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Vinton's Ross Wiley gets late start acting on his lifelong interest, 12C

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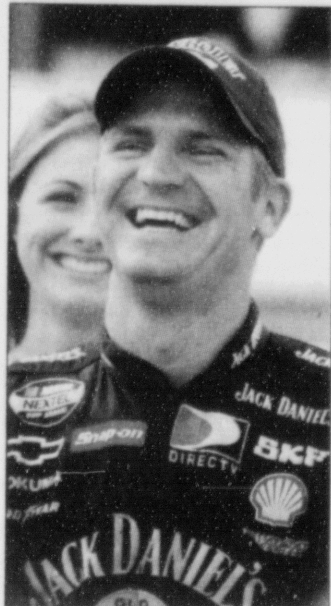
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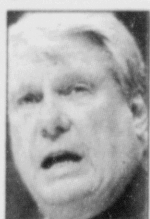
Clint Bowyer smiles Friday after winning the pole position during qualifying for Sunday's NASCAR Sylvania 300 auto race at New Hampshire International Speedway in Loudon, N.H. **Story, 3C**

SIDELINE

NBA

Nelson, Warriors close to new deal

OAKLAND, Calif. — The Golden State Warriors are close to reaching a deal to rework Coach Don Nelson's contract and bring him back for another season with the team.



Don Nelson
Ex-Hawkeye

"I am hopeful that we can finalize something by the close of the business week," team president Robert Rowell said Friday.

Nelson, who had two years left on the contract he signed last year, would get a raise from \$3.1 million to \$5.1 million a year under the new deal, according to the Contra Costa Times.

In exchange, the third year of the deal would convert to a team option, the paper said. If the option was not exercised, Nelson, a former Iowa Hawkeye standout, would \$1 million under a five-year consulting deal with the team.

PRO FOOTBALL

Everett shows slight movement in 3 fingers

BUFFALO, N.Y. — Kevin Everett has slightly moved three fingers on his right hand, potentially another positive sign in his recovery from a life-threatening spinal-cord injury, a person close to the family told the AP.

The Buffalo tight end voluntarily moved his fingers Thursday night "more than a little bit but not with great force," said the person who requested anonymity because of the sensitive nature of Everett's status.

AUTO RACING

Palo's Beatty captures season title

CEDAR RAPIDS — Brad Chandler of Vinton won the race, but Brian Beatty of Palo the season championship in the Sunline Hornets division in the final races of the season at Hawkeye Downs last night.

Tony Olson won the IMCA Sportsmod title and the final feature. Other season titles went to Tim Dains of Marion in the IMCA Hobby Stock, Bob Ahrendsen of Cedar Rapids in the IMCA Stock Car, Tim Plummer of Norway in the Modified and David McCall of Cedar Rapids in the Sportsmen.

Staff and wire reports

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL

Wyatt's way

Suess' late FG rallies Warriors past Cougars, 29-27

By Jeff Dahn

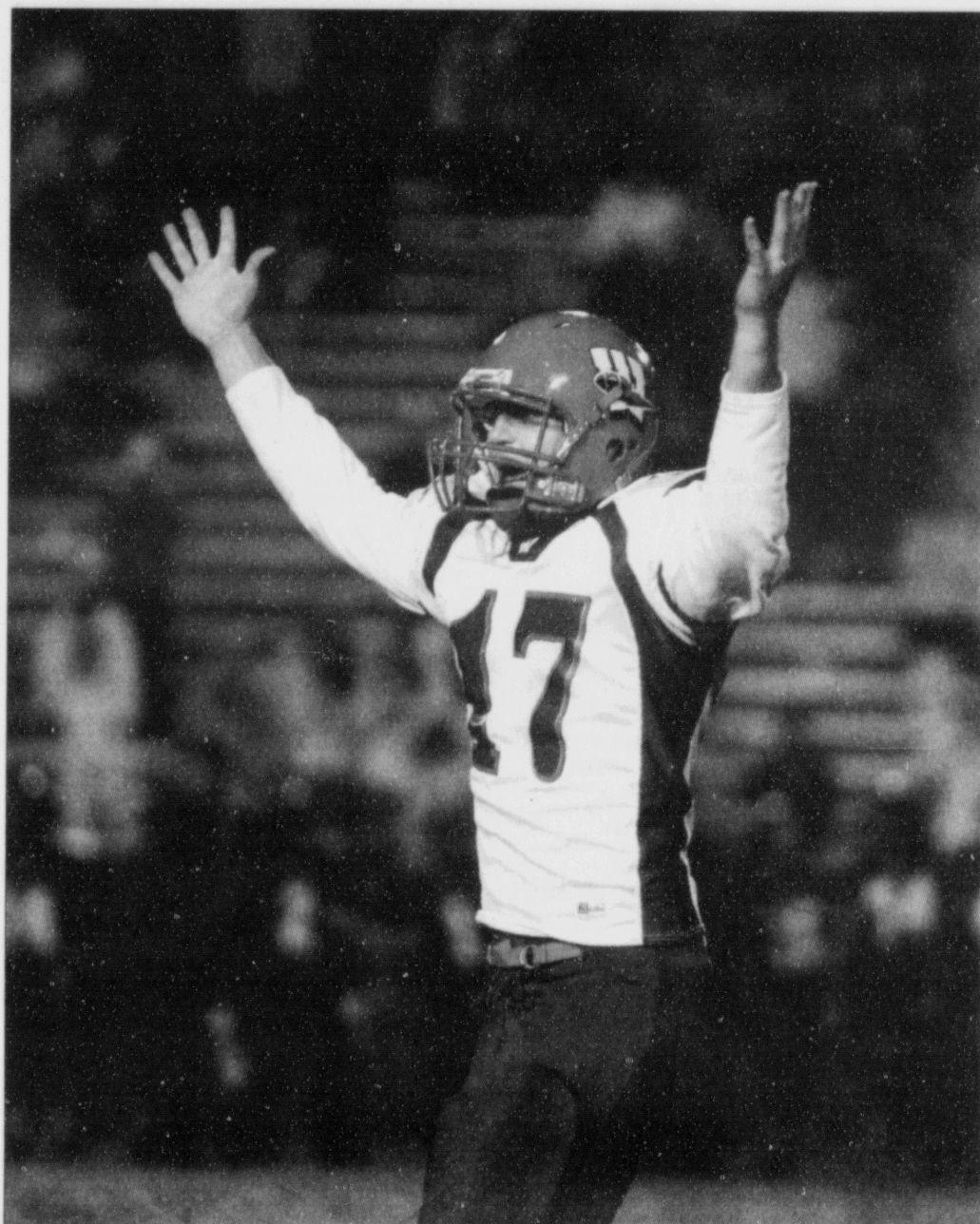
The Gazette

CEDAR RAPIDS — Over the past several years, Wyatt Suess watched brothers Warren and Will help Cedar Rapids Washington win a ton of football games.

The last of the three brothers to man the quarterback position for the Warriors, Wyatt took his first bow in the spotlight last night. After throwing for 241 yards and two touchdowns and rushing for 68 yards and another TD, Suess calmly nailed a 23-yard field goal with 20.9 seconds left in the game to lift Washington past Cedar Rapids Kennedy, 29-27, in one of the most memorable and entertaining football games Kingston Stadium has hosted in recent memory.

A boisterous crowd estimated at about 6,000 fans watched the Suess, Keenan Davis and the rest of Warriors use no-huddle offense to plow 17 points on the scoreboard in the second half and leave the chilly field with a 3-0 record in Coach Tony Lombardi's second season at the school.

Suess wasn't one of the



Jim Slosiarek/The Gazette

Cedar Rapids Washington's Wyatt Suess reacts after kicking the eventual game-winning field goal late in the fourth quarter of last night's game against Cedar Rapids Washington at Kingston Stadium. Washington won, 29-27.

two Washington kickers to either miss or have a PAT attempt blocked during the game, so he was called upon to try to convert the game-winner in the closing

seconds.

"They put me in and I didn't have any idea I was going in," Suess said. "We have two other kickers, and I don't know, we just came

through in the final minute. (Kennedy is) a heck of a team and I'm just glad to get that victory."

Lombardi said he turned

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Marion steamrolls Maquoketa, 51-7

By Jim Ecker

The Gazette

MARION — The mighty, mighty Marion Indians looked mighty, mighty good in a mighty mismatch against Maquoketa last night.

The No. 4 Indians rolled up 507 yards of total offense and smashed the outmanned Cardinals, 51-7, in a Class 3A District 5 prep football game on a crisp night at Thomas Park.

It was the most lopsided result in the 70-year history of the series and the most points ever

scored by the winning team.

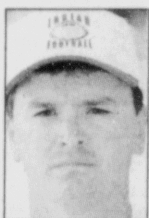
The Indians were happy, but not satisfied.

"At times we played well, but I think we've yet to put it together," said Marion quarterback Matt Barnd. "I think when we put it together we can be a very good team and go a long ways."

The continuous clock kicked in with more than 9 minutes left in the third quarter when Marion grabbed a 38-0 lead on a 96-yard interception return by Curtis Hubbell.

If not for the running clock, the Indians might have scored 60 points and rolled up 600 yards of offense.

Coach Tony Perkins liked most of what he saw, but not everything. The



Tony Perkins
Marion coach

Indians (3-0) lost three fumbles, committed nine penalties and Barnd missed a few open receivers at times.

"We're playing good football, but it's not perfect football, so we need to keep working," Perkins said.

Marion has gotten off to good starts before and faded quickly in the playoffs, so Perkins plans to keep pushing forward.

"It's definitely on their minds," he said, "and we mention it all the time."

Barnd completed 11 of 18 passes for 227 yards and found Michael D'Hooze for a pair of touchdowns, including an 18-yarder in the first quarter and a

► **MARION, PAGE 9C**

Coe suits Columbus grads just fine

Rausa, Ratchford making a difference in freshmen seasons

By Jeff Johnson

The Gazette

CEDAR RAPIDS — Wartburg was right in their back yard, but there was just something about Coe College that appealed to Elliot Rausa

COLLEGE FOOTBALL

and Nick Ratchford.

Like its distance from Waterloo.

"We liked Coe's location a little better," Rausa said. "Wartburg was a little too close to home."

"I think Cedar Rapids was just far enough away, yet

close enough to home," Ratchford added. "Cedar Rapids was just a better town than Waverly, a better environment."

Rausa and Ratchford have enjoyed that "better environment." Coe head coach Erik Raeburn has enjoyed having the former Columbus High School teammates on his football squad even more.

Third cousins and best friends since second grade, the pair have made immediate impacts for the Kohawks, who host Simpson in their Iowa Conference opener today at 1.

A kicker, Rausa has made all seven of his extra-point attempts and four of five field goals. A wide receiver, Ratchford had a breakout game last



Elliot Rausa
Kicker



Nick Ratchford
Receiver

week against Aurora with nine catches for 102 yards and a touchdown.

This freshman impact thing apparently isn't relegated to Division I football.

"With (kicker) Michael Herzberger graduating last year, then graduating a ton of receivers from last year's team, too, they've both kind

of stepped in and filled a need for us," Raeburn said.

Rausa has an older brother who kicks for Northern Iowa and actually was looking at some bigger schools before settling on Coe. He knew he'd have a chance to kick right away and also wanted to be a part of Coach Eric Rodgers' exceptional tennis program.

It helped, too, that his best buddy already had decided to come to Coe. The two had initial campus visits together last year.

"I was for sure coming to Coe most of the time," Ratchford said. "He had some bigger schools he was looking at. But I think we just basically decided to come here

► **KOHAWKS, PAGE 10C**

COLLEGE WRESTLING

Gable's return lasts 1 season

Legendary coach returning to role as assistant AD

By J.R. Ogden

The Gazette

Dan Gable felt in March the University of Iowa wrestling program still needed his help. Those feelings have changed.

Hawkeye wrestling coach Tom Brands announced Friday that Gable was stepping down after one season as his top assistant coach. Gable will return to his role as special assistant to the director of athletics on Oct. 1.

He also will continue to help the wrestling program, but not on a day-to-day basis.

"Dan has been my coach and my mentor. What's important to me is that he's going to remain involved in the Hawkeye wrestling program and will continue to play a significant role as we continue to make progress toward the goal of domination," Brand said in a statement released by the university.

Gable did not return calls last night.

"My assistant coach's role was always temporary and I'm not going anywhere," he said in a statement. "I'll be directly involved in our wrestling program as much as NCAA rules allow me to be."

Gable is the most successful wrestling coach in NCAA history, directing Iowa to 15 national titles and 355 dual wins in 21 years. He stepped down after the 1997 season, but returned prior to last season when Brands was named head coach.

He said at the Big Ten meet in March that he didn't always connect with the athletes today, but added "right now it seems like they still need some more work."

Gable said in the statement Friday the program is in "very, very good hands and there is absolutely no doubt that we're headed in the right direction."

Brands said there is no timetable for hiring Gable's replacement. Among those mentioned is Tom's brother, Terry, another former Hawkeye great who is coaching the U.S. freestyle program in Colorado Springs, Colo.

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Today's GameDay section starts on page 5C and features a look at the Iowa-Iowa State football series' past and future, plus our panels' weekly picks.



Brian Ray/The Gazette

Cedar Rapids Prairie's Derek Tharp (4) gets a block from teammate Andy Serbousek on Iowa City West's Daniel Mysnyk as Tharp carries the ball during the visiting Hawks' 24-0 win last night in Iowa City.

Prairie blanks I.C. West, 24-0

By John Riehl
The Gazette

IOWA CITY — Craig Jelinek issued his Cedar Rapids Prairie football team a challenge at halftime last night. "We preach physical Prairie ball," said Jelinek, Prairie's head coach. "And we didn't play that at the end of the second quarter. I challenged them at halftime to play more physical up front."

His message was received loud and clear. The Hawks reasserted themselves early in the third quarter with their backs against their own goal line and finished off a 24-0 blanking of Iowa City West in a Mississippi Valley Conference game at Trojan Field.

The Trojans (0-3) grabbed the momentum right away in the third when defensive back Rontavius Farmer returned an interception 35 yards to the Hawk 19-yard

line. Chavaris Hodges rambled 13 yards on the next play, giving West 1st-and-goal from the Prairie 6.

After three rushes gained only three yards, the Trojans settled for a 20-yard field goal attempt. But the kick was blocked by Sam Elsner, a senior defensive end. "We were pumped for this game. It's a big shutout by the defense."

That was West's most serious scoring threat on a night when it gained only 78 total yards and had as many turnovers (6) as first downs.

The Trojan defense, however, played well enough to win. Prairie (2-1) committed four

turnovers of its own and had only 168 total yards. Senior tailback Derek Tharp was bottled up to the tune of 21 yards on 18 carries. Last week, he gained 163 yards in a win over Jefferson.

The Trojans just couldn't take advantage of their scoring opportunities.

West had second-quarter drives stall at the Prairie 32- and 19-yard lines as the result of turnovers. Hawk defensive back Cal Beatty had an interception and defensive tackle Mickey Sprague recovered a fumble to turn away the Trojans.

"Our mindset is just to shut them down every play," Prairie senior linebacker Preston West said. "Our goal was to get a shutout this game. We always say we bend, but we don't break."

Prairie also won the battle of special teams. The game's first points

were scored when Scott Scheller blocked a Trojan punt out of the back of the end zone for a safety with 10:35 left in the first quarter.

Those were all the points the Hawk defense needed. West, which ranks last in the MVC in offense, has scored only seven points in three games.

"Momentum, attitude and emotion is 80 percent of the game," Jelinek said. "When they don't score and we stop them, it's just emotion."

Prairie fullback Michael Silverstein had rushing touchdowns covering nine and five yards, the last coming on the ensuing possession after the blocked field goal with 5:55 left in the third. That touchdown was set up by Ross Siemering's 66-yard return of the blocked kick.

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City High rebounds after upset, topples Linn-Mar, 31-7

By Jeff Johnson
The Gazette

MARION — When you're trying to break a long losing streak, the last thing you need is to play a perennial power that's coming off an upset loss.

That made last night's outcome at Armstrong Field a predictable one: Iowa City High 31, Linn-Mar 7.

"Tonight they caught us on a tough draw," said City High Coach Dan Sabers. "We were disappointed with last week, there's no question. Our practices were much better this week, so coaches did a better job. We all did a better job."

The Little Hawks (2-1) were stunned at home a week ago by Cedar Rapids Kennedy. That game apparently has served as the proverbial wakeup call for a team that's expected to contend for a Class 4A state championship when it's all said and done.

City High ran to a 14-0 halftime lead, then blew things open with 17 third-quarter points. The Little Hawks rang up 458 yards.

"We had a lot of team meetings this week," said junior tailback Eric Washpun, who rushed for 183 yards and two touchdowns. "(Lineman) James Ferentz is a great player, a great teammate, and he got us all going. Telling us that we had to step up as a team."

"The coaches got on us real hard, too. We just did what we had to do. I feel we are (back on track). This is a big step up, like Coach Sabers said. But we've still got a lot of stuff to work on."

Linn-Mar (0-3) obviously does, too. The Lions showed a lot of fight but lost for the 16th consecutive time.

They averted a shutout late in the fourth quarter on sophomore back Noah Evans' 5-yard touchdown run. Linn-Mar was in the game for a half, before City High's third-quarter blitz did it in.

"(City High) came out and took us behind the woodshed a few times, but we still came back for more," Linn-Mar Coach Bob Read said. "We're going to battle all year. The guys on this team, they believe in each other. They believe in what we're doing. Eventually we're going to get

MVC standings		
Miss. Division	Conf	All
Cedar Falls	3-0	3-0
Iowa City High	2-1	2-1
C.R. Prairie	2-1	2-1
Dub. Hempstead	2-1	2-1
Dubuque Wahlert	1-2	1-2
Iowa City West	0-3	0-3
Linn-Mar	0-3	0-3
Valley Division		
Conf.	All	
C.R. Xavier	3-0	3-0
C.R. Washington	3-0	3-0
Waterloo West	3-0	3-0
C.R. Jefferson	1-2	1-2
C.R. Kennedy	1-2	1-2
Dubuque Senior	0-3	0-3
Waterloo East	0-3	0-3

THURSDAY	
C.R. Xavier 35, Dubuque Senior 0	
Waterloo West 31, C.R. Jeff. 28	
FRIDAY	
Cedar Falls 21, Wahlert 7	
City High 31, Linn-Mar 7	
Hempstead 34, Waterloo East 6	
Prairie 24, Iowa City West 0	
Washington 29, Kennedy 27	

over the hump ... I'd say 90 percent of what we're battling right now is mental."

Washpun scored on a 6-yard run early in the second quarter for a 7-0 City High lead. He then provided the game's biggest play five minutes later when he took a fake punt 66 yards for a touchdown.

Washpun was the upback on the play, took the center snap and ran left, cutting toward the middle of the field and taking it to the end zone.

"We've been working on that in practice every now and then," Washpun said. "I choose which way to go. I (wait) and see the openings."

City High took the second-half kickoff and drove 71 yards for a TD — a 2-yard quarterback sneak by Teddy Schmidt. Fullback Tyler McCreedy scored later in the quarter on a 2-yard plunge, and kicker Shane Morelock added a 32-yard field goal.

"I hope you guys noticed, but we played with a lot more enthusiasm tonight," Sabers said. "You've got to play the game that way, and I thought we did tonight."

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Warriors/'Playmaker' makes huge kick

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to a player he recognizes as a winner. "I was thinking we needed to win the game," he said. "I put a playmaker in there at kicker and he made a play. He's a great kid, a great quarterback, a great leader and he stepped up and made a big play when we needed him to do that. That's his job. That's why we had him in there."

Suess completed 16 of 30 passes for 241 yards with TD passes of 29 and 36 yards to Davis. A junior like Suess, Davis caught nine passes for 125 yards.

Washington didn't do it all though the air. Sophomore tailback Andre Dawson carried 20 times for 123 yards to lead a 185 yard rushing attack, giving the Warriors 426 total yards.

Kennedy (1-2) looked poised to win the game when Eric Schultz hauled in a 32-yard touchdown strike from quarterback Guy Martino with 10:23 left in the game to take a 27-26 lead. Washington gave the ball up on downs on its next possession, but Davis picked off a Martino pass with 3:20 left and returned it to the Washington 48, leading to the game-winning drive.

Martino completed 14 of 27 passes for 283 yards and two touchdowns but was picked off three times. Tailback Timmy Johnson rushed for 91 yards on 18 carries helping the Cougars to 393 total yards.

Kennedy took a precarious 13-12 lead at halftime after a first half that featured five turnovers but also three big-time scoring plays.

The Cougars jumped to an early 13-0 lead on field goals of 30 and 27 yards from Tyler Sievertsen and a 20-yard touchdown pass from Guy Martino to Craig Stansbury after Kennedy's Josh Allen recovered a Washington fumble on the Warrior 27.

Washington answered with 12 straight points to finish the half as the Keenan Davis and Warren Suess show finally got some air under its wings.

The receiver-quarterback duo first hooked up for a 29-yard touchdown on a nifty middle screen with 6:47 left in the second quarter, completing a seven-play,



Jim Slosiarek/The Gazette

Cedar Rapids Washington quarterback Wyatt Suess (right) scrambles for the ball as Cedar Rapids Kennedy's Will Morio (left) dives for the fumble during the first half of last night's game at Kingston Stadium. Morio got the recovery, but Washington got the win, 29-27.

80-yard drive. They struck again in the half's closing seconds when Suess lofted a pass toward the right corner pylon of the end zone where Davis out-leaped a pair of Cougar defenders for a 36-yard score.

Other second half TDs came on a 5-yard run by Kennedy's T.J. Hicks, a

2-yard sneak from Suess and a 1-yard sneak from Washington's Derrick Geisking.

Washington hosts Jefferson at Kingston and Kennedy is at Xavier next Friday night.

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Hagerman powers Central City to big win over Midland

Chris Hagerman rushed for 215 yards and two touchdowns as Central City blanked Midland, 20-0, in a

LINN COUNTY ROUNDUP

high school football game last night in Wyoming.

Central City improved to 2-1 overall, 2-0 in Class A District 6, dropping Midland to 1-2, 1-2.

Nathan Livingston ran for a touchdown for the Wildcats.

BELLEVUE 42, ALBURNETT 13 — Cody Sieverding rushed 22 times for 76 yards and three touchdowns and Adam Decker added 10 carries for 48 yards and two touchdowns for Bellevue (2-1, 1-0) on the road at Alburnett.

Chris Nutting had touchdown runs of 19 and 33 yards to pace Alburnett (1-2, 0-1).

NORTH-LINN 21, CLAYTON RIDGE 14 — Alex Burkle ran for 137 yards and a touchdown as North-Linn (2-1, 1-0 1A-5) won at Troy Mills.

Shane Schumacher and Matt Supple ran for touchdowns for the visiting Lynx.

WATERLOO COLUMBUS 31, CENTER POINT-URBANA 22 — Brett Waucken completed 18 of 32 passes for 233

Stat leaders			
Rushing and passing leaders as reported Friday night. See Sunday's sports section for a more comprehensive list (Coaches: Call 1 (800) 397-8258 or 398-8258 between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. today)			
Rushers			
Player	Yds	TD	
Jake Dever, Northeast	244	2	
James Morris, Solon	226	2	
J. Ottoerfer, Starmont	220	5	
Jon Faga, HLV	169	0	
D. Lockard, West Central	154	0	
Matt O'Donnell, Tipton	147	2	
Alex Burkle, North-Linn	137	1	
Broc Dabling, Marion	131	2	
M. Myers, Wap.Valley	124	2	
M. Mercer, West Branch	112	2	
Austin Mensen, Beckman	111	1	
Passers			
Player	Yds	TD	
Matt Barnd, Marion	227	2	
Tyler Broughton, N. Cedar	164	2	
Daniel Thole, Beckman	153	2	
G. McGrane, Wap.Valley	124	0	
A. Donohue, W. Branch	110	1	
Receivers			
Player	Rec	Yds	TD
P. Mulcahy, Beckman	5	137	2

yards and four touchdowns to help Waterloo Columbus win at Center Point.

Steve Kluck caught five passes for 121 yards and two touchdowns for the Sailors.

Austin Lloyd carried 14 times for 113 yards and a touchdown for Center Point-Urbana.

Sportsday

EVENTS OF AREA INTEREST

Prep volleyball

- Xavier at Marion/Benton Invitational at Marion, 9 a.m.
- Linn-Mar, Iowa City West at Kennedy's Cougar Invitational, 9 a.m.
- Washington at Dubuque Wahlert Invitational
- City High at Fort Dodge tournament

Prep cross country

- City High, Regina at Hawkeye Invitational at UI complex, 10 a.m.
- Iowa City West at Luther Invitational in Decorah

Girls' swimming

- Xavier, Prairie at Jefferson's J-Hawk Relays, 10 a.m.
- Kennedy, Iowa City West at City High Invitational, 1 p.m.
- Linn-Mar at Marshalltown Invitational

College football

- Iowa at Iowa State, 12:35 p.m.
- Northern Iowa at South Dakota State
- Loras at Cornell, 1 p.m.
- Simpson at Coe, 1 p.m.
- Wayne State at Upper Iowa, 1 p.m.
- Luther at Central

College volleyball

- Iowa vs. Ball State, College of Charleston at Hawkeye-Holiday Inn Challenge, 12:30 p.m. & 5 p.m.
- Texas A&M at Iowa State, 6:30 p.m.
- Northern Iowa at Wichita State
- Cornell at Augustana (Ill.) triangular
- Upper Iowa at Missouri Western State

College cross country

- Northern Iowa at Iowa Hawkeye Invitational
- Luther All-American Invitational
- Coe at St. Olaf Invitational

Men's soccer

- Truman State at Upper Iowa, 1 p.m.
- Mount Mercy vs. North Central (Ill.) at Sal Vaccaro Invitational

Women's soccer

- Mount Mercy vs. Robert Morris (Ill.) at Sal Vaccaro Invitational

Men's golf

- Iowa host Hawkeye Intercollegiate
- Mount Mercy North Country Classic at Hunters Ridge, noon

Field hockey

- Iowa vs. Sacred Heart in Fairfield, Conn.

ON TELEVISION

(Live and first-run events only)

Women's soccer

- FIFA World Cup: Brazil vs. China, 6:55 a.m. ESPN
- FIFA World Cup: Australia vs. Norway, 6:55 a.m. ESPN2

College football

- MAC: Central Michigan at Purdue, 11 a.m. KWWF
- The Citadel at Wisconsin, 11 a.m. BTN
- Pittsburgh at Michigan State, 11 a.m. ESPN
- Central Michigan at Purdue, 11 a.m. ESPN2
- Iowa at Iowa State, 12:30 p.m. VS.
- Tennessee at Florida, 2:30 p.m. KGAN
- Notre Dame at Michigan, 2:30 p.m. KCRG
- Ohio State at Washington, 2:30 p.m. ESPN
- Texas at Central Florida, 2:30 p.m. ESPN2
- UCLA at Utah, 4 p.m. VS.
- Arkansas at Alabama, 5:45 p.m. ESPN
- USC at Nebraska, 7 p.m. KCRG
- Duke at Northwestern, 7 p.m. BTN
- Boston College at Georgia Tech, 7 p.m. ESPN2
- Florida State at Colorado, 9 p.m. ESPN

Pro golf

- PGA Tour Championship: Third Round, 11:30 a.m. GOLF
- PGA Tour Championship: Third Round, 1 p.m. KWWL
- European PGA Mercedes-Benz Championship: Third Round, (same-day tape) 1 p.m. GOLF
- Champions Tour: Greater Hickory Classic: Second Round, (same-day tape) 5:30 p.m. GOLF

Major League Baseball

- Chicago Cubs at St. Louis Cardinals, Noon WGN
- New York Yankees at Boston Red Sox, 2:30 p.m. KFAX
- Atlanta Braves at Washington Nationals, 6 p.m. TBS
- Los Angeles Angels of Anaheim at Chicago White Sox, 6 p.m. WGN
- Chicago Cubs at St. Louis Cardinals, 7 p.m. CSN

Gaming

- Ultimate Blackjack Tour, (tape) 1 p.m. KGAN

Mixed martial arts

- Elite Xtreme Combat, 9 p.m. SHO

Drag racing

- NHRA O'Reilly Mid-South Nationals: Qualifying, (same-day tape) 11 p.m. ESPN2

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Minors

Midwest League

CHAMPIONSHIP

(Best-of-5)

Friday

Beloit 5, West Michigan 0

(Series tied, 7-2)

Tonight

West Michigan at Beloit

Pacific Coast League

CHAMPIONSHIP

(Best-of-5)

Friday

Sacramento 5, New Orleans 3

(Sacramento wins series, 3-0)

Radio

Weekly sports slate

(Highlights as provided by area stations)

KGYM-AM (1600)

(ESPN Radio)

M-F — ESPN All Night, midnight-5 a.m.; Mike & Mike, 7-9 a.m.; Colin Cowherd, 9 a.m.-noon; Dan Patrick, noon-3 p.m.; "Gym Class" with Scott Van Horn and Mark Dukes, 3 p.m.; ESPN Sports Bash, 4 p.m.; ESPN Game Night, 4:30 a.m.-midnight (unless other programming)

Tuesday — Coaches Corner, 9 a.m.; Iowa State vs. Iowa, 10:30 a.m. (12:30 p.m. kickoff); Boston College at Georgia, 6:35 p.m.

Sunday — Bears vs. Chiefs, 2:45 p.m.; Chargers at Patriots, 6:35 p.m.

Monday — Cyclone coaches sideline show, 6:30 p.m.; Redskins at Eagles, 8 p.m.

Tuesday — White Sox at Royals, 6:35 p.m.

Wednesday — White Sox at Royals, 6:35 p.m.

Friday — High school football: Scouting report, 7 p.m.; Game TBA, 7:15 p.m.; scoreboard show, 10 p.m.

WMT-AM (600)

KMAJ-AM (1340)

(Fox Sports Radio)

M-F — Jim Rome, 11 a.m.-2 p.m.

Tuesday — Coe at Aurora (FB), 1 p.m.

KXIC-AM (800)

M-F — Jim Rome, 11 a.m.-2 p.m.

Tuesday — Iowa at Iowa State, 12:30 p.m.

Thursday — Iowa City West at Iowa City, 7:30 p.m.

Friday — BGA at Iowa City Regina, 6:45 p.m.

KXEL-AM (1540)

M-F — On Press Row with Gary Riva, 5-6 p.m.

KCTN-FM (100.1)

Friday — Countdown to Kickoff, 6:30 p.m.; Postville at Valley, 7:15 p.m.

KDST-FM (99.3)

Tuesday — Western Dubuque at West Delaware (VB), time TBA

Friday — Diversey Beckman at Monticello, 7:30 p.m.

KNEI-FM (103.5)

Tuesday — Iowa at Iowa State, 12:30 p.m.

Friday — Waikon at Crestwood, 7:30 p.m.

Note: Program directors, fax weekly sports listings to 398-5861 by noon Thursday.

Prep football

Friday

METRO/IOWA CITY

City High 31, Linn-Mar 7

Marion 51, Maquoketa 7

Prairie 24, I.C. West 0

Regina 50, Van Buren 14

Washington 29, Kennedy 27

Sophomores

City High 49, Linn-Mar 9

Iowa City West 32, Prairie 8

Marion 44, Maquoketa 0

Kennedy 37, Washington 14

MISSISSIPPI VALLEY

C.R. Prairie 14, Iowa City West 0

C.R. Washington 29, C.R. Kennedy 27

Cedar Falls 21, Dubuque Wahlert 7

Dba. Hemstead 34, Wnt. East 6

Iowa City High 31, Linn-Mar 7

CLASS 3A DISTRICT 3

Clear Lake 28, Charles City 0

New Hampton 27, Forest City 6

Waukon 14, Decorah 0

Waverly-Shell Rock 13, Crestwood 0

CLASS 3A DISTRICT 4

Benton Community 21, Grinnell 17

Oelwein 21, West Delaware 13 (OT)

South Tama 34, Vinton-Shellsburg 3

Williamsburg 47, Independence 0

CLASS 3A DISTRICT 5

DeWitt Central 41, Anamosa 0

Marion 51, Maquoketa 7

West Liberty 19, Cr. Ark. Amana 14

Western Dubuque 17, Mt. Vernon 13

CLASS 3A DISTRICT 6

Centerville 50, Davis County 0

Fairfield 41, Washington, Iowa 21

Mount Pleasant 21, Keokuk 20

Oskaloosa 68, Fort Madison 6

CLASS 2A DISTRICT 4

North Fayette 28, Sum-Fred'g 7

Osage 21, South Winneshiek 7

Union Comm. 55, MFL MarMac 6

Wat. Columbus 31, CP-Urbana 22

CLASS 2A DISTRICT 5

Dyersville Beckman 36, Camanche 0

North Cedar 14, Monticello 10

St. Charles 28, Maquoketa Valley 14

Tipton 27, Cascade 14

CLASS 2A DISTRICT 6

Maxwell CMB 32, Albion 0

Mid-Prairie 43, Edgely-Blaugus 6

Mormon PCM 57, Colfax-Mingo 6

Signe-Keota 41, Bndrnt-Farrar 21

CLASS 1A DISTRICT 3

Lake Mills 42, Nashua-Plainfield 9

M.C. Newman 41, Turkey Valley 6

North Iowa 30, Rockford 8

St. Ansgar 35, North Butler 0

CLASS 1A DISTRICT 4

Aplington-Parkersburg 17, BCLUW 13

Dixie-New Hartford 49, JCSU 12

Gladwin-Reinick 35, Grundy Cr. 15

Stormont 55, Denver 6

CLASS 1A DISTRICT 5

Bellevue 42, Albion 13

Elkader Central 55, Preston-EC 7

North-Linn 21, Clayton Ridge 14

Northeast 19, Edgewood-Colesburg 0

CLASS 1A DISTRICT 6

Belle Plaine 28, BGM 3

Iowa City Regina 50, Van Buren 14

Pekin 12, Wasele 0

West Branch 39, Montezuma 0

CLASS A DISTRICT 5

Lansing Kee 35, East Buchanan 18

Poshville 9, Dunkerton 0

Riceville 6, West Central 0

Tipton 51, GMG 21

Wassie Valley 37, Valley Comm. 0

CLASS A DISTRICT 6

Cedar Falls NU High 48, Olin 0

Central City 20, Midland 0

Liston 29, Don Bosco 0

North Tama 35, Emmetsburg 16

Tripoli 51, Garvin GMG 21

CLASS A DISTRICT 7

English Valleys 22, Cardinal 20

Iowa Valley 48, Lone Tree 6

WACO 35, HLV 13

Winfield-Mount Union 12, Highland 7

EIGHT-MAN DISTRICT 8

Moravia 42, Russell 12

Murray 27, Twin Cedars 21

Seymour 60, Harmony 36

Tri-County 48, Meicher-Dallas 6

STATE

AHST 24, Manning 12

Rushes-vard 28, Bind-Kimble 14

Anita CAM 46, Adair-Cascade 40 (OT)

Audubon 19, Corning 0

Aurelia 30, Remsen-Union 24

Bellevue 21, Dav. Assumption 13

Bellevue-Hull-Riv. 6, Cherokee 7

Boyer Vtr 32, W. Harrison 7

Britt W. Hink 51, Grttrg-Trril 6

Burlington 27, Davenport Central 13

Burlington-ND 28, Lou. Musc. 6

Carroll 17, Atlantic 7

CB St. Albert 14, Logan-Magnolia 7

Cent. Lyon-GLR 36, Unity Christn 0

Central Lee 33, Columbus Jct. 14

Chariton 21, Winterset 7

Charit Oak-Lake 46, Gran. Spading 0

Clarksville 31, CAL 0

Colo-NESCO 31, DM Christian 20

Creston-OM 14, Lewis Central 10

CWL 36, Pomeroy-Palmer 22

Denison-Schleswig 35, Storm Lake 0

Eagle Grove 45, Clarion-Goldfield 21

East Sac. Co. 18, Emmetsburg 16

EH-Kimballton 65, Fremont-Mills 41

Estherville-LC 39, Okoboki 6

Exira 43, South Page 0

Fenton Sentinel 20, Twin River Vtr 0

Galva-Hoskins 28, West Union 14

Golden-Ralston 48, East Greene 8

Guthrie Central 40, Woodbine 0

Hampton-Dumont 48, Ogden 6

Harlan 48, Glenwood 6

Harris-Lake 71, Rithm-Ayrshire 7

Hawley 41, Nevada 8

Iowa Falls-Aiden 35, Hudson 20

Johnston 38, CB Jefferson 0

JSPC 39, Maple Valley/AD 3

Laurens-Marathon 42, SE Webster 0

LC Southern Cal 39, W. Marshall 0

Lenox 62, Lamoni 6

Madrisk 35, North Mahaska 7

Manilla IKM 26, Kingsley-Pierson 6

Mason City 15, Sioux City West 0

Medapolis 20, Mt. Danville 14

Mormon Trail 45, Mart-St. Marys 28

Muscatine 45, Clinton 14

NE Hamilton 48, Rckwell-Westside 12

Newell-Fonda 32, Schlr-Crestland 19

Newton 48, Ottumwa 7

North Scott 35, Davenport North 7

Pella 37, Knoxville 6