

Cedar Rapids Kennedy's Mitch Crandall evades an unidentifed Linn-Mar tackler in the first half of last night's game at Armstrong Field in Marion. The Cougars clinched a Class 4A playoff berth with a 30-7

# Cougars blast Lions, earn playoff berth

By Jeff Linder

The Gazette MARION -- They didn't back in. They danced in.

Cedar Rapids Kennedy clinched its first playoff berth in six years, dominating the first half and cruising to a 30-7 victory over Linn-Mar in a Mississippi Valley Conference football game last night at Armstrong Field.
And after they shook the Lions all about,

they did the Hokey Pokey and turned themselves around in the visitors' locker room.
"We do that after every win," chuckled

Kennedy's Mike Morio, who found his way into the Linn-Mar backfield with frequency. Then he turned serious.

"We knew we had the potential to make it to the playoffs. We were disappointed we didn't make it last year. We didn't want to leave anything to chance tonight.

Kennedy (7-2) will play its first-round game at 7 p.m. Wednesday; the opponent and site were determined after press time. The Cougars might have qualified even with a loss. But by halftime, it was obvious that wasn't going to happen.

It was 23-0 at intermission as Kennedy won its third straight game since shifting Ben end to quarterba

"Ben's a playmaker, and we weren't getting the ball in his hands enough," said Kennedy Coach Tim Lewis.

Lamaak engineered the Cougars to four scoring drives in the first half. He hit Teddy Shonka for a 39-yard touchdown pass, then Herve Cantrell scored on runs of 13 and 5 yards. Jordan Grimm's 27-yard field goal with 1:09 left in the half made it 23-0.

"We knew what we had to do tonight," Lewis said. "We wanted to take care of what we had to do. We didn't want to back in. We came out ready.

The signature play of the game in the middle of the Cougars' third scoring drive. Scrambling from pressure, Lamaak stiff-armed a Linn-Mar defender and hit Daren Hlavacek for a 29-yard gain. Cantrell scored three plays later.

"He was hanging on me and I saw Daren," Lamaak said. "I was going to do whatever it

Linn-Mar (3-6) had the ball and moved fairly effectively in the second half but only broke even on the scoreboard.

Mark Rigby connected with Michael Biechler for a 23-yard touchdown pass to get the Lions within 23-7 early in the third quarter. But Cantrell's third touchdown, a 31-yard scamper, clinched it with 8 minutes to play.

Final statistics were deceiving. Linn-Mar had more first downs (19-15) and outgained the Cougars by a 322-265 margin. But field position was key — Grimm's kickoffs regularly went into the end zone for touchbacks, forcing the Lions into a long field.

And Kennedy had no turnovers, compared to two for Linn-Mar.

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# Prairie/'Best game' nets upset of Cedar Falls

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look like a team that hadn't played a close game all sea-

"We got it done tonight," said Prairie tight end-linebacker Robbie Kramer. "Everybody did. Head and shoulders, this was the best game we've ever played.'

The Hawks put together a third-quarter drive that culminated in a 1-yard quarterback sneak for TD by Nate Suchomel.

Cedar Falls punted on its next possession, with Prairie scoring the go-ahead points just three plays later on a Brandon Zinser 39-yard touchdown run with 58.4 seconds left in the third quarter.

Zinser rushed for 83 yards on 13 carries, as the fullback trap worked wonders much of the night.

Prairie again held Cedar Falls (8-1) on its next two possessions, including turning back the Tigers even though they took possession after a nice punt return at the Prairie 22 the second time. A huge sack of Cedar Falls quarterback Nate Curran by a blitzing cornerback Randy Shramek took CF back

to the 43 and forced a punt. That gave Prairie the ball

"Just one more drive. Be a team and believe. We came out tonight thinking we could beat anybody. Us seniors knew this was our last home game. We'll probably be traveling in the playoffs. Everyone saw that clock dwindling down, everyone knew this was the last 7 1/2 minutes we were going to play on this field this year. For the seniors, ever."

**Matt Trosky** 

Prairie lineman

at its 9 with 7:40 to play.

"Just one more drive. Be a team and believe," Prairie lineman Matt Trosky said he thought at that time. "We came out tonight thinking we could beat anybody. Us seniors knew this was our last home game. We'll probably be traveling in the playoffs.

"Everyone saw that clock dwindling down, everyone knew this was the last 71/2 minutes we were going to play on this field this year. For the seniors, ever.

And they went out and played like it. A bunch of short runs and a 27-yard pass off a flea-flicker killed most of the clock and took the ball to the CF 30. From there, tail-

back Jamie Klith took it to the end zone for a 28-17 Prairie lead and the ballgame.

Klith finished with 90 yards rushing on 21 carries. Prairie had 288 total yards to Cedar Falls' 186.

Brookins finished with 199 yards on 21 totes.

"We're in the playoffs, and we'll see who we get," Jelinek said. "The thing is now we've got to get over this. We can't be thinking that we're better than we are. They're just a bunch of hard-working kids, and we've got to remember

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# Xavier closes out strong by blanking Trojans, 30-0

News correspondent

IOWA CITY — Led by the fast feet of junior Will Martin, Cedar Rapids Xavier shut out Iowa City West, 30-0, last night in Mississippi Valley Conference football.

Martin rushed for 134 yards on 13 carries to lead the Saints to their sixth win of the season. But despite ending the season at 6-3, Xavier will not be a contender in the Class 4A playoffs that start next week.

"It makes you wonder, 'What if?'," Saints Coach Duane Schulte said. "Some years that happens, you get six wins and don't make it. Two out of the three losses were pretty close games, so it boils down to about five plays and we're 8-1 maybe.

"But you've got to make those five plays.

Xavier benefited from Martin's two first-half touchdowns, as he racked up 109 yards on 12 carries by intermission.

He rolled right, hugged the sideline, and outran the Trojans' Jed Snyder for his second, a 62-yard run that put the Saints up, 14-0. He had made a 5-yard touchdown for their first score.

Eddie Anders racked up 80 yards on 16 carries, and he put the finishing touches on the win with a 23-yard touchdown run to give the Saints a 27-0 lead at the start of the fourth quarter.

"Both Will and Eddie ran real hard," Schulte said. "But they don't get anything unless somebody's blocking, and

### Mississippi Valley **Conference standings**

Miss. Division	Conf	All
Iowa City High	9-0	9-0
C.R. Xavier	6-3	6-3
Dub. Hempstead	4-5	4-5
Dubuque Senior	4-5	4-5
Linn-Mar	3-6	3-6
C.R. Jefferson	1-8	1-8
Waterloo East	0-9	0-9
Valley Division	Conf.	All
Valley Division Cedar Falls	Conf. 8-1	8-1
Cedar Falls	8-1	8-1
Cedar Falls C.R. Prairie	8-1 7-2	8-1 7-2
Cedar Falls C.R. Prairie C.R. Kennedy	8-1 7-2 7-2	8-1 7-2 7-2
Cedar Falls C.R. Prairie C.R. Kennedy C.R. Washington	8-1 7-2 7-2 6-3	8-1 7-2 7-2 6-3

THURSDAY I.C. Senior 14, Jefferson 3

Prairie 28, Cedar Falls 17 City High 15, Washington 13 Hempstead 34, Waterloo East 6 Kennedy 30, Linn-Mar 7 Wahlert 29, Waterloo West 21 Xavier 30, I.C. West 0

I thought our guys did a real nice job blocking.'

Offensive miscues in the first half cost West (3-6). Three Trojan turnovers led to 10 Xavier points.

"The turnovers certainly hurt us," West Coach Dan Dvorak said. "You can't give a good team like Xavier field position like we did. You look at winning and losing and it's big plays and turnovers."

seem to get anything going in a tough way, no question.

field. The closest the Trojans' got was the Xavier 26 before quarterback Matt Hartman was sacked by the Saints' Joe Bedard for a 12-yard loss.

Fullback Zach Topping led West with 55 yards on 14

The Trojan defense did manage to hold the Saints on their longest drive of the first half, forcing them to settle for a 22-yard Nate Schulte field goal despite getting to the West 4-yard line.

Schulte also hit a 26-yard field goal in the fourth, and Danny Bauer made a 40-yarder that ended the second quarter. Xavier led 20-0 at halftime.

West's defense had to put in a yeoman's effort through the game, as Xavier ate up the clock with more than 65 offensive plays that yielded 389 yards of total offense.

"What I was concerned about was keeping the ball away from West" Schulte said. "They've got some dangerous kids. All we wanted to do was keep the ball away from them.

Dvorak said his defense just spent too much time on the field.

"We were out there too long," he said. "Give Xavier credit. They were patient and took what we gave them."

It was a disappointing way to end the season for West.

'You always want to win the last one for the seniors especially," Dvorak said. "We're disappointed, but West's offense couldn't we've got great kids. But it's

# City High/Defense leads way as Little Hawks top Warriors

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175-pound senior completed 19 of 28 passes for 226 yards with no interceptions but couldn't put one in the end

Fourteen of the completions and 176 of his yards came in the second half.

"He's a Suess," City High's Sabers said, referring to father Phil and brother Warren. "Dad was a quarterback and (Will) understands the game very well.'

John Hart caught seven passes for 87 yards.

Both defenses played well, with City High's led by Ferentz, Evans and Trevor Hixon and Washington's by Nick Lenzen, Stacey Walker and Everett Brown.

proved to be just a lead-in to a second quarter in which the Little Hawks put two touchdowns on the board to give them a 13-0 halftime lead.

A scoreless first quarter

The first was an 18-yard scoring strike from quarterback Jon Gilmore to fullback Arcidius Robinson, who came out of the backfield to make the catch.

It capped an 11-play, 51-yard drive at the 9:12 mark of the second quarter.

The second came after City High took advantage of a Washington turnover that gave it possession at the Warrior 46.

On the first play from scrimmage, Travis Gobush plowed ahead, breaking tackles to take it all the way in with 7:00 left in the first half.

Drahos kicked his two field goals in the third and fourth

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Cedar Rapids Washington's Joe Drahos walks off the field after having his late field goal blocked by lowa City High defenders in the fourth quarter of City High's 15-13 win over the Warriors last night at Kingston Stadium in Cedar Rapids. City High finishes the regular season with a 9-0 record.

quarters.

Both City High and Washington will play their Class 4A playoff openers on

Wednesday night. Pairings were not set at press time.

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### **EVENTS OF AREA INTEREST**

Prep cross country ☐ State Championships in Fort Dodge, 11 a.m. Girls' swimming

Regionals ☐ Cedar Falls, Davenport Central, Davenport North, Davenport West, Jefferson, Kennedy, Linn-Mar, Vinton-Shellsburg at Washington, diving at 9:30 a.m.;

swimming at 1:30 p.m. ☐ Burlington, C.R. Prairie-Williamsburg, C.R. Xavier, Fairfield, Iowa City High, Iowa City West, Keokuk, Muscatine, Ottumwa and Tipton at Mercer Aquatic Center. diving at 9:30 a.m.; swimming at 1:30 p.m.

#### College football

lowa State at Texas A&M, 2:30 p.m. Youngstown State at Northern Iowa, 3:07 p.m.

Cornell at Coe, 1 p.m.

Loras at Luther, 1 p.m. ☐ Northwestern Oklahoma State at Upper Iowa, 1 p.m.

### College volleyball

Baylor at Iowa State, 7 p.m.

Cornell at St. Ambrose Invitational ☐ Coe at Augustana (III.) Invitational

### College cross country

☐ Coe, Cornell, Luther at Iowa Conference Championships at Jones Park. 11 a.m.

☐ Northern Iowa at Missouri Valley Conference Championships in Evansville, Ind., 10:30 a.m.

#### Men's soccer

Buena Vista at Cornell, 2 p.m.

Loras at Luther, 1 p.m.

☐ Midwest Classic Conference quarterfinals: Mount Mercy at William Penn, 2 p.m.

#### Women's soccer

Buena Vista at Cornell, noon

☐ Loras at Luther, 3 p.m.

□ lowa vs. Louisville in Ann Arbor, Mich., 2 p.m.

### Junior hockey

☐ Des Moines at C.R. RoughRiders, 7:05 p.m.

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**Pro tennis** 

Friday

At Basel, Switzerland SINGLES

Quarterfinals

Marcos Baghadis, Cyprus, def. Jose Acasuso, Argenlina, 6-7 (2), 7-6 (5), 6-3. David Nalbandian (2), Argentina, def. Paradorn Srichaphan, Thailand, 6-2, 6-2. Dominik Hrbaty (5), Slovakia, def. Kris-tof Vilegen, Bejgium, 6-7 (9), 6-1, 6-3. Fernando Gonzalez (4), Chile, def. Andy Murray, Britain 6-4, 3-6, 6-1.

ATP GRAND PRIX DE LYON At Lyon, France

SINGLES Quarterfinals

Gael Monfils, France, def. Marc Gicquel, France, 6-4, 6-1.

i Sebastien Grosiean, France, def. Olivier Rochus, Belgium, 6-3, 7-6 (4).

Fabrice Santoro, France, def. Vince Spadea, United States, 6-2, 6-2.

Andy Roddick (1), United States, def. Mario Ancic (7), Croatia, 6-4, 6-4.

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SINGLES Quarterfinals

Nadia Petrova (3), Russia, def. Sybille Bammer, Austria, 6-2, 3-6, 6-3. Ana Ivanovic (8), Serbia-Montenegro, def. Tatiana Golovin (9), France, 7-5, 6-3. Patty Schnyder (4), Switzerland, def. Caniela Hantuchova (6), Slovakia, 6-2, 6-1, Kveta Peschke, Czech Republic, def. Ai Sugiyama, Japan, 4-6, 7-5, 6-4.

ATP ST. PETERSBURG OPEN At St. Petersburg, Russia

Fernando Verdasco (8), Spain, def. Kenneth Carlsen, Denmark, 6-4, 6-2. Thomas Johansson (2), Sweden, def. Greo Rusedski (7), Britain, 6-2, 7-6 (6). Robin Vik, Czech Republic, def. Mikhail Youthy (4), Russia, 1-6, 6-4, 6-2. Nicolas Kiefer, Germany, def. Nikolay Davydenko (1), Russia, 6-1, 6-1.

WTA GAZ DE FRANCE STARS

SINGLES Quarterfinals

Alichaelia Kralicek, Netherlands, def. Nathalie Dechy (2), France, 6-4, 6-3. Francesca Schiavone (3), Italy, 6-8. Samantha Stosur, Australia, 6-3, 6-2. Kim Cilisters (1), Belgium, def. Julia Schruff, Germany, 6-2, 6-3. Dinara Safina (4), Russia, def. Katarina Srebotnik (8), Slovenia, 4-6, 6-2, 7-6 (9).

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At Palm Harbor, Fla. (Westin Innisbrook Resort, par 71) SECOND ROUND RESULTS

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Steve Lowery
Bo Van Pelt
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Davis Love III
Bernhard Langer
Carl Petter sson
Tom Pernice, Jr.
Justin Rose
Retief Goosen
Tim Herron
Charles Howell III
Tom Lehman
Rocco Mediaet
Jeff Brehaut
Dean Wilson
John Huston
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Chris Riley
Robert Gamez
Chad Campbell
Lucas Glover
Health Slocum
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Hidemichi Tanaka Steve Allan J.L. Lewis ....
Mark Brooks
Ben Crane ....
Dan Forsman
John Senden ...
Adam Scott ...
Stewart Cink ..
Marco Dawso
Brian Batema
Woody Austin
Bart Bryant ...
Jerry Kelly ...

Tag Ridings ..... Cameron Beckman ...

Failed to qualify .......73-73—146 At Sonoma, Calif. (Sonoma GC, par 72)

..69-73-142 ..69-73-142 LPGA CJ NINE BRIDGES CLASSIC (Nine Bridges Golf Club, par 72)

(Nine Bridges Golf Club	
FIRST ROUND RES	ULTS
Jee Young Lee	35-30-6
Carin Koch	33-34-6
Jeong Jang	33-346
Hee Young Park	35-34-6
Sherri Steinhauer	35-357
Ran Hong	36-347
Sun Hwa Lee	37-33-7
Mi Hyun Kim	36-34-7
Sophie Gustafson	37-33-7
Hyun Hee Moon	37-34—7
Becky Morgan	34-37—7
Aree Song	35-36-7
Rachel Hetherington	35-36-7
Kim Saiki	37-35-7
Nancy Scranton	37-357
Janice Moodie	36-367
Joo Mi Kim	38-347
Silvia Cavalleri	37-367
Virada Nirapathpongporn	37-367
Kris Tschetter	36-377
Jeong Eun Lee	36-37—7
Wendy Doolan	35-387
Il Mi Chung	36-377
Na Yeon Choi	37-367
Karine Icher	39-34-7
Young Kim	35-38-7
Jimin Kang	35-38-7
Kyeong Eun Bae	34 30 7
Paula Creamer	34-39-7
Gloria Park	33-30-7
Shi Hyun Ahn	3/-30-/
Grace Park	
NATIONWIDE TOUR CHA	MPIONSHIP
At Prattville, A	a.

(Robert Trent Jones Golf Trail) (Capitol Hill, Senator Course, par 72)

SECOND ROUND RESULTS	x-at .
David Branshaw71-65—136	y-at /
Jon Mills67-70—137	
Steven Bowditch71-68—139	
Ryan Armour69-70-139	
Jim McGovern68-72-140	Farranita
David Morland IV67-73-140	Favorite
Mathew Goggin71-70-141	N.Y. GIA
Bill Haas70-71-141	CINCINN
Rick Price68-73-141	DETRO
Cliff Kresge68-73-141	CAROLI
PGA EUROPEAN-VOLVO MASTERS At Sotogrande, Spain (Valderrama Golf Club, par 71)	Oakland DALLAS HOUSTO N. ORLE
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DETROIT	3	Chicago
CAROLINA	71/2	Minnesota
Oakland	11/2	TENNESSEE
DALLAS	9	Arizona
HOUSTON	2	Cleveland
N. ORLEANS-Z	21/2	Miam
Jacksonville	31/2	ST. LOUIS
SAN DIEGO	6	Kansas City
Tampa Bay	11	SAN FRAN
DENVER	31/2	Philadelphia
NW ENGLAND	9	Buffaic
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### Prep football

#### Friday

METRO/IOWA CITY Prairie 28, Cedar Falls 17 lowa City High 15, Washington Kennedy 30, Linn-Mar 7 Mount Vernon 8, Marion 6 Regina 27, Pekin 0 Xavier 30, I.C. West 0

I.C. West 37, Xavier 14 Linn-Mar 20, Kennedy 17 Marion 41, Mount Vernon 0 Prairie 35, Cedar Falls 14 Washington 25, City High 0 MISSISSIPPI VALLEY

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CLASS 3A DISTRICT 3 Charles City 32, Crestwood 7 Decorah 10, Waukon 7 New Hampton 33, Independence 9 Oelwein 32, Waverly-Shell Rock 13 CLASS 3A DISTRICT 4

Maquoketa 27, DeWitt Central 17 Mount Vernon 8, Marion 6 W. Delaware 21, Vinton-Shlsbg 13 Western Dubuque 34, Anamosa 7 CLASS 3A DISTRICT 5

Chariton 38, Keokuk 24 Fairfield at Centerville, no report Oskaloosa 51, Mount Pleasant 24 Washington (Ia.) 40, Ft. Madison 13

Carlisle 21, Clear Creek Amana 12 Grinnell 34, Williamsburg 7 Pella 47, South Tama 6

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Durant 42, Highland-Lone Tree 0 Mediapolis 26, Columbus Jct. 13 Mid-Prairie 56, Louisa-Muscatine 0 Wilton 39, West Liberty 36

Albia 13, W. Burlington-ND 0 Eddyvle-Blakesbg 31, Van Buren 0 NL-Danville 34, Central Lee 20 Sigourney-Keota 62, Davis Co. 14 CLASS 1A DISTRICT 4

Denver at Wapsie Valley, no report Dike-NH 35, Turkey Valley 0 Glad.-Reinbeck 30, Nash.-Plainfld 8 Jesup 36, Hudson 28 CLASS 1A DISTRICT 5 Bellevue 8, Clayton Ridge 0 North Cedar 17, Tipton 6 North-Linn 16, Midland 13 Starmont 51, Northeast 12

CLASS 1A DISTRICT 6 Iowa City Regina 27, Pekin 0 Montezuma 47, Cardinal 6 Wapello 24, BGM 8 West Branch 42, Belle Plaine 6

CLASS A DISTRICT 3 C.F. NU High 27, Alburnett 22 Lansing Kee 19, Dunkerton 0 Postville 20, Elkader Central 0

CLASS A DISTRICT 4 C.F. NU High 27, Alburnett 22 Central City 47, East Central 0 Ed-Co 36, Olin 30 (OT) Lisbon 53, Springville 7 Preston 28, East Buchanan 0

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STATE
AGWSR 43, Woodward-Granger 0
Algona Garrigan 40, North Butler 0
Ames 43, Fort Dodge 8
Ankeny 42, SE Polk 7
Ap-Parkersburg 20, St. Ansgar 10
Atlantic 33, Denison-Schleswig 19
Bettendorf 31, Davenport Central 10
Boone 52, Nevada 9
Boyer Valley 48, West Harrison 13
Boyden-Hull/RV 35, W. Christian 0
Carroll 41, CB Lewis Central 21
Carroll Kmper 62, W. Central 21
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CB Lincoln 29, Sioux City North 25
Clarinda 55, Shenandoan 21
Clear Lake 36, lowa Falls-Alden 0
Crystal Lake WCLT 62, CWL 14
DM Lincoln 35, DM East 14
East Union 49, Lynnville-Sully 6
Eldora-NP 34, Prairie Valley 16
Emmetsburg 7, Hartley HMS 6
Exira 44, East Greene 0
FD St. Edmond 28, Cherokee 14
Fentn Sentrl 28, Pomeroy-Palmer 6
Gilbert 41, Ogden 7
Glenwood 16, Jefferson-Scranton 6
Gilbert 41, Ogden 7
Genewood 16, Jefferson-Scranton 6
Gilden-Raiston 55, Ar-We-Va 13
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Hampton-Dumont 35, Forest City 14
Harmony Met. Moravia, forfeit

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Huxley Ballard 20, Webster City 6
Indianola 10, Johnston 6
Lake Mills 48, Belmond-Klemme 6
Lamoni 14, Murray 8
LeMars 39, Algona 10
LeMars Gehin 47, Corr. River VIy 0
Lenox 74, Adair-Casey 12
Logan-Magnolia 21, Underwood 7
Manning 13, Manilla IKM 7
Man-NW Wbstr 27, Okoboji 24, 2OT
Mart.-SI. Marys 42, Colo-Nesco 22
MC Newman 46, Rockford 14
Melcher-Dallas 42, Twin Cedars 40
Mount Avr 20, Truro 1-35 14
NE Hamilton 68, NS-Rock Falls 36
North Iowa 28, Clarksville 7
Northwood-Kensett 72, N. Central 0
Ottumwa 35, DM Roosevett 27
Panorama 28, Corning 3
PCM 40, Bondurant-Farrar 22
Pleasantville 31, Central Decatur 16
Pocahonitas 14, South O'Brien 0
RC-Lytton 51, Laurens-Marathon 14
Remsen-Union 56, Chrtr Oak-Ute 21
Roland-Story 41, CMB 22
Schaller-Crestland 27, CC-Everly 0
SE Warren 35, Van Meter 0
Sheldon 20, Sloux Center 19
Sloux Central 21, Hinton 8
South Page 78, Farragut 0
Spencer 42, Spirit Lake 7
Tri-Center 53, West Monona 15
Twin River Valley 43, Harris-LP 7
Walnut 54, Stanton 30
Waukee 56, Savdel 20
WB-Mallard 22, LC Southern Cal 13
WDM Dowling 34, Urbandale 0
WDM Valley 45, Mason City 0
West Lvon 42, Spir Bluff-Luton 7
West Sloux 49, Akron-Westfield 8
Whiting 42, Remsen Saint Mary's 28
Winterset 47, Dallas Cfr-Grimes 6
Woodbry Cntrl 34, Sloan Westwd 6

lowa City High 15 C.R. Washington 13

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AT KINGSTO	N STAD	IUM
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First downs	12	
Rushes-yards	36-150	32-4
Passing yards	80	22
Comp-att-int	6-6-0	19-28-
Punts-avg.	4-35.7	2-31
Fumbles-lost	1-1	3
Penalties-yds	8-75	3-1
I.C. High	0 13	0 2-
C.R. Washington	0 0	3 10-
ICH-Arcidius	Robinson	n 18 pa
from Jon Gilmore	(kick f	ailed)
ICH-Travis	Gobush	46 rt

ICH—Travis Gobush 46 run (Andrew Schult kick) CRW—Joe Drahos 36 FG CRW—Drahos 27 FG ICH—Safety (Warren Suess sacked in end zone) CRW—Suess 1 run (Drahos kick)

C.R. Prairie 28

Cedar Falls 17 AT JOHN WALL FIELD CF 8 29-178 CRP 16 41-177 8 2-11-0 6-32.3 3-0 11-85

9-12-0 6-32.7 2-1 7-55 Punts-avg. Fumbles-lost Penalties-yds ...... 7 3 7 0—17 ...... 7 0 14 7—28 CRP—Ben Reutzel 5 pass Nate Suchomel (Aaron Sturtz CF—Taylor Brookins 90 ki

return (Jason Goulden kick)
CF—Goulden 30 FG
CF—Brookins 80 run (Spencer
Steffy kick)
CRP—Suchomel 1 run (Sturtz kick) CRP—Brandon Zinser 39 run urtz kick)
CRP—Jamie Klith 30 run (Sturtz

> **Mount Vernon 8** Marion 6

AI MOUNT	AFUIA	714	
	MAR		MTV
First downs	14		11
Rushes-yards	35-88		42-129
Passing yards	168		43
Comp-att-int	11-19-1		4-17-1
Punts-avg.	3-32.0		5-34.6
Fumbles-lost	3/1		2/1
Penalties-yds	3-35		4-20
Marion	0 6	0	0-6
Mount Vernon	0 0	0	8-8
MAR-Nick			

MTV—George Zacharakis-Jutz
7 run (Zacharakis run)

C.R. Kennedy 30 Linn-Mar 7 AT ARMSTRONG FIELD

	CHK	LM
First downs	15	19
Rushes-yards	31-166	41-179
Passing yards	99	143
Comp-att-int	8-19-0	14-29-1
Punts-avg.	5-35.4	4-25.8
Fumbles-lost	0-0	2-1
Penalties-yds	3-20	6-60
C.R. Kennedy	7 16	0 7-30
Linn-Mar	0 0	7 0- 7
CRK — Teddy	Shonk	a 39 pass

from Ben Lamaak (Jordan Grimm kick) CRK — Herve Cantrell 13 run (run failed) CRK — Cantrell 5 run (Grimm

kick)
CRK — Grimm 27 FG
LM — Michael Biechler 23 pass
from Mark Rigby (Grant Mahoney Kick) CRK — Canfrell 31 run (Grimm

### C.R. Xavier 30 I.C. West 0

AT IOWA	CITY	
	CRX	ICW
First downs	20	9
Rushes-yards	53-312	33-94
Passing yards	77	43
Comp-att-int	6-12-0	2-8-1
Punts-avg.	2-38	5-29.2
Fumbles-lost	0-0	2-2
Penalties-yds	5-30	4-22
C.R. Xavier	7 13	0 10-30
I.C. West	0 0	0 -0
CRX-Will Ma	rtin 5 ru	in (Nate

Schulte kick)
CRX—Martin 62 run (Schulte

CRX—FG Schulte 22 CRX—FG Danny Bauer 40 CRX—Eddle Davis 23 (Schulte kick) CRX—FG Schulte 26

### **Playoffs**

CLASS 4A PAIRINGS Sioux City Heelan (6-3) at Sioux City East (8-1)

Fort Dodge (6-3) at West Des Moines Valley (9-0) West Des Moines Dowling (8-1) Ankeny (6-3) at Des Moines Lincoln (8-1)

Lincoln (8-1)
Cedar Rapids Washington (6-3)
at Cedar Falls (8-1), 8:45 p.m.
Cedar Rapids Prairie (7-2) at
Cedar Rapids Prairie (7-2) at
Cedar Rapids Kennedy (7-2)
Bettendorf (8-1) at lowa City
High (9-0)
North Scott (7-2) at Davenport
Assumption

### CLASS 3A PAIRINGS

Lemars (8-1) at Humboldt (8-1) Clear Lake (8-1) at Boone (7-2) Winterset (7-2) at Harlan (9-0) Creston-OM (6-3) at Waukee

New Hampton (7-2) at West daware (9-0) Mount Vernon (5-4) at Decorah

Williamsburg (6-3) at Oskaloosa Washington, Iowa (7-2) at Grin-

#### CLASS 2A PAIRINGS West Lyon (6-3) at Sheldor

(9-0)
Emmetsburg (8-1) at Fort Dodge St. Edmond (10-0)
Clarinda (7-2) at Carroll Kuemper (7-2)
North Polk (7-2) at Monroe PCM (8-1)
Clarion-Goldfield (8-1) vs. Solon (9-0) at UNI-Dome, 6:15 p.m.
Center Point-Urbana (7-2) at North Fayette (9-0)
Albia (6-3) at Sigourney-Keota

### (9-0) Mid-Prairie (6-3) at Wilton (9-0) CLASS IA PAIRINGS

Sioux Central (8-1)/at Pocahon-tas Area (7-2) Algona Garrigan (7-2) at AGWSR (8-1) Council Bluffs St. Albert (6-3) at Logan-Magnolia (7-2) Mount Ayr (7-2) at Pleasantville

(8-1)
Eldora-New Providence (7-2) at
Dike-New Hartford (6-3)
Gladbrook-Reinbeck (8-1) at
Aplington-Parkersburg (9-0)
lowa City Regina (8-1) at Starmont (9-0). mont (9-0) Tipton (6-3) at West Branch

CLASS A PAIRINGS

Newell-Fonda (8-1) at LeMars
Gehien (8-1)
Galva-Holstein (7-2) at West
Bend-Mallard (9-0)
Martensdale-St. Marys (8-1) at
Avoca AHST (9-0)
Guthrie Center (8-1) at Madrid
(9-0)

(9-0)
Riceville (7-2) at Valley Community (9-0)
Postville (8-1) at West Hancock

WACO (8-1) at N. Mahaska

Edgewood-Colesburg (8-1) at bon (9-0) EIGHT-PLAYER PAIRINGS Whiting (8-1) at Glidden-Ralston

Northeast Hamilton (8-1) at North Kossuth (7-2) Walnut (7-2) at Essex (9-0) Melcher-Dallas (8-1) at Lenox

### **Transactions** Friday

BASEBALL American League Cleveland Indians—Agreed to terms with Ramon Vazquez on a one-year con-

Texas Rangers—Named Jose Vazquez rength & conditioning coach. strength & conditioning coach.

National League
Arizona Diamondbacks—Named Josh
Byrnes general manager.

Washington Nationals—Exercised their
2006 mulual option on the contract of RHP
Esteban Loiaza, who declined it.

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BASKETBALL

National Baskerbail Association

Denver Nugests—Exercised their option
on the contract of F Carmelo Anthony.

Los Angeles Clippers—Waived F Rodnew White.

Milwaukee Bucks—Exercised their option on the contract of G T.J. Ford.
New Orleans Hornets—Waived F
George Lynch.
Philadelphila 76ers—Waived C Steve
Castleberry and G Folu Farmutimi.

FOOTBALL National Football League National Poorbal Legyer

Buffald Bills—Agreed to terms with CB
Terrence McGee on a four-year contract
extension, through 2009.
Oakland Raiders—Placed S Derrick
Gibson on injured reserve. Signed LB
Isaiah Ekeiluba from the practice squad.

HOCKEY
National Hockey League

Chicago Blackhawks—Assigned RW Mi-in Bartovic to Norfolk of the AHL. Edmonton Oilers—Activated LW Todd larvey from the injured list.

### Colorado St. 35, New Mexico 25

#### **College football** Friday

N.Y. Rangers Today New Jersey N.Y. Islander: Pittsburgh BIG TEN Michigan at Northweste Ohio State at Minnesota Purdue at Penn State Montreal Ottawa BIG 12 lowa State at Texas A&M, 2:30 p.m. Colorado at Kansas State Missouri at Kansas Oklahoma at Nebraska Texas at Oklahoma State Texas at Oklahoma State Texas Tech at Baylor

GATEWAY CONFERENCE Youngtown St. at Northern Iowa, 4 p.m. Indiana State at Missouri State Western Illinois at Illinois State Atlanta IOWA CONFERENCE Buena Vista at Simpson, 1 p.m. Central at Dubuque, 1 p.m. Cornell at Coe, 1 p.m. Loras at Luther, 1 p.m.

OTHER IOWA COLLEGES OTHER IOWA COLLEGES
Priar Cliff at Nrthwstrn (lowa), 1 p.m.
Butler at Drake, 1 p.m.
Cent. Methodist at Graceland, 1:30 p.m.
Hastlings (Neb.) at Morningside, 1 p.m.
NW Oklahoma St. at Upper lowa, 1 p.m.
St. Francis (III), at lowa Wslyn, 1 p.m.
William Penn at St. Ambrose, 1 p.m.

FAR WEST

IOWA JUNIOR COLLEGES Isworth at North Iowa wa Central at North Dakota Science AP TOP 25 Southern Cal vs. Washington State Texas at Oklahoma State Georgia vs. #16 Florida, at Jackson-

MIDWEST Akron at Bowling Green Ball State at Northern Illinois Georgia Southern at South Dakota State Kent State at Western Michigan Murray State at Southeast Missouri San Diego at Valiparaiso Tennessee-Marlin at Eastern Illinois Toledo at Central Michigan

Albany (N.Y.) al Wagner Bucknell at Lafayette Cincinnati at Syracuse Cornell at Princeton Darfmouth at Harvard Delaware at Maine Duquesne at Iona Hofstra at Rhode Island Holy Cross at Fordham Kean at La Salle Lehigh at Colgate Marmi (Ohio) at Temple Monmouth (N.J.) at Cent. Conn. St. Navy at Rutgers New Hampshire at Massachusetts Ohio at Buffalo Pennsylvania at Brown St. Francis (Pa.) at Sacred Heart Stony Brook at Robert Morris William & Mary at Villanova Yale at Columbia Albany (N.Y.) at Wagner

SOUTH Alabama A&M vs. Alabama State
Arkansas-Pine Bluff at Jackson State
Bethune-Cookman at No. Carolina A&T
Central Florida at East Carolina
Central State (Ohio) at Savannah State
Chattanoga at Appalachian State
Clemson at Georgia Tech
Davids and Davidson
Delaware State at South Carolina State
Elion at Western Carolina

Dayton at Davidson
Delaware State at South Carolina State
Elon at Western Carolina
Florida A&M at Morgan State
Howard at Norfolk State
Liberty at Gardner-Webb
Marshall vs. Tulane
Middle Tennessee at Fla. International,
pod, nurrican Auburn
Mississippi at Austin Peay
Mississippi State at Kentucky
Missouri-Rolla at Austin Peay
Northeastern at Northwestern State
Richmond at James Madison
Sam Houston State at McNeese State
Sam Houston State at Louisiana Tech
Southern Mississippi at No. Carolina St.
Tennessee State at Samford
Tennessee State at Samford
Tennessee State at Jackson/lile State
Texas Southern at Grambling State
Texas Southern at Grambling State
Texas Southern at Grambling State
Troy at Louisiana-Lafayette
VMI at Coastal Carolina
Wake Forest at Duke
Wofford at The Citadel
SOUTHWEST

SOUTHWEST Mississippi Valley State at Prairie View SE Louisiana at Stephen F. Austin Texas-El Paso at Rice

FAR WEST Air Force at Brigham Young Arizona at Oregon State Cal Poly at California-Davis Cai Poly at California-Davis East. Washington at Sacramento State Fort Lewis at Northern Colorado Fresno State at Howaii Idaho at New Mexico State Idaho State at Weber State Novada at Bolse State North Dakota State at Southern Utah Northern Arizona at Montana State Portland State at Montana Washington at Arizona State

## Pro football

### AMERICAN CONFERENCE East Division W L T Pct PF PA

New England	3	3	0	.500	138	164
Buffalo	3 3 2	4	0	.429	112	138
Miami	2	4	0	.333	115	128
N.Y. Jets	2	5	0	.286	92	139
South Division	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Indianapolis	7	0	0	1.000	189	77
Jacksonville	4	2	0	.667	108	101
Tennessee	2	5	0	.286	136	177
Houston	0	6	0	.000	74	179
North Division	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Cincinnati	5	2	0	.714	168	111
Pittsburgh	4	2	0	.667	149	95
Baltimore	2	4	0	.333	69	100
Cleveland	2	4	0	.333	78	103
West Division	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Denver	5	2	0	.714	152	131
Kansas City	4	2	0	.667	149	132
San Diego	3	4	0	.429	193	146

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4	2	0	.667	135	103
4	2	0	.667	173	137
4	2	0	.667	142	118
4	3	0	.571	147	124
W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
5	1	0	.833	116	72
5	2	0	.714	175	133
	2	0	.667	148	136
2	5	0	.286	119	201
W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
3	3	0	.500	100	68
3	3	0	.500	104	106
2	4	0	.333	90	155
1	5	0	.167	144	118
W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
5	2	0	.714	181	127
3	4	0	.429	184	210
2	4	0	.333	114	144
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NATIONAL CONFERENCE
Division W L T Pct PF PA

(lowa times)

Chicago at Detroit, noon
Arizona at Daltoit, noon
Oakland at Temessee, noon
Cleveland at Houston, noon
Washington at N.Y. Glants, noon
Jacksonville at St. Louis, noon
Green Bay at Cincinnati, noon
Minnesota at Carolina, noon
Minami vs. New Orleans at Baton Rouge,
La., 305 p.m.
Kansas City at San Diego, 305 p.m.
Philadelohia at Denver, 3:15 p.m.
Buffalo at New England, 7:30 p.m.
MONDAY'S GAME
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MONDAY'S GAME Baltimore at Pittsburgh, 8 p.m.

Open: Indianapolis, N.Y. Jets, Seattle,

Local golf Friday TGIF 5-PERSON BEST SHOT At Airport National (Flight winners only)

Championship — Gary Deerrleid, David McCargill, Jim Griffen, Todd Hermanson, Jerry Stevens, 53, First — Chuck Newton, Doug Klinger, Dave Weller, Dave Mirde, Steve Johnson, 55; Mixed — Dena Baethke, Tom Shinrock, Holly D letiker, Tim Zimmerman, Molly Zach, 57.

### Pro hockey

NHL EASTERN CONFERENCE Atlantic Div. W L OT Pts GF GA

W L OT Pts GF GA Southeast Div. Carolina Tampa Bay Florida W L OT Pts GF GA

WESTERN CONFERENCE Central Div.
Detroit
Nashville
Columbus
Chicago
St. Louis W L OT Pts GF GA Northwest Div W L OT Pts GF GA Pacific Div. W L OT Pts GF GA Los Angeles Dallas

FRIDAY'S RESULTS Carolina 8, Philadeiphia 6 Columbus 2, Minnesota 1 (SO) New Jersey 3, Buffalo 2 Tampa Bay 4, Washington 2 Edmonton 5, Dallas 3 San Jose at Los Angeles, late St. Louis at Anaheim, late

TONIGHT'S GAMES (lowa times) (lowa times)

(lowa times)

Washington at Fiorida, ppd., hurricane

New Jersey at Boston, 6 p.m.

Ottawa at Toronto, 6 p.m.

N.Y. Rangers at Montreal, 6 p.m.

Tampa Bay at Atlanta, 6 p.m.

Buffalo at N.Y. Islanders, 6 p.m.

Carolina at Pittsburgh, 6:30 p.m.

Columbus at Minnesota, 7 p.m.

Edmonton at Nashville, 7 p.m.

Detroil at Chicago, 7:30 p.m.

Vancouver at Colorado, 9 p.m.

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SILDUSY'S GAMES

Philadelphia at Ottawa, 6 p.m. Phoenix at Anaheim, 7 p.m.

### **NHL SUMMARIES** Friday AT RALEIGH, N.C.

Philadelphia 2 3 1—6
Carolina 1 2 5—8
First Period—1, Philadelphia, Knuble 4
Clesiardins, Pitkanen), 10:48 (pp), 2, Philadelphia, Hatcher 2 (Johnsson, Handzus), 13:19 (pp), 3, Carolina, Staal 7 (Stilliman, Whitney), 19:54 (pp).
Second Period—4, Carolina, Williams (Brind'Amour), 2:31, 5, Philadelphia, Sim 2 (Handzus, Pitkanen), 8:06. 6, Carolina, Staal 8 (Wesley), 11:38, 7, Philadelphia, Forsberg 2 (Desiardins, Gagne), 18:02 (pp), 8, Philadelphia, Rathie 2 (Johnsson, Forsberg), 19:35.
Third Period—9, Carolina, Stilliman 4, 4:49 (pp), 10, Carolina, Brind'Amour 6 (Williams), 7:44, 11, Carolina, Staal 9 (K.Adams, Whitney), 9:31, 12, Philadelphia, Sim 3 (Pitkanen, Richards), 10:36 (pp), 13, Carolina, Cullen 7 (Tverdovsky, Kaberle, 14:45 (pp), 14, Carolina, Cullen 7 (Tverdovsky, Kaberle, 14:45 (pp), 14:4 (pp

AT COLUMBUS, OHIO 

First Period—None.
Second Period—1, Minnesota, Bouchard 5 (Robitality, Mitchell), 5:15.
Third Period—2, Columbus, Foote 3 (Vyborn, Berard), 19:18.
Overtime—None. Overtime—None.
Shootoul—Columbus 2 (Vyborny NG, Shootoul—Columbus 2 (Vyborny NG, Zherdev NG, Hartigan G, Hrdina NG, Wright NG, Frische NG, Berard NG, Letowski G); Minnesota 1 (Bouchard NG, White G, Waiz NG, Robiston NG, Chouinard NG, Kuba NG, Daigle NG). Shots on goal—Minnesota 7-10-7-4-28. Columbus 13-12-24-4-55. Goalies—Minnesota, Roloson 2-3-1 (53 shots-52 saves). Columbus, Prusek 2-0-0 (32-31).
A—15.669 (18,136). T—2:35.

AT EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. Buffalo ..... New Jersey ...

AT TAMPA, FLA

saves). A—20,722 (19,758). T—2:11.

Thursday

# AT GLENDALE, ARIZ.

First Period—None. Second Period—I, Calgary, Iginia 4 (Langkow, Ference), 3:09 (pp), 2, Phoenix, Michalek I (Mars, Saprykin), 9:48 (pp), 3, Phoenix, Comrie 2 (Tanabe, Mara), 12:37 (pp) (pp), Third Period—4, Calgary, Ference 1 (Amonte, Langkow), 6:54 (pp), 5, Phoenix, Cornrie 3 (Johnson, Nagy), 18:32. Shots on goal—Calgary, 5-3-7—15. Phoenix 13-16-5—34. Goalles—Calgary, Sauve. Phoenix, Joseph. A—13,459 (17,799). T—2:15.

### Junior hockey USHL

W L OL Pts GF GA Indiana Des Moines Waterloo Chicago Green Bay Note: Teams get two points for a victor and one point for overtime/shootout

### FRIDAY'S RESULTS

Des Moines 4, Chicago 1 Lincoln 5, Tri-City 4 (OT) Omaha 4, Indiana 2 Sloux Falls 5, Green Bay 2

Des Moines at Cedar Rapids, 7 p.m. Chicago at Waterloo, 7 p.m. Lincoln at Sloux City, 7 p.m. Omaha at Indiana, 7 p.m. Sloux Falls at Green Bay, 7 p.m. SUNDAY'S GAMES

### **Auto racing**

Friday NASCAR NEXTEL CUP MBNA 500 At Hampton, Ga. (Atlanta Motor Speedway)

QUALIFYING RESULTS (Car number in parentheses) 1. (12) Ryan Newman, Dodge, 193.928 . (99) Carl Edwards, Ford, 193,420 3. (38) Elliott Sadler, Ford, 193,373 4. (6) Mark Martin, Ford, 192,520 5. (07) Dave Blanev, Chevrolet, 192,173 5. (9) Kasey Kahne, Dodge, 191,980 7. (5) Kyle Busch, Chevrolet, 191,814

9. (88) Dale Jarrett, Ford, 191.721 10. (20) Tony Stewart, Chevrolet, 191.688 11. (25) Brian Vickers, Chevrolet, 191.608 12. (48) Jimmie Johnson, Chevrolet 191.569

69 (66) Kevin Lepage, Ford, 191.483 (43) Jeff Green, Dodge, 191.331 (37) Mike Skinner, Dodge, 191.107 (16) Greg Biffle, Ford, 191.080 (8) Dale Earnhardt Jr., Chevrolet,

191.080

18. (19) Jeremy Mayfield, Dodge, 190.653

19. (23) Johnny Benson, Dodge, 190.653

20. (00) Carl Long, Dodge, 190.640

21. (0) Mike Bilss, Chevrolet, 190.568

22. (39) Reed Sorenson, Dodge, 190.476

23. (17) Matt Kenseth, Ford, 190.470

24. (24) Jeff Gordon, Chevrolet, 190.483

25. (11) Denny Hamlin, Chevrolet, 190.182 190.182 26. (04) Bobby Hamilton, Dodge, 190.156 27. (01) Joe Nemechek, Chevrolet,

190.026 28. (42) Jamie McMurray, Dodge, 8 (21) Ricky Rudd, Ford, 189.876 (97) Kurt Busch, Ford, 189.798 (29) Kevin Harvick, Chevrolet

(2) Rusty Wallace, Dodge, 189.396 (40) Sterling Marlin, Dodge, 189.299 (10) Scott Riggs, Chevrolet, 188.976 (18) Bobby Labonte, Chevrolet, 35. (16) Book. 188.822 36. (22) Scott Wimmer, Dodge, 188.725 37. (15) Michael Waltrip, Chevrolet, 38. (41) Casey Mears, Dodge, 188.514 39. (45) Kyle Petty, Dodge, Owner Points 40. (77) Travis Kvapil, Dodge, Owner Points

41. (31) Jen Schrader, Dodge, Owner Points 42. (49) Ken Schrader, Dodge, Owner Points 43. (92) Chad Chaffin, Chevrolet, 189.694 FAILED TO QUALIFY 44. (80) J.J. Yeley, Chevrolet, 189.571 45. (36) Boris Said, Chevrolet, 189.525 46. (32) Bobby Hamilton Jr., Chevrolet,

41. (31) Jeff Burton, Chevrolet, Owner

188.597
47. (09) Johnny Sauter, Dodge, 188.488
48. (7) Robby Gordon, Chevrolet, 188.462
49. (51) Stuart Kirby, Chevrolet, 188.411
50. (4) Mike Wallace, Chevrolet, 187.494
51. (50) Jimmy Spencer, Dodge, 187.481
52. (75) Mike Garvey, Dodge, 186.748
53. (89) Morgan Shepherd, Dodge, 182.147

### Today

CROWN ROYAL IROC At Hampton, GA (Atlanta Motor Speedway) STARTING LINEUP

(01) Scott Pruett, Grand American Racing. (03) Helio Castroneves, IndyCar 2. (US) Pleno Consider Morld of Oullaws.
3. (11) Sleve Kinser, World of Oullaws.
4. (16) Max Papis, Grand American Road Racing.
5. (20) Danny Lasoski, World of Oul-

6. (4) Bobby Hamilton, NASCAR Iftsman Truck Series. 7. (2) Sebastien Bourdais, Champ Car rid Series. World Series.
8. (15) Buddy Rice, IndyCar Series.
9. (8) Martin Truex Jr., NASCAR
Busch Series.
10. (17) Matt Kenseth, NASCAR Nextel Cup Series.
11. (97) Kurt Busch, NASCAR Nextel 12. (6) Mark Martin, NASCAR Nextel

### Cup Series. NOTE: Driver lineup for race four is by inversion of the point standings. Pro basketball

**NBA Preseason** 

EASTERN CONFERENCE W L Pct GB Atlantic Div. .625 .429 .429 .375 .375 .625 .500 .375 .375 .375 Central Div. W L Pct GB WESTERN CONFERENCE

.750 .750 .750 **New Orleans** 3 5 .375 2 7 .222 San Antonio Northwest Div. W L Pct GB Pacific Div. W L Pct GB 6 2 .750 6 2 .750 5 2 .714 3 4 .429 2 5 .286 .A. Lakers

Phoenix 97, Golden State 92 L.A. Clippers 94, Seattle 92 FRIDAY'S RESULTS Atlanta 104, New Orleans 90 New Jersev 91, New York 86 Minnesota 96, Detroit 92 Washington 85, Indiana 77 Denver 89, Utah 83 Sacramento vs. L.A. Lakers, late Portland vs. Seattle, late End of Preseason

THURSDAY'S LATE RESULTS

Sacramento Golden State

### Men's basketball

Preseason rankings USA TODAY/ESPN TOP 25 (First-place votes in parentheses) Record Pts Final

1. Duke (28) ....

2. Connecticut		692	1
3. Texas (2)	20-11	683	
4. Villanova (1)	24-8	644	1
5. Michigan State	26-7	632	
6. Oklahoma	25-8	617	2
7. Gonzaga	26-5	540	1
8. Louisville	33-5	536	
9. Arizona	30-7	532	
10. Kentucky	28-6	511	
11. Boston College	25-5	484	1
12. Memphis	22-16	354	
13. Stanford	18-13	331	
14. Alabama	24-8	295	
15. West Virginia	24-11	265	1
16. Syracuse	27-7	210	2
17. Illinois	37-2	201	
18. UCLA	18-11	190	
18. Wake Forest	27-6	190	
20. lowa	21-12	176	1
21. Maryland	19-13	167	
22. Indiana	15-14	153	
23. Iowa State	19-12	118	
24. George Washington	22-8	109	
25. Nevada	25-7	88	
Others receiving veters	Morth	Car	ali

#### Men's soccer Friday

IOWA COLLEGES

AT CLARK FIELD Colorado College 5, Coe 1 Goals — CC: Wes Rikkers 2, Chris Quon, Warren Takashima, Brian Wohiner; Coe: Andrew George. Assists — CC: Jason Stelert 2, Berk Korustan; Coe: Blaine Stephensor.

### Girls' swimming **Regional Assignments**

TODAY (Area regionals only) At C.R. Washington

Cedar Falls, C.R. Jefferson, C.R. Kennedy, C.R. Washington, Davenport Central Davenport North, Davenport West, Linnar, Vinton-Shellsburg.

At lowa City
(Mercer Aquatic Center)
Burlington, C.R. Prairie-Williamsburg,
C.R. Xavier, Fairfield, lowa City High,
lowa City West, Keokuk, Muscatine, Otturnwa, Tipton.

Bettendorf, Clinton, Decorah, Dubuque Hempstead, Dubuque Senior, Dubuque Hempstead, Dubuque Senior, Dubuque Wahlert, Pleasant Valley, Waterloo East, Waterloo West.

NOTE: Swimming event champions from each regional and the next top 18 times and top four divers in each regional qualify for the state meet Nov. 4-5 at Marshalitows.

### Prep volleyball

lowa City West (23-15) vs. C.R. Kennedy (30-6), at C.R. Jefferson

Region 8

lowa City High (43-0) vs. Bettendorf (24-7), at Eldridge State

enter Sioux City North vs. Ames, at Ida Grove Urbandale vs. Des Moines Roosevelt, at

Dubuque Wahlert (35-3) vs. West Dela-ware (33-7), at Dyersville Region 7

Region 8 Vinton-Shellsburg (26-7) vs. Mount Pleasant (30-7), at Wellman State

Algona vs. Waverly-Shell Rock, at Clari-

Adel ADM vs. Dallas Center-Grimes, at

### Tuesday

CLASS 2A REGIONAL SEMIFINALS (7 p.m. unless noted) Region 6 Wapsie Valley (NA) vs. Waterloo Co-umbus (34-6), at Oelwein

Region 8 Mediapolis (34-9) vs. Mid-Prairie (19-14), at Washington, Iowa State

Western Christian vs. Sioux Center, at CLASS 1A REGIONAL SEMIFINALS (7 p.m. unless noted) Region 7

Edgewood-Colesburg (25-9) vs. New ondon (32-9), at Muscatine Region 8 Fort Madison Holy Trinity (33-6) vs. Keota (33-2), at Ottumwa

# Southern Cal vs. Treynor, at Harlan Stanton vs. Farragut, at Corning

Friday IOWA COLLEGES Dubuque def. St Mary's, 30-17, 30-22 30-27 lowa def. Indiana, 30-28, 30-23, 23-30, 26-30, 15-7 lowa Western def. Kirkwood, 30-24, 30-28, 30-22

# 30-25 Wis.-Platteville def. Simpson, 30-23, 30-28, 30-16

Friday AT ANN ARBOR, MICH. Michigan 2, Iowa 1 Goals — M: Lucia Belassi, Erin Dallas; I: Caitlin McCurdy. Assists — M: Lori Hill-man, Katle Morris

Athletes of the Week MISSISSIPPI VALLEY CONFERENCE

Leagues LANCER LANES

Allied Industrial — Rick Nutz 278, Rob chmidt 278, Keith McKeehan 278-732; Buddies Mens — Jim Abben 298-785; 1odge Podge — Marge Miller 206-545

CASTLE LANES

North Linn — Tim Moffett 257, Jim Tschantz 699; Parlor City Classic — Robert Kolar Jr. 235, Tom Conrad 615

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Morning Editions — Anne Jenkins
213-562; Thursday Latecomers — Rhonda
Kamry 151, Angle Miglia 501, Seth Brink
288-729; Attivude to Spare — Mary Jane
Marion 214, Jennifer Boxwell 503; Educator's — Karen Duesing 190, Beth Riggleman 513; Sunshine Mixers — Janice Hootman 202, Ruth Nowadzky 513, Steve Evans
255, Steve Evans 609; Elmcrest Ladies —
Suzanne Nichols 191-539

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Risky Business — Phil Perry 258-609, Bret Williamson 622, Tami Bates 204-537, Westside 8 — Benny Noah 267-675, Cad Siebels 245-683; Friday Seniors — Bill Kelliogg 190-534, Betty Parmer 194-463, Eula Wood 179-490

#### Pro soccer **MLS Playoffs**

Sunday
Chicago at D.C United, 3:30 p.m.
(Series tied, 0-0)

Monday

CLASS 4A REGIONAL SEMIFINALS (All matches 7 p.m.) Region 6

Region 7 Dubuque Hempstead (23-9) vs. C.R. Prairie (28-9), at Dubuque Senior

Ankeny vs. Newton, at Saydel, Lewis Central vs. West Des Moines alley, at Atlantic Marshalltown vs. Cedar Falls, at Grundy

CLASS 3A REGIONAL SEMIFINALS (All matches 7 p.m.) Region 6

DeWitt Central (28-12) vs. Marion (33-13), at Anamosa

on Harlan vs. Carroll Kuemper, at Denison Pella vs. Winterset, at Indianola Sioux City Heelan vs. MOC-Floyd Val-ley, at LeMars

Region 7 Dyersville Beckman (27-11) vs. Durant (27-5), at Marion

Dike-New Hartford vs. Aplington-Par-kersburg, at Marshalltown Hinton vs. Underwood, 7:30 p.m., at Sioux City Lake Mills vs. North Butler, at Clear Lake Red Oak vs. South Hamilton, at Winter-

State Don Bosco vs. Lynnville-Sully, at Saydel Lake View WLVA vs. North Kossuth, at Algona Rock Valley vs. Galva-Holstein, 6 p.m., at Sloux City Sheffield SCMT vs. Tripoli, at Charles

College volleyball

30-28, 30-22 Northern lowa def. Bradley, 30-21, 25-30, 33-31, 30-23 Simpson def. Texas Lutheran, 30-21, 30-19, 30-26 Wichita State def. Drake, 30-15, 30-20, Wichita State def. Drake, 30-15, 30-20, 30-15 William Penn def. Ottawa, 30-25, 30-25, 30-25

Field hockey

Honors

(Oct. 3-8)
Area only
Girls' cross country — Meaghan Nelson
(C.R. Xavier), soph.
Girls' swimming — April Allen (C.R.
Kennedy), fresh.

## Bowling

Lancer Lassies — Sharon Toilefson 238-618; 6 O'clock Thursday Men — Jim Jacoby 279, Lester Kephart 279, John Sires 720; Jim's Foods Classic — Tricia Neder-hiser 268-734

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### EASTERN CONFERENCE SEMIFINALS

Tonight
MetroStars at New England, 7 p.m.
(MetroStars lead series, 1-0)

(Series lied, 0-0)

WESTERN CONFERENCE SEMIFINALS
(Two-leg aggregate score series)

Tonight

Colorado at FC Dallas, 7:30 p.m.
(Series lied, 0-0)

Los Angeles at San Jose, 9 p.m.
(Los Angeles leads series, 3-1)