



SPORTS NEWS

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COMING EVENTS:**Wednesday, March 4**

Basketball vs. Wisconsin
7:00 p.m., Williams Arena

Friday, March 6

Hockey @ North Dakota
7:35 p.m., Grand Forks, N.D.

Baseball vs. Ball State
7:00 p.m., Metrodome

Saturday, March 7

Basketball vs. Purdue
4:00 p.m., Williams Arena

Hockey @ North Dakota

7:35 p.m., Grand Forks, N.D.

Baseball vs. Ball State
7:00 p.m., Metrodome

Tennis vs. U.S. Naval Academy
1:00 p.m., Charleston, W.V.

Wrestling @ Big Ten Championship
All Day, Madison, Wis.

Sunday, March 8

Baseball vs. Ball State
1:00 p.m., Metrodome

Tennis @ West Virginia
1:00 p.m., Charleston, W.V.

Wrestling @ Big Ten Championship
All Day, Madison, Wis.

BASKETBALL

11/9 UM 67 Brazil Ripasa 66
11/18 UM 93, AIA 100
11/25 UM 83, Arkansas 92
11/26 UM 89, Providence 82
11/27 UM 69, Arizona State 37
11/30 UM 95, Howard 54
12/2 UM 98 Youngstown St. 59
12/11 UM 86, Akron 59
12/14 UM 80, Alabama-Birm. 86
12/17 UM 68, Detroit 66
12/19 UM 62, Memphis State 65
12/23 UM 92, Weber State 52
12/27 UM 89, Oregon 64
12/28 UM 80, Oregon State 92
1/4 UM 73, Iowa State 76
1/9 UM 50, Indiana 96
1/11 UM 73, Michigan 64
1/15 UM 49, Wisconsin 48
1/18 UM 70, Michigan State 66
1/22 UM 69, Ohio State 72
1/25 UM 54, Illinois 53
1/29 UM 92, Northwestern 50
2/1 UM 70, Iowa 87
2/5 UM 57, Purdue 65
2/8 UM 57, Northwestern 55
2/12 UM 71, Indiana 67
2/15 UM 58, Illinois 74
2/19 UM 70, Michigan 95
2/25 UM 79, Iowa 64
3/4 Wisconsin
3/7 Purdue
3/11 @ Michigan State
3/14-15 Ohio State

HOCKEY

10/12 U.S. Hockey Hall of Fame Game
UM 5, No. Michigan 7
10/18 UM 7, Minnesota-Duluth 3
10/19 UM 4, Minnesota-Duluth 7
10/25 UM 2, Denver 4
10/26 UM 5, Denver 1
11/1 UM 7, St. Cloud State 4
11/2 UM 7, St. Cloud State 2
11/8 UM 3, Michigan 7
11/9 UM 6, Michigan 7
11/15 UM 5, Wisconsin 4
11/16 UM 4, Wisconsin 1
11/22 UM 4, Alaska-Anchorage 0
11/23 UM 3, Alaska-Anchorage 2
11/29 UM 4, North Dakota 2
11/30 UM 8, North Dakota 2
12/14 UM 5, Northern Michigan 7
12/15 UM 3, Northern Michigan 4
12/21 UM 5, Providence 2
12/22 UM 6, Bowling Green 5 (OT)
12/30 UM 10, University of Calgary 4
1/3 UM 5, Michigan Tech 2
1/4 UM 6, Michigan Tech 1
1/10 UM 3, Minnesota-Duluth 0
1/11 UM 5, Minnesota-Duluth 4 (OT)
1/17 UM 9, Michigan Tech 2
1/18 UM 6, Michigan Tech 3
1/24 UM 6, Colorado College 3
1/25 UM 8, Colorado College 2
1/31 UM 3, Northern Michigan 2
2/1 UM 5, Northern Michigan 3
2/7 UM 2, Wisconsin 1
2/8 UM 1, Wisconsin 4
2/14 UM 5, Colorado College 3
2/15 UM 6, Colorado College 4
2/21 UM 4, Denver 5 (OT)
2/22 UM 7, Denver 3
2/28 UM 2, St. Cloud State 1
2/29 UM 4, St. Cloud State 1
3/6 @ North Dakota
3/7 @ North Dakota

GOLDEN GOPHER BROADCAST SCHEDULE

Wednesday, March 4 - Basketball vs. Wisconsin - WCCO-TV & WCCO-AM 830

Friday, March 6 - Hockey @ North Dakota - KITN-TV & KFAN-AM 1130

Saturday, March 7 - Hockey @ North Dakota - MSC & KJJO-AM (live); KFAN-AM
(tape delay)

Basketball vs. Purdue - WCCO-TV & WCCO-AM 830

GOLDEN GOPHERS HOST WISCONSIN AND PURDUE THIS WEEK

After having last weekend off, Head Coach Clem Haskins' Golden Gopher basketball team (15-12, 7-7 Big Ten) will return to action this week when they host the Wisconsin Badgers (13-14, 4-10 Big Ten) at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday and then the Purdue Boilermakers (14-13, 6-9 Big Ten) at 4:00 p.m. on Saturday at Williams Arena.

Probable Starting Lineup:

Forward: #4 Nate Tubbs (Fort Wayne, Ind.), 6-4, Junior, 5.3 ppg, 2.7 rpg, 0.8 apg
Forward: #34 Randy Carter (Memphis, Tenn.), 6-8, Sophomore, 9.9 ppg, 5.7 rpg, 1.3 apg
Center: #55 Bob Martin (Apple Valley, Minn.), 7-0, Senior, 8.0 ppg, 5.3 rpg, 2.0 bpg
Guard: #10 Arriel McDonald (Raleigh, N.C.), 6-2, Sophomore, 10.0 ppg, 3.0 rpg, 4.0 apg
Guard: #21 Voshon Lenard (Detroit), 6-4, Freshman, 12.9 ppg, 3.6 rpg, 3.0 apg

Broadcast Coverage: Both games this week will be broadcast locally on WCCO-TV (4) with Ted Robinson on the play-by-play and Billy McKinney as the analyst. WCCO-AM 830 is the exclusive radio voice of University of Minnesota basketball with Ray Christensen calling all the action.

Coach Haskins: In his sixth season at the helm, Head Coach Clem Haskins has been the chief architect behind the resurgence of the Golden Gopher basketball program. After two rebuilding seasons, he directed the program to national prominence with back-to-back storybook runs through the NCAA Tournament in 1989 (Sweet Sixteen) and 1990 (Elite Eight). Known as "Clem the Gem," he was a consensus All-America choice, and is still recognized as one of the most dominant players to ever play in the Ohio Valley Conference, after charting a standout collegiate career at Western Kentucky. The third player selected in the NBA draft, he went on to play nine outstanding seasons in the professional ranks. Coach Haskins has recorded an 88-86 overall record at Minnesota, including a 69-49 mark over the past four seasons. He has a 189-159 overall record in 12 seasons.

The Scouting Report: Purdue scored a 61-51 victory over Wisconsin at Mackey Arena in West Lafayette on Saturday to raise its record to 14-13 overall and 6-9 in the Big Ten. The Boilermakers will be idle until Saturday's game against the Golden Gophers. Wisconsin fell to 13-14 overall and 4-10 in the Big Ten with the defeat. Recognized as one of the finest young players in the Big Ten, Tracy Webster will lead the Badgers into Williams Arena on Wednesday. The 5-11 sophomore guard leads the team both in scoring (18.0) and in assists (5.3). He is shooting a blistering 50.8 percent (62 of 122) from three-point range. In his 10th season at Wisconsin, Head Coach Steve Yoder has announced his resignation effective at the end of the season. The third winningest coach (128-161) in Wisconsin basketball history, he has directed the Badgers into the NIT twice in the past three years. Like Webster, Purdue's Woody Austin is a sharpshooter from the outside. The 6-2 guard is averaging 17.5 points, 4.4 rebounds and 2.6 assists a game, while shooting a sparkling 50 percent (32 of 64) from three-point range in league play. In his 12th season at Purdue, Head Coach Gene Keady has registered an impressive 246-118 record going into Saturday's game against the Golden Gophers. Prior to taking the job at Purdue, he was the head coach at Western Kentucky for two seasons, leading the Hilltoppers to the Ohio Valley Conference co-championship and a berth in the NCAA Tournament in his final season in 1979-80. Clem Haskins was an assistant coach on those squads at his alma mater, before taking over the reins of the program when Keady departed for Purdue.

A Look Back: The Golden Gophers battled back from a 44-34 deficit with 5:51 remaining to score a 49-48 victory over Wisconsin back on Jan. 15 at the Wisconsin Fieldhouse. Junior Dana Jackson (Chicago) rebounded a missed shot and kissed the game-winner off the glass with 4.2 seconds left on the clock. Voshon Lenard led the Golden Gophers with 12 points. After being held scoreless through the first 33:18 of the contest, he caught fire and hit four big three-pointers down the stretch to fuel the comeback. Tracy Webster paced the Badgers with 15 points. Purdue will be going for a sweep of the season series on Saturday after defeating the Golden Gophers 65-57 at Mackey Arena back on Feb. 5. Matt Waddell, a 6-4 freshman guard, led the Boilermakers with 15 points. In just the second start of his collegiate career, Nate Tubbs paced the Golden Gophers with a career-high 15 points.

Series Records: Minnesota holds an 87-68 advantage in the all-time series with Wisconsin, which includes five straight victories over the Badgers in Williams Arena. In fact, the Golden Gophers have won 20 of the past 21 meetings with the Badgers at Williams Arena dating back to 1971. The lone Wisconsin victory during that stretch was a 70-64 win in 1986. The Golden Gophers have won three straight over Purdue in Williams Arena, but the Boilermakers still have a 73-63 edge in the all-time series going into Saturday's game.

Williams Arena: The 79-64 loss at home to Iowa marked the first time this season that the Golden Gophers have come up on the short end of a Big Ten game at Williams Arena. The Golden Gophers are now 10-2 overall and 5-1 in the Big Ten in home games this season. The Golden Gophers have registered an impressive 46-13 record (.780) over the past four seasons within the hallowed halls of the fabled arena.

McDonald Comes To The Forefront: Arriel McDonald's outstanding play has been a big factor in the success of the Golden Gophers this season. He scored 18 points and registered six assists in 35 minutes of action in the 71-67 upset victory over Indiana at Williams Arena on Feb. 12. Prior to that, he nailed the game-winning shot with one second remaining to give the Golden Gophers an important 57-55 road victory at Northwestern on Feb. 1. In the past 13 games, he has registered just 15 turnovers (1.2), while dishing out a total of 56 assists (4.3) and scoring 136 points (10.5) in 412 (31.7) minutes of playing time. Through 27 games, he is ranked second on the team in scoring (10.0), and is the team leader in assists at 107 (4.0), while committing only 46 turnovers. With 233 career assists, he has moved into ninth on the school's all-time list, passing Trent Tucker (1978-82, 219) with four assists in the Illinois game on Feb. 15. Walter Bond (1987-91) is eighth with 235. If he continues at his present pace, he will shatter Marc Wilson's (1983-86) career record of 375.

70 The Magic Number: The Golden Gophers are 14-2 when they have held opponents to 70 points or less this season. When opponents have scored more than 70 points, they have a 1-10 record on the season.

Final Four Media Credentials: The University of Minnesota has been asked to remind news agencies that ALL requests for media credentials for the 1992 NCAA Final Four basketball tournament at the Hubert H. Humphrey Metrodome on April 4 & 6 MUST be directed to Dave Cawood at the NCAA headquarters. Please DO NOT send such requests to the University of Minnesota. Send the requests to: Dave Cawood, NCAA, 6201 College Blvd, Overland Park, Kansas 66211.

University of Minnesota BASKETBALL TEAM STATISTICS

INCLUDES LEAGUE GAMES & NON-LEAGUE GAMES

NAME	G	ST	TOTAL FG			3-PT FG			FREE THROWS			REBOUNDS			AVG	PF	DIS	AST	AVG AST	TO	BLK	STL	AVG MIN	PTS	AVG						
			FG	FGA	PCT	FG	FGA	PCT	FT	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT																	
Lenard HIGHS:	27	27	115	278	41.4	44	126	34.9	75	93	80.6	26	70	96	3.6	67	2	81	3.0	58	7	46	26	349	12.9						
			PTS 25 vs MICHIGAN						RBS 8 vs Memphis State									AST 7 vs Arkansas													
McDonald HIGHS:	27	27	100	242	41.3	24	73	32.9	45	58	77.6	28	53	81	3.0	63	2	107	4.0	46	2	28	28	269	10.0						
			PTS 21 vs YOUNGSTOWN STATE						RBS 7 vs WEBER STATE									AST 9 vs Oregon													
Martin HIGHS:	27	27	92	149	61.7	0	0	.0	32	49	65.3	51	91	142	5.3	71	3	18	.7	46	55	13	20	216	8.0						
			PTS 17 vs NORTHWESTERN						RBS 11 vs AKRON									AST 3 vs IOWA STATE													
Carter HIGHS:	20	19	74	164	45.1	14	32	43.8	36	57	63.2	43	71	114	5.7	50	3	27	1.3	32	5	11	22	198	9.9						
			PTS 20 vs Alabama-Birmingham						RBS 12 vs Oregon									AST 4 vs IOWA STATE													
Walton HIGHS:	27	10	73	170	42.9	0	2	.0	37	51	72.5	45	59	104	3.9	48	3	33	1.2	44	9	17	18	183	6.8						
			PTS 15 vs Oregon State						RBS 9 vs Arizona State									AST 4 vs IOWA STATE													
Jackson HIGHS:	27	20	60	148	40.5	1	3	33.3	41	70	58.6	34	49	83	3.1	63	2	38	1.4	46	9	15	19	162	6.0						
			PTS 16 vs Oregon						RBS 7 vs YOUNGSTOWN STATE									AST 5 vs YOUNGSTOWN STATE													
Orr HIGHS:	27	0	52	124	41.9	21	58	36.2	17	37	45.9	5	40	45	1.7	41	0	57	2.1	44	0	26	15	142	5.3						
			PTS 20 vs MICHIGAN STATE						RBS 4 vs WEBER STATE									AST 5 vs WEBER STATE													
Kolander HIGHS:	26	0	41	86	47.7	0	0	.0	58	80	72.5	44	43	87	3.3	59	1	17	.7	26	12	15	18	140	5.4						
			PTS 16 vs IOWA STATE						RBS 9 vs Alabama-Birmingham									AST 3 vs MICHIGAN													
Tubbs HIGHS:	26	5	58	149	38.9	2	20	10.0	21	35	60.0	33	37	70	2.7	56	1	22	.8	25	2	16	17	139	5.3						
			PTS 15 vs Purdue						RBS 6 vs Arkansas									AST 4 vs IOWA													
Nzigamasabo HIGHS:	27	0	45	97	46.4	0	0	.0	24	45	53.3	37	35	72	2.7	46	1	18	.7	19	11	7	13	114	4.2						
			PTS 13 vs HOWARD						RBS 8 vs IOWA									AST 3 vs YOUNGSTOWN STATE													
Wolf HIGHS:	19	0	13	45	28.9	7	27	25.9	3	7	42.9	8	8	16	.8	20	0	13	.7	10	0	3	6	36	1.9						
			PTS 5 vs Iowa						RBS 4 vs NORTHWESTERN									AST 5 vs NORTHWESTERN													
Clark HIGHS:	8	0	5	11	45.5	0	2	.0	5	7	71.4	3	5	8	1.0	3	0	1	.1	3	0	2	3	15	1.9						
			PTS 5 vs Michigan						RBS 3 vs Michigan									AST 1 vs Michigan													
Roe HIGHS:	12	0	2	3	66.7	0	0	.0	1	3	33.3	5	3	8	.7	8	0	2	.2	2	1	0	2	5	.4						
			PTS 2 vs Arizona State						RBS 2 vs Arizona State									AST 1 vs HOWARD													
TEAM															90	3.3															4
TOTAL	27	730		1666	43.8	113	343	32.9	395	592	66.7	362	654	1016	37.6	595	18	434	16.1	405	113	199	1968		72.9						
HIGHS:			PTS 98 vs YOUNGSTOWN STATE						RBS 57 vs Arkansas									AST 30 vs YOUNGSTOWN STATE													
OPPONENTS	27	618		1404	44.0	119	324	36.7	500	739	67.7	260	695	955	35.4	537	10	371	13.7	482	95	182	1855		68.7						
HIGHS:			PTS 96 vs Indiana						RBS 50 vs Arkansas									AST 28 vs Michigan													

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NAME	G	ST	TOTAL FG			3-PT FG			FREE THROWS			REBOUNDS			AVG	PF	DIS	AST	AVG			AVG	PTS	AVG		
			FG	FGA	PCT	FG	FGA	PCT	FT	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT					AST	TO	BLK				STL	MIN
Lenard	14	14	57	154	37.0	20	71	28.2	39	49	79.6	13	40	53	3.8	41	2	32	2.3	32	5	22	27	173	12.4	
HIGHS:	PTS	25	vs MICHIGAN						RBS	8	vs MICHIGAN							AST	4	vs MICHIGAN STATE						
McDonald	14	14	59	143	41.3	17	44	38.6	15	22	68.2	13	23	36	2.6	30	0	57	4.1	18	0	11	31	150	10.7	
HIGHS:	PTS	18	vs INDIANA						RBS	6	vs Purdue							AST	8	vs IOWA						
Martin	14	14	42	75	56.0	0	0	.0	9	21	42.9	23	49	72	5.1	39	1	11	.8	23	22	7	22	93	6.6	
HIGHS:	PTS	17	vs NORTHWESTERN						RBS	8	vs Ohio State							AST	2	vs NORTHWESTERN						
Tubbs	13	5	38	82	46.3	1	5	20.0	12	20	60.0	17	15	32	2.5	34	1	10	.8	10	1	9	19	89	6.8	
HIGHS:	PTS	15	vs Purdue						RBS	5	vs ILLINOIS							AST	4	vs IOWA						
Orr	14	0	30	77	39.0	16	45	35.6	7	18	38.9	2	17	19	1.4	20	0	28	2.0	19	0	11	16	83	5.9	
HIGHS:	PTS	20	vs MICHIGAN STATE						RBS	3	vs MICHIGAN							AST	5	vs NORTHWESTERN						
Walton	14	9	34	80	42.5	0	1	.0	13	20	65.0	23	27	50	3.6	30	3	14	1.0	23	3	9	18	81	5.8	
HIGHS:	PTS	12	vs Iowa						RBS	7	vs Illinois							AST	4	vs NORTHWESTERN						
Jackson	14	8	23	69	33.3	0	0	.0	17	31	54.8	17	21	38	2.7	37	1	9	.6	19	1	5	17	63	4.5	
HIGHS:	PTS	11	vs ILLINOIS						RBS	6	vs Wisconsin							AST	3	vs NORTHWESTERN						
Kolander	13	0	16	45	35.6	0	0	.0	26	32	81.3	24	26	50	3.8	33	1	9	.7	15	5	9	19	58	4.5	
HIGHS:	PTS	11	vs MICHIGAN						RBS	7	vs Indiana							AST	3	vs MICHIGAN						
Nzigamasabo	14	0	16	44	36.4	0	0	.0	13	27	48.1	20	18	38	2.7	32	1	9	.6	8	2	4	14	45	3.2	
HIGHS:	PTS	11	vs Northwestern						RBS	8	vs IOWA							AST	1	vs Indiana						
Carter	7	6	15	41	36.6	3	9	33.3	8	14	57.1	11	15	26	3.7	16	1	7	1.0	10	0	3	19	41	5.9	
HIGHS:	PTS	11	vs Indiana						RBS	9	vs Illinois							AST	2	vs Indiana						
Wolf	8	0	7	29	24.1	4	20	20.0	1	3	33.3	4	4	8	1.0	10	0	6	.8	7	0	2	7	19	2.4	
HIGHS:	PTS	5	vs Iowa						RBS	4	vs NORTHWESTERN							AST	5	vs NORTHWESTERN						
Clark	2	0	3	5	60.0	0	0	.0	1	2	50.0	2	3	5	2.5	1	0	1	.5	2	0	1	4	7	3.5	
HIGHS:	PTS	5	vs Michigan						RBS	3	vs Michigan							AST	1	vs Michigan						
Roe	5	0	1	1	100.0	0	0	.0	0	0	.0	2	0	2	.4	2	0	0	.0	0	0	0	2	2	.4	
HIGHS:	PTS	2	vs NORTHWESTERN						RBS	1	vs NORTHWESTERN															
TEAM														41	2.9					3						
TOTAL	14		341	845	40.4	61	195	31.3	161	259	62.2	171	299	470	33.6	325	11	193	13.8	189	39	93		904	64.6	
HIGHS:	PTS		92 vs NORTHWESTERN						RBS	44 vs INDIANA							AST	29 vs NORTHWESTERN								
OPPONENTS	14		303	655	46.3	58	142	40.8	307	429	71.6	109	391	500	35.7	260	6	196	14.0	236	54	78		971	69.4	
HIGHS:	PTS		96 vs Indiana						RBS	44 vs Indiana							AST	28 vs Michigan								

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University of Minnesota BASKETBALL TEAM STATISTICS

UM	FG%	OPPONENT	OPP	FG%	HIGH SCORER	HIGH REBOUNDER	ATTEND	PLACE & DATE
83	33.7	Arkansas	92	42.3	19 Carter	11 Carter	1,800	Maui Invitational- Nov. 25
89	54.5	Providence	82	38.8	20 Lenard	6 McDonald	1,000	Maui Invitational - Nov. 26
69	53.6	Arizona State	37	27.3	10 Carter	6 Lenard		
					10 Martin	9 Walton	1,000	Maui Invitational - Nov. 27
95	45.1	HOWARD	54	33.9	17 Carter	8 Carter	12,923	WILLIAMS ARENA - Nov. 30
98	56.0	YOUNGSTOWN STATE	59	35.5	21 McDonald	8 Martin	12,314	WILLIAMS ARENA - Dec. 2
86	45.8	AKRON	59	33.9	16 Lenard	11 Martin	12,473	WILLIAMS ARENA - Dec. 11
80	43.5	Alabama-Birmingham	86	61.9	20 Carter	10 Carter	7,427	Birmingham, AL - Dec. 14
68	44.3	DETROIT MERCY	66	57.4	15 Martin		12,569	WILLIAMS ARENA - Dec. 17
62	40.6	Memphis State	65	40.6	12 Jackson	8 Lenard	17,240	Memphis, TN - Dec. 19
					12 Carter			
92	53.8	WEBER STATE	52	33.3	18 McDonald	9 Martin	13,269	WILLIAMS ARENA - Dec. 23
89	54.0	Oregon	64	40.0	18 Lenard	12 Carter	7,020	Far West Classic -Dec. 27
80	47.5	Oregon State	92	60.0	18 Lenard	7 Carter	6,959	Far West Classic - Dec. 28
73	49.1	IOWA STATE	76	52.5	16 Kolander	6 Carter	16,029	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 4
50	32.8	Indiana	96	53.6	13 McDonald	7 Kolander	17,238	Bloomington, IN - Jan. 9
73	39.1	MICHIGAN	64	40.4	25 Lenard	8 Lenard	16,193	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 11
49	40.4	Wisconsin	48	47.1	12 Lenard	6 Jackson	9,374	Madison, WI - Jan. 15
70	37.5	MICHIGAN STATE	66	41.8	20 Orr	7 Martin	15,109	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 18
69	41.0	Ohio State	72	41.5	19 Lenard	8 Martin	13,276	Columbus, OH - Jan. 22
54	35.7	ILLINOIS	53	36.6	14 Lenard	6 Martin	16,126	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 25
92	55.6	NORTHWESTERN	50	36.4	17 Martin	7 Nzigamasabo	13,418	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 29
						7 Martin		
70	39.1	Iowa	87	51.1	13 McDonald	5 Tubbs	15,500	Iowa City, IA - Feb. 1
57	40.0	Purdue	65	55.3	15 Tubbs	7 Nzigamasabo	14,123	W. Lafayette, IN - Feb. 5
57	39.3	Northwestern	55	44.1	11 Nzigamasabo	6 Martin	7,897	Evanston, IL - Feb. 8
71	42.6	INDIANA	67	40.0	18 McDonald	8 Martin	16,212	WILLIAMS ARENA - Feb. 12
58	37.7	Illinois	74	41.0	12 McDonald	9 Carter	14,322	Champaign, IL - Feb. 15
70	42.9	Michigan	95	62.3	16 McDonald	5 Lenard	13,422	Ann Arbor, MI - Feb. 19
					16 Lenard			
64	37.5	IOWA	79	53.5	21 Lenard	8 Nzigamasabo	15,937	WILLIAMS ARENA - Feb. 25
		WISCONSIN						WILLIAMS ARENA - Mar. 4 (7:00 PM)
		PURDUE						WILLIAMS ARENA - Mar. 7 (4:00 PM)
		Michigan State						E. Lansing, MI - Mar. 11 (7:00 PM)
		OHIO STATE						WILLIAMS ARENA -Mar. 14 or 15 (TBA)
TEAM RECORD		ALL GAMES	15-12	55.5%				
		LEAGUE	7- 7	50.0%				

GOPHERS SWEEP ST. CLOUD STATE; FINISH REGULAR SEASON WITH TWO-GAME SERIES AT NORTH DAKOTA

Doug Woog's 1992 WCHA championship team closes the book on the 1991-92 regular season schedule this weekend with a two-game series at North Dakota. The Golden Gophers (28-8, 24-6) will face a team that is highly motivated, and depending how they fare against the Gophers, can finish as high as fifth place in the WCHA, or as low as eighth place. The Fighting Sioux are coming off a two-game series at Wisconsin that the Badgers swept from them, 8-2 and 4-2. With one week left in the regular season the playoff pairings are still not set and probably won't be until the conclusion of Saturday night's games. The Gophers will host the eighth place team, which could be Minnesota-Duluth, North Dakota, St. Cloud State or Michigan Tech.

Newman Saves the Day: Junior netminder Tom Newman (Blaine, Minn.) stepped into the limelight this past weekend and played outstanding for the Gophers. Playing in place of All-American candidate Jeff Stolp (Nashwauk, Minn.), who went down with a minor groin sprain in practice, Newman gained his first two victories of the year 2-1 and 4-1. The junior netminder who has a 33-16-4 career record at Minnesota, was forced into the shadows earlier in the season by the outstanding play of Stolp, came through in the clutch. Newman's biggest stop of the weekend came with one second on the clock in Friday night's 2-1 victory, when he stopped Jeff Saterdalen's point blank shot to preserve the victory.

Olimb Continues Assault: All-American and Hobey Baker candidate Larry Olimb (Warroad, Minn.) continued his assault on the Golden Gopher career assist mark. The senior center is now just seven assists short of breaking the mark held by the legendary John Mayasich (154, 1951-55). Olimb is considered by many to be the top player in the WCHA and one of the most versatile players in collegiate hockey. He has lined up at every position on the ice this year except goalie. He is a regular member of the penalty killing units and is the quarterback of the power play. If there is a shortage of defensemen due to penalties or injuries, he takes a blueline spot without any drop-off in play. This flexibility makes him invaluable to the team.

Scoring From Beneath: The Gopher scoring in recent weeks continues to come from the third and fourth lines. In the past six games the Gophers have scored 29 goals and 11 of them have been scored by third and fourth line players, while defensemen have two of the goals. This balance from top to bottom of the lineup will be a valuable asset during the playoff run.

Offense Shows Life: The Minnesota offense had been in a little bit of a slump going into Saturday's game. The Gophers had averaged just 3.86 goals per game for the last eight games, after averaging over five per game for the previous 13 games. The road trip to St. Cloud brought back some spark as the Gophers scored four times and easily could have had more if it weren't for the play of the St. Cloud goalie Grant Sjervan. For the year, Minnesota is averaging 4.9 goals per game, while limiting their opponents to 3 goals per game. In WCHA play the Gophers have held their foes to a league-leading 2.83 goals per game, while scoring at a 4.93 goals per game rate.

Up Next: The Maroon and Gold travels this weekend to Engelstad Arena, one of the toughest arenas in the country. This year it has been one of the toughest places to win in the WCHA, with the Fighting Sioux sporting a 10-4 record at home, compared to their 16-17-1 overall record. The North Dakota fans are some of the loudest in the conference and it is definitely a home ice advantage for the Sioux.

Power Play vs. Penalty Kill: This weekend's games will feature the WCHA's top penalty killing team in the Gophers (85.7 percent) against the number two power play in the conference in North Dakota, which is scoring at a 24.2 percent clip. The key to the North Dakota power play is All-American Greg Johnson and his high-scoring teammates Dixon Ward and Jeff McLean. Johnson is currently fourth in WCHA scoring with 19 goals and 49 assists. McLean has 23 goals and 41 assists, while Ward has 33 goals and 30 assists.

Broadcast Schedule: Both games of the Minnesota/North Dakota series are televised. The first game will be on KITN FOX 29 with Frank Mazzocco and Wally Shaver calling the action. The second game of the series will be on Midwest Sports Channel with Doug McLeod and Dick Bremer calling the action. The radio broadcast has KFAN-AM 1130 bringing you Friday's game live, while Saturday night's game will be delayed until after the Timberwolves game. Saturday night's game will be live on KJJO-AM 950. Game time for both nights is 7:35 p.m.

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W-L-T	MN	OPP	OPPONENT	ATTEND	PLACE & DATE
W	7	3	Minnesota-Duluth	5664	Duluth, MN 7:35 p.m. 10/18/91
L	4	7	Minnesota-Duluth	5451	Duluth, MN 7:00 p.m. 10/19/91
L	2	4	University of Denver	3745	Denver, CO 7:00 p.m. 10/25/91
W	5	1	University of Denver	3106	Denver, CO 7:00 p.m. 10/26/91
W	7	4	St. Cloud State	5567	St. Cloud, MN 7:35 11/01/91
W	7	2	St. CLOUD STATE	6915	St. Cloud, MN 7:05 11/02/91
L	3	7	Michigan	6011	Ann Arbor, MI 6:30 11/08/91
L	6	7	Michigan	6330	Ann Arbor, MI 6:30 11/09/91
W	5	4	WISCONSIN	7658	Mariucci Arena 7:05 11/15/91
W	4	1	WISCONSIN	15712	Met Center 7:35 11/16/91
W	4	0	Alaska-Anchorage	6621	Anchorage, AK 10:05 11/22/91
W(OT)	3	2	Alaska-Anchorage	6421	Anchorage, AK 10:05 11/23/91
W	4	2	NORTH DAKOTA	6975	Mariucci, Arena 7:05 11/29/91
W	8	2	NORTH DAKOTA	7443	Mariucci Arena 7:05 11/30/91
L	5	7	NORTHERN MICHIGAN	6807	Mariucci Arena 2:05 12/14/91
L	3	4	NORTHERN MICHIGAN	6683	Mariucci Arena 2:05 12/15/91
W	5	2	PROVIDENCE *	6669	Mariucci Arena 7:05 12/21/91
W(OT)	6	5	BOWLING GREEN *	6603	Mariucci Arena 7:00 12/22/91
W	10	4	University of Calgary	6458	Mariucci Arena 7:05 12/30/91
W	5	2	Michigan Tech	2660	Houghton, MI 6:35 01/03/92
W	6	1	Michigan Tech	3076	Houghton, MI 6:05 01/04/92
W	3	0	MINNESOTA-DULUTH	7436	Mariucci Arena 7:05 01/10/92
W(OT)	5	4	MINNESOTA-DULUTH	7778	Mariucci Arena 7:05 01/11/92
W	9	2	MICHIGAN TECH	6833	Mariucci Arena 7:05 01/17/92
W	6	3	MICHIGAN TECH	7504	Mariucci Arena 7:05 01/18/92
W	6	3	Colorado College	3668	Colorado Sp., CO 8:05 01/24/92
W	8	2	Colorado College	3721	Colorado Sp., CO 8:05 01/25/92
W	3	2	Northern Michigan	4180	Marquette, MI 6:05 01/31/92
W	5	3	Northern Michigan	4305	Marquette, MI 6:05 02/01/92
W	2	1	Wisconsin	8644	Madison, WI 7:05 02/07/92
L	1	4	Wisconsin	8644	Madison, WI 7:05 02/08/92
W	5	3	COLORADO COLLEGE	6893	Mariucci Arena 7:05 02/14/92
W	6	4	COLORADO COLLEGE	7600	Mariucci Arena 7:05 02/15/92
L(OT)	4	5	DENVER	7141	Mariucci Arena 7:05 02/21/92
W	7	3	DENVER	7503	Mariucci Arena 7:05 02/22/92
W	2	1	ST. CLOUD STATE	7608	Mariucci Arena 7:05 02/28/92
W	4	1	St Cloud State	6514	St. Cloud, MN 7:05 02/29/92
			North Dakota		Grand Forks, ND 7:35 03/06/91
			North Dakota		Grand Forks, ND 03/07/91

RECORD	HOME	ROAD	SEASON
LEAGUE	13- 3- 0	11- 3- 0	24- 6- 0
NON-LEAGUE	2- 0- 0	2- 2- 0	4- 2- 0
TOTAL	15- 3- 0	13- 5- 0	28- 8- 0

ATTENDANCE	HOME	ROAD	NEUTRAL
LEAGUE	** , ***	68,945	0
OTHER	13,272	25,383	0
TOTAL	** , ***	94,328	0
AVERAGE	7,653	5,240	
TOTAL	232,089	TOTAL AVG	6,446

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NO	NAME	OVERALL										LEAGUE ONLY						
		GP	G	A	PTS	PEN	MIN	PP	SH	HAT	WG	EN	GP	G	A	PTS	PEN	MIN
17	Larry Olinb,C	36	20	44	64	30	68	10	2	1	1	1	30	18	36	54	27	62
22	Trent Klatt,W	36	25	31	56	30	68	10	0	1	5	1	30	20	28	48	27	54
14	Craig Johnson,C	36	16	33	49	28	64	12	1	0	2	0	30	13	31	44	22	52
07	Darby Hendrickson,C	36	20	24	44	28	59	9	0	1	2	0	30	15	18	33	24	51
15	Steve Magnusson,C/W	33	8	19	27	16	32	2	0	0	1	0	29	6	17	23	14	28
12	Cory Laylin,F	36	14	12	26	17	42	4	0	0	2	0	30	13	11	24	15	38
20	Jeff Nielsen,W	36	13	13	26	28	56	2	1	0	3	0	30	9	9	18	22	44
24	Travis Richards,D	36	10	16	26	19	49	4	1	0	3	0	30	7	11	18	18	47
33	Doug Zmolek,D	36	3	17	20	38	76	1	0	0	2	0	30	3	13	16	33	66
19	Justin McHugh,W/C	33	10	8	18	13	26	2	1	1	1	0	27	10	7	17	10	20
09	Joe Dziedzic,F	32	8	9	17	27	62	2	0	0	2	0	26	7	8	15	25	58
10	Scott Bell,F/D	36	12	4	16	25	58	1	2	1	1	0	30	12	4	16	22	52
16	John Brill,F	30	6	8	14	20	40	1	0	0	1	0	24	6	6	12	19	38
21	Mike Muller,D	36	3	10	13	21	42	0	0	0	1	0	30	3	8	11	16	32
04	Chris McAlpine,D	34	3	9	12	53	106	1	0	0	0	0	30	2	8	10	47	94
08	Eric Means,D	35	0	9	9	15	38	0	0	0	0	0	30	0	9	9	13	34
34	Todd Westlund,W	22	1	3	4	7	14	0	0	0	0	0	19	1	3	4	7	14
02	Sean Fabian,D	28	1	3	4	20	40	0	0	0	0	0	23	1	3	4	14	28
36	Tony Bianchi,W/D	17	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	1	2	3	0	0
13	Brandon Steege,F	9	1	1	2	7	14	0	0	0	1	0	7	1	1	2	7	14
30	Jeff Stolp,G	31	0	1	1	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	28	0	1	1	3	6
18	John O'Connell,D	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
05	Nick Gerebi,C	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0
31	Jeff Callinan,G	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
27	Jed Fiebelkorn,W	7	0	0	0	5	10	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	2
29	Tom Newman,G	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0
	Bench					5	10										5	10
Minnesota Gophers		36	175	276	451	455	980	61	8	5	28	2	30	148	234	382	391	844
OPPONENTS		36	108	153	261	457	996	38	6	2	8	1	30	85	121	206	390	862

NO	GOALIE	OVERALL										LEAGUE ONLY									
		W	L	T	GP	PER	MIN	GA	AVG	SAV	PCT	W	L	T	GP	PER	MIN	GA	AVG	SAV	PCT
29	Tom Newman	2	1	0	8	14	218:41	9	2.47	63	.875	2	1	0	8	14	218:41	9	2.47	63	.875
30	Jeff Stolp	24	6	0	31	91	1738:13	83	2.87	647	.886	22	5	0	28	82	1568:51	75	2.87	578	.885
31	Jeff Callinan	2	1	0	6	13	208:33	15	4.32	73	.830	0	0	0	2	2	14:5	0	0.00		61.000
Minnesota Gophers		28	8	0	36	111	2165:27	107	2.96	783	.879	24	6	0	30	92	1801:37	84	2.80	647	.885
OPPONENTS		8	28	0	36	111	2169:25	175	4.84	1053	.857	6	24	0	30	92	1805:35	148	4.92	848	.851

	Minnesota Gophers					OPPONENTS					
	PERIOD	1	2	3	OT	TOTAL	1	2	3	OT	TOTAL
GOALS		56	69	47	3	175	33	33	41	1	108
SHOT ON GOAL		369	486	382	10	1247	285	307	297	7	896
GOALIE SAVES		246	268	263	6	783	320	424	328	7	1079

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POWER PLAYS	ATT	PPG	PCT	SH
Minnesota Gophers	244	60	.250	8
OPPONENTS	248	38	.150	6

HAT TRICKS FOR 5

Scott Bell	ST. CLOUD STATE 11/02/91
Trent Klatt	WISCONSIN 11/15/91
Darby Hendrickson	NORTH DAKOTA 11/30/91
Larry Olimb	Colorado College 01/25/92
Justin McHugh	DENVER 02/22/92

SHORT HANDED FOR 6

Larry Olimb (2)	St. Cloud State 11/01/91
Scott Bell (2)	ST. CLOUD STATE 11/02/91
Travis Richards (1)	PROVIDENCE * 12/21/91
Craig Johnson (1)	Michigan Tech 01/04/92
Jeff Nielsen (1)	MICHIGAN TECH 01/17/92
Justin McHugh (1)	St Cloud State 02/29/92

GOPHERS DEFEAT OSCAR MAYER CHAMPION TEXAS A&M ON FINAL DAY; HOST BALL STATE THIS WEEKEND AT METRODOME

John Anderson's Golden Gopher baseball team rebounded from two heart breaking losses to defeat 1992 Oscar Mayer Baseball Classic Champion Texas A&M 9-8 at the Metrodome on Sunday. The tournament was filled with "what ifs" for the Golden Gophers. Minnesota entered the tournament with a 4-2 record and a number 23 ranking in the Collegiate Baseball poll. Minnesota lost a heartbreaker to Florida State on Friday 3-1. Senior pitcher Scott Bakkum (LaCrosse, Wisc.) retired 21 straight batters before giving up two straight hits in the ninth inning, including the game-winning two-run homer by Chris Roberts.

On Saturday, the Gophers faced eighth ranked Mississippi State in game three of the tournament. The Gophers scored a run in the first inning to take the early lead in the game. Mississippi State bounced back to tie the game in the second inning. In the top half of the fifth inning the Bulldogs blew the game wide open with a four-run assault with three of the runs being unearned. Mississippi State never looked back adding three more runs in the top of the eighth before the Gophers responded with two runs in their half of the eighth to create the final 8-4 tally. Jeff Schmidt (LaCrosse, Wis.) took the loss to drop his record to 1-1 for the year.

Rebound Day: It was a day for remarkable recoveries on Sunday, as the Gophers spotted the tournament champion Texas A&M Aggies an 8-2 lead before rebounding with five runs of their own in the bottom of the fifth. George Behr (Maplewood, Minn.) and Mark Merila (Plymouth, Minn.) led the onslaught with each of them notching a two-RBI double as the Maroon and Gold scored five runs on three hits, three walks, a passed ball and a sacrifice fly. In the sixth inning the Gophers threatened again when two walks and a wild pitch contributed to bring in the tying run. In the last of the seventh, in a game that was shortened to seven innings because of travel arrangements, the Gophers Behr came to the plate leading off. He blasted another deep shot off the Metrodome wall good for two bases. Keith Krenke's (Owatonna, Minn.) ground out advanced Behr to third. Charlie Nelson (Perham, Minn.) came to the plate with two outs and the knowledge that if he got out, the game would end in a tie. Nelson single to left and scored Behr to win the game.

Tournament Recap: In the opening game of the tournament Texas A&M and Mississippi State battled in a pitchers duel between starters Jeff Granger of the Aggies and B.J. Wallace of Mississippi State. The game was a 0-0 tie when Wallace left the game after the seventh inning because of a pitch count limitation. He had already set an Oscar Mayer Baseball Classic record with 14 strikeouts. Granger continued to pitch for the Aggies and his team came through with five runs in the 11th inning to get him his third win of the year. Both pitchers ended up on the all-tournament team for their efforts. Minnesota lost their home opener to Florida State as described earlier. Saturday night's game was between the two unbeaten teams in the tournament. Florida State and Texas A&M. The Aggies dominated the game, scoring nine runs on 14 hits and limiting the Seminoles to one run on seven hits. Sunday night the Seminoles and Bulldogs squared off in a game between the two highest ranked teams in the tournament. Florida State's Chris Roberts pitched a near-perfect game holding the Bulldogs to one run on four hits as the third-ranked Seminoles drove in five runs.

All-Tournament Team: C-Brian Hartmann/Minnesota, 1B-George Behr/Minnesota, 2B-Charlie Anderson/Mississippi State, 3B-Nandy Serrano/Florida State, SS-Jason Marshall/Texas A&M, OF-Brian Thomas/Texas A&M, Eric Gonzalez/Texas A&M, Ryan Lefebvre/Minnesota, DH/Chris Roberts/Florida State, P-Jeff Granger/Texas A&M, B.J. Wallace/Mississippi State. Tournament MVP-Jason Marshall/Texas A&M, Silver Sticks Batting Award winner-George Behr/Minnesota.

Up Next: This Week the Gophers play host to the Ball State Cardinals in a three-game set at the Metrodome on Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Game times are 7:00 p.m., on Friday and Saturday, with a 1:00 p.m., start on Sunday. The Cardinals are coached by Pat Quinn who is in his 10th season at Ball State and holds a 237-267-6 career record at the helm. The Cardinals are 1-2 going into a game with Georgia College on March 2. They returned 18 letterwinners from a team that finished 29-30-1 last year.

About the Cardinals: Ball State competes in the Mid American Conference and posted a 15-17 record in league play, putting them in seventh place in the MAC. A very young team last year, the Cardinals are looking to improve on last season's finish. They are led by a trio of 300-hitters from a year ago in Ken Reed (.305), Scott Murr (.302) and Brian Houdeshell (.305). The key to Ball State's success may be in their team defense, which was 12 points better than its opponents last year. Senior second baseman Curtis Greene set a school record with his 636th career assist last year and will be the anchor of the Cardinal defense this year. The top pitchers for Ball State are lefty Curt Conley (5-7, 5.83ERA) and righty Vince Rago (9-9, 5.82ERA).

Broadcast Notes: The final two games of the Ball State/Minnesota series will be broadcast on KFAN-AM 1130 with Chad Hartman and Eric Nelson calling the action. Following the Ball State series, the Gophers play host to the Missouri Tigers on March 13 & 15 at the Metrodome.

1992 Minnesota BASEBALL COACHES REPORT
Includes League games & Non-league games

NAME	GP	AB	RUN	HIT	RBI	AVG	SO	BB	HBP	TAB	%OB	TB	%SLG	SH	ATT	%
George Behr	8	35	7	14	8	.400	4	0	0	35	.400	24	.686	0	0	---
Brian Hartmann	9	37	5	12	4	.324	3	1	0	38	.342	17	.459	0	0	---
Ryan Lefebvre	9	35	5	11	1	.314	5	6	0	41	.415	13	.371	0	0	---
Steve Calvert	6	18	1	5	2	.278	2	4	0	22	.409	6	.333	1	0	---
Keith Krenke	9	29	4	8	6	.276	2	5	0	34	.382	13	.448	1	1	1.000
Charlie Nelson	7	19	4	5	4	.263	4	8	0	27	.481	6	.316	1	0	---
Mark Merila	9	25	6	6	6	.240	3	14	0	39	.513	8	.320	0	0	---
Tom Doyle	5	17	1	4	0	.235	6	1	0	18	.278	5	.294	0	0	---
Bill Mobilia	9	31	3	7	5	.226	7	3	1	35	.314	10	.323	0	0	---
Warren Grass	5	13	1	2	1	.154	5	1	1	15	.267	2	.154	0	0	---
Warren Schwankl	8	18	1	2	0	.111	3	8	0	26	.385	2	.111	0	0	---
LESS THAN 13 AT BATS																
Dam Sobocienski	1	1	0	1	0	1.000	0	0	0	1	1.000	1	1.000	0	0	---
Dane McCarthy	1	2	0	1	0	.500	1	1	0	3	.667	1	.500	0	0	---
Mark Vandersall	4	4	2	0	1	.000	1	0	0	4	.000	0	.000	0	0	---
Tony Bender	3	3	0	0	0	.000	2	0	0	3	.000	0	.000	0	0	---
Mike Oster	1	1	0	0	0	.000	1	0	0	1	.000	0	.000	0	0	---
T. Gilbert	2	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Eric Slagle	2	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
John Lowery	2	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Jeff Schmidt	2	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Chris Lawler	2	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Cott Bakum	1	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Kent Davis	1	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Eric Porter	1	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
James Brower	1	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
TOTAL	9	288	40	78	38	.271	49	52	2	342	.386	108	.375	3	1	3.000
OPONENTS	9	301	44	87	37	.289	56	42	5	348	.385	119	.395	5	0	---

OPPONENT	MN	OPP	INN	TYPE	PLACE
Arizona	3	2	10	N	Feb. 6, 2:00 p.m. Tucson, AZ
Arizona	0	9	9	N	Feb. 8, 1:30 p.m., Tucson, AZ
Arizona	8	3	9	N	Feb. 8, 5:00 p.m., Tucson, AZ
Mississippi	2	6	9	N	Feb.21, 2:00 p.m. Oxford, MS
Mississippi	8	5	9	N	Feb.22, 2:00 p.m., Oxford, MS
Mississippi	5	0	9	N	Feb. 23, 1:15 p.m., Oxford, MS
FLORIDA ST.	1	3	9	N	Feb. 28, 7:35 p.m., Metrodome
MISSISSIPPI ST.	4	8	9	N	Feb. 29, 2:00 p.m. Metrodome
TEXAS A&M	9	8	7	N	March 1, 1:15 p.m., Metrodome

RECORD 5- 4 MN DPs 14 OPP 13 MN LOB 73 OPP 76

1992 Minnesota BASEBALL RESULTS

Includes League games & Non-league games

NO	NAME	GP	AB	RUN	HIT	2B	3B	HR	TB	SB-ATT	SH	SF	HBP	BB	SO	RBI	WRBI	AVG	PO	A	E	PCT.
40	George Behr	8	35	7	14	4	0	2	24	1	1	0	0	0	4	8	0	.400	66	0	2	.971
17	Brian Hartmann	9	37	5	12	2	0	1	17	0	3	0	1	0	1	3	4	.324	36	6	0	1.000
15	Ryan Lefebvre	9	35	5	11	0	1	0	13	3	3	0	0	0	6	5	1	.314	24	0	0	1.000
33	Steve Calvert	6	18	1	5	1	0	0	6	0	0	1	0	0	4	2	0	.278	4	7	1	.917
16	Keith Krenke	9	29	4	8	0	1	1	13	1	1	1	2	0	5	2	6	.276	17	2	1	.950
06	Charlie Nelson	7	19	4	5	1	0	0	6	1	1	1	0	0	8	4	4	.263	8	1	0	1.000
03	Mark Merila	9	25	6	6	2	0	0	8	0	2	0	1	0	14	3	6	.240	34	25	2	.967
28	Tom Doyle	5	17	1	4	1	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	0	.235	7	1	0	1.000
07	Bill Mobilia	9	31	3	7	3	0	0	10	2	3	0	0	1	3	7	5	.226	11	39	4	.926
25	Darren Grass	5	13	1	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	5	1	.154	22	3	1	.962
10	Darren Schwankl	8	18	1	2	0	0	0	2	1	3	0	0	0	8	3	0	.111	4	5	1	.900
LESS THAN 13 AT BATS																						
01	Adam Sobocienski	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1.000	0	0	0	---
11	Shane McCarthy	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	.500	0	0	0	---
18	Mark Vandersall	4	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	.000	0	0	0	---
09	Tony Bender	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	.000	0	1	1	.500
02	Mike Oster	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	.000	0	0	0	---
32	J.T. Gilbert	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---
31	Eric Slagle	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	1	0	1.000
27	John Lowery	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---
22	Jeff Schmidt	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	4	0	1.000
21	Chris Lawler	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---
37	Scott Bakkum	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---
35	Brent Davis	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	1	0	1.000
30	Eric Porter	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---
19	James Brower	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---
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19	James Brower	1	0	0	0	0	0	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	.00				
30	Eric Porter	2	0	0	0	0	0	3.3	4	2	1	1	4	1	0	1	0	2.70				
37	Scott Bakkum	3	2	1	1	1	0	18.0	15	6	6	2	4	15	0	0	0	3.00				
22	Jeff Schmidt	3	3	0	1	1	0	14.3	17	8	5	0	7	4	0	0	0	3.14				
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27	John Lowery	3	1	0	0	1	0	9.7	15	7	5	0	5	6	1	2	0	4.66				
32	J.T. Gilbert	2	0	0	0	0	0	5.0	3	4	3	0	5	5	2	1	1	5.40				
35	Brent Davis	2	1	0	1	0	0	4.3	6	7	3	0	4	3	1	1	0	6.23				
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34	Andy Hammerschmidt	1	0	0	0	0	0	1.7	5	3	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	16.20				
TOTAL		9	9	1	5	4	1	78.0	87	44	33	6	42	56	5	5	1	3.81				
OPPONENTS		9	9	2	4	5	0	80.0	78	40	37	4	52	49	2	7	1	4.16				

GOLDEN GOPHERS HEAD FOR BIG TEN WRESTLING MEET

Minnesota's Golden Gophers invade the University of Wisconsin this week where they will compete in the 1992 Big Ten Conference Wrestling Championships on Saturday and Sunday.

Iowa, which has won 18 consecutive Big Ten mat titles, is the heavy favorite to repeat again in 1992. Host Wisconsin, along with Ohio State and Michigan, may be considered the top challengers while Minnesota hopes for a first division finish.

A year ago Coach J Robinson's Golden Gophers scored 55.5 points to wind up seventh. Minnesota's only individual title-winner was All-American Marty Morgan who breezed through the 177-pound competition.

"If we are able to wrestle well," Robinson said, "we can finish among the top five. We worked hard in practice last week, then took the weekend off from competition and will taper off in practice the next couple of days so we can go into the meet well rested. That will be critical for us."

Minnesota's lineup for Saturday and Sunday's meet will include: 118-Erick Folkins (Sr., Sacramento, CA); 126-Scott Rohrer (Sr., Waupun, WI); 134-Tim Harris (Fr., St. Louis, MO); 142-Damon Johnson (Mustang, OK); 150-Chad Carlson (Fr., Pennock, MN); 158-Mike Marzetta (Jr., Liberty Lake, WA); 167-Brett Colombini (Fr., Ukiah, CA); 177-Todd Moss (So., St. Paul, MN); 190-Jason Klohs (Fr., Maple Grove, MN); HWT-Eric Betterman (Prior Lake, MN).

Best results for the Golden Gophers in the Big Ten championships a year ago among Minnesota's returnees were fifth-place finishes by Marzetta and Johnson. Coach Robinson hopes for a better showing this time around.

"We've got four or five wrestlers who will be given good seeds," Robinson predicts, "and we want to do well so we can qualify as many people as possible for the NCAA tournament. If we don't get the job done at the Big Ten meet, the season could be over for a lot of people."

Individual wrestlers who finish among the top five in each weight class (along with six "wild card" wrestlers) will qualify for the NCAA meet in Oklahoma City, OK, March 19-21.

1991-92 WRESTLING STATISTICS

as of February 23, 1992

<u>Name</u>	<u>Weight(s)</u>	<u>Dual (Pins)</u>	<u>Big Ten (Pins)</u>	<u>Overall (Pins)@</u>
*Eric Folkins	118	11-6-1	5-2 (1)	23-9-1
*Scott Rohrer	126	12-7	5-2	25-10
*Tim Harris	134	13-7-1	4-2	26-13-1
*Damon Johnson	142/150	7-6-2	1-2	18-6-2
*Chad Carlson	150	8-11	2-5	23-17
*Mike Marzetta	158/167	16-4-1	3-2-1	25-8
*Todd Moss	190/177	3-4	2-4	17-11
*Brett Colombini	177/167	8-10-3	1-3-2	15-13-3
*Jason Klohs	190	3-14-1	1-6	11-19-1
*Eric Betterman	HWT	6-14	1-5	14-21
Joe Russell	177	0-3		0-3
Ben Morris	118	4-0	0-0	14-4
Cole Labalestra	167/158/150	2-9	0-1	3-14
Steve Baer	126	2-1	0-0	14-8
John Meyers	134	0-1-1	0-1-1	10-8-2
Jeffrey Thompson	142			9-6
Chris Berglin	142/134	2-2	0-1	9-8
Shannon Ward	150/142	0-5	0-2	0-5
Brad Gibson	190			8-4

Overall statistics include "unattached" matches

GOLDEN GOPHER HOTLINE SCHEDULE (625-7887)

Mon., March 2 - Tennis Coach David Geatz previews the matches with Navy and West Virginia

Tues., March 3 - Basketball Coach Clem Haskins Big Ten Teleconference

Wed., March 4 - Wrestling Coach J Robinson previews the Big Ten Championships

Thurs., March 5 - Baseball Coach John Anderson previews the Ball State series

Fri., March 6 - Basketball Coach Clem Haskins postgame comments following the Wisconsin game

MINNESOTA NETTERS WIN TWO IN THE DESERT, NOW HEAD FOR THE MOUNTAINS

Coach David Geatz' tennis squad travelled to Albuquerque last weekend and came home with wins over the 23rd-ranked New Mexico Lobos and the Aggies of New Mexico State. On Friday, the 24th-ranked Golden Gophers defeated Geatz' old team, 7-1, after they had earlier in the day waltzed past the Aggies, 6-0.

Senior captain Brian Uihlein (Lake Forest, Ill.) picked up two wins on the weekend to improve his #1 singles record to 14-4, while junior Rick Naumoff (Columbus, Ohio) extended his pace-setting record to 15-5 playing out of the two-spot. Uihlein and his sophomore doubles partner, Adam Krafft (Saginaw, Mich.) added one win on Friday to go to 14-4 at the #1 doubles spot.

"I am very pleased with our effort this weekend. We came down here primarily to get a chance to play outdoors and prepare for the Blue-Grey Invitational coming up in a few weeks," Coach David Geatz said. "After playing inside for most of the year like we do, it is an adjustment to go back outside. Our guys made the adjustment and handled a tough Lobo team and a New Mexico State team that battles at every position."

This weekend Minnesota puts its 5-2 dual record on the line as they travel to Charleston, W.V. to play Navy (Friday, March 7) and West Virginia (Saturday, March 8). The matches will mark the first time in history Minnesota will play either team.

GOLDEN GOPHER GYMNASTS WIN UCLA INVITATIONAL

The Golden Gopher tumblers scored a season-high 283.25 points en route to winning the Paul Mitchell/UCLA Invitational in Los Angeles, last weekend. UCLA finished second with 280.40 points, California-Santa Barbara was third with 277.75 points, followed by Illinois 274.70, New Mexico 273.95 and Arizona State 271.65. Junior John Roethlisberger (Afton, Minn.) scored a season-high 58.10 in the all-around competition to place second. Roethlisberger placed first on the floor exercise with a season-high 9.85, tied for first on the pommel horse with UCLA's Scott Keswick with a 9.65 and also tied for first, on vault with Keswick, and fellow Gopher freshman Kerry Huston (Spring Tex.) with a 9.65. He finished second on the still rings (9.75) and parallel bars (9.65).

Huston finished fourth in the all-around competition, with a season high of 56.70 and placed second on the floor exercise with a 9.70. Seniors Tony Brough (Blaine, Minn.) and Leif Carlson (Bloomington, Minn.) finished strong in the parallel bars and high bar respectively. Brough finished third on the parallel bars with a 9.60 and Carlson tied for second on the high bar with 9.85. Minnesota will have next weekend off before hosting the Iowa Hawkeyes March 14 or 15.

SEASON HIGHS

Name	FX	PH	SR	V	PB	HB	AA
Korey Bannerman	8.95	---	9.55	9.00	---	---	---
Tony Brough	---	---	---	---	9.60	---	---
Leif Carlson	9.45	9.70	9.40	9.30	9.65	9.85	55.90
Rob Hanson	---	9.45	9.85	8.90	9.45	9.65	---
Bo Haun	9.15	9.35	9.50	9.05	9.30	9.65	53.75
Kerry Huston	9.70	9.35	9.50	9.65	9.45	9.60	56.70
Louie Johnson	9.20	7.85	---	9.05	8.25	---	---
Brian Ottenhoff	9.20	7.95	9.45	9.05	9.10	9.80	54.35
John Roethlisberger	9.85	9.75	9.75	9.65	9.70	9.65	58.10
Brian Yee	9.70	9.60	9.35	9.35	8.75	9.45	55.15
Team Totals	47.40	47.05	47.70	46.60	47.15	48.45	283.25

TRACK & FIELD TEAM FINISHES FOURTH AT BIG TEN INDOOR MEET, BEST FINISH SINCE 1968; CLINE HONORED AS FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR

Senior All-American **Mark Lacy** (Oak Brook, Ill.), junior All-American **Chris Murrell** (Grand Island, Neb.) and freshman **Keita Cline** (Gainesville, Fla.) each won individual events to pace Head Coach Roy Griak's Golden Gopher track & field team to a fourth-place finish at the Big Ten Indoor Championships which were held last Friday and Saturday at Jenison Fieldhouse in East Lansing, Mich.

Final Team Standings: 1) Indiana 106 2) Ohio State 83 3) Wisconsin 61 4) MINNESOTA 59 5) Michigan State 49 6) Illinois 39 7) Iowa 35 8) Penn State 30.5 9) Michigan 17 10) Purdue 16.5.

Best Finish Since 1968: The fourth-place finish is the Golden Gophers' best at the Big Ten indoor meet since 1968 when they finished third.

Three Champions Is A First: The three individual event champions are the most in school history at a single indoor league meet. On four different occasions (1948, 1965, 1972, 1986) the Golden Gophers have had two individual event champions.

Lacy Defends Title: Mark Lacy won his second straight indoor shot put conference title with a toss of 57-11 1/4, narrowly edging junior teammate **Chad Goldstein** (St. Louis Park, Minn.) who recorded a throw of 57-9 3/4. Sophomore **Chris Brinkworth** (Bloomington, Minn.) finished fifth with a heave of 55-0 3/4 as the Golden Gophers' racked up 20 points in the event alone.

Murrell Returns To The Top: Chris Murrell, who won the Big Ten indoor high jump title as a freshman two years ago, claimed the top spot once again with a leap of 7-0 1/2. Golden Gopher sophomore **Matt Burns** (Cedar Rapids, Iowa) placed fourth in the event with a jump of 6-10 1/4.

Cline Named Rookie Of The Year: Responding beautifully to the pressure of his first conference meet, Keita Cline won the triple jump with leap of 50-7 1/2, en route to being honored as the Big Ten Freshman of the Year. Junior **Tyrone Minor** (St. Paul, Minn.), who also finished sixth in both the 55 meters (6.42) and long jump (24-2 1/4), was fifth in 49-4 1/2. Freshman **Adrian Ellis** (Racine, Wis.) placed sixth in the event at 47-11 1/4.

Oh So Close: The Golden Gophers were very close to having a fourth individual event conference champion. Sophomore **Norris Williams** (Milwaukee) broke his own school record with a clocking of 1:19.00 in the first heat of the two heat 600 meter finals, easily outdistancing runner-up Jon Strange of Penn State who clocked a time of 1:21.48. Williams' time also set a new Big Ten meet record. Capitalizing on a faster second heat, Chris Brown of Michigan State then ran 1:18.85 to claim the top spot and the conference record, with Williams being relegated to second in the final event standings.

Big Effort: Senior **Sean Fitzgerald's** (Ottawa, Ontario, Canada) performance in the mile run typified the Golden Gophers' gutty effort. Recognized as one of the finest middle distance runners in the Big Ten, he had raced sparingly this indoor season due to an ankle injury and was far from peak form heading into Saturday's competition. But he rose to the occasion and finished fifth overall with a time of 4:14.59.

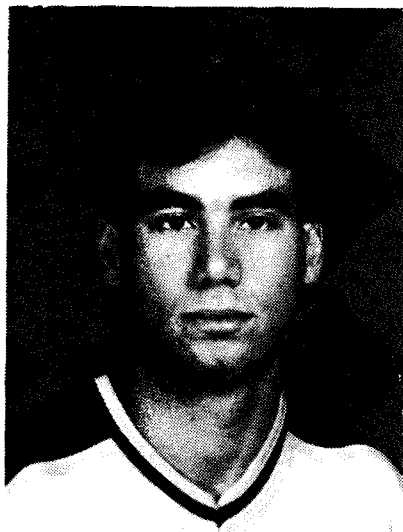
The Road To Indianapolis: The NCAA Indoor Championships will be held March 13-14 at the Hoosier Dome in Indianapolis. Mark Lacy (60-7 1/4), Chad Goldstein (60-1) and Chris Brinkworth (57-9) in the shot put, Chris Murrell (7-2 1/2) in the high jump and Keita Cline (51-8 1/2) in the triple jump have all surpassed the provisional standard. If at least 14 competitors in each event do not surpass the automatic qualifying standard, performances meeting provisional standards will be used to develop a descending-order list to fill the field in each event.

GOLF TEAM FINISHES 12TH AT BORDER OLYMPICS TOURNEY

The University of Minnesota men's golf team finished 11th this past weekend in the prestigious Border Olympics Tournament in Laredo, Tex. The University of Arkansas won the tournament with a 859 team score. The nearest finisher to Arkansas was the University of Houston with a 873. The Gophers notched a 918 team score to tie with Baylor for 11th place.

Joe Gullion (San Antonio, Tex.) was the top scorer for the Gophers with a 227 score, good for 27th place. **Rick Kuhn** (Bismarck, N.D.) shot a three-round score of 230 to help pace the Gophers. The team now sets it sight on the Budget/UCF Golf Classic in Orlando, Fla. The tournament is slated for Monday and Tuesday, March 9-10.

All-American/Hobey Baker Candidates



The "Stopper"

Jeff Stolp

6-0, 185 Senior Goalie
Nashwauk, Minn.

- Leading the WCHA in goals against (2.87)
- Leading the WCHA in winning percentage (24-6, .800)
- Leading the WCHA in shutout periods with 34
- Third on the Minnesota career GAA list with a 3.12
- Leading the WCHA in Shutouts (2)
- Was the top goalie in the WCHA in 1991 when he lead the WCHA in goals against (2.71) and save percentage (.896)
- Currently third on the all-time win list at Minnesota with 54
- Is fourth on all-time games played list with 89
- Named to the WCHA All-Tournament Team for his play at the 1991 league tourney
- Ranked ninth in the nation in goals against average (2.87)
- Ranked second in the nation in winning percentage (24-6,.800)
- Leads the nation in wins with 23
- Draft rights are held by the Minnesota North Stars (4th round choice)
- Chosen as a pre-season All-American by the *Sporting News*

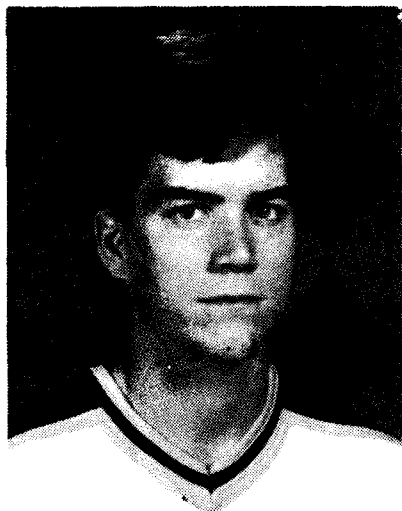
What they say about Stolp:

"Jeff has risen to the challenge this year and has given Minnesota consistency at the most important position on the ice. He makes the big save, even when he hasn't faced a lot of shots," *Rick Comley, Head Coach Northern Michigan Wildcats*

"Jeff is an outstanding standup goaltender who always seems to come up with the big save when his team needs it. He's definitely one of the best we've faced this year," *Mike McShane, Head Coach Providence*

"Stolper has rebounded from a tough sophomore season and been the best goalie in our league for the last two years. His hard work and determination have made him into one of the finest netminders in the country. Our success has been closely tied to the consistently strong play he has provided," *Doug Woog, Head Coach Minnesota Golden Gophers*

All-American/Hobey Baker Candidates



The "Big O" Larry Olimb

5-10, 170 Captain, Senior Center
Warroad, Minn.

- Leading scorer on the Gophers with 20 goals and 44 assists
- Fifth in the nation in assists with 41
- Sixth in the WCHA scoring chart
- Olympic tryout camp finalist
- One of the best open ice players in collegiate hockey
- Chosen as a pre-season All-American by the *Sporting News*
- Bierman Academic Award winner
- Leading scorer on the Gophers in 1990-91 with 19 goals and 38 assists
- 1991-92 Team Captain for the Golden Gophers
- Third on Gopher career assist list with 147, behind Butsy Erickson (1979-83, 149) and John Mayasich (1951-55, 154)
- The most versatile player in college hockey; plays center, wing and defense in an average game, as well as on the power play and penalty killing units
- Winner of the prestigious Minnesota "Mr. Hockey" award as a high school senior
- Will graduate with a degree in elementary education

What they say about Olimb:

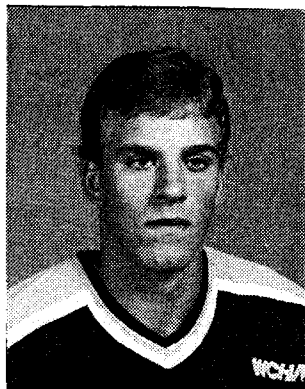
"He's a very versatile player who has had a great year. I like him because he can play both forward and defense, and has a great understanding of the game. He's a quiet type of player, who at times you don't notice, until you read the scoresheet at the end of the game," *Jeff Sauer, Head Coach, Wisconsin Badgers.*

"Larry is the cream of a golden crop. His versatility and his hockey skills make him one of the best in the country," *Bill Brophy, Wisconsin State Journal.*

"Larry has always been an important part of Minnesota's offense. This year as the team captain he has been the key player in Minnesota's success and he has elevated his game individually to the point where he is one of the premiere players in the WCHA and in the country," *John "Gino" Gasparini, Head Coach North Dakota Fighting Sioux*

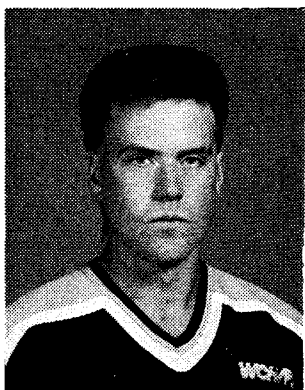
"Larry is the type of player who can dominate a game at times. His individual skills and hockey sense put him in an elite group of players," *Head Coach Doug Woog, Minnesota Golden Gophers.*

All-WCHA/All-American Candidates



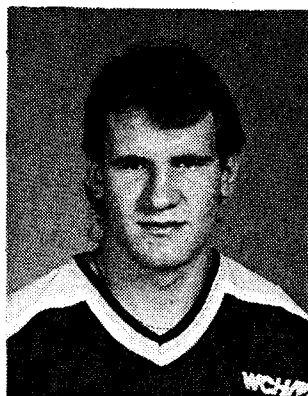
Craig Johnson "C.J."
6-2, 195, Sophomore Center
St. Paul, Minn.

Johnson is the third leading scorer on the Gophers' team this year with 16 goals and 33 assists. He was 12th in the WCHA in scoring and seventh in assists. He is the team leader in power play goals with 12. One of the fastest players in the WCHA, Johnson is an Olympic Trials finalist and one of the keys to Minnesota's league-leading specialty teams. A second round pick of the St. Louis Blues, his size and speed make him one of the top players in the country. Johnson was named to the WCHA All-Freshman team last year, even though he missed most of the second half of the season. A product of the USA Hockey system, Johnson is a strong candidate for the 1994 Olympic team.



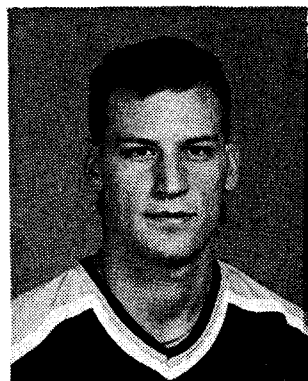
Trent Klatt "Klatter"
6-1, 205, Junior
Osseo, Minn.

Klatt is the leading goal scorer on the team with 25 goals and 31 assists. Klatt was leading the country in game-winning goals going into the weekend. A prototype hockey player with size, strength and great hand skills, he is one of the most physically imposing offensive threats in the country. His ability to control the puck with opposing players draped on his back or retrieve the puck from the corners make him a dangerous threat. Another USA Hockey product who was an Olympic Trials finalist, he has been a leader on the team all year. Klatt is the type of player who always comes to play, but really turns it up a notch in the big games.



Travis Richards "Richie"
6-1, 195 Junior Defenseman
Crystal, Minn.

Richards is the biggest offensive threat of the Gophers' blueliners. He has the ability to take the puck the length of the ice and score. He leads the Gopher blueliners in scoring with 10 goals and 16 assists. He has four power play goals and is a key contributor on the penalty killing unit as well. Richards was an Olympic Festival player and is a ninth round draft pick of the Minnesota North Stars. He has great skating skills and speed, and knows how to use his body in the defensive zone.



Doug Zmolek "Z-Man"
6-1, 215 Junior Defenseman
Rochester, Minn.

Zmolek is the leader of the Gophers' defense which leads the WCHA. A tough, physical player who delivers punishing checks. He possesses great passing skills and can control the flow of the game when he has the puck. He has three goals and 17 assists this year with two game-winning goals. Another Olympic Trials finalist, he is one of the main reasons the Gophers have held their foes to less than three goals per-game. He was a first round draft choice of the Minnesota North Stars, but his rights are now controlled by the San Jose Sharks.



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COMING EVENTS:

Monday, March 9
Golf @ Budget/UCF Golf Classic
All Day, Miami, Fla.

Tuesday, March 10
Golf @ Budget/UCF Golf Classic
All Day, Miami, Fla.

Wednesday, March 11
Basketball @ Michigan State
7:00 p.m., East Lansing, Mich.

Friday, March 13
Baseball vs. Missouri (2)
4:00 & 7:00 p.m., Metrodome

Hockey vs. North Dakota
7:05 p.m., Mariucci Arena

Diving holds NCAA Zone
10:00 a.m., UM Aquatic Center

Track & Field @ NCAA Indoors
4:30 p.m., Indianapolis, Ind.

Tennis @ Drake
7:00 p.m., Des Moines, Iowa

Saturday, March 14
Hockey vs. North Dakota
7:05 p.m., Mariucci Arena

Basketball vs. Ohio State
2:00 p.m., Williams Arena

Track & Field @ NCAA Indoors
11:45 a.m., Indianapolis, Ind.

Diving holds NCAA Zone
2:00 p.m., UM Aquatic Center

Tennis @ Iowa
6:30 p.m., Iowa City, Iowa

Sunday, March 15
Baseball vs. Missouri (1)
1:00 p.m., Metrodome

Gymnastics vs. Iowa
2:00 p.m., Williams Arena

Hockey vs. North Dakota (if necessary), 7:05 p.m., Mariucci Arena

BASKETBALL

11/9 UM 67 Brazil Ripasa 66
11/18 UM 93, AIA 100
11/25 UM 83, Arkansas 92
11/26 UM 89, Providence 82
11/27 UM 69, Arizona State 37
11/30 UM 95, Howard 54
12/2 UM 98 Youngstown St. 59
12/11 UM 86, Akron 59
12/14 UM 80, Alabama-Birm. 86
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1/18 UM 70, Michigan State 66
1/22 UM 69, Ohio State 72
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3/14 Ohio State

HOCKEY

10/12 U.S. Hockey Hall of Fame Game
UM 5, No. Michigan 7
10/18 UM 7, Minnesota-Duluth 3
10/19 UM 4, Minnesota-Duluth 7
10/25 UM 2, Denver 4
10/26 UM 5, Denver 1
11/1 UM 7, St. Cloud State 4
11/2 UM 7, St. Cloud State 2
11/8 UM 3, Michigan 7
11/9 UM 6, Michigan 7
11/15 UM 5, Wisconsin 4
11/16 UM 4, Wisconsin 1
11/22 UM 4, Alaska-Anchorage 0
11/23 UM 3, Alaska-Anchorage 2
11/29 UM 4, North Dakota 2
11/30 UM 8, North Dakota 2
12/14 UM 5, Northern Michigan 7
12/15 UM 3, Northern Michigan 4
12/21 UM 5, Providence 2
12/22 UM 6, Bowling Green 5 (OT)
12/30 UM 10, University of Calgary 4
1/3 UM 5, Michigan Tech 2
1/4 UM 6, Michigan Tech 1
1/10 UM 3, Minnesota-Duluth 0
1/11 UM 5, Minnesota-Duluth 4 (OT)
1/17 UM 9, Michigan Tech 2
1/18 UM 6, Michigan Tech 3
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1/25 UM 8, Colorado College 2
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2/22 UM 7, Denver 3
2/28 UM 2, St. Cloud State 1
2/29 UM 4, St. Cloud State 1
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GOLDEN GOPHER BROADCAST SCHEDULE

Wednesday, March 11 - Basketball vs. Michigan State - WCCO-TV & WCCO-AM 830
Friday, March 13 - Hockey vs. North Dakota - MSC & KFAN-AM 1130
Saturday, March 14 - Hockey vs. North Dakota - MSC & KJJO-AM (live); KFAN-AM
(tape delay)
Saturday, March 14 - Basketball vs. Ohio State - MSC & WCCO-AM 830

GOLDEN GOPHERS HAVE SIGHTS SET ON POSTSEASON TOURNAMENT BERTH HEADING INTO FINAL WEEK OF THE REGULAR SEASON

With two regular season games remaining, Head Coach Clem Haskins' youthful Golden Gopher basketball team (16-13, 8-8 Big Ten) is in position to land a postseason tournament spot for the third time in the past four seasons. The Golden Gophers will play at Michigan State (19-7, 9-7) at 7:00 p.m. (Central) on Wednesday, and then host Ohio State (21-5, 13-3) in the regular season finale at Williams Arena at 2:00 p.m. on Saturday.

Probable Starting Lineup:

Forward: #4 Nate Tubbs (Fort Wayne, Ind.), 6-4, Junior, 5.2 ppg, 2.9 rpg, 0.9 apg
Forward: #34 Randy Carter (Memphis, Tenn.), 6-8, Sophomore, 9.3 ppg, 5.9 rpg, 1.4 apg
Center: #55 Bob Martin (Apple Valley, Minn.), 7-0, Senior, 7.8 ppg, 5.1 rpg, 2.0 bpg
Guard: #10 Arriel McDonald (Raleigh, N.C.), 6-2, Sophomore, 10.6 ppg, 3.0 rpg, 3.9 apg
Guard: #21 Voshon Lenard (Detroit), 6-4, Freshman, 12.8 ppg, 3.6 rpg, 2.9 apg

Broadcast Coverage: Wednesday's game at Michigan State will be televised locally on WCCO-TV (4), while Saturday's game at Williams Arena against Ohio State will be televised locally on the Midwest Sports Channel (MSC). WCCO-AM 830 is the exclusive radio voice of University of Minnesota basketball with Ray Christensen calling all the action.

Coach Haskins: In his sixth season at the helm, Head Coach Clem Haskins has been the chief architect behind the resurgence of the Golden Gopher basketball program. After two rebuilding seasons, he directed the program to national prominence with back-to-back storybook runs through the NCAA Tournament in 1989 (Sweet Sixteen) and 1990 (Elite Eight). Known as "Clem the Gem," he was a consensus All-America choice, and is still recognized as one of the most dominant players to ever play in the Ohio Valley Conference, after charting a standout collegiate career at Western Kentucky. The third player selected in the NBA draft, he went on to play nine outstanding seasons in the professional ranks. Coach Haskins has recorded an 89-87 overall record at Minnesota, including a 70-50 mark over the past four seasons. He has a 190-160 overall record in 12 seasons.

The Scouting Report: Despite 22 points from Shawn Respert and 20 from Matt Steigenga, Michigan State lost 80-71 at Illinois on Saturday to fall to 19-7 overall and 9-7 in the Big Ten heading into Wednesday's game against the Golden Gophers. Respert, a 6-3 redshirt freshman guard, leads the team in scoring with an average of 16.0 points a game. Mike Peplowski, a 6-10 junior center, is ranked second in scoring at 14.0 points a contest and leads the team with an average of 8.9 rebounds per game. In his 16th season at Michigan State, Head Coach Jud Heathcote has registered a 280-188 record. He is 360-241 overall in 21 seasons. Ohio State heads into the final week of the regular season tied with Indiana for the Big Ten lead with identical 13-3 league records. All-American Jim Jackson tallied 26 points and Lawrence Funderburke chipped in 20 of his own to lead the Buckeyes to a 93-78 win at home over Northwestern on Saturday. The Buckeyes, who will host Illinois on Wednesday, are 21-5 overall. Jackson, a 6-6 junior guard who was honored as the Big Ten Player of the Year last season, leads the team both in scoring and rebounding with averages of 22.8 and 7.0 respectively. In his third season at Ohio State, Head Coach Randy Ayers has registered a 65-22 overall mark.

A Look Back: Behind a career-high 20 points from sophomore guard Townsend Orr (Dolton, Ill.), the Golden Gophers scored a 70-66 victory over Michigan State before 15,109 at Williams Arena back on Jan. 18. Orr connected on a perfect five-of-five three pointers in the contest. Mike Peplowski and Shawn Respert led the Spartans, who lost Matt Steigenga due to an ankle injury with 13:06 left in the game, with 13 points apiece in the contest. Jim Jackson scored 21 points to lead Ohio State to a hard-fought 72-69 victory over the Golden Gophers before 13,276 at St. John Arena in Columbus back on Jan. 22. Voshon Lenard and Orr paced Minnesota in the defeat with 19 and 16 points respectively. Bob Martin also played a fine game for the Golden Gophers. He scored 12 points, collected eight rebounds and registered four blocks in the contest.

Series Records: Minnesota holds a 46-34 advantage in the all-time series with Michigan State. Ohio State leads 63-43 in the all-time series with Minnesota.

Williams Arena: The Golden Gophers are 11-3 overall and 6-2 in the Big Ten in home games this season. The Golden Gophers have registered an impressive 47-14 record (.770) over the past four seasons within the hallowed halls of the fabled arena.

Don't Come Around Here No More: The Golden Gophers have set a new single-season school record for blocked shots. Through 29 games, they have recorded 122 rejections. The previous school record of 119 blocks was set during the 1981-82 season.

Going Long: The Golden Gophers have set new single-season school records for three pointers attempted with 370 overall and 222 in the Big Ten. The old records of 351 and 213 were set back in 1989-90. Coach Haskins' squad is on the doorstep of several more records from beyond the arc. The Golden Gophers have made 121 three pointers overall and 69 in the Big Ten. The school records of 131 and 74 respectively were set in 1989-90. Voshon Lenard is also within reach of Willie Burton's single-season school records set in 1989-90 for three pointers attempted and made. Lenard has made 46 overall and 22 in the Big Ten, with Burton's records standing at 52 and 32 respectively. Lenard has attempted 133 overall and 78 in the conference, while Burton attempted 136 overall and 89 in the league.

Tough Schedule...Big Wins: Minnesota's schedule this season has been one of the most demanding in school history and Coach Haskins' young squad has chalked up some big wins along the way that will certainly help the cause when tournament berths are handed out Sunday. The Golden Gophers defeated Arizona State 69-37 at the Maui Invitational back on Nov. 27 when the Sun Devils were ranked No. 25. They also topped then No. 11 Michigan 73-64 on Jan. 11 and then No. 11 Michigan State 70-66 on Jan. 18. One of the biggest victories of all was the 71-67 upset of then No. 4 Indiana on Feb. 12.

Selection Show: CBS will televise the official NCAA Tournament selection show on Sunday beginning at 5:30 p.m. (Central). After the selection of the 64 NCAA Tournament teams, the 32 NIT teams will be released later that evening.

Final Four Media Credentials: The University of Minnesota has been asked to remind news agencies that ALL requests for media credentials for the 1992 NCAA Final Four basketball tournament at the Hubert H. Humphrey Metrodome on April 4 & 6 MUST be directed to Dave Cawood at the NCAA headquarters. Please DO NOT send such requests to the University of Minnesota. Send the requests to: Dave Cawood, NCAA, 6201 College Blvd, Overland Park, Kansas 66211.

University of Minnesota BASKETBALL TEAM STATISTICS

INCLUDES LEAGUE GAMES & NON-LEAGUE GAMES

NAME	G	ST	TOTAL FG			3-PT FG			FREE THROWS			REBOUNDS			PF	DIS	AST	AVG		TO	BLK	STL	AVG		
			FG	FGA	PCT	FG	FGA	PCT	FT	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT				AVG	AST				PTS	AVG	
Lenard	29	29	125	299	41.8	46	133	34.6	76	95	80.0	28	75	103	3.6	73	2	83	2.9	64	10	48	26	372	12.8
HIGHS:	PTS 25 vs MICHIGAN								RBS 8 vs Memphis State							AST 7 vs Arkansas									
McDonald	29	29	113	266	42.5	28	84	33.3	54	68	79.4	32	55	87	3.0	69	2	114	3.9	50	2	34	28	308	10.6
HIGHS:	PTS 22 vs WISCONSIN								RBS 7 vs WEBER STATE							AST 9 vs Oregon									
Martin	29	29	96	156	61.5	0	0	.0	33	53	62.3	53	94	147	5.1	75	3	18	.6	47	58	14	20	225	7.8
HIGHS:	PTS 17 vs NORTHWESTERN								RBS 11 vs AKRON							AST 3 vs IOWA STATE									
Carter	22	21	77	180	42.8	14	33	42.4	37	60	61.7	48	82	130	5.9	53	3	31	1.4	36	5	13	22	205	9.3
HIGHS:	PTS 20 vs Alabama-Birmingham								RBS 12 vs Oregon							AST 4 vs IOWA STATE									
Walton	29	10	79	181	43.6	0	2	.0	45	61	73.8	50	64	114	3.9	55	3	35	1.2	47	9	18	18	203	7.0
HIGHS:	PTS 15 vs Oregon State								RBS 9 vs Arizona State							AST 4 vs IOWA STATE									
Jackson	29	20	65	155	41.9	1	3	33.3	42	72	58.3	36	50	86	3.0	66	2	39	1.3	48	9	15	18	173	6.0
HIGHS:	PTS 16 vs Oregon								RBS 7 vs YOUNGSTOWN STATE							AST 5 vs YOUNGSTOWN STATE									
Orr	29	0	54	131	41.2	22	61	36.1	17	37	45.9	5	41	46	1.6	44	0	58	2.0	45	0	27	15	147	5.1
HIGHS:	PTS 20 vs MICHIGAN STATE								RBS 4 vs WEBER STATE							AST 5 vs WEBER STATE									
Tubbs	28	7	60	159	37.7	2	20	10.0	23	39	59.0	39	41	80	2.9	58	1	25	.9	25	4	16	17	145	5.2
HIGHS:	PTS 15 vs Purdue								RBS 6 vs Arkansas							AST 4 vs IOWA									
Kolander	27	0	41	87	47.1	0	0	.0	58	80	72.5	44	43	87	3.2	59	1	17	.6	26	12	15	17	140	5.2
HIGHS:	PTS 16 vs IOWA STATE								RBS 9 vs Alabama-Birmingham							AST 3 vs MICHIGAN									
Nzigamasabo	29	0	48	106	45.3	0	0	.0	28	49	57.1	40	40	80	2.8	50	1	19	.7	21	12	9	13	124	4.3
HIGHS:	PTS 13 vs HOWARD								RBS 8 vs IOWA							AST 3 vs YOUNGSTOWN STATE									
Wolf	21	0	14	53	26.4	8	32	25.0	4	11	36.4	9	9	18	.9	27	0	15	.7	13	0	3	6	40	1.9
HIGHS:	PTS 5 vs Iowa								RBS 4 vs NORTHWESTERN							AST 5 vs NORTHWESTERN									
Clark	10	0	5	11	45.5	0	2	.0	5	7	71.4	3	5	8	.8	3	0	1	.1	4	0	2	2	15	1.5
HIGHS:	PTS 5 vs Michigan								RBS 3 vs Michigan							AST 1 vs Michigan									
Roe	14	0	2	3	66.7	0	0	.0	1	3	33.3	5	4	9	.6	8	0	2	.1	2	1	0	2	5	.4
HIGHS:	PTS 2 vs Arizona State								RBS 2 vs Arizona State							AST 1 vs HOWARD									
TEAM												93 3.2					5								
TOTAL	29	779 1787		43.6	121	370	32.7	423	635	66.6	392	696	1088	37.5	640	18	457	15.8	433	122	214			2102	72.5
HIGHS:	PTS 98 vs YOUNGSTOWN STATE								RBS 57 vs Arkansas							AST 30 vs YOUNGSTOWN STATE									
OPPONENTS	29	656 1501		43.7	129	353	36.5	539	791	68.1	282	747	1029	35.5	574	11	395	13.6	521	99	187			1980	68.3
HIGHS:	PTS 96 vs Indiana								RBS 50 vs Arkansas							AST 28 vs Michigan									

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OPPONENTS
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NAME	G	ST	TOTAL FG			3-PT FG			FREE THROWS			REBOUNDS			AVG	PF	DIS	AST	AVG			AVG	PTS	AVG	
			FG	FGA	PCT	FG	FGA	PCT	FT	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT					AST	TO	BLK				STL
Lenard HIGHS:	16	16	67	175	38.3	22	78	28.2	40	51	78.4	15	45	60	3.8	47	2	34	2.1	38	8	24	27	196	12.3
			PTS 25	vs MICHIGAN							RBS 8	vs MICHIGAN						AST 4	vs MICHIGAN STATE						
McDonald HIGHS:	16	16	72	167	43.1	21	55	38.2	24	32	75.0	17	25	42	2.6	36	0	64	4.0	22	0	17	31	189	11.8
			PTS 22	vs WISCONSIN							RBS 6	vs Purdue						AST 8	vs IOWA						
Martin HIGHS:	16	16	46	82	56.1	0	0	.0	10	25	40.0	25	52	77	4.8	43	1	11	.7	24	25	8	21	102	6.4
			PTS 17	vs NORTHWESTERN							RBS 8	vs Ohio State						AST 2	vs NORTHWESTERN						
Walton HIGHS:	16	9	40	91	44.0	0	1	.0	21	30	70.0	28	32	60	3.8	37	3	16	1.0	26	3	10	18	101	6.3
			PTS 13	vs PURDUE							RBS 7	vs Illinois						AST 4	vs NORTHWESTERN						
Tubbs HIGHS:	15	7	40	92	43.5	1	5	20.0	14	24	58.3	23	19	42	2.8	36	1	13	.9	10	3	9	20	95	6.3
			PTS 15	vs Purdue							RBS 5	vs ILLINOIS						AST 4	vs IOWA						
Orr HIGHS:	16	0	32	84	38.1	17	48	35.4	7	18	38.9	2	18	20	1.3	23	0	29	1.8	20	0	12	16	88	5.5
			PTS 20	vs MICHIGAN STATE							RBS 3	vs MICHIGAN						AST 5	vs NORTHWESTERN						
Jackson HIGHS:	16	8	28	76	36.8	0	0	.0	18	33	54.5	19	22	41	2.6	40	1	10	.6	21	1	5	16	74	4.6
			PTS 11	vs ILLINOIS							RBS 6	vs Wisconsin						AST 3	vs NORTHWESTERN						
Kolander HIGHS:	14	0	16	46	34.8	0	0	.0	26	32	81.3	24	26	50	3.6	33	1	9	.6	15	5	9	18	58	4.1
			PTS 11	vs MICHIGAN							RBS 7	vs Indiana						AST 3	vs MICHIGAN						
Nzigamasabo HIGHS:	16	0	19	53	35.8	0	0	.0	17	31	54.8	23	23	46	2.9	36	1	10	.6	10	3	6	14	55	3.4
			PTS 11	vs Northwestern							RBS 8	vs IOWA						AST 1	vs Indiana						
Carter HIGHS:	9	8	18	57	31.6	3	10	30.0	9	17	52.9	16	26	42	4.7	19	1	11	1.2	14	0	5	20	48	5.3
			PTS 11	vs Indiana							RBS 12	vs WISCONSIN						AST 2	vs Indiana						
Wolf HIGHS:	10	0	8	37	21.6	5	25	20.0	2	7	28.6	5	5	10	1.0	17	0	8	.8	10	0	2	7	23	2.3
			PTS 5	vs Iowa							RBS 4	vs NORTHWESTERN						AST 5	vs NORTHWESTERN						
Clark HIGHS:	4	0	3	5	60.0	0	0	.0	1	2	50.0	2	3	5	1.3	1	0	1	.3	3	0	1	2	7	1.8
			PTS 5	vs Michigan							RBS 3	vs Michigan						AST 1	vs Michigan						
Roe HIGHS:	7	0	1	1	100.0	0	0	.0	0	0	.0	2	1	3	.4	2	0	0	.0	0	0	0	1	2	.3
			PTS 2	vs NORTHWESTERN							RBS 1	vs NORTHWESTERN													
TEAM														44	2.8					4					
TOTAL	16		390	966	40.4	69	222	31.1	189	302	62.6	201	341	542	33.9	370	11	216	13.5	217	48	108		1038	64.9
HIGHS:			PTS 92	vs NORTHWESTERN							RBS 48	vs WISCONSIN						AST 29	vs NORTHWESTERN						
OPPONENTS	16		341	752	45.3	68	171	39.8	346	481	71.9	131	443	574	35.9	297	7	220	13.8	275	58	83		1096	68.5
HIGHS:			PTS 96	vs Indiana							RBS 44	vs Indiana						AST 28	vs Michigan						

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University of Minnesota BASKETBALL TEAM STATISTICS

UM	FG%	OPPONENT	OPP	FG%	HIGH SCORER	HIGH REBOUNDER	ATTEND	PLACE & DATE
83	33.7	Arkansas	92	42.3	19 Carter	11 Carter	1,800	Maui Invitational- Nov. 25
89	54.5	Providence	82	38.8	20 Lenard	6 McDonald	1,000	Maui Invitational - Nov. 26
69	53.6	Arizona State	37	27.3	10 Carter	6 Lenard		
					10 Martin	9 Walton	1,000	Maui Invitational - Nov. 27
95	45.1	HOWARD	54	33.9	17 Carter	8 Carter	12,923	WILLIAMS ARENA - Nov. 30
98	56.0	YOUNGSTOWN STATE	59	35.5	21 McDonald	8 Martin	12,314	WILLIAMS ARENA - Dec. 2
86	45.8	AKRON	59	33.9	16 Lenard	11 Martin	12,473	WILLIAMS ARENA - Dec. 11
80	43.5	Alabama-Birmingham	86	61.9	20 Carter	10 Carter	7,427	Birmingham, AL - Dec. 14
68	44.3	DETROIT MERCY	66	57.4	15 Martin		12,569	WILLIAMS ARENA - Dec. 17
62	40.6	Memphis State	65	40.6	12 Jackson	8 Lenard	17,240	Memphis, TN - Dec. 19
					12 Carter			
92	53.8	WEBER STATE	52	33.3	18 McDonald	9 Martin	13,269	WILLIAMS ARENA - Dec. 23
89	54.0	Oregon	64	40.0	18 Lenard	12 Carter	7,020	Far West Classic -Dec. 27
80	47.5	Oregon State	92	60.0	18 Lenard	7 Carter	6,959	Far West Classic - Dec. 28
73	49.1	IOWA STATE	76	52.5	16 Kolander	6 Carter	16,029	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 4
50	32.8	Indiana	96	53.6	13 McDonald	7 Kolander	17,238	Bloomington, IN - Jan. 9
73	39.1	MICHIGAN	64	40.4	25 Lenard	8 Lenard	16,193	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 11
49	40.4	Wisconsin	48	47.1	12 Lenard	6 Jackson	9,374	Madison, WI - Jan. 15
70	37.5	MICHIGAN STATE	66	41.8	20 Orr	7 Martin	15,109	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 18
69	41.0	Ohio State	72	41.5	19 Lenard	8 Martin	13,276	Columbus, OH - Jan. 22
54	35.7	ILLINOIS	53	36.6	14 Lenard	6 Martin	16,126	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 25
92	55.6	NORTHWESTERN	50	36.4	17 Martin	7 Nzigamasabo	13,418	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 29
						7 Martin		
70	39.1	Iowa	87	51.1	13 McDonald	5 Tubbs	15,500	Iowa City, IA - Feb. 1
57	40.0	Purdue	65	55.3	15 Tubbs	7 Nzigamasabo	14,123	W. Lafayette, IN - Feb. 5
57	39.3	Northwestern	55	44.1	11 Nzigamasabo	6 Martin	7,897	Evanston, IL - Feb. 8
71	42.6	INDIANA	67	40.0	18 McDonald	8 Martin	16,212	WILLIAMS ARENA - Feb. 12
58	37.7	Illinois	74	41.0	12 McDonald	9 Carter	14,322	Champaign, IL - Feb. 15
70	42.9	Michigan	95	62.3	16 McDonald	5 Lenard	13,422	Ann Arbor, MI - Feb. 19
					16 Lenard			
64	37.5	IOWA	79	53.5	21 Lenard	8 Nzigamasabo	15,937	WILLIAMS ARENA - Feb. 25
76	49.1	WISCONSIN	57	30.5	22 McDonald	12 Carter	14,449	WILLIAMS ARENA - Mar. 4
58	32.8	PURDUE	68	52.6	17 McDonald	5 Tubbs	15,749	WILLIAMS ARENA - Mar. 7
		Michigan State						E. Lansing, MI - Mar. 11 (7:00 PM)
		OHIO STATE						WILLIAMS ARENA -Mar. 14 (2:00 PM)
TEAM RECORD		ALL GAMES	16-13	55.1%				
		LEAGUE	8- 8	50.0%				

GOPHERS SWEEP AT NORTH DAKOTA; FACE SIOUX AGAIN THIS WEEKEND IN FIRST ROUND OF WCHA PLAYOFFS AT MARIUCCI ARENA

Doug Woog's University of Minnesota hockey team completed the 32-game WCHA regular season schedule with a 10-1, 5-3 sweep of the North Dakota Fighting Sioux at Grand Forks, N.D. The Gophers (30-8, 26-6) finished with the highest WCHA winning percentage (.813) in their 33 years in the WCHA. This season's record breaks the winning percentages of the 1987-88 and 1988-89 teams both of which had winning percentages of .800. The 1953-54 WIHL championship team led by John Mayasich had a .825 winning percentage with a record of 16-3-1 (the WIHL was the predecessor to the WCHA). The sweep of the Sioux means that the two teams will have a rematch this weekend at Mariucci Arena in a best-of-three WCHA first round play-off series. Game time for the games is 7:05 p.m.

Season Ending Sweep: The two-game sweep at North Dakota was the 12th series sweep of the year for the Golden Gophers and the 11th in WCHA games. The wins raised Minnesota's road record to 15-5 for the year. The Minnesota/North Dakota series is one filled with history, and this series was no different. The Friday night game made WCHA history in a dubious manner. The Sioux scored first, in the second minute of the game, on a breakaway by Greg Johnson when the teams were skating three-on-three. After that it was all Minnesota as the Gophers scored 10 unanswered goals. The game was marred by numerous penalties. Fifty-nine seconds into the contest there was an altercation that created the three-on-three situation. From that point forward the two teams combined for a WCHA record 128 penalty minutes, breaking the old record of 116. Minnesota, however, continued to score, while the Sioux were shut down offensively. Junior netminder Tom Newman (Blaine, Minn.), along with the Minnesota blueline corps, shut down the high-powered Sioux offense. Newman had 28 saves for the night, many at close range. Freshman of the Year candidate Darby Hendrickson (Richfield, Minn.) had the game winner with the second goal of the game.

A Different Game: The Saturday night game was a completely different game as the Sioux came out skating and intent on changing their luck. They scored first again, with a goal at the 2:08 mark of the first period. The Gophers responded the same way as the previous night by scoring two goals to go into the intermission with a 2-1 lead. The two teams played a scoreless second period with the Gophers out-shooting the Sioux 12-7. Midway through the third period the Gophers raised their lead to 3-1 on Cory Laylin's (St. Cloud, Minn.) 17th goal of the year, and his second of the game. Sophomore Craig Johnson (St. Paul, Minn.) followed suit with a goal ten seconds later to raise the lead to 4-1. Just 34 seconds later the Sioux scored and three minutes later they scored again to cut the lead to 4-3. The Sioux pulled their goalie at the 19:13 mark and Darby Hendrickson scored his 22nd goal of the year into the empty net. The game ended much the same as the series had begun on Friday, with an ugly incident. Sioux forward Dixon Ward speared Gopher defenseman Travis Richards (Plymouth, Minn.) just after the empty-net goal and he received a five minute major and a game disqualification for intending to injure.

Big "O" Nears Mark: All-American and Hobey Baker Award candidate Larry Olimb (Warroad, Minn.) had another strong weekend with a goal and three assists. With 150 career assist, he is now just five assists short of breaking the all-time assist record held by the legendary John Mayasich (1951-55, 154). Olimb has been the Gophers leading scorer for the last two years and currently has 21 goals and 47 assists this year to rank him in the top ten in points and top five in assists in the nation. The versatile player has lined up at every position on the ice this year except goalie. His playmaking skills rank him with the top players to have come out of the Minnesota hockey program.

Newman Takes Charge: The Minnesota netminding duties have been in strong hands all year with pre-season All-American Jeff Stolp (Nashwauk, Minn.) leading the league in every category. The last two weeks have further solidified that position with Tom Newman re-emerging as a strong backup to Stolp. Newman has given up just six goals in four games and has helped the Gophers maintain their league-leading defensive standing. He has an outstanding 1.5 goals against average and a .942 save percentage in those four wins. His record for the year is 4-1, with a 2.30 GAA and a .902 save percentage in 10 games played.

Klatt Continues To Attack: Pre-season All-American Trent Klatt (Osseo, Minn.) is having his best season ever as a Gopher. The tough winger is the leading goal scorer on the team with 26 and is leading the team in game winners with five. He has already surpassed his scoring totals of his first two years and is a prime candidate for post-season honors. With 59 total points he is in the top ten in the WCHA in scoring while ranking fifth in the country in game winning goals.

Hendrickson Lives Up To His Billing: Darby Hendrickson came into the season with the burden of being chosen the pre-season choice for Freshman of the Year in the WCHA. He has lived up to that challenge and more. The dynamic young forward has added a scoring spark to the Gopher lineup. He is second on the team in goals scored with 22 and has notched 28 assists to go with that. His 50 points put him in the top 15 in scoring in the league and he is the leading scorer among all freshmen in the WCHA. He is fourth on the team in power play goals with nine and fourth on the team in assists with 28.

Laylin Lights It Up: Senior wing Cory Laylin has really been lighting up the goal light in recent weeks. He had three goals against north Dakota to raise his season total to 17 and climb to fifth in the Gopher scoring chart. He has eight goals in the last nine games, and is making his final campaign as a Gopher his best.

The Bell Tolls Loudly: Sophomore Scott Bell (St. Paul, Minn.) continues to have an outstanding season. His aggressive play on the special teams has been a big boost and he has now discovered a scoring touch that was somewhat unexpected. Bell has notched 14 goals this season, including his 13th and 14th this past weekend. He adds a strong fore-checking and physical presence to the lineup and always seems to be creating opportunities with his aggressive style of play.

Penalty Kill vs. Power Play: Last weekend was a matchup of the WCHA's best penalty kill unit (Minnesota) versus the conference's second best power play (N.D.). That same matchup will be on the agenda again this weekend at Mariucci Arena. The Golden Gophers held the Sioux without a power play goal all weekend (0-10), while Minnesota was 3-11 in man-advantage situations. North Dakota's high-scoring forwards, Dixon Ward, Greg Johnson and Jeff McLean were held to one goal and one assist all weekend.

Offense Comes Alive: The Minnesota offense has caught fire in the last three games, scoring 18 goals, while the defense has limited the opponents to five. This renewed scoring touch is coming on at a perfect time as the WCHA play-off schedule starts this weekend. The Gophers finish the regular season with a 5.09 goals per game average and a league-leading 2.78 goals against per game average.

Streaks: The Gophers have compiled some notable streaks on the way to their ninth WCHA title. They have now won 26 of their last 30 games and are 20-2 in the last 22 games. The team has scored five or more goals 23 times in 38 games and is 21-2 in those games. The Minnesota penalty killing unit leads the WCHA with a 86.2 killing rate. The power play is clicking at a 24.7 percent rate.

Injury Update: All-American candidate Jeff Stolp is fully recovered from the groin pull he suffered before the St. Cloud State series. He is expected back in the Minnesota lineup this weekend. Joe Dziedziec's (Minneapolis, Minn.) separated shoulder is ready to go and he will be available for action this weekend as well. The return of these two players will bolster the Minnesota lineup for the play-offs.

Woog Watch: Doug Woog raised his overall record to 225-82-11 and 169-52-10 in WCHA games. The "Wooger" is the all-time winningest coach in Minnesota hockey history and his winning percentage of .724 is the highest of any active collegiate coach in the country. In his eight years at the helm of the Gopher program the team has had three WCHA championships and has never finished lower than second in the league, while garnering six consecutive NCAA tournament invitations with another on the horizon.

WCHA Credentials: If you have not already sent your request for credentials for the WCHA Championship tournament to Doug Spencer of the WCHA, you must call (608-251-4007) and let him know that you will FAX a request today. The FAX should go to Doug Spencer, public relations director for the WCHA at (608-283-6412). At this point you are not guaranteed a spot, but it may be worth the call.

NCAA Credentials: Any Minnesota media interested in covering the Gophers in NCAA post-season play must FAX a request to the U of M men's Sports Information Office at (612-625-0359). If the Gophers advance into the tournament, all credential requests must go through the Minnesota hockey SID. The Monday following the WCHA tournament all requests will be forwarded to the NCAA for processing. The same procedure would be used the following week for the NCAA Ice Hockey Championships in Albany, New York. Please FAX your request as soon as possible.

Broadcast Notes: The Minnesota/North Dakota WCHA first round play-off series will be telecast on Midwest Sports Channel with Doug McLeod and Dick Bremer calling the action. The radio broadcast schedule shows the Friday night game live on KJJO-AM 950, while Saturday's game will be live on KFAN-AM 1130. Both games will have Greg Harrington and Doug Johnson calling the action live. Friday's game will be broadcast on KFAN-AM 1130 on a tape-delayed basis following the Timberwolves game.

GOLDEN GOPHER HOTLINE SCHEDULE (612) 625-7887

Mon., March 9 - Track & Field Coach Roy Griak previews NCAA Indoor Championships
Tue., March 10 - Tennis Coach David Geatz previews the weekend trip to Iowa
Wed., March 11 - Hockey Coach Doug Woog previews the play-off series with North Dakota
Thurs., March 12 - Baseball Coach John Anderson previews the series with Missouri
Fri., March 13 - Gymnastics Coach Fred Roethlisberger previews the match with Iowa

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W-L-T	MN	OPP	OPPONENT	ATTEND	PLACE & DATE
W	7	3	Minnesota-Duluth	5664	Duluth, MN 7:35 p.m. 10/18/91
L	4	7	Minnesota-Duluth	5451	Duluth, MN 7:00 p.m. 10/19/91
L	2	4	University of Denver	3745	Denver, CO 7:00 p.m. 10/25/91
W	5	1	University of Denver	3106	Denver, CO 7:00 p.m. 10/26/91
W	7	4	St. Cloud State	5567	St. Cloud, MN 7:35 11/01/91
W	7	2	ST. CLOUD STATE	6915	St. Cloud, MN 7:05 11/02/91
L	3	7	Michigan	6011	Ann Arbor, MI 6:30 11/08/91
L	6	7	Michigan	6330	Ann Arbor, MI 6:30 11/09/91
W	5	4	WISCONSIN	7658	Mariucci Arena 7:05 11/15/91
W	4	1	WISCONSIN	15712	Met Center 7:35 11/16/91
W	4	0	Alaska-Anchorage	6621	Anchorage, AK 10:05 11/22/91
W(OT)	3	2	Alaska-Anchorage	6421	Anchorage, AK 10:05 11/23/91
W	4	2	NORTH DAKOTA	6975	Mariucci, Arena 7:05 11/29/91
W	8	2	NORTH DAKOTA	7443	Mariucci Arena 7:05 11/30/91
L	5	7	NORTHERN MICHIGAN	6807	Mariucci Arena 2:05 12/14/91
L	3	4	NORTHERN MICHIGAN	6683	Mariucci Arena 2:05 12/15/91
W	5	2	PROVIDENCE *	6669	Mariucci Arena 7:05 12/21/91
W(OT)	6	5	BOWLING GREEN *	6603	Mariucci Arena 7:00 12/22/91
W	10	4	University of Calgary	6458	Mariucci Arena 7:05 12/30/91
W	5	2	Michigan Tech	2660	Houghton, MI 6:35 01/03/92
W	6	1	Michigan Tech	3076	Houghton, MI 6:05 01/04/92
W	3	0	MINNESOTA-DULUTH	7436	Mariucci Arena 7:05 01/10/92
W(OT)	5	4	MINNESOTA-DULUTH	7778	Mariucci Arena 7:05 01/11/92
W	9	2	MICHIGAN TECH	6833	Mariucci Arena 7:05 01/17/92
W	6	3	MICHIGAN TECH	7504	Mariucci Arena 7:05 01/18/92
W	6	3	Colorado College	3668	Colorado Sp.,CO 8:05 01/24/92
W	8	2	Colorado College	3721	Colorado Sp.,CO 8:05 01/25/92
W	3	2	Northern Michigan	4180	Marquette, MI 6:05 01/31/92
W	5	3	Northern Michigan	4305	Marquette, MI 6:05 02/01/92
W	2	1	Wisconsin	8644	Madison, WI 7:05 02/07/92
L	1	4	Wisconsin	8644	Madison, WI 7:05 02/08/92
W	5	3	COLORADO COLLEGE	6893	Mariucci Arena 7:05 02/14/92
W	6	4	COLORADO COLLEGE	7600	Mariucci Arena 7:05 02/15/92
L(OT)	4	5	DENVER	7141	Mariucci Arena 7:05 02/21/92
W	7	3	DENVER	7503	Mariucci Arena 7:05 02/22/92
W	2	1	ST. CLOUD STATE	7608	Mariucci Arena 7:05 02/28/92
W	4	1	St Cloud State	6514	St. Cloud, MN 7:05 02/29/92
W	10	1	North Dakota	5737	Grand Forks, ND 7:35 03/06/91
W	5	3	North Dakota	5189	Grand Forks, ND 03/07/91

RECORD	HOME	ROAD	SEASON
LEAGUE	13- 3- 0	13- 3- 0	26- 6- 0
NON-LEAGUE	2- 0- 0	2- 2- 0	4- 2- 0
TOTAL	15- 3- 0	15- 5- 0	30- 8- 0

ATTENDANCE	HOME	ROAD	NEUTRAL
LEAGUE	** ,***	79,871	0
OTHER	13,272	25,383	0
TOTAL	** ,***	** ,***	0
AVERAGE	7,653	5,262	
TOTAL	243,015	TOTAL AVG	6,395

POWER PLAYS	ATT	PPG	PCT	SH
Minnesota Gophers	255	63	.250	8
OPPONENTS	258	38	.150	6

HAT TRICKS FOR	5
Scott Bell	ST. CLOUD STATE 11/02/91
Trent Klatt	WISCONSIN 11/15/91
Darby Hendrickson	NORTH DAKOTA 11/30/91
Larry Olimb	Colorado College 01/25/92
Justin McHugh	DENVER 02/22/92
SHORT HANDED FOR	6
Larry Olimb (2)	St. Cloud State 11/01/91
Scott Bell (2)	ST. CLOUD STATE 11/02/91
Travis Richards (1)	PROVIDENCE * 12/21/91
Craig Johnson (1)	Michigan Tech 01/04/92
Jeff Nielsen (1)	MICHIGAN TECH 01/17/92
Justin McHugh (1)	St Cloud State 02/29/92

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NO	NAME	OVERALL											LEAGUE ONLY					
		GP	G	A	PTS	PEN	MIN	PP	SH	HAT	WG	EN	GP	G	A	PTS	PEN	MIN
17	Larry Olimb,C	38	21	47	68	31	70	11	2	1	1	1	32	19	39	58	28	64
22	Trent Klatt,W	38	26	33	59	34	76	11	0	1	5	1	32	21	30	51	31	62
14	Craig Johnson,C	38	17	34	51	29	66	12	1	0	2	0	32	14	32	46	23	54
07	Darby Hendrickson,C	38	22	28	50	28	59	9	0	1	3	1	32	17	22	39	24	51
12	Cory Laylin,F	38	17	12	29	18	44	4	0	0	3	0	32	16	11	27	16	40
24	Travis Richards,D	38	10	19	29	19	49	4	1	0	3	0	32	7	14	21	18	47
15	Steve Magnusson,C/W	35	8	21	29	20	40	2	0	0	1	0	31	6	19	25	18	36
20	Jeff Nielsen,W	38	14	14	28	32	64	2	1	0	3	0	32	10	10	20	26	52
33	Doug Zmolek,D	38	4	19	23	40	80	2	0	0	2	0	32	4	15	19	35	70
10	Scott Bell,F/D	38	14	6	20	28	70	1	2	1	1	0	32	14	6	20	25	64
19	Justin McHugh,W/C	35	10	8	18	15	30	2	1	1	1	0	29	10	7	17	12	24
09	Joe Dziedzic,F	32	8	9	17	27	62	2	0	0	2	0	26	7	8	15	25	58
16	John Brill,F	32	7	8	15	21	42	1	0	0	1	0	26	7	6	13	20	40
21	Mike Muller,D	38	4	11	15	23	46	0	0	0	1	0	32	4	9	13	18	36
04	Chris McAlpine,D	36	3	9	12	55	110	1	0	0	0	0	32	2	8	10	49	98
08	Eric Means,D	37	1	10	11	16	40	0	0	0	0	0	32	1	10	11	14	36
34	Todd Westlund,W	22	1	3	4	7	14	0	0	0	0	0	19	1	3	4	7	14
02	Sean Fabian,D	29	1	3	4	22	45	0	0	0	0	0	24	1	3	4	16	33
36	Tony Bianchi,W/D	19	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	1	2	3	0	0
13	Brandon Steege,F	11	1	1	2	11	22	0	0	0	1	0	9	1	1	2	11	22
30	Jeff Stolp,G	31	0	1	1	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	28	0	1	1	3	6
18	John O'Connell,D	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
05	Nick Gerebi,C	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0
31	Jeff Callinan,G	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
27	Jed Fiebelkorn,W	7	0	0	0	5	10	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	2
29	Tom Newman,G	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0
	Bench					5	10										5	10
Minnesota Gophers		38	190	298	488	489	1055	64	8	5	30	3	32	163	256	419	425	919
OPPONENTS		38	112	158	270	494	1072	38	6	2	8	1	32	89	126	215	427	938

NO	GOALIE	OVERALL										LEAGUE ONLY									
		W	L	T	GP	PER	MIN	GA	AVG	SAV	PCT	W	L	T	GP	PER	MIN	GA	AVG	SAV	PCT
29	Tom Newman	4	1	0	10	20	338:41	13	2.30	119	.902	4	1	0	10	20	338:41	13	2.30	119	.902
30	Jeff Stolp	24	6	0	31	91	1738:13	83	2.87	647	.886	22	5	0	28	82	1568:51	75	2.87	578	.885
31	Jeff Callinan	2	1	0	6	13	208:33	15	4.32	73	.830	0	0	0	2	2	14:5	0	0.00	61.000	
Minnesota Gophers		30	8	0	38	117	2285:27	111	2.91	839	.883	26	6	0	32	98	1921:37	88	2.75	703	.888
OPPONENTS		8	30	0	38	117	2289:25	190	4.98	1130	.856	6	26	0	32	98	1925:35	163	5.08	925	.850

	Minnesota Gophers					OPPONENTS					
	PERIOD	1	2	3	OT	TOTAL	1	2	3	OT	TOTAL
GOALS		62	72	53	3	190	35	33	43	1	112
SHOT ON GOAL		399	518	412	10	1339	304	324	321	7	956
GOALIE SAVES		263	285	285	6	839	344	453	352	7	1156

GOPHER BASEBALL TEAM'S WINNING STREAK REACHES FOUR WITH SWEEP OF BALL STATE; ANDERSON GAINS WIN NUMBER 350

John Anderson's Golden Gophers completed a three-game sweep of the Ball State Cardinals with an impressive 14-0 victory. The win gave Anderson his 350th career win against 235 losses and 3 ties. The shutout was the second of the weekend for the Maroon and Gold as the pitching staff continued its strong play and lowered the team ERA to 2.83 in 12 games. The win is the fourth straight for the Gophers who raised their record to 8-4 for the year. Minnesota returns to action this weekend at the Metrodome with a three-game series with the Missouri Tigers. The Gophers will play a doubleheader on Friday starting at 4:00 p.m.. Saturday will be an off day for studying and the series will conclude on Sunday with a 1:00 p.m. start.

Pitching, Pitching, Pitching: The Gophers veteran pitching staff continues to lead the team. The staff gave up just one earned run over the weekend and has given up just 33 earned runs in 101 innings. Senior **Scott Bakkum** (LaCrosse, Wis.) leads the club with a 2-1 record and a 2.00 ERA with 20 strikeouts. Bakkum has pitched two complete games this year. His only flaw on the season was a ninth inning homerun he gave up to Chris Roberts of Florida State that cost him the victory. Highly touted junior **Jeff Schmidt** (LaCrosse, Wis.) has been outstanding. The hard throwing righty pitched seven innings of shutout ball on Sunday to lower his ERA to 2.11 to go with a 2-1 record. **Eric Slagle** (Barrington, Ill.) is the third starter under 3.00 with a 2.81 ERA and a 1-1 record. **Chris Lawler** (Milwaukee, Wis.) leads the relief staff with a 0.0 ERA and a 1-0 record with one save. This veteran staff returned nine lettermen from last year and will be the backbone of the team all year.

Big Boy: First baseman **George Behr** (Maplewood, Minn.) is having a great year replacing former captain Jeff Monson. First base had been a concern coming into the season but Behr has changed that. He leads the team in batting .442 with six doubles, two homeruns and nine runs driven in. His slugging percentage of .721 leads the team and he has a sparkling .980 fielding percentage at first base. The 6-3, 210-pound Behr is a threat to drive the ball deep, and has great speed for a man of his size.

"Feeve": Pre-season All-American centerfielder **Ryan Lefebvre** (Los Angeles) is having a great start this year as well. The fleet-footed outfielder is perfect in the field and is second on the team in batting with a .348 average. He has scored seven runs and had two triples, with three stolen bases in four attempts in 12 games played.

Captain Calvert: Fifth-year senior **Steve Calvert** (Edina, Minn.) has rebounded from shoulder surgery to get a great start on the 1992 season. On Sunday the senior third baseman had a career day with six RBIs on three hits, including two doubles. For the year Calvert is third in team in batting with a .333 average and eight RBIs.

Nelson Shines: Sophomore **Charlie Nelson** (Perham, Minn.) continues to shine this year with a .320 batting average and five RBIs. Nelson is perfect in the field and has two stolen bases with nine walks. Last year Nelson had a solid freshman year when he batted .277 with 39 runs scored and 10 stolen bases.

Next Up: The Gophers will play host to the Missouri Tigers this weekend. The Tigers and Gophers played a three-game set last year at John Simmons Field. The Gophers won the opener in a 13-11 slug festival. The Tigers rebounded to take the next two 7-2, 4-1. The series was played in miserable conditions with rain, sleet and cold weather all weekend. This weekend the forecast in the Metrodome is 70 degrees and sunny. The Minnesota/Missouri series shows the Tigers with a 3-2 advantage in all games.

About the Tigers: The Tigers are coached by Gene McArtor, who has a 637-363-3 record in his 18 years at Missouri. Last season he led the Tigers to a 41-20 record and a final ranking of 27th in the country by *Collegiate Baseball*. The Tigers return 15 lettermen and seven starters from last year's team, in addition to seven returning pitchers. The pitching staff is highlighted by the return of John Dettmer who posted a 9-4 record with a 2.63 ERA last year, including a 4-1 win over the Gophers. Dettmer was Co-Player of the Year in the Big Eight and turned down professional baseball offers to come back for his senior year. Other starters are Mike Munro (7-4, 4.06), Brent Schnieders (6-1, 3.40) and Chris Robertson (3-1, 6.44).

Tiger Offense: The Tigers are led on offense by outfielder Grant Ingram who batted .343 a year ago with 10 RBIs. First baseman Jake Filip returns as a starter with a .341 average last year with 16 RBI's. At second base, senior Bill Mondrella is the mainstay with a .252 career average. His efforts in the NCAA East Regional won him all-tournament team honors.

What a Schedule: Once again the Gophers are playing one of the toughest schedules in the country. Six of the team's first nine games are against opponents ranked in the top 25, with five of them being against teams in the top 10. Head Coach John Anderson believes in playing a tough non-conference slate to prepare the team for the rigors of Big Ten play. Last year, victories over ranked opponents like Stanford, Miami, Notre Dame and Ohio State were instrumental in gaining the at-large berth in the NCAA West I regional. The Gophers played 14 of their 56 games against teams ranked in the top 20 last year.

1992 Minnesota BASEBALL RESULTS
Includes League games & Non-league games

OPPONENT	MN	OPP	INN	TYPE	PLACE
Arizona	3	2	10	N	Feb. 6, 2:00 p.m. Tucson, AZ
Arizona	0	9	9	N	Feb. 8, 1:30 p.m., Tucson, AZ
Arizona	8	3	9	N	Feb. 8, 5:00 p.m., Tucson, AZ
Mississippi	2	6	9	N	Feb.21, 2:00 p.m. Oxford, MS
Mississippi	8	5	9	N	Feb.22, 2:00 p.m., Oxford, MS
Mississippi	5	0	9	N	Feb. 23, 1:15 p.m., Oxford, MS
FLORIDA ST.	1	3	9	N	Feb. 28, 7:35 p.m., Metrodome
MISSISSIPPI ST.	4	8	9	N	Feb. 29, 2:00 p.m. Metrodome
TEXAS A&M	9	8	7	N	March 1, 1:15 p.m., Metrodome
BALL STATE	2	0	9	N	Mar. 6, 7:00 p.m., Metrodome
BALL STATE	3	2	9	N	Mar.7, 7:00 p.m. Metrodome
BALL STATE	14	0	9	N	Mar. 8, 1;00 p.m. Metrodome

RECORD 8- 4 MN DPs 14 OPP 18 MN LOB 87 OPP 94

1992 Minnesota BASEBALL COACHES REPORT
Includes League games & Non-league games

NAME	GP	AB	RUN	HIT	RBI	AVG	SO	BB	HBP	TAB	%OB	TB	%SLG	SH	ATT	%
George Behr	11	43	9	19	9	.442	5	2	0	45	.467	31	.721	0	0	---
Ryan Lefebvre	12	46	7	16	1	.348	6	7	0	53	.434	20	.435	0	0	---
Steve Calvert	8	24	1	8	8	.333	3	5	0	29	.448	11	.458	1	0	---
Charlie Nelson	10	25	6	8	5	.320	4	9	0	34	.500	9	.360	1	0	---
Brian Hartmann	11	44	5	13	6	.295	4	1	0	45	.311	18	.409	0	0	---
Mark Merila	12	34	8	9	8	.265	3	15	0	49	.490	12	.353	0	0	---
Keith Krenke	12	39	7	10	6	.256	3	7	0	46	.370	17	.436	1	1	1.000
Bill Mobilia	12	40	6	8	5	.200	9	4	2	46	.304	11	.275	0	0	---
Tom Doyle	7	22	1	4	0	.182	7	1	0	23	.217	5	.227	0	0	---
Darren Schwankl	11	22	1	3	0	.136	4	8	0	30	.367	3	.136	1	0	---
LESS THAN 18 AT BATS																
Adam Sobocienski	2	3	2	3	1	1.000	0	1	0	4	1.000	3	1.000	0	0	---
Shane McCarthy	2	3	0	2	1	.667	1	1	0	4	.750	2	.667	0	0	---
Tony Bender	6	7	0	1	1	.143	2	0	0	7	.143	1	.143	0	0	---
Darren Grass	7	15	2	2	2	.133	5	1	2	18	.278	2	.133	0	0	---
Mark Vandersall	6	8	4	1	1	.125	2	1	0	9	.222	2	.250	0	0	---
Mike Oster	2	1	0	0	1	.000	1	1	0	2	.500	0	.000	0	0	---
Scott Bakkum	3	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
J.T. Gilbert	3	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Eric Slagle	3	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
John Lowery	3	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Jeff Schmidt	3	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Chris Lawler	3	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Brent Davis	2	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Eric Porter	1	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
James Brower	1	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
TOTAL	12	376	59	107	55	.285	59	64	4	444	.394	147	.391	4	1	4.000
OPPONENTS	12	395	46	101	37	.256	80	49	5	449	.345	135	.342	5	0	---

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NO	NAME	GP	AB	RUN	HIT	2B	3B	HR	TB	SB-ATT	SH	SF	HBP	BB	SO	RBI	WRBI	AVG	PO	A	E	PCT.	
40	George Behr	11	43	9	19	6	0	2	31	2	4	0	0	2	5	9	1	.442	94	3	2	.980	
15	Ryan Lefebvre	12	46	7	16	0	2	0	20	3	4	0	0	7	6	1	1	.348	30	0	0	1.000	
33	Steve Calvert	8	24	1	8	3	0	0	11	0	1	1	0	0	5	3	8	1	.333	6	9	1	.938
06	Charlie Nelson	10	25	6	8	1	0	0	9	2	3	1	0	0	9	4	5	1	.320	9	1	0	1.000
17	Brian Hartmann	11	44	5	13	2	0	1	18	0	3	0	1	0	1	4	6	0	.295	48	6	0	1.000
03	Mark Merila	12	34	8	9	3	0	0	12	0	2	0	2	0	15	3	8	1	.265	36	30	2	.971
16	Keith Krenke	12	39	7	10	2	1	1	17	1	1	2	0	7	3	6	1	.256	24	3	1	.964	
07	Bill Mobilia	12	40	6	8	3	0	0	11	2	3	0	0	2	4	9	5	1	.200	14	43	4	.934
28	Tom Doyle	7	22	1	4	1	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	1	7	0	0	.182	8	1	0	1.000	
10	Darren Schwankl	11	22	1	3	0	0	0	3	1	3	1	0	0	8	4	0	0	.136	7	5	1	.923
LESS THAN 18 AT BATS																							
01	Adam Sobocienski	2	3	2	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1.000	0	0	0	---	
11	Shane McCarthy	2	3	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	.667	0	0	0	---	
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19	James Brower	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---
TEAM TOTAL		12	376	59	107	22	3	4	147	12	25	4	7	4	64	59	55	7	.285	315	119	14	.969
OPPONENTS		12	395	46	101	12	2	6	135	13	20	5	1	5	49	80	37	4	.256	311	137	25	.947

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Minnesota BASEBALL RESULTS

Includes League games & Non-league games

NO	NAME	GP	ST	CG	WON	LST	SAV	IP	HITS	RUNS	ERUN	HR	BB	SO	HP	WP	BK	ERA
21	Chris Lawler	4	0	0	1	0	1	6.0	1	0	0	0	4	11	0	0	0	.00
19	James Brower	1	0	0	0	0	0	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	.00
37	Scott Bakkum	4	3	2	2	1	0	27.0	22	6	6	2	4	20	0	0	0	2.00
22	Jeff Schmidt	4	4	0	2	1	0	21.3	19	8	5	0	8	10	0	2	0	2.11
30	Eric Porter	2	0	0	0	0	0	3.3	4	2	1	1	4	1	0	1	0	2.70
31	Eric Slagle	4	2	0	1	1	0	16.0	18	5	5	1	9	15	1	0	0	2.81
27	John Lowery	4	2	0	1	1	0	14.7	18	9	6	0	7	10	1	4	0	3.68
32	J.T. Gilbert	3	0	0	0	0	1	6.0	3	4	3	0	5	7	2	1	1	4.50
35	Brent Davis	3	1	0	1	0	0	5.3	6	7	3	0	4	5	1	1	0	5.06
11	Shane McCarthy	1	0	0	0	0	0	2.7	4	2	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	6.75
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NON-TEAM																		-1
TOTAL		12	12	2	8	4	2	105.0	101	46	33	6	49	80	5	9	1	2.83
OPPONENTS		12	12	3	4	8	0	106	107	59	56	4	64	59	4	8	1	4.75

TRACK & FIELD PROVISIONAL QUALIFIERS EYE NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS THIS WEEKEND

Head Coach Roy Griak's Golden Gopher track & field team has five provisional qualifiers for the NCAA Indoor Championships to be held this Friday and Saturday at the Hoosier Dome in Indianapolis.

Provisional Qualifiers: Senior Mark Lacy (Oak Brook, Ill.) (60-7 1/4), junior Chad Goldstein (St. Louis Park, Minn.) (60-1) and sophomore Chris Brinkworth (Bloomington, Minn.) (57-9) in the shot put, junior Chris Murrell (Grand Island, Neb.) (7-2 1/2) in the high jump, and freshman Keita Cline (Gainesville, Fla.) (51-8 1/2) in the triple jump have all surpassed the provisional standard in their respective events. The field for each of the above events will be filled to a minimum of 14 competitors. If at least 14 competitors do not surpass the automatic qualifying standard, performances meeting provisional standards will be used to develop a descending-order list to fill the field in each event. Notification of final qualifiers will be released on Tuesday.

A Look Back: Mark Lacy, Chris Murrell and Keita Cline each won individual events to pace the Golden Gophers to a fourth-place finish at the Big Ten Indoor Championships which were held Feb. 28-29 at Jenison Fieldhouse in East Lansing, Mich. The fourth-place finish is the Golden Gophers' best at the Big Ten indoor meet since 1968 when they finished third, and the three individual event champions are the most in school history at a single indoor league meet. On four different occasions (1948, 1965, 1972, 1986) the Golden Gophers have had two individual event champions.

A Closer Look: Mark Lacy won his second straight Big Ten indoor shot put title with a toss of 57-11 1/4, narrowly edging teammate Chad Goldstein who recorded a throw of 57-9 3/4. Lacy earned All-America honors at the NCAA Outdoor Championships last spring placing 10th with a throw of 58-10 1/4, with three foreign competitors finishing in front of him. He captured last year's conference indoor meet with a toss of 59-9, before finishing 15th at the NCAA Indoor Championships with a toss of 53-3 1/2. At the Wisconsin Invitational back on Jan. 25, he uncorked a personal-best and NCAA provisional qualifying throw of 60-7 1/4. Goldstein won the Northwest Open back on Jan. 18 with a personal-best and provisional qualifying throw of 60-1. Chris Brinkworth, who surpassed the provisional qualifying standard with a heave of 57-9 earlier in the season, finished fifth at the league indoor meet with a throw of 55-0 3/4 as the Golden Gophers' racked up 20 points in the event alone. Chris Murrell, who won the Big Ten indoor high jump title as a freshman two years ago with a personal-best and school indoor record jump of 7-3, claimed the top spot once again this year with a leap of 7-0 1/2. He surpassed the provisional qualifying standard with a winning leap of 7-2 1/2 at the Cyclone Invitational on Feb. 15. At the NCAA Outdoor Championships last year, he finished eighth with a leap of 7-0 1/2 to collect All-American honors. Keita Cline finished third in the triple jump at the Cyclone Invitational with a provisional qualifying jump of 51-8 1/2. Responding beautifully to the pressure of his first conference meet, he won the event with a leap of 50-7 1/2, en route to being honored as the Big Ten Freshman of the Year.

The Schedule: Friday, March 13 - High Jump Final, 6:40 p.m.
Saturday, March 14 - Shot Put, Prelims & Final, 6:35 p.m.; Triple Jump, Prelims & Final, 6:50 p.m.

GOPHERS FINISH FOURTH AT BIG TEN WRESTLING CHAMPIONSHIPS

Six Golden Gophers qualified for the NCAA Championships and powered Minnesota to a fourth-place team finish at the Big Ten Championships held this past weekend in Madison, Wis. Minnesota's 75 points bettered last year's eighth-place showing by 20 points and washed away the disappointments of an 8-14 dual meet record this season. Iowa successfully defended its conference title by outdistancing second-place Wisconsin, 185-104.

Junior Mike Marzetta (Liberty Lake, Wash.) finished second at 158 dropping a 12-5 decision to Iowa's Tom Ryan. Marzetta picked up two wins at the tournament to improve his record to 27-9. Two Gophers, Scott Rohrer (126 - Waupun, Wis.) and freshman Tim Harris (134 - St. Louis, Mo.), grabbed third place honors. Rohrer earned a 10-4 decision over Michigan's Jason Cluff, while Harris outlasted Ron Pieper, of Wisconsin, 6-4 in overtime.

Junior Damon Johnson (142 - Mustang Okla.) lost to Paul Andreotti (Northwestern), 10-4, to finish fourth. Gopher senior Eric Folkins (Sacramento, Calif.) also finished fourth when he dropped a close decision to Illinois' Greg Rudin, 6-5, in the third-place match at 118. The other Gopher to qualify for the national meet was freshman 150-pounder Chad Carlson (Pennock, Minn.), who defeated Charles Gary of Illinois, 12-2.

Minnesota's fourth-place finish is the best since the squad finished in a third-place tie in 1990. In six Big Ten Championships Coach Robinson's wrestlers have finished sixth (1987 and 1988), second (1989), tied for third (1990), seventh (1991) and now fourth.

The NCAA Championships will be held March 19-21 in Oklahoma City, Okla. Wrestlers finishing in the top five at the Big Ten Championships automatically qualify for the national tournament.

NETTERS SNAG TWO ROAD VICTORIES

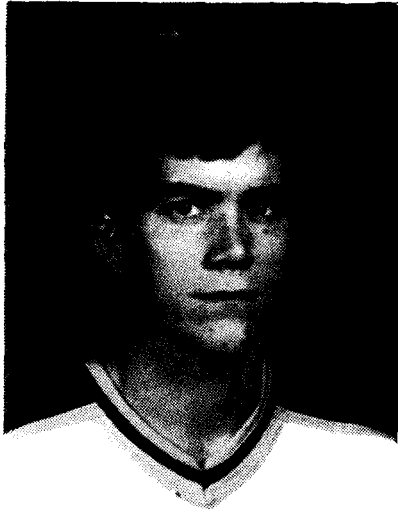
Coach David Geatz's men's tennis team picked up two road wins this weekend by defeating Navy and West Virginia in Charleston, W. Va. On Saturday, the Gophers knocked off the Middies, 9-0, and then breezed by the Mountaineers, 8-1, on Sunday, to improve to 7-2 on the season.

Senior captain Brian Uihlein (Lake Forest, Ill.) picked up his 15th singles victory as he swept Chris Thompson in straight sets, 6-3, 6-4. Uihlein and sophomore Adam Krafft (Saginaw, Mich.) also notched their 14th doubles win of the season when they beat Navy's Wayne Jang and Erick Bronson, 6-3, 7-6 (2). Krafft and Uihlein added another win against West Virginia to give them an impressive 15-1 record. Win number 15 came at the expense of Mark Booras and Rodrigo Gonzales, who are currently ranked 19th in the nation.

Minnesota travels to Ames, Iowa to take on Drake on Friday, before heading to Iowa City for a Big Ten match up with the Iowa Hawkeyes.

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All-American/Hobey Baker Candidates



The "Big O" Larry Olimb

5-10, 170 Captain, Senior Center
Warroad, Minn.

- Leading scorer on the Gophers with 21 goals and 47 assists
- Fourth in the nation in assists with 47
- Fifth in the WCHA scoring chart
- Olympic tryout camp finalist
- One of the best open ice players in collegiate hockey
- Chosen as a pre-season All-American by the *Sporting News*
- Bierman Academic Award winner
- Leading scorer on the Gophers in 1990-91 with 19 goals and 38 assists
- 1991-92 Team Captain for the Golden Gophers
- Second on Gopher career assist list with 150, behind John Mayasich (1951-55, 154)
- The most versatile player in college hockey; plays center, wing and defense in an average game, as well as on the power play and penalty killing units
- Winner of the prestigious Minnesota "Mr. Hockey" award as a high school senior
- Will graduate with a degree in elementary education

What they say about Olimb:

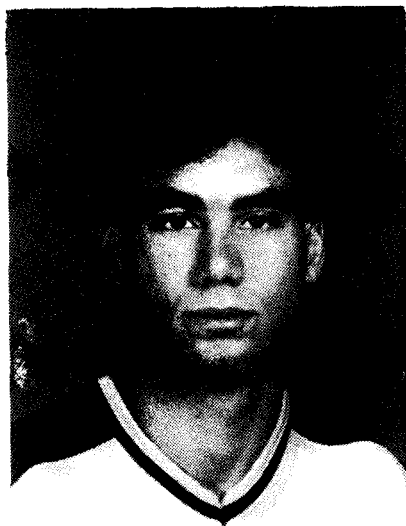
"He's a very versatile player who has had a great year. I like him because he can play both forward and defense, and has a great understanding of the game. He's a quiet type of player, who at times you don't notice, until you read the scoresheet at the end of the game," *Jeff Sauer, Head Coach, Wisconsin Badgers.*

"Larry has always been an important part of Minnesota's offense. This year as the team captain he has been the key player in Minnesota's success and he has elevated his game individually to the point where he is one of the premiere players in the WCHA and in the country," *John "Gino" Gasparini, Head Coach North Dakota Fighting Sioux*

"Larry is the cream of a golden crop. His versatility and his hockey skills make him one of the best in the country," *Bill Brophy, Wisconsin State Journal.*

"Larry is the type of player who can dominate a game at times. His individual skills and hockey sense put him in an elite group of players," *Head Coach Doug Woog, Minnesota Golden Gophers.*

All-American/Hobey Baker Candidates



The "Stopper"

Jeff Stolp

6-0, 185 Senior Goalie
Nashwauk, Minn.

- Leading the WCHA in goals against (2.87)
- Leading the WCHA in winning percentage (24-6, .800)
- Leading the WCHA in shutout periods with 34
- Third on the Minnesota career GAA list with a 3.12
- Leading the WCHA in Shutouts (2)
- Was the top goalie in the WCHA in 1991 when he lead the WCHA in goals against (2.71) and save percentage (.896)
- Currently third on the all-time win list at Minnesota with 54
- Is fourth on all-time games played list with 89
- Named to the WCHA All-Tournament Team for his play at the 1991 league tourney
- Ranked ninth in the nation in goals against average (2.87)
- Ranked second in the nation in winning percentage (24-6,.800)
- Leads the nation in wins with 23
- Draft rights are held by the Minnesota North Stars (4th round choice)
- Chosen as a pre-season All-American by the *Sporting News*

What they say about Stolp:

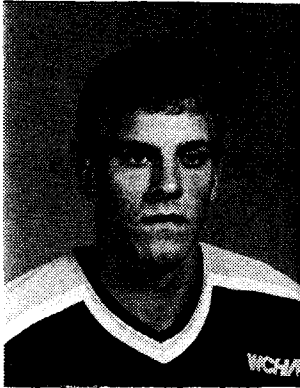
"Jeff has risen to the challenge this year and has given Minnesota consistency at the most important position on the ice. He makes the big save, even when he hasn't faced a lot of shots," *Rick Comley, Head Coach Northern Michigan Wildcats*

"Jeff is an outstanding standup goaltender who always seems to come up with the big save when his team needs it. He's definitely one of the best we've faced this year," *Mike McShane, Head Coach Providence*

"Stolper has rebounded from a tough sophomore season and been the best goalie in our league for the last two years. His hard work and determination have made him into one of the finest netminders in the country. Our success has been closely tied to the consistently strong play he has provided," *Doug Woog, Head Coach Minnesota Golden Gophers*

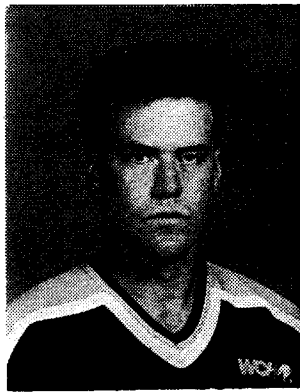
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All-WCHA/All-American Candidates



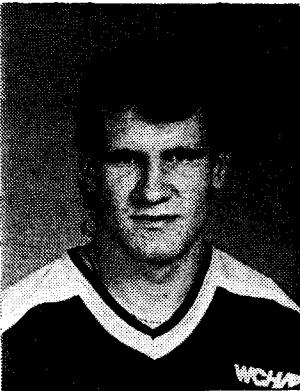
Craig Johnson "C.J."
6-2, 195, Sophomore Center
St. Paul, Minn.

Johnson is the third leading scorer on the Gophers' team this year with 17 goals and 34 assists. He was 12th in the WCHA in scoring and seventh in assists last week. He is the team leader in power play goals with 12. One of the fastest players in the WCHA, Johnson is an Olympic Trials finalist and one of the keys to Minnesota's league-leading specialty teams. A second round pick of the St. Louis Blues, his size and speed make him one of the top players in the country. Johnson was named to the WCHA All-Freshman team last year, even though he missed most of the second half of the season. A product of the USA Hockey system, Johnson is a strong candidate for the 1994 Olympic team.



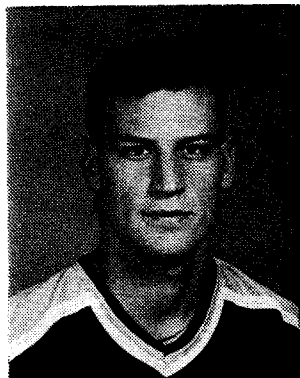
Trent Klatt "Klatter"
6-1, 205, Junior
Osseo, Minn.

Klatt is the leading goal scorer on the team with 26 goals and 33 assists. Klatt was fifth in the country in game winning goals going into the weekend. A prototype hockey player with size, strength and great hand skills, he is one of the most physically imposing offensive threats in the country. His ability to control the puck with opposing players draped on his back or retrieve the puck from the corners make him a dangerous threat. Another USA Hockey product who was an Olympic Trials finalist, he has been a leader on the team all year. Klatt is the type of player who always comes to play, but really turns it up a notch in the big games.



Travis Richards "Richie"
6-1, 195 Junior Defenseman
Crystal, Minn.

Richards is the biggest offensive threat of the Gophers' blueliners. He has the ability to take the puck the length of the ice and score. He leads the Gopher blueliners in scoring with 10 goals and 19 assists. He has four power play goals and is a key contributor on the penalty killing unit as well. Richards was an Olympic Festival player and is a ninth round draft pick of the Minnesota North Stars. He has great skating skills and speed, and knows how to use his body in the defensive zone.



Doug Zmolek "Z-Man"
6-1, 215 Junior Defenseman
Rochester, Minn.

Zmolek is the leader of the Gophers' defense which leads the WCHA. A tough, physical player who delivers punishing checks. He possesses great passing skills and can control the flow of the game when he has the puck. He has four goals and 19 assists this year with two game-winning goals. Another Olympic Trials finalist, he is one of the main reasons the Gophers have held their foes to less than three goals per-game. He was a first round draft choice of the Minnesota North Stars, but his rights are now controlled by the San Jose Sharks.



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POST-SEASON BASKETBALL TICKET INFORMATION ANNOUNCED

The University of Minnesota will NOT have tickets for sale to the general public for the first round game of the National Invitation Tournament at Pullman, WA, on Wednesday, March 18. Golden Gopher fans are urged to contact the Washington State University ticket office at (509) 335-9626 or 1-800-462-6846 for complete ticket information.

Tickets for Wednesday's game at Washington State University are priced at \$10 for lower concourse reserved, \$8.00 for upper concourse general admission for adults and \$4.00 for upper concourse general admission for youth tickets (high school age and below).

If the U of M advances in NIT play, it is anticipated that a second-round game could be played at Williams Arena on Tuesday, March 24. Details for the sale of tickets to the general public would be announced as soon as possible following confirmation of such a game.

For additional NIT ticket information, phone (612) 624-8080.



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COMING EVENTS:**Wednesday, March 18**

Basketball @ Washington State
11:00 p.m., Pullman, Wash.

Thursday, March 19

Wrestling @ NCAA Championship
Oklahoma City, Okla.

Friday, March 20

Hockey vs. Colorado College
WCHA Final Four (semifinal)
7:05 p.m., St. Paul Civic Ctr.
Wrestling @ NCAA Championship
Oklahoma City, Okla.

Saturday, March 21

Wrestling @ NCAA Championship
Oklahoma City, Okla.
Hockey vs. TBA
2:05 or 7:05 p.m., St. Paul Civic Ctr.

Tuesday, March 24

Baseball @ Kentucky
3:00 p.m., Lexington, Ky.

Wednesday, March 25

Baseball @ Kentucky
3:00 p.m., Lexington, Ky.
Track & Field @ Texas Invitational
3:00 p.m., Austin Texas.

Thursday, March 26

Baseball @ Marshall
4:00 p.m., Huntington, W.Va.
Golf @ Pacific Coast Intercollegiate
Santa Barbara, Calif.

BASKETBALL

11/9 UM 67 Brazil Ripasa 66
11/18 UM 93, AIA 100
11/25 UM 83, Arkansas 92
11/26 UM 89, Providence 82
11/27 UM 69, Arizona State 37
11/30 UM 95, Howard 54
12/2 UM 98 Youngstown St. 59
12/11 UM 86, Akron 59
12/14 UM 80, Alabama-Birm. 86
12/17 UM 68, Detroit 66
12/19 UM 62, Memphis State 65
12/23 UM 92, Weber State 52
12/27 UM 89, Oregon 64
12/28 UM 80, Oregon State 92
1/4 UM 73, Iowa State 76
1/9 UM 50, Indiana 96
1/11 UM 73, Michigan 64
1/15 UM 49, Wisconsin 48
1/18 UM 70, Michigan State 66
1/22 UM 69, Ohio State 72
1/25 UM 54, Illinois 53
1/29 UM 92, Northwestern 50
2/1 UM 70, Iowa 87
2/5 UM 57, Purdue 65
2/8 UM 57, Northwestern 55
2/12 UM 71, Indiana 67
2/15 UM 58, Illinois 74
2/19 UM 70, Michigan 95
2/25 UM 64, Iowa 79
3/4 UM 76, Wisconsin 57
3/7 UM 58, Purdue 68
3/11 UM 57, Michigan State 66
3/14 UM 63, Ohio State 94
3/18 @ Washington State (NIT)

HOCKEY

10/12 U.S. Hockey Hall of Fame Game
UM 5, No. Michigan 7
10/18 UM 7, Minnesota-Duluth 3
10/19 UM 4, Minnesota-Duluth 7
10/25 UM 2, Denver 4
10/26 UM 5, Denver 1
11/1 UM 7, St. Cloud State 4
11/2 UM 7, St. Cloud State 2
11/8 UM 3, Michigan 7
11/9 UM 6, Michigan 7
11/15 UM 5, Wisconsin 4
11/16 UM 4, Wisconsin 1
11/22 UM 4, Alaska-Anchorage 0
11/23 UM 3, Alaska-Anchorage 2
11/29 UM 4, North Dakota 2
11/30 UM 8, North Dakota 2
12/14 UM 5, Northern Michigan 7
12/15 UM 3, Northern Michigan 4
12/21 UM 5, Providence 2
12/22 UM 6, Bowling Green 5 (OT)
12/30 UM 10, University of Calgary 4
1/3 UM 5, Michigan Tech 2
1/4 UM 6, Michigan Tech 1
1/10 UM 3, Minnesota-Duluth 0
1/11 UM 5, Minnesota-Duluth 4 (OT)
1/17 UM 9, Michigan Tech 2
1/18 UM 6, Michigan Tech 3
1/24 UM 6, Colorado College 3
1/25 UM 8, Colorado College 2
1/31 UM 3, Northern Michigan 2
2/1 UM 5, Northern Michigan 3
2/7 UM 2, Wisconsin 1
2/8 UM 1, Wisconsin 4
2/14 UM 5, Colorado College 3
2/15 UM 6, Colorado College 4
2/21 UM 4, Denver 5 (OT)
2/22 UM 7, Denver 3
2/28 UM 2, St. Cloud State 1
2/29 UM 4, St. Cloud State 1
3/6 UM 10, North Dakota 1
3/7 UM 5, North Dakota 3
3/13 UM, 3, North Dakota 5
3/14 UM 9, North Dakota 2
3/15 UM 3, North Dakota 1
3/20 vs. Colorado College -WCHA semi

Golden Gopher Hotline
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Tues., March 17 - Wrestling Coach J Robinson previews NCAA Championship
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MINNESOTA TO PLAY AT WASHINGTON STATE IN FIRST ROUND OF NIT WEDNESDAY

Head Coach Clem Haskins' youthful Golden Gopher basketball team (16-15, 8-10 Big Ten) will play at Washington State (21-10, 9-9 Pac-10) on Wednesday at 11:00 p.m. (Central) in the first round of the National Invitation Tournament.

Probable Starting Lineup:

Forward: #32 Jayson Walton (Dallas), 6-6, Freshman, 6.9 ppg, 3.9 rpg, 1.2 apg
Forward: #34 Randy Carter (Memphis, Tenn.), 6-8, Sophomore, 8.8 ppg, 5.6 rpg, 1.4 apg
Center: #55 Bob Martin (Apple Valley, Minn.), 7-0, Senior, 7.5 ppg, 5.2 rpg, 2.0 bpg
Guard: #10 Arriel McDonald (Raleigh, N.C.), 6-2, Sophomore, 10.7 ppg, 3.1 rpg, 3.8 apg
Guard: #21 Voshon Lenard (Detroit), 6-4, Freshman, 12.7 ppg, 3.6 rpg, 2.7 apg

Broadcast Coverage: Wednesday's NIT game at Washington State will be televised live on ESPN. WCCO-AM 830 is the exclusive radio voice of University of Minnesota basketball with Ray Christensen calling all the action.

Coach Haskins: In his sixth season at the helm, Head Coach Clem Haskins has been the chief architect behind the resurgence of the Golden Gopher basketball program. After two rebuilding seasons, he directed the program to national prominence with back-to-back storbook runs through the NCAA Tournament in 1989 (Sweet Sixteen) and 1990 (Elite Eight). With a roster that includes six freshmen, five sophomore, two juniors and one senior, he and his staff have once again done an outstanding job this season in bringing the Golden Gophers' to their third postseason appearance in four years. Known as "Clem the Gem," he was a consensus All-America choice, and is still recognized as one of the most dominant players to ever play in the Ohio Valley Conference, after charting a standout collegiate career at Western Kentucky. The third player selected in the NBA draft, he went on to play nine outstanding seasons in the professional ranks. Coach Haskins has recorded an 89-89 overall record at Minnesota, including a 70-52 mark over the past four seasons. He has a 190-162 overall record in 12 seasons. He is also no stranger to the NIT. As a player, he helped lead Western Kentucky into the quarterfinals in 1964-65, and then his 1981-82 Hilltoppers squad lost 72-65 in the first round at Purdue.

The Scouting Report: Senior guard Neil Derrick scored 17 points to lead Washington State to a 75-57 victory over visiting Washington in the regular season finale last Saturday. The Cougars, an impressive 13-3 this season at Friel Court, opened the game with a 15-2 scoring run and the Huskies never came closer than 11 points the rest of the way. A talented and deep backcourt is led by senior Terrence Lewis, who is averaging a team-leading 17.4 points a game, and Derrick, who is next in scoring at 16.1 points an outing. In the frontcourt, 6-8 senior Ken Critton is averaging 9.5 points and a team-leading 8.3 rebounds a game. The Cougars won five of their last seven games, including a big 82-68 victory over USC and a tough 89-85 defeat to UCLA. In his fifth season at Washington State, Head Coach Kelvin Sampson, has charted a 67-79 record. The 1991 Pac-10 Coach of the Year is 140-124 in nine seasons overall.

Series Record: Wednesday's game will be only the second meeting ever between Minnesota and Washington State in basketball. Behind 15 points from Dave Winfield, the Golden Gophers came away with a 41-35 victory over the Cougars in the first round of the Far West Classic at Portland, Ore., back on Dec. 27, 1972. Mike Dolven led the Cougars with 12 points.

Minnesota & The NIT: Minnesota will be making its fifth appearance in the NIT and the first since 1983. The Golden Gophers have charted an overall record of 7-4 in NIT play. In 1980, the Kevin McHale-led Golden Gophers advanced all the way to the title game where they fell 58-55 to Ralph Sampson's Virginia Cavaliers.

A Look Back: The Golden Gophers dropped a 94-63 decision to Ohio State in the regular season finale before 15,806 at Williams Arena last Saturday and have now lost six of their past seven ballgames heading into the NIT. Arriel McDonald led the Golden Gophers with 11 points.

Don't Come Around Here No More: The Golden Gophers have set a new single-season school record for blocked shots. Through 31 games, they have recorded 127 rejections. The previous school record of 119 blocks was set during the 1981-82 season.

Going Long: The Golden Gophers have set new single-season school records for three pointers attempted with 392 overall and 244 in the Big Ten. The old records of 351 and 213 were set back in 1989-90. They also made 77 three pointers in the Big Ten, with the old record of 74 having been set in 1989-90. Coach Haskins' squad is on the doorstep of several more records from beyond the arc. The Golden Gophers have made 129 three pointers overall. The school record of 131 was set in 1989-90. Individually, Voshon Lenard has attempted 140 three pointers this season, breaking Willie Burton's single-season school record of 136 attempts set in 1989-90. Lenard has also made 49 overall, putting him within reach of Burton's school mark of 52 set in 1989-90.

Tough Schedule...Big Wins: Minnesota's schedule this season has been one of the most demanding in school history and Coach Haskins' young squad has chalked up some big wins along the way. The Golden Gophers defeated Arizona State 69-37 at the Maui Invitational back on Nov. 27 when the Sun Devils were ranked No. 25. They also topped then No. 11 Michigan 73-64 on Jan. 11 and then No. 11 Michigan State 70-66 on Jan. 18. One of the biggest victories of all was the 71-67 upset of then No. 4 Indiana on Feb. 12. The Golden Gophers met nine teams (Arkansas, Howard, Memphis State, Iowa State, Indiana, Michigan, Michigan State, Ohio State, Iowa) this season that will play in the NCAA Tournament and three more (Arizona State, Alabama-Birmingham, Purdue) that have been selected for the NIT.

Bob Martin: Bob Martin has played in 118 career games going into Wednesday's first round NIT game at Washington State. The school record of 119 is shared by Randy Breuer (1979-83) and Kevin Lynch (1987-91). The 7-foot, 255-pounder scored a career-high 17 points when the Golden Gophers defeated Northwestern 92-50 at Williams Arena back on Jan. 29. Through 31 games, he is ranked fourth on the team in scoring (7.5), second in rebounding (5.2) and is the team leader in blocks (2.0). He is shooting a sparkling 61.3 percent (100-163) from the floor, and earlier this season he moved into third on the all-time school career blocks list behind Breuer (224) and Kevin McHale (214). He has recorded 145 career rejections.

70 The Magic Number: The Golden Gophers are 15-4 when they have held opponents to 70 points or less this season. When opponents have scored more than 70 points, they have a 1-11 record on the season.

Final Four Media Credentials: The University of Minnesota has been asked to remind news agencies that ALL requests for media credentials for the 1992 NCAA Final Four basketball tournament at the Hubert H. Humphrey Metrodome on April 4 & 6 MUST be directed to Dave Cawood at the NCAA headquarters. Please DO NOT send such requests to the University of Minnesota. Send the requests to: Dave Cawood, NCAA, 6201 College Blvd, Overland Park, Kansas 66211.

NAME	G	ST	TOTAL FG			3-PT FG			FREE THROWS			REBOUNDS			PF	DIS	AST	AVG AST	TO	BLK	STL	AVG MIN	PTS	AVG		
			FG	FGA	PCT	FG	FGA	PCT	FT	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT											AVG	
Lenard HIGHS:	18	18	75	196	38.3	25	85	29.4	44	55	80.0	18	50	68	3.8	55	3	35	1.9	39	8	25	27	219	12.2	
			PTS 25 vs MICHIGAN								RBS 8 vs MICHIGAN							AST 4 vs MICHIGAN STATE								
McDonald HIGHS:	18	18	84	193	43.5	22	62	35.5	24	32	75.0	22	28	50	2.8	37	0	68	3.8	30	0	18	31	214	11.9	
			PTS 22 vs WISCONSIN								RBS 6 vs Purdue							AST 8 vs IOWA								
Walton HIGHS:	18	11	44	103	42.7	0	1	.0	24	36	66.7	31	37	68	3.8	43	4	17	.9	30	3	10	18	112	6.2	
			PTS 13 vs PURDUE								RBS 7 vs Illinois							AST 4 vs NORTHWESTERN								
Martin HIGHS:	18	18	50	89	56.2	0	0	.0	11	27	40.7	30	60	90	5.0	47	1	11	.6	30	28	11	22	111	6.2	
			PTS 17 vs NORTHWESTERN								RBS 8 vs Ohio State							AST 2 vs NORTHWESTERN								
Tubbs HIGHS:	17	7	44	105	41.9	1	5	20.0	18	28	64.3	28	22	50	2.9	41	1	15	.9	14	3	10	19	107	6.3	
			PTS 15 vs Purdue								RBS 5 vs ILLINOIS							AST 4 vs IOWA								
Orr HIGHS:	18	0	35	90	38.9	19	52	36.5	7	18	38.9	2	19	21	1.2	28	0	32	1.8	23	0	13	16	96	5.3	
			PTS 20 vs MICHIGAN STATE								RBS 3 vs MICHIGAN							AST 5 vs NORTHWESTERN								
Jackson HIGHS:	18	8	30	85	35.3	0	1	.0	19	36	52.8	22	24	46	2.6	43	1	11	.6	24	2	6	16	79	4.4	
			PTS 11 vs ILLINOIS								RBS 6 vs Wisconsin							AST 3 vs NORTHWESTERN								
Kolander HIGHS:	15	0	17	48	35.4	0	0	.0	31	39	79.5	26	27	53	3.5	35	1	12	.8	15	5	11	18	65	4.3	
			PTS 11 vs MICHIGAN								RBS 7 vs Indiana							AST 3 vs MICHIGAN								
Nzigamasabo HIGHS:	18	0	22	60	36.7	0	0	.0	18	34	52.9	25	25	50	2.8	43	1	11	.6	10	3	6	14	62	3.4	
			PTS 11 vs Northwestern								RBS 8 vs IOWA							AST 1 vs Indiana								
Carter HIGHS:	11	10	21	65	32.3	3	10	30.0	9	17	52.9	18	28	46	4.2	23	1	13	1.2	16	1	6	19	54	4.9	
			PTS 11 vs Indiana								RBS 12 vs WISCONSIN							AST 2 vs Indiana								
Wolf HIGHS:	11	0	10	42	23.8	7	28	25.0	3	8	37.5	6	5	11	1.0	19	0	8	.7	13	0	2	8	30	2.7	
			PTS 7 vs OHIO STATE								RBS 4 vs NORTHWESTERN							AST 5 vs NORTHWESTERN								
Clark HIGHS:	4	0	3	5	60.0	0	0	.0	1	2	50.0	2	3	5	1.3	1	0	1	.3	3	0	1	2	7	1.8	
			PTS 5 vs Michigan								RBS 3 vs Michigan							AST 1 vs Michigan								
Roe HIGHS:	7	0	1	1	100.0	0	0	.0	0	0	.0	2	1	3	.4	2	0	0	.0	0	0	0	1	2	.3	
			PTS 2 vs NORTHWESTERN								RBS 1 vs NORTHWESTERN															
TEAM														49	2.7					6						
TOTAL	18		436	1082	40.3	77	244	31.6	209	332	63.0	232	378	610	33.9	417	13	234	13.0	253	53	119		1158	64.3	
HIGHS:			PTS 92 vs NORTHWESTERN								RBS 48 vs WISCONSIN							AST 29 vs NORTHWESTERN								
OPPONENTS	18		394	860	45.8	77	195	39.5	391	540	72.4	156	490	646	35.9	327	8	257	14.3	301	64	104		1256	69.8	
HIGHS:			PTS 96 vs Indiana								RBS 44 vs Indiana							AST 28 vs Michigan								

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UM	FG%	OPPONENT	OPP	FG%	HIGH SCORER	HIGH REBOUNDER	ATTEND	PLACE & DATE
83	33.7	Arkansas	92	42.3	19 Carter	11 Carter	1,800	Maui Invitational- Nov. 25
89	54.5	Providence	82	38.8	20 Lenard	6 McDonald	1,000	Maui Invitational - Nov. 26
69	53.6	Arizona State	37	27.3	10 Carter	6 Lenard		
					10 Martin	9 Walton	1,000	Maui Invitational - Nov. 27
95	45.1	HOWARD	54	33.9	17 Carter	8 Carter	12,923	WILLIAMS ARENA - Nov. 30
98	56.0	YOUNGSTOWN STATE	59	35.5	21 McDonald	8 Martin	12,314	WILLIAMS ARENA - Dec. 2
86	45.8	AKRON	59	33.9	16 Lenard	11 Martin	12,473	WILLIAMS ARENA - Dec. 11
80	43.5	Alabama-Birmingham	86	61.9	20 Carter	10 Carter	7,427	Birmingham, AL - Dec. 14
68	44.3	DETROIT MERCY	66	57.4	15 Martin		12,569	WILLIAMS ARENA - Dec. 17
62	40.6	Memphis State	65	40.6	12 Jackson	8 Lenard	17,240	Memphis, TN - Dec. 19
					12 Carter			
92	53.8	WEBER STATE	52	33.3	18 McDonald	9 Martin	13,269	WILLIAMS ARENA - Dec. 23
89	54.0	Oregon	64	40.0	18 Lenard	12 Carter	7,020	Far West Classic -Dec. 27
80	47.5	Oregon State	92	60.0	18 Lenard	7 Carter	6,959	Far West Classic - Dec. 28
73	49.1	IOWA STATE	76	52.5	16 Kolander	6 Carter	16,029	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 4
50	32.8	Indiana	96	53.6	13 McDonald	7 Kolander	17,238	Bloomington, IN - Jan. 9
73	39.1	MICHIGAN	64	40.4	25 Lenard	8 Lenard	16,193	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 11
49	40.4	Wisconsin	48	47.1	12 Lenard	6 Jackson	9,374	Madison, WI - Jan. 15
70	37.5	MICHIGAN STATE	66	41.8	20 Orr	7 Martin	15,109	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 18
69	41.0	Ohio State	72	41.5	19 Lenard	8 Martin	13,276	Columbus, OH - Jan. 22
54	35.7	ILLINOIS	53	36.6	14 Lenard	6 Martin	16,126	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 25
92	55.6	NORTHWESTERN	50	36.4	17 Martin	7 Nzigamasabo	13,418	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 29
						7 Martin		
70	39.1	Iowa	87	51.1	13 McDonald	5 Tubbs	15,500	Iowa City, IA - Feb. 1
57	40.0	Purdue	65	55.3	15 Tubbs	7 Nzigamasabo	14,123	W. Lafayette, IN - Feb. 5
57	39.3	Northwestern	55	44.1	11 Nzigamasabo	6 Martin	7,897	Evanston, IL - Feb. 8
71	42.6	INDIANA	67	40.0	18 McDonald	8 Martin	16,212	WILLIAMS ARENA - Feb. 12
58	37.7	Illinois	74	41.0	12 McDonald	9 Carter	14,322	Champaign, IL - Feb. 15
70	42.9	Michigan	95	62.3	16 McDonald	5 Lenard	13,422	Ann Arbor, MI - Feb. 19
					16 Lenard			
64	37.5	IOWA	79	53.5	21 Lenard	8 Nzigamasabo	15,937	WILLIAMS ARENA - Feb. 25
76	49.1	WISCONSIN	57	30.5	22 McDonald	12 Carter	14,449	WILLIAMS ARENA - Mar. 4
58	32.8	PURDUE	68	52.6	17 McDonald	5 Tubbs	15,749	WILLIAMS ARENA - Mar. 7
57	47.3	Michigan State	66	49.0	14 McDonald	6 Martin	15,138	E. Lansing, MI - Mar. 11
					14 Lenard			
63	32.8	OHIO STATE	94	49.1	11 McDonald	7 Martin	15,806	WILLIAMS ARENA -Mar. 14
TEAM RECORD		ALL GAMES	16-15	51.6%				
		LEAGUE	8-10	44.4%				

TWO GOLDEN GOPHER DIVERS QUALIFY FOR NCAA MEET

Senior Omar Boyd (Los Angeles) and junior David Zarns (New Brighton, Minn.) have qualified for the NCAA Swimming & Diving Championships to be held in Indianapolis, on March 26-28. Boyd qualified by winning the three-meter diving event with 516.20 points last weekend, in the Zone C Diving Championships, held in the University of Minnesota Aquatic Center. Zarns qualified by finishing eighth on the three-meter with 467.35 points and sixth on the one-meter with a score of 443.85. With the last two additions, Minnesota has now qualified ten athletes for the Championship meet.

NAME	G	ST	INCLUDES LEAGUE GAMES & NON-LEAGUE GAMES						FREE THROWS			REBOUNDS			PF	DIS	AST	AVG			PTS	AVG			
			TOTAL FG	FGA	PCT	3-PT FG	FGA	PCT	FT	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT				AVG	TO	BLK			STL	MIN	
Lenard HIGHS:	31	31	133	320	41.6	49	140	35.0	80	99	80.8	31	80	111	3.6	81	3	84	2.7	65	10	49	26	395	12.7
			PTS 25 vs MICHIGAN									RBS 8 vs Memphis State						AST 7 vs Arkansas							
McDonald HIGHS:	31	31	125	292	42.8	29	91	31.9	54	68	79.4	37	58	95	3.1	70	2	118	3.8	58	2	35	28	333	10.7
			PTS 22 vs WISCONSIN									RBS 7 vs WEBER STATE						AST 9 vs Oregon							
Martin HIGHS:	31	31	100	163	61.3	0	0	.0	34	55	61.8	58	102	160	5.2	79	3	18	.6	53	61	17	21	234	7.5
			PTS 17 vs NORTHWESTERN									RBS 11 vs AKRON						AST 3 vs IOWA STATE							
Walton HIGHS:	31	12	83	193	43.0	0	2	.0	48	67	71.6	53	69	122	3.9	61	4	36	1.2	51	9	18	19	214	6.9
			PTS 15 vs Oregon State									RBS 9 vs Arizona State						AST 4 vs IOWA STATE							
Carter HIGHS:	24	23	80	188	42.6	14	33	42.4	37	60	61.7	50	84	134	5.6	57	3	33	1.4	38	6	14	21	211	8.8
			PTS 20 vs Alabama-Birmingham									RBS 12 vs Oregon						AST 4 vs IOWA STATE							
Jackson HIGHS:	31	20	67	164	40.9	1	4	25.0	43	75	57.3	39	52	91	2.9	69	2	40	1.3	51	10	16	18	178	5.7
			PTS 16 vs Oregon									RBS 7 vs YOUNGSTOWN STATE						AST 5 vs YOUNGSTOWN STATE							
Tubbs HIGHS:	30	7	64	172	37.2	2	20	10.0	27	43	62.8	44	44	88	2.9	63	1	27	.9	29	4	17	17	157	5.2
			PTS 15 vs Purdue									RBS 6 vs Arkansas						AST 4 vs IOWA							
Orr HIGHS:	31	0	57	137	41.6	24	65	36.9	17	37	45.9	5	42	47	1.5	49	0	61	2.0	48	0	28	15	155	5.0
			PTS 20 vs MICHIGAN STATE									RBS 4 vs WEBER STATE						AST 5 vs WEBER STATE							
Kolander HIGHS:	28	0	42	89	47.2	0	0	.0	63	87	72.4	46	44	90	3.2	61	1	20	.7	26	12	17	17	147	5.3
			PTS 16 vs IOWA STATE									RBS 9 vs Alabama-Birmingham						AST 3 vs MICHIGAN							
Nzigamasabo HIGHS:	31	0	51	113	45.1	0	0	.0	29	52	55.8	42	42	84	2.7	57	1	20	.6	21	12	9	13	131	4.2
			PTS 13 vs HOWARD									RBS 8 vs IOWA						AST 3 vs YOUNGSTOWN STATE							
Wolf HIGHS:	22	0	16	58	27.6	10	35	28.6	5	12	41.7	10	9	19	.9	29	0	15	.7	16	0	3	6	47	2.1
			PTS 7 vs OHIO STATE									RBS 4 vs NORTHWESTERN						AST 5 vs NORTHWESTERN							
Clark HIGHS:	10	0	5	11	45.5	0	2	.0	5	7	71.4	3	5	8	.8	3	0	1	.1	4	0	2	2	15	1.5
			PTS 5 vs Michigan									RBS 3 vs Michigan						AST 1 vs Michigan							
Roe HIGHS:	14	0	2	3	66.7	0	0	.0	1	3	33.3	5	4	9	.6	8	0	2	.1	2	1	0	2	5	.4
			PTS 2 vs Arizona State									RBS 2 vs Arizona State						AST 1 vs HOWARD							
TEAM														98	3.2										
TOTAL	31		825	1903	43.4	129	392	32.9	443	665	66.6	423	733	1156	37.3	687	20	475	15.3	469	127	225		2222	71.7
HIGHS:			PTS 98 vs YOUNGSTOWN STATE									RBS 57 vs Arkansas						AST 30 vs YOUNGSTOWN STATE							
OPONENTS	31		709	1609	44.1	138	377	36.6	584	850	68.7	307	794	1101	35.5	604	12	432	13.9	547	105	208		2140	69.0
HIGHS:			PTS 96 vs Indiana									RBS 50 vs Arkansas						AST 28 vs Michigan							

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GOPHERS WIN FINAL TWO GAMES WITH NORTH DAKOTA TO ADVANCE TO THE WCHA TOURNAMENT FOR THE FIFTH STRAIGHT TIME

Doug Woog's Golden Gopher ice hockey team battled back from a 1-0 deficit in a best-of-three series to win the first round series and advance to their fifth consecutive WCHA Tournament appearance. The Gophers (32-9), fell behind 1-0 in the series when they lost the opener on Friday night 5-3, while outshooting the Sioux 55-18. The Gophers peppered North Dakota goalie Todd Jones for 24 shots in the opening period and jumped to a 3-1 lead, but the Sioux netminder turned away 31 shots in the final two periods to spark the upset.

Two Straight: The Maroon and Gold went into Saturday's game knowing they must win two straight to advance to St. Paul. The Gophers came out flying again, putting 16 shots on Jones in the first period with four of them finding the twine. A pair of freshmen led the way for the Gophers. WCHA Freshman of the Year candidate Darby Hendrickson (Richfield, Minn.) scored his 24th goal of the year 51 seconds into the contest to ignite the crowd. Justin McHugh (Minnetonka, Minn.) notched two goals in the first stanza, while Hobey Baker Award candidate Larry Olimb (Warroad, Minn.) added his 12th power play goal of the year to put the Gophers on top for good. Olimb added another goal and set Doug Zmolek (Rochester, Minn.) up for two goals as the Gophers cruised to a 9-2 win. Junior Tom Newman (Blaine, Minn.) won his fifth straight game, holding the high-scoring Sioux forwards at bay for the third straight time and lowering his GAA to 2.26 for the year.

Do or Die: Sunday's game was a must-win situation for both teams and the first 20 minutes looked that way as both teams were a little cautious. The opening period ended scoreless for the first time for the Gophers since February 29th. The Sioux scored first when Justin Duberman notched his 17th of the year at 3:05 of the second period.

The Big "O" Comes Through: The Gophers' offense cranked it up a notch in the second and the team looked to their leader Larry Olimb for the spark. Olimb notched a power play blast to tie the game at 1-1, and jump start the Gophers. He continued his awesome play by setting up linemates Trent Klatt (Osseo, Minn.) and Cory Laylin (St. Cloud, Minn.) for their 27th and 19th goals of the year respectively. With those assists Olimb became the all-time assist leader at Minnesota with 156, surpassing the record held by the legendary John Mayasich who tallied 154 assists in the mid-fifties. Olimb played his best hockey of the season and thrust himself into the middle of the Hobey Baker Award voting with his nine point weekend. He leads the country in assists with 53 for the year and is fourth in scoring with 77 points.

Gophers Aim to Break St. Paul Hex: The University of Minnesota has not been very fortunate at the St. Paul Civic Center. Hailed as an unfair home ice advantage for Minnesota when the tournament was first held there in 1988, the Gophers have never won the tournament and have a 3-5 record in four tournament appearances. Overall, the Gophers have a 4-6 mark in the Civic Center, with the most heartbreaking loss coming in the 1989 NCAA Championship game when the Gophers lost 4-3 to Harvard in overtime.

Klatt Continues To Attack: Pre-season All-American Trent Klatt is having his best season as a Gopher. The tough winger is the leading goal scorer on the team with 27 and is leading the team in game winners with six. He has already surpassed his scoring totals of his first two years and is a prime candidate for post-season honors. With 63 total points puts him ninth in the WCHA in scoring while ranking fifth in the country in game winning goals.

Hendrickson Lives Up To His Billing: Darby Hendrickson came into the season with the burden of being chosen the pre-season choice for Freshman of the Year in the WCHA. He has lived up to that challenge and more. The dynamic young forward has added a scoring spark to the Gopher lineup. He is second on the team in goals scored with 25 and has notched 28 assists to go with that. His 53 points put him in the top 15 in scoring in the league and he is the leading scorer among all freshmen in the WCHA. He is fourth on the team in power play goals with 11 and fourth on the team in assists with 28.

Laylin Continues to Shine: Senior wing Cory Laylin has really been lighting up the goal light in recent weeks. His success has inspired his line and recharged the Minnesota offense. He has 10 goals in the last 13 games. His 19 goals this year is making his final campaign as a Gopher his best.

"Stopper Returns to Gain Win Number 25": Pre-season All-American Jeff Stolp returned to the lineup this past weekend and held the Sioux to four goals in two games, lowering his WCHA-leading GAA to 2.84. Stolp, who leads the WCHA in all categories but one, is the best goalie in the WCHA. His stats the last two years give him more wins, a lower GAA, and a better winning percentage, than his nearest competitor. The unsung hero of the Gophers was snubbed at the WCHA awards banquet last year. This year he is the team's unofficial choice as MVP and should be honored as such. He now ranks third in games played, third in career GAA (3.13) and third in wins (55)

Broadcast Notes: All WCHA tournament games during the will be broadcast on KITN FOX 29 with Frank Mazzocco and Wally Shaver calling the action. The Minnesota games will also be broadcast on a delayed basis on KFAN AM 1130 with Greg Harrington and Doug Johnson calling the action. Both games will also be live on KJJO AM 950 with Harrington and Johnson.

The Bell Tolls Loudly: Sophomore Scott Bell (St. Paul, Minn.) continues to have an outstanding season. His aggressive play on the special teams has been a big boost and he has now discovered a scoring touch that was somewhat unexpected. Bell has notched 14 goals this season, and he adds a strong forechecking and physical presence to the lineup that always seems to create scoring opportunities.

Minnesota vs. Colorado College: The Gophers swept the Tigers at the Broadmoor Arena last January 6-3, 8-2, as the Minnesota power play had eight goals in 13 attempts. Larry Olimb had a phenomenal weekend scoring five goals and notching five assists, including four power play goals. Olimb was named WCHA Player of the Week for his efforts. The Minnesota/Colorado College series at Mariucci Arena had the same outcome as the Gophers won 5-3 and 6-4. The games were much tighter as the improved Tigers limited the Gophers scoring opportunities by slowing play down. Olimb was held to one goal and two assists, but Trent Klatt had three goals and one assist and Cory Laylin had a pair of goals to pace the Gophers. Minnesota leads the all-time series with CC 125-51-4. Minnesota has never played CC in the tournament.

Minnesota vs. Wisconsin: Minnesota won three of four from the Badgers this year, winning the two home games 5-4, 4-1 and winning the first game in Madison 2-1, before losing the second game 4-1. That loss ended Minnesota's 13 game winning streak. Minnesota leads the all-time series 99-59-11, which began in 1921. Minnesota's record in the WCHA tournament against Wisconsin is 1-3, with last year's 3-2 victory being the first time the Gophers had beaten the Badgers in the Civic Center.

Minnesota vs. Northern Michigan: The Gophers and the Wildcats split their regular season games with the visiting teams sweeping the home team in their arena. The Gophers two losses at Mariucci Arena were handed to them almost single handedly by goalie Corwin Saurdiff who stopped 84 of 92 shots as the Maroon and Gold out shot the Wildcats 92-46. Minnesota has a 18-11-4 edge in the all-time series and an 0-1 record in the WCHA tournament against the Wildcats after they losing the championship game last year 4-2.

Streaks: The Gophers have compiled some notable streaks on the way to their ninth WCHA title. They have now won 28 of their last 33 games and are 22-3 in the last 25 games. The team has scored five or more goals 24 times in 41 games and is 22-2 in those games. The Minnesota penalty killing unit leads the WCHA with a 86.4 killing rate. The power play is clicking at a 25.8 overall rate.

Penalty Killers: The Minnesota penalty killers have been doing a strong job a year. In the last nine games the Gophers have held their opponents to four goals in 37 attempts (.89). For the year the Gophers have allowed 70 goals in 271 attempts. The aggressive attacking style of penalty killing that coach Woog employs is especially effective because of the speed, range and strength of the players on the ice.

Power Play: The Minnesota power play is made up of two groups. The first one is led by Hobey Baker candidate Larry Olimb. Olimb is the key to the success of the unit. His decisions and ability to move the puck to the correct spots creates the good scoring chances. He has developed into a fine scorer from the point position as well and leads the team in power play goals with 13. The second unit is led by senior Cory Laylin, who is centered by Steve Magnusson (Anoka, Minn.), with Jeff Nielsen (Grand Rapids, Minn.) or Justin McHugh on the other wing. This group is more of a physical unit that derives its chances from hard work in the corners and winning the individual battles.

Big Defense: Minnesota's big mobile defensive unit has been a strong point of the team all year. Led by pre-season All-American Doug Zmolek, the unit has held their opponents to 2.93 goals per game. In WCHA regular season games the Gophers held their opponents to 2.78 goals per game. This defense has ranked in the top ten in the country all year.

Woog Watch: Doug Woog raised his overall record to 227-83-11 and 171-53-10 in WCHA games. The "Wooger" is the all-time winningest coach in Minnesota hockey history and his winning percentage of .724 is the highest of any active collegiate coach in the country. In his eight years at the helm of the Gopher program the team has had three WCHA championships and has never finished lower than second in the league, while garnering six consecutive NCAA tournament invitations with another on the horizon.

Attendance: The Golden Gophers had another strong year at the gate as over 164, 744 fans came to home games at Mariucci Arena. The team averaged 7, 097 in 22 games. The largest crowd of the year was for the Minnesota-Duluth series on January 11, when 7,778 showed up. The largest home gate of the year was for the Minnesota/Wisconsin "Border Battle" game at the Met Center, where 15,712 showed up for the game.

NCAA Credentials: Any Minnesota media interested in covering the Gophers in NCAA post-season play must FAX a request to the U of M Men's Sports Information Office at (612-625-0359). If the Gophers advance into the tournament, all credential requests must go through the Minnesota hockey SID. On the Monday following the WCHA tournament, all requests will be forwarded to the NCAA for processing. The same procedure would be used the following week for the NCAA Ice Hockey Championships in Albany, New York. Please FAX your request as soon as possible.

W-L-T	MN	OPP	OPPONENT	ATTEND	PLACE & DATE
W	7	3	Minnesota-Duluth	5664	Duluth, MN 7:35 p.m. 10/18/91
L	4	7	Minnesota-Duluth	5451	Duluth, MN 7:00 p.m. 10/19/91
L	2	4	University of Denver	3745	Denver, CO 7:00 p.m. 10/25/91
W	5	1	University of Denver	3106	Denver, CO 7:00 p.m. 10/26/91
W	7	4	St. Cloud State	5567	St. Cloud, MN 7:35 11/01/91
W	7	2	ST. CLOUD STATE	6915	St. Cloud, MN 7:05 11/02/91
L	3	7	Michigan	6011	Ann Arbor, MI 6:30 11/08/91
L	6	7	Michigan	6330	Ann Arbor, MI 6:30 11/09/91
W	5	4	WISCONSIN	7658	Mariucci Arena 7:05 11/15/91
W	4	1	WISCONSIN	15712	Met Center 7:35 11/16/91
W	4	0	Alaska-Anchorage	6621	Anchorage, AK 10:05 11/22/91
W(OT)	3	2	Alaska-Anchorage	6421	Anchorage, AK 10:05 11/23/91
W	4	2	NORTH DAKOTA	6975	Mariucci, Arena 7:05 11/29/91
W	8	2	NORTH DAKOTA	7443	Mariucci Arena 7:05 11/30/91
L	5	7	NORTHERN MICHIGAN	6807	Mariucci Arena 2:05 12/14/91
L	3	4	NORTHERN MICHIGAN	6683	Mariucci Arena 2:05 12/15/91
W	5	2	PROVIDENCE *	6669	Mariucci Arena 7:05 12/21/91
W(OT)	6	5	BOWLING GREEN *	6603	Mariucci Arena 7:00 12/22/91
W	10	4	University of Calgary	6458	Mariucci Arena 7:05 12/30/91
W	5	2	Michigan Tech	2660	Houghton, MI 6:35 01/03/92
W	6	1	Michigan Tech	3076	Houghton, MI 6:05 01/04/92
W	3	0	MINNESOTA-DULUTH	7436	Mariucci Arena 7:05 01/10/92
W(OT)	5	4	MINNESOTA-DULUTH	7778	Mariucci Arena 7:05 01/11/92
W	9	2	MICHIGAN TECH	6833	Mariucci Arena 7:05 01/17/92
W	6	3	MICHIGAN TECH	7504	Mariucci Arena 7:05 01/18/92
W	6	3	Colorado College	3668	Colorado Sp., CO 8:05 01/24/92
W	8	2	Colorado College	3721	Colorado Sp., CO 8:05 01/25/92
W	3	2	Northern Michigan	4180	Marquette, MI 6:05 01/31/92
W	5	3	Northern Michigan	4305	Marquette, MI 6:05 02/01/92
W	2	1	Wisconsin	8644	Madison, WI 7:05 02/07/92
L	1	4	Wisconsin	8644	Madison, WI 7:05 02/08/92
W	5	3	COLORADO COLLEGE	6893	Mariucci Arena 7:05 02/14/92
W	6	4	COLORADO COLLEGE	7600	Mariucci Arena 7:05 02/15/92
L(OT)	4	5	DENVER	7141	Mariucci Arena 7:05 02/21/92
W	7	3	DENVER	7503	Mariucci Arena 7:05 02/22/92
W	2	1	ST. CLOUD STATE	7608	Mariucci Arena 7:05 02/28/92
W	4	1	St Cloud State	6514	St. Cloud, MN 7:05 02/29/92
W	10	1	North Dakota	5737	Grand Forks, ND 7:35 03/06/91
W	5	3	North Dakota	5189	Grand Forks, ND 03/07/91
L	3	5	NORTH DAKOTA @	6566	Mariucci Arena, 7:05 03/13/92
W	9	2	NORTH DAKOTA @	7314	Mariucci Arena, 7:05 03/14/92
W	3	1	NORTH DAKOTA @	6645	Mariucci Arena, 7:05 03/15/92

RECORD	HOME	ROAD	SEASON
LEAGUE	13- 3- 0	13- 3- 0	26- 6- 0
NON-LEAGUE	2- 0- 0	2- 2- 0	4- 2- 0
TOTAL	15- 3- 0	15- 5- 0	30- 8- 0

ATTENDANCE	HOME	ROAD	NEUTRAL
LEAGUE	** ,***	79,871	0
OTHER	13,272	25,383	0
TOTAL	** ,***	** ,***	0
AVERAGE	6,560	5,262	
TOTAL	263,540	TOTAL AVG	6,427

POWER PLAYS	ATT	PPG	PCT	SH
Minnesota Gophers	271	70	.260	8
OPPONENTS	269	40	.150	6

HAT TRICKS FOR	5
Scott Bell	ST. CLOUD STATE 11/02/91
Trent Klatt	WISCONSIN 11/15/91
Darby Hendrickson	NORTH DAKOTA 11/30/91
Larry Olimb	Colorado College 01/25/92
Justin McHugh	DENVER 02/22/92

SHORT HANDED FOR	6
Larry Olimb (2)	St. Cloud State 11/01/91
Scott Bell (2)	ST. CLOUD STATE 11/02/91
Travis Richards (1)	PROVIDENCE * 12/21/91
Craig Johnson (1)	Michigan Tech 01/04/92
Jeff Nielsen (1)	MICHIGAN TECH 01/17/92
Justin McHugh (1)	St Cloud State 02/29/92

1991-92 Minnesota Gophers HOCKEY STATS AFTER 41 GAMES

NO	NAME	OVERALL											LEAGUE ONLY					
		GP	G	A	PTS	PEN	MIN	PP	SH	HAT	WG	EN	GP	G	A	PTS	PEN	MIN
17	Larry Olimb,C	41	24	53	77	32	72	13	2	1	2	1	32	19	39	58	28	64
22	Trent Klatt,W	41	27	36	63	34	76	12	0	1	5	1	32	21	30	51	31	62
14	Craig Johnson,C	41	17	38	55	29	66	12	1	0	2	0	32	14	32	46	23	54
07	Darby Hendrickson,C	41	25	28	53	29	61	11	0	1	3	1	32	17	22	39	24	51
24	Travis Richards,D	41	10	22	32	23	65	4	1	0	3	0	32	7	14	21	18	47
12	Cory Laylin,F	41	19	12	31	18	44	4	0	0	3	0	32	16	11	27	16	40
15	Steve Magnusson,C/W	38	9	21	30	23	54	3	0	0	1	0	31	6	19	25	18	36
20	Jeff Nielsen,W	41	14	14	28	35	70	2	1	0	3	0	32	10	10	20	26	52
33	Doug Zmolek,D	41	6	20	26	42	84	2	0	0	2	0	32	4	15	19	35	70
19	Justin McHugh,W/C	38	13	9	22	16	32	3	1	1	1	0	29	10	7	17	12	24
10	Scott Bell,F/D	41	14	7	21	32	78	1	2	1	1	0	32	14	6	20	25	64
09	Joe Dziedzic,F	34	8	9	17	30	68	2	0	0	2	0	26	7	8	15	25	58
16	John Brill,F	35	7	9	16	23	46	1	0	0	1	0	26	7	6	13	20	40
21	Mike Muller,D	41	4	12	16	26	52	0	0	0	1	0	32	4	9	13	18	36
04	Chris McAlpine,D	39	3	9	12	59	126	1	0	0	0	0	32	2	8	10	49	98
08	Eric Means,D	40	1	10	11	19	46	0	0	0	0	0	32	1	10	11	14	36
36	Tony Bianchi,W/D	22	1	4	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	1	2	3	0	0
34	Todd Westlund,W	22	1	3	4	7	14	0	0	0	0	0	19	1	3	4	7	14
02	Sean Fabian,D	32	1	3	4	22	45	0	0	0	0	0	24	1	3	4	16	33
13	Brandon Steege,F	12	1	1	2	11	22	0	0	0	1	0	9	1	1	2	11	22
30	Jeff Stolp,G	33	0	1	1	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	28	0	1	1	3	6
18	John O'Connell,D	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
05	Nick Gerebi,C	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0
31	Jeff Callinan,G	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
27	Jed Fiebelkorn,W	7	0	0	0	5	10	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	2
29	Tom Newman,G	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0
	Bench					6	12										5	10
Minnesota Gophers		41	205	321	526	524	1149	71	8	5	31	3	32	163	256	419	425	919
OPPONENTS		41	120	170	290	534	1176	40	6	3	9	2	32	89	126	215	427	938

NO	GOALIE	OVERALL										LEAGUE ONLY									
		W	L	T	GP	PER	MIN	GA	AVG	SAV	PCT	W	L	T	GP	PER	MIN	GA	AVG	SAV	PCT
29	Tom Newman	5	1	0	11	23	398:41	15	2.26	135	.900	4	1	0	10	20	338:41	13	2.30	119	.902
30	Jeff Stolp	25	7	0	33	97	1857:34	88	2.84	678	.885	22	5	0	28	82	1568:51	75	2.87	578	.885
31	Jeff Callinan	2	1	0	6	13	208:33	15	4.32	73	.830	0	0	0	2	2	14:5	0	0.00	61	.000
Minnesota Gophers		32	9	0	41	126	2464:48	118	2.87	886	.882	26	6	0	32	98	1921:37	88	2.75	703	.888
OPPONENTS		9	32	0	41	126	2469:25	205	4.98	1261	.860	6	26	0	32	98	1925:35	163	5.08	925	.850

	Minnesota Gophers					OPPONENTS					
	PERIOD	1	2	3	OT	TOTAL	1	2	3	OT	TOTAL
GOALS		69	78	55	3	205		37	44	1	120
SHOT ON GOAL		447	563	456	10	1476		321	343	7	1009
GOALIE SAVES		279	300	301	6	886		389	495	7	1287
PENALTIES		161	190	176	0	527		159	183	0	534

GOPHERS WIN TWO OF THREE FROM MISSOURI; TAKE WEEK OFF FOR FINAL EXAMS BEFORE LEAVING ON SPRING TRIP

John Anderson's Golden Gopher baseball team won two of three games from Missouri this past weekend at the Metrodome to raise their record to 10-5 for the year. The fast start is the best since Anderson became skipper in 1982. Minnesota will now take a week off for final exams before leaving on an abbreviated spring trip that starts March 24th with a two-game series at Kentucky and culminates with the Gophers opening the Big Ten season at defending champion Ohio State on March 27-29.

Same Score, Different Story: The Gophers and Tigers battled to 7-6 scores in both games of the double header last Friday at the Metrodome. The team's split the two games with Minnesota winning the opener. The score was the only thing similar about the two contests. The first game was a marathon 12-inning game that ended on a RBI walk by Charlie Nelson (Perham, Minn.). The Gophers used four pitchers with Brent Davis (Minnetonka, Minn.) pitching the last three and two thirds and gaining his second win against no defeats. Davis held the Tigers without a run and struck out four batters. George Behr (Maplewood, Minn.) and Keith Krenke (Owatonna, Minn.) were the big guns for the Maroon and Gold batting two for six with two RBI's each. Krenke's tallies came on a two-run homerun in the fourth inning.

Game Two: In the second game of the series the Gophers jumped out to a 5-0 lead after three innings and Minnesota ace Scott Bakkum (LaCrosse, Wis.) seemed to be in control. Bakkum gave up a two-run homerun in the fourth to cut the lead to 5-2. In the top of the sixth the Tigers struck for five runs on four hits one error and two walks. The Gopher's scored one run in the bottom of the sixth to cut the lead to 7-6, and that's the way it ended.

Sunny Day at the Dome: The Gophers and Tigers came indoors to play baseball while the temperature was in the sixties outside on Sunday. The only scheduled nine inning affair of the series started fast as Gopher starter Jeff Schmidt (LaCrosse, Wis.) struck out five of the first six batters. Minnesota took a 3-0 lead in the third inning on George Behr's two RBI double down the first base line. The Tigers responded with four runs in the fifth to take the lead. Minnesota bounced back for four runs of their own in the bottom of the fifth to resume control. Designated hitter Adam Sobocienski (Barrington, Ill.) led the charge with a two-out, two-RBI double. Keith Krenke walked and Darren Schwankl (Burnsville, Minn.) notched a two-run double of his own to bring in two more runs. Each team scored a run in the seventh and the Tigers scored one in the ninth to make the final margin 8-6.

Next Up: The Gophers resume their 1992 slate at Lexington, Kent., on March 24th. The Wildcats lead the series 3-0. The last time these two teams met was in 1929 when the "Cats" won 5-1. The Minnesota/Kentucky series ran three straight years (1927-29), with all of the games at Lexington.

Big Ten Preview: The Gophers open the 1992 Big Ten season at Columbus, Ohio with a four-game series against the defending champions Buckeyes. The Gophers and Buckeyes are two of the favorites for the 1992 crown and this series will establish early favorites in the conference race. Last year the Maroon and Gold won three of four games at Siebert Field against OSU. The Buckeyes got their revenge in the Big Ten Tournament in Columbus, when they defeated the Gophers twice to win the Big Ten crown.

15 GOLDEN GOPHERS GAIN ACADEMIC HONORS

Fifteen members of men's athletic teams at the University of Minnesota have been named to 1992 Academic All-Big Ten teams in three varsity sports. To earn academic All-Big Ten honors, a student-athlete must be a non-freshman letterwinner and carry a "B" (3.0) grade-point average.

Nine members of Coach Dennis Dale's swimming and diving team led the way. They were Matt Brown (So., Beaverton, ORE, 3.02), Chris Carlisle (Jr., Arlington, TX, 3.38), Can Ergenekan (So., Beaverton, ORE, 3.12), Eric Haseman (So., Eagan, MN, 3.31), Mike Hinchcliffe (So., Elk Grove, WI, 3.41), Derek Howatt (Sr., St. Paul, MN, 3.90), Andy Kurtz (So., Coon Rapids, MN, 3.71), Rob McDonnell (So., Milwaukee, WI, 3.27) and Scott Tripps (Sr., Seattle, WA, 3.19).

Three of Coach J Robinson's U of M wrestlers were named to the honor team. They were Eric Folkins (Sr., Sacramento, CA, 3.46), Scott Rohrer (Sr., Waupun, WI, 3.27) and Joe Russell (Jr., Portland, ORE, 3.41).

A trio of gymnasts from Coach Fred Roethlisberger's Golden Gopher team also were selected. They were Tony Brough (Sr., Blaine, MN, 3.36), Bo Haun (So., Tulsa, OK, 3.63) and John Roethlisberger (Jr., Afton, MN, 3.63).

1992 Minnesota BASEBALL RESULTS
Includes League games & Non-league games

OPPONENT	MN	OPP	INN	TYPE	PLACE
Arizona	3	2	10	N	Feb. 6, 2:00 p.m. Tucson, AZ
Arizona	0	9	9	N	Feb. 8, 1:30 p.m., Tucson, AZ
Arizona	8	3	9	N	Feb. 8, 5:00 p.m., Tucson, AZ
Mississippi	2	6	9	N	Feb.21, 2:00 p.m. Oxford, MS
Mississippi	8	5	9	N	Feb.22, 2:00 p.m., Oxford, MS
Mississippi	5	0	9	N	Feb. 23, 1:15 p.m., Oxford, MS
FLORIDA ST.	1	3	9	N	Feb. 28, 7:35 p.m., Metrodome
MISSISSIPPI ST.	4	8	9	N	Feb. 29, 2:00 p.m. Metrodome
TEXAS A&M	9	8	7	N	March 1, 1:15 p.m., Metrodome
BALL STATE	2	0	9	N	Mar. 6, 7:00 p.m., Metrodome
BALL STATE	3	2	9	N	Mar.7, 7:00 p.m. Metrodome
BALL STATE	14	0	9	N	Mar. 8, 1;00 p.m. Metrodome
MISSOURI	7	6	12	N	March 13,4:00 p.m. Metrodome
MISSOURI	6	7	7	N	March 13, 8:40 p.m. Metrodome
MISSOURI	8	6	9	N	March 15, 1:00 p.m. Metrodome

RECORD 10- 5 MN DPs 18 OPP 21 MN LOB 115 OPP 120

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NO	NAME	GP	AB	RUN	HIT	2B	3B	HR	TB	SB-ATT	SH	SF	HBP	BB	SO	RBI	WRBI	AVG	PO	A	E	PCT.
40	George Behr	14	56	10	23	8	0	2	37	3	5	0	0	4	7	15	1	.411	119	5	3	.976
06	Charlie Nelson	13	35	7	12	2	0	0	14	5	6	1	0	0	11	4	6	.343	10	1	0	1.000
15	Ryan Lefebvre	15	57	12	19	0	2	0	23	7	9	1	0	0	10	6	1	.333	39	0	0	1.000
17	Brian Hartmann	14	57	8	17	3	0	1	23	1	4	0	1	1	2	6	7	.298	68	7	0	1.000
33	Steve Calvert	11	28	1	8	3	0	0	11	0	1	1	0	0	6	5	8	.286	9	12	1	.955
03	Mark Merila	15	43	12	12	4	0	0	16	1	3	0	2	0	21	5	9	.279	47	42	2	.978
16	Keith Krenke	15	52	10	13	4	1	2	25	1	1	1	2	0	9	5	8	.250	27	3	1	.968
07	Bill Mobilia	15	52	8	11	3	0	0	14	2	4	0	0	2	5	15	5	.212	18	52	5	.933
28	Tom Doyle	7	22	1	4	1	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	1	7	0	0	.182	8	1	0	1.000
10	Darren Schwankl	14	32	2	5	1	0	0	6	2	4	1	0	0	10	5	2	.156	9	7	2	.889
LESS THAN 22 AT BATS																						
11	Shane McCarthy	4	3	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	.667	0	0	0	---
01	Adam Sobocienski	5	14	3	6	1	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	1	1	4	1	.429	0	0	0	---
09	Tony Bender	7	7	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	.143	1	5	2	.750
18	Mark Vandersall	6	8	4	1	1	0	0	2	1	1	0	1	0	1	2	1	.125	0	0	0	---
25	Darren Grass	8	17	2	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	2	2	5	3	.118	36	6	2	.955
02	Mike Oster	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	.000	0	0	0	---
32	J.T. Gilbert	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	1	0	1.000
37	Scott Bakkum	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	3	0	0	1.000
35	Brent Davis	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	3	0	1.000
31	Eric Slagle	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	3	0	1.000
27	John Lowery	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	4	0	1.000
22	Jeff Schmidt	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	2	5	0	1.000
21	Chris Lawler	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---
30	Eric Porter	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---
19	James Brower	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---
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TEAM TOTAL		15	484	80	136	31	3	5	188	23	38	5	7	5	87	77	72	.281	399	157	18	.969
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OPPONENTS		15	504	65	137	16	2	9	184	16	25	10	2	6	61	101	56	.272	391	181	15	.974

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Minnesota BASEBALL COACHES REPORT

Includes League games & Non-league games

NAME	GP	AB	RUN	HIT	RBI	AVG	SO	BB	HBP	TAB	%OB	TB	%SLG	SH	ATT	%
George Behr	14	56	10	23	15	.411	7	4	0	60	.450	37	.661	0	0	---
Charlie Nelson	13	35	7	12	6	.343	4	11	0	46	.500	14	.400	1	0	---
Ryan Lefebvre	15	57	12	19	1	.333	6	10	0	67	.433	23	.404	1	0	---
Brian Hartmann	14	57	8	17	7	.298	6	2	1	60	.333	23	.404	0	0	---
Steve Calvert	11	28	1	8	8	.286	5	6	0	34	.412	11	.393	1	0	---
Mark Merila	15	43	12	12	9	.279	5	21	0	64	.516	16	.372	0	0	---
Keith Krenke	15	52	10	13	8	.250	5	9	0	61	.361	25	.481	1	1	1.000
Bill Mobilia	15	52	8	11	5	.212	15	5	2	59	.305	14	.269	0	0	---
Tom Doyle	7	22	1	4	0	.182	7	1	0	23	.217	5	.227	0	0	---
Darren Schwankl	14	32	2	5	2	.156	5	10	0	42	.357	6	.188	1	0	---
LESS THAN 22 AT BATS																
Shane McCarthy	4	3	0	2	1	.667	1	2	0	5	.800	2	.667	0	0	---
Adam Sobocienski	5	14	3	6	4	.429	1	1	0	15	.467	7	.500	0	0	---
Tony Bender	7	7	0	1	1	.143	2	1	0	8	.250	1	.143	0	0	---
Mark Vandersall	6	8	4	1	1	.125	2	1	0	9	.222	2	.250	0	0	---
Darren Grass	8	17	2	2	3	.118	5	2	2	21	.286	2	.118	0	0	---
Mike Oster	2	1	0	0	1	.000	1	1	0	2	.500	0	.000	0	0	---
J.T. Gilbert	5	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Scott Bakkum	4	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Brent Davis	4	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Eric Slagle	4	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
John Lowery	4	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Jeff Schmidt	4	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Chris Lawler	4	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Eric Porter	1	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
James Brower	1	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
TOTAL	15	484	80	136	72	.281	77	87	5	576	.396	188	.388	5	1	5.000
OPPONENTS	15	504	65	137	56	.272	101	61	6	571	.357	184	.365	10	0	---

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Minnesota BASEBALL RESULTS

Includes League games & Non-league games

NO	NAME	GP	ST	CG	WON	LST	SAV	IP	HITS	RUNS	ERUN	HR	BB	SO	HP	WP	BK	ERA
19	James Brower	1	0	0	0	0	0	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	.00
31	Eric Slagle	5	2	0	2	1	0	20.7	24	7	6	1	9	18	2	0	0	2.61
30	Eric Porter	2	0	0	0	0	0	3.3	4	2	1	1	4	1	0	1	0	2.70
22	Jeff Schmidt	5	5	0	2	1	0	25.7	26	12	8	0	9	16	0	2	0	2.81
35	Brent Davis	5	1	0	2	0	0	9.3	9	7	3	0	8	10	1	1	0	2.89
21	Chris Lawler	5	1	0	1	0	1	8.7	5	3	3	1	5	13	0	0	0	3.12
32	J.T. Gilbert	5	0	0	0	0	1	8.3	5	4	3	0	9	7	2	2	1	3.24
37	Scott Bakkum	5	4	2	2	2	0	32.0	29	13	12	3	5	22	0	0	0	3.38
27	John Lowery	5	2	0	1	1	0	19.7	25	12	9	1	8	13	1	5	0	4.12
11	Shane McCarthy	1	0	0	0	0	0	2.7	4	2	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	6.75
34	Andy Hammerschmidt	1	0	0	0	0	0	1.7	5	3	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	16.20
NON-TEAM												-1						
TOTAL		15	15	2	10	5	2	133.0	137	65	49	9	61	101	6	11	1	3.32
OPPONENTS		15	15	3	5	10	0	133.0	136	80	74	5	87	77	5	11	1	5.01

GOLDSTEIN EARNS ALL-AMERICA HONORS AT NCAA INDOOR TRACK & FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS

Junior Chad Goldstein (St. Louis Park, Minn.) finished eighth in the shot put with a throw of 58-11 1/4 to collect All-America honors at the NCAA Indoor Track & Field Championships held last Friday and Saturday at the Hoosier Dome in Indianapolis. Senior Mark Lacy (Oak Brook, Ill.) placed 12th in the event with a toss of 57-5 3/4. Nebraska's Kevin Coleman claimed the top spot with a heave of 65-9 3/4. In the high jump competition, junior Chris Murrell (Grand Island, Neb.) placed 11th overall with a leap of 7-0 1/2. Tom Lange of LSU won the event with a jump of 7-6 1/2.

A Closer Look: Mark Lacy made his second straight appearance at the NCAA Indoor Championships. He won his second consecutive Big Ten indoor shot put title with a toss of 57-11 1/4 earlier this season, narrowly edging teammate Chad Goldstein who recorded a throw of 57-9 3/4. Lacy earned All-America honors at the NCAA Outdoor Championships last spring placing 10th with a throw of 58-10 1/4, with three foreign competitors finishing in front of him. He captured last year's conference indoor meet with a toss of 59-9, before finishing 15th at the NCAA Indoor Championships with a toss of 53-3 1/2. At the Wisconsin Invitational back on Jan. 25, he uncorked a personal-best and NCAA provisional qualifying throw of 60-7 1/4. Goldstein, who claimed his first All-America certificate, won the Northwest Open back on Jan. 18 with a personal-best and provisional qualifying throw of 60-1. Murrell, who won the Big Ten indoor high jump title as a freshman two years ago with a personal-best and school indoor record jump of 7-3, claimed the top spot once again this year with a leap of 7-0 1/2. He surpassed the provisional qualifying standard with a winning leap of 7-2 1/2 at the Cyclone Invitational on Feb. 15. At the NCAA Outdoor Championships last year, he finished eighth with a leap of 7-0 1/2 to collect All-American honors.

Great Season: The NCAA Championships put the finishes touches on an outstanding indoor season for Head Coach Roy Griak's Golden Gophers. Mark Lacy, Chris Murrell and freshman Keita Cline (Gainesville, Fla.) (triple jump) each won individual events to pace the Golden Gophers to a fourth-place finish at the Big Ten Indoor Championships which were held Feb. 28-29 at Jenison Fieldhouse in East Lansing, Mich. The fourth-place finish is the Golden Gophers' best at the Big Ten indoor meet since 1968 when they finished third, and the three individual event champions are the most in school history at a single indoor league meet. On four different occasions (1948, 1965, 1972, 1986) the Golden Gophers have had two individual event champions.

Outdoor Opener: The Golden Gophers will open the outdoor season on March 25 at the Texas Invitational in Austin, Texas. They will host the Big Ten Championships May 22-23 at the world-class Bierman Track & Field Stadium.

NORTH STARS TO TEAM UP WITH GOLDEN GOPHERS

Bloomington, MN--The Minnesota North Stars and the University of Minnesota Golden Gophers have entered into an agreement which is designed to enhance group ticket sales for U of M football games this fall through the Stars marketing department.

"We're thrilled about having the opportunity to work with Dr. Boston and Coach Wacker and contribute to a program that's definitely on the rise," said North Stars President Norman Green.

The agreement means the North Stars will include various Golden Gopher athletic events in their sales efforts, with football targeted for primary attention. In return for generating larger crowds for U of M games during the 1992 season, the North Stars will receive a percentage of those increases in football revenues.

"We're extremely pleased to have an accomplished professional sales force in place for our football product," said Dr. McKinley Boston, Director of Men's Athletics at the U of M. "We feel that it will be an advantage for both organizations to unite our efforts."

"The North Stars have an outstanding sales force already in place," said Golden Gopher Assistant Director Ken Buell, "and our agreement will enable the University to utilize that expertise."

The North Stars and the U of M developed a working relationship last November when the Stars played host to the sold out Border Battle, a hockey match-up between the Golden Gophers and Wisconsin. "Our partnership with the University has been a great success for both parties in the past," Green said. "We look forward to continuing and strengthening our relationship in the future."

MINNESOTA NETTERS GARNER WINS AT IOWA AND DRAKE

The Gophers ran their record to 9-2 with a Big Ten victory over Iowa, and a non-conference win at Drake. Minnesota, currently ranked 21st by Volvo Tennis, is now 3-0 in the conference. Senior captain Brian Uihlein (Lake Forest, Ill.) won one and lost one last week moving his record to 16-6, which is good enough to earn him a tie for the nation's 34th spot. Uihlein and his doubles partner, sophomore Adam Krafft (Saginaw, Mich.) are ranked fourth in the nation's recent poll. The tandem picked-up its 16th win, against one loss, with a 7-6, 6-2 win over Drake's Michael Nissell and Martin Dionne.

Coach David Geatz and his baseliners take the week off for finals, then head for Montgomery, Ala., and the Blue-Grey Invitational, March 27-29. Last year at the Blue-Grey, Minnesota was 0-3 with losses to South Carolina, Mississippi State and Ball State.

Probables for matches at the Blue-Grey:

Singles:

- #1: Brian Uihlein - 16-6 (3-0)
- #2: Mehdi Benyebka - 0-0 (0-0)
- #3: Rick Naumoff - 16-9 (1-2)
- #4: Adam Krafft - 11-3 (3-0) or Paul Pridmore - 8-6 (2-0)
- #5: Phil LeBlanc - 7-2 (2-1)
- #6: Ross Loel - 17-6 (2-1)

Doubles:

- #1: Krafft/Uihlein - 16-1 (1-0)
- #2: Anderson/Hlushko - 12-6 (2-0)
- #3: LeBlanc/Loel - 5-0 (1-0)

GOPHER WRESTLERS READY FOR THE NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS

Head Coach J Robinson is sending six of his Gophers to the 1992 NCAA Championships, to be held in Oklahoma City, Okla., March 19-21. A year ago, Marty Morgan capped an illustrious Gopher career with an undefeated season and a national championship at 177-lbs., and Dave Zuniga closed his days in Gold Country with his second-straight All-America certificate. This year, Robinson's crew heads to the nationals with high hopes and a good chance of bringing home a couple All-Americans.

Junior Mike Marzetta (158 - Liberty Lake, Wash.) finished second at the Big Ten championships a week ago, picking up two wins and improving his season record to 27-9. Marzetta, currently ranked seventh by Amateur Wrestling News, has been in the top eight all season long and has a solid chance to pick up his first All-America award.

The other Gophers participating in the national meet are: Scott Rohrer (126 - Sr., Waupun, Wis.), Tim Harris (134 - Fr., St. Louis, Mo.), Damon Johnson (142 - Jr., Mustang, Okla.), Eric Folkins (118 - Sr., Sacramento, Calif.) and Chad Carlson (150 - Fr., Pennock, Minn.). Marzetta and Johnson are making their second-consecutive trips to the nationals -- neither placed at last year's meet.

GYMNASTS DEFEAT HAWKEYES IN SEASON FINALE; BIG TEN'S NEXT

Minnesota came from behind to defeat the Iowa Hawkeyes 280.65-279.05, in Williams Arena. The Golden Gophers used a 47.35 team score on the pommel horse, to Iowa's 45.70 on the parallel bars to erase a fifth-of-point deficit going into the final event. Minnesota was led by junior John Roethlisberger (Afton, Minn.) as he tied Iowa's Chris Kabat in the all-around competition with a 56.20. Freshman Kerry Huston (Spring, Tex.) captured individual titles in the floor exercise (9.75) and on the vault (9.60). Senior Tony Brough (Blaine, Minn.) competing in his last home meet won the parallel bars event with a season high 9.70. Junior Rob Hanson (Ramsey, Minn.) and sophomore Brian Ottenhoff (Kersey, Colo.) added individual victories as well. Hanson captured the pommel horse (9.75) and Ottenhoff the high bar (9.75).

The Golden Gophers (5-3, 2-3) will have one week off before they will go after their third Big Ten title in as many seasons, at the 84th Annual Big Ten Championships in Champaign, Ill., on March 27-28.

Name	SEASON HIGHS						
	FX	PH	SR	V	PB	HB	AA
Korey Bannerman	8.95	---	9.55	9.00	---	---	---
Tony Brough	---	---	---	---	9.60	---	---
Leif Carlson	9.60	9.70	9.40	9.30	9.65	9.85	55.90
Rob Hanson	---	9.75	9.85	9.00	9.45	9.65	---
Bo Haun	9.15	9.35	9.50	9.05	9.30	9.65	53.75
Kerry Huston	9.75	9.35	9.50	9.65	9.45	9.60	56.70
Louie Johnson	9.20	7.85	---	9.05	8.25	---	---
Brian Ottenhoff	9.20	7.95	9.45	9.05	9.10	9.80	54.35
John Roethlisberger	9.85	9.75	9.75	9.65	9.70	9.65	58.10
Brian Yee	9.70	9.60	9.35	9.35	8.75	9.45	55.15
Team Totals	47.40	47.05	47.70	46.60	47.15	48.45	283.25

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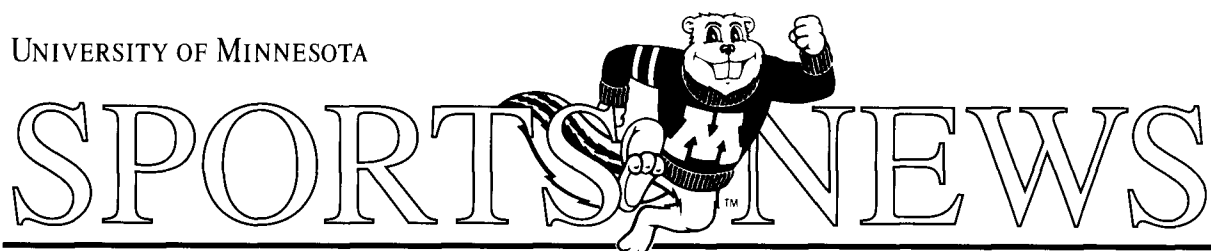
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GOPHER BASKETBALL TEAM ARRIVES HOME TODAY

The Gopher basketball team will be leaving Spokane on Flight #614 and will be arriving in Minneapolis at 5:24 p.m. today.

Northwest

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WCHA TO ANNOUNCE LEAGUE AWARD WINNERS AT 1992 WCHA AWARDS BANQUET AT THE ST. PAUL HOTEL

The WCHA will celebrate the fifth year of its play-off format by honoring the 1992 WCHA Champion Minnesota Golden Gophers at their awards banquet at the St. Paul Hotel tonight. Winners of the WCHA MVP award, the Coach of the Year Award and the Freshman of the Year award, along with the league all-star teams, will be presented to the winners.

Minnesota, which won its ninth WCHA crown this season and the third of Head Coach Doog Woog's tenure, is expected to garner many of the awards, including league MVP and Freshman of the Year. The Gophers won the league title by 12 points, the second largest margin in the last 10 years. The last time a team won by more than 12 points was the 1988-89 season when the Gophers won the title by 14 points. The last time a team other than Minnesota won the title by 12 or more points was in 1977 when Wisconsin won the league title by 12 points over Notre Dame.

The banquet begins with a dinner at 6:00 p.m., with the awards segment following at 7:00 p.m. Student athletes and coaches will be available to the media following the ceremony.

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SPECIAL NOTICE AND INVITATION TO THE MEDIA

Norman Borlaug, the 1970 Nobel Peace Prize winner who earned varsity letters in wrestling at the University of Minnesota in 1935-1936-1937 will be at a special reception in the second-floor lounge of the football building at 3:30 p.m. on Monday, March 23, given by Men's Director of Athletics Dr. McKinley Boston.

Borlaug will be honored for his selection to the Hall of Outstanding Americans of the United States Wrestling Hall of Fame.

Members of the media are invited to attend the reception for photo and interview opportunities. A 1941 wrestling training film which features Borlaug also will be shown.



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COMING EVENTS:**Tuesday, March 24**

Baseball @ Kentucky
3:00 p.m., Lexington, Ky.

Wednesday, March 25

Baseball @ Kentucky
3:00 p.m., Lexington, Ky.
Track & Field @ Texas Invitational
3:00 p.m., Austin, Texas

Thursday, March 26

Baseball @ Marshall
4:00 p.m., Huntington, W.Va.
Golf @ Pacific Coast Intercollegiate
Santa Barbara, Calif.
Swimming & Diving @ NCAA
Championship, Indianapolis, Ind.

Friday, March 27

Baseball @ Ohio State
2:00 p.m., Columbus, Ohio
Golf @ Pacific Coast Intercollegiate
Santa Barbara, Calif.
Swimming & Diving @ NCAA
Championships, Indianapolis, Ind.
Gymnastics @ Big Ten Championship
Champaign, Ill.
Tennis @ Blue-Grey Invitational
Montgomery, Ala.

Saturday, March 28

Same schedule as Friday, except
Golf, which is off, and Baseball
which plays a double-header. Track
& Field is at the Rice Invitational
in Houston, Texas at 11:00 a.m.

Sunday, March 29

Tennis @ Blue-Grey Invitational
Montgomery, Ala.
Baseball @ Ohio State
1:00 p.m., Columbus, Ohio
Hockey vs. Lake Superior St. or
Alaska-Anchorage, NCAA Quarters
Noon, Detroit, Mich.

BASKETBALL

11/9 UM 67, Brazil Ripasa 66
11/18 UM 93, AIA 100
11/25 UM 83, Arkansas 92
11/26 UM 89, Providence 82
11/27 UM 69, Arizona State 37
11/30 UM 95, Howard 54
12/2 UM 98 Youngstown St. 59
12/11 UM 86, Akron 59
12/14 UM 80, Alabama-Birm. 86
12/17 UM 68, Detroit 66
12/19 UM 62, Memphis State 65
12/23 UM 92, Weber State 52
12/27 UM 89, Oregon 64
12/28 UM 80, Oregon State 92
1/4 UM 73, Iowa State 76
1/9 UM 50, Indiana 96
1/11 UM 73, Michigan 64
1/15 UM 49, Wisconsin 48
1/18 UM 70, Michigan State 66
1/22 UM 69, Ohio State 72
1/25 UM 54, Illinois 53
1/29 UM 92, Northwestern 50
2/1 UM 70, Iowa 87
2/5 UM 57, Purdue 65
2/8 UM 57, Northwestern 55
2/12 UM 71, Indiana 67
2/15 UM 58, Illinois 74
2/19 UM 70, Michigan 95
2/25 UM 64, Iowa 79
3/4 UM 76, Wisconsin 57
3/7 UM 58, Purdue 68
3/11 UM 57, Michigan State 66
3/14 UM 63, Ohio State 94
3/18 UM 70, Washington State 72
(1st Round, NIT)

HOCKEY

10/12 U.S. Hockey Hall of Fame Game
UM 5, No. Michigan 7
10/18 UM 7, Minnesota-Duluth 3
10/19 UM 4, Minnesota-Duluth 7
10/25 UM 2, Denver 4
10/26 UM 5, Denver 1
11/1 UM 7, St. Cloud State 4
11/2 UM 7, St. Cloud State 2
11/8 UM 3, Michigan 7
11/9 UM 6, Michigan 7
11/15 UM 5, Wisconsin 4
11/16 UM 4, Wisconsin 1
11/22 UM 4, Alaska-Anchorage 0
11/23 UM 3, Alaska-Anchorage 2
11/29 UM 4, North Dakota 2
11/30 UM 8, North Dakota 2
12/14 UM 5, Northern Michigan 7
12/15 UM 3, Northern Michigan 4
12/21 UM 5, Providence 2
12/22 UM 6, Bowling Green 5 (OT)
12/30 UM 10, University of Calgary 4
1/3 UM 5, Michigan Tech 2
1/4 UM 6, Michigan Tech 1
1/10 UM 3, Minnesota-Duluth 0
1/11 UM 5, Minnesota-Duluth 4 (OT)
1/17 UM 9, Michigan Tech 2
1/18 UM 6, Michigan Tech 3
1/24 UM 6, Colorado College 3
1/25 UM 8, Colorado College 2
1/31 UM 3, Northern Michigan 2
2/1 UM 5, Northern Michigan 3
2/7 UM 2, Wisconsin 1
2/8 UM 1, Wisconsin 4
2/14 UM 5, Colorado College 3
2/15 UM 6, Colorado College 4
2/21 UM 4, Denver 5 (OT)
2/22 UM 7, Denver 3
2/28 UM 2, St. Cloud State 1
2/29 UM 4, St. Cloud State 1
3/6 UM 10, North Dakota 1
3/7 UM 5, North Dakota 3
3/13 UM, 3, North Dakota 5
3/14 UM 9, North Dakota 2
3/15 UM 3, North Dakota 1
3/20 UM 5, Colorado College 1
(WCHA semi-final)
3/21 UM 2, Northern Michigan 4
(WCHA Final)
4/29 vs. Lake Superior St. or Alaska-
Anchorage (NCAA Quarters)

GOPHERS SEEDED SECOND IN THE NCAA WEST REGIONAL IN DETROIT; FACE WINNER OF LAKE SUPERIOR ST. VS. ALASKA-ANCHORAGE

Doug Woog's Golden Gopher hockey team came away from the WCHA tournament with the second place trophy, but retained the number two seed in the west and will have a first round bye. The Gophers will play the winner of the Alaska-Anchorage/Lake Superior State game on Sunday, March 29, at 1:00 p.m. EST. The NCAA West Regional has Michigan seeded first, followed by the Gophers, Lake Superior State, Northern Michigan, Michigan State and Wisconsin. The NCAA East Regional has Maine first, followed by St Lawrence, New Hampshire, Boston University and Alaska-Anchorage.

Olimb Named Hobey Baker Award Finalist: Pre-season All-American Larry Olimb (Warroad, Minn.) was named one of ten Hobey Baker Award Finalists last Friday. Olimb is the all-time assist leader at Minnesota with 156. He has led the Gophers in scoring the last two years and is the most versatile player in college hockey. He is the team captain and the quarterback of the power play. He plays every position on the ice except goalie and excels at all of them. Minnesota has had Hobey Baker Award Finalist, including the inaugural Hobey Baker Award winner, Neal Broten, and the first goalie to win, Robb Stauber.

Woog Notches Seventh Consecutive NCAA Tournament Appearance: Head Coach Doug Woog has not been invited to seven straight NCAA tournaments. The "Wooger" is the winningest coach in Minnesota hockey history. He has a career record of 228-84-11. He has won three WCHA championships in seven years and his teams have never finished lower than second in the league. His winning percentage of .723 gives him the highest winning percentage of any active collegiate coach in the country.

Klatt Continues To Attack: Pre-season All-American Trent Klatt (Osseo, Minn.) is having his best season as a Gopher. The tough winger is the leading goal scorer on the team with 28 and is leading the team in game winners with six. He has already surpassed his scoring totals of his first two years and is a prime candidate for post-season honors. His 64 total points places him ninth in the WCHA in scoring while ranking fifth in the country in game winning goals.

Hendrickson Named Freshman of the Year: Freshman Darby Hendrickson (Richfield, Minn.) came into the season with the burden of being chosen the pre-season choice for Freshman of the Year in the WCHA. He lived up to the challenge and won that award last week at the WCHA banquet. The dynamic young forward has added a fresh scoring spark to the Gopher lineup. He is second on the team in goals scored with 25 and has notched 29 assists to go with that. His 54 points put him in the top 15 in scoring in the league and he is the leading scorer among all freshmen in the WCHA. He is fourth on the team in power play goals with 11 and fourth on the team in assists with 29.

Laylin Continues to Shine: Senior wing Cory Laylin has really been lighting up the goal light in recent weeks. His success has inspired his line and recharged the Minnesota offense. He has 10 goals in the last 15 games, and his 19 goals this year are making this final campaign as a Gopher his best.

"Stopper Returns to Form": Pre-season All-American Jeff Stolp (Nashwauk, Minn.) returned to form, lowering his WCHA-leading GAA to 2.79. Stolp, who leads the WCHA in all categories but one, is the best goalie in the WCHA. He was named All-WCHA second team even though he led the league by over a half of a goal in GAA. The last time a goalie led the conference by that margin and did not win the first team honors was in 1969. He now ranks third in games played, third in career GAA (3.13) and third in wins (56)

The Bell Tolls Loudly: Sophomore Scott Bell (St. Paul, Minn.) continues to have an outstanding season. His aggressive play on the special teams has been a big boost and he has now discovered a scoring touch that was somewhat unexpected. Bell has notched 15 goals this season, and he adds a strong forechecking and physical presence to the lineup that always seems to create scoring opportunities.

Streaks: The Gophers have compiled some notable streaks on the way to their ninth WCHA title. They have now won 29 of their last 35 games and are 23-4 in the last 27 games. The team has scored five or more goals 25 times in 43 games and is 23-2 in those games. The Minnesota penalty killing unit led the WCHA with a 86.4 killing rate. The power play is clicking at a 25.8 overall rate.

Penalty Killers: The Minnesota penalty killers have been doing a strong job this year. In the last 11 games the Gophers have held their opponents to four goals in 44 attempts (.890). For the year the Gophers have allowed 40 goals in 276 attempts (.850). The aggressive attacking style of penalty killing that coach Woog employs is especially effective because of the speed, range and strength of the players on the ice.

Power Play: The Minnesota power play is made up of two groups. The first one is led by Hobey Baker candidate Larry Olimb. Olimb is the key to the success of the unit. His decisions and ability to move the puck to the correct spots creates good scoring chances. He has developed into a fine scorer from the point position as well and leads the team in power play goals with 13. The

second unit is led by senior Cory Laylin, who is centered by Steve Magnusson (Anoka, Minn.), with Jeff Nielsen (Grand Rapids, Minn.) or Justin McHugh on the other wing. This group is more of a physical unit that derives its chances from hard work in the corners and winning the individual battles.

Big Defense: Minnesota's big mobile defensive unit has been a strong point of the team all year. Led by pre-season All-American Doug Zmolek, the unit has held their opponents to 2.88 goals per game. In WCHA regular season games the Gophers held their opponents to 2.78 goals per game. This defense has ranked in the top ten in the country all year.

Minnesota vs. Alaska-Anchorage: The Golden Gophers took a pair of games from the Seawolves this season at Anchorage. Minnesota won the first game 4-0 as Jeff Stolp nailed down the shutout. In the second game the Gophers and Seawolves battled into overtime before the Maroon and Gold won 3-2 on Darby Hendrickson's third goal of the series. Minnesota leads the all-time series with the Seawolves by a 5-1 margin.

Minnesota vs. Lake Superior State: Minnesota and Lake Superior State have not met since 1984 when the two teams met in the Hall of Fame game in Eveleth. Minnesota won the game 6-1. The Gophers also played the Lakers the previous day in Minneapolis in an exhibition game which the Gophers won 2-0. The only other meeting between the two teams was in 1976 when the Gophers traveled to Sault Ste. Marie and lost 6-3.

Attendance: The Golden Gophers had another strong year at the gate as over 164,744 fans came to home games at Mariucci Arena. The team averaged 7,097 in 22 games. The largest crowd of the year was for the Minnesota-Duluth series on January 11, when 7,778 showed up. The largest home gate of the year was for the Minnesota/Wisconsin "Border Battle" game at the Met Center, where 15,712 showed up for the game.

NCAA Credentials: Any Minnesota media interested in covering the Gophers in NCAA post-season play must FAX a request to the U of M Men's Sports Information Office at (612-625-0359). If the Gophers advance into the tournament, all credential requests must go through the Minnesota hockey SID. On the Monday following the WCHA tournament, all requests will be forwarded to the NCAA for processing. The same procedure would be used the following week for the NCAA Ice Hockey Championships in Albany, New York. Please FAX your request as soon as possible.

TRACK & FIELD TEAM SET TO OPEN OUTDOOR SEASON THIS WEEK

Head Coach Roy Griak's Golden Gopher track & field team will open the outdoor season with a pair of meets in Texas this week. They will compete in the Texas Invitational in Austin at 3:00 p.m. on Wednesday, and then the Rice Invitational in Houston at 11:00 a.m. Saturday.

That All-American Look: Junior Chad Goldstein (St. Louis Park, Minn.) finished eighth in the shot put with a throw of 58-11 1/4 to collect All-America honors at the NCAA Indoor Track & Field Championships held March 13-14 at the Hoosier Dome in Indianapolis. Senior Mark Lacy (Oak Brook, Ill.) placed 12th in the event with a toss of 57-5 3/4. Nebraska's Kevin Coleman claimed the top spot with a heave of 65-9 3/4. In the high jump competition, junior Chris Murrell (Grand Island, Neb.) placed 11th overall with a leap of 7-0 1/2. Tom Lange of LSU won the event with a jump of 7-6 1/2.

Great Season: The NCAA Championships put the finishing touches on an outstanding indoor season for the Golden Gophers. Mark Lacy, Chris Murrell and freshman Keita Cline (Gainesville, Fla.) (triple jump) each won individual events to pace the Golden Gophers to a fourth-place finish at the Big Ten Indoor Championships which were held Feb. 28-29 at Jenison Fieldhouse in East Lansing, Mich. The fourth-place finish is the Golden Gophers' best at the Big Ten indoor meet since 1968 when they finished third, and the three individual event champions are the most in school history at a single indoor league meet. On four different occasions (1948, 1965, 1972, 1986) the Golden Gophers have had two individual event champions.

Big Ten Outdoor Championships: The University of Minnesota will host the men's and women's Big Ten Outdoor Championships May 22-23 at the world-class Bierman Track & Field Stadium.

W-L-T	MN	OPP	OPPONENT	ATTEND	PLACE & DATE
W	7	3	Minnesota-Duluth	5664	Duluth, MN 7:35 p.m. 10/18/91
L	4	7	Minnesota-Duluth	5451	Duluth, MN 7:00 p.m. 10/19/91
L	2	4	University of Denver	3745	Denver, CO 7:00 p.m. 10/25/91
W	5	1	University of Denver	3106	Denver, CO 7:00 p.m. 10/26/91
W	7	4	St. Cloud State	5567	St. Cloud, MN 7:35 11/01/91
W	7	2	ST. CLOUD STATE	6915	St. Cloud, MN 7:05 11/02/91
L	3	7	Michigan	6011	Ann Arbor, MI 6:30 11/08/91
L	6	7	Michigan	6330	Ann Arbor, MI 6:30 11/09/91
W	5	4	WISCONSIN	7658	Mariucci Arena 7:05 11/15/91
W	4	1	WISCONSIN	15712	Met Center 7:35 11/16/91
W	4	0	Alaska-Anchorage	6621	Anchorage, AK 10:05 11/22/91
W(OT)	3	2	Alaska-Anchorage	6421	Anchorage, AK 10:05 11/23/91
W	4	2	NORTH DAKOTA	6975	Mariucci, Arena 7:05 11/29/91
W	8	2	NORTH DAKOTA	7443	Mariucci Arena 7:05 11/30/91
L	5	7	NORTHERN MICHIGAN	6807	Mariucci Arena 2:05 12/14/91
L	3	4	NORTHERN MICHIGAN	6683	Mariucci Arena 2:05 12/15/91
W	5	2	PROVIDENCE *	6669	Mariucci Arena 7:05 12/21/91
W(OT)	6	5	BOWLING GREEN *	6603	Mariucci Arena 7:00 12/22/91
W	10	4	University of Calgary	6458	Mariucci Arena 7:05 12/30/91
W	5	2	Michigan Tech	2660	Houghton, MI 6:35 01/03/92
W	6	1	Michigan Tech	3076	Houghton, MI 6:05 01/04/92
W	3	0	MINNESOTA-DULUTH	7436	Mariucci Arena 7:05 01/10/92
W(OT)	5	4	MINNESOTA-DULUTH	7778	Mariucci Arena 7:05 01/11/92
W	9	2	MICHIGAN TECH	6833	Mariucci Arena 7:05 01/17/92
W	6	3	MICHIGAN TECH	7504	Mariucci Arena 7:05 01/18/92
W	6	3	Colorado College	3668	Colorado Sp.,CO 8:05 01/24/92
W	8	2	Colorado College	3721	Colorado Sp.,CO 8:05 01/25/92
W	3	2	Northern Michigan	4180	Marquette, MI 6:05 01/31/92
W	5	3	Northern Michigan	4305	Marquette, MI 6:05 02/01/92
W	2	1	Wisconsin	8644	Madison, WI 7:05 02/07/92
L	1	4	Wisconsin	8644	Madison, WI 7:05 02/08/92
W	5	3	COLORADO COLLEGE	6893	Mariucci Arena 7:05 02/14/92
W	6	4	COLORADO COLLEGE	7600	Mariucci Arena 7:05 02/15/92
L(OT)	4	5	DENVER	7141	Mariucci Arena 7:05 02/21/92
W	7	3	DENVER	7503	Mariucci Arena 7:05 02/22/92
W	2	1	ST. CLOUD STATE	7608	Mariucci Arena 7:05 02/28/92
W	4	1	St. Cloud State	6514	St. Cloud, MN 7:05 02/29/92
W	10	1	North Dakota	5737	Grand Forks, ND 7:35 03/06/91
W	5	3	North Dakota	5189	Grand Forks, ND 03/07/91
L	3	5	NORTH DAKOTA @	6566	Mariucci Arena, 7:05 03/13/92
W	9	2	NORTH DAKOTA @	7314	Mariucci Arena, 7:05 03/14/92
W	3	1	NORTH DAKOTA @	6645	Mariucci Arena, 7:05 03/15/92
W	5	1	Colorado College *	11384	St. Paul Civic Center 03/20/92
L	2	4	Northern Michigan *	12618	St. Paul Civic Cente 03/21/92

RECORD	HOME	ROAD	SEASON
LEAGUE	13- 3- 0	13- 3- 0	26- 6- 0
NON-LEAGUE	2- 0- 0	2- 2- 0	4- 2- 0
TOTAL	15- 3- 0	15- 5- 0	30- 8- 0

ATTENDANCE	HOME	ROAD	NEUTRAL
LEAGUE	** , ***	79,871	0
OTHER	13,272	25,383	0
TOTAL	** , ***	** , ***	0
AVERAGE	6,560	5,262	0
TOTAL	287,542	TOTAL AVG	6,687

POWER PLAYS	ATT	PPG	PCT	SH
Minnesota Gophers	283	72	.250	8
OPPONENTS	276	40	.150	6

HAT TRICKS FOR	5	
Scott Bell		ST. CLOUD STATE 11/02/91
Trent Klatt		WISCONSIN 11/15/91
Darby Hendrickson		NORTH DAKOTA 11/30/91
Larry Olimb		Colorado College 01/25/92
Justin McHugh		DENVER 02/22/92
SHORT HANDED FOR	6	
Larry Olimb (2)		St. Cloud State 11/01/91
Scott Bell (2)		ST. CLOUD STATE 11/02/91
Travis Richards (1)		PROVIDENCE * 12/21/91
Craig Johnson (1)		Michigan Tech 01/04/92
Jeff Nielsen (1)		MICHIGAN TECH 01/17/92
Justin McHugh (1)		St. Cloud State 02/29/92

1991-92 Minnesota Gophers HOCKEY STATS AFTER 43 GAMES

NO	NAME	OVERALL											LEAGUE ONLY					
		GP	G	A	PTS	PEN	MIN	PP	SH	HAT	WG	EN	GP	G	A	PTS	PEN	MIN
17	Larry Olimb,C	43	24	53	77	32	72	13	2	1	2	1	32	19	39	58	28	64
22	Trent Klatt,W	43	28	36	64	35	78	12	0	1	6	1	32	21	30	51	31	62
14	Craig Johnson,C	43	18	39	57	29	66	12	1	0	2	0	32	14	32	46	23	54
07	Darby Hendrickson,C	43	25	29	54	29	61	11	0	1	3	1	32	17	22	39	24	51
15	Steve Magnusson,C/W	40	9	24	33	23	54	3	0	0	1	0	31	6	19	25	18	36
24	Travis Richards,D	43	10	22	32	23	65	4	1	0	3	0	32	7	14	21	18	47
12	Cory Laylin,F	43	19	12	31	18	44	4	0	0	3	0	32	16	11	27	16	40
20	Jeff Nielsen,W	43	15	15	30	37	74	2	1	0	3	0	32	10	10	20	26	52
33	Doug Zmolek,D	43	6	21	27	44	88	2	0	0	2	0	32	4	15	19	35	70
19	Justin McHugh,W/C	40	14	9	23	16	32	4	1	1	1	0	29	10	7	17	12	24
10	Scott Bell,F/D	43	15	7	22	33	80	1	2	1	1	0	32	14	6	20	25	64
09	Joe Dziedzic,F	36	9	10	19	30	68	3	0	0	2	0	26	7	8	15	25	58
16	John Brill,F	37	8	9	17	27	62	1	0	0	2	0	26	7	6	13	20	40
21	Mike Muller,D	43	4	12	16	29	58	0	0	0	1	0	32	4	9	13	18	36
04	Chris McAlpine,D	41	3	9	12	62	132	1	0	0	0	0	32	2	8	10	49	98
08	Eric Means,D	42	1	10	11	19	46	0	0	0	0	0	32	1	10	11	14	36
36	Tony Bianchi,W/D	24	1	4	5	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	18	1	2	3	0	0
02	Sean Fabian,D	34	1	4	5	22	45	0	0	0	0	0	24	1	3	4	16	33
34	Todd Westlund,W	22	1	3	4	7	14	0	0	0	0	0	19	1	3	4	7	14
13	Brandon Steege,F	12	1	1	2	11	22	0	0	0	1	0	9	1	1	2	11	22
30	Jeff Stolp,G	35	0	1	1	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	28	0	1	1	3	6
18	John O'Connell,D	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
05	Nick Gerebi,C	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0
31	Jeff Callinan,G	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
27	Jed Fiebelkorn,W	7	0	0	0	5	10	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	2
29	Tom Newman,G	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0
	Bench					6	12										5	10

Minnesota Gophers	43	212	330	542	541	1191	73	8	5	33	3	32	163	256	419	425	919
OPPONENTS	43	124	179	303	558	1232	40	6	3	10	3	32	89	126	215	427	938

NO	GOALIE	OVERALL										LEAGUE ONLY									
		W	L	T	GP	PER	MIN	GA	AVG	SAV	PCT	W	L	T	GP	PER	MIN	GA	AVG	SAV	PCT
29	Tom Newman	5	1	0	11	23	398:41	15	2.26	135	.900	4	1	0	10	20	338:41	13	2.30	119	.902
30	Jeff Stolp	26	8	0	35	103	1976:19	92	2.79	718	.886	22	5	0	28	82	1568:51	75	2.87	578	.885
31	Jeff Callinan	2	1	0	6	13	208:33	15	4.32	73	.830	0	0	0	2	2	14:5	0	0.00	61.000	

Minnesota Gophers	33	10	0	43	132	2583:33	122	2.83	926	.883	26	6	0	32	98	1921:37	88	2.75	703	.888
OPPONENTS	10	33	0	43	132	2589:25	212	4.91	1337	.863	6	26	0	32	98	1925:35	163	5.08	925	.850

	Minnesota Gophers					OPPONENTS				
	PERIOD	1	2	3	OT	TOTAL	1	2	3	OT
GOALS	72	81	56	3	212	41	38	45	1	125
SHOT ON GOAL	477	590	482	10	1559	333	365	349	7	1054
GOALIE SAVES	288	321	311	6	926	416	519	421	7	1363
PENALTIES	171	194	181	0	546	172	189	197	0	558

GOPHERS HEAD TO KENTUCKY FOR SPRING TRIP; OPEN BIG TEN SLATE FRIDAY AT OHIO STATE

John Anderson's Golden Gopher baseball team won two of three games from Missouri on March 13-15 at the Metrodome to raise their record to 10-5 for the year. The fast start is the best since Anderson became skipper in 1982. Minnesota will now travel to Lexington, Ky., for an abbreviated spring trip that starts March 24th with a two-game series at Kentucky and culminates with the Gophers opening the Big Ten season at defending champion Ohio State on March 27-29.

Next Up: The Golden Gophers open up a two game series against the Kentucky Wildcats in Lexington on Tuesday, March 24. This marks the fourth time the Gophers have made the trek to bluegrass country to take on the Cats. The Wildcats hold a 3-0 lead in the series, with the last game being played in 1929. Kentucky won, 5-1.

About the Wildcats: This year's Wildcat team boasts a 13-4 record, which includes a 9-7 win over Indiana. The Cats are a team that comes out of the gate fast, outscoring their opponents, 24-7, in the first two innings. On the field, the team is led by Jeff Norman. His 1.000 fielding percentage complements his .486 batting average. Norman has gone deep three times this season, driving in 13 runs. On the hill, right-hander Mark Thompson has been untouchable. Thompson has appeared in 5 games (4 starts), and is a perfect 5-0. His 1.14 ERA leads the Wildcats. Thompson is averaging 6 1/3 innings and 6 strikeouts per outing. Lorhn Frazier (0-1, 5) has been the stopper for the Cats this season. Frazier's 1.42 ERA in eight appearances has been the difference for the Wildcats this season. Opponents are hitting a mere .106 against the southpaw. The key to Frazier's success has been his control. Frazier has walked just two batters in his first 12 2/3 innings.

On the Horizon: The Golden Gophers travel to Huntington, West Virginia, to take on the Thundering Herd of Marshall University on Thursday, March 26. Marshall began the week at 6-10, and 0-6 in the Southern Conference.

About the Thundering Herd: The Thundering Herd recently snapped a seven-game losing streak by sweeping two games from Rio Grande College, an NAIA team. Leading the Herd is Shane McComas who is hitting .357, with 2 home runs and 10 RBI's. McComas has been helped by speed demon Chris Childers, who has stolen 5 bases in 5 attempts. Pitcher Ron Spencer (2-2, 2.00) has done the job as a starter and reliever. He has decisions in all four appearances this season. Though the Herd do not have a bona fide closer (1 save this season) and have been outscored 13-3 in the final two frames, Marshall's biggest enemy seems to be the fourth inning. 26 of the 93 runs scored against the Herd this season were scored in the fourth inning. This indicates that the Herd's starting pitching is running out of gas much too soon.

Big Ten Preview: The Gophers open the 1992 Big Ten season at Columbus, Ohio with a four-game series against the defending champions Buckeyes. The Gophers and Buckeyes are two of the favorites for the 1992 crown and this series will establish early favorites in the conference race. Last year the Maroon and Gold won three of four games at Siebert Field against OSU. The Buckeyes got their revenge in the Big Ten Tournament in Columbus, when they defeated the Gophers twice to win the Big Ten crown.

GOPHER MEN'S GOLF TEAM COMPETES IN PACIFIC COAST INVITATIONAL

The University of Minnesota men's golf team travels west this week to Santa Barbara, Calif. to participate in the Pacific Coast Intercollegiate golf tournament. The Golden Gophers are coming off a fifth place finish at the Budget UCF Golf Classic in Orlando, Fla., on March 9-10. Senior Rick Kuhn (Bismarck, N.D.) led the Gophers by finishing 10th overall. He fired rounds of 71-73-76=220 to secure the 10th spot.

Following the Pacific Coast Intercollegiate, the Gophers will open the 1992 Big Ten season at the Indiana Invitational in Bloomington on April 11-12.

Y.E.S. CLINIC SLATED DURING NCAA'S FINAL FOUR

The annual Youth Education through Sports Clinic, hosted by the NCAA in conjunction with the Final Four basketball tournament, has been scheduled for Saturday, April 4, at the Coon Rapids High School.

Free to the first 2,500 boys and girls who are 18 years of age or under, the Y.E.S. clinic will open at 8:30 a.m. and draw to a close at approximately 2:00 p.m. The morning session will include a hands-on coaching session for the first 500 who register, and that will be followed by an afternoon session with speakers and demonstrations.

This year's guest speakers are Coach Lou Carnesecca of St. John's University, Coach Joe Meyer of DePaul University and Coach Tom Davis of the University of Iowa. Members of the Golden Gopher men's and women's basketball teams as well as from other teams from the area will participate as group leaders.

Pre-registration is required. To receive a registration form, interested individuals should contact the Minnesota Youth Athletic Services at (612) 441-7471. The first 2,500 who pre-register will receive an official acceptance letter in the mail.

1992 Minnesota BASEBALL RESULTS
Includes League games & Non-league games

OPPONENT	MN	OPP	INN	TYPE	PLACE
Arizona	3	2	10	N	Feb. 6, 2:00 p.m. Tucson, AZ
Arizona	0	9	9	N	Feb. 8, 1:30 p.m., Tucson, AZ
Arizona	8	3	9	N	Feb. 8, 5:00 p.m., Tucson, AZ
Mississippi	2	6	9	N	Feb.21, 2:00 p.m. Oxford, MS
Mississippi	8	5	9	N	Feb.22, 2:00 p.m., Oxford, MS
Mississippi	5	0	9	N	Feb. 23, 1:15 p.m., Oxford, MS
FLORIDA ST.	1	3	9	N	Feb. 28, 7:35 p.m., Metrodome
MISSISSIPPI ST.	4	8	9	N	Feb. 29, 2:00 p.m. Metrodome
TEXAS A&M	9	8	7	N	March 1, 1:15 p.m., Metrodome
BALL STATE	2	0	9	N	Mar. 6, 7:00 p.m., Metrodome
BALL STATE	3	2	9	N	Mar.7, 7:00 p.m. Metrodome
BALL STATE	14	0	9	N	Mar. 8, 1:00 p.m. Metrodome
MISSOURI	7	6	12	N	March 13,4:00 p.m. Metrodome
MISSOURI	6	7	7	N	March 13, 8:40 p.m. Metrodome
MISSOURI	8	6	9	N	March 15, 1:00 p.m. Metrodome

RECORD 10- 5 MN DPs 18 OPP 21 MN LOB 115 OPP 120

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NO	NAME	GP	AB	RUN	HIT	2B	3B	HR	TB	SB-ATT	SH	SF	HBP	BB	SO	RBI	WRBI	AVG	PO	A	E	PCT.	
40	George Behr	14	56	10	23	8	0	2	37	3	5	0	0	4	7	15	1	.411	119	5	3	.976	
06	Charlie Nelson	13	35	7	12	2	0	0	14	5	6	1	0	11	4	6	2	.343	10	1	0	1.000	
15	Ryan Lefebvre	15	57	12	19	0	2	0	23	7	9	1	0	10	6	1	1	.333	39	0	0	1.000	
17	Brian Hartmann	14	57	8	17	3	0	1	23	1	4	0	1	2	6	7	0	.298	68	7	0	1.000	
33	Steve Calvert	11	28	1	8	3	0	0	11	0	1	1	0	6	5	8	1	.286	9	12	1	.955	
03	Mark Merila	15	43	12	12	4	0	0	16	1	3	0	2	21	5	9	1	.279	47	42	2	.978	
16	Keith Krenke	15	52	10	13	4	1	2	25	1	1	1	2	9	5	8	1	.250	27	3	1	.968	
07	Bill Mobilia	15	52	8	11	3	0	0	14	2	4	0	0	2	5	15	5	.212	18	52	5	.933	
28	Tom Doyle	7	22	1	4	1	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	1	7	0	0	.182	8	1	0	1.000	
10	Darren Schwankl	14	32	2	5	1	0	0	6	2	4	1	0	10	5	2	0	.156	9	7	2	.889	
LESS THAN 22 AT BATS																							
11	Shane McCarthy	4	3	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	0	.667	0	0	0	---	
01	Adam Sobocienski	5	14	3	6	1	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	1	1	4	1	.429	0	0	0	---	
09	Tony Bender	7	7	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	0	.143	1	5	2	.750	
18	Mark Vandersall	6	8	4	1	1	0	0	2	1	1	0	1	0	1	2	1	.125	0	0	0	---	
25	Darren Grass	8	17	2	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	2	2	5	3	0	.118	36	6	2	.955	
02	Mike Oster	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	.000	0	0	0	---	
32	J.T. Gilbert	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	1	0	1.000	
37	Scott Bakkum	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	3	0	0	1.000	
35	Brent Davis	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	3	0	1.000	
31	Eric Slagle	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	3	0	1.000	
27	John Lowery	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	4	0	1.000	
22	Jeff Schmidt	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	2	5	0	1.000	
21	Chris Lawler	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---	
30	Eric Porter	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---	
19	James Brower	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---	
TEAM TOTAL		15	484	80	136	31	3	5	188	23	38	5	7	5	87	77	72	9	.281	399	157	18	.969
OPPONENTS		15	504	65	137	16	2	9	184	16	25	10	2	6	61	101	56	5	.272	391	181	15	.974

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Minnesota BASEBALL COACHES REPORT

Includes League games & Non-league games

NAME	GP	AB	RUN	HIT	RBI	AVG	SO	BB	HBP	TAB	%OB	TB	%SLG	SH	ATT	%
George Behr	14	56	10	23	15	.411	7	4	0	60	.450	37	.661	0	0	---
Charlie Nelson	13	35	7	12	6	.343	4	11	0	46	.500	14	.400	1	0	---
Ryan Lefebvre	15	57	12	19	1	.333	6	10	0	67	.433	23	.404	1	0	---
Brian Hartmann	14	57	8	17	7	.298	6	2	1	60	.333	23	.404	0	0	---
Steve Calvert	11	28	1	8	8	.286	5	6	0	34	.412	11	.393	1	0	---
Mark Merila	15	43	12	12	9	.279	5	21	0	64	.516	16	.372	0	0	---
Keith Krenke	15	52	10	13	8	.250	5	9	0	61	.361	25	.481	1	1	1.000
Bill Mobilia	15	52	8	11	5	.212	15	5	2	59	.305	14	.269	0	0	---
Tom Doyle	7	22	1	4	0	.182	7	1	0	23	.217	5	.227	0	0	---
Darren Schwankl	14	32	2	5	2	.156	5	10	0	42	.357	6	.188	1	0	---
LESS THAN 22 AT BATS																
Shane McCarthy	4	3	0	2	1	.667	1	2	0	5	.800	2	.667	0	0	---
Adam Sobocienski	5	14	3	6	4	.429	1	1	0	15	.467	7	.500	0	0	---
Tony Bender	7	7	0	1	1	.143	2	1	0	8	.250	1	.143	0	0	---
Mark Vandersall	6	8	4	1	1	.125	2	1	0	9	.222	2	.250	0	0	---
Darren Grass	8	17	2	2	3	.118	5	2	2	21	.286	2	.118	0	0	---
Mike Oster	2	1	0	0	1	.000	1	1	0	2	.500	0	.000	0	0	---
J.T. Gilbert	5	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Scott Bakkum	4	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Brent Davis	4	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Eric Slagle	4	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
John Lowery	4	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Jeff Schmidt	4	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Chris Lawler	4	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Eric Porter	1	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
James Brower	1	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
TOTAL	15	484	80	136	72	.281	77	87	5	576	.396	188	.388	5	1	5.000
OPPONENTS	15	504	65	137	56	.272	101	61	6	571	.357	184	.365	10	0	---

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Minnesota BASEBALL RESULTS

Includes League games & Non-league games

NO	NAME	GP	ST	CG	WON	LST	SAV	IP	HITS	RUNS	ERUN	HR	BB	SO	HP	WP	BK	ERA
19	James Brower	1	0	0	0	0	0	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	.00
31	Eric Slagle	5	2	0	2	1	0	20.7	24	7	6	1	9	18	2	0	0	2.61
30	Eric Porter	2	0	0	0	0	0	3.3	4	2	1	1	4	1	0	1	0	2.70
22	Jeff Schmidt	5	5	0	2	1	0	25.7	26	12	8	0	9	16	0	2	0	2.81
35	Brent Davis	5	1	0	2	0	0	9.3	9	7	3	0	8	10	1	1	0	2.89
21	Chris Lawler	5	1	0	1	0	1	8.7	5	3	3	1	5	13	0	0	0	3.12
32	J.T. Gilbert	5	0	0	0	0	1	8.3	5	4	3	0	9	7	2	2	1	3.24
37	Scott Bakkum	5	4	2	2	2	0	32.0	29	13	12	3	5	22	0	0	0	3.38
27	John Lowery	5	2	0	1	1	0	19.7	25	12	9	1	8	13	1	5	0	4.12
11	Shane McCarthy	1	0	0	0	0	0	2.7	4	2	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	6.75
34	Andy Hammerschmidt	1	0	0	0	0	0	1.7	5	3	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	16.20
NON-TEAM												-1						
TOTAL		15	15	2	10	5	2	133.0	137	65	49	9	61	101	6	11	1	3.32
OPPONENTS		15	15	3	5	10	0	133.0	136	80	74	5	87	77	5	11	1	5.01

GOLDEN GOPHERS FALL TO WASHINGTON STATE IN FIRST ROUND OF NIT

Head Coach Clem Haskins' youthful Golden Gopher basketball team (16-16, 8-10 Big Ten) dropped a hard-fought 72-70 decision at Washington State in the first round of the National Invitation Tournament last Wednesday.

Surprising Golden Gophers: Picked to finish near the cellar of the Big Ten standings at the start of the season, Coach Haskins' gutsy Golden Gophers landed the program's third postseason berth in the last four seasons with their appearance in the NIT. With only one senior on this year's roster, the future does indeed look bright for the Golden Gophers.

Coach Haskins: In his sixth season at the helm, Head Coach Clem Haskins has been the chief architect behind the resurgence of the Golden Gopher basketball program. After two rebuilding seasons, he directed the program to national prominence with back-to-back storybook runs through the NCAA Tournament in 1989 (Sweet Sixteen) and 1990 (Elite Eight). With a roster that included six freshmen, five sophomores, two juniors and one senior, he and his staff did an outstanding job once again this past season in bringing the Golden Gophers' to their third postseason appearance in four years. Known as "Clem the Gem," he was a consensus All-America choice, and is still recognized as one of the most dominant players to ever play in the Ohio Valley Conference, after charting a standout collegiate career at Western Kentucky. The third player selected in the NBA draft, he went on to play nine outstanding seasons in the professional ranks. Coach Haskins has recorded an 89-90 overall record at Minnesota, including a 70-53 mark over the past four seasons. He has a 190-163 overall record in 12 seasons.

Tough Loss: Sophomore guard Arriel McDonald (Raleigh, N.C.) scored 20 points and freshman guard Voshon Lenard (Detroit) added 16, but it wasn't enough as host Washington State came away with the 72-70 victory in the first round NIT clash last Wednesday. Freshman Jayson Walton (Dallas) scored 12 points and collected a career-high 12 rebounds in the defeat.

Minnesota & The NIT: Minnesota made its fifth appearance in the NIT and the first since 1983. With the loss to Washington State last week, the Golden Gophers have now charted an overall record of 7-5 in NIT play. In 1980, the Kevin McHale-led Golden Gophers advanced all the way to the title game where they fell 58-55 to Ralph Sampson's Virginia Cavaliers.

The Final Chapter: Senior Bob Martin (Apple Valley, Minn.) closed out his collegiate career by appearing in postseason play for the third time in four years. He was a member of the Golden Gopher squads that landed back-to-back berths in the NCAA Tournament for the first time in school history in 1989 and 1990. The 7-foot, 255-pound center, who scored a career-high 17 points when the Golden Gophers defeated Northwestern 92-50 at Williams Arena back on Jan. 29, played in his 119th career game against Washington State which tied the school record held jointly by Randy Breuer (1979-83) and Kevin Lynch (1987-91). He finished his final collegiate campaign ranked fourth on the team in scoring (7.5) and second in rebounding (5.1). He also led the team both in blocks (62) and field goal percentage (61.7 percent, 103 of 167). In his career, he scored 547 points (4.6), collected 396 rebounds (3.3) and shot 61.2 percent (219 of 358) from the field. With 146 career blocks, he is ranked third on the all-time school career list behind Breuer (224) and McHale (214).

Don't Come Around Here No More: The Golden Gophers set a new single-season school record for blocked shots by recording 129 rejections this season. The previous school record of 119 blocks was set during the 1981-82 season.

Going Long: The Golden Gophers set new single-season school records for three pointers attempted this season with 403 overall and 244 in the Big Ten. The old records of 351 and 213 were set back in 1989-90. They also made 134 three pointers overall and 77 in the Big Ten, with the old records of 131 and 74 having also been set in 1989-90. Individually, Voshon Lenard attempted 144 three pointers this season, breaking Willie Burton's single-season school record of 136 attempts set in 1989-90. Lenard has also made 51 overall, which fell just shy of Burton's school mark of 52 also set in 1989-90.

Tough Schedule...Big Wins: Minnesota's schedule this season was one of the most demanding in school history and Coach Haskins' young squad chalked up some big wins along the way. The Golden Gophers defeated Arizona State 69-37 at the Maui Invitational back on Nov. 27 when the Sun Devils were ranked No. 25. They also topped then No. 11 Michigan 73-64 on Jan. 11 and then No. 11 Michigan State 70-66 on Jan. 18. One of the biggest victories of all was the 71-67 upset of then No. 4 Indiana on Feb. 12. The Golden Gophers met nine teams (Arkansas, Howard, Memphis State, Iowa State, Indiana, Michigan, Michigan State, Ohio State, Iowa) this season that have played in the NCAA Tournament, and four more (Arizona State, Alabama-Birmingham, Purdue, Washington State) that were selected for the NIT. Of the 16 Golden Gopher defeats this season, only two (Oregon State, Illinois) were to teams that did not play in a postseason tournament.

Final Four Media Credentials: The University of Minnesota has been asked to remind news agencies that ALL requests for media credentials for the 1992 NCAA Final Four basketball tournament at the Hubert H. Humphrey Metrodome on April 4 & 6 MUST be directed to Dave Cawood at the NCAA headquarters. Please DO NOT send such requests to the University of Minnesota. Send the requests to: Dave Cawood, NCAA, 6201 College Blvd, Overland Park, Kansas 66211.

FINAL
University of Minnesota BASKETBALL TEAM STATISTIC

NAME	G	ST	INCLUDES LEAGUE GAMES & NON-LEAGUE GAMES & TOURNAMENT GAMES						PF	DIS	AVG						PTS	AVG							
			TOTAL FG			3-PT FG					FREE THROWS			REBOUNDS					AST	TO	BLK	STL	MIN		
	FG	FGA	PCT	FG	FGA	PCT	FT	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG												
Lenard	32	32	139	330	42.1	51	144	35.4	82	101	81.2	33	85	118	3.7	86	4	86	2.7	69	10	51	27	411	12.8
HIGHS:	PTS 25 vs MICHIGAN						RBS 8 vs Memphis State			AST 7 vs Arkansas															
McDonald	32	32	133	305	43.6	32	97	33.0	55	71	77.5	38	64	102	3.2	73	2	120	3.8	61	2	37	29	353	11.0
HIGHS:	PTS 22 vs WISCONSIN						RBS 7 vs WEBER STATE			AST 9 vs Oregon															
Martin	32	32	103	167	61.7	0	0	.0	35	57	61.4	59	104	163	5.1	83	3	19	.6	55	62	17	21	241	7.5
HIGHS:	PTS 17 vs NORTHWESTERN						RBS 11 vs AKRON			AST 3 vs IOWA STATE															
Walton	32	13	88	203	43.3	0	2	.0	50	71	70.4	58	76	134	4.2	64	4	37	1.2	54	9	18	19	226	7.1
HIGHS:	PTS 15 vs Oregon State						RBS 12 vs Washington State			AST 4 vs IOWA STATE															
Carter	24	23	80	188	42.6	14	33	42.4	37	60	61.7	50	84	134	5.6	57	3	33	1.4	38	6	14	21	211	8.8
HIGHS:	PTS 20 vs Alabama-Birmingham						RBS 12 vs Oregon			AST 4 vs IOWA STATE															
Jackson	32	20	68	167	40.7	1	4	25.0	43	75	57.3	40	53	93	2.9	71	2	40	1.3	54	11	16	18	180	5.6
HIGHS:	PTS 16 vs Oregon						RBS 7 vs YOUNGSTOWN STATE			AST 5 vs YOUNGSTOWN STATE															
Orr	32	0	58	139	41.7	24	65	36.9	17	41	41.5	5	43	48	1.5	50	0	63	2.0	50	0	28	15	157	4.9
HIGHS:	PTS 20 vs MICHIGAN STATE						RBS 4 vs WEBER STATE			AST 5 vs WEBER STATE															
Tubbs	31	7	64	174	36.8	2	21	9.5	27	43	62.8	44	44	88	2.8	65	1	27	.9	29	4	17	17	157	5.1
HIGHS:	PTS 15 vs Purdue						RBS 6 vs Arkansas			AST 4 vs IOWA															
Kolander	29	1	44	93	47.3	0	0	.0	63	87	72.4	46	47	93	3.2	63	1	22	.8	26	12	17	17	151	5.2
HIGHS:	PTS 16 vs IOWA STATE						RBS 9 vs Alabama-Birmingham			AST 3 vs MICHIGAN															
Nzigamasabo	32	0	53	116	45.7	0	0	.0	32	56	57.1	43	42	85	2.7	61	1	20	.6	21	12	9	14	138	4.3
HIGHS:	PTS 13 vs HOWARD						RBS 8 vs IOWA			AST 3 vs YOUNGSTOWN STATE															
Wolf	22	0	16	58	27.6	10	35	28.6	5	12	41.7	10	9	19	.9	29	0	15	.7	16	0	3	6	47	2.1
HIGHS:	PTS 7 vs OHIO STATE						RBS 4 vs NORTHWESTERN			AST 5 vs NORTHWESTERN															
Clark	10	0	5	11	45.5	0	2	.0	5	7	71.4	3	5	8	.8	3	0	1	.1	4	0	2	2	15	1.5
HIGHS:	PTS 5 vs Michigan						RBS 3 vs Michigan			AST 1 vs Michigan															
Roe	14	0	2	3	66.7	0	0	.0	1	3	33.3	5	4	9	.6	8	0	2	.1	2	1	0	2	5	.4
HIGHS:	PTS 2 vs Arizona State						RBS 2 vs Arizona State			AST 1 vs HOWARD															
TEAM														101	3.2							7			
TOTAL	32	853		1954	43.7	134	403	33.3	452	684	66.1	434	761	1195	37.3	713	21	485	15.2	486	129	229	2292		71.6
HIGHS:	PTS 98 vs YOUNGSTOWN STATE						RBS 57 vs Arkansas			AST 30 vs YOUNGSTOWN STATE															
OPPONENTS	32	728		1665	43.7	145	398	36.4	611	886	69.0	318	815	1133	35.4	623	12	442	13.8	555	106	211	2212		69.1
HIGHS:	PTS 96 vs Indiana						RBS 50 vs Arkansas			AST 28 vs Michigan															

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NAME	G	ST	TOTAL FG			3-PT FG			FREE THROWS			REBOUNDS			PF	DIS	AST	AVG			MIN	PTS	AVG		
			FG	FGA	PCT	FG	FGA	PCT	FT	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT				AVG	TO	BLK				STL	
Lenard HIGHS:	18	18	75	196	38.3	25	85	29.4	44	55	80.0	18	50	68	3.8	55	3	35	1.9	39	8	25	27	219	12.2
			PTS 25	vs MICHIGAN					RBS 8	vs MICHIGAN							AST 4	vs MICHIGAN STATE							
McDonald HIGHS:	18	18	84	193	43.5	22	62	35.5	24	32	75.0	22	28	50	2.8	37	0	68	3.8	30	0	18	31	214	11.9
			PTS 22	vs WISCONSIN					RBS 6	vs Purdue							AST 8	vs IOWA							
Walton HIGHS:	18	11	44	103	42.7	0	1	.0	24	36	66.7	31	37	68	3.8	43	4	17	.9	30	3	10	18	112	6.2
			PTS 13	vs PURDUE					RBS 7	vs Illinois							AST 4	vs NORTHWESTERN							
Martin HIGHS:	18	18	50	89	56.2	0	0	.0	11	27	40.7	30	60	90	5.0	47	1	11	.6	30	28	11	22	111	6.2
			PTS 17	vs NORTHWESTERN					RBS 8	vs Ohio State							AST 2	vs NORTHWESTERN							
Tubbs HIGHS:	17	7	44	105	41.9	1	5	20.0	18	28	64.3	28	22	50	2.9	41	1	15	.9	14	3	10	19	107	6.3
			PTS 15	vs Purdue					RBS 5	vs ILLINOIS							AST 4	vs IOWA							
Orr HIGHS:	18	0	35	90	38.9	19	52	36.5	7	18	38.9	2	19	21	1.2	28	0	32	1.8	23	0	13	16	96	5.3
			PTS 20	vs MICHIGAN STATE					RBS 3	vs MICHIGAN							AST 5	vs NORTHWESTERN							
Jackson HIGHS:	18	8	30	85	35.3	0	1	.0	19	36	52.8	22	24	46	2.6	43	1	11	.6	24	2	6	16	79	4.4
			PTS 11	vs ILLINOIS					RBS 6	vs Wisconsin							AST 3	vs NORTHWESTERN							
Kolander HIGHS:	15	0	17	48	35.4	0	0	.0	31	39	79.5	26	27	53	3.5	35	1	12	.8	15	5	11	18	65	4.3
			PTS 11	vs MICHIGAN					RBS 7	vs Indiana							AST 3	vs MICHIGAN							
Nzigamasabo HIGHS:	18	0	22	60	36.7	0	0	.0	18	34	52.9	25	25	50	2.8	43	1	11	.6	10	3	6	14	62	3.4
			PTS 11	vs Northwestern					RBS 8	vs IOWA							AST 1	vs Indiana							
Carter HIGHS:	11	10	21	65	32.3	3	10	30.0	9	17	52.9	18	28	46	4.2	23	1	13	1.2	16	1	6	19	54	4.9
			PTS 11	vs Indiana					RBS 12	vs WISCONSIN							AST 2	vs Indiana							
Wolf HIGHS:	11	0	10	42	23.8	7	28	25.0	3	8	37.5	6	5	11	1.0	19	0	8	.7	13	0	2	8	30	2.7
			PTS 7	vs OHIO STATE					RBS 4	vs NORTHWESTERN							AST 5	vs NORTHWESTERN							
Clark HIGHS:	4	0	3	5	60.0	0	0	.0	1	2	50.0	2	3	5	1.3	1	0	1	.3	3	0	1	2	7	1.8
			PTS 5	vs Michigan					RBS 3	vs Michigan							AST 1	vs Michigan							
Roe HIGHS:	7	0	1	1	100.0	0	0	.0	0	0	.0	2	1	3	.4	2	0	0	.0	0	0	0	1	2	.3
			PTS 2	vs NORTHWESTERN					RBS 1	vs NORTHWESTERN															
TEAM														49	2.7					6					
TOTAL	18		436	1082	40.3	77	244	31.6	209	332	63.0	232	378	610	33.9	417	13	234	13.0	253	53	119		1158	64.3
HIGHS:	PTS 92	vs NORTHWESTERN							RBS 48	vs WISCONSIN							AST 29	vs NORTHWESTERN							
OPPONENTS	18		394	860	45.8	77	195	39.5	391	540	72.4	156	490	646	35.9	327	8	257	14.3	301	64	104		1256	69.8
HIGHS:	PTS 96	vs Indiana							RBS 44	vs Indiana							AST 28	vs Michigan							

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UM	FG%	OPPONENT	OPP	FG%	HIGH SCORER	HIGH REBOUNDER	ATTEND	PLACE & DATE
83	33.7	Arkansas	92	42.3	19 Carter	11 Carter	1,800	Maui Invitational- Nov. 25
89	54.5	Providence	82	38.8	20 Lenard	6 McDonald 6 Lenard	1,000	Maui Invitational - Nov. 26
69	53.6	Arizona State	37	27.3	10 Carter 10 Martin	9 Walton	1,000	Maui Invitational - Nov. 27
95	45.1	HOWARD	54	33.9	17 Carter	8 Carter	12,923	WILLIAMS ARENA - Nov. 30
98	56.0	YOUNGSTOWN STATE	59	35.5	21 McDonald	8 Martin	12,314	WILLIAMS ARENA - Dec. 2
86	45.8	AKRON	59	33.9	16 Lenard	11 Martin	12,473	WILLIAMS ARENA - Dec. 11
80	43.5	Alabama-Birmingham	86	61.9	20 Carter	10 Carter	7,427	Birmingham, AL - Dec. 14
68	44.3	DETROIT MERCY	66	57.4	15 Martin		12,569	WILLIAMS ARENA - Dec. 17
62	40.6	Memphis State	65	40.6	12 Jackson 12 Carter	8 Lenard	17,240	Memphis, TN - Dec. 19
92	53.8	WEBER STATE	52	33.3	18 McDonald	9 Martin	13,269	WILLIAMS ARENA - Dec. 23
89	54.0	Oregon	64	40.0	18 Lenard	12 Carter	7,020	Far West Classic -Dec. 27
80	47.5	Oregon State	92	60.0	18 Lenard	7 Carter	6,959	Far West Classic - Dec. 28
73	49.1	IOWA STATE	76	52.5	16 Kolander	6 Carter	16,029	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 4
50	32.8	Indiana	96	53.6	13 McDonald	7 Kolander	17,238	Bloomington, IN - Jan. 9
73	39.1	MICHIGAN	64	40.4	25 Lenard	8 Lenard	16,193	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 11
49	40.4	Wisconsin	48	47.1	12 Lenard	6 Jackson	9,374	Madison, WI - Jan. 15
70	37.5	MICHIGAN STATE	66	41.8	20 Orr	7 Martin	15,109	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 18
69	41.0	Ohio State	72	41.5	19 Lenard	8 Martin	13,276	Columbus, OH - Jan. 22
54	35.7	ILLINOIS	53	36.6	14 Lenard	6 Martin	16,126	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 25
92	55.6	NORTHWESTERN	50	36.4	17 Martin	7 Nzigamasabo 7 Martin	13,418	WILLIAMS ARENA - Jan. 29
70	39.1	Iowa	87	51.1	13 McDonald	5 Tubbs	15,500	Iowa City, IA - Feb. 1
57	40.0	Purdue	65	55.3	15 Tubbs	7 Nzigamasabo	14,123	W. Lafayette, IN - Feb. 5
57	39.3	Northwestern	55	44.1	11 Nzigamasabo	6 Martin	7,897	Evanston, IL - Feb. 8
71	42.6	INDIANA	67	40.0	18 McDonald	8 Martin	16,212	WILLIAMS ARENA - Feb. 12
58	37.7	Illinois	74	41.0	12 McDonald	9 Carter	14,322	Champaign, IL - Feb. 15
70	42.9	Michigan	95	62.3	16 McDonald 16 Lenard	5 Lenard	13,422	Ann Arbor, MI - Feb. 19
64	37.5	IOWA	79	53.5	21 Lenard	8 Nzigamasabo	15,937	WILLIAMS ARENA - Feb. 25
76	49.1	WISCONSIN	57	30.5	22 McDonald	12 Carter	14,449	WILLIAMS ARENA - Mar. 4
58	32.8	PURDUE	68	52.6	17 McDonald	5 Tubbs	15,749	WILLIAMS ARENA - Mar. 7
57	47.3	Michigan State	66	49.0	14 McDonald 14 Lenard	6 Martin	15,138	E. Lansing, MI - Mar. 11
63	32.8	OHIO STATE	94	49.1	11 McDonald	7 Martin	15,806	WILLIAMS ARENA -Mar. 14
70	54.9	Washington State	72	33.9	20 McDonald	12 Walton	4,003	Pullman, WA - Mar. 18

TEAM RECORD	ALL GAMES	16-16	50.0%
	LEAGUE	8-10	44.4%
	TOURNAMENT	0-1	.0%

GOLDEN GOPHERS TRY TO WIN THIRD STRAIGHT BIG TEN TITLE

Minnesota will try to gain their third consecutive Big Ten gymnastics title this weekend in Champaign, Ill. If the Golden Gophers gain that distinction, it will not be the first time this feat has been accomplished by the Minnesota. From 1976 through 1980, Minnesota was a five-time Big Ten Champion under the leadership of present Head Coach Fred Roethlisberger. On the season, the Gophers have an impressive win over the number one-ranked Nebraska Cornhuskers, finished first in the prestigious Windy City Invitational and also first in the always tough UCLA Invitational.

"This will be one of the best Conference Championships ever with the addition of Penn State," says Roethlisberger. "It will be a barn burner because Penn State finished second last season at the NCAA meet and Ohio State and Iowa will be competitive as well. Theoretically, the Big Ten could possibly qualify four teams to this season's NCAA Championship meet in Lincoln, Neb."

SEASON HIGHS

Name	FX	PH	SR	V	PB	HB	AA
Korey Bannerman	8.95	—	9.55	9.00	—	—	—
Tony Brough	—	—	—	—	9.60	—	—
Leif Carlson	9.60	9.70	9.40	9.30	9.65	9.85	55.90
Rob Hanson	—	9.75	9.85	9.00	9.45	9.65	—
Bo Haun	9.15	9.35	9.50	9.05	9.30	9.65	53.75
Kerry Huston	9.75	9.35	9.50	9.65	9.45	9.60	56.70
Louie Johnson	9.20	7.85	—	9.05	8.25	—	—
Brian Ottenhoff	9.20	7.95	9.45	9.05	9.10	9.80	54.35
John Roethlisberger	9.85	9.75	9.75	9.65	9.70	9.65	58.10
Brian Yee	9.70	9.60	9.35	9.35	8.75	9.45	55.15
Team Totals	47.40	47.05	47.70	46.60	47.15	48.45	283.25

SWIMMING & DIVING TEAM HEADS TO INDIANAPOLIS FOR NCAA'S

The 10th-ranked Golden Gophers swimming & diving team will try to improve on their 18th place finish at last season's NCAA Swimming & Diving Championships this weekend in Indianapolis. Minnesota will have ten swimmers and two divers competing in this year's championship. The Maroon & Gold is coming off its third consecutive second place finish at the Big Ten Conference Championship.

"We are taking our largest squad to NCAA's since the early 1960's," says Head Swimming & Diving Coach Dennis Dale. We are shooting for a top ten finish and that has not happened since 1967."

MINNESOTA NCAA QUALIFIERS

Steve Busse (Cincinnati, Ohio) - 200-400 Free Relay
 Jay Fischer (Hutchinson, Minn.) - 200-400 Free Relay, 200 Medley Relay
 Eric Jorgensen (Rochester, Minn.) - 200-400 Free Relay
 Del Cerney (Staples, Minn.) - 50-100 Free, 100 Fly, 200-400 Free Relay, 200-400 Medley Relay
 Scott Hart (Rochester, Minn.) - 500-1650 Freestyle, 400 Individual Medley
 Sean Quackenbush (Rochester, Minn.) - 100-200 Fly, 400 Medley Relay, 400-800 Free Relay
 Paul Nelsen (Lincoln, Neb.) - 200-400 IM, 100 Breast, 200-400 Medley Relay, 400-800 Free Relay
 Can Ergenekan (Beaverton, Ore.) - 500 Freestyle, 100-200 Butterfly, 800 Free Relay
 Scott Tripps (Seattle, Wash.) - 200-400 Medley Relay, 100-200 Back
 Omar Boyd (Los Angeles) - 1-3 meter, platform
 David Zarns (New Brighton, Minn.) - 1-3 meter platform
 Matt Brown (Beaverton, Ore.) - 400 Medley Relay, 800 Free Relay

GOPHER GRAPPLER EARNS ALL-AMERICA HONORS

Junior Mike Marzetta (158 - Liberty Lake, Wash.) finished seventh in his weight class to grab his first All-America certificate. In doing so, Marzetta becomes the 37th Gopher to earn the All-America label, and the 12th under Head Coach J Robinson. As a team the Gophers finished tied for 21st place with Appalachian State and Maryland.

Even though he lost Saturday's consolation semifinal to Tim Whitman of Penn State, 6-4, Marzetta earned his All-America finish when Howard Langford of Tennessee-Chattanooga dropped out of the seventh place match with a medical default.

Marzetta (158) lost his quarterfinal match to Iowa's Tom Ryan, 6-2, but a victory in the Consolation Quarterfinal guaranteed him of earning All-America honors. Marzetta decisioned Matt Tophen (Stanford), 8-6, in a consolation quarterfinal match.

Other Gophers at the tournament were eliminated in rather short order. Freshman Chad Carlson (150 - Pennock, Minn.) lost his quarterfinal match to defending national champion Matt Demaray (Wisconsin), 8-7, to drop to the consolation bracket. Carlson then lost a 2-1 overtime decision to David Barnes of Miami (Ohio) to conclude his NCAA tournament.

Eric Folkins (118 - Sr., Sacramento, Calif.) and Scott Rohrer (126 - Sr., Waupun, Wis.) lost their second round consolation matches and were also eliminated. Damon Johnson (142 - So., Mustang, Okla.) and Tim Harris (134 - Fr., St. Louis, Mo.) were knocked out of the national meet after suffering first round losses -- they were eliminated because their first round opponents lost second round matches.

The NCAA Championships marked the end of a tough 1991-92 season for the Gopher wrestlers. Minnesota had a tough dual match season that saw them wrestle against 12 top 25 teams, and post an 8-14 record. The Maroon & Gold finished strong at the Big Ten meet with a solid fourth-place finish and six NCAA qualifiers.

NCAA Championship Match-by-Match Results for Minnesota Wrestlers:

118 - Eric Folkins - 1st Rd. lost by tech. fall to Kim Casey (Bloomsburg), 15-0 at 7:00; 1st Rd. Cons. won by major dec. over Charlie Morgan (Morgan State), 11-3; 2nd Rd. Cons. lost by major dec. to Erik Aiken (Iowa State), 15-4;

126 - Scott Rohrer - 1st Rd. won by dec. over Shane Roselle (Cal State-Bakersfield), 10-4; 2nd Rd. lost by tech. fall to Terry Brands (Iowa), 23-8 at 4:59; 1st Rd. Cons. won by dec. over Jarrett Clark (Oregon), 5-2; 2nd Rd. Cons. lost by dec. to Mike Krafchick (Virginia), 8-2;

134 - Tim Harris - 1st. Rd. lost by major dec. to Marco Sanchez (Arizona State), 13-3; was eliminated when Sanchez lost his 2nd Rd. match;

142 - Damon Johnson - 1st Rd. lost when Tom Barkley of Millersville pinned him at 2:44; was eliminated when Barkley lost his 2nd Rd. match;

150 - Chad Carlson - 1st Rd. won by dec. over Steve Dernlan (Liberty), 6-5; 2nd Rd. won when he pinned Sepp Dobler (Brown), 6:17; Quarterfinals lost by dec. to Matt Demaray (Wis.), 8-7; Consolation Quarterfinal lost by dec. to David Barnes (Miami of Ohio), 2-1(OT);

158 - Mike Marzetta - 1st Rd. won by major dec. over Doug Ter Hauk (California-Pa), 13-5; 2nd Rd. won by major dec. over Kirk Wallman (Iowa State), 15-7; Quarterfinals lost by dec. to Tom Ryan (Iowa), 6-2; Consolation Quarterfinal won by dec. over Matt Tophen (Stanford), 8-6; will wrestle Saturday in the Consolation semifinal against Tim Whittman of Penn State; Marzetta has locked up All-America honors.

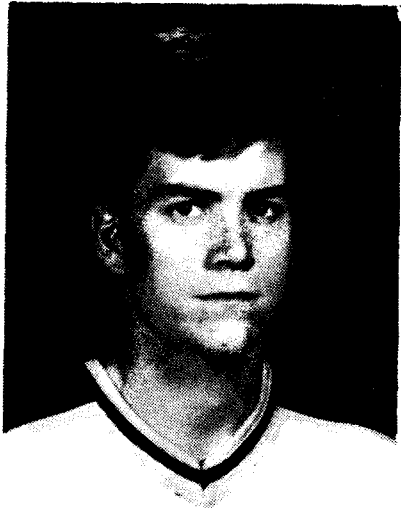
NETTERS BACK IN ACTION; HEAD TO DIXIE DUALS

David Geatz's 21st-ranked Golden Gopher tennis squad heads to the Blue-Grey Invitational in Montgomery, Ala., Thursday through Sunday (March 26-29). Minnesota will put its eight match-winning streak on the line when they face the 15th-ranked Florida Gators. If Minnesota gets past the Gators their next opponent will likely be Notre Dame. The Irish, ranked fifth, pounded the Gophers in an early season, 9-0, blowout.

"We're really looking forward to the Blue-Grey this year," Geatz said. "Our lineup is solid, and now that Mehdi Benyebka (Jr., Oran, Algeria) is eligible to play we expect to do well. We like to call Mehdi the 'Algerian Stallion' because he is capable of performing like a thoroughbred."

Minnesota enters the Blue-Grey Invitational with a 9-2 dual match record, a No. 21 ranking and Adam Krafft (So., Saginaw, Mich.) and Brian Uihlein (Sr., Lake Forest, Ill.) ranked fourth in the country.

All-American/Hobey Baker Candidates



The "Big O" Larry Olimb

5-10, 170 Captain, Senior Center
Warroad, Minn.

- Leading scorer on the Gophers with 24 goals and 53 assists
- First in the nation in assists with 53
- Third in the WCHA scoring chart, one point out of first
- Olympic tryout camp finalist
- One of the best open ice players in collegiate hockey
- Chosen as a pre-season All-American by the *Sporting News*
- Bierman Academic Award winner
- Leading scorer on the Gophers in 1990-91 with 19 goals and 38 assists
- 1991-92 Team Captain for the Golden Gophers
- The Golden Gopher all-time assist leader with 156 career assists
- The most versatile player in college hockey; plays center, wing and defense in an average game, as well as on the power play and penalty killing units
- Winner of the prestigious Minnesota "Mr. Hockey" award as a high school senior
- Will graduate with a degree in elementary education

What they say about Olimb:

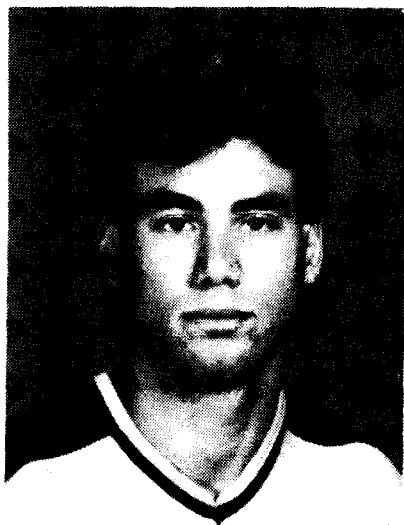
"He's a very versatile player who has had a great year. I like him because he can play both forward and defense, and has a great understanding of the game. He's a quiet type of player, who at times you don't notice, until you read the scoresheet at the end of the game," *Jeff Sauer, Head Coach, Wisconsin Badgers.*

"Larry is the cream of a golden crop. His versatility and his hockey skills make him one of the best in the country," *Bill Brophy, Wisconsin State Journal.*

"Larry has always been an important part of Minnesota's offense. This year as the team captain he has been the key player in Minnesota's success and he has elevated his game individually to the point where he is one of the premiere players in the WCHA and in the country," *John "Gino" Gasparini, Head Coach North Dakota Fighting Sioux*

"Larry is the type of player who can dominate a game at times. His individual skills and hockey sense put him in an elite group of players," *Head Coach Doug Woog, Minnesota Golden Gophers.*

All-American/Hobey Baker Candidates



The "Stopper"

Jeff Stolp

6-0, 185 Senior Goalie
Nashwauk, Minn.

- Leading the WCHA in goals against (2.84)
- Leading the WCHA in winning percentage (25-7, .781)
- Leading the WCHA in shutout periods with 35
- Third on the Minnesota career GAA list with a 3.13
- Leading the WCHA in Shutouts (2)
- Was the top goalie in the WCHA in 1991 when he lead the WCHA in goals against (2.71) and save percentage (.896)
- Currently third on the all-time win list at Minnesota with 55
- Is third on all-time games played list with 91
- Named to the WCHA All-Tournament Team for his play at the 1991 league tourney
- Ranked eighth in the nation in goals against average (2.84)
- Ranked fifth in the nation in winning percentage (25-7,.781)
- Leads the nation in wins with 25
- Draft rights are held by the Minnesota North Stars (4th round choice)
- Chosen as a pre-season All-American by the *Sporting News*

What they say about Stolp:

"Jeff has risen to the challenge this year and has given Minnesota consistency at the most important position on the ice. He makes the big save, even when he hasn't faced a lot of shots," *Rick Comley, Head Coach Northern Michigan Wildcats*

"Jeff is an outstanding standup goaltender who always seems to come up with the big save when his team needs it. He's definitely one of the best we've faced this year," *Mike McShane, Head Coach Providence*

"Stolper has rebounded from a tough sophomore season and been the best goalie in our league for the last two years. His hard work and determination have made him into one of the finest netminders in the country. Our success has been closely tied to the consistently strong play he has provided," *Doug Woog, Head Coach Minnesota Golden Gophers*



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HASKINS SELECTED TO NABC SILVER ANNIVERSARY ALL-AMERICA TEAM

University of Minnesota Head Basketball Coach Clem Haskins has been selected for the 1992 National Association of Basketball Coaches (NABC) Balfour Silver Anniversary All-America Team.

In addition to Haskins, 1992 honorees from the Class of 1967 include former New York University star Robert Malcolm Graham, an associate justice of the Massachusetts Superior Court; Northwestern's Jim Burns, a litigation partner with the Chicago law firm of Keck, Mahin & Cate; Rutgers University consensus All-America Bob Lloyd; and Earl "The Pearl" Monroe, who led Winston-Salem State University to the 1967 NCAA Division II title and went on to an outstanding professional career in the National Basketball Association. Legendary DePaul University basketball coach and Naismith Hall of Fame member Ray Meyer will be the recipient of the NABC Balfour Golden Anniversary Award for more than 50 years of outstanding service to the game.

Selected for their outstanding basketball and career achievements, Haskins and the other honorees will be presented with rings from the L.G. Balfour Company at the annual NABC awards dinner on Sunday, April 5 at the Minneapolis Convention Center. The dinner is held as part of the annual NABC convention in conjunction with the NCAA Final Four.

"It is really an honor to be recognized by your colleagues and to be going in with such a select group of people," Haskins said. "This is something that I will cherish for the rest of my life."

A native of Campbellsville, Ky., Haskins led small Taylor County to the state tournament during a stellar prep career. A consensus All-American as a senior at Western Kentucky after being named to various All-American teams throughout his career, he is the only player in the history of the Ohio Valley Conference (OVC) to ever be named Player of the Year three consecutive seasons.

With 1,680 career points, Haskins ranks second on the school's all-time three-year list. His career scoring average of 22.1 points per game and 265 total assists also rank second among Hilltoppers for three seasons of play. During his career, the Hilltoppers fashioned a sparkling 66-15 overall record for a winning percentage of .815. The 1964-65 club went to the quarterfinals of the NIT, while both the 1965-66 and 1966-67 teams claimed OVC titles en route to consecutive appearances in the NCAA Tournament. During his senior year, the Hilltoppers ran off a string of 21 straight victories, which remains a school and conference record. He was the third player selected in the 1967 NBA draft and he went on to play nine outstanding seasons with the Chicago Bulls (1967-70), Phoenix Suns (1970-74) and Washington Bullets (1974-76).

In 1977, Haskins returned to his alma mater as an assistant coach, before being named head coach in the spring of 1980. He promptly directed the Hilltoppers to a 21-8 mark that first season, the OVC regular season crown and a berth in the NCAA Tournament en route to being honored as the league's Coach-of-the-Year. In fact, NBC-TV named him its Rookie Coach of the Year as well. The following season in 1981-82 his team went 19-10 and were co-champions of the OVC, before making an NIT Tournament appearance. In 1982, Western Kentucky joined the rugged Sun Belt Conference, and after three seasons of building to that level of talent, his 1985-86 team went 23-8 and advanced to the second round of the NCAA Tournament.

Haskins, who has also been inducted into the Western Kentucky University Hall of Fame, the Kentucky Athletic Hall of Fame, and the Kentucky High School Athletic Association Hall of Fame, has once again worked his winning magic at the University of Minnesota. After two rebuilding seasons, the Golden Gophers went 19-12 overall in 1988-89 and advanced to the "Sweet 16" of the NCAA Tournament, before registering a 23-9 mark in 1989-90 on their way to the NCAA Tournament's Southeast Regional Final. This past season he directed a young Golden Gopher squad that had just one senior in the lineup to a 16-16 overall mark and a berth in the NIT. A member of the NCAA Basketball Rules and Recruiting Committees, he served as head coach of the North team that went unbeaten and collected the gold medal at the '91 U.S. Olympic Festival in Los Angeles. He also directed the Midwest team at the Orlando All-Star Classic last April.

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GOPHER HOCKEY GAME WILL NOT BE TELEVISED

The Golden Gopher hockey game between the winner of the Alaska-Anchorage /Lake Superior State game will not be televised. The NCAA informed the University of Minnesota that it will not permit the game to be televised live because it is not a sellout. The game, which begins at noon, will be broadcast over the radio live on KFAN (1130 AM), preempting the Timberwolves' pre-game show. If the broadcast goes past 2:30 p.m. it will be picked up by KJJO (950 AM).

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SPECIAL NCAA FINAL FOUR ADVISORY FOR MEDIA

GAME TIMES ANNOUNCED BY NCAA

Semi-final round action in the 1992 NCAA Final Four Basketball Tournament at the Hubert H. Humphrey Metrodome on Saturday will begin at 4:42 p.m. when Cincinnati meets Michigan. The second game featuring Duke and Indiana will tip off at 7:30 p.m.

Monday's national championship game is scheduled for 8:22 p.m.

FRIDAY'S FINAL FOUR PRACTICE SESSIONS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

Practice sessions scheduled Friday at the Hubert H. Humphrey Metrodome for teams participating in the 1992 NCAA Final Four Basketball Tournament will be open to the public. There is no admission charge, and gates at the Metrodome will open at 10:30 a.m.

Each of the four teams will be provided with a one-hour practice time slot on the new Metrodome floor. At 12 noon, Michigan is scheduled to practice. Indiana will work out at 1:00 p.m. followed by Cincinnati at 2:00 and Duke at 3:00.

Special fan buses will be available from the four Dale shopping centers and from downtown Minneapolis parking ramps and lots beginning Friday morning. Shuttle-bus information is available through MTC at (612) 827-7733.

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REMINDER!

NCAA FINAL FOUR MEDIA ANNOUNCEMENT & INVITATION

Attention Sports Department:

As representatives of a Minnesota news agency, you are invited to attend and be part of a telephonic news conference and luncheon with the NCAA Final Four **participating coaches** at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, April 1, in ballrooms I & II of the Marriott City Center (30 South Seventh Street) in Minneapolis.

You also are invited to attend a news conference with NCAA Executive Director **Richard D. Schultz** at 3:00 p.m. on Thursday, April 2, in ballrooms I & II of the Marriott City Center (30 South Seventh Street) in Minneapolis.



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COMING EVENTS:

Tuesday, March 31

Baseball vs. Bethel College (1)
2:30 p.m., Siebert Field

Wednesday, April 1

Baseball vs. Southwest State (1)
2:00 p.m., Siebert Field

Friday, April 3

Tennis vs. Penn State
6:30 p.m., 98th Street Racquet Club

Track & Field @ Texas Relays
9:00 a.m., Austin, Texas

Saturday, April 4

Baseball @ Purdue (2)
1:00 p.m., West Lafayette, Ind.

Track & Field @ Texas Relays
11:00 a.m., Austin, Texas

Sunday, April 5

Baseball @ Purdue (2)
1:00 p.m., Austin, Texas

Wednesday, April 8

Baseball vs. St. Cloud State (1)
2:00 p.m., Siebert Field

Friday, April 10

Track & Field @ Nebraska Invite
11:00 a.m., Lincoln, Neb.

Tennis @ Michigan State

5:00 p.m., East Lansing, Mich.

SWIMMING & DIVING TEAM FINISHES SIXTH AT NCAA MEET; ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE ACHIEVED BY GOLDEN GOPHERS

The University of Minnesota swimming & diving team made waves in the pool last weekend as they finished sixth at the 69th Annual NCAA Swimming & Diving Championships, in Indianapolis. The Golden Gophers' finish was their best since they finished third in 1963. Minnesota brought home a school-best 10 All-America certificates and two honorable mention All-America certificates, which meant all 12 individuals on the travelling squad scored at the meet. Junior Paul Nelsen (Lincoln, Neb.) led the charge for Minnesota as he set two new school records in both the 200 (1:45.89) and 400 (3:49.42) individual medley. Nelsen finished second and fourth respectively in both events. Senior Sean Quackenbush (Rochester, Minn.) also added a new school record in the 100 butterfly with a fourth place finish and a time of :47.52. The 200 free relay team made up of senior Del Cerney (Staples, Minn.), junior Steve Busse (Cincinnati, Ohio), and sophomores Eric Jorgensen (Rochester, Minn.) and Jay Fischer (Hutchinson, Minn.) finished in fifth place with a time of 1:19.88, which was the best finish for a Gopher relay team since 1965. Cerney added a third-place finish in the 50 freestyle with a time :19.79, and sophomore Can Ergenekan (Beaverton, Ore.) placed fifth in the 200 butterfly with a time of 1:45.55.

"The coaching staff as well as the swimmers are really excited about this past weekend," said Head Swimming Coach Dennis Dale. "Our team worked and trained hard all season and it showed, as this was our best finish in over 25 years at the NCAA meet."

Academic Excellence: The University of Minnesota did not only receive awards in the pool this weekend, they received awards in the classroom as well. The College Swimming Coaches Association of America has named its recipients of the All-Academic Team honors. To qualify for the honor, the entire swimming & diving team must have a grade-point-average of at least 2.80 on a 4.0 scale. Minnesota ranked second only to Rice University with a 3.13 team grade-point-average.

Other Minnesota Finishes (place finish):

Sean Quackenbush, (6th), 200 butterfly, 1:45.63

Scott Tripps, (11th), 200 backstroke, 1:45.51

Scott Hart (16th), 1650 freestyle, 15:17.58

Omar Boyd (17th), one-meter diving, 430.40

David Zarns (19th), one-meter diving, 427.15

Omar Boyd (8th), three-meter diving, 507.40

David Zarns (13th), three-meter diving, 476.40

David Zarns (12th), platform diving, 403.90

P. Nelsen, S. Quackenbush, D. Cerney and M. Brown, (8th), 800 free relay, 6:32.37

S. Tripps, M. Brown, S. Quackenbush, J. Fischer, (8th), 400 medley relay, 3:17.97

S. Tripps, P. Nelsen, D. Cerney, S. Quackenbush, (11th), 200 medley relay, 1:29.74

D. Cerney, E. Jorgensen, Fischer, S. Quackenbush, (10th), 400 free relay, 2:58.11

Top Six Final Standings

1. Stanford - 632

2. Texas - 356

3. UCLA - 310

4. California - 265

5. Arizona - 238

6. MINNESOTA - 217 1/2

All-Americans (10)

Omar Boyd

Matt Brown

Steve Busse

Del Cerney

Can Ergenekan

Jay Fischer

Eric Jorgensen

Paul Nelsen

Sean Quackenbush

Scott Tripps

Honorable Mention All-Americans (2)

Scott Hart

David Zarns

Minnesota fared just a little better at this year's Blue-Grey Invitational, going 1-2 in the round-robin tournament, over the weekend. Last year the Golden Gophers were shut out in Dixie, posting an 0-3 record. Riding an eight-match winning streak, Coach Geatz and his netters opened the tourney with a 5-1 loss to 15th-ranked Florida in the first round to break the string. After losing, 5-4, to Oklahoma State the Maroon & Gold stopped their slide when they beat 23rd-ranked San Diego State, 5-4.

Senior Phil LeBlanc (St. Bruno, Quebec) continued his fine season by picking up two singles wins, over the weekend, to improve his record to 9-3 (2-1 in the Big Ten). Junior transfer Mehdi, Benyebka (Oran, Algeria) made his Minnesota debut in fine fashion as he went 2-1 at the Montgomery, Ala., tournament.

Next up for the Gophers is a home match with conference newcomer Penn State. The Friday, April 3 match will be the first meeting between the Golden Gophers and Nittany Lions. Minnesota enters the match with a 10-4, overall (3-0, Big Ten), dual record.

Probables for matches vs. Penn State

Singles:

- #1: Brian Uihlein - 16-9 (3-0)
- #2: Mehdi Benyebka - 2-1 (0-0)
- #3: Rick Naumoff - 16-12 (1-2)
- #4: Adam Krafft - 11-5 (3-0) or Paul Pridmore - 9-8 (2-0)
- #5: Phil LeBlanc - 9-3 (2-1)
- #6: Ross Loel - 18-6 (2-1)

Doubles:

- #1: Krafft/Uihlein - 16-2 (1-0)
- #2: Anderson/Hlushko - 12-6 (2-0)
- #3: LeBlanc/Loel - 7-0 (1-0)

GOLDEN GOPHERS WIN THIRD STRAIGHT BIG TEN TITLE AND SWEEP HONORS

John Roethlisberger (Afton, Minn.) led the Golden Gophers to their third straight Big Ten gymnastics team title in Champaign, Ill., this past weekend. The Golden Gophers scored a season high 284.60. Ohio State was second with 284.40, Illinois was third with 283.15, followed by Iowa with 281.95, Penn State with 281.80, Michigan with 279.25 and Michigan State with 277.75. Roethlisberger captured the all-around title for the third consecutive season by winning the vault, parallel bars and the tying for the high bar crown. His 58.20 in the all-around, 9.75 on the parallel bars and 9.80 on the high bar were all season highs.

On Saturday, Roethlisberger won an individual title on the vault with a combined score of 19.075. Minnesota, then swept the honors category for the second time in three years, as Fred Roethlisberger was named Coach of the Year, John Roethlisberger was named Gymnast of the Year for the third straight season and Kerry Huston (Spring, Tex.) was named Freshman of the Year.

"This was the hardest championship that we have had in the last couple of years," said Roethlisberger. "The big keys for us was that our young guys came through (Kerry Huston, Brian Yee (Huston, Tex) and Bo Haun (Tulsa, Okla.). We were swimming upstream all the way, but to come out on top was awfully satisfying."

TWO SCHOOL RECORDS FALL AS TRACK & FIELD TEAM OPENS OUTDOOR SEASON; TEXAS RELAYS THIS WEEKEND

Juniors Tyrone Minor (St. Paul, Minn.) and Chad Rodvold (Williston, N.D.) each broke school records as the Golden Gopher track & field squad opened its 1992 outdoor season with a pair of meets in Texas last week.

Third At Texas Quadrangular: Head Coach Roy Griak's squad finished third with 127 points at last Wednesday's Texas Quadrangular meet in Austin. Host Texas won the competition with 223 points, followed by Texas A&M with 165. Indiana State placed fourth with 123 points. Saturday's Rice Invitational in Houston was a non-scored competition.

Record Setters: With a winning leap of 49-5 3/4 at the Rice Invitational last Saturday, Tyrone Minor eclipsed Keita Cline's (Gainesville, Fla.) three-day old outdoor school record of 49-4 set on Wednesday at the Texas Quad meet. Charles Moss had set the previous record of 48-8 3/4 back in 1972. Cline's mark, however, still stands as the school freshman outdoor record, topping Tim Doolin's 1978 jump of 48-5. Chad Rodvold uncorked a runner-up throw of 206-2 in the javelin on Wednesday, surpassing his previous school record toss of 203-7 set last season. Sophomore Jason Cole (Shelby, Mont.) placed third in the event with a personal-best throw of 198-1.

Williams Moves Up: After clocking an outstanding time of 47.22 in the 400 meters at the Texas Quad meet on Wednesday, just one-tenth of a second off his school record, sophomore Norris Williams (Milwaukee) moved up to the 800 meters on Saturday and blazed to a winning time of 1:50.80. A placewinner in the 400 meters at both the Big Ten Indoor and Outdoor Championships as a rookie last season, he finished second in the 600 meters at the recent league indoor meet with a school record time of 1:19.00.

Texas Relays: The Golden Gophers will return to the state of Texas this weekend for the Texas Relays in Austin on Friday and Saturday. Sean Fitzgerald (Ottawa, Ontario, Canada) is the defending champion in the 1500 meters. The Golden Gopher senior co-captain, who is just rounding into form after missing much of the indoor season with an ankle injury, won the event last year in a time of 3:53.38. Junior Chad Goldstein (St. Louis Park, Minn.) placed seventh in the shot put a year ago with a throw of 57-0 1/4.

Big Ten Outdoor Championships: The University of Minnesota will host the men's and women's Big Ten Outdoor Championships May 22-23 at the world-class Bierman Track & Field Stadium.

GOPHERS DREAM OF NATIONAL TITLE IS CRUSHED BY LAKE SUPERIOR STATE

Doug Woog's University of Minnesota hockey team had its national championship hopes crushed by the Lake Superior State 8-3. The Gophers came into the game flat, registering only four shots on net in the first period, and the Lakers took advantage of some defensive miscues to score three goals. The loss ended the season and gave the team a 33-11 record for the year. It was a painful way to end a season filled with success and aspirations.

A Season of Records: The Gophers set a school record for recording their best WCHA winning percentage with an .813 mark, and won their third WCHA title in Doug Woog's seven years at the helm. The 33-11 season marks the sixth time in seven years that Woog's charges have reached the 30 win plateau. The team will lose four seniors from this year's squad. Two of them carved their way into the Minnesota record books. Senior All-American and Hobey Baker Award finalist Larry Olimb (Warroad, Minn.) ended his career in a fitting way when he notched three assists in the finale. Olimb set the Minnesota all-time assist mark this year with 159 career assists. In addition, Olimb joined a group of elite players who have notched 200 or more points in their career. Olimb finished his career with 218 career points to put him fifth on that list. He is the only member of that group to have played defense during his career. The only position Olimb didn't play this year was goalie, but only because he wasn't qualified. All-American candidate Jeff Stolp (Nashwauk, Min.) held the position and led the Gophers defense to one of the best seasons ever. Stolp registered 26 wins against nine losses, with a 2.91 GAA and a .882 save percentage. The second team All-WCHA choice third on the all-time games played chart with 94 appearances. His career GAA of 3.14 ranks him third as well, and his 56 wins puts him third on the all-time win list at Minnesota.

Woog Record: Head Coach Doug Woog set a number of milestones this year, all of which he would trade for a national title. With his 228-85-11 record, he is the winningest coach in Minnesota hockey history. He has won three WCHA titles in seven years and his team has never finished lower than second in the conference. His teams have qualified for the NCAA tournament every year that he has been here, and he has made it to the championship round of four on four different occasions.

Future is Bright: The Gophers season did not end as they had hoped, but the nucleus of young players on this team bodes well for Minnesota's future. With only five seniors on the team, and a number of blue chip recruits committed, the team will be a force to contend with in the WCHA next year.

BASEBALL HOME OPENER IS TUESDAY VERSUS BETHEL COLLEGE; TRAVEL TO PURDUE FOR MORE BIG TEN ACTION THIS WEEKEND

John Anderson's University of Minnesota baseball team will open up the 1992 Siebert Field home slate on Tuesday at 2:30 p.m. versus Bethel College. On Wednesday, the Gophers will host Southwest State University at 2:00 p.m. The Gophers will then travel to West Lafayette, Ind., to take on the Purdue Boilermakers in a pair of doubleheaders on Saturday and Sunday, April 4-5.

The Gophers are coming off of a rough spring trip which saw them drop six of seven games and lowered their record to 11-11. Late inning disasters were the downfall of the team as they lost five of the games in the last two innings and gave up 39 runs in 55 innings.

Scott Bakkum's (LaCrosse, Wis.) 9-6, complete game victory over Ohio State in the Big Ten opener last Friday, was the lone bright spot on the trip. Bakkum pitched in cold and sleet to stop a three game skid and give the Gophers their first Big Ten victory of the year.

The Gophers will attempt to rebound against the Boilermakers and bring their Big Ten record above .500. The Maroon and Gold leads the series with Purdue, 58-24. The last time the two teams played was in 1989 when the Gophers took three of four games from the Boilermakers at Siebert Field. The last time the Gophers played in West Lafayette was in 1988 when the Gophers swept the Boilermakers on their way to the Big Ten Championship.

GOLF TEAM FINISHES SEVENTH AT PACIFIC COAST INTERCOLLEGIATE

The University of Minnesota men's golf team finished in a tie for seventh place at the Pacific Coast Intercollegiate golf tourney in Santa Barbara, Cal. The Gophers were paced by Joe Gullion (San Antonio Tex.) and Phil Ebner (Hudson, Oh.), who both shot three round totals of 222 to finish 27th individually. The tournament hosted 22 of the top teams in the nation and the Gophers finished ahead of such top teams as USC and Stanford and New Mexico State.

Next Up: The Gophers open up the Big Ten slate at the Indiana Invitational on April 11-12 in Bloomington. The 1992 Big Ten Championship is slated for May 15-17 in Iowa City, Iowa.

1991-92 Minnesota Gophers HOCKEY STATS AFTER 44 GAMES

W-L-T	MN	OPP	OPPONENT	ATTEND	PLACE & DATE
W	7	3	Minnesota-Duluth	5664	Duluth, MN 7:35 p.m. 10/18/91
L	4	7	Minnesota-Duluth	5451	Duluth, MN 7:00 p.m. 10/19/91
L	2	4	University of Denver	3745	Denver, CO 7:00 p.m 10/25/91
W	5	1	University of Denver	3106	Denver, CO 7:00 p.m. 10/26/91
W	7	4	St. Cloud State	5567	St. Cloud, MN 7:35 11/01/91
W	7	2	ST. CLOUD STATE	6915	St. Cloud, MN 7:05 11/02/91
L	3	7	Michigan	6011	Ann Arbor, MI 6:30 11/08/91
L	6	7	Michigan	6330	Ann Arbor, MI 6:30 11/09/91
W	5	4	WISCONSIN	7658	Mariucci Arena 7:05 11/15/91
W	4	1	WISCONSIN	15712	Met Center 7:35 11/16/91
W	4	0	Alaska-Anchorage	6621	Anchorage, AK 10:05 11/22/91
W(OT)	3	2	Alaska-Anchorage	6421	Anchorage, AK 10:05 11/23/91
W	4	2	NORTH DAKOTA	6975	Mariucci, Arena 7:05 11/29/91
W	8	2	NORTH DAKOTA	7443	Mariucci Arena 7:05 11/30/91
L	5	7	NORTHERN MICHIGAN	6807	Mariucci Arena 2:05 12/14/91
L	3	4	NORTHERN MICHIGAN	6683	Mariucci Arena 2:05 12/15/91
W	5	2	PROVIDENCE *	6669	Mariucci Arena 7:05 12/21/91
W(OT)	6	5	BOWLING GREEN *	6603	Mariucci Arena 7:00 12/22/91
W	10	4	University of Calgary	6458	Mariucci Arena 7:05 12/30/91
W	5	2	Michigan Tech	2660	Houghton, MI 6:35 01/03/92
W	6	1	Michigan Tech	3076	Houghton, MI 6:05 01/04/92
W	3	0	MINNESOTA-DULUTH	7436	Mariucci Arena 7:05 01/10/92
W(OT)	5	4	MINNESOTA-DULUTH	7778	Mariucci Arena 7:05 01/11/92
W	9	2	MICHIGAN TECH	6833	Mariucci Arena 7:05 01/17/92
W	6	3	MICHIGAN TECH	7504	Mariucci Arena 7:05 01/18/92
W	6	3	Colorado College	3668	Colorado Sp.,CO 8:05 01/24/92
W	8	2	Colorado College	3721	Colorado Sp.,CO 8:05 01/25/92
W	3	2	Northern Michigan	4180	Marquette, MI 6:05 01/31/92
W	5	3	Northern Michigan	4305	Marquette, MI 6:05 02/01/92
W	2	1	Wisconsin	8644	Madison, WI 7:05 02/07/92
L	1	4	Wisconsin	8644	Madison, WI 7:05 02/08/92
W	5	3	COLORADO COLLEGE	6893	Mariucci Arena 7:05 02/14/92
W	6	4	COLORADO COLLEGE	7600	Mariucci Arena 7:05 02/15/92
L(OT)	4	5	DENVER	7141	Mariucci Arena 7:05 02/21/92
W	7	3	DENVER	7503	Mariucci Arena 7:05 02/22/92
W	2	1	ST. CLOUD STATE	7608	Mariucci Arena 7:05 02/28/92
W	4	1	St Cloud State	6514	St. Cloud, MN 7:05 02/29/92
W	10	1	North Dakota	5737	Grand Forks, ND 7:35 03/06/91
W	5	3	North Dakota	5189	Grand Forks, ND 03/07/91
L	3	5	NORTH DAKOTA @	6566	Mariucci Arena, 7:05 03/13/92
W	9	2	NORTH DAKOTA @	7314	Mariucci Arena, 7:05 03/14/92
W	3	1	NORTH DAKOTA @	6645	Mariucci Arena, 7:05 03/15/92
W	5	1	Colorado College *	11384	St. Paul Civic Center 03/20/92
L	2	4	Northern Michigan *	12618	St. Paul Civic Cente 03/21/92
L	3	8	Lake Superior St.	0	Detroit, MI 1:00 p.m 02/29/92

RECORD	HOME	ROAD	SEASON
LEAGUE	13- 3- 0	13- 3- 0	26- 6- 0
NON-LEAGUE	2- 0- 0	2- 2- 0	4- 2- 0
TOTAL	15- 3- 0	15- 5- 0	30- 8- 0

ATTENDANCE	HOME	ROAD	NEUTRAL
LEAGUE	**,***	79,871	0
OTHER	13,272	25,383	0
TOTAL	**,***	**,***	0
AVERAGE	6,560	5,262	0
TOTAL	287,542	TOTAL AVG	6,535

POWER PLAYS	ATT	PPG	PCT	SH
Minnesota Gophers	289	74	.260	8
OPPONENTS	281	43	.150	6

HAT TRICKS FOR	5	
Scott Bell		ST. CLOUD STATE 11/02/91
Trent Klatt		WISCONSIN 11/15/91
Darby Hendrickson		NORTH DAKOTA 11/30/91
Larry Olimb		Colorado College 01/25/92
Justin McHugh		DENVER 02/22/92
SHORT HANDED FOR	6	
Larry Olimb (2)		St. Cloud State 11/01/91
Scott Bell (2)		ST. CLOUD STATE 11/02/91
Travis Richards (1)		PROVIDENCE * 12/21/91
Craig Johnson (1)		Michigan Tech 01/04/92
Jeff Nielsen (1)		MICHIGAN TECH 01/17/92
Justin McHugh (1)		St Cloud State 02/29/92

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NO	NAME	OVERALL											LEAGUE ONLY					
		GP	G	A	PTS	PEN	MIN	PP	SH	HAT	WG	EN	GP	G	A	PTS	PEN	MIN
17	Larry Olimb,C	44	24	56	80	32	72	13	2	1	2	1	32	19	39	58	28	64
22	Trent Klatt,W	44	30	36	66	35	78	13	0	1	6	1	32	21	30	51	31	62
14	Craig Johnson,C	44	19	39	58	31	70	13	1	0	2	0	32	14	32	46	23	54
07	Darby Hendrickson,C	44	25	30	55	30	63	11	0	1	3	1	32	17	22	39	24	51
24	Travis Richards,D	44	10	23	33	23	65	4	1	0	3	0	32	7	14	21	18	47
15	Steve Magnusson,C/W	41	9	24	33	24	56	3	0	0	1	0	31	6	19	25	18	36
12	Cory Laylin,F	44	19	12	31	18	44	4	0	0	3	0	32	16	11	27	16	40
20	Jeff Nielsen,W	44	15	15	30	37	74	2	1	0	3	0	32	10	10	20	26	52
33	Doug Zmolek,D	44	6	21	27	44	88	2	0	0	2	0	32	4	15	19	35	70
19	Justin McHugh,W/C	41	14	9	23	17	34	4	1	1	1	0	29	10	7	17	12	24
10	Scott Bell,F/D	44	15	7	22	33	80	1	2	1	1	0	32	14	6	20	25	64
09	Joe Dziedzic,F	37	9	10	19	30	68	3	0	0	2	0	26	7	8	15	25	58
16	John Brill,F	38	8	9	17	27	62	1	0	0	2	0	26	7	6	13	20	40
21	Mike Muller,D	44	4	12	16	30	60	0	0	0	1	0	32	4	9	13	18	36
04	Chris McAlpine,D	42	3	9	12	64	136	1	0	0	0	0	32	2	8	10	49	98
08	Eric Means,D	43	1	11	12	19	46	0	0	0	0	0	32	1	10	11	14	36
36	Tony Bianchi,W/D	24	1	4	5	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	18	1	2	3	0	0
02	Sean Fabian,D	35	1	4	5	22	45	0	0	0	0	0	24	1	3	4	16	33
34	Todd Westlund,W	22	1	3	4	7	14	0	0	0	0	0	19	1	3	4	7	14
13	Brandon Steege,F	13	1	1	2	11	22	0	0	0	1	0	9	1	1	2	11	22
30	Jeff Stolp,G	36	0	1	1	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	28	0	1	1	3	6
18	John O'Connell,D	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
05	Nick Gerebi,C	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0
31	Jeff Callinan,G	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
27	Jed Fiebelkorn,W	7	0	0	0	5	10	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	2
29	Tom Newman,G	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0
	Bench					6	12										5	10
Minnesota Gophers		44	215	336	551	549	1207	75	8	5	33	3	32	163	256	419	425	919
OPPONENTS		44	132	189	321	567	1250	43	6	4	11	3	32	89	126	215	427	938

NO	GOALIE	OVERALL										LEAGUE ONLY									
		W	L	T	GP	PER	MIN	GA	AVG	SAV	PCT	W	L	T	GP	PER	MIN	GA	AVG	SAV	PCT
29	Tom Newman	5	1	0	12	24	417:37	17	2.44	139	.891	4	1	0	10	20	338:41	13	2.30	119	.902
30	Jeff Stolp	26	9	0	36	106	2017:23	98	2.91	734	.882	22	5	0	28	82	1568:51	75	2.87	578	.885
31	Jeff Callinan	2	1	0	6	13	208:33	15	4.32	73	.830	0	0	0	2	2	14:5	0	0.00	61.000	
Minnesota Gophers		33	11	0	44	135	2643:33	130	2.95	946	.879	26	6	0	32	98	1921:37	88	2.75	703	.888
OPPONENTS		11	33	0	44	135	2649:25	215	4.87	1364	.864	6	26	0	32	98	1925:35	163	5.08	925	.850

	Minnesota Gophers					OPPONENTS				
	PERIOD	1	2	3	OT	TOTAL	1	2	3	OT
GOALS	72	82	58	3	215	44	40	48	1	133
SHOT ON GOAL	481	602	496	10	1589	343	376	356	7	1082
GOALIE SAVES	295	330	315	6	946	420	530	433	7	1390
PENALTIES	174	197	183	0	554	173	192	202	0	567

Includes League games & Non-league games

OPPONENT	MN	OPP	INN	TYPE	PLACE
Arizona	3	2	10	N	Feb. 6, 2:00 p.m. Tucson, AZ
Arizona	0	9	9	N	Feb. 8, 1:30 p.m., Tucson, AZ
Arizona	8	3	9	N	Feb. 8, 5:00 p.m., Tucson, AZ
Mississippi	2	6	9	N	Feb.21, 2:00 p.m. Oxford, MS
Mississippi	8	5	9	N	Feb.22, 2:00 p.m., Oxford, MS
Mississippi	5	0	9	N	Feb. 23, 1:15 p.m., Oxford, MS
FLORIDA ST.	1	3	9	N	Feb. 28, 7:35 p.m., Metrodome
MISSISSIPPI ST.	4	8	9	N	Feb. 29, 2:00 p.m. Metrodome
TEXAS A&M	9	8	7	N	March 1, 1:15 p.m., Metrodome
BALL STATE	2	0	9	N	Mar. 6, 7:00 p.m., Metrodome
BALL STATE	3	2	9	N	Mar.7, 7:00 p.m. Metrodome
BALL STATE	14	0	9	N	Mar. 8, 1:00 p.m. Metrodome
MISSOURI	7	6	12	N	March 13,4:00 p.m. Metrodome
MISSOURI	6	7	7	N	March 13, 8:40 p.m. Metrodome
MISSOURI	8	6	9	N	March 15, 1:00 p.m. Metrodome
Kentucky	8	11	10	N	3/24/94 Lexington, KY
Kentucky	4	5	9	N	3/25/92 Lexington, KY
Marshall	1	3	9	N	March 26, 4:00 p.m., Hunington, WVa
Ohio State	9	6	7	L	3/27 Columbus, OH
Ohio State	7	15	7	L	3/28/92 Columbus, Ohio
Ohio State	4	5	7	L	3/28/92 Columbus, Ohio
Ohio State	6	12	7	L	02/29/92, 1:00 p.m. Columbus, OH

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1992 Minnesota BASEBALL COACHES REPORT
Includes League games & Non-league games

NAME	GP	AB	RUN	HIT	RBI	AVG	SO	BB	HBP	TAB	%OB	TB	%SLG	SH	ATT	+
Charlie Nelson	20	60	13	21	9	.350	7	16	0	76	.487	24	.400	1	0	---
Ryan Lefebvre	19	70	14	24	4	.343	8	11	0	81	.432	29	.414	1	1	1.000
George Behr	21	81	14	26	17	.321	14	9	0	90	.389	40	.494	0	0	---
Mark Merila	21	60	19	18	10	.300	6	30	0	90	.533	23	.383	0	1	.000
Brian Hartmann	21	70	9	19	9	.271	10	3	2	75	.320	25	.357	0	0	---
Steve Calvert	15	35	3	9	8	.257	8	9	0	44	.409	12	.343	1	0	---
Keith Krenke	22	75	12	18	10	.240	10	14	0	89	.360	31	.413	1	1	1.000
Bill Mobilia	22	71	12	16	7	.225	21	10	2	83	.337	20	.282	1	1	1.000
Darren Schwankl	19	48	7	10	2	.208	9	13	0	61	.377	11	.229	1	0	---
LESS THAN 33 AT BATS																
Shane McCarthy	7	4	1	2	1	.500	1	2	0	6	.667	2	.500	0	0	---
Adam Sobocienski	11	32	4	12	9	.375	1	2	0	34	.412	14	.438	0	2	.000
Tony Bender	13	24	2	6	4	.250	7	1	1	26	.308	6	.250	1	1	1.000
Darren Grass	13	30	3	6	8	.200	7	3	2	35	.314	9	.300	0	0	---
Mark Vandersall	9	12	5	2	2	.167	4	1	0	13	.231	3	.250	0	0	---
Tom Doyle	8	25	1	4	0	.160	7	1	0	26	.192	5	.200	0	0	---
Mike Oster	2	1	0	0	1	.000	1	1	0	2	.500	0	.000	0	0	---
J.T. Gilbert	7	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Scott Bakkum	6	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Brent Davis	6	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Eric Slagle	6	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
John Lowery	6	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Jeff Schmidt	6	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Chris Lawler	6	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Eric Porter	3	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
James Brower	2	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Jason Karrmann	1	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Andy Hammerschmidt	1	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
TOTAL	22	698	119	193	101	.277	121	126	7	831	.392	254	.364	7	7	1.000
OPPONENTS	22	713	122	203	106	.285	127	106	7	826	.383	278	.390	14	7	2.000

1992 Minnesota BASEBALL RESULTS

Includes League games & Non-league games

NO	NAME	GP	AB	RUN	HIT	2B	3B	HR	TB	SB-ATT	SH	SF	HBP	BB	SO	RBI	WRBI	AVG	PO	A	E	PCT.	
6	Charlie Nelson	20	60	13	21	3	0	0	24	6	10	1	0	0	16	7	9	2	.350	23	2	0	1.000
5	Ryan Lefebvre	19	70	14	24	1	2	0	29	8	11	1	1	0	11	8	4	1	.343	47	0	0	1.000
0	George Behr	21	81	14	26	8	0	2	40	3	6	0	0	0	9	14	17	1	.321	166	11	3	.983
3	Mark Merila	21	60	19	18	5	0	0	23	5	8	0	3	0	30	6	10	1	.300	59	57	4	.967
7	Brian Hartmann	21	70	9	19	3	0	1	25	1	4	0	1	2	3	10	9	0	.271	83	8	0	1.000
3	Steve Calvert	15	35	3	9	3	0	0	12	0	1	1	0	0	9	8	8	1	.257	10	15	3	.893
6	Keith Krenke	22	75	12	18	5	1	2	31	2	2	1	2	0	14	10	10	1	.240	39	4	4	.915
7	Bill Mobilia	22	71	12	16	4	0	0	20	2	4	1	0	2	10	21	7	1	.225	31	68	7	.934
0	Darren Schwankl	19	48	7	10	1	0	0	11	3	5	1	0	0	13	9	2	0	.208	15	10	3	.893
LESS THAN 33 AT BATS																							
1	Shane McCarthy	7	4	1	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	0	.500	0	0	0	---
	Adam Sobocienski	11	32	4	12	2	0	0	14	0	0	0	2	0	2	1	9	1	.375	0	0	0	---
	Tony Bender	13	24	2	6	0	0	0	6	0	0	1	0	1	1	7	4	0	.250	9	18	6	.810
	Darren Grass	13	30	3	6	0	0	1	9	0	1	0	1	2	3	7	8	0	.200	48	7	3	.948
	Mark Vandersall	9	12	5	2	1	0	0	3	1	1	0	1	0	1	4	2	0	.167	0	0	0	---
	Tom Doyle	8	25	1	4	1	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	7	0	0	.160	8	1	0	1.000
	Mike Oster	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	.000	0	0	0	---
	J.T. Gilbert	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	4	0	1.000
	Scott Bakkum	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	4	0	0	1.000
	Brent Davis	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	3	0	1.000
	Eric Slagle	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	2	4	1	.857
	John Lowery	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	5	0	1.000
	Jeff Schmidt	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	3	7	0	1.000
	Chris Lawler	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---
	Eric Porter	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---
	James Brower	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---
	Jason Karrmann	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	0	0	1.000
	Andy Hammerschmidt	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	1	0	1.000
TEAM TOTAL		22	698	119	193	37	3	6	254	31	53	7	11	7	126	121	101	9	.277	551	225	34	.958
OPPONENTS		22	713	122	203	26	2	15	278	23	37	14	8	7	106	127	106	9	.285	559	246	24	.971

1992 Minnesota BASEBALL RESULTS

Includes League games & Non-league games

NO	NAME	GP	ST	CG	WON	LST	SAV	IP	HITS	RUNS	ERUN	HR	BB	SO	HP	WP	BK	ERA
30	Eric Porter	4	0	0	0	0	0	7.3	6	4	1	1	9	4	0	1	0	1.23
32	J.T. Gilbert	7	0	0	0	0	1	14.0	10	5	4	0	12	8	2	2	1	2.57
37	Scott Bakkum	7	5	3	3	2	0	40.0	42	19	15	3	7	24	0	0	0	3.38
19	James Brower	2	1	0	0	0	0	4.3	3	2	2	0	7	1	0	1	1	4.15
34	Andy Hammerschmidt	2	1	0	0	1	0	7.3	9	5	4	0	4	3	0	1	0	4.91
31	Eric Slagle	7	3	0	2	2	0	23.7	32	16	13	3	12	21	2	0	0	4.94
22	Jeff Schmidt	7	7	0	2	2	0	34.3	42	24	19	0	14	22	0	4	1	4.98
27	John Lowery	7	3	1	1	2	0	26.7	33	20	15	3	15	18	1	5	0	5.06
21	Chris Lawler	7	1	0	1	1	1	9.3	7	7	6	2	7	14	0	2	0	5.79
11	Shane McCarthy	2	0	0	0	0	0	3.0	4	2	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	6.00
35	Brent Davis	7	1	0	2	1	0	10.3	10	12	8	1	12	10	2	1	0	6.97
43	Jason Karrmann	1	0	0	0	0	0	4.0	5	6	4	0	5	2	0	0	0	9.00
NON-TEAM																		-1
TOTAL		22	22	4	11	11	2	184.3	203	122	92	15	106	127	7	17	3	4.49
OPPONENTS		22	22	3	11	11	0	189.0	193	119	99	6	126	121	7	17	1	4.71

**March 30, 1992
FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

MINNESOTA SETS FOOTBALL STARTS AT 6:00 P.M. FOR 1992

Minnesota will play its home football games at 6:00 p.m. in the Hubert H. Humphrey Metrodome during the 1992 season according to an announcement made this week by Men's Director of Athletics Dr. McKinley Boston.

The Golden Gophers will play six games (two non-conference and four in the Big Ten) in the Metrodome during the '92 campaign. The opener against St. Jose State on September 12 must start at 7:00 p.m. because of a scheduling conflict with the Minnesota twins, but all others are set for 6:00 p.m.

While any contest is subject to change for television purposes, the 6:00 p.m. start is a compromise between the traditional 1:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. kickoffs experienced at the University of Minnesota in previous years.

"Our decision on starting times for 1992 is based primarily on economics," Boston said. "We feel that it is necessary to play our football games at a time which is most convenient for the largest number of fans throughout Minnesota. We surveyed our season ticket holders, and we conducted polls during our recent state-wide tour of Greater Minnesota. It became obvious that a majority of Golden Gopher football fans (by a two-to-one margin) preferred a starting time approaching late afternoon or early evening."

Additional analysis by the U of M found that most Minnesota fans would rather have Saturday afternoon's free for other fall activities. Fans from communities throughout Greater Minnesota also wanted to retain the option of seeing their local college Division II & III teams compete Saturday afternoon and still have the ability to attend Golden Gopher games later in the day. Consideration for media agencies and restricting Saturday evening deadlines also necessitated something other than and earlier than an evening game.

"We considered all the options," Boston said, "and we feel that we have struck a compromise that is appealing to a majority of people. Now we hope that University of Minnesota football fans throughout the state will respond by supporting us through the purchase of season and single game tickets for 1992."

An Early Bird season ticket sale has been underway since early February. Regular season ticket sale renewals will open April 13. Single game tickets will go on sale May 1. Season tickets are priced at \$102, the same as in 1991.

For complete ticket information, contact the University of Minnesota Athletic Ticket Office, the Bierman Building, 516 15th Ave. SE, Minneapolis, MN, 55455, or phone (612) 624-8080.



Golden Gophers to open Spring Football Practice

Jim Wacker will kick off 15-days of spring football practice at the University of Minnesota on Tuesday (March 31) in preparation for his initial campaign as head coach of the Golden Gophers.

Ten of those days, as allowed by NCAA rules, will be in pads. The remaining five will be of the non-contact variety.

Wacker expects to have 36 lettermen in camp. Minnesota's list of 1992 hopefuls also will include about 15 redshirts and double that number of non-monogram-winning holdovers. In all Wacker should have nearly 100 prospects for his first Golden Gopher squad on hand.

"We are anxious to get started," Wacker said. "It's a whole new ball game for our staff and for our players. They have gone through a vigorous off-season conditioning program, and they are anxious to get on with the task at hand."

That task will be to assemble a team which can better Minnesota's 1991 record of 2-9 and last-place finish in the Big Ten Conference.

Wacker will attempt to do so by installing a new pass-ori-

ented offense ("We'll throw the ball 60% of the time!" Wacker proclaims) and a defense which he says will be multiple in design and aggressive in nature.

Offensively Wacker knows he has several holes to fill, especially up front, but he refrains from using the term "rebuilding."

Among the returnees in Minnesota's line that Wacker will be counting on to stabilize things are **Ted Harrison** (Crystal, MN), **Keith Ballard** (Detroit, MI), **Toby Anderson** (Chaska, MN), **Neil Fredenburg** (Fargo, ND), **Pat O'Brien** (International Falls, MN) and **Prince Pearson** (Ft. Lauderdale, FLA), all of whom are monogram winners and started at some stage of the 1991 campaign.

Wacker also has a top-shelf quarterback on hand in **Marquel Fleetwood** (Decatur, GA), Minnesota's total-offense leader a year ago who is looking forward to the lauded new "Wack Attack."

Two veteran running backs, both of whom were injured though much of 1991, appear fully-recovered and are in camp. They are **Chuck Rios** (Little

Canada, MN) and **Mark Smith** (New Orleans, LA).

On defense the linebacking corps appears to be a strong point with **William Collins** (Asheville, NC), **Andre Davis** (Jacksonville, FLA) and **Russ Heath** (Aurora, CO) leading the way.

The line will look to **Dennis Cappella** (Miller Place, NY), **Arthur Layton** (Chester, PA), **Doyle Cockrell** (Evanston, IL) and **Andy Kratochvil** (New Prague, MN) for early leadership.

In the secondary, Wacker will begin with **Drinon Mays** (Brandon, FLA), **Derek Fisher** (Miami, FLA), **Ken Sebree** (Detroit, MI), **Jeff Rosga** (Roseville, MN) and **Dan LiSanti** (Manalapan, NJ) as his veterans and early pace-setters.

"We have a lot of work to do in a short period of time," Wacker admits, but Golden Gopher fans have a feeling that the job will get done.

This year's U of M coaching clinic is on tap April 24-25. The Spring Game is slated for the afternoon of Saturday, April 25, in the track & field area of the Bierman Building's athletic complex sandwiched by a Golden Gopher baseball doubleheader vs Northwestern.

HASKINS SELECTED TO NABC SILVER ANNIVERSARY ALL-AMERICA TEAM

University of Minnesota Head Basketball Coach Clem Haskins has been selected for the 1992 National Association of Basketball Coaches (NABC) Balfour Silver Anniversary All-America Team.

In addition to Haskins, 1992 honorees from the Class of 1967 include former New York University star Robert Malcolm Graham, an associate justice of the Massachusetts Superior Court; Northwestern's Jim Burns, a litigation partner with the Chicago law firm of Keck, Mahin & Cate; Rutgers University consensus All-America Bob Lloyd; and Earl "The Pearl" Monroe, who led Winston-Salem State University to the 1967 NCAA Division II title and went on to an outstanding professional career in the National Basketball Association. Legendary DePaul University basketball coach and Naismith Hall of Fame member Ray Meyer will be the recipient of the NABC Balfour Golden Anniversary Award for more than 50 years of outstanding service to the game.

Selected for their outstanding basketball and career achievements, Haskins and the other honorees will be presented with rings from the L.G. Balfour Company at the annual NABC awards dinner on Sunday at the Minneapolis Convention Center. The dinner is held as part of the annual NABC convention in conjunction with the NCAA Final Four.

"It is really an honor to be recognized by your colleagues and to be going in with such a select group of people," Haskins said. "This is something that I will cherish for the rest of my life."

A native of Campbellsville, Ky., Haskins led small Taylor County to the state tournament during a stellar prep career. A consensus All-American as a senior at Western Kentucky after being named to various All-American teams throughout his career, he is the only player in the history of the Ohio Valley Conference (OVC) to ever be named Player of the Year three consecutive seasons.

With 1,680 career points, Haskins ranks second on the school's all-time three-year list. His career scoring average of 22.1 points per game and 265 total assists also rank second among Hilltoppers for three seasons of play. During his career, the Hilltoppers fashioned a sparkling 66-15 overall record for a winning percentage of .815. The 1964-65 club went to the quarterfinals of the NIT, while both the 1965-66 and 1966-67 teams claimed OVC titles en route to consecutive appearances in the NCAA Tournament. During his senior year, the Hilltoppers ran off a string of 21 straight victories, which remains a school and conference record. He was the third player selected in the 1967 NBA draft and he went on to play nine outstanding seasons with the Chicago Bulls (1967-70), Phoenix Suns (1970-74) and Washington Bullets (1974-76).

In 1977, Haskins returned to his alma mater as an assistant coach, before being named head coach in the spring of 1980. He promptly directed the Hilltoppers to a 21-8 mark that first season, the OVC regular season crown and a berth in the NCAA Tournament en route to being honored as the league's Coach-of-the-Year. In fact, NBC-TV named him its Rookie Coach of the Year as well. The following season in 1981-82 his team went 19-10 and were co-champions of the OVC, before making an NIT Tournament appearance. In 1982, Western Kentucky joined the rugged Sun Belt Conference, and after three seasons of building to that level of talent, his 1985-86 team went 23-8 and advanced to the second round of the NCAA Tournament.

Haskins, who has also been inducted into the Western Kentucky University Hall of Fame, the Kentucky Athletic Hall of Fame, and the Kentucky High School Athletic Association Hall of Fame, has once again worked his winning magic at the University of Minnesota. After two rebuilding seasons, the Golden Gophers went 19-12 overall in 1988-89 and advanced to the "Sweet 16" of the NCAA Tournament, before registering a 23-9 mark in 1989-90 on their way to the NCAA Tournament's Southeast Regional Final. This past season he directed a young Golden Gopher squad that had just one senior in the lineup to a 16-16 overall mark and a berth in the NIT. A member of the NCAA Basketball Rules and Recruiting Committees, he served as head coach of the North team that went unbeaten and collected the gold medal at the '91 U.S. Olympic Festival in Los Angeles. He also directed the Midwest team at the Orlando All-Star Classic last April.



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GOLDEN GOPHERS AIR IT OUT

John Lewis scored on a 38-yard pass from Marquel Fleetwood and Kren McClintock banged in from the one Saturday as Coach Jim Wacker ran his Golden Gopher football team through their second scrimmage of the 1992 spring practice session at the University of Minnesota. Aaron Piepkorn also contributed to the scoring with a 27-yard field goal.

Five quarterbacks threw a total of 38 passes in the afternoon workout. Veteran Marquel Fleetwood led the aerial show with five completions in 12 attempts for 92 yards and a touchdown.

"It was a good scrimmage," Coach Wacker said. "The defense had a great day. They played with real enthusiasm. They got after it, and that is something they must continue to do if we want to be winners."

Rushing	Att	Gain	Lost	Net	Avg	TD
Rios	11	37	0	37	3.4	0
McClintock	9	26	0	26	2.9	1
Smith, R.	7	25	0	25	3.6	0
Green	3	13	1	12	4.0	0
Sauer	2	16	0	16	8.0	0
Kelly	1	7	0	7	7.0	0
Fleetwood	1	3	0	3	3.0	0

Totals* 34 127 1 126 3.7 1

*Does not include minus yardage for sacks

Passing	Att.	Comp.	Yards	Avg	Int	TD
Fleetwood	12	5	92	18.4	1	1
Kelly	2	1	5	5.0	1	0
St. Sauver	7	2	28	4.0	0	0
Sauer	12	4	54	4.5	0	0
Eckers	5	0	0	0.0	0	0

Totals 38 12 179 14.9 2 1

Receiving	No.	Yards	Avg	TD
Osterman	3	48	16.0	0
Levine	2	10	5.0	0
Jackson	1	28	28.0	0
Lewis, J.	1	38	38.0	1
Smith, R.	1	23	23.0	0
Kramer	1	12	12.0	0
Green, B.	1	9	9.0	0
Rios	1	6	6.0	0
Long	1	5	5.0	0

Totals 12 179 14.9 1

Fumbles: three & lost one

Penalties: defense four for 30 yards, offense seven for 50 yards

Sacks: nine

Interceptions: Andrew Viet & Michael Gist

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\$1 MILLION PLEDGE, FUND-RAISING CAMPAIGN TO BE ANNOUNCED AT U OF M SPORTS FACILITIES GROUNDBREAKING

Formal announcement of a \$1 million pledge by Minnesota North Stars owner Norm Green will highlight groundbreaking ceremonies for the University of Minnesota's On-Campus Sports Facilities project at 12:30 p.m. Friday, April 10, on the new Mariucci Arena site across from Williams Arena on Fourth Street Southeast.

More than \$2 million in pledges have already been made to the \$5.5 million fund-raising effort that will be officially unveiled. The total includes Green's pledge, which will be paid from net proceeds generated by Gopher hockey games played at Met Center in Bloomington. The Gophers plan to play one game per year in the Bloomington arena over five years. Based on the success of the November 1991 "border battle" between Minnesota and Wisconsin at Met Center, which generated \$135,000 beyond normal proceeds from a home game at Mariucci, Green's pledge will be worth about \$700,000 in cash receipts. He will conduct a fund-raising event each year in conjunction with the university to generate the remainder of the pledge.

"Minnesota is now home for my wife, Kelly, and for me," Green said. "The University of Minnesota is one of our state's fundamental assets and we're proud to play a role in ensuring the continued vitality of all aspects of university life."

Grabbing a shovel for the official groundbreaking will be fund drive co-chairs Stanley Hubbard and Kathleen Ridder, men's athletic director McKinley Boston, women's athletic director Chris Voelz, university President Nils Hasselmo, Board of Regents Chairman Elton Kuderer and men's and women's head coaches.

The sports facilities project is being financed entirely from private gifts, all of which are subject to approval by the Board of Regents, and from revenue to be generated by the new facilities themselves; no state money will be used for the project.

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BAD WEATHER MOVES U OF M SPORTS FACILITIES GROUNDBREAKING INDOORS

Due to bad weather, groundbreaking ceremonies for the University of Minnesota's On-Campus Sports Facilities project have been moved to courtside at Williams Arena at 12:30 p.m. today (Friday). Reporters and the public are asked to enter the arena through the main entrance on University Avenue.

The ceremonies will be highlighted by the formal announcement of a \$1 million pledge to the sports facilities fund drive by Minnesota North Stars owner Norm Green. That brings to more than \$2 million the amount of pledges made to the \$5.5 million fund-raising effort that will be officially unveiled.

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Participants in today's groundbreaking include fund drive co-chairs Stanley Hubbard and Kathleen Ridder, men's athletic director McKinley Boston, women's athletic director Chris Voelz, university President Nils Hasselmo, Board of Regents Chairman Elton Kuderer and men's and women's head coaches.

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The Golden Gopher mascot is depicted in a dynamic, jumping pose, wearing a dark sweater with white stripes on the sleeves and a white collar. It is positioned behind the word "SPORTS" in the "SPORTS NEWS" title, appearing to be in motion as if running or jumping over the letters.

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MCDONALD NAMED GOLDEN GOPHER BASKETBALL MVP

Sophomore guard Arriel McDonald was honored as the most valuable player of the University of Minnesota basketball squad at the team's awards banquet held on Thursday night at the Marriott City Center in Minneapolis.

An honorable mention All-Big Ten selection, McDonald's outstanding play was a big factor in the success of the Golden Gophers this past season. Head Coach Clem Haskins' youthful squad finished 16-16 overall (8-10 Big Ten) and landed a spot in the NIT, the program's third post-season appearance in the past four years.

McDonald registered a season-high 22 points in the 76-57 victory over Wisconsin at Williams Arena on March 4 and scored in double figures in each of the team's final nine games of the season. He also tallied 18 points in the 71-67 upset win over Indiana at home over Indiana on Feb. 12 and prior to that, nailed the game-winning shot with one second remaining to give the Golden Gophers an important 57-55 road victory at Northwestern on Feb. 1. The 6-foot-2, 165-pounder finished the season ranked second on the team in scoring with an average of 11 points a game. In addition, he registered a team-leading 120 assists (3.8), while committing only 61 (1.9) turnovers.

With 246 career assists through two seasons, McDonald has already moved into eighth-place on the school's all-time list. Darryl Mitchell (1978-82) is seventh with 247. If he continues at his present pace, he will shatter Marc Wilson's (1983-86) career record of 375.

The complete list of awards handed out at the team's banquet is as follows:

Most Valuable Player: Arriel McDonald
Captain: Dana Jackson
Senior Player: Bob Martin
Senior Managers: Guy Andrews, Tom Ostrom
Best Free Throw Percentage: Voshon Lenard (81.2 percent, 82-101)
Assist Leader: Arriel McDonald (120, 3.8 apg)
Outstanding Academic Achievement Award: Ernest Nzigamasabo
Academic Award - Most Improved: Townsend Orr
Most Improved Player: Chad Kolander
Rebounds - Most Rebounds: Bob Martin (163)
Rebounds - Best Average: Randy Carter (5.6)
Best Defensive Player: Nate Tubbs
Hustle Award: Jayson Walton



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COMING EVENTS:**Wednesday, April 8**

Baseball vs. St. Cloud State (1)
2:00 p.m., Siebert Field

Friday, April 10

Track & Field @ Nebraska Invite
11:00 a.m., Lincoln, Neb.

Tennis @ Michigan State

5:00 p.m., East Lansing, Mich.

Saturday, April 11

Baseball @ Michigan (2)

1:00 p.m., Ann Arbor, Mich.

Gymnastics @ NCAA Regionals

Iowa City, Iowa

Tennis @ Michigan

6:30 p.m., Ann Arbor, Mich.

Golf @ Indiana University Invite

Bloomington, Ind.

Track & Field @ Nebraska Invite

11:00 a.m., Lincoln, Neb.

Sunday, April 12

Baseball and Golf compete in the same schedule as Saturday

1992 BASEBALL SCHEDULE

Feb. 6	UM 3, Arizona 2 (10 innings)	April 4	UM 11, Purdue 2
Feb. 8	UM 0, Arizona 9	April 5	UM 2, Purdue 4
Feb. 8	UM 8, Arizona 3	April 5	UM 0, Purdue 3
Feb. 21	UM 2, Mississippi 6	April 8	vs. St. Cloud St. (Siebert Field)
Feb. 22	UM 8, Mississippi 5	April 11	@ Michigan (2)
Feb. 23	UM 5, Mississippi 0	April 12	@ Michigan (2)
Feb. 28	UM 1, Florida State 3	April 15	vs. St. Olaf (Siebert Field)
Feb. 29	UM 4, Mississippi St. 8	April 17	@ Illinois
March 1	UM 9, Texas A&M 8	April 18	@ Illinois (2)
March 6	UM 2, Ball State 0	April 19	@ Illinois (2)
March 7	UM 3, Ball State 2	April 22	vs. Mankato St. (Siebert Field)
March 8	UM 14, Ball State 0	April 24	vs. Northwestern (Siebert)
March 13	UM 7, Missouri 6 (12 innings)	April 25	vs. Northwestern (Siebert) (2)
March 13	UM 6, Missouri 7	April 26	vs. Northwestern (Siebert)
March 15	UM 8, Missouri 6	April 28	vs. No. Dakota (Siebert)
March 24	UM 8, Kentucky 11 (10 innings)	April 29	vs. St. Thomas (Siebert)
March 25	UM 4, Kentucky 5	May 1	vs. Penn State (Siebert)
March 26	UM 1, Marshall 3	May 2	vs. Penn State (Siebert) (2)
March 27	UM 9, Ohio State 6	May 3	vs. Penn State (Siebert) (2)
March 28	UM 7, Ohio State 15	May 6	@ Iowa State
March 28	UM 4, Ohio State 5	May 7	vs. Concordia (Siebert)
March 29	UM 6, Ohio State 12	May 8	vs. Iowa (Siebert)
March 31	UM 20, Bethel 1	May 9	vs. Iowa (Siebert) (2)
April 1	UM 24, Southwest State 7	May 10	vs. Iowa (Siebert)
April 4	UM 3, Purdue 9	May 14-18	Big Ten Tournament

GOLDEN GOPHER BASEBALL TRAVELS TO ANN ARBOR THIS WEEKEND

On Wednesday, the Gophers will play host to the Huskies of St. Cloud State before going back on the road to play the Michigan Wolverines in Ann Arbor, Mich., in doubleheaders on Friday and Saturday. A year ago, the Gophers split four games with Michigan at Siebert Field, both teams swept a doubleheader apiece.

Coach John Anderson's Golden Gophers lost three of four games to the Purdue Boilermakers, in West Lafayette, Ind., over the weekend. The series began with a split in Saturday's doubleheader, as Purdue grabbed a 9-3 win in the first game, and the Gophers answered back with an 11-2 drubbing of the home team in game two.

Sunday's doubleheader went to the Boilermakers when they won the first game, 4-2, and then shut out Minnesota, 3-0, in the finale. With the exception of the Saturday's first game, Minnesota was in every game, thanks to some excellent pitching. In the 11-2 win,

Eric Slagle and Eric Porter combined for a three-hit performance that yielded no earned runs. On Sunday, John Lowery worked five and two-thirds innings striking out three, while giving up just four hits and four runs in a gutsy losing effort. In the series finale, Jeff Schmidt suffered his second Big Ten defeat when the Minnesota bats remained silent. Schmidt gave Coach John Anderson another strong outing, striking out nine, while giving up just two earned runs and six hits.

The one Gopher to make some noise at the plate last week was left-fielder Charlie Nelson, who was 19 for 28 with 7 RBI and 12 runs scored in six games.

The lost weekend left the Golden Gophers 14-14 overall and 2-6 in the Big Ten Conference. Of the team's 14 losses, eight have come at the hands of top-ranked teams. All but three of the team's losses have come on the road.

MURRELL & GOLDSTEIN SURPASS NCAA PROVISIONAL STANDARDS AT TEXAS RELAYS; NEBRASKA INVITATIONAL THIS WEEKEND

Juniors **Chris Murrell** (Grand Island, Neb.) and **Chad Goldstein** (St. Louis Park, Minn.) each surpassed the NCAA provisional qualifying standard in their respective events to lead the Golden Gopher track & field squad at the Texas Relays in Austin, Texas last weekend. No team scores were kept in the competition.

Murrell Soars: After claiming the second Big Ten indoor high jump title of his career at the league meet back in March, Chris Murrell has remained on fire outdoors. He finished second in the event at the Texas Relays with an NCAA provisional qualifying and personal-best jump of 7-3 3/4. Mike Vukovich set the school outdoor record of 7-5 back in 1988. Murrell collected All-America honors after finishing eighth at the 1991 NCAA Outdoor Championships with a leap of 7-0 1/2.

Goldstein Shines: Chad Goldstein finished sixth in the shot put this past weekend with an NCAA provisional qualifying toss of 58-9 1/2. He is coming off an outstanding indoor season which he capped off by garnering All-America honors with an eighth-place finish (58-11 1/4) at the NCAA Indoor Championships.

Close Call: The Golden Gophers' sprint medley relay team placed sixth at the Texas Relays with a swift 3:21.29 clocking, just above the school record of 3:21.13 set last year. Junior **Kirk Dyer** (San Jose, Calif.) and freshman **Keita Cline** (Gainesville, Fla.) ran the 200 meter legs, sophomore **Norris Williams** (Milwaukee) the 400 meters, and freshman **Jason Max** (Minnetonka, Minn.) the 800 meter anchor leg.

Nebraska Invitational: The Golden Gophers will compete at the Nebraska Invitational this Friday and Saturday in Lincoln, Neb. Head Coach Roy Griak's squad finished fifth overall in the final team standings a year ago. Chris Murrell is the defending meet champion in the high jump. He cleared 6-10 3/4 to take top honors last year.

Big Ten Outdoor Championships: The University of Minnesota will host the men's and women's Big Ten Outdoor Championships May 22-23 at the world-class Bierman Track & Field Stadium.

GOLDEN GOPHER GYMNASTS TO COMPETE IN NCAA REGIONALS

Minnesota will compete in the East Regionals on April 11, in Iowa City, Iowa. A total of 10 teams and two groups of individuals qualified for East and West regionals. One group at each site consists of six all-around competitors who are not members of a selected team, and the other group consists of six individuals per event who are not members of a selected team or have not already been selected in the all-around group. Four teams and the top five all-around competitors not on one of the qualifying teams, plus the top five individuals on each event not already qualified on a team or as an all-around competitor, will advance from each regional competition to the championship. Last season, the top-seeded Golden Gopher gymnasts finished fourth at the Eastern Regional Championships held in Columbus, Ohio.

East Regional Teams

1. Ohio State
2. Minnesota
3. Penn State
4. Michigan State
5. Iowa
6. Illinois
7. Michigan
8. Temple
9. Syracuse
10. Kent

West Regional Teams

1. Nebraska
2. Stanford
3. Brigham Young
4. New Mexico
5. Oklahoma
6. California
7. UCLA
8. UC Santa Barbara
9. Arizona State
10. Air Force

14th-RANKED GOPHER NETTERS STORM PAST PENN STATE

Playing without their captain and No.1 singles player, **Brian Uihlein** (Sr., Lake Forest, Ill.), the 14th-ranked Golden Gophers swept the singles portion of their Big Ten match with Penn State on their way to a 8-1 victory. Transfer student, **Mehdi Benyebka** (Jr., Oran, Algeria) replaced Uihlein at the top spot and defeated Penn State's Eduardo Abril in straight sets, 6-3, 6-2.

Benyebka transferred from USC a year ago, but just became eligible to play this spring. He is now 3-1 in dual matches this season. Prior to tonight he was playing at No. 2 singles. Senior **Phil LeBlanc** (Quebec, Canada) continued his sensational season by winning a hard-fought No. 4 singles match in three sets over Chad Skorupka, 7-6(3), 6-7(3), 6-4. LeBlanc, who has played mostly out of the five spot, is now 10-3 on the year.

Minnesota is now 11-4 in dual matches, and leads the Big Ten Conference with a 4-0 record. The Gophers will travel to Michigan next weekend for matches in East Lansing, against Michigan State, and Ann Arbor, with Michigan.

Brian Uihlein, ranked 35th in the nation, is expected to be back in action next weekend. He and doubles partner **Adam Krafft** (So., Saginaw, Mich.) are ranked 5th in the nation.

GOLF TEAM TO COMPETE IN INDIANA INVITATIONAL THIS WEEKEND

The University of Minnesota men's golf team will travel to Bloomington, Ind., this weekend to compete in the Indiana Invitational. The Golden Gophers will compete against a host of teams from their district, including Big Ten rivals Wisconsin, Iowa, Michigan State, Penn State, Purdue and host Indiana. This tourney will have a big impact on district rankings and potential NCAA berths.

Gullion Second in Big Ten: The Gophers top player this year has been junior **Joe Gullion** (San Antonio, Tex.) who is second in the conference in stroke average with a 73.7 average in 19 rounds of play. Gullion is being chased by **Terry O'Loughlin** (Maplewood, Minn.) who has a 74.68 stroke average in 19 rounds.

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OPPONENT	MN	OPP	INN	TYPE	PLACE
Arizona	3	2	10	N	Feb. 6, 2:00 p.m. Tucson, AZ
Arizona	0	9	9	N	Feb. 8, 1:30 p.m., Tucson, AZ
Arizona	8	3	9	N	Feb. 8, 5:00 p.m., Tucson, AZ
Mississippi	2	6	9	N	Feb.21, 2:00 p.m. Oxford, MS
Mississippi	8	5	9	N	Feb.22, 2:00 p.m., Oxford, MS
Mississippi	5	0	9	N	Feb. 23, 1:15 p.m., Oxford, MS
FLORIDA ST.	1	3	9	N	Feb. 28, 7:35 p.m., Metrodome
MISSISSIPPI ST.	4	8	9	N	Feb. 29, 2:00 p.m. Metrodome
TEXAS A&M	9	8	7	N	March 1, 1:15 p.m., Metrodome
BALL STATE	2	0	9	N	Mar. 6, 7:00 p.m., Metrodome
BALL STATE	3	2	9	N	Mar.7, 7:00 p.m. Metrodome
BALL STATE	14	0	9	N	Mar. 8, 1:00 p.m. Metrodome
MISSOURI	7	6	12	N	March 13,4:00 p.m. Metrodome
MISSOURI	6	7	7	N	March 13, 8:40 p.m. Metrodome
MISSOURI	8	6	9	N	March 15, 1:00 p.m. Metrodome
Kentucky	8	11	10	N	3/24/92 Lexington, KY
Kentucky	4	5	9	N	3/25/92 Lexington, KY
Marshall	1	3	9	N	March 26, 4:00 p.m., Hunington, WV
Ohio State	9	6	7	L	3/27 Columbus, OH
Ohio State	7	15	7	L	3/28/92 Columbus, Ohio
Ohio State	4	5	7	L	3/28/92 Columbus, Ohio
Ohio State	6	12	7	L	02/29/92, 1:00 p.m. Columbus, OH
BETHEL COLLEGE	20	1	7	N	3/31/92, 2:30 p.m. Siebert Field
SOUTHWEST STATE	24	7	9	N	4/1/92, 2:00 p.m. Siebert Field
Purdue	3	9	7	L	4/4/92, West Lafayette, IN
Purdue	11	2	7	L	4/4/92, West Lafayette, IN
Purdue	2	4	7	L	4/5/92, West Lafayette, IN
Purdue	0	3	7	L	4/5/92, West Lafayette, IN

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NAME	GP	AB	RUN	HIT	RBI	AVG	SO	BB	HBP	TAB	%OB	TB	%SLG	SH	ATT	%
Charlie Nelson	26	80	25	32	16	.400	9	22	0	102	.529	42	.525	1	0	---
Adam Sobocienski	17	46	6	16	12	.348	5	6	0	52	.423	19	.413	0	2	.000
George Behr	26	97	18	32	25	.330	16	9	0	106	.387	47	.485	0	0	---
Ryan Lefebvre	23	80	14	26	4	.325	11	13	0	93	.419	32	.400	1	1	1.000
Mark Merilla	27	78	27	25	19	.321	8	34	1	113	.531	38	.487	0	1	.000
Darren Schwankl	25	68	13	21	8	.309	12	14	0	82	.427	27	.397	1	0	---
Darren Grass	18	42	6	12	13	.286	9	4	2	48	.375	17	.405	0	0	---
Brian Hartmann	24	76	9	20	10	.263	11	5	2	83	.325	27	.355	0	0	---
Keith Krenke	28	92	17	22	19	.239	15	17	0	109	.358	41	.446	1	1	1.000
Bill Mobilia	28	88	17	21	9	.239	28	14	3	105	.362	26	.295	1	1	1.000
LESS THAN 42 AT BATS																
Shane McCarthy	9	9	3	4	2	.444	2	2	0	11	.545	5	.556	0	0	---
Steve Calvert	19	39	7	11	10	.282	8	11	0	50	.440	14	.359	1	0	---
Tom Doyle	12	36	6	9	0	.250	10	3	0	39	.308	11	.306	0	0	---
Mark Vandersall	11	16	7	4	4	.250	4	2	0	18	.333	6	.375	0	0	---
Tony Bender	16	29	3	6	4	.207	7	3	1	33	.303	6	.207	1	1	1.000
Mike Oster	4	3	1	0	2	.000	1	1	1	5	.400	0	.000	0	0	---
Scott Bakkum	8	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
John Lowery	8	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Chris Lawler	8	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
J.T. Gilbert	7	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Eric Slagle	7	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Jeff Schmidt	7	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Brent Davis	6	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Eric Porter	5	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Andy Hammerschmidt	3	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
James Brower	3	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Jason Karrmann	2	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
David Anderson	1	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
TOTAL	28	879	179	261	157	.297	156	160	10	1049	.411	358	.407	7	7	1.000
OPPONENTS	28	868	148	243	129	.280	157	129	8	1005	.378	340	.392	17	7	2.429

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NO	NAME	GP	AB	RUN	HIT	2B	3B	HR	TB	SB-ATT	SH	SF	HBP	BB	SO	RBI	WRBI	AVG	PO	A	E	PCT.	
06	Charlie Nelson	26	80	25	32	5	1	1	42	10	16	1	0	0	22	9	16	2	.400	32	3	1	.972
01	Adam Sobocienski	17	46	6	16	3	0	0	19	0	0	0	3	0	6	5	12	1	.348	0	0	0	---
40	George Behr	26	97	18	32	9	0	2	47	3	6	0	1	0	9	16	25	1	.330	179	12	3	.985
15	Ryan Lefebvre	23	80	14	26	2	2	0	32	8	11	1	1	0	13	11	4	1	.325	54	0	0	1.000
03	Mark Merila	27	78	27	25	7	0	2	38	7	10	0	3	1	34	8	19	2	.321	65	66	4	.970
10	Darren Schwankl	25	68	13	21	3	0	1	27	5	7	1	1	0	14	12	8	0	.309	23	15	4	.905
25	Darren Grass	18	42	6	12	2	0	1	17	0	1	0	2	2	4	9	13	0	.286	62	8	3	.959
17	Brian Hartmann	24	76	9	20	4	0	1	27	1	4	0	1	2	5	11	10	0	.263	99	10	0	1.000
16	Keith Krenke	28	92	17	22	5	1	4	41	2	2	1	2	0	17	15	19	1	.239	42	4	4	.920
07	Bill Mobilia	28	88	17	21	5	0	0	26	4	8	1	0	3	14	28	9	1	.239	41	82	9	.932
LESS THAN 42 AT BATS																							
11	Shane McCarthy	9	9	3	4	1	0	0	5	0	0	0	1	0	2	2	2	1	.444	6	0	0	1.000
33	Steve Calvert	19	39	7	11	3	0	0	14	0	1	1	0	0	11	8	10	1	.282	12	16	3	.903
28	Tom Doyle	12	36	6	9	2	0	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	3	10	0	0	.250	33	2	0	1.000
18	Mark Vandersall	11	16	7	4	2	0	0	6	1	1	0	1	0	2	4	4	1	.250	0	0	0	---
09	Tony Bender	16	29	3	6	0	0	0	6	0	1	1	0	1	3	7	4	0	.207	10	20	6	.833
02	Mike Oster	4	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	2	0	.000	0	1	0	1.000
37	Scott Bakkum	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	4	2	0	1.000
27	John Lowery	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	2	6	1	.889
21	Chris Lawler	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---
32	J.T. Gilbert	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	4	0	1.000
31	Eric Slagle	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	2	5	1	.875
22	Jeff Schmidt	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	3	8	0	1.000
35	Brent Davis	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	3	0	1.000
30	Eric Porter	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	1	0	1.000
34	Andy Hammerschmidt	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	1	0	1.000
19	James Brower	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---
43	Jason Karmann	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	2	1	0	1.000
23	David Anderson	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---
TEAM TOTAL		28	879	179	261	53	4	12	358	41	68	7	16	10	160	156	157	12	.297	674	270	39	.960
OPPONENTS		28	868	148	243	31	3	20	340	35	50	17	9	8	129	157	129	11	.280	685	294	30	.970

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NO	NAME	GP	ST	CG	WON	LST	SAV	IP	HITS	RUNS	ERUN	HR	BB	SO	HP	WP	BK	ERA
30	Eric Porter	6	0	0	1	0	0	13.3	8	4	1	1	11	8	0	1	0	.68
32	J.T. Gilbert	7	0	0	0	0	1	14.0	10	5	4	0	12	8	2	2	1	2.57
19	James Brower	3	2	0	1	0	0	8.7	10	3	3	1	8	6	0	1	1	3.12
34	Andy Hammerschmidt	4	1	0	1	1	0	9.7	9	5	4	0	4	4	0	1	0	3.72
31	Eric Slagle	8	4	0	3	2	0	27.3	33	18	13	3	17	23	2	3	0	4.28
37	Scott Bakkum	9	7	4	3	3	0	48.0	54	30	25	6	11	27	1	0	0	4.69
22	Jeff Schmidt	8	8	0	2	3	0	40.0	48	27	21	0	21	31	0	4	1	4.73
21	Chris Lawler	9	1	0	1	1	1	9.7	7	7	6	2	8	14	0	2	0	5.59
27	John Lowery	9	4	1	1	3	0	33.3	39	27	21	4	17	22	1	5	0	5.67
43	Jason Karmann	2	0	0	0	0	0	6.0	7	6	4	0	5	3	0	0	0	6.00
11	Shane McCarthy	2	0	0	0	0	0	3.0	4	2	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	6.00
35	Brent Davis	7	1	0	2	1	0	10.3	10	12	8	1	12	10	2	1	0	6.97
23	David Anderson	1	0	0	0	0	0	2.0	4	2	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	9.00
NON-TEAM											-1							
TOTAL		28	28	5	15	14	2	225.3	243	148	113	20	129	157	8	20	3	4.51
OPPONENTS		28	28	4	15	13	0	231.0	261	179	155	12	160	156	10	19	1	6.04

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NAME	GP	AB	RUN	HIT	RBI	AVG	SO	BB	HBP	TAB	%OB	TB	%SLG	SH	ATT	%
Charlie Nelson	9	29	10	11	5	.379	4	7	0	36	.500	15	.517	0	0	---
Keith Krenke	9	28	2	7	5	.250	8	4	0	32	.344	8	.286	0	0	---
George Benr	8	26	4	6	4	.231	6	2	0	28	.286	7	.269	0	0	---
LESS THAN 25 AT BATS																
Darren Schwankl	7	21	7	11	1	.524	4	2	0	23	.565	12	.571	0	0	---
Darren Grass	6	14	2	5	7	.357	3	0	0	14	.357	8	.571	0	0	---
Mark Merila	8	23	9	8	3	.348	3	6	1	30	.500	13	.565	0	1	.000
Tom Doyle	4	10	2	3	0	.300	2	0	0	10	.300	3	.300	0	0	---
Bill Mobilia	9	21	4	6	4	.286	10	5	1	27	.444	7	.333	1	1	1.000
Ryan Lefebvre	7	21	2	6	3	.286	5	3	0	24	.375	8	.381	0	1	.000
Mark Vandersall	3	4	1	1	1	.250	2	0	0	4	.250	1	.250	0	0	---
Tony Bender	5	13	1	3	1	.231	3	0	0	13	.231	3	.231	1	1	1.000
Adam Sobocienski	8	21	2	4	5	.190	3	4	0	25	.320	4	.190	0	2	.000
Steve Calvert	6	8	2	1	0	.125	3	3	0	11	.364	1	.125	0	0	---
Brian Hartmann	7	15	1	1	1	.067	5	1	1	17	.176	1	.067	0	0	---
Shane McCarthy	2	1	1	0	0	.000	0	0	0	1	.000	0	.000	0	0	---
Scott Bakkum	3	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Eric Slagle	3	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
John Lowery	3	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Jeff Schmidt	3	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Chris Lawler	3	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Brent Davis	2	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Eric Porter	2	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Jason Karrmann	1	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Andy Hammerschmidt	1	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
J.T. Gilbert	1	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
TOTAL	8	255	50	73	40	.286	61	37	3	295	.383	91	.357	2	6	.333
OPPONENTS	9	246	67	75	60	.305	37	48	2	296	.422	110	.447	4	3	1.333

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NO	NAME	GP	ST	CG	WON	LST	SAV	IP	HITS	RUNS	ERUN	HR	BB	SO	HP	WP	BK	ERA
30	Eric Porter	2	0	0	1	0	0	5.0	3	1	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	.00
32	J.T. Gilbert	1	0	0	0	0	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	.00
34	Andy Hammerschmidt	1	0	0	0	0	0	.3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.00
11	Shane McCarthy	1	0	0	0	0	0	.3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.00
37	Scott Bakkum	3	2	2	1	1	0	14.0	22	15	11	2	6	3	1	0	0	7.07
27	John Lowery	3	2	1	0	2	0	12.7	12	12	10	2	9	8	0	0	0	7.11
22	Jeff Schmidt	3	3	0	0	2	0	14.3	22	15	13	0	12	15	0	2	1	8.16
43	Jason Karrmann	1	0	0	0	0	0	4.0	5	6	4	0	5	2	0	0	0	9.00
31	Eric Slagle	3	2	0	1	1	0	6.7	9	11	7	2	8	5	0	3	0	9.45
21	Chris Lawler	3	0	0	0	0	0	.3	1	2	1	0	2	0	0	2	0	27.00
35	Brent Davis	2	0	0	0	1	0	1.0	1	5	5	1	4	0	1	0	0	45.00
TOTAL		8	9	3	3	7	0	59.7	75	67	51	7	48	37	2	7	1	7.69
OPPONENTS		9	9	1	8	1	0	66.0	73	50	37	3	37	61	3	2	0	5.05

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April 12, 1992

OLIMB NAMED GOLDEN GOPHER HOCKEY MVP

Senior Larry Olimb was named winner of the John Mariucci Most Valuable Player award today at the 1992 Golden Gopher hockey awards banquet at the Metrodome Hilton.

Olimb, a Hobey Baker Award finalist and an ALL-WCHA first-team choice, broke the Minnesota career assists record that was previously held by John Mayasich. Olimb, who registered 24 goals and 56 assists this season to lead Head Coach Doug Woog's squad to a 33-11 overall record and the regular season WCHA crown, tallied 159 assists in his four-year stint for the Gophers, giving him 218 career points. He is the only member of the Golden Gophers' 200 point club to have played half of his career at defense.

The complete list of awards is listed below:

Mike Crupi-Most Determined Player Award: Scott Bell
Dr. V.G. Nagobads Unsung Hero Award: Cory Laylin
Frank Pond Rookie of the Year Award: Darby Hendrickson
John Mayasich Outstanding Student Athlete Award: Sean Fabian
Elwin "Doc" Romnes Leadership and Sportsmanship Award: Doug Zmolek
John Mariucci Most Valuable Player Award: Larry Olimb

STARS

PRESS RELEASE

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
Monday, April 13, 1992

STARS SIGN TRENT KLATT

BLOOMINGTON, MN -- Vice President and General Manager Dob Clarke announced today that the team has signed University of Minnesota right wing Trent Klatt.

Klatt, 21, just completed his junior season with the Gophers where he was the second leading scorer with 66 points in 44 games. His 30 goals led the team and ranked 5th overall in WCHA scoring while 66 points ranked 8th in the WCHA.

Klatt was originally a 1989 fourth round draft selection of the Washington Capitals. The North Stars acquired his rights on June 22, 1991 with Steve Maltais for Shawn Chambers.

The 6'1", 205 lbs. native of Osseo, MN was named "Mr. Hockey 1988" as a senior at Osseo High School. His other high school honors include being named all-metro and all-state twice. He was named MVP in both hockey and baseball as a prep athlete. Klatt led the 1987 Select 16 team in scoring in 1987 and also competed on the 1988 Select 17 team coached by Doug Woog in Prague, Czech.


As a rookie with the University of Minnesota in the 1989-90 season, Klatt shared the Frank Pond Rookie of the Year honors with Tom Newmar. His international experience includes being a member on the 1989-90 and 1990-91 U.S. Junior National Teams.

In three seasons at the U of M, the Gophers' alternate captain has totaled 68 goals, 78 assists, 146 points and 152 penalty minutes in 121 games. He joined the team for its 2:00 pm practice today and will be available to play in tomorrow's 7:05 pm game against the Detroit Red Wings at Met Center. Klatt will wear No. 29 which was also worn by Tom Youngmans, former North Star, Gopher and Minnesota native.

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COMING EVENTS:**Wednesday, April 15**

Baseball vs. St. Olaf
2:00 p.m., Siebert Field

Friday, April 17

Baseball @ Illinois
3:00 p.m., Champaign, Ill.

Saturday, April 18

Baseball @ Illinois (2)
Noon, Champaign, Ill.
Tennis @ Wisconsin
5:00 p.m., Madison, Wis.
Golf @ Firestone Invitational
All Day, Akron, Ohio

Sunday, April 19

Tennis plays at Northwestern at
1:00 p.m., in Evanston, Ill., while
Baseball plays a single game at
Illinois in Champaign. Golf plays
the final round of the Firestone.

1992 BASEBALL SCHEDULE

Feb. 6	UM 3, Arizona 2 (10 innings)	April 5	UM 0, Purdue 3
Feb. 8	UM 0, Arizona 9	April 8	UM 18, St. Cloud St. 3
Feb. 8	UM 8, Arizona 3	April 11	UM 4, Michigan 8
Feb. 21	UM 2, Mississippi 6	April 11	UM 5, Michigan 1
Feb. 22	UM 8, Mississippi 5	April 12	UM 4, Michigan 1
Feb. 23	UM 5, Mississippi 0	April 12	UM 4, Michigan 2
Feb. 28	UM 1, Florida State 3	April 15	vs. St. Olaf (Siebert Field)
Feb. 29	UM 4, Mississippi St. 8	April 17	@ Illinois
March 1	UM 9, Texas A&M 8	April 18	@ Illinois (2)
March 6	UM 2, Ball State 0	April 19	@ Illinois
March 7	UM 3, Ball State 2	April 22	vs. Mankato St. (Siebert Field)
March 8	UM 14, Ball State 0	April 24	vs. Northwestern (Siebert)
March 13	UM 7, Missouri 6 (12 innings)	April 25	vs. Northwestern (Siebert) (2)
March 13	UM 6, Missouri 7	April 26	vs. Northwestern (Siebert)
March 15	UM 8, Missouri 6	April 28	vs. No. Dakota (Siebert)
March 24	UM 8, Kentucky 11 (10 innings)	April 29	vs. St. Thomas (Siebert)
March 25	UM 4, Kentucky 5	May 1	vs. Penn State (Siebert)
March 26	UM 1, Marshall 3	May 2	vs. Penn State (Siebert) (2)
March 27	UM 9, Ohio State 6	May 3	vs. Penn State (Siebert)
March 28	UM 7, Ohio State 15	May 6	@ Iowa State
March 28	UM 4, Ohio State 5	May 7	vs. Concordia (Siebert)
March 29	UM 6, Ohio State 12	May 8	vs. Iowa (Siebert)
March 31	UM 20, Bethel 1	May 9	vs. Iowa (Siebert) (2)
April 1	UM 24, Southwest State 7	May 10	vs. Iowa (Siebert)
April 4	UM 3, Purdue 9	May 14-18	Big Ten Tournament; site TBA
April 4	UM 11, Purdue 2		
April 5	UM 2, Purdue 4		

17th-RANKED GOPHER NETTERS 6-0 IN BIG TEN

Coach David Geatz and his 17th-ranked Golden Gophers began a two-week, five-match span, by overwhelming Michigan State, Michigan and Bowling Green. The Golden Gophers are now 14-4 overall, and 6-0 in the Big Ten.

On Friday, the Gophers began their trip by traveling to East Lansing where they defeated Michigan State 8-1. Minnesota was buoyed by the return of senior captain Brian Uihlein (Lake Forest, Ill.), who had missed the April 3 match with Penn State due to soreness in his right arm. Uihlein beat State's Grant Asher in straight sets, 7-5, 6-2, in the No. 1 singles match and then teamed with sophomore Adam Krafft (Saginaw, Mich.) to sweep Asher and Brad Rosenbaum at No. 1 doubles, 6-4, 7-6. Uihlein and Krafft are ranked fourth nationally with a stellar 17-2 (2-0, Big Ten) record.

Saturday saw the Gophers move on to Ann Arbor for a meeting with the Michigan Wolverines. Suffering through a series of injuries that has depleted its typically strong squad, Michigan fared no better against the visiting Minnesotans. The Gophers' only loss in the 6-1 win was a straight-set defeat of Uihlein by 16th-ranked David Kass. The high point for the Maroon & Gold came when freshman Ross Loel (Rancho LaCosta, Calif.) notched his 20th win of the season with a straight set victory over Greg Artz, 6-1, 6-1. Loel improved his singles record to 21-7 when he swept Bowling Green's Andrew Bonser on Sunday.

Making the most of their time on the road, the Gophers wrapped-up their weekend with a Sunday morning match at Bowling Green. Minnesota notched its 14th win with a 6-0 singles sweep over the host team. Uihlein got back on the winning track with a hard-fought three-set win over Bob Zumph, 6-7(5), 6-2, 7-6(2). The Gopher captain is now 18-10 (4-1) at singles. Junior transfer Mehdi Benyebka (Oran, Algeria) continued his success, since becoming eligible earlier this month, by topping-off a three-win weekend with a sweep past Bowling Green's Jeff Westmeyer, 6-2, 6-1. The "Algerian Stallion" improved his record to 6-1 (3-0). Junior Rick Naumoff (Columbus, Ohio) joined the 20-win club on Sunday with his 6-1, 6-1 win over Karl Crnkovich. Naumoff is now 20-12 (4-2) playing out of the No. 3 spot now that Benyebka has joined the lineup.

Next up for the Gophers are matches at Wisconsin and Northwestern this Friday and Saturday, respectively.

GOPHERS TAKE THREE OF FOUR FROM WOLVERINES; HOST ST. OLAF BEFORE TRAVELING TO ILLINOIS THIS WEEKEND

John Anderson's University of Minnesota baseball team won three of four games at Ann Arbor, Mich., this past weekend to take the first step in climbing back into the Big Ten race and a chance at a post-season tournament berth. Minnesota upped its overall record to 18-15, with a 5-7 conference mark. They split the games on Saturday losing the series opener 8-4, before rebounding to win the second game 5-1. On Sunday, the Golden Gophers put together their finest back-to-back pitching performances of the year when seniors **John Lowery** (Shepherdston, W. Virg.) and **Scott Bakkum** (LaCrosse, Wis.) both threw complete game victories. Lowery threw a one hitter in the first game to win 4-1, while Bakkum held the Wolverines to two runs on six hits in the finale to gain the 4-2 win.

Next Up: The Fighting Illini are up next on the Gophers Big Ten slate. Illinois is coming off a strong showing at Iowa, where they won three of four games to put themselves in a five way tie for second place in the Big Ten. Michigan, Michigan State, Illinois, Indiana and Purdue are all tied for second place at 7-5. Last year the Gophers and Illini split a four-game series at Siebert Field with each team winning one game each day. Scott Bakkum is 1-1 against Illinois, while John Lowery is 0-2 and junior **Jeff Schmidt** (LaCrosse, Wis.) is 0-1. Illinois leads the all-time series 66-60 in a very competitive rivalry. The Illinois series has the Gophers playing at 3:00 p.m. on Friday, followed by a doubleheader starting at 12:00 Noon on Saturday, and the series finale on Sunday at 1:00 p.m.

About the Illini: The Fighting Illini are coached by Itch Jones who is in his second year at the helm. Last year he led the Illini to a 26-30 record and a 13-15 record in the conference. This year the Illini are 22-11 and 7-5 in the Big Ten. The Illini are led by outfielder Larry Sutton, a second team All-Big Ten selection a year ago, he is batting .378 in conference games. Sophomore Scott Spiezio leads the team in RBIs with 13. On the hill, Mark Dressen leads the team with a 7-1 mark overall and a 2-1 mark in Big Ten games.

Veteran Staff: The Gophers veteran pitching staff put it all together last weekend when they limited the Wolverines to 12 runs in four games. John Lowery's one-hitter was the highlight of the weekend which saw the Gophers hold the Wolverines to a total of four runs in the three games Minnesota won. Scott Bakkum got back on track in his six-hit performance to raise his record to 4-3, 2-1 in the conference. Junior **Eric Slagle** (Barrington, Ill.) held the Wolverines to one run on four hits to raise his record to 3-2. Senior Eric Porter threw three and two thirds innings, giving up only one run, lowering his team-leading ERA to 1.06. This veteran pitching staff was counted on to be the backbone of the team. After a 10-5 start, the staff struggled on the spring trip, but has recovered and is looking to lead the Maroon and Gold back to the conference tournament with their eye on NCAA post-season play.

Oh What a Schedule: The Gophers have always faced one of the toughest schedules in the country and this year is no different. With 25 of their first 38 games on the road, including their first 16 Big Ten games, this schedule is no cake walk. Nine of Minnesota's 15 losses have come at the hands of top 25 teams. Following the series at Illinois this weekend, the Gophers finish with 16 of their final 17 games at Siebert Field. Last year the Gophers were 11-6 at home, while the previous year they were 18-2 at Siebert Field, including a Big Ten record 16 straight conference wins. The schedule shows Northwestern, Penn State and Iowa visiting the friendly confines of Siebert Field. This strong strength of schedule will raise some eye on the NCAA selection committee and could prove the difference and help the Gophers return to the NCAA tournament for the second straight year.

Big Ten Freshman of the Year: Last year second baseman **Mark Merila** (Plymouth, Minn.) won the Freshman of the Year Award and it looks like the Gophers have another strong candidate in **Darren Grass** (St. Paul, Minn.). The redshirt catcher has taken over the position of the ailing **Brian Hartmann** (Arlington, Minn.). Grass is batting .370 in conference games with two doubles and two homeruns. He leads the team in RBIs with 11 and improves defensively with each appearance and looks like he will be another in the Minnesota's tradition of fine catchers.

Schwankl Shines: Third base has been a weak spot for the past two years for the Gophers, but that has now changed. Junior **Darren Schwankl** (Burnsville, Minn.) has played outstanding at third. Last weekend he made several incredible plays to keep the ball in the infield and help hold the Wolverine offense down. Schwankl is also hitting the ball well. He is batting .429 in the Big Ten with 15 hits and two doubles. This converted outfielder, who was an all-tournament selection last year, has thrust himself into the running for post-season honors at third base.

Lead Off Combo: The Gophers sport one of the best lead off tandems in the country in **Charlie Nelson** (Perham, Minn.) and All-American candidate **Ryan Lefebvre** (Los Angeles). Nelson is leading the team in batting overall with .380 average and an on base percentage of .521 with 12 stolen bases. Lefebvre is batting .351 with an on base percentage of .450 and eight stolen bases. With 49 runs scored between them, they make up a dangerous combo once they get loose on the base paths.

Big Boy: George "Big Boy" Behr (Maplewood, Minn.) continues to drive the ball for the Maroon and Gold. The big first baseman leads the team in RBIs with 31 and is batting .357. His nine doubles and 48 total bases also lead the team. This fine talent needs to continue to provide the team with timely power hitting if they are to contend for a spot in post-season play.

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NO	NAME	GP	AB	RUN	HIT	2B	3B	HR	TB	SB-ATT	SH	SF	HBP	BB	SO	RBI	WRBI	AVG	PO	A	E	PCT.	
	UNKNOWN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---	
10	Darren Schwankl	11	35	7	15	2	0	0	17	2	2	0	0	1	2	4	2	0	.429	8	12	1	.952
25	Darren Grass	10	27	3	10	2	0	2	18	1	1	0	0	0	6	11	1	0	.370	29	0	0	1.000
15	Ryan Lefebvre	11	31	5	11	2	0	0	13	1	2	2	1	0	6	6	3	0	.355	22	0	0	1.000
28	Tom Doyle	4	10	2	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	.300	14	0	0	1.000
40	George Behr	12	38	7	11	1	0	0	12	1	2	0	0	0	4	7	5	0	.289	63	7	0	1.000
01	Adam Sobocienski	11	28	3	8	1	0	0	9	0	0	2	0	4	3	10	0	0	.286	0	0	0	---
06	Charlie Nelson	12	34	11	9	0	1	1	14	3	6	2	0	0	10	6	5	1	.265	22	2	1	.960
07	Bill Mobilia	12	27	4	7	1	0	0	8	0	2	2	0	2	5	10	4	0	.259	21	29	2	.962
16	Keith Krenke	12	36	5	9	0	0	1	12	0	0	0	0	0	4	9	5	1	.250	17	2	3	.864
18	Mark Vandersall	3	4	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	.250	0	0	0	---
03	Mark Merila	12	33	11	8	2	0	1	13	3	3	0	1	1	11	5	3	1	.242	14	28	2	.955
09	Tony Bender	5	13	1	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	1	1	.231	5	7	4	.750
17	Brian Hartmann	10	19	3	2	0	0	1	5	0	0	0	0	1	2	6	2	0	.105	24	3	0	1.000
33	Steve Calvert	9	14	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	3	4	0	0	.071	11	4	2	.882
11	Shane McCarthy	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	---
37	Scott Bakkum	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	4	0	1.000
31	Eric Slagle	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	2	2	1	.800
30	Eric Porter	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	1	0	1.000
27	John Lowery	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	3	0	1.000
22	Jeff Schmidt	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	2	3	0	1.000
21	Chris Lawler	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---
35	Brent Davis	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---
43	Jason Karrmann	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	0	0	1.000
34	Andy Hammerschmidt	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---
32	J.T. Gilbert	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	1	0	1.000
TEAM TOTAL		12	350	66	98	11	1	6	129	11	18	8	5	5	51	73	52	5	.280	257	108	16	.958
OPPONENTS		12	299	68	81	14	1	7	118	17	20	5	4	3	57	44	60	4	.271	252	105	15	.960

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NO	NAME	GP	ST	CG	WON	LST	SAV	IP	HITS	RUNS	ERUN	HR	BB	SO	HP	WP	BK	ERA
34	Andy Hammerschmidt	1	0	0	0	0	0	.3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.00
11	Shane McCarthy	1	0	0	0	0	0	.3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.00
30	Eric Porter	4	0	0	1	0	0	8.7	7	2	1	0	2	5	0	0	0	1.04
27	John Lowery	3	3	2	1	2	0	18.7	11	10	8	1	10	10	0	0	0	3.86
37	Scott Bakkum	4	3	3	2	1	0	20.3	26	17	13	3	8	9	1	0	0	5.75
31	Eric Slagle	3	3	0	1	1	0	11.3	13	12	8	2	10	6	1	3	0	6.35
43	Jason Karrmann	1	0	0	0	0	0	4.0	5	6	4	0	5	2	0	0	0	9.00
22	Jeff Schmidt	3	3	0	0	3	0	12.7	18	17	14	1	18	12	0	3	1	9.95
21	Chris Lawler	3	0	0	0	0	0	.3	1	2	1	0	2	0	0	2	0	27.00
35	Brent Davis	1	0	0	0	0	0	.3	0	2	2	0	2	0	1	0	0	54.00
TOTAL		12	12	5	5	7	0	77.0	81	68	51	7	57	44	3	8	1	5.96
OPPONENTS		12	12	2	7	5	0	84.0	93	59	44	6	47	66	5	4	0	4.71

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OPPONENT	MN	OPP	INN	TYPE	PLACE
Arizona	3	2	10	N	Feb. 6, 2:00 p.m. Tucson, AZ
Arizona	0	9	9	N	Feb. 8, 1:30 p.m., Tucson, AZ
Arizona	8	3	9	N	Feb. 8, 5:00 p.m., Tucson, AZ
Mississippi	2	6	9	N	Feb.21, 2:00 p.m. Oxford, MS
Mississippi	8	5	9	N	Feb.22, 2:00 p.m., Oxford, MS
Mississippi	5	0	9	N	Feb. 23, 1:15 p.m., Oxford, MS
FLORIDA ST.	1	3	9	N	Feb. 28, 7:35 p.m., Metrodome
MISSISSIPPI ST.	4	8	9	N	Feb. 29, 2:00 p.m. Metrodome
TEXAS A&M	9	8	7	N	March 1, 1:15 p.m., Metrodome
BALL STATE	2	0	9	N	Mar. 6, 7:00 p.m., Metrodome
BALL STATE	3	2	9	N	Mar.7, 7:00 p.m. Metrodome
BALL STATE	14	0	9	N	Mar. 8, 1;00 p.m. Metrodome
MISSOURI	7	6	12	N	March 13,4:00 p.m. Metrodome
MISSOURI	6	7	7	N	March 13, 8:40 p.m. Metrodome
MISSOURI	8	6	9	N	March 15, 1:00 p.m. Metrodome
Kentucky	8	11	10	N	3/24/94 Lexington, KY
Kentucky	4	5	9	N	3/25/92 Lexington, KY
Marshall	1	3	9	N	March 26, 4:00 p.m., Hunington, WV
Ohio State	9	6	7	L	3/27 Columbus, OH
Ohio State	7	15	7	L	3/28/92 Columbus, Ohio
Ohio State	4	5	7	L	3/28/92 Columbus, Ohio
Ohio State	6	12	7	L	02/29/92, 1:00 p.m. Columbus, OH
BETHEL COLLEGE	20	1	7	N	3/31/92, 2:30 p.m. Siebert Field
SOUTHWEST STATE	24	7	9	N	4/1/92, 2:00 p.m. Siebert Field
Purdue	3	9	7	L	4/4/92, West Lafayette, IN
Purdue	11	2	7	L	4/4/92, West Lafayette, IN
Purdue	2	4	7	L	4/5/92, West Lafayette, IN
Purdue	0	3	7	L	4/5/92, West Lafayette, IN
ST. CLOUD STAT E	18	2	9	N	4/9/92 2:00 p.m. Siebert Field
Michigan	4	8	7	L	4/11/92 1:00 p.m. Ann Arbor MI
Michigan	5	1	7	L	4/11/92 3:14 p.m. Ann Arbor, MI
Michigan	4	1	7	L	4/12/92 1:00 p.m. Ann Arbor, MI
Michigan	4	2	7	L	4/12/92 3:48 p.m. Ann Arbor, MI

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NAME	GP	AB	RUN	HIT	RBI	AVG	SO	BB	HBP	TAB	%OB	TB	%SLG	SH	ATT	†
Charlie Nelson	31	92	30	35	18	.380	12	27	0	119	.521	48	.522	3	0	---
Adam Sobocienski	21	55	8	20	17	.364	5	6	0	61	.426	24	.436	0	2	.000
George Behr	31	112	23	40	31	.357	17	11	0	123	.415	58	.518	0	0	---
Ryan Lefebvre	28	94	19	33	5	.351	12	17	0	111	.450	39	.415	3	1	3.000
Darren Grass	23	60	9	19	21	.317	13	4	2	66	.379	33	.550	0	0	---
Darren Schwankl	30	84	14	26	9	.310	12	14	1	99	.414	34	.405	1	0	---
Mark Merila	32	92	31	26	19	.283	10	40	1	133	.504	39	.424	0	1	.000
Brian Hartmann	28	83	12	23	13	.277	12	6	2	91	.341	36	.434	0	0	---
Keith Krenke	33	108	20	27	20	.250	17	18	0	126	.357	49	.454	1	1	1.000
Bill Mobilia	33	100	19	22	9	.220	30	15	4	119	.345	27	.270	3	1	3.000
LESS THAN 49 AT BATS																
Shane McCarthy	10	10	3	4	2	.400	3	2	0	12	.500	5	.500	0	0	---
Tom Doyle	13	38	6	11	0	.289	10	3	0	41	.341	13	.342	0	0	---
Mark Vandersall	12	18	8	5	7	.278	5	2	0	20	.350	10	.556	0	0	---
Steve Calvert	23	48	8	12	11	.250	9	11	0	59	.390	16	.333	2	0	---
Mike Oster	5	4	1	1	3	.250	1	1	1	6	.500	1	.250	0	0	---
Tony Bender	17	30	3	6	4	.200	7	3	1	34	.294	6	.200	1	1	1.000
Scott Bakkum	9	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
John Lowery	9	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Chris Lawler	9	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Eric Slagle	8	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Jeff Schmidt	8	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
J.T. Glibert	7	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Eric Porter	7	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Brent Davis	6	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Andy Hammerschmidt	4	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
James Brower	4	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Jason Karrmann	3	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
David Anderson	2	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
TOTAL	33	1028	214	310	189	.302	175	180	12	1220	.411	438	.426	14	7	2.000
OPPONENTS	33	993	162	265	142	.267	178	146	9	1148	.366	376	.379	18	7	2.571

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NO	NAME	GP	AB	RUN	HIT	2B	3B	HR	TB	SB-ATT	SH	SF	HBP	BB	SO	RBI	WRBI	AVG	PO	A	E	PCT.	
06	Charlie Nelson	31	92	30	35	6	2	1	48	12	19	3	0	0	27	12	18	3	.380	43	3	1	.979
01	Adam Sobocienski	21	55	8	20	4	0	0	24	0	0	0	3	0	6	5	17	1	.364	0	0	0	---
40	George Behr	31	112	23	40	9	0	3	58	4	7	0	1	0	11	17	31	2	.357	203	13	3	.986
15	Ryan Lefebvre	28	94	19	33	2	2	0	39	8	11	3	1	0	17	12	5	1	.351	65	0	0	1.000
25	Darren Grass	23	60	9	19	5	0	3	33	1	2	0	3	2	4	13	21	1	.317	83	8	3	.968
10	Darren Schwankl	30	84	14	26	5	0	1	34	5	7	1	1	1	14	12	9	0	.310	25	23	4	.923
03	Mark Merila	32	92	31	26	7	0	2	39	7	10	0	3	1	40	10	19	3	.283	70	79	5	.968
17	Brian Hartmann	28	83	12	23	4	0	3	36	1	4	0	1	2	6	12	13	0	.277	99	10	0	1.000
16	Keith Krenke	33	108	20	27	5	1	5	49	2	2	1	2	0	18	17	20	2	.250	49	5	4	.931
07	Bill Mobilia	33	100	19	22	5	0	0	27	4	8	3	0	4	15	30	9	1	.220	50	94	9	.941
LESS THAN 49 AT BATS																							
11	Shane McCarthy	10	10	3	4	1	0	0	5	0	0	0	1	0	2	3	2	1	.400	6	0	0	1.000
28	Tom Doyle	13	38	6	11	2	0	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	3	10	0	0	.289	37	2	0	1.000
18	Mark Vandersall	12	18	8	5	2	0	1	10	1	1	0	1	0	2	5	7	1	.278	0	0	0	---
33	Steve Calvert	23	48	8	12	4	0	0	16	0	1	2	0	0	11	9	11	1	.250	23	18	3	.932
02	Mike Oster	5	4	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	3	0	.250	0	1	0	1.000
09	Tony Bender	17	30	3	6	0	0	0	6	0	1	1	0	1	3	7	4	1	.200	11	21	6	.842
37	Scott Bakkum	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	4	4	0	1.000
27	John Lowery	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	2	7	1	.900
21	Chris Lawler	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---
31	Eric Slagle	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	3	5	1	.889
22	Jeff Schmidt	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	4	8	0	1.000
32	J.T. Gilbert	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	4	0	1.000
30	Eric Porter	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	2	0	1.000
35	Brent Davis	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	3	0	1.000
34	Andy Hammerschmidt	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	1	0	1.000
19	James Brower	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	1	0	1.000
43	Jason Karrmann	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	2	1	0	1.000
23	David Anderson	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---
TEAM TOTAL		33	1028	214	310	61	5	19	438	45	73	14	17	12	180	175	189	18	.302	782	313	40	.965
OPPONENTS		33	993	162	265	36	3	23	376	36	52	18	9	9	146	178	142	12	.267	793	344	35	.970

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NO	NAME	GP	ST	CG	WON	LST	SAV	IP	HITS	RUNS	ERUN	HR	BB	SO	HP	WP	BK	ERA	
30	Eric Porter	8	0	0	1	0	0	17.0	12	5	2	1	11	10	0	1	0	1.06	
19	James Brower	4	3	0	2	0	0	13.7	11	3	3	1	11	9	0	1	1	1.98	
32	J.T. Gilbert	7	0	0	0	0	1	14.0	10	5	4	0	12	8	2	2	1	2.57	
34	Andy Hammerschmidt	5	1	0	1	1	0	10.7	9	5	4	0	4	4	0	1	0	3.38	
31	Eric Slagle	9	5	0	3	2	0	33.0	37	19	14	3	19	26	3	3	0	3.82	
37	Scott Bakkum	11	8	5	4	3	0	55.3	60	32	27	7	13	33	1	0	0	4.39	
27	John Lowery	10	5	2	2	3	0	40.3	40	28	22	4	20	25	1	5	0	4.91	
21	Chris Lawler	10	1	0	1	1	1	10.7	7	7	6	2	8	15	0	2	0	5.06	
43	Jason Karrmann	3	0	0	0	0	0	7.0	7	6	4	0	5	4	0	0	0	5.14	
22	Jeff Schmidt	9	9	0	2	4	0	43.3	52	34	27	1	27	33	0	5	1	5.61	
11	Shane McCarthy	2	0	0	0	0	0	3.0	4	2	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	6.00	
35	Brent Davis	7	1	0	2	1	0	10.3	10	12	8	1	12	10	2	1	0	6.97	
23	David Anderson	2	0	0	0	0	0	3.0	6	4	4	1	2	1	0	0	0	12.00	
NON-TEAM																			-1
TOTAL		33	33	7	18	15	2	261.3	265	162	126	23	146	178	9	21	3	4.34	
OPPONENTS		33	33	5	15	18	0	267.0	310	214	167	19	180	175	12	23	1	6.30	

MURRELL LEADS TRACK & FIELD TEAM TO RUNNER-UP FINISH AT NEBRASKA INVITATIONAL; DRAKE RELAYS NEXT

Junior All-American **Chris Murrell** (Grand Island, Neb.) captured his third straight Nebraska Invitational high jump title to help propel Head Coach Roy Griak's Golden Gopher men's track & field team to a runner-up finish in the final team standings at the six-team competition in Lincoln, Neb., last Saturday.

Final Team Standings: 1. Nebraska 198 2. MINNESOTA 91 3. Southwest Missouri State 89 4. Colorado State 75 5. Kansas State 71 6. Missouri 47.

Three-For-Three: A native of nearby Grand Island, Neb., Chris Murrell leaped 6-10 3/4 to take the top spot in the high jump last Saturday. Nebraska's Petar Malesev also jumped 6-10 3/4, but Murrell won on fewer misses. He won the event with a leap of 7-1 as a freshman in 1990 and then again a year ago with a jump of 6-10 3/4.

School Record For Rodvold: In the javelin, junior **Chad Rodvold** (Williston, N.D.) broke his own University of Minnesota school record with a fourth-place throw of 213-2. He had set the previous record of 206-2 back on March 25 at the Texas Quadrangular meet.

Looking Good: The Golden Gophers' also turned in four runner-up finishes in Saturday's competition. Senior All-American **Mark Lacy** (Oak Brook, Ill.) finished second in the shot put with an outdoor personal-best toss of 59-0, a throw which puts him third on the all-time school outdoor best performers list in the event. NCAA indoor champion Kevin Coleman of Nebraska won the event with a mark of 61-9. Sophomore **Chris Brinkworth** (Bloomington, Minn.) placed second behind Nebraska's Andy Meyer (193-9) in the discus with a personal-best heave of 175-3. That throw is also third on the all-time school best performers list. On the track, junior **Kirk Dyer** (San Jose, Calif.) finished second to Travis Grant of Nebraska (10.65) in the 100 meters with a clocking of 10.78, and then joined senior **Tim Arinze** (Festac Town, Lagos, Nigeria), freshman **Keita Cline** (Gainesville, Fla.) and junior **Tyrone Minor** (St. Paul, Minn.) on the Golden Gophers' runner-up 400 meter relay team which placed second behind Nebraska (40.63) with a time of 41.26.

Drake Relays Next: After a week off from competition, the Golden Gophers will compete at the prestigious Drake Relays in Des Moines, Iowa, April 24-25.

Big Ten Championships: The University of Minnesota will host the men's and women's Big Ten Outdoor Championships May 22-23 at the world-class Bierman Track & Field Stadium.

MCDONALD NAMED GOLDEN GOPHER BASKETBALL MVP

Sophomore guard **Arriel McDonald** (Raleigh, N.C.) was honored as the most valuable player of the University of Minnesota basketball squad at the team's awards banquet held last Thursday at the Marriott City Center in Minneapolis.

An honorable mention All-Big Ten selection, McDonald's outstanding play was a big factor in the success of the Golden Gophers this past season. Head Coach Clem Haskins' youthful squad finished 16-16 overall (8-10 Big Ten) and landed a spot in the NIT, the program's third post-season appearance in the past four years.

McDonald registered a season-high 22 points in the 76-57 victory over Wisconsin at Williams Arena on March 4 and scored in double figures in each of the team's final nine games of the season. He also tallied 18 points in the 71-67 upset win over Indiana at home over Indiana on Feb. 12 and prior to that, nailed the game-winning shot with one second remaining to give the Golden Gophers an important 57-55 road victory at Northwestern on Feb. 1. The 6-foot-2, 165-pounder finished the season ranked second on the team in scoring with an average of 11 points a game. In addition, he registered a team-leading 120 assists (3.8), while committing only 61 (1.9) turnovers.

With 246 career assists through two seasons, McDonald has already moved into eighth-place on the school's all-time list. Darryl Mitchell (1978-82) is seventh with 247. If McDonald continues at his present pace, he will shatter Marc Wilson's (1983-86) career record of 375.

The complete list of awards handed out at the team's banquet is as follows:

Most Valuable Player: **Arriel McDonald**
1991-92 Captain: **Dana Jackson** (Chicago)
Senior Player: **Bob Martin** (Apple Valley, Minn.)
Senior Managers: **Guy Andrews** (Richmond, Ky.), **Tom Ostrom** (Faribault, Minn.)
Best Free Throw Percentage: **Voshon Lenard** (Detroit) (81.2 percent, 82-101)
Assist Leader: **Arriel McDonald** (120, 3.8 apg)
Outstanding Academic Achievement Award: **Ernest Nzigamasabo** (Bujumbura, Burundi - Africa)
Academic Award - Most Improved: **Townsend Orr** (Dolton, Ill.)
Most Improved Player: **Chad Kolander** (Owatonna, Minn.)
Rebounds - Most Rebounds: **Bob Martin** (163)
Rebounds - Best Average: **Randy Carter** (Memphis, Tenn.) (5.6)
Best Defensive Player: **Nate Tubbs** (Fort Wayne, Ind.)
Hustle Award: **Jayson Walton** (Dallas)

GOLF TEAM FINISHES THIRD AT INDIANA INVITATIONAL; FIRESTONE INVITATIONAL IS UP NEXT

The University of Minnesota men's golf team finished third at the Indiana Invitational this past weekend in Bloomington. The Gophers shot 300-292-308=900, 16 strokes back of the winner Iowa, which shot 884. Senior **Terry O'Loughlin** (Maplewood, Minn.) and Junior **Joe Gullion** (San Antonio, Tex.) tied for fourth individually at 221 to pace the Maroon and Gold. Gullion fired rounds of 74-73-74=221, while O'Loughlin shot 72-73-76=221.

Senior Captain **Dave Carothers** (Owatonna, Minn.) was the other top 15 finisher for the Gophers. Carothers fired 76-72-79=227 for the tourney. The Gophers have finished in the top five in six out of the eight tournaments they have competed in this year and have been in the top 10 in seven of those tournaments, winning two of them (Walter McGlaughlin Invitational and Arkansas State Invitational).

Up Next: The Golden Gophers travel to Akron, Ohio to participate in the Firestone Invitational. Last year the Gophers finished fifth at the Firestone with a three round total of 906. This tournament is very important in that many of the teams competing in the tournament are from the same district as the Gophers.

OLIMB NAMED GOLDEN GOPHER HOCKEY MVP

Senior Larry Olimb was named winner of the John Mariucci Most Valuable Player award today at the 1992 Golden Gopher hockey awards banquet at the Metrodome Hilton.

Olimb, a Hobey Baker Award finalist and an ALL-WCHA first-team choice, broke the Minnesota career assists record that was previously held by John Mayasich. Olimb, who registered 24 goals and 56 assists this season to lead Head Coach Doug Woog's squad to a 33-11 overall record and the regular season WCHA crown, tallied 159 assists in his four-year stint for the Gophers, giving him 218 career points. He is the only member of the Golden Gophers' 200 point club to have played half of his career at defense.

The complete list of awards is listed below:

Mike Crupi-Most Determined Player Award: Scott Bell
 Dr. V.G. Nagobads Unsung Hero Award: Cory Laylin
 Frank Pond Rookie of the Year Award: Darby Hendrickson
 John Mayasich Outstanding Student Athlete Award: Sean Fabian
 Elwin "Doc" Romnes Leadership and Sportsmanship Award: Doug Zmolek
 John Mariucci Most Valuable Player Award: Larry Olimb

GOLDEN GOPHER GYMNASTS TAKE THIRD AT EASTERN REGIONALS; NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS IN LINCOLN UP NEXT

The Golden Gopher gymnastics team finished third at the NCAA Eastern Regional tournament in Iowa City, Iowa, over the weekend. Ohio State finished first with 286.80 points, Iowa was second with 282.55 points, Minnesota was next with 282.40 points and Penn State finished fourth with 280.75 points. The top four teams advance to the NCAA tournament along with the top four teams from the Western Regional (Nebraska, Stanford, Brigham Young and UCLA) held in Albuquerque, New Mexico, over the weekend. The NCAA Gymnastics Championships will be held April 23-25, at the Bob Devaney Sports Center in Lincoln, Neb. Senior **Leif Carlson** (Bloomington, Minn.) won the parallel bars competition by matching his season-high score of 9.70 and junior **John Roethlisberger** (Afton, Minn.) won the horizontal bar event with a 9.75. **Kerry Huston** (Spring Tex.) led the Golden Gophers in the all-around as he finished 10th with a score of 56.25. Adam Carton of Penn State won the event with a score of 57.75.

SEASON HIGHS

Name	FX	PH	SR	V	PB	HB	AA
Korey Bannerman	8.95	---	9.55	9.00	---	---	---
Tony Brough	---	---	---	---	9.70	---	---
Leif Carlson	9.60	9.70	9.40	9.30	9.70	9.85	56.05
Rob Hanson	---	9.75	9.85	9.25	9.70	9.85	---
Bo Haun	9.15	9.45	9.50	9.45	9.30	9.70	54.95
Kerry Huston	9.75	9.40	9.60	9.80	9.45	9.60	57.20
Louie Johnson	9.20	7.85	---	9.05	8.25	---	---
Brian Ottenhoff	9.20	9.00	9.45	9.05	9.10	9.80	54.70
John Roethlisberger	9.85	9.75	9.75	9.75	9.75	9.80	58.20
Brian Yee	9.70	9.60	9.35	9.50	9.25	9.45	55.15
Team Totals	47.40	47.35	47.80	47.30	47.60	48.45	284.60



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COMING EVENTS:**Tuesday, April 21**

Baseball vs. St. Thomas
4:00 p.m., Siebert Field

Wednesday, April 22

Baseball vs. Mankato State
3:00 p.m., Siebert Field

Thursday, April 23

Gymnastics @ NCAA
Championships, Lincoln, Neb.

Friday, April 24

Baseball vs. Northwestern
7:00 p.m., Siebert Field
Tennis vs. Purdue
2:00 p.m., 98th Street Racquet Club
Gymnastics @ NCAA
Championships, Lincoln, Neb.
Track @ Drake Relays
9:00 a.m., Des Moines, Iowa

Saturday, April 25

Baseball vs. Northwestern (2)
1:00 p.m. & 6:00 p.m., Siebert Field
Tennis vs. Illinois
6:30 p.m., 98th Street Racquet Club
Gymnastics @ NCAA
Championships, Lincoln, Neb.
Track @ Drake Relays
8:45 a.m., Des Moines, Iowa

*****SPECIAL NOTE*****

The annual Spring Football Game will follow the first game of the baseball doubleheader at 3:30 p.m.

Sunday, April 26

Baseball vs. Northwestern
1:00 p.m., Siebert Field

1992 BASEBALL SCHEDULE

Feb. 6	UM 3, Arizona 2 (10 innings)	April 5	UM 2, Purdue 4
Feb. 8	UM 0, Arizona 9	April 5	UM 0, Purdue 3
Feb. 8	UM 8, Arizona 3	April 8	UM 18, St. Cloud St. 2
Feb. 21	UM 2, Mississippi 6	April 11	UM4, Michigan 8
Feb. 22	UM 8, Mississippi 5	April 11	UM 5, Michigan 1
Feb. 23	UM 5, Mississippi 0	April 12	UM 4, Michigan 1
Feb. 28	UM 1, Florida State 3	April 12	UM 4, Michigan 2
Feb. 29	UM 4, Mississippi St. 8	April 15	UM 6, St. Olaf 5 (10 innings)
March 1	UM 9, Texas A&M 8	April 17	UM 2, Illinois 1
March 6	UM 2, Ball State 0	April 18	UM 12, Illinois 14
March 7	UM 3, Ball State 2	April 18	UM 10, Illinois 4
March 8	UM 14, Ball State 0	April 19	UM 13, Illinois 5
March 13	UM 7, Missouri 6 (12 innings)	April 21	vs. St. Thomas
March 13	UM 6, Missouri 7	April 22	vs. Mankato St.
March 15	UM 8, Missouri 6	April 24	vs. Northwestern
March 24	UM 8, Kentucky 11 (10 innings)	April 25	vs. Northwestern (2)
March 25	UM 4, Kentucky 5	April 26	vs. Northwestern
March 26	UM 1, Marshall 3	April 28	vs. No. Dakota
March 27	UM 9, Ohio State 6	April 29	vs. St. Thomas
March 28	UM 7, Ohio State 15	May 1	vs. Penn State
March 28	UM 4, Ohio State 5	May 2	vs. Penn State (2)
March 29	UM 6, Ohio State 12	May 3	vs. Penn State (2)
March 31	UM 20, Bethel 1	May 6	@ Iowa State
April 1	UM 24, Southwest St. 7	May 7	vs. Concordia
April 4	UM 3, Purdue 9	May 8	vs. Iowa
April 4	UM 11, Purdue 2	May 9	vs. Iowa (2)
		May 10	vs. Iowa
		May 14-18	Big Ten Tournament

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Mon., April 20 - Tennis Coach David Geatz previews matches with Purdue & Illinois
Tue., April 21 - Track & Field Coach Roy Griak previews the Drake Relays
Wed., April 22 - Gymnastics Coach Fred Roethlisberger previews the NCAAs
Thurs., April 23 - Golf Coach John Means previews the Spartan Invitational
Fri., April 24 - Football Coach Jim Wacker previews the Spring Game

GOPHERS FINISH BIG TEN ROAD SWING; WIN THREE OF FOUR AT ILLINOIS TO BRING RECORD TO 8-8 GOING INTO HOME OPENER VS. NORTHWESTERN

John Anderson's Golden Gopher baseball team finished a grueling 16 game Big Ten road swing this past weekend at Illinois. Minnesota now closes the Big Ten season with 12 straight games at Siebert Field starting with the Big Ten home opener on Friday night against Northwestern at 7:00 p.m. The Gophers play a split doubleheader on Saturday, 1:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m., before finishing the series on Sunday at 1:00 p.m. Before the Wildcats hit town, the Gophers take on a pair of tough local teams in St. Thomas and Mankato State University. The St. Thomas game is slated for 4:00 p.m. Tuesday, while the Mankato State game is set for 3:00 p.m. Wednesday, with both games at Siebert Field.

Next Up: The Wildcats were the surprise team last year when they got hot late in the season and made the Big Ten tournament, earning Head Coach Paul Stevens Coach of the Year honors. This year the Wildcats have struggled. Last weekend they were swept at home by Michigan State and their record fell to 3-13 in Big Ten play and 11-25 overall. Stevens has a 116-143-4 overall record in four-plus seasons at Northwestern. His team will come to Siebert Field looking to get back on the winning track.

Veteran Staff: The Gophers veteran pitching staff has put it all together the last two weekends. The staff has received two complete game wins out of senior **Scott Bakkum** (LaCrosse, Wis.) in the last two weekends and strong performances out of **Jeff Schmidt** (LaCrosse, Wisc.) and senior **Eric Porter** (Barrington, Ill.). Both of the latter pitchers picked up impressive wins at Illinois this past weekend. Senior **John Lowery** (Shepherdstown, W. Va.) has looked good with a win in two appearances, and junior **Eric Slagle** (Barrington, Ill.) picked up his third win of the year at Michigan. The anticipated depth of the staff is beginning to show results. With the return of senior lefty **Brent Davis** (Minnetonka, Minn.) expected this week, the staff is armed to make a run at the Big Ten title and NCAA post-season play. This staff had a big impact on the Gophers' being chosen as an at-large team last year and participating in the West I Regional in Los Angeles.

Oh What a Schedule: The Gophers have always faced one of the toughest schedules in the country and this year is no different. With 25 of their first 38 games on the road, including their first 16 Big Ten games, this schedule is no cake walk. Nine of Minnesota's 16 losses have come at the hands of top 25 teams. The road portion of the Big Ten slate is over and the Maroon and Gold survived. The Gophers are two games back of the leaders with 12 straight Big Ten home games left, and 17 of their final 18 games at Siebert Field. Last year the Gophers were 11-6 at home, while the previous year they were 18-2 at Siebert Field, including a Big Ten record 16 straight conference wins. The schedule shows Northwestern, Penn State and Iowa visiting the friendly confines of Siebert Field. This strong strength of schedule will raise some eye on the NCAA selection committee and could prove the difference and help the Gophers return to the NCAA tournament for the second straight year.

Sobo Shines: Senior designated hitter **Adam Sobocienski** (Barrington, Ill.) had another outstanding weekend batting .400 with six RBIs and his first two career home runs. Sobocienski has 24 RBIs in 68 at bats and leads the team in hitting at .382. His timely hitting has brought home key runs in many games this season. He is another of the veteran role players who have stepped forward in the past two weeks to help the team.

Merila Regains Form: All-American candidate **Mark Merila** (Plymouth, Minn.) has regained his form of a year ago and is now ready to lead the Gophers back into the hunt for the Big Ten crown. Merila had struggled at the plate early in the season. With All-American Brent Gates gone, he was not getting the quality pitches he saw a year ago. With 18 regular season games left he has been issued 45 walks, just five shy of the Minnesota single-season record. This past weekend Merila was the key offensive player for the Gophers as he batted .636 with five walks, six runs scored, and four RBIs. He posted six extra base hits, (4 doubles, 2 home runs) and had an on base percentage of .750. Last year's Big Ten Freshman of the Year, he is a strong candidate for post-season awards again this year.

Schwankl at the Hot Corner: Third base has been a weak spot for the past two years for the Gophers, but that has now changed. Junior **Darren Schwankl** (Burnsville, Minn.) has been outstanding at third. Schwankl is batting .378 in the Big Ten with 17 hits and two doubles to lead the team. This converted outfielder, who was an all-tournament selection last year, has thrust himself into the running for post-season honors at third base.

Lead Off Combo: The Gophers sport one of the best lead off tandems in the country in **Charlie Nelson** (Perham, Minn.) and All-American candidate **Ryan Lefebvre** (Los Angeles). Nelson is batting .361 with an on base percentage of .511 with 12 stolen bases. Lefebvre is batting .322 with an on base percentage of .418 and eight stolen bases. With 57 runs scored between them, they make up a dangerous combo once they get loose on the basepaths.

Big Boy: George "Big Boy" **Behr** (Maplewood, Minn.) continues to drive the ball for the Maroon and Gold. The big first baseman leads the team in RBIs with 38 and is second on the team in batting at .364. His 11 doubles, and 70 total bases also lead the team. The Gophers need this timely power hitting if they are to contend for a spot in post-season play.

Big Ten Freshman of the Year: Last year second baseman **Mark Merila** won the Freshman of the Year Award and it looks like the Gophers have another strong candidate in **Darren Grass** (St. Paul, Minn.). The redshirt catcher has taken over the position of the ailing **Brian Hartmann** (Arlington, Minn.). Grass is batting .324 in conference games with two doubles and three home runs. He has now started 11 straight games and improves defensively with each appearance. He looks like he will be another in the Minnesota tradition of fine catchers.

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OPPONENT	MN	OPP	INN	TYPE	PLACE
Arizona	3	2	10	N	Feb. 6, 2:00 p.m. Tucson, AZ
Arizona	0	9	9	N	Feb. 8, 1:30 p.m., Tucson, AZ
Arizona	8	3	9	N	Feb. 8, 5:00 p.m., Tucson, AZ
Mississippi	2	6	9	N	Feb.21, 2:00 p.m. Oxford, MS
Mississippi	8	5	9	N	Feb.22, 2:00 p.m., Oxford, MS
Mississippi	5	0	9	N	Feb. 23, 1:15 p.m., Oxford, MS
FLORIDA ST.	1	3	9	N	Feb. 28, 7:35 p.m., Metrodome
MISSISSIPPI ST.	4	8	9	N	Feb. 29, 2:00 p.m. Metrodome
TEXAS A&M	9	8	7	N	March 1, 1:15 p.m., Metrodome
BALL STATE	2	0	9	N	Mar. 6, 7:00 p.m., Metrodome
BALL STATE	3	2	9	N	Mar.7, 7:00 p.m. Metrodome
BALL STATE	14	0	9	N	Mar. 8, 1:00 p.m. Metrodome
MISSOURI	7	6	12	N	March 13,4:00 p.m. Metrodome
MISSOURI	6	7	7	N	March 13, 8:40 p.m. Metrodome
MISSOURI	8	6	9	N	March 15, 1:00 p.m. Metrodome
Kentucky	8	11	10	N	3/24/92 Lexington, KY
Kentucky	4	5	9	N	3/25/92 Lexington, KY
Marshall	1	3	9	N	March 26, 4:00 p.m., Hunington, WVA
Ohio State	9	6	7	L	3/27 Columbus, OH
Ohio State	7	15	7	L	3/28/92 Columbus, Ohio
Ohio State	4	5	7	L	3/28/92 Columbus, Ohio
Ohio State	6	12	7	L	02/29/92, 1:00 p.m. Columbus, OH
BETHEL COLLEGE	20	1	7	N	3/31/92, 2:30 p.m. Siebert Field
SOUTHWEST STATE	24	7	9	N	4/1/92, 2:00 p.m. Siebert Field
Purdue	3	9	7	L	4/4/92, West Lafayette, IN
Purdue	11	2	7	L	4/4/92, West Lafayette, IN
Purdue	2	4	7	L	4/5/92, West Lafayette, IN
Purdue	0	3	7	L	4/5/92, West Lafayette, IN
ST. CLOUD STAT E	18	2	9	N	4/9/92 2:00 p.m. Siebert Field
Michigan	4	8	7	L	4/11/92 1:00 p.m. Ann Arbor MI
Michigan	5	1	7	L	4/11/92 3:14 p.m. Ann Arbor, MI
Michigan	4	1	7	L	4/12/92 1:00 p.m. Ann Arbor, MI
Michigan	4	2	7	L	4/12/92 3:48 p.m. Ann Arbor, MI
ST OLAF	6	5	9	N	4/15/92 2:00 p.m. Siebert Field
Illinois	2	1	7	L	4/17/92 Champaign, IL
Illinois	12	14	7	L	4/18/92 Champaign, IL
Illinois	10	4	7	L	4/18/92 Champaign, IL
Illinois	13	5	7	L	4/19/92, 1:00 p.m. Champaign, Ill

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NAME	GP	AB	RUN	HIT	RBI	AVG	SO	BB	HBP	TAB	%OB	TB	%SLG	SH	ATT	%
Adam Sobocienski	25	68	11	26	24	.382	6	7	0	75	.440	36	.529	0	2	.000
George Behr	36	129	28	47	38	.364	20	14	0	143	.427	70	.543	0	0	---
Charlie Nelson	36	108	34	39	21	.361	12	33	0	141	.511	54	.500	3	0	---
Ryan Lefebvre	33	115	23	37	5	.322	14	18	1	134	.418	43	.374	3	1	3.000
Mark Merila	37	108	39	34	23	.315	11	45	1	154	.519	56	.519	1	1	1.000
Brian Hartmann	32	92	16	28	16	.304	13	7	2	101	.366	44	.478	0	0	---
Darren Schwankl	35	96	18	29	10	.302	13	16	1	113	.407	37	.385	1	0	---
Darren Grass	28	74	10	21	23	.284	18	5	3	82	.354	38	.514	0	0	---
Bill Mobilia	38	119	23	32	14	.269	33	15	4	138	.370	40	.336	3	1	3.000
Keith Krenke	38	127	25	33	25	.260	19	20	0	147	.361	61	.480	1	1	1.000
LESS THAN 57 AT BATS																
Shane McCarthy	11	11	4	5	2	.455	3	3	0	14	.571	6	.545	0	0	---
Tom Doyle	13	38	6	11	0	.289	10	3	0	41	.341	13	.342	0	0	---
Mark Vandersall	12	18	8	5	7	.278	5	2	0	20	.350	10	.556	0	0	---
Steve Calvert	26	50	8	13	11	.260	9	12	0	62	.403	17	.340	2	0	---
Mike Oster	5	4	1	1	3	.250	1	1	1	6	.500	1	.250	0	0	---
Tony Bender	18	33	3	6	4	.182	9	3	1	37	.270	6	.182	1	1	1.000
Scott Bakkum	11	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
John Lowery	10	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Chris Lawler	10	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Eric Slagle	9	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Jeff Schmidt	9	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Eric Porter	8	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
J.T. Gilbert	7	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Brent Davis	6	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Andy Hammerschmidt	5	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
James Brower	5	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Jason Karrmann	4	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
David Anderson	2	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
TOTAL	38	1190	257	367	226	.308	196	204	14	1408	.415	532	.447	15	7	2.143
OPPONENTS	38	1139	191	305	168	.268	200	163	10	1312	.364	442	.388	19	9	2.111

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01	Adam Sobocienski	25	68	11	26	4	0	2	36	0	0	0	3	0	7	6	24	1	.382	0	0	0	---
40	George Behr	36	129	28	47	11	0	4	70	4	7	0	1	0	14	20	38	2	.364	237	15	3	.988
06	Charlie Nelson	36	108	34	39	6	3	1	54	12	20	3	0	0	33	12	21	3	.361	48	3	2	.962
15	Ryan Lefebvre	33	115	23	37	2	2	0	43	8	14	3	1	1	18	14	5	1	.322	81	0	0	1.000
03	Mark Merila	37	108	39	34	10	0	4	56	7	10	1	3	1	45	11	23	3	.315	79	95	5	.972
17	Brian Hartmann	32	92	16	28	5	0	4	45	1	4	0	1	2	7	13	16	2	.304	100	10	0	1.000
10	Darren Schwankl	35	96	18	29	5	0	1	37	6	8	1	1	1	16	13	10	1	.302	29	27	6	.903
25	Darren Grass	28	74	10	21	5	0	4	38	1	2	0	3	3	5	18	23	1	.284	106	9	4	.966
07	Bill Mobilia	38	119	23	32	5	0	1	40	5	9	3	0	4	15	33	14	2	.269	55	103	9	.946
16	Keith Krenke	38	127	25	33	6	1	7	62	2	2	1	2	0	20	19	25	2	.260	56	5	4	.938
LESS THAN 57 AT BATS																							
11	Shane McCarthy	11	11	4	5	1	0	0	6	0	0	0	1	0	3	3	2	1	.455	11	0	0	1.000
28	Tom Doyle	13	38	6	11	2	0	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	3	10	0	0	.289	37	2	0	1.000
18	Mark Vandersall	12	18	8	5	2	0	1	10	1	1	0	1	0	2	5	7	1	.278	0	0	0	---
33	Steve Calvert	26	50	8	13	4	0	0	17	0	1	2	0	0	12	9	11	1	.260	23	19	3	.933
02	Mike Oster	5	4	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	3	0	.250	0	1	0	1.000
09	Tony Bender	18	33	3	6	0	0	0	6	0	1	1	0	1	3	9	4	1	.182	12	23	6	.854
37	Scott Bakkum	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	4	5	0	1.000
27	John Lowery	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	2	7	1	.900
21	Chris Lawler	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---
31	Eric Slagle	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	3	5	1	.889
22	Jeff Schmidt	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	7	9	0	1.000
30	Eric Porter	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	3	0	1.000
32	J.T. Gilbert	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	4	0	1.000
35	Brent Davis	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	3	0	1.000
34	Andy Hammerschmidt	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	2	0	1.000
19	James Brower	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	2	0	1.000
43	Jason Karrmann	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	2	3	0	1.000
23	David Anderson	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---
TEAM TOTAL		38	1190	257	367	68	6	29	534	47	79	15	17	14	204	196	226	22	.308	895	355	44	.966
OPPONENTS		38	1139	191	305	41	3	30	442	44	62	19	11	10	163	200	168	13	.268	906	386	42	.969

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NO	NAME	GP	ST	CG	WON	LST	SAV	IP	HITS	RUNS	ERUN	HR	BB	SO	HP	WP	BK	ERA	
30	Eric Porter	9	0	0	2	0	0	20.0	13	5	2	1	11	11	0	1	0	.90	
34	Andy Hammerschmidt	6	1	0	2	1	0	14.7	9	5	4	0	4	8	0	1	0	2.45	
32	J.T. Gilbert	7	0	0	0	0	1	14.0	10	5	4	0	12	8	2	2	1	2.57	
19	James Brower	5	4	0	2	0	0	15.7	14	7	7	1	15	10	0	1	1	4.02	
43	Jason Karrmann	4	0	0	0	0	0	11.0	11	7	5	0	7	5	0	0	0	4.09	
37	Scott Bakkum	13	9	6	5	3	1	63.3	70	37	32	9	14	38	1	1	0	4.55	
31	Eric Slagle	10	6	0	3	2	0	35.0	42	25	18	5	21	27	3	4	0	4.63	
22	Jeff Schmidt	10	10	0	3	4	0	49.3	53	35	28	1	31	37	0	6	1	5.11	
27	John Lowery	11	6	2	2	3	0	44.3	48	32	26	4	22	27	1	5	0	5.28	
21	Chris Lawler	11	1	0	1	2	1	13.7	12	11	10	4	10	18	0	3	0	6.59	
35	Brent Davis	7	1	0	2	1	0	10.3	10	12	8	1	12	10	2	1	0	6.97	
23	David Anderson	2	0	0	0	0	0	3.0	6	4	4	1	2	1	0	0	0	12.00	
11	Shane McCarthy	3	0	0	0	0	0	4.0	7	6	6	3	2	0	1	0	0	13.50	
NON-TEAM																			-1
TOTAL		38	38	8	22	16	3	298.3	305	191	153	30	163	200	10	25	3	4.62	
OPPONENTS		38	38	6	16	22	1	304.7	367	257	227	29	204	196	14	28	1	6.71	

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NO	NAME	GP	AB	RUN	HIT	2B	3B	HR	TB	SB-ATT	SH	SF	HBP	BB	SO	RBI	WRBI	AVG	PO	A	E	PCT.	
	UNKNOWN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---	
10	Darren Schwankl	15	45	10	17	2	0	0	19	3	3	0	0	1	4	5	2	0	.378	12	16	3	.903
07	Bill Mobilia	16	42	8	15	1	0	1	19	1	3	2	0	2	5	13	9	1	.357	24	36	2	.968
03	Mark Merila	16	44	18	15	5	0	3	29	3	3	1	1	1	16	6	7	1	.341	21	38	2	.967
40	George Behr	16	52	12	17	3	0	1	23	1	2	0	0	0	7	10	11	0	.327	91	9	0	1.000
25	Darren Grass	14	37	4	12	2	0	3	23	1	1	0	1	1	10	13	1	.324	46	0	1	.979	
01	Adam Sobocienski	14	38	6	12	1	0	2	19	0	0	0	2	0	5	4	16	0	.316	0	0	0	---
28	Tom Doyle	4	10	2	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	.300	14	0	0	1.000	
15	Ryan Lefebvre	15	47	8	13	2	0	0	15	1	2	2	1	1	7	8	3	0	.277	35	0	0	1.000
16	Keith Krenke	16	51	9	14	1	0	2	21	0	0	0	0	5	11	9	1	.275	19	2	3	.875	
06	Charlie Nelson	16	47	14	12	0	2	1	19	3	6	2	0	0	14	6	7	1	.255	26	2	2	.933
18	Mark Vandersall	3	4	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	.250	0	0	0	---	
17	Brian Hartmann	13	26	7	6	1	0	2	13	0	0	0	0	1	3	7	5	2	.231	25	3	0	1.000
09	Tony Bender	6	16	1	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	5	1	1	.188	6	9	4	.789	
33	Steve Calvert	11	14	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	3	4	0	0	.071	11	4	2	.882
11	Shane McCarthy	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	---
37	Scott Bakkum	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	5	0	1.000
31	Eric Slagle	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	2	2	1	.800
30	Eric Porter	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	2	0	1.000
27	John Lowery	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	3	0	1.000
22	Jeff Schmidt	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	5	4	0	1.000
21	Chris Lawler	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---
35	Brent Davis	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---
43	Jason Karrmann	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	0	0	1.000
34	Andy Hammerschmidt	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---
32	J.T. Gilbert	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	1	0	1.000
TEAM TOTAL		16	474	103	141	18	2	15	208	13	20	9	5	7	70	93	84	8	.297	340	136	20	.960
OPPONENTS		16	410	92	114	19	1	14	177	24	28	6	5	4	68	60	82	5	.278	336	131	21	.957

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NO	NAME	GP	ST	CG	WON	LST	SAV	IP	HITS	RUNS	ERUN	HR	BB	SO	HP	WP	BK	ERA
34	Andy Hammerschmidt	1	0	0	0	0	0	.3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.00
30	Eric Porter	5	0	0	2	0	0	11.7	8	2	1	0	2	6	0	0	0	.77
27	John Lowery	4	4	2	1	2	0	22.7	19	14	12	1	12	12	0	0	0	4.76
37	Scott Bakkum	6	4	4	3	1	1	28.3	36	22	18	5	9	14	1	1	0	5.72
22	Jeff Schmidt	4	4	0	1	3	0	18.7	19	18	15	1	22	16	0	4	1	7.23
31	Eric Slagle	4	4	0	1	1	0	13.3	18	18	12	4	12	7	1	4	0	8.10
43	Jason Karrmann	1	0	0	0	0	0	4.0	5	6	4	0	5	2	0	0	0	9.00
21	Chris Lawler	4	0	0	0	1	0	3.3	6	6	5	2	4	3	0	3	0	13.50
11	Shane McCarthy	2	0	0	0	0	0	1.3	3	4	4	1	0	0	1	0	0	27.00
35	Brent Davis	1	0	0	0	0	0	.3	0	2	2	0	2	0	1	0	0	54.00
TOTAL		16	16	6	8	8	1	104.0	114	92	73	14	68	60	4	12	1	6.32
OPPONENTS		16	16	3	8	8	1	112.0	136	96	79	15	66	86	7	8	0	6.35

GOLDEN GOPHERS HEADED TO NCAA GYMNASTICS CHAMPIONSHIPS

The Golden Gopher gymnastics team will take part in the eight team NCAA National Championships this weekend in Lincoln, Neb., at the Bob Devaney Sports Center. Preliminary team and individual competition will begin at 7:00 p.m., on Thursday April 23. The finals of the team competition will be held Friday April 24 at 7:00 p.m. On Saturday, April 25, the all-around finals will start at 2:00 p.m., and the individual event finals will begin at 7:00 p.m. The Golden Gopher gymnastics team finished third at the NCAA Eastern Regional tournament in Iowa City, Iowa, April 11. Ohio State finished first with 286.80 points, Iowa was second with 282.55 points, Minnesota was next with 282.40 points and Penn State finished fourth with 280.75 points. The top four teams advance to the NCAA tournament along with the top four teams from the Western Regional (Nebraska, Stanford, Brigham Young and UCLA) held in Albuquerque, New Mexico. Senior **Leif Carlson** (Bloomington, Minn.) won the parallel bars competition by matching his season-high score of 9.70 and junior **John Roethlisberger** (Afton, Minn.) won the horizontal bar event with a 9.75. **Kerry Huston** (Spring Tex.) led the Golden Gophers in the all-around as he finished 10th with a score of 56.25. Adam Carton of Penn State won the event with a score of 57.75.

17th-RANKED GOPHER NETTERS 8-0 IN BIG TEN PLAY

Coach David Geatz and his 17th-ranked Golden Gophers completed a five-match road trip by winning all five legs including two wins this past weekend at Wisconsin and Northwestern. The Golden Gophers are now 16-4 overall, and 8-0 in the Big Ten.

On Saturday the Gophers stormed past the Badgers, 7-2, in Madison. Minnesota won the top three singles matches and all three doubles contests. **Brian Uihlein** (Sr., Lake Forest, Ill.) notched his 19th win of the season with a hard-fought three-set victory over Bryan Nelson, 7-5, 5-7, 7-6. **Mehdi Benyebka** (Jr., Oran Algeria) and **Rick Naumoff** (Jr., Columbus, Ohio) also needed three sets to tally wins for the Golden Gophers. Benyebka beat Joey Deer, 7-6, 3-6, 6-4, while Naumoff went the distance with Dan Naberduck winning, 5-7, 6-4, 6-4.

An Easter Sunday match with the Northwestern Wildcats threatened the Gophers undefeated status and put the squad's mettle to the test. Uihlein and Benyebka lost at Nos. 1 and 2, respectively, while Naumoff scored his 24th win of the season which leads the team in victories. Minnesota picked-up a crucial win at No. 6 when **Ross Loel** (Fr., Rancho La Costa, Calif.) beat **Eric Blakeman** in three sets, 3-6, 6-3, 6-1. After singles Northwestern led 4-2, but once again the Gophers were saved by their outstanding doubles corps, which rallied to win all three matches and give Minnesota a 5-4 win. Uihlein and **Adam Krafft** (So., Saginaw, Mich.) improved their seasons record to 19-2 (4-0) with a three set win over **Goria Payes** and **Marc Eisen**, 4-6, 6-4, 6-4.

Minnesota closes out the regular season with an afternoon match on Friday (2:00 p.m.) with Purdue, and a Saturday evening (6:30 p.m.) meeting with Illinois. Both matches will be held at the 98th Street Racquet Club in Bloomington, Minn.

Probables for matches with Purdue and Illinois

Singles:

- #1: Brian Uihlein - 19-11 (5-2)
- #2: Mehdi Benyebka - 7-2 (4-1)
- #3: Rick Naumoff - 24-12 (6-2)
- #4: Adam Krafft - 14-7 (6-2) or Paul Pridmore - 10-8 (3-0)
- #5: Phil LeBlanc - 11-4 (4-2) or Grant Julian 10-2 (2-0)
- #6: Ross Loel - 22-8 (5-3)

Doubles:

- #1: Krafft/Uihlein - 19-2 (4-0)
- #2: Anderson/Hlushko - 17-6 (7-0)
- #3: LeBlanc/Loel - 7-0 (3-0) or Benyebka/Pridmore - 0-2 (0-0)

GOLF TEAM FINISHES 15TH AT FIRESTONE INVITATIONAL; TAKE A WEEK OFF BEFORE DEFENDING SPARTAN INVITATIONAL TITLE

The University of Minnesota men's golf team finished 15th at the rain-shortened Firestone Invitational this past weekend in Akron, Ohio. Minnesota fired a team score of 460, 15 strokes off the winner, Wisconsin. The Maroon and Gold were led by senior **Rick Kuhn** (Bismarck, N.D.) who posted a 27 hole score of 112, good for 23rd.

The team has a week off before traveling to East Lansing, Mich., to defend their 1991 Spartan Invitational title.

TRACK & FIELD TEAM SET FOR DRAKE RELAYS THIS WEEKEND

Head Coach Roy Griak's track & field squad will have a total of 18 athletes compete at the prestigious Drake Relays in Des Moines, Iowa, on Friday and Saturday.

The Schedule (Subject to Change)

Friday, April 24

8:00 a.m. 5000 Meter Run, Section One: Mark Gonzales (Fr., LaHabra, Calif.)
 9:20 a.m. 4 x 100 Meter Relay Prelims: Tim Arinze (Sr., Festic Town, Lagos, Nigeria), Keita Cline (Fr., Gainesville, Fla.), Tyrone Minor (Jr., St. Paul, Minn.), Kirk Dyer (Jr., San Jose, Calif.)
 11:10 a.m. Sprint Medley Relay Prelims: Kirk Dyer, Keita Cline, Norris Williams (So., Milwaukee), Jason Max (Fr., Minnetonka, Minn.)
 Noon Pole Vault Prelims: Martin Eriksson (So., Stockholm, Sweden)
 1:00 p.m. Javelin Prelims & Finals: Jason Cole (So., Shelby, Mont.), Chad Rodvold (Jr., Williston, N.D.)
 2:00 p.m. Discus Prelims & Finals: Chris Brinkworth (So., Bloomington, Minn.), Mark Lacy (Sr., Oak Brook, Ill.)
 2:24 p.m. 100 Meter Dash Prelims: Tim Arinze, Kirk Dyer
 2:30 p.m. Long Jump Prelims & Finals: Tyrone Minor, Dan Savitt (Sr., Plymouth, Minn.)

Saturday, April 25

Noon Triple Jump Prelims & Finals: Keita Cline, Tyrone Minor
 1:00 p.m. Pole Vault Final
 1:00 p.m. High Jump Prelims & Finals: Chris Murrell (Jr., Grand Island, Neb.), Matt Burns (So., Cedar Rapids, Iowa)
 1:00 p.m. Shot Put Prelims & Finals: Chris Brinkworth, Chad Goldstein (Jr., St. Louis Park, Minn.), Mark Lacy
 1:54 p.m. 100 Meter Dash Final
 2:53 p.m. 4 x 100 Meter Relay Final
 3:27 p.m. 3000 Meter Steeplechase Final: Doug Milkowski (Jr., Stevens Point, Wis.)
 4:06 p.m. Sprint Medley Relay Final
 4:19 p.m. 800 Meter Run Final: Jason Max, Norris Williams
 4:35 p.m. 1500 Meter Run Final: Sean Fitzgerald (Sr., Ottawa, Ontario, Canada)

A Look Back At Last Year: Chris Murrell captured the high jump title to highlight a number of outstanding performances for the Golden Gophers at the 1991 Drake Relays. An event-by-event look back (with 1992 Drake Relays returnees in bold) follows:

100 Meters	5th	Kirk Dyer	10.70
		DNP	Tim Arinze
1500 Meters	5th	Sean Fitzgerald	3:47.90
	10th	Mark Narveson	3:49.58
5000 Meters	DNP	Curt Kotsonas	15:02.14
	DNP	Chris Berg	15:06.0
3000 Meter Steeplechase	5th	Chris Harder	9:10.03
10,000 Meters	7th	Keith Eidman	30:49.33
	15th	Doug Milkowski	31:29.9
Sprint Medley Relay	2nd	Kirk Dyer	3:21.13
		Tim Arinze	
		Norris Williams	
		Steve Scarince	
Shot Put	5th	Chad Goldstein	56-2 1/2
	8th	Mark Lacy	53-5
Discus	2nd	Mark Lacy	169-9
	18th	Chad Goldstein	154-8
High Jump	1st	Chris Murrell	7-1
	DNP	Matt Burns	NH

Pole Vault	6th	Justin Daler	16-8
	DNP	Martin Eriksson	NH
Javelin	14th	Chad Rodvold	178-10
	16th	Jason Cole	174-4

Past Winners: The Golden Gophers have won a total of 27 (3 relay, 24 individual) Drake Relays titles, with the last victory coming a year ago when Chris Murrell won the high jump with a leap of 7-1. The last relay win came in 1955 when the 440 yard relay consisting of Bill Garner, Jack Dryer, Burie Carmichael and Harry Nash won with a 41.3 clocking. The list of Minnesota Drake Relays winners follows:

440 Yard Relay:

1955 - Bill Garner, Jack Dryer, Burie Carmichael, Harry Nash, 41.3

480 Yard Shuttle Hurdle Relay:

1933 - Graydon Kilborn, Fred LaRoque, Henry Knoblauch, Chuck Scheifley, 1:02.5

Two Mile Relay:

1912 - Names Not Available, 8:10.2

120 Yard High Hurdles:

1922 - Karl Anderson, 15.4

1923 - John Towler, 15.2

1933 - Chuck Scheifley, 15.0

1960 - David Odegard, 13.9

440 Yard Hurdles:

1948 - Lee Hofacre, 52.7

5000 Meters:

1978 - Steve Plasencia, 13:53.61

Shot Put:

1947 - Fortune Gordien, 51-6 7/8

1958 - Bob Henry, 55-9

1985 - Ron Backes, 61-8 1/4

1986 - Ron Backes, 67-10 3/4

Discus:

1924 - Carl Schjoll, 128-5 1/2

1942 - Bob Fitch, 159-6

1948 - Fortune Gordien, 165-5

1949 - Bryl Thompson, 170-3

1950 - Bryl Thompson, 158-6 1/8

Long Jump:

1945 - Ray Tharp, 22-5 5/8

High Jump:

1967 - Thomas Stuart, 6-8

1991 - Chris Murrell, 7-1

Pole Vault:

1928 - Elton Hess, 12-10

1929 - George Otterness, 13-4 5/8

1942 - Jack DeField, 13-5 3/4

1948 - Harry Cooper, 13-9 3/4

1949 - Harry Cooper, 14-0

Javelin:

1924 - Carl Schjoll, 196-9

Last Time Out: Junior All-American Chris Murrell captured his third straight Nebraska Invitational high jump title with a leap of 6-10 3/4 to help propel Head Coach Roy Griak's Golden Gophers to a runner-up finish in the final team standings at the six team competition in Lincoln, Neb., on April 11.

Minnesota Invitational: Following the Drake Relays, the Golden Gophers will host the co-ed Minnesota Classic beginning at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, May 2, at the world-class Bierman Track & Field Stadium.

Big Ten Championships: The University of Minnesota will host the men's and women's Big Ten Outdoor Championships May 22-23 at the Bierman Track & Field Stadium.

BOON SIGNS WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA

The University of Minnesota cross country/track & field program has announced the signing of Jason Boon of Park High School in Cottage Grove, Minn., to a national letter of intent.

Boon, who is coached at Park by former Golden Gopher star and Big Ten champion Mike Moran, captured the Minnesota State Class AA cross country title last fall with a time of 15:51.2 over the 8,000 meter course. He also won the 800 meter crown as a junior at the 1991 Minnesota State Class AA Track & Field Championships with a clocking of 1:54.94.

As a sophomore in 1990, Boon was runner-up in the 800 meters at the state track & field meet to Minnetonka's Jason Max, now a standout middle-distance performer for the Golden Gophers. In the classroom, Boon will graduate this spring in the top one percent of his graduating class. He has already been accepted into the electrical engineering honors program at the University of Minnesota.

"Jason has the complete package," said Golden Gopher Head Coach Roy Griak. "He is both an outstanding athlete and an outstanding student. We're very excited that he will become a member of our program next year."

BAKER & WASHINGTON SIGN WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA

Kevin Baker, a 6-foot-6 forward from St. Francis De Sales High School in Toledo, Ohio, and David Washington, a 6-foot-10 forward/center from Hutchinson (Kan.) Community College and Albion (Mich.) High School, have signed national basketball letters of intent to attend the University of Minnesota.

Baker averaged 22 points and eight rebounds a game as a senior this past season, while shooting 60 percent from the field and 72 percent from the free throw line. He scored a season-high 35 points against Detroit Southwestern on Jan. 26. During his prep career, he scored 849 points, while shooting 59 percent from the field and 70 percent from the charity stripe.

Honored as the Toledo City Player of the Year this past season, Baker was also District 7 Player of the Year and a second-team All-Ohio selection, a Nike Invitational Camp selection, a Street & Smiths pre-season honorable mention choice and a McDonald's All-America Team nominee. As a junior, he was an all-city and all-district selection, while being named to the honorable mention all-state team. In addition, he was a member of the Toledo Area AAU team that advanced to the final 16 of the national tournament in Las Vegas last summer. A National Honor Society member, he has recorded an impressive 3.70 GPA in the classroom.

"Kevin is a very athletic player who will really help our perimeter game," said Golden Gopher Head Coach Clem Haskins. "He is also an exceptional student who is interested in studying pre-med."

Washington averaged nine points and five rebounds a game last season to help lead Hutchinson to a 27-7 overall record. He connected on 52 percent of his field goal attempts. A graduate of Albion (Mich.) High School where he was coached by Golden Gopher assistant coach Milton Barnes, he averaged 15 points and 10 rebounds a game during his final prep campaign when he was honored as an all-conference, all-state and honorable mention All-America selection. Albion finished second at the Michigan State Class B Tournament that season after claiming league, district and regional titles along the way.

"David is a fine young man who has unlimited potential," Haskins said. "He possesses excellent quickness and speed for a player of his size and we feel that he will be an excellent addition to the frontcourt players already in our program."

Baker and Washington will join early signee Trevor Winter, a 7-foot, 245-pound center from Slayton (Minn.) High School, in Gold Country next season.

"We have signed three quality student-athletes this year in Kevin, David and Trevor," Haskins said. "They will be welcome additions to our program at the University of Minnesota."

GOLDEN GOPHER SPRING SPORTS DAY SET FOR SATURDAY

The University of Minnesota football and baseball teams will highlight the Golden Gopher Spring Sports Day on Saturday at the Bierman Athletics Complex. The event is sponsored by University Bookstores and WCCO Radio.

Head Coach John Anderson's baseball squad will sandwich a doubleheader against Big Ten rival Northwestern at Siebert Field around the football team's annual spring football game at the Bierman Track & Field Stadium. The baseball games will start at 1:00 and 6:00 p.m., with new Head Coach Jim Wacker's football squad scheduled to take the field at 3:30 p.m.

Tickets are \$4 at the gate and are good for all three games. Season ticket holders were mailed coupons good for two admissions. Fans are urged to park in the 4th Street ramp and cross the walk-over bridge to enter the stadium. The baseball games will be broadcast live on KFAN (1130 AM) with Chad Hartman, Eric Nelson and Greg Harrington calling the action. The football game will be broadcast live on WCCO (830 AM), with Ray Christensen and Paul Flatley being joined in the booth by Coach Wacker.

In addition, Coach Wacker and his staff will conduct a coaches clinic on Friday and Saturday at the Football Complex. Registration begins at 7:30 a.m. on Friday with the clinic starting promptly at 9:00 a.m. The cost is \$20. For more information contact the football office at (612) 624-6004. The baseball team will also play Northwestern in single games at Siebert Field beginning at 7:00 p.m. on Friday and 1:00 p.m. Sunday.

For more information, contact the Golden Gopher Ticket Office at (612) 624-8080.



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U OF M HONORS SCHOLAR-ATHLETES

More than 100 male student-athletes at the University of Minnesota were honored Monday night for outstanding achievement in the classroom at the annual Scholar-Athlete Recognition ceremonies at Scott Hall on the U of M campus.

Top Five Award recipients, student-athletes with the five highest cumulative grade point averages in the department who are in at least their third year of college, included **Scott Schaffner**, a fifth-year senior in football majoring in business administration with a cumulative GPA of 3.66; **David Anderson**, a fourth-year senior in baseball majoring in economics with a GPA of 3.67; **Daniel LeCloux**, a fourth-year junior in track and cross country with a GPA of 3.74; **Christian Schmid**, a fourth-year junior in track and cross country majoring in chemical engineering with a GPA of 3.76; and **Derek Howatt**, a fourth-year senior in swimming majoring in aerospace engineering with a GPA of 3.91.

Additional scholar-athlete award winners in baseball with a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 were David Anderson, Tony Bender, Jason Karrmann, Kerry Lightenberg, Shane McCarthy, Jason Roland, Darren Schwankl and Mark Vandersall.

Similar awards in football went to Toby Anderson, Frank Brixius, Michael Brown, Michael Chalberg, Chris Cohen, Justin Conzemius, Omar Douglas, Shawn Ehrich, Chris Fowlkes, Robert Gray, Ted Harrison, Paul Hopewell, Todd Jesewitz, Scott Koelfgen, Andrew Lawrence, Anthony Levine, Robert Lewis, Dan LiSanti, Scott Marston, Ken McClintock, Jeff Rosga, Scott Schaffner, Clint Schmidt, Robert Smith, Joel Staats and Lance Wolkow.

Honored from the golf team were Richard Grand, Joseph Gullion, Mark Hanson, Michael McKee and Robert Otterson. Gymnastic team honorees included Anthony Brough, Burton Haun, Fred Moeller, John Roethlisberger and Brian Yee.

Hockey team members honored were Mark Bahr, Jeff Callinan, Jesse Carlson, Jon Engfer, Sean Fabian, Paul Gustafson, Peter Helgeson, Darby Hendrickson, Justin McHugh, Chris McLaughlin and Nicholas Meyer.

Swimming and diving scholar-athletes included Alan Boelk, Matthew Boston, Matthew Brown, Chris Carlisle, Paul Domer, Can Ergenekan, Chad Erpelding, Travis Fischer, John Haas, Lance Haile, Eric Haseman, Darren Heydanek, Michael Hinchcliffe, Derek Howatt, Eric Jones, Paul Kaump, Andrew Kurtz, Robert McDonnell, Tim Oaks, Tom Salisbury, Michael Schoknecht, Michael Sime, Scott Tripps and Steve Wozniak.

Ryan Wolf was a basketball award winner as were Roger Anderson, Grant Julian and Philippe LeBlanc from the tennis team. Track and field or cross country team members honored were Matthew Burns, Keita Cline, Jason Cole, Martin Eriksson, Michael Fitzgerald, Daniel Fumo, Mark Gonzales, Mark Kalar, Todd Klapperich, Daniel LeCloux, Jason Max, Tyrone Minor, Mark Narveson, Fred Paulsen, Michael Pederson, Daniel Savitt, Christian Schmid, Jay Schmitt, Ross Thompson and Bawill Tucker.

Honorees from the wrestling team were Scott Anderson, Eric Daugherty, Eric Folkins, Scott Rohrer and Joseph Russell.

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GOPHER NINE ADDS GAME WITH CONCORDIA

The University of Minnesota has added Concordia College of St. Paul to its 1992 baseball schedule. The game is scheduled for 4:00 on Tuesday, April 28, at Siebert Field. This will be the Gophers' first meeting with the Comets.

The Golden Gophers (28-16) were originally slated to play the University of North Dakota on April 28, but the Fighting Sioux were forced to cancel their trip to Minneapolis because they needed to make up a game that was rained out. The game with the Fighting Sioux will not be re-scheduled.



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COMING EVENTS:**Tuesday, April 28**

Baseball vs. Concordia (St. Paul)

4:00 p.m., Siebert Field

Wednesday, April 29

Baseball vs. St. Thomas

7:00 p.m., Siebert Field

Friday, May 1

Baseball vs. Penn State

7:00 p.m., Siebert Field

Tennis @ Big Ten Championships

11:00 a.m., Madison, Wis.

Saturday, May 2

Baseball vs. Penn State (2)

4:00 p.m., Siebert Field

Track & Field holds Minnesota

Classic, 11:00 a.m., Bierman Field

Golf @ Spartan Invitational

All Day, East Lansing, Mich.

Tennis @ Big Ten Championships

TBA, Madison, Wis.

Sunday, May 3

Baseball vs. Penn State

1:00 p.m., Siebert Field

Golf @ Spartan Invitational

All Day, East Lansing, Mich.

Tennis @ Big Ten Championships

TBA, Madison, Wis.

1992 BASEBALL SCHEDULE

Feb. 6	UM 3, Arizona 2 (10 innings)	April 5	UM 2, Purdue 4
Feb. 8	UM 0, Arizona 9	April 5	UM 0, Purdue 3
Feb. 8	UM 8, Arizona 3	April 8	UM 18, St. Cloud St. 2
Feb. 21	UM 2, Mississippi 6	April 11	UM 4, Michigan 8
Feb. 22	UM 8, Mississippi 5	April 11	UM 5, Michigan 1
Feb. 23	UM 5, Mississippi 0	April 12	UM 4, Michigan 1
Feb. 28	UM 1, Florida State 3	April 12	UM 4, Michigan 2
Feb. 29	UM 4, Mississippi St. 8	April 15	UM 6, St. Olaf 5 (10 innings)
March 1	UM 9, Texas A&M 8	April 17	UM 2, Illinois 1
March 6	UM 2, Ball State 0	April 18	UM 12, Illinois 14
March 7	UM 3, Ball State 2	April 18	UM 10, Illinois 4
March 8	UM 14, Ball State 0	April 19	UM 13, Illinois 5
March 13	UM 7, Missouri 6 (12 innings)	April 21	UM 7, St. Thomas 2
March 13	UM 6, Missouri 7	April 22	UM 8, Mankato St. 0
March 15	UM 8, Missouri 6	April 24	UM 7, Northwestern 0
March 24	UM 8, Kentucky 11 (10 innings)	April 25	UM 7, Northwestern 6
March 25	UM 4, Kentucky 5	April 25	UM 17, Northwestern 1
March 26	UM 1, Marshall 3	April 26	UM 5, Northwestern 4
March 27	UM 9, Ohio State 6	April 28	vs. Concordia (St. Paul)
March 28	UM 7, Ohio State 15	April 29	vs. St. Thomas
March 28	UM 4, Ohio State 5	May 1	vs. Penn State
March 29	UM 6, Ohio State 12	May 2	vs. Penn State (2)
March 31	UM 20, Bethel 1	May 3	vs. Penn State (2)
April 1	UM 24, Southwest St. 7	May 6	@ Iowa State
April 4	UM 3, Purdue 9	May 7	vs. Concordia
April 4	UM 11, Purdue 2	May 8	vs. Iowa
		May 9	vs. Iowa (2)
		May 10	vs. Iowa
		May 14-18	Big Ten Tournament

GOLDEN GOPHER HOTLINE: 612-625-7887

Mon., April 27 - Golf Coach John Means previews the Spartan Invitational
Tue., April 28 - Golf Coach John Means previews the Spartan Invitational
Wed., April 29 - Tennis Coach David Geatz previews the Big Ten Championships
Thurs., April 30 - Baseball Coach John Anderson previews the Penn State series
Fri., May 1 - Track & Field Coach Roy Griak previews the Minnesota Challenge

GOPHERS SWEEP WILDCATS, HOST TWO NON-CONFERENCE GAMES BEFORE RESUMING BIG TEN PLAY WITH PENN STATE THIS WEEKEND

John Anderson's Golden Gopher baseball team took a big step towards achieving its third consecutive Big Ten Tournament appearance by sweeping a four-game series with Northwestern at Siebert Field this past weekend. The Gophers out-scored the Wildcats 36-11, but it took two seventh inning rallies to gain the four-game sweep. The sweep increased Minnesota's overall record to 28-16, 12-8 in the Big Ten. The Gophers have now won eight straight games, and 14 of their last 16 games, while notching a sparkling 8-0 record at Siebert Field. Last year the Gophers were 9-4 in regular season games in the month of May. With six teams within two games of first place the Big Ten race will go down to the final week before it is decided.

Weekend Recap: The Gophers won the opener in a convincing manner with a 8-0 complete game shutout by senior Scott Bakkum (LaCrosse, Wis.). Saturday's split doubleheader had the Wildcats jumping out to a 4-0 lead in the first game, before the Gophers battled back to win the game in the bottom of the seventh inning on freshman outfielder Mark Vandersall's two RBI single. In the nightcap, the Gophers exploded for five runs in the first inning and never looked back, scoring 17 runs on 15 hits, including three home runs, two by first baseman George Behr (Maplewood, Minn.). Behr's first career grand slam was the big hit in the first inning. On Sunday, the Maroon and Gold scored four runs in the first inning to get off to a fast start, but they were their only runs until the bottom of the seventh when senior Brian Hartmann (Arlington, Minn.) drove in sophomore shortstop Bill Mobilia (Ely, Minn.) with a sacrifice fly to win the game.

Next Up: The Gophers will play host to the Nittany Lions of Penn State. This will be the first meeting between the two teams. Penn State is coached by Joe Hindelang, who is in his second year at the helm and his 15th year as a collegiate coach. He holds a 44-41 overall record at Penn State. Last year the Nittany Lions won the Atlantic Ten conference west division title with a 11-5 record and a 25-20 overall mark. This is the first year that the Nittany Lions have competed as a Big Ten school. They have a 19-21 overall record and a 6-14 Big Ten mark. Last weekend the Lions split a four-game series with Indiana at University Park.

Oh What a Schedule: The Gophers have always faced one of the toughest schedules in the country and this year is no different. With 25 of their first 38 games on the road, including their first 16 Big Ten games, this schedule is no cake walk. Nine of Minnesota's 16 losses have come at the hands of top 25 teams. The road portion of the Big Ten slate is over and the Maroon and Gold survived. The Gophers are one game back of the leader with 8 straight Big Ten home games left, and 11 of their final 12 games at Siebert Field. The Gophers are unbeaten at Siebert this year, while last year the Gophers were 11-6 at home, and the previous year they were 18-2 at Siebert Field, including a Big Ten record 16 straight conference wins. The schedule shows Penn State and Iowa visiting the friendly confines of Siebert Field. This strength of schedule will raise some eyes on the NCAA selection committee and could help the Gophers return to the NCAA tournament for the second straight year.

Big Behr on a Tear: Junior George Behr has been on a hot streak for the Maroon and Gold of late. The big first baseman had a great weekend against the Wildcats when he batted .545 (6-11) with six runs scored, two doubles, three home runs, driving in nine RBIs. He leads the team in almost every offensive category, including RBIs (46), doubles (13), home runs (7) and total bases (88). His timely power hitting will be a key in the team's run for a post-season berth.

Veteran Staff: The Gophers pitching staff, which has five seniors and three juniors, is loaded with talent and experience and it's beginning to pay dividends. Scott Bakkum is the ace of the staff, with a 6-3 record and seven complete games in 10 starts. He leads the Big Ten in innings pitched (70.3) and his strikeout to walk ratio is excellent (49-16). Junior starters Eric Slagle (Barrington, Ill.) and Jeff Schmidt (LaCrosse, Wis.) are pitching very well. Last weekend Slagle pitched a one-hit complete game victory over the Wildcats. In addition, senior leftys John Lowery (Shepherdstown, W. Va.) and Brent Davis (Minnetonka, Minn.) have been pitching well, and add to that four solid relievers, and this talented deep staff is going to be a force down the stretch for the Gophers.

Merila Regains Form: All-American candidate Mark Merila (Plymouth, Minn.) has regained his form of a year ago and is now ready to lead the Gophers back into the hunt for the Big Ten crown. Merila had struggled at the plate early in the season. With All-American Brent Gates gone, he was not getting the quality pitches he saw a year ago. With 14 regular season games left he has been issued 47 walks, just four shy of the Minnesota single-season record. The past two weekends Merila has been one of the key offensive players for the Gophers. In the past two weekends he has batted .500 (13-26), had seven walks, scored 10 runs, hit seven doubles, two home runs and has driven in eight RBIs. Last year's Big Ten Freshman of the Year, he is a strong candidate for post-season awards again this year.

Schwankl at the Hot Corner: Third base has been a weak spot for the past two years for the Gophers, but that has now changed. Junior Darren Schwankl (Burnsville, Minn.) has been outstanding at third. Schwankl is batting .368 in the Big Ten with 21 hits and three doubles to lead the team. This converted outfielder, who was an all-tournament selection last year, has thrust himself into the running for post-season honors at third base.

Lead Off Combo: The Gophers sport one of the best lead off tandems in the country in outfielders Charlie Nelson (Perham, Minn.) and All-American candidate Ryan Lefebvre (Los Angeles). Nelson is batting .344 with an on base percentage of .491 with 15 stolen bases. Lefebvre is batting .343 with an on base percentage of .439 and 11 stolen bases. With 69 runs scored between them, they make up a dangerous combo once they get loose on the basepaths.

1992 Minnesota BASEBALL RESULTS
Includes League games & Non-league games

OPPONENT	MN	OPP	INN	TYPE	PLACE
Arizona	3	2	10	N	Feb. 6, 2:00 p.m. Tucson, AZ
Arizona	0	9	9	N	Feb. 8, 1:30 p.m., Tucson, AZ
Arizona	8	3	9	N	Feb. 8, 5:00 p.m., Tucson, AZ
Mississippi	2	6	9	N	Feb.21, 2:00 p.m. Oxford, MS
Mississippi	8	5	9	N	Feb.22, 2:00 p.m., Oxford, MS
Mississippi	5	0	9	N	Feb. 23, 1:15 p.m., Oxford, MS
FLORIDA ST.	1	3	9	N	Feb. 28, 7:35 p.m., Metrodome
MISSISSIPPI ST.	4	8	9	N	Feb. 29, 2:00 p.m. Metrodome
TEXAS A&M	9	8	7	N	March 1, 1:15 p.m., Metrodome
BALL STATE	2	0	9	N	Mar. 6, 7:00 p.m., Metrodome
BALL STATE	3	2	9	N	Mar.7, 7:00 p.m. Metrodome
BALL STATE	14	0	9	N	Mar. 8, 1:00 p.m. Metrodome
MISSOURI	7	6	12	N	March 13,4:00 p.m. Metrodome
MISSOURI	6	7	7	N	March 13, 8:40 p.m. Metrodome
MISSOURI	8	6	9	N	March 15, 1:00 p.m. Metrodome
Kentucky	8	11	10	N	3/24/94 Lexington, KY
Kentucky	4	5	9	N	3/25/92 Lexington, KY
Marshall	1	3	9	N	March 26, 4:00 p.m., Hunington, WVA
Ohio State	9	6	7	L	3/27 Columbus, OH
Ohio State	7	15	7	L	3/28/92 Columbus, Ohio
Ohio State	4	5	7	L	3/28/92 Columbus, Ohio
Ohio State	6	12	7	L	02/29/92, 1:00 p.m. Columbus, OH
BETHEL COLLEGE	20	1	7	N	3/31/92, 2:30 p.m. Siebert Field
SOUTHWEST STATE	24	7	9	N	4/1/92, 2:00 p.m. Siebert Field
Purdue	3	9	7	L	4/4/92, West Lafayette, IN
Purdue	11	2	7	L	4/4/92, West Lafayette, IN
Purdue	2	4	7	L	4/5/92, West Lafayette, IN
Purdue	0	3	7	L	4/5/92, West Lafayette, IN
ST. CLOUD STAT E	18	2	9	N	4/9/92 2:00 p.m. Siebert Field
Michigan	4	8	7	L	4/11/92 1:00 p.m. Ann Arbor MI
Michigan	5	1	7	L	4/11/92 3:14 p.m. Ann Arbor, MI
Michigan	4	1	7	L	4/12/92 1:00 p.m. Ann Arbor, MI
Michigan	4	2	7	L	4/12/92 3:48 p.m. Ann Arbor, MI
ST OLAF	6	5	9	N	4/15/92 2:00 p.m. Siebert Field
Illinois	2	1	7	L	4/17/92 Champaign, IL
Illinois	12	14	7	L	4/18/92 Champaign, IL
Illinois	10	4	7	L	4/18/92 Champaign, IL
Illinois	13	5	7	L	4/19/92, 1:00 p.m. Champaign, Ill
ST. THOMAS	7	2	9	N	4/21/92, 4:00 p.m. Metrodome
MANKATO STATE	8	0	9	N	4/22/92, 3:00 p.m. Metrodome
NORTHWESTERN	7	0	7	L	4/24/92 7:00 p.m. Siebert Field
NORTHWESTERN	7	6	7	L	4/26/92 1:00 p.m. Siebert Field
NORTHWESTERN	17	1	7	L	4/25/92 6:05 p.m. Siebert Field
NORTHWESTERN	5	4	7	L	4/26/92 1:00 P.M. Siebert Field

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NAME	GP	AB	RUN	HIT	RBI	AVG	SO	BB	HBP	TAB	%OB	TB	%SLG	SH	ATT	%
George Behr	42	145	37	54	46	.372	22	17	0	162	.438	88	.607	0	0	---
Adam Sobocienski	30	79	12	28	25	.354	8	11	0	90	.433	38	.481	0	2	1.000
Charlie Nelson	42	125	38	43	24	.344	12	35	1	161	.491	58	.464	4	1	4.000
Ryan Lefebvre	39	134	31	46	7	.343	16	22	1	157	.439	57	.425	3	1	3.000
Brian Hartmann	36	98	21	32	18	.327	13	10	2	110	.400	50	.510	0	0	---
Mark Merila	43	129	44	41	31	.318	11	47	1	177	.503	68	.527	2	2	1.000
Darren Schwankl	41	114	21	36	11	.316	13	17	1	132	.409	45	.395	1	0	---
Darren Grass	34	90	15	26	31	.289	19	8	4	102	.373	47	.522	0	0	---
Bill Mobilia	44	137	27	37	15	.270	36	18	4	159	.371	47	.343	3	1	3.000
Keith Krenke	44	144	26	37	28	.257	20	20	1	165	.352	67	.465	1	1	1.000
LESS THAN 66 AT BATS																
Shane McCarthy	13	11	5	5	2	.455	3	3	0	14	.571	6	.545	0	0	---
Mike Oster	6	5	2	2	3	.400	1	1	1	7	.571	2	.400	0	0	---
Mark Vandersall	16	22	9	7	10	.318	5	2	0	24	.375	13	.591	0	0	---
Tom Doyle	14	39	6	11	0	.282	11	3	0	42	.333	13	.333	0	0	---
Steve Calvert	31	58	10	15	13	.259	12	14	0	72	.403	19	.328	2	0	---
Tony Bender	21	36	4	8	7	.222	9	3	1	40	.300	11	.306	1	1	1.000
Scott Bakkum	12	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Chris Lawler	12	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
John Lowery	10	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Eric Slagle	9	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Jeff Schmidt	9	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Eric Porter	8	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
J.T. Gilbert	7	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Brent Davis	6	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Andy Hammerschmidt	6	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
James Brower	6	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Jason Karmann	5	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
David Anderson	2	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
TOTAL	44	1366	308	428	271	.313	211	231	17	1614	.419	629	.460	17	9	1.889
OPPONENTS	44	1308	204	338	177	.258	245	179	14	1501	.354	478	.365	20	10	2.000

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NO	NAME	GP	AB	RUN	HIT	2B	3B	HR	TB	SB-ATT	SH	SF	HBP	BB	SO	RBI	WRBI	AVG	PO	A	E	PCT.	
40	George Behr	42	145	37	54	13	0	7	88	4	7	0	1	0	17	22	46	3	.372	270	18	5	.983
01	Adam Sobocienski	30	79	12	28	4	0	2	38	0	1	0	4	0	11	8	25	1	.354	0	0	0	---
06	Charlie Nelson	42	125	38	43	6	3	1	58	15	24	4	1	1	35	12	24	3	.344	50	3	2	.964
15	Ryan Lefebvre	39	134	31	46	3	4	0	57	11	18	3	2	1	22	16	7	1	.343	99	0	0	1.000
17	Brian Hartmann	36	98	21	32	6	0	4	50	2	5	0	2	2	10	13	18	3	.327	103	11	0	1.000
03	Mark Merila	43	129	44	41	13	1	4	68	8	11	2	4	1	47	11	31	4	.318	85	103	7	.964
10	Darren Schwankl	41	114	21	36	6	0	1	45	8	10	1	1	1	17	13	11	1	.316	39	32	6	.922
25	Darren Grass	34	90	15	26	6	0	5	47	2	3	0	3	4	8	19	31	1	.289	146	12	6	.963
07	Bill Mobilia	44	137	27	37	7	0	1	47	8	12	3	0	4	18	36	15	3	.270	59	118	11	.941
16	Keith Krenke	44	144	26	37	7	1	7	67	2	2	1	2	1	20	20	28	3	.257	66	6	4	.947
LESS THAN 66 AT BATS																							
11	Shane McCarthy	13	11	5	5	1	0	0	6	0	0	0	1	0	3	3	2	1	.455	12	0	0	1.000
02	Mike Oster	6	5	2	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	3	0	.400	0	1	0	1.000
18	Mark Vandersall	16	22	9	7	3	0	1	13	1	1	0	1	0	2	5	10	2	.318	2	0	0	1.000
28	Tom Doyle	14	39	6	11	2	0	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	3	11	0	0	.282	38	2	0	1.000
33	Steve Calvert	31	58	10	15	4	0	0	19	0	1	2	0	0	14	12	13	1	.259	30	24	3	.947
09	Tony Bender	21	36	4	8	0	0	1	11	0	1	1	0	1	3	9	7	1	.222	12	24	6	.857
37	Scott Bakkum	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	4	6	0	1.000
21	Chris Lawler	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	2	0	1.000
27	John Lowery	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	2	7	1	.900
31	Eric Slagle	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	3	5	1	.889
22	Jeff Schmidt	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	7	9	0	1.000
30	Eric Porter	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	3	0	1.000
32	J.T. Gilbert	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	4	0	1.000
35	Brent Davis	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	3	0	1.000
34	Andy Hammerschmidt	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	3	0	1.000
19	James Brower	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	2	0	1.000
43	Jason Karrmann	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	3	3	0	1.000
23	David Anderson	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---
TEAM TOTAL		44	1366	308	428	81	9	34	629	61	96	17	22	17	231	211	271	28	.313	1033	401	52	.965
OPPONENTS		44	1308	204	338	41	3	31	478	51	72	20	11	14	179	245	177	13	.258	1029	437	52	.966

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NO	NAME	GP	ST	CG	WON	LST	SAV	IP	HITS	RUNS	ERUN	HR	BB	SO	HP	WP	BK	ERA
30	Eric Porter	11	0	0	2	0	0	21.0	13	5	2	1	12	11	0	2	0	.86
34	Andy Hammerschmidt	8	2	0	2	1	0	22.3	18	7	6	0	8	15	0	2	0	2.42
32	J.T. Gilbert	7	0	0	0	0	1	14.0	10	5	4	0	12	8	2	1	2.57	
43	Jason Karrmann	5	0	0	0	0	0	13.0	11	7	5	0	7	9	1	0	3.46	
19	James Brower	6	5	0	3	0	0	20.7	19	9	9	2	17	17	0	1	3.92	
31	Eric Slagle	11	7	1	4	2	0	42.0	43	26	19	5	22	31	4	4	4.07	
37	Scott Bakkum	14	10	7	6	3	1	70.3	75	37	32	9	16	49	2	1	4.09	
27	John Lowery	12	7	2	2	3	0	49.3	51	36	27	4	25	28	1	6	4.93	
21	Chris Lawler	13	1	0	3	2	1	17.7	14	11	10	4	11	22	0	3	5.09	
22	Jeff Schmidt	11	11	0	3	4	0	51.0	59	39	32	1	31	37	1	7	5.65	
35	Brent Davis	10	1	0	3	1	0	12.0	10	12	8	1	12	13	2	1	6.00	
11	Shane McCarthy	4	0	0	0	0	1	7.0	9	6	6	3	4	4	1	0	7.71	
23	David Anderson	2	0	0	0	0	0	3.0	6	4	4	1	2	1	0	0	12.00	
NON-TEAM																		
TOTAL		44	44	10	28	16	4	343.3	338	204	163	31	179	245	14	29	3	4.27
OPPONENTS		44	44	8	16	28	1	345.7	428	308	268	34	231	211	17	31	1	6.98

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NO	NAME	GP	AB	RUN	HIT	2B	3B	HR	TB	SB-ATT	SH	SF	HBP	BB	SO	RBI	WRBI	AVG	PO	A	E	PCT.
UNKNOWN		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---
18	Mark Vandersall	5	6	2	3	1	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	2	4	1	.500	0	0	0	---
10	Darren Schwankl	19	57	12	21	3	0	0	24	4	4	0	0	1	4	5	3	.368	17	21	3	.927
40	George Behr	20	63	18	23	5	0	4	40	1	2	0	0	8	11	19	1	.365	119	9	1	.992
03	Mark Merila	20	59	22	21	8	0	3	38	3	3	2	1	16	6	11	1	.356	25	45	4	.946
07	Bill Mobilia	20	52	11	17	2	0	1	22	3	5	2	0	2	8	14	9	.327	26	46	4	.947
25	Darren Grass	18	45	8	14	3	0	4	29	1	1	0	1	2	3	11	16	.311	64	3	3	.957
01	Adam Sobocienski	17	42	7	13	1	0	2	20	0	0	0	3	0	9	5	17	.310	0	0	0	---
28	Tom Doyle	4	10	2	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	.300	14	0	0	1.000
17	Brian Hartmann	16	31	11	9	1	0	2	16	1	1	0	1	1	5	7	6	.290	28	4	0	1.000
16	Keith Krenke	20	63	10	18	2	0	2	26	0	0	0	0	1	5	11	12	.286	27	3	3	.909
15	Ryan Lefebvre	19	60	12	17	3	1	0	22	1	3	2	2	1	10	10	5	.283	47	0	0	1.000
06	Charlie Nelson	20	57	18	16	0	2	1	23	5	8	3	0	0	15	6	9	.281	27	2	2	.935
09	Tony Bender	7	17	2	4	0	0	1	7	0	0	1	0	0	0	5	4	.235	6	9	4	.789
33	Steve Calvert	14	18	3	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	4	5	.111	14	6	2	.909
11	Shane McCarthy	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	---
37	Scott Bakkum	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	---
31	Eric Slagle	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	1	6	0	1.000
30	Eric Porter	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	2	2	1	.800
27	John Lowery	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	2	0	1.000
22	Jeff Schmidt	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	1	3	0	1.000
21	Chris Lawler	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	5	4	0	1.000
35	Brent Davis	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	1	0	1.000
34	Andy Hammerschmidt	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	---
43	Jason Karmann	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	1	0	1.000
32	J.T. Gilbert	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	1	0	0	1.000
TEAM TOTAL		20	581	139	181	29	3	20	276	19	27	11	8	9	87	100	116	.312	424	168	27	.956
OPPONENTS		20	512	103	134	19	1	14	197	30	37	7	5	7	76	81	89	.262	411	164	24	.960

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NO	NAME	GP	ST	CG	WON	LST	SAV	IP	HITS	RUNS	ERUN	HR	BB	SO	HP	WP	BK	ERA
30	Eric Porter	7	0	0	2	0	0	12.7	8	2	1	0	3	6	0	1	0	.71
34	Andy Hammerschmidt	2	0	0	0	0	0	4.7	4	2	2	0	1	2	0	0	0	3.86
27	John Lowery	5	5	2	1	2	0	27.7	22	18	13	1	15	13	0	1	0	4.23
37	Scott Bakkum	7	5	5	4	1	1	35.3	41	22	18	5	11	25	2	1	0	4.58
31	Eric Slagle	5	5	1	2	1	0	20.3	19	19	13	4	13	11	2	4	0	5.75
22	Jeff Schmidt	5	5	0	1	3	0	20.3	25	22	19	1	22	16	1	5	1	8.41
43	Jason Karmann	1	0	0	0	0	0	4.0	5	6	4	0	5	2	0	0	0	9.00
21	Chris Lawler	5	0	0	1	1	0	4.7	7	6	5	2	4	5	0	3	0	9.64
35	Brent Davis	3	0	0	1	0	0	1.0	0	2	2	0	2	1	1	0	0	18.00
11	Shane McCarthy	2	0	0	0	0	0	1.3	3	4	4	1	0	0	1	0	0	27.00
TOTAL		20	20	8	12	8	1	132.0	134	103	81	14	76	81	7	15	1	5.52
OPPONENTS		20	20	5	8	12	1	137.0	176	132	111	20	83	93	9	9	0	7.29

22ND-RANKED GOPHER NETTERS CAPTURE BIG TEN REGULAR SEASON TITLE

The University of Minnesota men's tennis team wrapped up the regular season with a 5-2 victory over Illinois, on Saturday at the 98th Street Racquet Club in Bloomington. The 22nd-ranked Golden Gophers finish the season with an 18-4 overall record and an impressive 10-0 mark in the Big Ten. Their first-ever undefeated conference season gives the Gophers their second consecutive regular season title. Three of Minnesota's four losses came at the hands of nationally-ranked teams (#9 Notre Dame, #13 Florida and #19 Tennessee).

Illinois forced the match to doubles when Mark Krajewski beat Minnesota's Rick Naumoff (Jr., Columbus, Ohio) in a tight three-setter, 2-6, 7-5, 7-6(1), in the No. 3 match. With victories from Brian Uihlein (Sr., Lake Forest, Ill.), Adam Krafft (So., Saginaw, Mich.), Ross Loel (Fr., Rancho La Costa, Calif.) and Phil LeBlanc (Sr., St. Bruno, Quebec) to Gophers headed into doubles competition leading 4-2.

Uihlein, the team's captain, led the way for the Gophers with a 6-3, 6-1 straight-set victory over Ryan Clark at No. 1 singles. Uihlein ends the regular season with a 23-11 (7-2) record at singles.

Naumoff and Loel lead the team with 24 singles victories; along with Uihlein, Naumoff and Loel are the only Gophers to notch more than 20 wins this season. Naumoff sat out Friday's match with Purdue and lost to Mark Krajewski on Saturday, to finish the regular season with a 24-13 (6-3) record, while Loel picked up two wins this weekend to improve his record to an impressive 24-9 (7-3).

Minnesota clinched the match when the doubles tandem of Roger Anderson (New Hope, Minn.) and Dean Hlushko (Arden Hills, Minn.) defeated Ryan Clark and Mike Eberly, 6-2, 6-3, at No. 2.

By winning the Big Ten's regular season title, Coach David Geatz and his 22-ranked Golden Gophers earn the top-seed at the conference tournament May 1-3 in Madison, Wis.

Probables for the Opening Round of the Big Ten Tournament:

Singles:

- #1: Brian Uihlein - 23-11 (7-2)
- #2: Mehdi Benyebka - 8-3 (5-2)
- #3: Rick Naumoff - 24-13 (6-3)
- #4: Adam Krafft - 17-9 (8-2) or Paul Pridmore - 10-9 (3-0)
- #5: Phil LeBlanc - 13-4 (6-2) or Grant Julian 11-3 (2-0)
- #6: Ross Loel - 24-9 (7-3)

Doubles:

- #1: Krafft/Uihlein - 20-2 (4-0)
- #2: Anderson/Hlushko - 18-6 (8-0)
- #3: LeBlanc/Loel - 8-0 (3-0)

TRACK & FIELD TEAM SET TO HOST MINNESOTA CLASSIC SATURDAY

Head Coach Roy Griak's Golden Gopher track & field squad will host the Minnesota Classic on Saturday at the Bierman Track & Field Stadium. The co-ed competition is scheduled to begin at 11:00 a.m.

Big Field: The Golden Gophers will be joined by Iowa, Iowa State, Wisconsin and a large number of the area's Division II and III schools on Saturday. The competition promises to be intense as the quest for national qualifying marks continues.

Drake Relays Recap: Battling cold, windy conditions, the Golden Gophers turned in a number of outstanding performances at the 83rd annual Drake Relays held last Friday and Saturday at Des Moines, Iowa. Sophomore high jumper Matt Burns (Cedar Rapids, Iowa) led the way, finishing fourth in his specialty with a personal-best leap of 7-1. Junior Chris Murrell (Grand Island, Neb.), the defending champion, placed fifth at 6-11. Murrell has a personal-best of 7-3 3/4, so the Golden Gophers now have a pair of seven-foot high jumpers in the fold. Sophomore Martin Eriksson (Stockholm, Sweden), who has battled nuisance-type injury problems all season long, finished fourth in the pole vault with a season-best of 17-0. Junior Chad Goldstein (St. Louis Park, Minn.) placed sixth in the shot put with a heave of 57-10 1/4. The 4 x 100 meter relay consisting of senior Tim Arinze (Festic Town, Lagos, Nigeria), freshman Keita Cline (Gainesville, Fla.), junior Tyrone Minor (St. Paul, Minn.) and junior Kirk Dyer (San Jose, Calif.) ran a season-best 40.98 in Friday's preliminaries, but did not run in Saturday's finals when Cline aggravated a pulled leg muscle in the triple jump.

Big Ten Outdoor Championships: The University of Minnesota will host the men's and women's Big Ten Outdoor Championships May 22-23 at the world-class Bierman Track & Field Stadium.

GOPHER WRESTLERS GAIN NAIA ALL-AMERICAN TRANSFER

The University of Minnesota wrestling program announced Monday that two-time NAIA All-American Darren Andy would transfer in from Northern Montana College.

As a first-time transfer from an NAIA school, Andy will be eligible to compete when the Golden Gophers open the 1992-93 season next fall. The 190-pounder will have two years of eligibility left and is expected to step right into the Gopher lineup.

A native of Billings, Mont., Andy comes to Gold Country with some impressive credentials, including two Montana state high school championship titles (one at 152 and the other at Heavyweight). Northern Montana won two national championships in Andy's two seasons at the Havre, Mont., school. He leaves the school after compiling a 69-13. Following his rookie campaign, Andy was tabbed a Freshman All-America by Amateur Wrestling News.

Andy joins incoming freshmen Brandon Paulsen, Nick Halverson and Zack Taylor, who signed national letters of intent last fall.

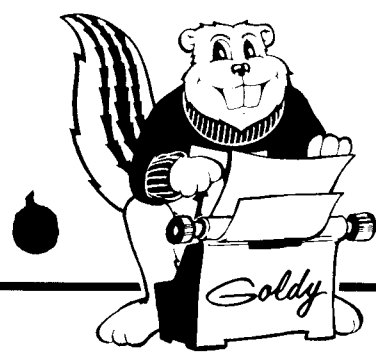
GYMNASTS FINISH FOURTH AT NCAA MEET IN LINCOLN; ROETHLISBERGER WINS SECOND STRAIGHT ALL-AROUND TITLE

The Golden Gopher gymnasts scored a season-high 285.38, but that was not good enough as Minnesota failed to qualify for the team finals for the second year in a row. Last season, Minnesota finished fourth in the meet by a mere one-tenth of a point, this time Minnesota missed by 1.12 in the prelims. Stanford scored a 287.20 to win the preliminary competition followed by Nebraska (286.925) and Ohio State (286.80).

John Roethlisberger (Afton, Minn.) finished the optional round with a 57.925 in the all-around. On Saturday he scored 58.15 in the compulsory routines to total 116.075 to capture back-to-back all-around crowns.

The Golden Gophers received seven all-america certificates in all at the meet. Roethlisberger received the status in the all-around, floor exercise (9.90), still rings (9.60), vault (9.7125) and the parallel bars (9.650). Junior **Rob Hanson** (Ramsey, Minn.) and freshman **Brian Yee** (Houston, Tex.) also gained all-america status. Hanson tied Roethlisberger for sixth-place on the still rings with a 9.60 and Yee finished third on the pommel horse with a 9.825.

For the fifth time in his career, Head Coach Fred Roethlisberger was named Mideast Coach of the Year, by the Mideast NACGC (National Association of College Gymnastics Coaches). Roethlisberger has compiled 151-46-1 (.785) record during his 20 seasons as head coach. He has won 10 Big Ten titles and has led the Golden Gophers into the NCAA top 10 a total of 13 times during his career.



Sports NEWS

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

May 1, 1992

ROGER HAGBERG MEMORIAL WILLIAMS FUND INVITATIONAL KICK OFF


The Rochester organizing committee is kicking-off the ticket sale campaign for the Annual Roger Hagberg Memorial Williams Fund Invitational Golf, Tennis and Dinner being held Monday, June 8, 1992, at the Willow Creek Golf Course and Rochester Tennis Club, with dinner and program at the Radisson Hotel Centerplace.

Vince Fuller, Director of the Williams Scholarship Fund for Men's Athletics at the University of Minnesota, will be attending the kick off Press Conference Wednesday, May 6, 1992 at 6:15 pm at the University of Minnesota Rochester Center. The Press Conference is open to the public for questions.

The Williams Scholarship Fund, is crucial in sustaining the University's 11-sport program for student-athletes. Without your financial support this would not be possible. Many Rochester area student-athletes are currently participating in Gopher athletics: Doug Zmolek, Chad Kolander, Sean Quackenbush and many more.

New Athletic Director McKinley Boston and Football Coach Jim Wacker will be in attendance Monday, June 8, 1992, along with other coaches and administrative staff.

For more information on this event, please call 612/625-1001.



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GULLION SETS TOURNAMENT RECORD AS "U" FINISHES THIRD

University of Minnesota golfer Joe Gullion shot a 211 to lead the Golden Gophers to a third place finish at the Spartan Invitational in East Lansing, Mich. On Saturday, Gullion shot rounds of 68 and 67 to lead the tournament by six strokes. Gullion's round of 67 was the tournament's best performance, and his three-round total of 211 established a new Spartan Invitational mark.

The Golden Gophers got some strong support from Dave Carothers (222), Rick Kuhn (223) and Phil Ebner (223) to hold off Northwestern and Illinois. Michigan State won on their home course, beating Toledo by five strokes.

TEAM SCORING

1. Michigan State	284-289-295	868
2. Toledo	287-293-293	873
3. MINNESOTA	287-291-299	877
4. Northwestern	297-296-288	881
5. Illinois	285-300-300	885
6. Wisconsin	293-298-303	894
7. Michigan	301-298-299	898
8. Bowling Green	295-312-294	901
9. Wright State	298-301-309	908
10. Youngstown State	308-304-301	913
11. Akron	300-309-306	915
12. Ohio	302-306-313	921
13. Cincinnati	300-314-308	922
14. Marquette	305-320-306	931
15. Eastern Michigan	303-311-318	932
16. Xavier	307-310-320	937
17. Cleveland State	319-317-322	958
18. Detroit	321-335-316	972

INDIVIDUAL SCORING

1. Joe Gullion, MINNESOTA	68-67-76	211
2. Bartolec, Michigan State	71-70-74	215
3. G. Smith, Toledo	70-74-72	216
4. Fell, Michigan State	68-73-76	217
5. Kobane, Michigan	71-73-74	218
Bruce, Illinois	72-75-71	218
14 (t). Dave Carothers, MINNESOTA	76-73-73	222
17 (t). Rick Kuhn, MINNESOTA	71-77-75	223
Phil Ebner, MINNESOTA	73-75-75	223
55 (t). Terry O'Loughlin, MINNESOTA	75-76-81	232

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COMING EVENTS:

Wednesday, May 6

Baseball @ Iowa State
3:00 p.m., Ames, Iowa

Thursday, May 7

Baseball vs. Concordia (Moorhead)
7:00 p.m., Siebert Field

Friday, May 8

Baseball vs. Iowa
7:00 p.m., Siebert Field

Saturday, May 9

Baseball vs. Iowa (2)
4:00 p.m., Siebert Field

Track & Field holds Minnesota
Open; 11:00 a.m., Bierman
Track & Field Stadium

Golf @ Wolverine Invitational
All Day, Ann Arbor, Mich.

Sunday, May 10

Baseball vs. Iowa
1:00 p.m., Siebert Field

Golf @ Wolverine Invitational
All Day, Ann Arbor, Mich.

Big Ten Tennis Championships Won

	No.	Last
Michigan	35	1988
Chicago	20	1939
Minnesota	11	1992
Illinois	9	1946
Northwestern	8	1990
Indiana	5	1964
Ohio State	3	1991
Michigan State	2	1967
Iowa	1	1958
Purdue	0	-----
Wisconsin	0	-----

1992 BASEBALL SCHEDULE

Feb. 6	UM 3, Arizona 2 (10 innings)	April 5	UM 0, Purdue 3
Feb. 8	UM 0, Arizona 9	April 8	UM 18, St. Cloud St. 2
Feb. 8	UM 8, Arizona 3	April 11	UM 4, Michigan 8
Feb. 21	UM 2, Mississippi 6	April 11	UM 5, Michigan 1
Feb. 22	UM 8, Mississippi 5	April 12	UM 4, Michigan 1
Feb. 23	UM 5, Mississippi 0	April 12	UM 4, Michigan 2
Feb. 28	UM 1, Florida State 3	April 15	UM 6, St. Olaf 5 (10 innings)
Feb. 29	UM 4, Mississippi St. 8	April 17	UM 2, Illinois 1
March 1	UM 9, Texas A&M 8	April 18	UM 12, Illinois 14
March 6	UM 2, Ball State 0	April 18	UM 10, Illinois 4
March 7	UM 3, Ball State 2	April 19	UM 13, Illinois 5
March 8	UM 14, Ball State 0	April 21	UM 7, St. Thomas 2
March 13	UM 7, Missouri 6 (12 innings)	April 22	UM 8, Mankato St. 0
March 13	UM 6, Missouri 7	April 24	UM 7, Northwestern 0
March 15	UM 8, Missouri 6	April 25	UM 7, Northwestern 6
March 24	UM 8, Kentucky 11 (10 innings)	April 25	UM 17, Northwestern 1
March 25	UM 4, Kentucky 5	April 26	UM 5, Northwestern 4
March 26	UM 1, Marshall 3	April 28	UM 13, Concordia(St.P) 1
March 27	UM 9, Ohio State 6	April 29	UM 10, St. Thomas 2
March 28	UM 7, Ohio State 15	May 1	UM 5, Penn State 7
March 28	UM 4, Ohio State 5	May 2	UM 10, Penn State 9
March 29	UM 6, Ohio State 12	May 2	UM 8, Penn State 9
March 31	UM 20, Bethel 1	May 3	UM 9, Penn State 3
April 1	UM 24, Southwest St. 7	May 6	@ Iowa State
April 4	UM 3, Purdue 9	May 7	vs. Concordia
April 4	UM 11, Purdue 2	May 8	vs. Iowa
April 5	UM 2, Purdue 4	May 9	vs. Iowa (2)
		May 10	vs. Iowa
		May 14-18	Big Ten Tournament

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Mon., May 4 - Golf Coach John Means previews the Wolverine Invitational
Tue., May 5 - Golf Coach John Means previews the Wolverine Invitational
Wed., May 6 - Baseball Coach John Anderson previews the Iowa series
Thurs., May 7 - Baseball Coach John Anderson previews the Iowa series
Fri., May 8 - Track & Field Coach Roy Griak previews the Minnesota Invitational

GOPHERS SPLIT WITH PENN STATE; FACE IOWA STATE AND CONCORDIA MOORHEAD BEFORE CRUCIAL HOME SERIES WITH IOWA

John Anderson's Golden Gopher baseball team split a four game series with Penn State this past weekend at Siebert Field by 5-7, 10-9, 9-8 and 9-3 scores. The two losses were the first of the season at Siebert Field for the Gophers. Minnesota (32-18, 14-10), now must travel to Ames, IA to play the Cyclones on Wednesday afternoon, before hosting the Concordia-Moorhead Cobbers Thursday night at Siebert Field at 7:00 p.m. The Maroon and Gold resumes Big Ten action Friday night at 7:00 p.m. at Siebert Field against Iowa in the first of a crucial four-game set with the Hawkeyes. Saturday's schedule has the Gophers and Hawkeyes mixing it up in a 4:00 p.m. doubleheader, and concluding the series and the regular season on Sunday at 1:00 p.m.

Next Up: The Iowa Hawkeyes are battling for a play-off spot and must come into Siebert and win at least three games to gain a berth in the Big Ten tournament. The Hawkeyes are coached by Duane Banks, who has been at the helm of the Iowa program for 22 years. Coming into this season Banks had a 659-419-3 record and a 219-179-0 Big Ten mark. Iowa is led by senior pitcher Brett Backlund, who is the work horse of their pitching staff. Backlund is 11-0 with a 1.48 ERA and seven complete games. He has struck out 61 while walking only 15 batters this year. He is 6-0 in the conference with just one series left. Last year the Gophers won three of four from Iowa, splitting two games in Iowa City, while sweeping the Hawkeyes at Siebert Field.

Krenke Cranks It Up: Senior outfielder Keith Krenke (Owatonna, Minn.) set a school record by hitting five home runs in three games this past weekend. Krenke has now hit 14 homers for the year, which ties him for second on the all-time single season home run chart. He has hit seven homers in his last five games and batted 9-16, with seven homers, 14 RBIs and nine runs scored in that same period. His offensive play is just a part of his overall game. On Saturday, Krenke had three assists in one game, throwing out a runner at third, and two at home. If the Gophers are to land a berth in the conference tourney, they will need Krenke's help in the field and at the plate.

Oh What a Schedule: The Gophers have always faced one of the toughest schedules in the country and this year is no different. With 25 of their first 38 games on the road, including their first 16 Big Ten games, this schedule is no cake walk. Nine of Minnesota's 18 losses have come at the hands of top 25 teams. The road portion of the Big Ten slate is over and the Maroon and Gold survived. The Gophers are two games back of the leader with four straight Big Ten home games left, and five of their final six games at Siebert Field. The Gophers are 12-2 at Siebert this year, while last year the Gophers were 11-6 at home. The previous year they were 18-2 at Siebert Field, including a Big Ten record 16 straight conference wins. With the final Big Ten series against Iowa at Siebert Field, the Gophers must use that home field to their advantage. Minnesota's strength of schedule will raise some eyes on the NCAA selection committee and could help the Gophers return to the NCAA tournament for the second straight year.

Veteran Staff: The Gophers pitching staff, which has five seniors and three juniors, is loaded with talent and experience and it's beginning to pay dividends. Scott Bakkum is the ace of the staff, with a 7-3 record and eight complete games in 11 starts. He leads the Big Ten in innings pitched (77.3) and his strikeout to walk ratio is excellent (51-19). The Gophers veteran staff has seniors Brent Davis (Minnetonka, Minn.) and John Lowery (Shepherdstown, W.Va.) coming back into form and has three outstanding junior starters in Eric Slagle (Barrington, Ill.), Jeff Schmidt (LaCrosse, Wis.) and Chris Lawler (Milwaukee, Wis.). Coupled with some outstanding young talent, this staff is the backbone of the team.

Merila Regains Form: All-American candidate Mark Merila (Plymouth, Minn.) has regained his form of a year ago and is now ready to lead the Gophers back into the hunt for the Big Ten crown. Merila had struggled at the plate early in the season. With All-American Brent Gates gone, he was not getting the quality pitches he saw a year ago. He is now the Minnesota single-season walk record holder with 51, breaking the record held by Bill Pivnicka set in 1982. The past three weekends Merila has been one of the key players for the Gophers, batting he has batted .436 (17-39), had eight walks, scored 12 runs, hit nine doubles, two home runs and has driven in 10 RBIs. Last year's Big Ten Freshman of the Year, he is a strong candidate for post-season awards again this year.

Schwankl at the Hot Corner: Third base has been a weak spot for the past two years for the Gophers, but that has now changed. Junior Darren Schwankl (Burnsville, Minn.) has been outstanding at third. Schwankl is batting .338 in the Big Ten with 23 hits and three doubles. This converted outfielder, who was an all-tournament selection last year, has played solid defense and has thrust himself into the running for post-season honors at third base.

Lead Off Combo: The Gophers sport one of the best lead off tandems in the country in outfielders Charlie Nelson (Perham, Minn.) and All-American candidate Ryan Lefebvre (Los Angeles). Nelson is batting .336 with an on base percentage of .480 with 16 stolen bases. Lefebvre is batting .347 with an on base percentage of .449 and 11 stolen bases. With 78 runs scored between them, they make up a dangerous combo once they get loose on the basepaths.

Big Behr on a Tear: Junior George Behr has been on a hot streak for the Maroon and Gold of late. The big first baseman had a great weekend against the Wildcats two weeks ago when he batted .545 (6-11), with six runs scored, two doubles, three home runs, and nine RBIs. He was named Big Ten Player of the Week for his efforts in that series. He leads the team in some key offensive categories, including RBIs (55), hits (62), and total bases (88). His timely power hitting will be a key in the team's run for a post-season berth.

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OPPONENT	MN	OPP	INN	TYPE	PLACE
Arizona	3	2	10	N	Feb. 6, 2:00 p.m. Tucson, AZ
Arizona	0	9	9	N	Feb. 8, 1:30 p.m., Tucson, AZ
Arizona	8	3	9	N	Feb. 8, 5:00 p.m., Tucson, AZ
Mississippi	2	6	9	N	Feb.21, 2:00 p.m. Oxford, MS
Mississippi	8	5	9	N	Feb.22, 2:00 p.m., Oxford, MS
Mississippi	5	0	9	N	Feb. 23, 1:15 p.m., Oxford, MS
FLORIDA ST.	1	3	9	N	Feb. 28, 7:35 p.m., Metrodome
MISSISSIPPI ST.	4	8	9	N	Feb. 29, 2:00 p.m. Metrodome
TEXAS A&M	9	8	7	N	March 1, 1:15 p.m., Metrodome
BALL STATE	2	0	9	N	Mar. 6, 7:00 p.m., Metrodome
BALL STATE	3	2	9	N	Mar.7, 7:00 p.m. Metrodome
BALL STATE	14	0	9	N	Mar. 8, 1:00 p.m. Metrodome
MISSOURI	7	6	12	N	March 13,4:00 p.m. Metrodome
MISSOURI	6	7	7	N	March 13, 8:40 p.m. Metrodome
MISSOURI	8	6	9	N	March 15, 1:00 p.m. Metrodome
Kentucky	8	11	10	N	3/24/94 Lexington, KY
Kentucky	4	5	9	N	3/25/92 Lexington, KY
Marshall	1	3	9	N	March 26, 4:00 p.m., Hunington, WVa
Ohio State	9	6	7	L	3/27 Columbus, OH
Ohio State	7	15	7	L	3/28/92 Columbus, Ohio
Ohio State	4	5	7	L	3/28/92 Columbus, Ohio
Ohio State	6	12	7	L	02/29/92, 1:00 p.m. Columbus, OH
BETHEL COLLEGE	20	1	7	N	3/31/92, 2:30 p.m. Siebert Field
SOUTHWEST STATE	24	7	9	N	4/1/92, 2:00 p.m. Siebert Field
Purdue	3	9	7	L	4/4/92, West Lafayette, IN
Purdue	11	2	7	L	4/4/92, West Lafayette, IN
Purdue	2	4	7	L	4/5/92, West Lafayette, IN
Purdue	0	3	7	L	4/5/92, West Lafayette, IN
ST. CLOUD STATE	18	2	9	N	4/9/92 2:00 p.m. Siebert Field
Michigan	4	8	7	L	4/11/92 1:00 p.m. Ann Arbor MI
Michigan	5	1	7	L	4/11/92 3:14 p.m. Ann Arbor, MI
Michigan	4	1	7	L	4/12/92 1:00 p.m. Ann Arbor, MI
Michigan	4	2	7	L	4/12/92 3:48 p.m. Ann Arbor, MI
ST OLAF	6	5	9	N	4/15/92 2:00 p.m. Siebert Field
Illinois	2	1	7	L	4/17/92 Champaign, IL
Illinois	12	14	7	L	4/18/92 Champaign, IL
Illinois	10	4	7	L	4/18/92 Champaign, IL
Illinois	13	5	7	L	4/19/92, 1:00 p.m. Champaign, Ill
ST. THOMAS	7	2	9	N	4/21/92, 4:00 p.m. Metrodome
MANKATO STATE	8	0	9	N	4/22/92, 3:00 p.m. Metrodome
NORTHWESTERN	7	0	7	L	4/24/92 7:00 p.m. Siebert Field
NORTHWESTERN	7	6	7	L	4/26/92 1:00 p.m. Siebert Field
NORTHWESTERN	17	1	7	L	4/25/92 6:05 p.m. Siebert Field
NORTHWESTERN	5	4	7	L	4/26/92 1:00 P.M. Siebert Field
CONCORDIA ST PAUL	13	1	9	N	4/28/92 4:00 p.m. Siebert Field
ST. THOMAS	10	2	9	N	4/29/92 7:00 P.M. Siebert Field
PENN STATE	5	7	7	L	5/1/92 7:00 p.m. Siebert Field
PENN STATE	10	9	7	L	5/2/92 1:00 p.m. Siebert Field
PENN STATE	8	9	7	L	5/2/92 7:35 p.m. Siebert Field
PENN STATE	9	3	7	L	5/3/92 1:00 p.m. Siebert Field

RECORD 32- 18 MN DPs 40 OPP 43 MN LOB 356 OPP 337

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NO	NAME	GP	AB	RUN	HIT	2B	3B	HR	TB	SB-ATT	SH	SF	HBP	BB	SO	RBI	WRBI	AVG	PO	A	E	PCT.	
40	George Behr	48	166	41	62	14	0	9	103	5	8	0	2	0	19	26	55	4	.373	317	21	6	.983
01	Adam Sobocienski	34	93	17	34	5	0	2	45	0	1	0	4	0	11	9	25	1	.366	0	0	0	---
15	Ryan Lefebvre	45	150	35	52	4	4	0	64	11	18	5	3	1	27	20	10	1	.347	109	0	1	.991
06	Charlie Nelson	46	140	43	47	7	3	1	63	16	26	4	1	1	38	14	27	3	.336	52	3	2	.965
25	Darren Grass	39	107	24	34	9	0	7	64	2	3	1	4	4	10	21	37	2	.318	183	13	7	.966
03	Mark Merila	49	150	46	47	15	1	4	76	8	13	2	5	1	51	12	37	4	.313	92	118	8	.963
17	Brian Hartmann	41	110	24	34	6	0	4	52	2	5	0	2	2	11	15	18	3	.309	113	11	0	1.000
10	Darren Schwankl	47	130	28	40	6	1	1	51	8	10	1	3	1	24	15	16	2	.308	45	40	7	.924
16	Keith Krenke	49	160	35	46	7	1	14	97	3	3	1	2	1	23	21	42	4	.288	74	9	4	.954
07	Bill Mobilia	50	156	30	43	9	0	1	55	9	13	3	1	4	21	40	18	3	.276	67	138	13	.940
LESS THAN 75 AT BATS																							
11	Shane McCarthy	14	13	5	5	1	0	0	6	0	0	0	1	0	3	5	2	1	.385	16	0	0	1.000
18	Mark Vandersall	20	30	12	11	5	0	1	19	1	1	0	1	0	4	6	14	2	.367	5	0	1	.833
02	Mike Oster	7	6	2	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	3	0	.333	0	1	0	1.000
33	Steve Calvert	35	62	11	17	4	0	0	21	0	1	2	0	1	16	12	13	1	.274	34	26	3	.952
28	Tom Doyle	15	43	6	11	2	0	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	3	12	0	0	.256	38	2	0	1.000
09	Tony Bender	23	39	4	8	0	0	1	11	0	1	1	0	1	4	10	7	1	.205	12	26	6	.864
37	Scott Bakkum	14	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	.000	4	7	0	1.000
21	Chris Lawler	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	2	0	1.000
27	John Lowery	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	2	8	1	.909
22	Jeff Schmidt	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	8	13	0	1.000
30	Eric Porter	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	5	0	1.000
31	Eric Slagle	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	3	5	1	.889
35	Brent Davis	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	4	0	1.000
32	J.T. Gilbert	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	4	0	1.000
34	Andy Hammerschmidt	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	3	0	1.000
19	James Brower	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	2	0	1.000
43	Jason Karrmann	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	3	3	0	1.000
23	David Anderson	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	1	0	1.000
47	Jason Roland	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	1	0	1.000
TEAM TOTAL		50	1556	363	493	94	10	45	742	65	103	20	29	18	266	240	324	32	.317	1180	466	60	.965
OPPONENTS		50	1493	235	391	52	3	33	548	58	79	24	12	15	207	284	203	14	.262	1164	495	62	.964

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47	Jason Roland	1	0	0	0	0	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.00
30	Eric Porter	14	0	0	2	1	0	25.0	18	8	4	2	16	12	0	2	0	1.44
32	J.T. Gilbert	7	0	0	0	0	1	14.0	10	5	4	0	12	8	2	2	1	2.57
43	Jason Karrmann	6	1	0	0	0	0	15.0	12	7	5	0	9	9	1	0	0	3.00
34	Andy Hammerschmidt	9	2	0	2	1	0	25.7	23	11	10	0	11	17	0	2	0	3.51
37	Scott Bakkum	15	11	8	7	3	1	77.3	81	40	32	9	19	51	2	3	0	3.72
19	James Brower	7	5	0	3	0	0	22.7	23	10	10	2	17	21	0	1	1	3.97
21	Chris Lawler	17	1	0	4	2	1	23.7	18	13	11	4	14	31	0	3	0	4.18
31	Eric Slagle	12	8	1	4	2	0	43.3	49	30	23	5	23	31	4	4	0	4.78
27	John Lowery	13	8	2	2	3	0	54.3	56	38	29	4	25	33	1	6	0	4.80
35	Brent Davis	13	1	0	3	1	0	16.0	15	14	10	1	14	19	2	3	0	5.63
22	Jeff Schmidt	13	13	0	4	5	0	61.3	67	48	39	2	40	47	2	9	1	5.72
11	Shane McCarthy	5	0	0	1	0	1	9.0	12	7	7	3	5	4	1	0	0	7.00
23	David Anderson	3	0	0	0	0	0	4.0	7	4	4	1	2	1	0	0	0	9.00
NON-TEAM												-1						
TOTAL		50	50	11	32	18	4	392.3	391	235	187	33	207	284	15	35	3	4.29
OPPONENTS		50	50	8	18	32	1	390.7	493	363	315	45	266	240	18	35	4	7.26

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NO	NAME	GP	AB	RUN	HIT	2B	3B	HR	TB	SB-ATT	SH	SF	HBP	BB	SO	RBI	WRBI	AVG	PO	A	E	PCT.	
40	George Behr	24	78	21	29	6	0	5	50	2	3	0	1	0	9	14	24	1	.372	157	9	2	.988
16	Keith Krenke	24	76	17	25	2	0	7	48	1	1	0	0	1	8	12	24	3	.329	33	6	3	.929
LESS THAN 75 AT BATS																							
18	Mark Vandersall	7	10	2	4	1	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	3	6	1	.400	1	0	1	.500	
25	Darren Grass	22	58	15	21	6	0	6	45	1	1	2	2	4	13	22	2	.362	88	4	4	.958	
03	Mark Merila	24	72	23	25	9	0	3	43	3	4	2	1	1	20	7	12	1	.347	30	59	4	.957
10	Darren Schwankl	23	68	15	23	3	0	0	26	4	4	0	0	1	8	7	5	0	.338	20	27	4	.922
07	Bill Mobilia	24	65	12	21	3	0	1	27	3	5	2	0	2	10	18	10	1	.323	32	62	6	.940
01	Adam Sobocienski	20	51	9	16	1	0	2	23	0	0	0	3	0	9	6	17	0	.314	0	0	0	---
28	Tom Doyle	4	10	2	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	.300	14	0	0	1.000
17	Brian Hartmann	20	38	14	11	1	0	2	18	1	1	0	1	1	6	9	6	3	.289	28	4	0	1.000
15	Ryan Lefebvre	23	73	14	20	4	1	0	26	1	3	3	2	1	13	14	6	0	.274	55	0	1	.982
06	Charlie Nelson	23	68	20	18	0	2	1	25	5	9	3	0	0	16	7	11	1	.265	28	2	2	.938
09	Tony Bender	7	17	2	4	0	0	1	7	0	0	1	0	0	5	4	1	.235	6	9	4	.789	
33	Steve Calvert	16	18	4	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	4	5	1	0	.111	15	6	2	.913
11	Shane McCarthy	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	---
37	Scott Bakkum	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	7	0	1.000
30	Eric Porter	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	4	0	1.000
27	John Lowery	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	4	0	1.000
22	Jeff Schmidt	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	5	7	0	1.000
31	Eric Slagle	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	2	2	1	.800
21	Chris Lawler	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	1	0	1.000
35	Brent Davis	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	---
34	Andy Hammerschmidt	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	1	0	1.000
43	Jason Karrmann	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	0	0	1.000
32	J.T. Gilbert	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	1	0	1.000
TEAM TOTAL		24	703	171	222	36	3	28	348	21	31	13	10	9	107	122	148	14	.316	517	215	34	.956
OPPONENTS		24	632	131	172	28	1	16	250	35	42	11	6	7	98	101	112	6	.272	498	205	28	.962

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30	Eric Porter	9	0	0	2	1	0	15.7	13	5	3	1	7	7	0	1	0	1.72
37	Scott Bakkum	8	6	6	5	1	1	42.3	47	25	18	5	14	27	2	3	0	3.83
27	John Lowery	6	6	2	1	2	0	32.7	27	20	15	1	15	18	0	1	0	4.13
21	Chris Lawler	8	0	0	2	1	0	9.7	10	8	6	2	7	11	0	3	0	5.59
34	Andy Hammerschmidt	3	0	0	0	0	0	8.0	9	6	6	0	4	4	0	0	0	6.75
31	Eric Slagle	6	6	1	2	1	0	21.7	25	23	17	4	14	11	2	4	0	7.06
43	Jason Karrmann	1	0	0	0	0	0	4.0	5	6	4	0	5	2	0	0	0	9.00
22	Jeff Schmidt	6	6	0	1	4	0	25.7	32	31	26	2	29	20	1	7	1	9.12
35	Brent Davis	4	0	0	1	0	0	2.0	1	3	3	0	3	1	1	2	0	13.50
11	Shane McCarthy	2	0	0	0	0	0	1.3	3	4	4	1	0	0	1	0	0	27.00
TOTAL		24	24	9	14	10	1	163.0	172	131	102	16	98	101	7	21	1	5.63
OPPONENTS		24	24	5	10	14	1	166.0	217	164	141	28	103	115	9	9	1	7.64

MINOR LEADS TRACK & FIELD TEAM AT MINNESOTA/PEPSI INVITATIONAL; MINNESOTA OPEN SET FOR SATURDAY

Junior Tyrone Minor (St. Paul, Minn.) won a pair of events to pace the Golden Gopher men's track & field team at the Minnesota/Pepsi Invitational held last Saturday at the Bierman Track & Field Stadium.

Minor Has Major Day: Despite running into a strong headwind, Tyrone Minor won the 100 meters on Saturday with a season best clocking of 10.66, edging junior teammate Kirk Dyer (San Jose, Calif.) who crossed the finish line in 10.74. Minor then claimed the top spot in the long jump with a season-best leap of 24-7.

Five Victories: Head Coach Roy Griak's Golden Gophers won a total of five events on the day. In addition to Tyrone Minor's two victories, sophomore Norris Williams (Milwaukee), behind a blazing finishing kick, won the 800 meters with a time of 1:53.78. Senior co-captain Sean Fitzgerald (Ottawa, Ontario, Canada) used the same formula to win the 1500 meters with a time of 3:59.51. Fellow senior co-captain Mark Lacy (Oak Brook, Ill.) won the shot put with a toss of 55-8 1/4 and then went on to claim the runner-up spot in the discus with a throw of 157-1.

Minnesota Open: The Golden Gophers will host the Minnesota Open on Saturday at the Bierman Track & Field Stadium. The competition gets underway at 11:00 a.m.

Big Ten Outdoor Championships: The University of Minnesota will host the men's and women's Big Ten Outdoor Championships May 22-23 at the world-class Bierman Track & Field Stadium. Advance tickets are now on sale at the Bierman Athletic Ticket Office and are \$10 for adults and \$9 for students for both sessions. Single-session tickets, available only at the gate, are \$6 for adults and \$5 for students.

GULLION WINS SPARTAN INVITATIONAL WITH TOURNAMENT RECORD SCORE; TEAM FINISHES THIRD OVERALL

Junior Joe Gullion (San Antonio, Tex.) led the Gophers to a third place finish at the Spartan Invitational this past weekend. The Gophers entered the tournament as the defending champions, but could not hold on to their title as Michigan State won the title with a team score of 868, while Minnesota shot 877. Gullion, who led the tourney from start to finish, was the medalist shooting 68-67-76=211, to set a new tournament record. He finished with a six stroke lead over his nearest competitor. He is the big Ten leader in stroke average with a 73.50 average.

Dave Carothers (Owatonna, Minn.) shot rounds of 76-73-73=222 to finish 14th, while Rick Kuhn (Bismarck, N.D.) and Phil Ebner (Hudson, Oh.) finished 17th with a three-round score of 223. The Gophers return to Michigan this weekend to play in the Wolverine Invitational in Ann Arbor, which once again will pit them against many of the teams from their district. The tourney this weekend is on Saturday and Sunday and the outcome will have a big impact on NCAA rankings and tournament bids. The NCAA tournament bids will be made before the Big Ten Championships, which are on May 15-17 in Iowa City, Ia.

The Gophers are considered to be fifth or sixth in the district, but need to do well this weekend to secure a post-season bid from the NCAA.

BASELINERS CAPTURE 11TH BIG TEN TITLE

Top-seeded Minnesota defeated Indiana, the No. 2 seed, 5-2 to win the Big Ten Conference Championship on Sunday in Madison, Wis. The Gophers' tournament championship capped an incredible regular season that saw them post an unblemished 10-0 mark in the conference. Their three wins at the tournament improved the team's overall record to 21-4.

Minnesota clinched Sunday's final when **Brian Uihlein** (Sr., Lake Forest, Ill.) and **Adam Krafft** (So., Saginaw, Mich.) teamed up to beat Nigel Russell and Marc Ableman, 6-2, 7-5, in the No. 1 doubles match, which was the only doubles match the Gophers had to play all weekend. Uihlein and Krafft, who are currently ranked fifth in the country, improved their record to 21-2.

Best known for a high-powered doubles contingent, Minnesota won its second conference title in four years on the strength of its singles play. On Friday against Illinois, the Gophers swept all six singles matches for a 6-0 win. In Saturday's semifinal against Ohio State, they grabbed all but one of the singles in a 5-1 win over the defending champions. In spite of two singles losses, the Maroon & Gold took an intimidating 4-2 lead into doubles play with Uihlein and Krafft in the wings.

Four Gophers concluded the season by winning all three of their singles matches at the Conference championship. **Rick Naumoff** (Jr., Columbus, Ohio) put the finishing touches on a fine season when he beat Rich Holden (Indiana), 6-3, 6-3, at No. 3, to finish the season 27-13. Joining Naumoff with three tourney wins, and the team lead in victories, was **Ross Loel** (Fr., Rancho LaCosta, Calif.), who defeated Chris Angell, 6-3, 6-3, at No. 6 in the title match. Loel finished his rookie campaign with an impressive 27-9 record. The other Golden Gophers to earn three championship victories were No. 2 **Mehdi Benyebka** (Jr., Oran Algeria -- 11-3) and No. 5 **Phil LeBlanc** (Sr., St. Bruno, Quebec). LeBlanc closes out a fine Minnesota career with a 16-4 record at singles. Though he didn't get a chance to play doubles last weekend, he and partner Ross Loel teamed for a clean 8-0 record, including 3-0 in the Big Ten during the regular season.

Sunday's victory over Indiana was the 21st of the season for the 22nd-ranked Gophers, and the 200th career win for Head Coach David Geatz. Geatz is in his fourth season at Minnesota, where he now owns a 79-32 record; combined with his six-seasons at New Mexico, Geatz is now 200-97. This season marks the third 20-win season for Geatz at Minnesota, and his second Big Ten title (the first came in 1988-89).

MINNESOTA RESULTS AT THE BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIP

First Round: Minnesota def. Illinois, 6-0

Semifinal: Minnesota def. Ohio State, 5-1

Championship: Minnesota def. Indiana, 5-2

1991-92 Tennis Final Statistics

Singles:

- #1: Brian Uihlein - 23-11 (7-2)
- #2: Mehdi Benyebka - 8-3 (5-2)
- #3: Rick Naumoff - 24-13 (6-3)
- #4: Adam Krafft - 17-9 (8-2)
- #5: Phil LeBlanc - 13-4 (6-2)
- #6: Ross Loel - 24-9 (7-3)

Doubles:

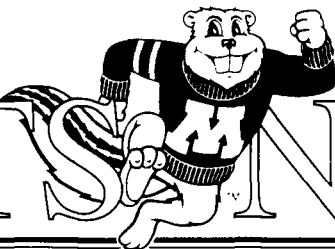
- #1: Krafft/Uihlein - 20-2 (4-0)
- #2: Anderson/Hlushko - 18-6 (8-0)
- #3: LeBlanc/Loel - 8-0 (3-0)

Other Singles

- Paul Pridmore - 10-9 (3-0)
- Grant Julian - 11-3 (2-0)
- Dean Hlushko - 9-5 (0-1)
- Roger Anderson - 6-1 (0-0)
- Dominic Roderiguez - 2-4 (0-0)
- Mike Husebo - 0-0 (0-0)

Other Doubles

- Uihlein/Loel - 2-1 (0-0)
- LeBlanc/Julian - 2-0 (0-0) - #3
- Naumoff/Roderiguez - 1-1 (0-0)
- Naumoff/Loel - 2-1 (0-0)
- Julian/Pridmore - 5-2 (0-0)
- Benyebka/Pridmore - 0-2 (0-0) - #2
- Julian/Roderiguez - 2-0 (0-0) - #2
- Julian/Loel - 1-0 (1-0) - #3
- Benyebka/Husebo - 0-1 (0-1) - #3
- LeBlanc/Husebo - 1-0 (1-0) - #3



SPORTS NEWS

Bierman Field Athletic Building 516 15th Avenue Southeast Minneapolis, MN 55455 (612) 625-4090 Fax 625-0359

TO: Media Members

FROM: Bill Crumley, Sports Information

RE: Baseball Team Interviews, Big Ten Tournament

DATE: Tuesday, May 12, 1992

University of Minnesota Head Baseball Coach John Anderson will be available for interviews prior to today's practice at Siebert Field from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. He will also be available following the conclusion of practice at around 4:30 p.m. The Golden Gophers will leave early Wednesday morning for Columbus, Ohio, where they will open the double-elimination Big Ten Tournament at 11:00 a.m. (Central) Thursday against Michigan State.

MERILA NAMED BIG TEN PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Sophomore second baseman Mark Merila was honored for his outstanding play on the diamond. Merila, a native of Plymouth, Minn., went 12-for-18 (.667) at the plate, with five doubles, three RBI's and four stolen bases. Merila was also perfect in the field, registering 13 put outs and 18 assists. He finished the regular season with a .351 batting average, with 4 home runs, 40 RBI's and 12 stolen bases.

Merila has made quite an impact on the Maroon and Gold since he arrived in 1991. His freshman season at the "U" was sensational and he was rewarded with Big Ten Freshman of the Year and Freshman All-America honors. This season, Merila improved in every offensive category. This improvement should make him a candidate for post-season accolades in 1992 as well.

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COMING EVENTS:

Baseball @ Big Ten Championships
Thurs.-Sun., May 14-17,
Columbus, Ohio

Double Elimination Format

Thursday, May 14

Minnesota vs. Michigan State, 11:00 a.m.

Ohio State vs. Illinois, 2:30 p.m.

Friday, May 15

Loser Game 1 vs. Loser Game 2, 11:00 a.m.

Winner Game 1 vs. Winner Game 2, 2:30 p.m.

Saturday, May 16

Winner Game 3 vs. Loser Game 4, 11:00 a.m.

Winner Game 4 vs. Winner Game 5, 2:30 p.m.

Sunday, May 17

Same teams as Game 6 (if necessary)

Friday, May 15

Golf @ Big Ten Championship
All Day, Iowa City, Iowa

Saturday, May 16

Track & Field hosts the Last Chance
Meet, 11:00 a.m., Bierman Track

Golf @ Big Ten Championship
All Day, Iowa City, Iowa

Sunday, May 17

Golf @ Big Ten Championship
All Day, Iowa City, Iowa

SPECIAL NOTE

Track & Field hosts the Big Ten
Outdoor Championships @ Bierman
Track & Field Stadium, Fri.-Sat.,
May 22-23. For ticket information
all the Golden Gopher ticket office
at (612) 624-8080

1992 BASEBALL SCHEDULE

Feb. 6	UM 3, Arizona 2 (10 innings)	April 5	UM 0, Purdue 3
Feb. 8	UM 0, Arizona 9	April 8	UM 18, St. Cloud St. 2
Feb. 8	UM 8, Arizona 3	April 11	UM 4, Michigan 8
Feb. 21	UM 2, Mississippi 6	April 11	UM 5, Michigan 1
Feb. 22	UM 8, Mississippi 5	April 12	UM 4, Michigan 1
Feb. 23	UM 5, Mississippi 0	April 12	UM 4, Michigan 2
Feb. 28	UM 1, Florida State 3	April 15	UM 6, St. Olaf 5 (10 innings)
Feb. 29	UM 4, Mississippi St. 8	April 17	UM 2, Illinois 1
March 1	UM 9, Texas A&M 8	April 18	UM 12, Illinois 14
March 6	UM 2, Ball State 0	April 18	UM 10, Illinois 4
March 7	UM 3, Ball State 2	April 19	UM 13, Illinois 5
March 8	UM 14, Ball State 0	April 21	UM 7, St. Thomas 2
March 13	UM 7, Missouri 6 (12 innings)	April 22	UM 8, Mankato St. 0
March 13	UM 6, Missouri 7	April 24	UM 7, Northwestern 0
March 15	UM 8, Missouri 6	April 25	UM 7, Northwestern 6
March 24	UM 8, Kentucky 11 (10 innings)	April 25	UM 17, Northwestern 1
March 25	UM 4, Kentucky 5	April 26	UM 5, Northwestern 4
March 26	UM 1, Marshall 3	April 28	UM 13, Concordia (St.P) 1
March 27	UM 9, Ohio State 6	April 29	UM 10, St. Thomas 2
March 28	UM 7, Ohio State 15	May 1	UM 5, Penn State 7
March 28	UM 4, Ohio State 5	May 2	UM 10, Penn State 9
March 29	UM 6, Ohio State 12	May 2	UM 8, Penn State 9
March 31	UM 20, Bethel 1	May 3	UM 9, Penn State 3
April 1	UM 24, Southwest St. 7	May 6	UM 3, Iowa State 4
April 4	UM 3, Purdue 9	May 7	UM 11, Concordia (M), 0
April 4	UM 11, Purdue 2	May 8	UM 6, Iowa 5
April 5	UM 2, Purdue 4	May 9	UM 10, Iowa 1
		May 9	UM 5, Iowa 1
		May 10	UM 4, Iowa 3
		May 14-18	Big Ten Tournament

GOLDEN GOPHER HOTLINE: 612-625-7887

Mon., May 11 - Golf Coach John Means previews the Big Ten Championships
Tue., May 12 - Golf Coach John Means previews the Big Ten Championships
Wed., May 13 - Baseball Coach John Anderson previews the Big Ten Championships
Thurs., May 14 - Baseball Coach John Anderson previews the Big Ten Championships
Fri., May 15 - Track & Field Coach Roy Griak previews the Minnesota Last Chance

GOPHERS SWEEP FOUR GAMES FROM IOWA; FACE MICHIGAN STATE IN BIG TEN TOURNAMENT OPENER

John Anderson's Golden Gopher baseball team finished off the 1992 regular season schedule with a four-game sweep of the Iowa Hawkeyes to finish the season 37-19 overall, 18-10 in the Big Ten. Minnesota will enter the tournament seeded second behind host Ohio State. The Gophers will open with third-seeded Michigan State on Thursday at 12:00 Noon (EDT). Minnesota and Michigan State did not play during the regular season, but the Gophers traveled to East Lansing in 1991, splitting the series there. Michigan State finished with a 17-11 overall record and a 34-17 Big Ten record after being swept last weekend at Ohio State. The Gophers, who will enter the tournament with a five game win streak, have won 16 of their last 20 Big Ten games, and 23 of their last 28 games overall. Illinois is the fourth team in the tournament and will play Ohio State at 3:30 p.m. (EDT).

Merila Named Big Ten Player of the Week: All-American candidate **Mark Merila (Plymouth, Minn.)** was named Big Ten Player of the Week for his efforts against the Iowa Hawkeyes this past weekend. Merila had struggled at the plate early in the season. With All-American Brent Gates gone, he was not getting the quality pitches he saw a year ago. Against the Hawkeyes, Merila batted 10-13 (.769), with five doubles, three runs scored and three RBIs. In the past 12 Big Ten games, he has batted .500 (20-40), with 13 RBIs and 10 doubles. He finished the season batting .412 in the Big Ten with 14 doubles and 35 hits in 85 at bats. In addition, Merila set a Minnesota single season record for walks with 54 in the regular season. Last year's Big Ten Freshman of the Year, he is a strong candidate for post-season awards again this year.

Big Ten Freshman of the Year: Last year second baseman Mark Merila won the Big Ten Freshman of the Year Award and it looks like the Gophers have another strong candidate in **Darren Grass (St. Paul, Minn.)**. The redshirt catcher has taken over the position for the ailing **Brian Hartmann (Arlington, Minn.)** who has been playing in the DH role because of arm problems. Grass is batting .358 in conference games with six doubles, six home runs and 24 RBIs. He leads the Big Ten in those categories for freshmen. He has an outstanding arm and has developed into a solid starting catcher, improving defensively with each appearance. He looks like he will be another in the Minnesota tradition of fine catchers.

Oh What a Schedule: The Gophers have always faced one of the toughest schedules in the country and this year is no different. With 25 of their first 38 games on the road, including their first 16 Big Ten games, this schedule was no cake walk. Minnesota started the season 2-6 in the conference, before turning it around in the final five weeks. Nine of Minnesota's 19 losses have come at the hands of top 25 teams. The Gophers finished two games in back of the league leader Ohio State and a lot of that was due to their strong record at Siebert Field. Minnesota finished with a 17-2 mark at Siebert and had a combined Metrodome/Siebert Field home record of 25-5. Last year the Gophers were 11-6 at Siebert, and the previous year they were 18-2 at Siebert Field, including a Big Ten record 16 straight conference wins. This strength of schedule will raise some eyes on the NCAA selection committee and could help the Gophers return to the NCAA tournament for the second straight year.

Big Behr on a Tear: Senior **George Behr (St. Paul, Minn.)** has been on a hot streak for the Maroon and Gold as of late. The big first baseman leads the team in hitting with a .368 average, 15 doubles, nine home runs and 58 RBIs. His emergence as an offensive threat this year has been a big boost to the Gophers' power output. He was named Big Ten Player of the Week for his play against Northwestern and is second on the team in batting in the conference with a .385 average and 27 RBIs.

Bakkum Notches Another Complete Game Victory: Senior pitcher **Scott Bakkum (LaCrosse, Wis.)** had another strong performance against the Hawkeyes when he pitched a two-hitter. He was just two outs short of a perfect game when the Hawkeyes came up with a solid line drive single in the seventh inning. He has nine complete games in 12 starts and has had complete games in each of his seven Big Ten starts to lead the conference in that category. Last year he finished second in the conference in wins and fifth in ERA, yet was snubbed in the post-season awards.

Veteran Staff: The Gophers' pitching staff, which has five seniors and three juniors, is loaded with talent and experience and it's beginning to pay dividends. Scott Bakkum is the ace of the staff, with a 8-3 record. He was second in the Big Ten in innings pitched (49.3), but led it in complete games (7) and complete game victories (6). His strikeout to walk ratio is excellent at (33-14) and he is the big stopper for the team. Junior starters **Eric Slagle (Barrington, Ill.)** and **Jeff Schmidt (LaCrosse, Wis.)** are pitching very well. Last weekend Slagle pitched a three hit performance against Iowa to raise his record to 5-2. In addition, senior lefthanders **John Lowery (Shepherdstown, W. Va.)** and **Brent Davis (Minnetonka, Minn.)** have been pitching well. Lowery picked up his third win of the season over Iowa this past weekend and became the winningest lefthander in Minnesota history with a career record of 26-12. He surpassed Bryan Hickerson, now with the San Francisco Giants, and is now just four wins shy of tying the all-time win record of 30 held by Steve Comer.

Krenke Cranks It Up: Senior outfielder **Keith Krenke (Owatonna, Minn.)** has really turned his play up a notch in the Gophers run for the tournament. He broke a school record two weeks ago when he hit four home runs in a doubleheader against Penn State, and he leads the team with 15. He is just three homers shy of the single-season record held by Jerry Kindall (the current coach of the Arizona Wildcats) who had 18 in 1956. Krenke is batting .322 with eight homers, three doubles and 25 RBIs. He has the strongest arm on the club and has nine assists from his right field position.

Schwankl at the Hot Corner: Third base has been a weak spot for the past two years for the Gophers, but that has now changed. Junior **Darren Schwankl (Burnsville, Minn.)** has been outstanding at third. Schwankl is batting .354 in the Big Ten with 28 hits, three doubles and 11 walks. His defensive play has tightened up the Minnesota infield and filled a nagging hole in the infield. This converted outfielder, who was an all-tournament selection last year, has thrust himself into the running for post-season honors at third base.

Lead Off Combo: The Gophers sport one of the best lead off tandems in the country in outfielders **Charlie Nelson (Perham, Minn.)** and All-American candidate **Ryan Lefebvre (Los Angeles)**. Nelson is batting .340 with an on-base percentage of .483, 19 stolen bases and he leads the conference with three triples. Lefebvre is batting .345 with an on-base percentage of .443 and 13 stolen bases. With 88 runs scored between them, they make up a dangerous pair on the basepaths.

Mobilia Strong At Short: Sophomore shortstop **Bill Mobilia (Ely, Minn.)** has done an outstanding job of filling the shoes of departed All-American Brent Gates at shortstop. Mobilia is batting .307 in Big Ten games with five doubles and 13 RBIs. His defensive play, coupled with that of second baseman Mark Merila, has made the Minnesota defense tough up the middle.

Sobo Shines: Senior designated hitter **Adam Sobocienski (Barrington, Ill.)** is having an outstanding season for the Gophers at the DH spot. He is second on the team in batting with a .361 average and has driven in 28 runs in 108 at bats. He is a left handed line drive hitter who adds spark to the batting order and is another of the veteran role players who have stepped forward in the past two weeks to help the team.

Help From The Bench: The Gophers have been getting some outstanding play from their bench in their stretch run. Senior Brian Hartmann came off the bench in the seventh inning and hit a pinch hit two RBI single off of Iowa's Brett Backlund to win the game for the Gophers. Three weeks ago, **Mark Vandersall (Plymouth, Minn.)** had the game-winning pinch hit against Northwestern in a come from behind 7-6 victory. Freshman Shane McCarthy has had a solid bat off the bench as well with a .385 average in 15 games. In addition, senior Steve Calvert has provided defensive bench strength at a variety of positions and has driven in 14 runs.

Anderson to Skipper Team USA: Minnesota Head Coach John Anderson has been chosen to coach Team USA immediately following the 1992 Olympics. Anderson will pick the squad that will participate in the World University Games in Buffalo, NY in the summer of 1993 and will also compete in the Intercontinental Cup in Italy.

For More Information: If you need more information about the University of Minnesota baseball team please see Assistant Sports Information Director Bill Crumley. If you need more biographical material on Minnesota players, please refer to the Minnesota Baseball Media Guide.

OPPONENT	MN	OPP	INN	TYPE	PLACE
Arizona	3	2	10	N	Feb. 6, 2:00 p.m. Tucson, AZ
Arizona	0	9	9	N	Feb. 8, 1:30 p.m., Tucson, AZ
Arizona	8	3	9	N	Feb. 8, 5:00 p.m., Tucson, AZ
Mississippi	2	6	9	N	Feb.21, 2:00 p.m. Oxford, MS
Mississippi	8	5	9	N	Feb.22, 2:00 p.m., Oxford, MS
Mississippi	5	0	9	N	Feb. 23, 1:15 p.m., Oxford, MS
FLORIDA ST.	1	3	9	N	Feb. 28, 7:35 p.m., Metrodome
MISSISSIPPI ST.	4	8	9	N	Feb. 29, 2:00 p.m. Metrodome
TEXAS A&M	9	8	7	N	March 1, 1:15 p.m., Metrodome
BALL STATE	2	0	9	N	Mar. 6, 7:00 p.m., Metrodome
BALL STATE	3	2	9	N	Mar.7, 7:00 p.m. Metrodome
BALL STATE	14	0	9	N	Mar. 8, 1:00 p.m. Metrodome
MISSOURI	7	6	12	N	March 13, 4:00 p.m. Metrodome
MISSOURI	6	7	7	N	March 13, 8:40 p.m. Metrodome
MISSOURI	8	6	9	N	March 15, 1:00 p.m. Metrodome
Kentucky	8	11	10	N	3/24/92 Lexington, KY
Kentucky	4	5	9	N	3/25/92 Lexington, KY
Marshall	1	3	9	N	March 26, 4:00 p.m., Hunington, WVa
Ohio State	9	6	7	L	3/27 Columbus, OH
Ohio State	7	15	7	L	3/28/92 Columbus, Ohio
Ohio State	4	5	7	L	3/28/92 Columbus, Ohio
Ohio State	6	12	7	L	02/29/92, 1:00 p.m. Columbus, OH
BETHEL COLLEGE	20	1	7	N	3/31/92, 2:30 p.m. Siebert Field
SOUTHWEST STATE	24	7	9	N	4/1/92, 2:00 p.m. Siebert Field
Purdue	3	9	7	L	4/4/92, West Lafayette, IN
Purdue	11	2	7	L	4/4/92, West Lafayette, IN
Purdue	2	4	7	L	4/5/92, West Lafayette, IN
Purdue	0	3	7	L	4/5/92, West Lafayette, IN
ST. CLOUD STATE	18	2	9	N	4/9/92 2:00 p.m. Siebert Field
Michigan	4	8	7	L	4/11/92 1:00 p.m. Ann Arbor MI
Michigan	5	1	7	L	4/11/92 3:14 p.m. Ann Arbor, MI
Michigan	4	1	7	L	4/12/92 1:00 p.m. Ann Arbor, MI
Michigan	4	2	7	L	4/12/92 3:48 p.m. Ann Arbor, MI
ST OLAF	6	5	9	N	4/15/92 2:00 p.m. Siebert Field
Illinois	2	1	7	L	4/17/92 Champaign, IL
Illinois	12	14	7	L	4/18/92 Champaign, IL
Illinois	10	4	7	L	4/18/92 Champaign, IL
Illinois	13	5	7	L	4/19/92, 1:00 p.m. Champaign, Ill
ST. THOMAS	7	2	9	N	4/21/92, 4:00 p.m. Metrodome
MANKATO STATE	8	0	9	N	4/22/92, 3:00 p.m. Metrodome
NORTHWESTERN	7	0	7	L	4/24/92 7:00 p.m. Siebert Field
NORTHWESTERN	7	6	7	L	4/26/92 1:00 p.m. Siebert Field
NORTHWESTERN	17	1	7	L	4/25/92 6:05 p.m. Siebert Field
NORTHWESTERN	5	4	7	L	4/26/92 1:00 P.M. Siebert Field
CONCORDIA ST PAUL	13	1	9	N	4/28/92 4:00 p.m. Siebert Field
ST. THOMAS	10	2	9	N	4/29/92 7:00 P.M. Siebert Field
PENN STATE	5	7	7	L	5/1/92 7:00 p.m. Siebert Field
PENN STATE	10	9	7	L	5/2/92 1:00 p.m. Siebert Field
PENN STATE	8	9	7	L	5/2/92 7:35 p.m. Siebert Field
PENN STATE	9	3	7	L	5/3/92 1:00 p.m. Siebert Field
Iowa State	3	4	9	N	5/6/92 2:30 p.m. Ames Iowa
CONCORDIA/MOORHEAD	11	0	9	N	5/7/92 7:00 p.m. Siebert Field
IOWA	6	5	7	L	5/8/92 7:00 P.M. Siebert Field
IOWA	10	1	7	L	5/9/92 4:00 p.m. Siebert Field
IOWA	5	1	7	L	5/9/92 7:00 p.m. Siebert Field
IOWA	4	3	7	L	5/10/92

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1992 Minnesota BASEBALL COACHES REPORT
Includes League games & Non-league games

NAME	GP	AB	RUN	HIT	RBI	AVG	SO	BB	HBP	TAB	%OB	TB	%SLG	SH	ATT	%
George Behr	54	185	44	68	58	.368	27	20	0	205	.429	110	.595	0	0	---
Adam Sobocienski	39	108	18	39	28	.361	11	12	1	121	.430	51	.472	0	2	.000
Mark Merila	55	168	50	59	40	.351	13	54	1	223	.511	93	.554	3	3	1.000
Ryan Lefebvre	51	171	40	59	15	.345	22	29	1	201	.443	71	.415	8	4	2.000
Charlie Nelson	52	159	48	54	31	.340	17	43	1	203	.483	73	.459	4	1	4.000
Darren Schwankl	52	142	34	46	16	.324	15	29	1	172	.442	57	.401	1	0	---
Darren Grass	43	119	25	38	39	.319	22	11	4	134	.396	68	.571	1	1	1.000
Brian Hartmann	46	123	26	37	23	.301	17	12	3	138	.377	56	.455	0	0	---
Keith Krenke	55	183	40	52	43	.284	24	23	1	207	.367	107	.585	1	1	1.000
Bill Mobilia	56	172	32	46	22	.267	43	22	5	199	.367	60	.349	4	2	2.000
LESS THAN 84 AT BATS																
Shane McCarthy	15	13	5	5	2	.385	5	3	0	16	.500	6	.462	0	0	---
Mark Vandersall	22	33	12	11	14	.333	8	4	0	37	.405	19	.576	0	0	---
Mike Oster	8	6	3	2	3	.333	1	3	1	10	.600	2	.333	0	0	---
Steve Calvert	41	69	13	19	14	.275	12	19	1	89	.438	24	.348	2	0	---
Tom Doyle	16	45	6	11	1	.244	13	4	0	49	.306	13	.289	0	0	---
Tony Bender	26	40	6	9	7	.225	10	5	1	46	.326	12	.300	1	1	1.000
Scott Bakkum	15	1	0	0	0	.000	1	0	0	1	.000	0	.000	0	0	---
John Lowery	12	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Jeff Schmidt	12	0	0	0	0	---	1	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Chris Lawler	12	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Eric Porter	11	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Eric Slagle	10	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Brent Davis	9	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Jason Karrmann	7	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Andy Hammerschmidt	7	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
J.T. Gilbert	7	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
James Brower	7	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
David Anderson	3	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
Jason Roland	1	0	0	0	0	---	0	0	0	0	---	0	---	0	0	---
TOTAL	56	1737	402	555	356	.320	262	293	21	2051	.424	822	.473	25	15	1.667
OPPONENTS	56	1658	249	430	215	.259	318	232	15	1905	.355	594	.358	27	15	1.800

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40	George Behr	54	185	44	68	15	0	9	110	6	9	0	3	0	20	27	58	4	.368	353	27	7	.982		
01	Adam Sobocienski	39	108	18	39	6	0	2	51	0	1	0	4	1	12	11	28	1	.361	0	0	0	---		
03	Mark Merila	55	168	50	59	20	1	4	93	12	18	3	5	1	54	13	40	5	.351	105	136	8	.968		
15	Ryan Lefebvre	51	171	40	59	4	4	0	71	13	20	8	3	1	29	22	15	2	.345	122	1	1	.992		
06	Charlie Nelson	52	159	48	54	7	3	2	73	19	30	4	1	1	43	17	31	4	.340	58	3	3	.953		
10	Darren Schwankl	52	142	34	46	6	1	1	57	8	10	1	3	1	29	15	16	2	.324	47	45	7	.929		
25	Darren Grass	43	119	25	38	9	0	7	68	2	3	1	4	4	11	22	39	2	.319	203	16	7	.969		
17	Brian Hartmann	46	123	26	37	7	0	4	56	2	5	0	2	3	12	17	23	4	.301	128	12	0	1.000		
16	Keith Krenke	55	183	40	52	8	1	15	107	4	4	1	2	1	23	24	43	5	.284	84	9	4	.959		
07	Bill Mobilia	56	172	32	46	11	0	1	60	10	14	4	1	5	22	43	22	3	.267	74	150	13	.945		
LESS THAN 84 AT BATS																									
11	Shane McCarthy	15	13	5	5	1	0	0	6	0	0	0	1	0	3	5	2	1	.385	16	1	0	1.000		
18	Mark Vandersall	22	33	12	11	5	0	1	19	1	1	0	1	0	4	8	14	2	.333	5	0	1	.833		
02	Mike Oster	8	6	3	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	3	1	3	0	.333	0	3	0	1.000		
33	Steve Calvert	41	69	13	19	5	0	0	24	0	1	2	0	1	19	12	14	1	.275	39	28	3	.957		
28	Tom Doyle	16	45	6	11	2	0	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	4	13	1	0	.244	42	2	0	1.000		
09	Tony Bender	26	40	6	9	0	0	1	12	0	1	1	0	1	5	10	7	1	.225	14	26	6	.870		
37	Scott Bakum	15	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	4	9	0	1.000		
27	John Lowery	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	3	9	1	.923		
22	Jeff Schmidt	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	11	13	0	1.000		
21	Chris Lawler	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	2	0	1.000		
30	Eric Porter	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	6	0	1.000		
31	Eric Slagle	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	3	7	2	.833		
35	Brent Davis	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	6	0	1.000		
43	Jason Karrmann	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	6	4	0	1.000		
34	Andy Hammerschmidt	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	4	0	1.000		
32	J.T. Gilbert	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	4	0	1.000		
19	James Brower	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	3	0	1.000		
23	David Anderson	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	1	0	1.000		
47	Jason Roland	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	1	0	1.000		
TEAM TOTAL		56	1737	402	555	106	10	47	822	77	117	25	30	21	293	262	356	37	.320	1320	528	63	.967		
OPPONENTS		56	1658	249	430	57	4	33	594	62	88	27	14	15	232	318	215	15	.259	1291	542	78	.959		

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47	Jason Roland	1	0	0	0	0	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.00	
30	Eric Porter	17	0	0	2	2	1	27.0	19	9	5	2	19	12	0	3	0	1.67	
43	Jason Karrmann	8	2	0	0	0	0	21.7	16	10	6	0	12	12	1	0	0	2.49	
32	J.T. Gilbert	7	0	0	0	0	1	14.0	10	5	4	0	12	8	2	2	1	2.57	
34	Andy Hammerschmidt	11	2	0	2	1	0	28.3	25	12	11	0	14	18	0	2	0	3.49	
19	James Brower	8	6	0	3	0	0	25.7	26	10	10	2	20	25	0	1	1	3.51	
37	Scott Bakum	16	12	9	8	3	1	84.3	83	41	33	9	19	57	2	3	0	3.52	
21	Chris Lawler	19	1	0	4	2	1	25.0	18	13	11	4	14	33	0	3	0	3.96	
31	Eric Slagle	14	9	1	5	2	0	49.3	52	31	24	5	28	35	4	4	0	4.38	
27	John Lowery	15	9	2	3	3	0	61.0	69	40	31	4	26	35	1	6	0	4.57	
35	Brent Davis	15	1	0	4	1	0	19.3	16	14	10	1	17	22	2	4	0	4.66	
11	Shane McCarthy	6	0	0	2	0	1	11.0	13	7	7	3	6	5	1	0	0	5.73	
22	Jeff Schmidt	14	14	0	4	5	0	67.3	76	53	43	2	43	55	2	9	1	5.75	
23	David Anderson	3	0	0	0	0	0	4.0	7	4	4	1	2	1	0	0	0	9.00	
NON-TEAM																			
TOTAL		56	56	12	37	19	5	439.0	430	249	198	33	232	318	15	37	3	4.06	
OPPONENTS		56	56	11	19	37	1	432.7	555	402	343	47	293	262	21	37	4	7.13	

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03	Mark Merila	28	85	26	35	14	0	3	58	6	7	3	1	1	21	8	15	2	.412	40	68	4	.964
40	George Behr	28	91	23	35	7	0	5	57	2	3	0	2	0	9	14	27	1	.385	177	12	2	.990
25	Darren Grass	25	67	16	24	6	0	6	48	1	1	1	2	2	4	14	24	2	.358	105	6	4	.965
10	Darren Schwankl	27	79	20	28	3	0	0	31	4	4	0	0	1	11	7	5	0	.354	21	31	4	.929
01	Adam Sobocienski	24	63	10	21	2	0	2	29	0	0	0	3	0	9	7	19	0	.333	0	0	0	---
16	Keith Krenke	28	90	21	29	3	0	8	56	2	2	0	0	1	8	13	25	4	.322	38	6	3	.936
07	Bill Mobilia	28	75	14	23	5	0	1	31	4	6	3	0	3	10	18	13	1	.307	34	69	6	.945
06	Charlie Nelson	27	81	23	24	0	2	2	34	6	11	3	0	0	19	9	15	2	.296	34	2	2	.947
15	Ryan Lefebvre	27	86	16	23	4	1	0	29	1	3	5	2	1	14	15	9	0	.267	64	1	1	.985
LESS THAN 60 AT BATS																							
18	Mark Vandersall	8	11	2	4	1	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	4	6	1	.364	1	0	1	.500	
17	Brian Hartmann	23	43	15	13	1	0	2	20	1	1	0	1	1	7	10	8	4	.302	33	4	0	1.000
28	Tom Doyle	4	10	2	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	.300	14	0	0	1.000	
09	Tony Bender	8	17	2	4	0	0	1	7	0	0	1	0	0	5	4	1	.235	6	9	4	.789	
33	Steve Calvert	20	21	5	4	1	0	0	5	0	0	1	0	0	4	5	2	.190	20	6	2	.929	
11	Shane McCarthy	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	---	
37	Scott Bakkum	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	1	9	0	1.000	
30	Eric Porter	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	4	0	1.000	
27	John Lowery	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	2	5	0	1.000	
22	Jeff Schmidt	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	---	8	7	0	1.000	
31	Eric Slagle	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	2	4	2	.750	
21	Chris Lawler	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	1	0	1.000	
35	Brent Davis	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	1	0	1.000	
43	Jason Karrmann	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	1	0	1.000	
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32	J.T. Gilbert	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	0	1	0	1.000	
TEAM TOTAL		28	820	196	270	47	3	30	413	27	38	17	11	10	116	132	172	18	.329	601	248	35	.960
OPPONENTS		28	735	141	199	33	1	16	282	36	45	13	8	7	111	122	121	6	.271	571	229	37	.956

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27	John Lowery	7	7	2	2	2	0	38.3	39	22	17	1	16	18	0	1	0	3.99
21	Chris Lawler	9	0	0	2	1	0	10.0	10	8	6	2	7	12	0	3	0	5.40
43	Jason Karrmann	2	0	0	0	0	0	6.0	5	6	4	0	6	5	0	0	0	6.00
31	Eric Slagle	7	7	1	3	1	0	26.7	28	24	18	4	19	13	2	4	0	6.08
34	Andy Hammerschmidt	4	0	0	0	0	0	8.7	10	7	7	0	6	4	0	0	0	7.27
22	Jeff Schmidt	7	7	0	1	4	0	31.7	41	36	30	2	32	28	1	7	1	8.53
35	Brent Davis	5	0	0	2	0	0	3.0	1	3	3	0	4	2	1	2	0	9.00
11	Shane McCarthy	2	0	0	0	0	0	1.3	3	4	4	1	0	0	1	0	0	27.00
TOTAL		28	28	10	18	10	2	191.0	199	141	111	16	111	122	7	21	1	5.23
OPPONENTS		28	28	7	10	18	1	190.3	265	189	162	30	112	125	10	9	1	7.66

The Golden Gopher mascot is positioned behind the word 'SPORTS' in the 'SPORTS NEWS' title. It is a cartoon gopher wearing a dark sweater with white stripes on the sleeves and a white collar, and a white scarf. It has its arms raised in a celebratory gesture.

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ERIKSSON & RODVOLD BREAK SCHOOL RECORDS AT MINNESOTA TRACK & FIELD OPEN; HOST LAST CHANCE MEET SATURDAY

Junior Chad Rodvold (Williston, N.D.) in the javelin and sophomore Martin Eriksson (Stockholm, Sweden) in the pole vault set new school records to pace the Golden Gopher men's track & field squad in last Saturday's non-scored Minnesota Open at the Bierman Track & Field Stadium.

Up, Up & Away!: Martin Eriksson won Saturday's pole vault competition with a school record and NCAA provisional qualifying vault of 17-10 1/2. That eclipsed the previous school mark of 17-0 3/4 that he set last year along with Justin Daler. Chad Rodvold finished second in the javelin Saturday, but surpassed his own school record of 213-2 set earlier this year with a toss of 213-5. Akron's Jeff Vojtko won the event with a throw of 232-3.

Six Victories: Head Coach Roy Griak's Golden Gophers won a total of six events Saturday. In addition to Martin Eriksson's victory in the pole vault, junior Tyrone Minor (St. Paul, Minn.) captured the 100 meters in 10.6 and the long jump with a leap of 24-1 3/4. Junior Chris Murrell (Grand Island, Neb.) won the high jump with a leap of 6-10 3/4, sophomore Norris Williams (Milwaukee, Wis.) captured the 400 meters in 47.85, and senior co-captain Sean Fitzgerald (Ottawa, Ontario, Canada) took the 800 meters in 1:53.89.

Last Chance Meet: The Golden Gophers will host the Minnesota Last Chance Meet on Saturday at the Bierman Track & Field Stadium. The co-ed competition gets underway at 11:00 a.m.

Big Ten Outdoor Championships: The University of Minnesota will host the men's and women's Big Ten Outdoor Championships May 22-23 at the world-class Bierman Track & Field Stadium. Advance tickets are now on sale at the Bierman Athletic Ticket Office. Adult all-session passes are \$10 and student all-session passes are \$9. Single-session tickets, available only at the gate each day, are \$6 for adults and \$5 for students.

GOLF TEAM FINISHES SIXTH AT WOLVERINE INVITATIONAL, TEAM TRAVELS TO BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIPS THIS WEEKEND AND AWAITS BID FROM NCAA.

The University of Minnesota golf team finished sixth at The Wolverine Invitational in Ann Arbor, Mich., this past weekend. The Gophers travel to Iowa City, Ia. this coming weekend to compete in the Big Ten Championships. The NCAA will release Golf Tournament berths on Wednesday.

The Gophers' strong finish rekindled hopes for a berth in the NCAA Tournament as they placed fourth among Big Ten competition in the tournament. The Maroon and Gold moved past Michigan and Michigan State in the final day of the Wolverine Invitational by shooting a 293. Ohio State won the tournament by three strokes over Ball State and 18 strokes over the Gophers. Indiana finished fourth two strokes better than the Gophers and Iowa was fifth only one stroke ahead of the team.

Dave Carothers (Owatonna, Minn.) finished fifth by shooting a 72 on the final day for a 215 total. Joe Gullion (San Antonio, Tex) and Rick Kuhn (Bismark, N.D.) each shot a 223, Phil Ebner (Hudson, Ohio) shot a 224, and Terry O'loughlin (Mapplewood, Minn.) shot a 228.



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GOPHERS DEFEAT MICHIGAN STATE 5-0; BEHR AND MERILLA NAMED TO ALL-BIG TEN SECOND TEAM

Golden Gopher Scott Bakkum pitched a four-hitter to lead Minnesota to a 5-0 victory over the Michigan State Spartan's at the Big Ten Tournament held in Columbus, Ohio. The Gophers improved their season record to 38-19, while the Spartan's dropped to 34-18. The Gophers will play the winner of The Ohio State-Illinois game at 2:30 (CDT) on Friday.

With today's victory Scott Bakkum recorded his 10th complete game in 13 starts this season and improved his overall record to 9-3. Bakkum struck out eight and walked only one Spartan as he cruised to his sixth straight victory.

Offensively, three Gophers had outstanding performances. George Behr had the hot bat, going 3-for-4 with a solo home run in the eighth inning. Keith Krenke finished the day 1-for-2, with three RBI's and junior center fielder Ryan Lefebvre went 2-for-4.


George Behr and Mark Merila were named to the All-Big Ten Second Team. Keith Krenke and Adam Sobocienski were named to the All-Big Ten Third Team.

Minnesota 5, Michigan State 0

Michigan State	000 000 000 -- 0-4-0
Minnesota	202 000 01x -- 5-10-2

MN-Bakkum and Grass. MSU-Wolffis (8), Kutcher and Mayes.
Winner-Bakkum 9-3; Loser-Wolffis 4-3. HR-MN Bahn (10th).

Attendance: 210



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GOPHERS OUTLAST ILLINI 4-3 IN TWELVE INNINGS; ONE VICTORY AWAY FROM WINNING BIG TEN TOURNAMENT

The University of Minnesota baseball team scored two runs in the top of the twelfth inning on three walks and two hit batters to break a 2-2 tie, and held on to defeat the University of Illinois 4-3 in their second game of the Big Ten Tournament in Columbus, Ohio. The Gophers (39-19) are now 2-0 in the round robin tournament and need only one more victory for the Big Ten title.

The Gophers will play at 2:30 (CDT) Saturday against the winner of the Illinois-Michigan State game at 11:00 (CDT) tomorrow. If the Gophers lose, then the final game will be played Sunday at noon(CDT.)

Michigan State (35-18) defeated host Ohio State earlier in the day, 10-7, to knock the defending champions out of the tournament and advance to meet the Illini(36-19.)

Five pitchers paved the way for the Gopher victory with Eric Porter(3-2) picking up the win in relief. Starter John Lowery was impressive through 6 2/3 innings giving up one unearned run on seven hits and striking out three. The Gophers have given up only one earned run in 21 innings of the tournament.

Illinois starter Keith Toriani kept the Gophers' bats in line by giving up just 6 hits in 11 innings of work. Illini reliever Matt Sander(4-1) took the loss after allowing the final two runs in the twelfth.

Darren Grass was the only Gopher to get more than one hit, going 2-5.

Minnesota 4, Illinois 3

Minnesota	000	000	020	002	--	4-6-2
Illinois	000	001	010	001	--	3-9-1

MN-Lowery, Lawler(7), Davis(8), Porter(8), Hammerschmidt(12) and Grass.
 ILL-Toriani, Sander(12), Dressen(12) and Schullian, Wells. Winner- Porter(3-2); Loser-Sander(4-1). HR- ILL Thompson(7)

Attendance: 215