big Ten Conference press conference and Football Kickoff Luncheon. Both players conducted interviews with representatives of the media from all areas in the Big Ten. In was the largest press conference ever held by the Big Ten (Coach Salem went through 28 television interviews in one session!) and the Kickoff Luncheon drew over 1,700 spectators. Captain Olson and Hohenese both conducted themselves in a manner which brought credit upon the U of M.

Minnesota's basketball recruiting brochure, paid for through a contribution from the Golden Dunkers, was honored as the best publication in that category in the nation this past year. The brochure was printed by Dick Muellerleile at the North Central Publishing Company in St. Paul. The photography was done by Wendell Vandersluis and it was edited by Bob Peterson. Both are members of the U of M Sports Information staff.

Randy Breuer, 7-3 center and co-captain of the 1982-83 Golden Gopher basketball team, is the sixth ranked shot blocker returning to NCAA competition this season. Breuer had 76 blocked shots in 29 games last year to trail leader Mark West of Old Dominion who had 123. Keith Lee of Memphis State had 102, Pat Ewing of Georgetown 119, had 76 blocked shots in 29 games last year to trail leader Mark West of Old Dominion.

Jay Carroll, Gopher tight end from Winona, received a pat-on-the-back from the Fellowship of Christian Athletes in early August. Carroll served as a 'huddle leader' at a national conference held at St. Olaf College in Northfield, and, according to Christian Athlete Editor Skip Stogsdill, "did an outstanding job."

Joe Salem, head football coach at the U of M, has been chosen to serve as one of the distinguished members of the selection committee to pick the winner of the 13th annual Lombardi Award. This award has been given annually to the college football's outstanding lineman.

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Al Golan, art director for WTCN-TV channel 11, has once again made a major contributions to Gold Country promotional efforts. Al has assisted the U of M ticket office in no less than 11 promotional projects this year including for the sports of football, basketball and hockey. His individual efforts are deeply appreciated by the U of M Men's Intercollegiate Athletic Department and salute a true professional for jobs well done.

At Home In The Dome In 1982

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10K Road Race On Tap Again

The second annual Golden Gopher Grand Slam 10K Road Race has been scheduled for Saturday, Sept. 11, at the University of Minnesota as part of the festivities centered around the opening of the 1982 collegiate football season.

Co-sponsored by the Men's Intercollegiate Athletic Department at the U of M and Munsingwear, Inc., the meet will be a 10 kilometer run and will include a total of 14 competitive divisions. Roy Griak, cross country and track coach at the U of M, will serve as race director, and he has indicated that this year's Grand Slam will be an open event with several international calibre runners invited to participate.

The competitive divisions, one for men and one for women in each category, are ages 12 and under, 13 through 17, 18 through 29, 30 through 39, 40 through 49, 50 through 59 and 60 or over.

The race will get underway at 8:45 a.m. in Memorial Stadium on the U of M campus. Entry fee through Sept. 6 is $6 per participant. After that date, a late entry fee of $8 will be charged.

Division winners will be awarded trophies and Munsingwear Grand Slam shirts. All entrants will receive a maroon and gold race T-shirt from Munsingwear. In addition, all participants will have the opportunity of purchasing $12 reserved seat tickets for the Minnesota football opener against Ohio at 7 o'clock that evening in the Hubert H. Humphrey Metrodome for $7.00..... a discount of $5 on each ticket purchased.

Fifty drawings for prizes, ranging from new shoes to pressure cookers to free meals also will be held, and all participants in the race will be eligible for those drawings.

Last year's first annual event attracted more than 1,200 runners, and the 1982 field could easily surpass that number. "Interest is excellent," Griak said, "and we hope to have at least 2,000 participants this year."
Black Athletes Plan Reunion

Plans for a special tribute to University of Minnesota Black students were presented recently during a meeting at the University of Minnesota Alumni Club.

Ten Toy Productions and the university will co-sponsor the event this fall. James Beard, executive director of Ten Toy Productions, said the four-day event is an "opportunity to recognize Black graduates for their accomplishments and contributions to their communities." Beard said he also hopes the event will "encourage young Black students to continue their education past the secondary school level.

More than 100 individuals from the community and the university have been invited to the initial planning meeting where plans for the event will be outlined.

Tentative plans call for an alumni reception to kick off the four days of activities Sept. 30 at the Riverview Supper Club, Minneapolis. Events Friday, October 1, include a luncheon in the Great Hall of Coffman Memorial Union on the University of Minnesota campus and a fashion show and dance that evening at the Holiday Inn in downtown Minneapolis.

A memorial luncheon in honor of Roy Wilkins, former N.A.A.C.P. executive director, and Whitney Young, former executive director of the National Urban League, is the highlight of the activities planned for Saturday, October 2.

Other events that day include a reception in honor of University of Minnesota Black athletes Marquette Inn, downtown Minneapolis, and a Panhellenic Cabaret Party at the Holiday Inn.

Icemen Plan Early Opener

Minnesota's 1982-83 hockey Gophers embark on one of the earliest openers in UM history when they meet the NHL North Stars at the Met Center September 22. A portion of the gate receipts will be donated to the U. of M. Williams Fund. The game marks the first contest for each club this season.

In addition, coach Brad Buetow's (81-39-2) fourth Gopher edition plays two other exhibition games in the coming season: October 16 against Northern Michigan in the Hall of Fame Game at Eveleth, and January 10 at Williams Arena against the U.S. National Team.

Candidates for the '82-'83 varsity, including 15 lettermen from last year's 22-12-2 squad, reported September 15 for practice. Buetow said he expects about 65 candidates in all, including last year's reserves, walk-ons and incoming freshmen.

As for the latter group, Buetow and his staff believe they have recruited the strongest freshman crop in the nation. Included are six all-state prospects from Minnesota prep ranks, and a top Junior A goaltender from north of the border.

"A this point I have to be optimistic about our chances this season," Buetow said this summer. "With a strong nucleus of veterans returning combined with the potential of our new people, well, on paper I believe we can be a major factor in college hockey circles."

Leading the returnees are men at the top, like senior co-captains Bryan "Butsy" Erickson (RW) and David Jensen (D), plus junior alternate captain Scott Bjugstad (C).

Other key senior and junior returnees include goalie Paul Butters, defenseman Brian Zins, and forwards Steve Griffith, Tom Rothstein and Jeff Larson. The remaining vets were members of last year's outstanding freshman class, including Mike Guentzel, Tom Hirsch and Jeff Larson. The remaining vets were members of last year's outstanding freshman class, including Mike Guentzel, Tom Hirsch and Jeff Larson. The remaining vets were members of last year's outstanding freshman class, including Mike Guentzel, Tom Hirsch and Jeff Larson. The remaining vets were members of last year's outstanding freshman class, including Mike Guentzel, Tom Hirsch and Jeff Larson. The remaining vets were members of last year's outstanding freshman class, including Mike Guentzel, Tom Hirsch and Jeff Larson. The remaining vets were members of last year's outstanding freshman class, including Mike Guentzel, Tom Hirsch and Jeff Larson. 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Seven tendered freshmen coming to camp as prime recruits include forwards Mike Anderson (N. St. Paul), Wally Chapman (Edina), Scott Knutson (Warr--road), Pat Micheletti (Hibbing), Corey Millen (Cloquet), plus defender Tony Kellin (Grand Rapids) and goalie Frank Pietrangelo (Niagara Falls, ONT).

Cagers Pick Captains For '82-'3 Campaign

Randy Breuer and Zebediah Howell have been named captains of the 1982-83 University of Minnesota basketball team. Both will be seniors for the defending Big Ten Conference champion Golden Gophers.

Breuer, a 7-3 center, looms as Minnesota's best bet for post season honors and is being considered as a definite All-America candidate. He was a first-team All-Big Ten choice last year.

In three seasons with the U of M, Breuer has scored 1,184 points on the strength of 456 field goals and 272 free throws. He has shot .563 from the field as a Gopher and .710 from the free throw line. In the rebound department, Breuer had 209 last year and has 470 in three collegiate seasons. His best scoring effort at Minnesota was 32 points against Ohio State last year.

Howell is a three-year letterman who has been a part-time starter and clutch player since arriving at the U of M. He is .440 shooter from the floor and .533 shooter from the free throw line. In three years, he has tallied 268 points.
We Get Letters . . .

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Dear Sir:
Congratulations on 3 Big Ten championships. Enclosed please find my $100.00 contribution to the Williams Fund.
May the university's athletic endeavors continue to shine brightly during the coming season.

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Lt. Robert D. Benjamin U.S.M.C.
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I certainly enjoy the Gopher Chatter. It’s the best way I can keep up with the U of M athletic news. I’m an athletic devotee for years - graduated from the “U of M” way back in 1926 but as a resident of Mpls., before that I had been a follower of the “U” sports events for many years before.
The “100 years of Golden Gopher Football” was wonderful, my niece in Robbinsdale sent us a copy that arrived before I could send in an order.
I’ve only been in Moscow 7 years, taught high or jr. high school in Minn. for 45 years.
I’m enclosing a check for the Williams Fund - only wish I could make it out for more.

Connie (Mahusten) Diters

Salute Goes To Ray Scott

Our very special friend and Golden Gopher benefactor for this issue is Ray Scott, one of the most honored sportscasters of all time. Ray’s 45 years of sports broadcasting were capped in April, 1982, by induction into the National Sportscasters and Sportswriters Hall of Fame at Salisbury, North Carolina. He considers that the highlight of his broadcasting career marked by many honors.
He was twice selected the outstanding sportscaster in the country. Other highlights include:

• TV voice of the Green Bay Packers during the Lombardi years.
• TV play-by-play broadcaster of virtually every football Bowl Game, including four Super Bowls.
• TV anchor of PGA and LPGA events for many years.
• TV broadcaster of the World Series.
• Radio play-by-play broadcaster of Minnesota Vikings games for the past four years.
• TV broadcaster of Penn State football games in the East and via Cable TV, nationwide, for the past seven years.
• Currently, sports commentator, providing six daily sports broadcasts on KSTP-AM, Minneapolis-St. Paul.

In spite of Ray’s extremely busy schedule, he still has found time to participate in and emcee the Arizona-Minnesota Williams Fund event every March at Rio Verde, Arizona (for the past five years), the Wayzata Sportacular (for the past ten years), the Celebrity Williams Fund Outing at Midland Hills (for the last six years), and the Building Industries Williams Fund Outing at Hillcrest Country Club (for the last three years).

This “Faribault Five” included Williams Fund Assistant Brian Hairston, UM Athletic Director Paul Giel, Faribault personality Pet Boerboon, State Senator Clarence Purfeerst and Van Miller. All participated in this year’s Bruce Smith Williams Fund Golf outing at Faribault.

Among the familiar faces appearing at this year’s Building and Industry Day Williams Fund Golf Outing at Hillcrest were former Gopher Tom Lehman, Steve Barber, Sportscaster Ray Scott, Jim Manthis and George Shortridge.
BANNER YEAR FOR WILLIAMS FUND

Without question this past year has been not only the most successful year, but also the most gratifying year in University of Minnesota Williams Fund history!

Although the final results are not in, it appears that we will have raised in excess of $800,000 this past year. Well over $300,000 is generated by golf and tennis outings, with the balance coming from direct giving.

Over 300 volunteers and special committee people made it all possible by their hard work and dedication for our Golden Gopher cause.

Our special thanks go out once again to all of these “marvelous Minnesotans” all over our great state who spend their time, energy, and dollars to help make our Gophers go!

Neither time nor space permit us to single out all of the events or people involved in our exciting year, but we would be remiss if we didn’t recognize a few totally outstanding jobs.

“Chip” Glaser, our “Rookie of the Year” chairman of the Wayzata Sportacular took over the reins from the young “old pro”, Jaye Dyer, and did a superb job with a wonderful Wayzata supporting cast of Jaye and Betty Dyer (Dyco Petroleum Co.) who again headed up the Hunt Captains and Call Girls and who worked countless hours making it possible for us to net over $110,000! Wayne “The Jet” Jimmerson again led all Hunt Captain sales with over $40,000!

Former Gopher great, Bud Grant, (Head football coach of the Minnesota Vikings) did a great job as our featured guest speaker.

The incomparable Ray Scott did another masterful job emceeing not only the Wayzata Sportacular, but also the Minnesota-Arizona event at fabulous Rio Verde, Arizona; the Midland Hills Celebrity event, and the Building Industries Outing at Hillcrest Country Club in St. Paul. Ray is featured elsewhere in this issue as our special Golden Gopher benefactor.

Special thanks, too, to Herbie Brooks & Kevin McHale who appeared at several of our events, and to that marvelous matinee and evening idol of wrestling, the one and only Verne Gagne, who really goes all-out for his Golden Gophers!

A special warm “thank you” to golf pros George Shortridge of Anoka Greenhaven (the winningest pro in Minnesota history) and Jim Manthis, the fine head professional of Midland Hills, who “saved the day” at our Building Industries Williams Fund event by conducting an excellent golf clinic when special guest “Chi Chi” Rodriguez was sidelined with a bad back. Neither George or Jim would accept any remuneration for their appearance. Consequently, a golf scholarship donation will be made in their honor. This 7th Annual Building Industries event produced a net of $15,000 for the Gophers.

This quartet of dignitaries got together at “The best ever” Wayzata Sportacular earlier this year. The group included Wayne Jimmerson, again the leader in participation sales; Chip Glaser, new Sportacular chairman; Bud Grant, Minnesota Vikings head coach and guest speaker; and Joe Salem, head coach of the Golden Gophers.

Golden Gopher coaches, past and present, got together at this summer’s Midland Hills Celebrity Golf outing. Seated are Hockey Coach Brad Buetow and Basketball Coach Jim Dutcher. Standing are Football Coach Joe Salem and former U of M hockey coach and now head coach of the New York Rangers Herb Brooks.

Other highlights......Charlie Pappas and his Rochester gang brought over $35,000 into the coffers while the “one man crew” Al Krejci—the Austin-Hayfield “hotshot” accounted for another $35,000 in those events.

Special thanks go out to over 10,000 participants, helpers, committee people and special contributors. As the song goes, “it was a very good year” for the Golden Gophers and we are extremely grateful.
Sharing in name and spirit...

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The Minnesota spirit. It’s there when the band strikes up the “Rouser,” the maroon and gold come into view and the crowd cheers the Gophers on to victory. It’s the dedication to excellence and the determination to achieve a common goal that have made the University and Gopher athletics the pride of Minnesota.

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Like the University, we’re proud of that spirit. And we’re just as proud of the Minnesota name.

Films Available

Highlight films, featuring the success of the University of Minnesota men’s athletic teams, are again available for use by fans and organizations from throughout the area.

Three films are produced annually by Sports Films and Talents, one each in football, basketball and hockey. The football film is entitled The Golden Hundred, the basketball film The Golden Rule and the hockey film The Golden Future.

Sponsored by Control Data and with additional financial support from Ellerbe Association, Inc., these 16 mm sound and color films run approximately 25 minutes in length.

There is no charge for the use of the films, and reservations may be made by calling Control Data (612) 853-6498. Additional assistance may be provided by the U of M Sports Information Office (612) 373-5236.

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LOU HOLTZ SET FOR WAYZATA

GRID ATTENDANCE SOARS

Ken Buell, ticket manager at the University of Minnesota, reports that from his end of things the 1982 football season was a banner year for the Golden Gophers.

Coming into the 1982 grid campaign, there were a lot of doubts and a great deal of concern about what was going to happen in regard to sale of tickets. Minnesota was playing off campus, in a new domed stadium. It moved its starting times for games to 7 p.m. And it increased ticket prices by $2.00 per ticket.

Buell now reports that the increase in sales was both astounding and gratifying, and the added fan support and increased revenue turned out to be a real boost to the Men’s Intercollegiate Athletic Department at the University of Minnesota.

Most critical to this year’s success came in the area of season ticket sales where the increase from 1981 (20,506) to 1982 (28,211) was 7,705. Biggest increase came in the area of student tickets where the jump was from 4,134 to 7,741 or 87%.

University of Minnesota staff tickets also increased from 2,351 to 2,875 for a 22% increase and the public sale went up from 12,559 in ’81 to 17,405 in ’82 for a 38% hike. Overall, it was a 37% increase from last year to this fall.

There are other comparative figures that are significant, according to Buell. For example, in 1981 the total attendance (with seven home games) was 301,248 for an average of 43,035. In 1982 the total attendance (six games) was 353,298, and that’s an increase of 52,050 on the year.

This year’s total attendance was the highest for a Golden Gopher team season since 368,200 fans attended six games in 1962. This year’s average attendance in six home appearances was 58,883...a figure which is larger than Memorial Stadium’s capacity!

Exciting plans are being made for our 12th Annual Williams Fund WAYZATA SPORTACULAR. The date is Monday, May 23, 1983, at three great golf courses — Wayzata, Woodhill and LaFayette Country Clubs, with the tennis outing being held at Wayzata.

LOU HOLTZ, head football coach at Arkansas and one of the most “in-demand” speakers in the country, will be our special guest. Lou has appeared on Johnny Carson’s Tonight Show several times and we know you will enjoy him immensely. We are delighted to have Lou join master emcee Ray Scott and our Golden Gopher coaches at both the morning and noon programs.

The “Sportacular” sells out early each year, so make your reservations now by calling Chairman “Chip” Glaser at 333-2900 or the Williams Fund office, 373-4924. The entry fee is $150.00 and includes a beautiful Gopher sweater (golf or tennis), breakfast or lunch and surprises!

We are always looking for new committeemen (Hunt Captains), so if you are interested in helping the Golden Gophers Go, call either of the above numbers.

Harriers Third

Roy Griak’s cross country team finished third in the Big Ten for the second straight year behind the standout performance of Dave Morrison. The Lakeville junior led the team throughout the season and finished eighth in the conference meet held in Iowa. He went on to place 11th in the District IV meet at Purdue to qualify for the NCAA meet.

The team, which finished the dual season with a 1-1 mark in the Big Ten and a 2-2 overall record, was sixth in the District IV competition.

Morrison capped all efforts by placing 13th in a field of 190 competitors in the 10,000-meter NCAA championship meet at Indiana University with a time of 30 minutes, 34.9 seconds. He finished fifth among American entries and earned All-America honors.

This fall Gopher track and cross country coach Roy Griak ran the second annual Golden Gopher Grand Slam 10K and the first annual Fowl Play 10K. Both races benefited the men’s athletic department.

September 11th’s Grand Slam attracted a field of 1,300 and generated income for Griak’s programs, while October 30th’s Fowl Play race had 800 entrants and raised money for the Williams Fund.
Minnesota's 1982 football season ended in disappointment as Coach Joe Salem's Golden Gophers dropped their finale 24-0 to the Wisconsin Badgers in Madison.

"It was a tough afternoon for us," Coach Salem admitted, "and it has been an equally tough season for us. We're all taking it very hard, but I feel especially sorry for the seniors who have to go out like this."

Salem was referring to the fact that the 1982 final-year performers, a group of whom so much had been expected when they jumped off to a fast 3-0 start, found themselves suffering through eight consecutive losses.

All of which means that the Gophers finished 3-8 overall and 1-8 in the Big Ten Conference to wind up in the cellar.

It was the poorest record and lowest finish for a UM aggregation since 1959.

"I told our underclassmen that now they know what it feels like," Salem said, "and now they know how far they have to go to be part of a winning program. We literally have to start over. We are back to square zero, and we will have to start putting the pieces together with the good group of recruits we brought in for this season and add to it by bringing in another solid class this year."

Despite the fact that the season was not as successful as Salem had hoped it did turn out to be a record breaking campaign, with Mike Hohensee leading the assault on the U of M standards.

Here's a breakdown on what happened in '82:

CAREER
TOTAL OFFENSE:
Most Yards Gained: 4,855 — Mike Hohensee (1981-82) old, 4,742 by Tony Dungy 1973-76
Best Avg. Yards Per Play: 5.71 — Mike Hohensee (1981-82) old, 5.18 by Craig Curry 1969-71
PASSING:
Most Completions: 392 — Mike Hohensee (1981-82) old, 274 by Tony Dungy 1973-76
Most Yards: 4,792 — Mike Hohensee (1981-82) old, 3,577 by Tony Dungy 1973-76
Most TD Passes: 33 — Mike Hohensee (1981-82) old, 25 by Tony Dungy 1973-76
SINGLE SEASON
PASSING:
Most Completions: 210 — Mike Hohensee, broke own mark of 182 set in 1981
Most HAD Intercepted: 19 (TIES) — Paul Giel 1951 and Mike Hohensee 1982
PUNT RETURNS:
Most Returns: 29 — Terrance Henderson
SINGLE GAME
PASS RECEIVING:
Most Receptions: 12 (TIES) — Glenn Bourquin vs. Michigan 1979, Chester Cooper vs. Ohio State 1981, and Alan Reid vs. Indiana 1982
SCORING:

TEAM RECORDS
OFFENSE SINGLE SEASON
PASSING:
Most Attempts: 395, old was 367 in 1981
Most Completions: 225, old was 185 in 1979
Most Yards Gained: 2,521, old was 2,445 in 1981
Best Avg. Gain Game: 229.2, old was 222.3 in 1981
MISCELLANEOUS:
Most Total First Downs: 236, old was 230 in 1981
Most First Down Passing: 113, old was 109 in 1979
OFFENSE SINGLE GAME
TOTAL OFFENSE:
Most Yards Gained: 742 vs. Ohio U., old was 577 vs. Indiana 1979
Best Avg. Gain Per Play: 9.51 vs. Ohio U., old was 7.18 vs. N. Dakota 1974
SCORING:
Most Points: 57 vs. Ohio U., old was 55 vs. Iowa 1949
DEFENSE SINGLE SEASON
MISCELLANEOUS:
Most Opponent Penalties: 85, old was 67 in 1981
Most Yards Opponents Penalized: 711, old was 586 in 1981

Meetings Planned

Again this year booster clubs for University of Minnesota hockey and basketball will hold luncheons at Jax Cafe which is located at 1928 University Avenue Northeast in Minneapolis. The public is invited to these noon gatherings.

BLUELINE CLUB
Friday, January 7
Friday, January 28
Friday, February 18
Back Court Club
Tuesday, January 4th
(6:30-Welcome Gophers Dinner)
Tuesday, February 8
Tuesday, March 1
(Information concerning tickets for Back Court Events can be secured by contacting Arna Disch at 522-3122)

Films Available

Highlight films, featuring the success of the University of Minnesota men's athletic teams, again are available for use by fans and organizations from throughout the area.

Three films are produced annually by Sports Films and Talents, one each in football, basketball and hockey. These 16 mm sound and color films run approximately 25 minutes in length.

There is no charge for the use of the films, and reservations may be made by calling Control Data (612) 853-6498. Additional assistance may be provided by the U of M Sports Information Office (612) 373-5236.
Dutcher Rebuilds "U" Cagers

Coach Jim Dutcher has tipped off his eighth season at Minnesota knowing that he faces another major rebuilding job while preparing his Golden Gophers for defense of their Big Ten Conference championship.

A year ago Minnesota posted a 23-6 overall record. The Gophers were 14-4 in the Big Ten and finished ahead of the field while earning a berth in the NCAA post-season tournament.

Dutcher has tipped off his rebuilding job at center where 7-3 senior Randy Breuer returns for his final campaign. Breuer has become the dominating big man in the Big Ten and looms as one of the top offensive centers in the nation this season.

As a junior, Breuer led Minnesota in scoring with a 16.6 average and in rebounding with a 7.2 per-game effort. He also was tops for Minnesota in blocked shots with 76 and third in assists with 56.

In the backcourt, Dutcher has Tommy Davis and Barry Woehler, both sophomores returning. Davis played in all 29 games last year while Woehler, the prep player of the year in Minnesota two seasons ago, saw action in 14 outings. Davis is 6-4 and Woehler is 6-2. Both are lettermen.

Also returning is Bruce Kaupa, a 6-1 junior guard who was a backup for two seasons but had to sit out the most recent campaign with an injury. He'll come off that redshirt year shooting for a starting spot. With the Big Ten now installing a 21-foot three-point basket this year, Dutcher predicts that Kaupa, a fine outside shooter, will become Minnesota's top threat in that department.

That leaves the forward post where two lettermen, 6-10 junior Jim Petersen and 6-7 senior Zebedee Howell return. Both have seen extensive action in the past couple of seasons, both have shown an abundance of improvement and maturing, and both would like to earn places on Minnesota's starting five.

A quick analysis indicates that Breuer is a fixture at center, but all four of those other starters' posts are up for grabs. And that means that newcomers could figure in the picture.

In that category, Roland Brooks, a 6-7 forward who is transferring to Minnesota after two outstanding seasons at the College of the Sequoias in California, ranks as the most promising....if for no other reason than he has college game experience.

Other newcomers (all freshmen) will be 6-5 forward Dave Dahlke, 6-11 center John Shasky, 6-2 guard Alonzo Skanes, and 6-1 guard Marc Wilson. Which of those yearlings will be ready to help right away remains to be seen.

GOPHER ICEMEN YOUNGEST EVER

When coach Brad Buetow opened his fourth season as boss of the Gopher ice program owning a record of 81-39-2, he said he may this year be working with his youngest team ever.

That was pretty well proven on the first Gopher road trip when it was noticed that 14 of the 20-man travel roster were either first or second year players.

However, based on two consecutive sensational recruiting years, there are very few tears shed around the WCHA for Buetow. In fact, one national publication picked the Gopher hockey team #1 in a preseason poll.

"I won't go that far and admit we are the best in the country," Buetow responded to that poll, "but I will say we have the potential to become an awfully good hockey team. It will take time for a team this young to jell. But if we can hang in there, take our early lumps and not go under, I believe by December that if we stay healthy we can make a run at the leaders in our conference."

As with any team, there are senior leaders. This year Buetow and the Gophers are blessed in this area. Seniors like Butsy Erickson (Roseau), Dave Jensen (Crystal) are the co-captains. Both have three varsity letters.

Other senior leaders include Scott Bjugstad (New Brighton), the alternate captain, goalie Paul Butters (Rochester), Steve Griffith (Roseville) and Brian Zins (Hoyt Lakes).

But it's the sophomores and freshmen who are expected to provide most of the explosiveness this season. Back from last year's rookie season are forwards Rick Erdall (Minneapolis Washburn), Jim Malwitz (Grand Rapids), Billy Yon (Roseau) and Dave Preuss (White Bear Lake).

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Tony Kellin (Grand Rapids) and Tom Ward (Richfield) are expected to step in and help on defense, but the final frosh recruit was not a Minnesota all-stater. He is goalie Frank Pietrangelo who hails from Port Robinson, Ontario, near Niagara Falls. He was, however, ranked among the finest Tier II Junior A goalies in all Canada last winter.

There are others, plenty of others, who are ready to step in and make solid contributions when called on. So depth is one factor in Buetow's favor this season, regardless how young.

The WCHA appears to be a wide open race this winter with three new coaches at the six member schools even though one, Jeff Sauer, moved from Colorado College to Wisconsin.
Gymnastics

Coach Fred Roethlisberger's defending Big Ten champion Gophers are looking for their seventh conference title in eight years during the current season.

Roethlisberger is faced with the task of replacing last season's Big Ten all-around champion Brian Meeker, but has proven all-around strength in junior Joe Ray and sophomore Tim Koopman. Expected to continue Minnesota's strong all-around tradition, Ray was the runnerup in last season's Big Ten meet and Koopman was third.

Sophomore Pat Houde joins freshman Robert Brown, Dan McCann and Dave Menke to provide depth. In the 1982 National Junior Championships McCann was fourth, Brown sixth and Menke tenth.

Specialist will play an important role in the Gophers' plans. Juniors Tom Groechel and Tim Ryan are consistent scorers in the rings, senior Jeff Murray is the team leader in the pommel horse, junior Dave Dunleap adds depth in the parallel bars and senior transfer Dave Invie and sophomore Kevin Cochran are expected to contribute in a variety of events.

The Gophers again will be one of the favorites for the Big Ten title. Other contenders are Illinois, Iowa and Ohio State. Defending national champion Nebraska ranks as the country's top team, while the Gophers are expected to better last season's eighth place finish.

Swimming

Third-year coach Paul Stearns' Gopher squad again is relying on a youthful cast. Of the 15 returning lettermen, eight are sophomores, six juniors and only one is a senior.

The team is attempting to better last season's 2-3 dual mark and sixth place Big Ten finish. With Indiana and Iowa expected to battle for the conference title, the Gophers are looking for a first division finish and hope to place as high as third.

Stearns will miss the leadership and talents of Jeff Adamson, Brian Mortenson, Roger Mueller, Joe Nagy and Tom Walle, but has able replacements in captains Randy Lien, Mike Monfils and Gerry Rupp.

The talented sophomore class, which broke 13 freshman and five of seven varsity records set last season, forms the nucleus of the squad. A great deal is expected from the group headed by Bob Barrett, Scott ElJayre, Matias Lindholm, Jay Peterson, Jeff Shea and Steve Soli.

Rupp, Scott Swisher, Petri Tittola and Dave Wise are the team's top junior swimmers, Jeff Kennedy is the lone senior letterman and Scott Ruppert and Jeff Takti are two highly touted freshman recruits.

Diving coach Craig Lincoln has only two athletes to work with following Adamson's graduation. Junior co-captain Lien and sophomore Flip Crummer are expected to be consistent point scorers in the tough Big Ten diving ranks.

The schedule includes seven home contests and is highlighted by stops in Hawaii, Nebraska and Kansas on the way to the Big Ten and NCAA meets.

Indoor Track

The Gopher indoor track team hopes pick up where the outdoor team left off last spring and improve its 1982 eighth place Big Ten finish. Coach Roy Griak's squad was a strong sixth in the conference outdoor meet and could have easily finished as high as fourth.

Griak is expecting a balanced attack with Nigerian sprinters Francis Ude and Emmanuel Onyia leading things off. Ude finished third in last season's Big Ten 60-yard dash championship.

The team will sport a strong group of middle distance runners in Dave Morrison, also Griak's to cross country runner, Mike Gebeke, John Koenen and John Kromer.

Other top performers are high jumper Brett Bohanan and pole vaulter Eugene Boissenin.

The Gophers are at home for five meets in the U of M Fieldhouse including the Time Trials, Northwest Open and Open Relays.

The schedule also includes stops at Illinois, Iowa, Nebraska and Wisconsin in addition to the Big Ten meet at Michigan State and the NCAA meet at Pontiac, Michigan's Silverdome.

The outdoor season is slated to begin with the Louisiana State Relays and conclude with the Big Ten meet at Purdue and the NCAA meet at Houston.

Wrestling

Although there are nine returning lettermen on the roster, coach Wally Johnson isn't sure of his team's ability.

"We're a club of unknown quality," Johnson said, "We have some potential and I believe that the people coming back can rise to the occasion, but they have yet to prove to me that they can handle big-time competition."

Johnson, in his 32nd year as coach of the Gophers, is faced with replacing six regulars from last season's team that was the fifth-ranked dual team in the nation with a 17 and two record.

This season's troops are led by senior captain Jim Trudeau, a three-year letterman and 1981 167-pound Big Ten champion. The aggressive Inver Grove Heights native was red-shirted last year after an early season hand injury.

Other top returners are 118-pound Ed Giese and 158 or 167-pound Darrell Gholar.

Sophomore transfer Rick Kriendall is the leader at 126, freshmen Greg Rorerich will start at 134 and another freshman Rex Rabine is counted on to fill the void left by Jim Martinez at 142.

Red-shirt sophomore Greg Evans and junior Steve Martinez will fight it out at 150 and may both find their way into the lineup.

Senior Evan Berman will duel freshman Mike Poy for the 190-pound position and could see utility work at heavyweight behind junior Al Jenson.

The home slate is highlighted by the "Wrestling Showcase" with Northern Iowa on January 23.

On paper it looks like a rebuilding year, but don't be surprised if the Gophers are near the top when the season winds to a close.
WORKING ON THE CHAIN GANG

Remember that old ditty... "Workin' on the chain gang?" Well, it was something like that.

There was a young-at-heart fellow down on the sidelines who has been a member, for the most part, of the Minnesota chain gang for more than 50 years.

Pete Deanovic, 75 years young, first helped stretch the sideline chains and measure for a first down at Memorial Stadium back in 1931. And he's still going strong. On top of that he has been a member of the Viking crew the last six years, too.

After graduation from Winona State where he played on undefeated football and basketball teams, Pete became a teacher and coach at Columbia Heights at the same time he began patrolling the Gopher sidelines.

He was there every fall until 1943 when World War II came his way. A portion of his service time in the Navy, where he rose to the rank of Lt. Commander, was spent as an instructor at the Georgia Pre-Flight Station alongside a man with whom he shared the Gopher sidelines, Bernie Bierman.

Post war duty saw Pete back on the Gopher down box until 1950 when he became coach, teacher and athletic director at Anchorage, Alaska High School. But he returned to Minnesota in 1956 and stepped right back to the Gopher sideline where he remains today.

"I've mostly worked the down box over the years," Pete told us, "but I have been letting some of the younger fellows get some experience in that job recently. Golly, I've got to hang it up some day, but don't ask me when."

Pete recalled some great names he watched play for Gopher teams and opposing clubs down through the years. His remembrance sounds like a who's who of college football.

"I remember back in the early 1930's when President Jerry Ford played center and linebacker for some great Michigan teams," Pete recalled. "He was an outstanding athlete.

"I also remember Jay Berwanger of the University of Chicago. He would run all over the field and nobody could tackle him. Remember, he was the first Heisman Trophy winner.

"I also recall the time I could have won a game for Minnesota. It was in 1939 and Northwestern had an All-American halfback named Bill DeCorovant. John Mariucci was playing end for us and crashed in on a play to take out the interference.

"Well, DeCorovant came around the end right down the sidelines in front of me. I could have pulled him out of bounds he was so close. But he ran for 76 yards and Minnesota lost 6-3."

"I also worked the chain gang down at Northwestern as our representative the day Minnesota's longest winning streak was stopped at 28. Northwestern won 6-0 as the result of a penalty.

"But the worst part about that game was the rain and the mud. And here I had on a brand new pair of shoes. They were ruined."

Pete also remembered some of the great Minnesota players he saw, too. "I really respected men like Bruce Smith, Pug Lund and Harold VanAvery," he says today.

"They were not only great players but fine gentlemen. And there are so many, many others. I could go on forever."

Pete says the toughest job he has on the sidelines is keeping the players, coaches, photographers and other sideline personnel out of the way. "Sometimes I feel we have a bigger crowd on the sidelines than there is in the stands," Pete chuckled.

Asked how Gopher coaches were to work with on the sideline, Pete answered, "Bernie Bierman was really quiet. It almost seemed that everything he did was already done when the game started. His assistants did all the rest. But they were all great. Wes Fesler, Murray Warmath, Cal Stoll and Joe Salem are all more vocal, but always appear in control."

Pete added that "it's a shame our present staff is getting all the blame for what's happened this year. Those injuries killed our chances. This staff is as dedicated to the game and their players as any staff I have seen on any sideline. I just hope they get some breaks pretty soon. They are doing everything in their power to make our program go."
DR. O'PHELAN SET TO RETIRE

There have been dozens of University of Minnesota benefactors over the years... individuals who have made significant contributions to the U of M's Men's Intercollegiate Athletic Department.

The Individual honored in that capacity by this Gopher Chatter is a person very deserving of a total thanks from the University of Minnesota and a tip-of-the-hat from the entire Gold Country family.

Dr. Harvey O'Phelan has served men's athletic's at the U of M for the past 22 years in an extremely competent and completely dedicated fashion.

Now he's stepping aside, and he's made the decision to take things somewhat easier in retirement from his medical practice.

A native of St. Paul, Dr. O'Phelan attending Cretin High School and went on to receive his BS degree in 1937 from the College of St. Thomas.

Dr. O'Phelan then received his Bachelor of Medicine from the U of M in 1944, his M.D. from Minnesota in 1945 and a Master of Science in orthopaedic surgery in 1951.

After intern at Fordham Hospital in 1945, Dr. O'Phelan was in residence at Gillette Hospital in 1951-52 and at Shriner's Hospital those same two years.

Regarded as one of the top half-dozen orthopaedic specialists in the world, Dr. O'Phelan began his association with men's athletics at the U of M in 1960 and then in 1962 became the orthopaedic specialist for the Minnesota twins.

Married with three sons and two daughters, Dr. O'Phelan is a member of the Minnesota State Medical Association, American Medical Association, Hennepin County Medical Society, Minnesota Orthopaedic Society, Minneapolis Academy of Medicine, American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgery, Clinical Orthopaedic Society and the American Orthopaedic Society for Sports Medicine.

Dr. O'Phelan, who is the medical director for the Institute for Athletic Medicine in Minneapolis, served as the United States Olympic Team physician in Munich in 1972. He also has served with the U.S. team at the Pan American Games and at several World Games and at one time was associated with the Minneapolis Lakers in the NBA.

An integral part of the University of Minnesota athletic scene for more than two decades, Dr. O'Phelan's special interest in the Golden Gophers and his total dedication to the program have been greatly appreciated and will be seriously missed.

WILLIAMS FUND CALENDAR

HELP WANTED

We are continually looking for "dyed-in-the-wool" Golden Gopher fans to help our program by serving on Williams Fund committees. We have openings on our Wayzata Sportacular, Minneapolis, St. Paul Suburban and out-state committees. So if you want to "get involved" please call Tom Barron at (612) 373-4924 and we will be happy to have you "join the team".

JOBS NEEDED!

One of the biggest problems our program faces is finding summer jobs for our Golden Gopher athletes. If you or anyone you know can help our student athletes with summer or vacation time employment, please call 373-4924. Thank you!
'83 Arizona Event
Planned In March

The 8th Annual Minnesota-Arizona Williams Fund Golf Outing will be held at fabulous Rio Verde, Monday, March 21, 1983. Rio Verde is a community nestled between the picturesque McDowell and Mazatzal Mountains about 27 miles northeast of Scottsdale. Ray King, former Gopher All-American, is the C.E.O. of this predominantly Minnesota development and if you are planning a trip to the Southwest next March put this date down (March 21). The last two years we have filled out the one hundred and forty-four entries - so if you're interested call us now for reservations (612) 373-4924. The tax deductible entry fee ($100.00) remains the same and you'll have the time of your life!

1) Golf on one of the most scenic and finest golf courses in America.
2) A superb luncheon buffet at a minimal cost.
3) Complimentary beverages on the golf course.
4) An absolutely fantastic evening cookout under the stars. Informal dress with huge steaks cooked outside at the Corral Ranch adjoining Rio Verde with complimentary cocktails and goodies and a sing-a-long by the camp fire! We promise you, you'll see someone you know — lots of Gopher fans and friends and former Gopher players. For your reservation, please call now.

We Get Letters...

Dear Editor:

We are on the road again, another beginning of the next 100 years of Football at the U of M. I am in my 55th year of continuous season tickets in football and basketball. A graduate in Pharmacy in 1931, with a background of being brought up on campus in 1918 and 1922. I carried chairs for Doctor Williams on old Northrup field and had the chance to sit in the hay along with the Golden Gophers to watch our big ten games. My wife, three children and I have enjoyed all sports at the U of M all our life. My motto and devotion to our great University never diminishes. Keep up your good work. We as Alumni will do our best to promote and support our wonderful Educational and Athletic University. We are especially happy to continue to be a part of the excellent sport entertainment that Joe Salem, Jim Dutcher and all our sport coaches provide our state and cities.

An Avid Alum Sport Fan,

P.S.

With our football season over, we must not be discouraged by several defeats, Alumni and other fans must build a strong Image of our University of Minnesota under all conditions. Let's stick together.
Sharing in name and spirit...

Minnesota Federal and the University of Minnesota

The Minnesota spirit. It's there when the band strikes up the "Rouser," the maroon and gold come into view and the crowd cheers the Gophers on to victory. It's the dedication to excellence and the determination to achieve a common goal that have made the University and Gopher athletics the pride of Minnesota.

Minnesota Federal has shared in that spirit for more than 100 years, with a commitment to excellence in service and a dedication to helping Minnesotans achieve their financial goals.

Like the University, we're proud of that spirit. And we're just as proud of the Minnesota name.