

hris Buckley scored 30 points and the Central Lakes College Raiders went on a 22-2 run in the last 10 minutes of the first half to score a 110-67 North Division victory over Mesabi Saturday, Jan. 12 in Brainerd.

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The Raiders also received 42 points from their bench as they finished a 2-0 week. CLC is tied for second place with Itasca at 3-0 in the Northern Divison. Rainy River leads the division with a 4-0 record.

The Norsemen came to Brainerd with a 2-0 record, looking to make a statement, but it was the Raiders who made the statement with their most complete game of the season CLC used stifling defense and shot 51-percent from the field, including 50 percent from 3-point.

"I was pretty nervous about today to be truthful," CLC head coach Jim Russell said. "I really felt we were coming together as a team, but as you feel that way and then get to see it is a whole different thing. I didn't know who was going to show up, to be honest, but it happened the way I was hoping that it would.

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WOMEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL

Raiders rebound for 20-point win

By Joe Lindholm Sports Writer

The Central Lakes College Raiders needed a bounce-back

Strong inside play from Naomi Lane and Paige Wallevand and a trapping defense created that as the Raiders got back on track with an 83-63 win over Mesabi Saturday, Jan. 12 in Brainerd.

Wallevand's 16 points led the Raiders. Lane collected 12 points and Lillee Hardee added 13 off the bench as CLC shot 44 percent from the field, an improvement over the 31-percent shooting Wednesday, Jan. 9 at Northland.

CLC improved to 2-1 in Northern Division play and are tied with Itasca for the third spot behind Northland and Hibbing, who are both undefeated.

The Lady Norse did lead 6-0 early, but that changed after Wallevand and Lane got rolling and the Raiders' defensive helped flip the score to 28-19 in CLC's favor at the end of the first quarter.

"We usually have that slower start so it is good that we had it go the other way today," said Raiders' Kelsie Weite, who scored nine points and grabbed five rebounds. "We came out right away playing good defense and I think that was really important."

The second quarter was a carbon copy of the first and the Raiders took a 51-31 lead to the



Kelly Humphrey / Brainerd Dispatch

Central Lakes College's Lindsay Hendrickson (25) goes up for a basket Saturday, Jan. 12, against Mesabi at CLC in Brainerd.

scoring with 10 points.

inside and we came out with a lot of energy," CLC head coach

Hardee provided the outside to fast breaks and if the break ramping up their defensive wasn't there we were getting "We came off the trip to it into Naomi and she was Northland where we didn't looking to score, which is what shoot the 3 and that has been we need from her. If it wasn't a re-emphasis for us to make there both she and Paige made sure that we can get the ball nice passes out which led to

Mesabi's halftime adjust-Brian Voigt said. "We had good ments led to a more diffilocker room. Wallevand tallied trips that were getting inter- cult time in the paint for CLC, 11 points and Lane added 10. ceptions and that was leading but the Raiders responded by **CLC:** Page B4

pressure which led to transition buckets, and a 66-44 lead

at the end of the third quarter. "They did adjust to us and keep us out of the middle, but we responded with patience and we didn't get up and down and stayed persistent on getting the ball back inside,"

DANCE TEAM

BHS wins kick, grabs 2nd in jazz at Anoka

ANOKA — Coming off a second-place showing in the Central Lakes Conference finale, the Brainerd Warriors won kick and grabbed another second in jazz at the Anoka Invite Saturday, Jan. 12.

Brainerd won kick with 3 rank points followed by Anoka in second with 6 rank points and Spring Lake Park with 12 rank points.

"Anoka was definitely our targeted team to come out ahead of Saturday," Warrior head coach Cindy Clough said. "They won our section last year so we have been chasing them. We came out ahead of them two weeks in a row, but it has been close so we will continue to hone in on all we are doing so we can reach our goal of winning the section in

"Others to worry about in the section are Blaine, who we have not seen yet, Sauk Rapids and St. Cloud Tech. We have come out ahead of those teams two or three times, but you never know."

Brainerd posted 419 points (85, 84, 84, 83, 83 out of 100). Anoka scored 412 points.

Anoka did top Brainerd in jazz with four rank points. Brainerd was close with five rank points and Spring Lake Park was third with 10.

"In jazz, we had hoped to come out ahead of Anoka as we did last week," Clough said. "We had two

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BOYS BASKETBALL

Powers continues high-octane shooting for BHS, scores 23

Connor Power's hot hand continued Saturday, Jan. 12 as he scored 23 points to lead the Brainerd Warriors to a 71-59 Central Lakes Conference victory over the Willmar Cardinals at Brainerd High School.

Powers was 7-of-11 shooting from the field and 7-of-8 from the line. The junior guard added seven rebounds and four assists.



Powers

and Owen half. Davis added 11 points, 10 rebounds

and two blocked

shots as the Warriors have won four of their last five.

points and six rebounds for Brained, which trailed 6-5. Next: at St. Cloud Apollo 7:15 p.m. Tues day, Jan. 15.

Ben Stae- by four at halftime before hling scored outscoring the Cardipoints nals 44-28 in the second

Willmar 31 28 — 59
Brainerd 27 44 — 71
WILLMAR
Ty Roelofs 10, Jake Evans 13, Adnan
Muhumed 3, Drey Dirksen 3, Ryan Slette 26,
Connor Stevens 4. FG 19-55 (34.5 percent), FT
15-20 (75 percent). 3-point 6-20 (30 percent).
BRAINER

Ben Staehling, Mason Malone, Eric Martin Tanner Mackereth, Presley Severson, Ower Davis, Gabe Smith, Joey Sauer, Connor Joey Sauer added nine oints and six rebounds

Davis, Gabe Smittin, Joey Sauer, Connor Devers, Taylor Heurung, John Berry, Jonah Macejkovic, Jayce Schroeder, Nathaniel Staehling, Griffin Rushin, Manni Ukutegbe, Staehling, Griffin Conference: 4-2. Overall:

WRESTLING

Brainerd's Patnode perfect

Pierz finishes 3-3 at duals

BEMIDJI — Kyle Patnode finished 6-0 with four pins for the Brainerd Warriors, who finished 2-4 at the Rick Lee Duals Saturday, Jan. 12

Trevor Radunz, Jake Andres, Reese Kapsner and Carson Huls all finished 5-1 for the Pierz Pioneers, which finished 3-3.

Brained's Cade Barrett each. and Denny Busbey were





each 5-1 and Morgan Gibson, Brad Patnode and Atlie Danielson were 4-2. Gibson also collected three pins while Brad Patnode and Danielson tallied two

The Pioneers defeat- WRESTLING: Page B4

ed Brainerd, Tracy-Milroy-Balaton-Westbrook-Walnut Grove and United North Central. Huls posted four pins and Andres accumulated three. Andres picked his 150th

career win. Prainerd 42, Cambridge-Isanti 24
Perham 52, Brainerd 16
Brainerd 61, Bloomington Kennedy 18
Bemidji 40, Brainerd 21
Pierz 34, Brainerd 31

Kenyon Wanamingo 33, Brainerd 30 Brainerd results 106: Isaiah Jillison 3-3 113: Tommy Daniels 0-6 120: Atlie Danielson 4-2

Chiefs dominate Colts in snowy playoff victory

and ran for a score Saturday, Indianapolis Colts 31–13.

The AFC playoff victory was Stadium after they advanced as Dee Ford. the No. 1 seed for the first time

off. Light snow also fell during the game.

Kansas City will play for the backer Darius Leonard. AFC championship next Sunday England Patriots and Los Angeles Chargers.

Running back Damien Williams had career bests with 25 carries for 129 rushing yards. He penalties for 70 yards. The 24-7 lead the Chiefs took zone with 5:56 left for scored one touchdown. Kansas City dominated the into the break was achieved only first-half score.

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — Kan- Tight end Travis Kelce led the sas City quarterback Patrick Chiefs with 108 receiving yards Mahomes passed for 278 yards on seven catches, while wideout Tyreek Hill added eight catches Jan. 12, as the Chiefs ended a for 72 yards and a rushing TD. six-game home losing streak in Mahomes went 27-for-41 passthe postseason by stomping the ing and didn't throw an inter-

Kansas City linebacker Justhe first in a quarter-centu- tin Houston had two sacks and ry for the Chiefs at Arrowhead recovered a fumble off a strip by

The turnover thwarted a huge opportunity for the Colts after More than a half-foot of snow they took over at the Chiefs socked Kansas City before kick- 20-yard line late in the third quarter on a fumble that was forced and recovered by line-

against the winner of Sunday's Luck could never get into a playoff game between the New rhythm, passing for 203 yards while going 19-for-36. The Colts, who had won 10 of their previous 11 games, including five straight, were dogged by 10



Mark J. Rebilas / USA TODAY Sports

Kansas City Chiefs quarterback Patrick Mahomes (15) throws a pass against Indianapolis Colts defensive end Margus Hunt (92) during the second quarter Saturday, Jan. 12, in an AFC Divisional playoff football game at Arrowhead Stadium in Kansas City, Mo.

moved the chains for the first time during a two-minute drill to end the half.

The Colts stormed down-Colts quarterback Andrew field on that march but kicker Adam Vinatieri, playing in his 32nd postseason game, missed a 23-yard field goal attempt off the left upright as time expired. Vinatieri also missed a PAT attempt.

first half, generating 18 first with 195 yards passing from downs before Indianapolis Mahomes, who also rushed for a 4-yard TD with 1:40 left. Williams scored on a 10-yard rush and wide receiver Tyreek Hill on a 36-yard reverse to cap the first two Kansas City drives.

Indianapolis went three-andout on each of its first four pos-

Najee Goode broke through to block a punt that teammate Zach Pascal recovered in the end zone with 5:56 left for the Colts'

Patriots hammer Chargers, make 8th straight AFC title game

FOXBORO, Mass. — Scoring touchdowns on their first four possessions Sunday, Jan. 13, the New England Patriots established a 35-7 halftime lead and cruised to a 41-28 win over the Los Angeles Chargers in an AFC divisional-round game at Gillette Stadium in Foxborough, Mass.

The result sends New England (12-5) to Kansas City next Sunday to play for the AFC title and a trip to the Super Bowl on Feb. 3. The conference championship at Arrowhead, a rematch of a 43-40 Patriots win in Week 6 in Foxborough, is scheduled

to kick off at 5:40 p.m. CT. Sunday's win also gave the Patriots a perfect 9-0 home record this season and put them in the conference championship game for eighth consecutive season, extending an NFL record.

Los Angeles finished its season with a 13-5 record, after recording its first playoff win since January 2014 last week.

But on this day, the Chargers couldn't come close to replicating last week's wild-card round victory in Baltimore. The Patriots carved up Los Angeles' defense for drives of 83, 67, 58 and 87 yards to start their day. When the Chargers finally stopped them, they fumbled the ensuing punt and the Patriots recovered before going 25 yards for a fifth ered, before going 35 yards for a fifth touchdown just before halftime.

Every aspect of New England's offense did its job. Tom Brady completed 34 of 44 passes for 343 yards and a 15-yard scoring strike to Phillip Dorsett with 12:17 left in the second quarter. Rookie running back Sony Michel pounded out 129 yards on 24 carries, reaching the end zone

on runs of 1, 14 and 5 yards. Brady made liberal use of running back James White and wide receiver Julian Edelman — White caught 15 passes for 97 yards, and Edelman added nine catches for 151 yards, a franchise-record fifth 100-yard

a franchise-record fifth 100-yard game in the playoffs.

"The line played great, and I thought we did a good job keeping them off-balance," Brady said to CBS. "It's that time of year where you have to play your best. We've got a big one next week."

Defensively, the Patriots made the Chargers one-dimensional with their first-half explosion. Run-

their first-half explosion. Running back Melvin Gordon managed only nine carries for 15 yards and a third-quarter touchdown, forcing Philip Rivers to carry the load.

Operating under duress all day, Rivers completed only 25 of 51 passes for 331 yards and three scores with an interception. New England recorded only two sacks, but hurried and harassed the quarterback throughout the afternoon.
"This wasn't the ending we want-

ed, but one game doesn't define the type of season this team had," Chargers head coach Anthony Lynn said.

Anderson, Gurley run Rams past Cowboys, into NFC title game

 $\begin{array}{c} \text{LOS ANGELES} - \text{C.J. Anderson} \\ \text{rushed for 123 yards and two} \end{array}$ touchdowns, and Todd Gurley added 115 yards and a score as the Los Angeles Rams ran their way into the NFC Championship game with a 30-22 victory Saturday, Jan. 12, over the visiting Dallas Cowboys.

Quarterback Jared Goff was 15-of-28 passing for 186 yards as the Rams moved one victory from the franchise's first Super Bowl appearance since 2001, when they lost to the New **England Patriots.**

The Rams will face the winner of Sunday's Philadelphia Eagles-New Orleans Saints matchup in next weekend's NFC title game.

"It was incredible what they did today," Goff said of the Rams' running backs. "We know this (Cowboys) defense, and we prepared for it well all week. What Todd and C.J. did ... Todd started it and C.J. finished it off."

Dak Prescott was 20 of 32 for 266 yards and one touchdown passing while also rushing for a score as the Cowboys lost their eighth consecutive road playoff

The Rams totaled 273 yards on the ground, a franchise record for a playoff game. It was the most rushing yards the Cowboys' this season. Dallas entered with game really because of that."



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Los Angeles Rams running back C.J. Anderson (35) celebrates with wide receiver Josh Reynolds (83) and wide receiver Robert Woods (17) and quarterback Jared Goff (16) after scoring a touchdown against the Dallas Cowboys in second quarter in an NFC divisional playoff football game Saturday, Jan. 12, at Los Angeles Memorial

enough job of controlling the line of scrimmage, winning our gaps and tackling," Cowboys head first half. coach Jason Garrett said. "They were able to run consistently throughout the game. They con-

the fifth-best rushing defense Anderson, who was signed in the NFL, allowing 94.6 yards late in the season and played in just two regular-season games, "We just didn't do a good scored on a 1-yard TD run to give the Rams a 13-7 lead with seven minutes remaining in the

> first game since Dec. 16 against Philadelphia because of knee run with 3:27 remaining in the with the Oakland Raiders.

opening half to give the Ramsa

After a third-quarter field goal from the Rams' Greg Zuerlein, the Cowboys cut the deficit to 23-15 on a 1-yard TD run from Ezekiel Elliott and a 2-point conversion catch from Amari

The Cowboys started a potential game-tying drive late in the third quarter, but Elliott was stopped on fourth down from the Pame' 25 yard line on the the Rams' 35-yard line on the first play of the fourth quarter.

The Rams promptly went on a 12-play, 65-yard drive, capped by a 1-yard TD run from Anderson to take a 30-15 lead with 7:16 remaining. Prescott added the Cowboys' final TD on a 1-yard run with 2:11 remaining.

Elliott was held to 47 yards on 20 rushes for the Cowboys.

"Even when we were in three-receiver sets they were in base, so they were committed to stopping our running game," Garrett said. "If they're committed to taking one thing away you have to be able to beat them in the other area, and at times we did a good job of that tonight."

At 32, the Rams' Sean McVay Gurley, who was playing in his became the youngest head coach to win a playoff game, ahead of John Madden, who was 33 when defense has given up in a game trolled the pace and tempo of the soreness, added a 35-yard TD he won his first playoff game

Saints hunt another Super Bowl after ending Eagles' long run

14-point first-quarter defi-301 yards and two touchoff victory over the Philday, Jan. 13, at the Mer- on third down." cedes-Benz Superdome.

Saints cornerback Marshon Lattimore intercepted despite a flurry of injua Nick Foles pass — which ries. Foles completed 18 went through the hands of Alshon Jeffery — at the New Orleans 19-yard line and failed over the final three returned it to the Saints' 33 with 1:52 remaining, and running back Alvin Kamara ran for 12 yards on thirdand-10 in the final minute capitalizing on a witherto kill the clock.

(14-3) trailed 14-0 just 10:23 third quarter and netted into the game but scored the Saints nine first downs. 20 unanswered points to Brees completed 8 of 10 advance to the NFC Cham- passes for 80 yards on the pionship Game next Sun- march, on which the Saints day afternoon against the overcame two holding pen-Los Angeles Rams at the alties and a false start. One Superdome.

After starting 0 for 3, including an interception nullified a 46-yard scoring on the first play of the game, Brees finished 28 of 38 with scoring passes of 2 yards each to Keith Kirkwood and Michael Thomas. Thomas set Saints' playoff Cre'Von LeBlanc for a records with 12 catches and 2-yard score. 171 yards receiving.

ond half, we were out- played, most importantly standing," Saints coach with your defense and their Sean Payton told report- rest and your opponent ers following the game. getting that many snaps "It wasn't a perfect game. (on defense)," Payton said

NEW ORLEANS — Over- There's a lot of things we of the drive's importance. coming a horrid start and a have to clean up. But we cit, Drew Brees threw for defending champions, and that means a lot. ... We've downs and lifted the host played from behind quite New Orleans Saints to a a bit in the regular sea-20-14 NFC divisional play- son, and we've been able to come back. ... We did a great adelphia Eagles on Sun- job of getting off the field

> The sixth-seeded Eagles (10-8) played valiantly of 31 passes for 201 yards, but Philadelphia's offense quarters, amassing just 97 yards after 153 in the first. New Orleans took its first

lead of the game, 17-14, by ing, 18-play, 92-yard drive The No. 1-seeded Saints that consumed 11:29 of the of the holding penalties, on left guard Andrus Peat, pass from Taysom Hill to

Kamara. Brees eventually got the touchdown, finding Thomas in man coverage against

"It impacts you relative "Defensively in the sec- to the number of snaps

got the win against the that to take place. Regretfully, those penalties hurt tum at that point was in our us, but we were able to overcome them."

> Wil Lutz extended the Saints' lead to 20-14 with a 39-yard field goal with 10:28 left, but it remained a one-possession game.

When Lutz missed a 52-yard field-goal attempt wide right with 2:58 remaining, the Eagles had new life at their own 42. But Jeffery's drop of Foles' pass and Lattimore's interception — his second of the game — sealed Philadelphia's fate.

"He told me he loved playing with me and we wouldn't have won a Super Bowl without me," Jeffrey told the media after the game of what Foles said to him. "Still, I let the city of Philadelphia down.'

Eagles coach Doug Pederson told reporters that prior to the interception he believed his team would capitalize on Lutz's miss.

"A lot had to happen for our way, that we got that. It just felt like the momenfavor, ion our hands. It's been that way all season. I felt like the magic was going to continue.'

The Eagles dominated the first quarter, jumping out to a 14-0 lead and at one point holding a total yardage advantage of 151-0. However, the Saints got

back in the game with 10 consecutive points in the second quarter to trail only 14-10 at halftime.

Foles completed eight of his first nine passes for 113 yards and led Philadelphia to touchdowns on its first two possessions. The first score was set up on the Saints' first play, when Brees badly underthrew Ted Ginn Jr. on a deep route and LeBlanc intercepted the ball at the Philadelphia 24.

Foles completed all five passes for 65 yards on the ensuing 76-yard scoring drive, including a 37-yard strike to wide receiver Jor-

"I thought we were on dan Matthews, who easily within 14-10 with a 45-yard beat double coverage for the touchdown.

> After New Orleans went three-and-out, Foles directed a 10-play, 75-yard touchdown march, setting up the score with a 30-yard back-shoulder throw to Jeffrey on third-and-7 to the Saints' 4. Foles got the 14-0 lead by stretching the ball over the goal line from 1 yard out two plays later.

> But the Saints finally got rolling in the second quarter, when Brees completed 13 of 16 passes for 171 yards a touchdown. Sean Payton successfully gambled twice on fourth down on the touchdown drive converting a fourth-and-1 converting the touchdown on fourth-and-goal from the 2 with Brees soft pass in the left corner of the end zone to Kirkwood.

Lutz brought the Saints Sunday.

Community Events

field just before intermission. The drive started at the New Orleans 6 with 78 seconds remaining in the

half. The loss will also bring Foles' future with the Eagles into question in the coming days and into the offseason. The Super Bowl MVP from last season may become a free agent in the spring and starting quarterback Carson Wentz's health issues will leave the Eagles with a huge decision

regarding Foles.
"I just told him I appreciated everything he's done," Pederson said of what he told Foles. "For him to come in and step on a fake-punt run by Hill in the way he has, I told at the Saints' 30 and then him I loved him, and we'll probably visit in the next few days."

The NFC Championship Game is scheduled to kick off at 2:05 p.m. CT next





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AREA GIRLS BASKETBALL

Staples-Motley 52, Frazee 32

FRAZEE — Tabatha fourth-straight double-double as she recorded an 11 point, 12 rebound performance to lead the Staples-Motley Cardinals to a 52-32 Section 8-2A victory over Frazee, Sat-

Jenna Dvorak grabbed 11 boards to go with six points and Haley Cichos scored 12 points for the

Smith 9, Alix Peterson 7, Jenna Dvorak 6, Tabatha Allen 11, Bella Martin 4. FT 26-39 (67 percent). Overall: 4-8. Next: hosts Long Prairie-Grey Eagle 7:15 p.m. Friday, Jan. 18.

COLLEGEVILLE Emily Dehler scored 11 points as the Pierz Pioneers came away with a 45-42 overtime victory over Melrose Saturday, Jan. 12 at St. John's Uni-

Versity.
Melrose 20 19 3 — 42
Pierz 19 20 6 — 45
PIERZ

Amaya Rocheleau 2, Rabeka Langer 7, Emily Dehler 11, Courtney Strohmeier 8, Alissa Girtz 2, Emily Sadlovsky 3, Kylie Way-tashek 4, Laura Skiba 8. FG 17-42 (40 percent), FT 9-14 (64 percent). 3-point 2-8 (25 percent). Overall: 7-6. Next: at Pine City 7:15 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 15.

Pillager 60, Barnum 43

in a Section 7-2A matchup Jan. 12. Saturday, Jan 12.

double figures with 10 points.

POITICS.

Barnum 26 17 — 43
Pillager 30 30 — 60
BARNUM
Brittney Mike 3, Lacie O'Leary 1, Reese Miletich 10, Jordyn Marine 12, Gracie Nelson 1,
Mallory Agurkis 7, Allison Marine 9. FT 20-33
(61 percent) PILL AGER

Ziya Pulak 7, Jordyn VanVickle 1, Maggie Schmit 13, Bailey Knoblauch 14, Sadie Hop-man 2, Jenna Woidyla 8, Olivia Peterson 8, Sam Macheel 10, Emma Schmit 6, Charlea Johnson 1. FT 14-23 (61 percent). Overall: 3-8. Next: hosts Menahga 7:30 p.m. Tues-

Lake Region finishes 1-1

ST. FRANCIS — Tori Plemel and Hannah

points and Maggie Schmit mount 39-38 for thirdtotaled 13 as Pillager place in the St. Francis defeated Barnum 60-43 Tournament Saturday,

McGaffrey's shot with Sam Macheel also hit five seconds remaining put the Hornets in front for good.

Earlier Saturday, Lake Region lost to Liberty

43-29. Game One

Liberty 18 25 — 43
Lake Region 16 13 — 29
LAKE REGION
Ellie Shafer 1, Tori Plemel 2, Nikole Thorson 4, Valerie Imdieke 3, Taylor Borowicz 4, Amber Neubert 6, Hannah McGaffey 9. FG 12-49 (25 percent), FT 4-5 (80 percent). 3-point 1-7 (14 percent).

3-point 1-7 (14 percent).
Game Two
Rosemount 16 22 — 38
Lake Region 20 19 — 39
LAKE REGION
Lydia Neubert 5, Tori Plemel 12, Nikole
Thorson 4, Valerie Imdieke 2, Taylor Borowicz 2, Amber Neubert 2, Hannah McGaffey
12. FG 18-62 (29 percent), FT 3-9 (33 percent). 3-point 0-3. Conference: 4-4. Overall:
6-5. Next: at Woodcrest, 4:00 p.m. Tuesday,
Jan 15.

McGaffrey each scored

BARNUM — Bai- 12 points as Lake Region Kaila Erbe 3, Haley Cichos 12, Kaitlyn ley Knoblauch hit for 14 Christian defeated Rose**GIRLS BASKETBALL**

Cardinals D clamps down on Warriors

WILLMAR — Willmar's Warriors to 7-of-37 shooting (18.9 percent) from the field to lead the Cardinals to a 62-29 Central Lakes Conference victory Saturday, Jan. 12.

Lilly Horn's eight points led the Warriors, who were forced into 21 turnovers and outrebounded

The loss snaps Braindefense held the Brainerd erd's three-game winning streak.

WILLMAR Abby Berskow 5, Amanda Mathiasen 4, Katelyn Murphy 11, Sadie Raitz 5, Callie Slagter 2, Madi Linbo 13, Carly Wedel 9, Ashley Prahl 9, Kayla Carlson 2, Brooke Wittwer 2. FG 22-49 (44.9 percent), FT 15-18 (83.3 percent). 3-point 3-11 (27.3 percent).

BRAINERD Courtney Russell 6, Lilly Horn 8, Autumn Miles 4, Myah Nelson 5, Olivia Tautges 4, Grace Zimmerman 2. FG 7-37 (18.9 percent), FT 12-19 (63.2 percent), 3-point 3-21 (14.3 percent). Conference: 2-5. Overall: 6-9. Next: hosts Alexandria 7:15 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 17

AREA BOYS BASKETBALL

Turk, Rangers shoot down Blue Devils

Turk tossed in a teamhigh 20 points, including four 3-pointers to lead the Crosby-Ironton Rangers past the Virginia Blue Devils 64-58 in a Section 7-2A matchup Saturday,

Johnathan Jacobson and Kyle Skeim each added 10 points for the Rangers, Pillager 55, Barnum 48 who improved to 10-1.

record, while C-I came in Jan 12. as the No. 3 seed in the

VIRGINIA — Cayden South Subsection 7-2A

Standing.
Virginia 18 40 — 58
Crosby-Ironton 27 37 — 64
VIRGINIA

Nick Peters 3, Jayden Bernard 23, Mason Carlson 16, Tyler Herberg 5, Jack Perala 11. FG 21-58 (36 percent), FT 8-12 (67 percent). 3-point 8-29 (28 percent). CROSBY-IRONTON

Sam Jordan 4, Joseph Stokman 9, Cayden Turk 20, Dakota Mitchell 9, Johnathan Jacob-

son 10, Trey Stangel 2, Kyle Skeim 10. FG 26-62 (42 percent), FT 5-9 (55 percent). 3-point 7-24 (29 percent). Overall: 10-1. Next: at Hinckley-Finlayson 7:15 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 15.

BARNUM — The Pillager

Virginia entered the Huskies shot 54 percent on game as the top seed in their way to a 55-48 win the North Subsection over Barnum in a Section standings with an 8-2 7-2A matchup Saturday,

AREA BOYS HOCKEY

Stars outshine Lightning in 7-3 win

RICHMOND — The Northern Lakes Light-ning saw too much of Cam Shots on goal: NL 29, RL 31 Goalies: NL-Sam LeMieur (24 saves); RL-Proctor 7 p.m. Monday, Jan. 14. Lemke and Logan Stellmach as the two River Kittson Central 4, Lakes players combined Wadena-DC 1 for four goals and four assists for a 7-3 victory Saturday, Jan. 12.

The Lightning accumulated 29 shots on goal for the game with Dylan Mesenbrink, Hunter Nybakken, and Josef Slepica day, Jan 12. scoring the three Northern Lakes Goals.

Goaltender Sam LeMieur

recorded 24 saves.
River Lakes 322 – 7
Northern Lakes 111 – 3
First period: RL-Cam Lemke (Griffin Duininck) ppg 7:16; RL-Quintin Ruhland (Logan Stellmach) 9:03; RL-Sam Howard (Stellmach) Stellmach (19.03, NL-salm Inward (stellmach) 11:17; NL-Dylan Mesenbrink 14:59 Second period: NL-Hunter Nybakken (Owen Miller, Shane Donovan) 4:04; RL-Stellmach 13:15; RL-Lemke (Stellmach, Blake Blattner)

ppg 15:26 Third period: RL-Stellmach shg 1:08; NL-Josef Slepica 2:24; RL-Cam Lemke (Stellmach) 14:44

HALLOCK -Woods second-period goal on an assist from Logan Robinson was the lone goal for Wadena-Deer Creek in a 4-1 non-conference loss to Kittson Central Satur-

Josh Dykhoff stopped 25 of the 29 shots that he

racea.

IdCeU.

Kittson Central 121—4

Wadena-DC 010—1

First period: KC-Hayden Hennen
Second period: KC-Adam Gustafson (Calvin
Hanson); WDC-Keade Woods (Logan Robinson); KC-Adam Gustafson shg
Third period: Calvin Hanson (Adam Gus-

Inira period: Calvin Hanson (Adam Gustafson, Hayden Hennen) ppg
Shots on goal: WDC 19, KC 29
Goalies: WDC-Josh Dykhoff (25 saves);
KC-Wyatt Olsonawski (18 saves)
Overall: WDC 5-8-1. Next: WDC hosts
Breckenridge/Wahpeton 7 p.m. Tuesday, Jan.

AREA GIRLS HOCKEY

Prairie Centre bucks the Broncos 4-1

WADENA — Kylee Hopp was one of four players to find the net for Prairie Centre in a 4-1 win over Moorhead 3, International Falls Saturday, Jan 12.

Hopp's goal at 15:45 of the first period got the Blue Devils on the board. Shelby Otte and Reece Ritter each scored second-period goals and Ally Ecker closed out the scoring in the third period.

Prairie Centre tallied 12 total shots for the game. Mackenzie Och kicked away 14 of the 15 shots she

faced. International Falls 0 1 0 — 1
Prairie Centre 1 2 1 — 4
First period: PC-Kylee Hopp 15:45
Second period: PC-Shelby Otte (Ally Ecker)

Second period: PC-Shelp Otte (Ally Ecker) 8:15; IF-Grace Bragg (Taylor Sears) 12:01; PC-Reece Ritter 13:10 Third period: PC-Ecker 13:54 Shots on goal: PC 12, IF 15 Goalies: PC-Mackenzie Och (14 saves); IF-

Grace Wegner (8 saves)
Overall: PC 10-8. Next: Prairie Centre hosts

Northern Lakes 1

ST. PAUL — Emily Brunkhorts's goal at 1:43 Saturday tied the game at 1-1, but Moorhead scored goals in both the second and third periods to defeat Northern Lakes 3-1 Jan. 12 at the North Dale Recre-

ation Center. The Lightning outshot the Spuds 30-13. Moorhead 111-3 Northern Lakes 100-1

First period: M-Emily Meyer (Bria Holm, Grace Greene) ppg 1:43; NL-Emily Brunk-horst (Elli Saxerud) 2:12 Second period: M-Holm 4:00

Section Period: M-Holm 15:21
Shots on goal: NL 30, M 13
Goalies: NL-Kate Stephens (9 saves);
M-Paige Schmidt (29 saves)
Overall: NL 7-9-1. Next: Northern Lakes vs.

Prairie Centre at Long Prairie 7 p.m. Tuesday

AREA GYMNASTICS

Flyers 3rd at Maple Lake

Dehn was a second-place **Team scores:** 1-Maple finisher on the uneven Lake 132.35, 2-Litchfield bars as Little Falls placed 126.2, 3-Little Falls 122.4, third at the Maple Lake 4-St. Louis Park 120.75,

Next: Little Falls hosts

Allen registered her Pierz 45, Melrose 42

urday, Jan. 12

Cardinals.

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Frazee 22 10 — 32
Staples-Motley 23 29 — 52
FRAZEE
Madison Starry 7, Paige Oswald 7, Paige
Ziegler, Talia Gabrielson 4, Ellie Reierson
2, Abby Hoehne 2, Annika Reierson 1, Dani
Piche 6, Harley Kropuenske 4. FT 6-12 (50
percent) STAPLES-MOTI FY

12th-ranked Bertha-Hewitt/ Park-

ers Prairie Raiders came away with

11-team Parkers Prairie Tourna-

Quinn Kern, Zavier Grefe and Craig Orlando each notched first-

place finishes, while Hunter Dean

Adam Christopher and Taylor

Eigenheer each won their weight

class for fourth-place Crosby-Iron-

weight class for the fifth-place Staples - Motley Cardinals.
Team Scores: 1-LPGE-Browerville 276, 2-Bertha Hewitt/
Verndale/Parkers Prairie 217, 3-Benson 137, 4-Crosby-Iron-

ton 116.5, 5-Staples-Motley 95.5, 6-Park Rapids Area 95, 7-Deer River 83, 8-Breckenridge 82, 9-Pelican Rapids 73.5, 10 Wahpeton 48, 11-Ortonville 36.

Next: Crosby-Ironton at Walker-Hackensack-Akeley Triangular Tuesday, Jan. 22; Staples-Motley hosts Aitkin Saturday,

Jan .19; Bertha-Hewitt/Verndale/Parkers Prairie in Red Lake

County Central Invite at Oklee Friday, Jan. 18.

ment Saturday, Jan 12.

finished in second place.

Raiders wrestle to 2nd in tourney PARKERS PRAIRIE — Class 1A's Little Falls fifth

at Stillwater Duals a second-place team finish in the

STILLWATER — Austin Litke, Gabe Nagel, Grant Litke, Sam Nagel and Luke Venske all finished with 3-0 records as Little Falls finished fifth at the Stillwater Duals Saturday, Jan 12.

AREA WRESTLING

The Flyers lost to Coon Rapid 51-23 and defeated Chatfield 48-33 and Eagan 45-34 to improve to 11-9. They will host Brainerd and Becker Thursday, Jan. 17.

Owen Bjerga won the 160-pound Road Crew 3rd, W-DC 9th

Road Crew 3rd, W-DC 9th

GLENWOOD — Connor Tulenchik and Jake Poehler took the top spot in their respective classes as the requot Lakes/Pine River-Backus Road Crew finished second in the 1-team Minnewaska Invite Satur-lay, Jan 12.

Myca Reynolds, Keenan Dahl, and 12.

120. 1-blake Vagle (NDC)
132: 1-Bryce Dagel (EP), 2-Evan Koering (PLPRB)
138: 1-Connor Tulenchik (PLPRB)
145: 1-Jahsa Rankins (EP), 3-Harley Large (PLPRB)
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152: 1-Jake Poehler (PLPRB)
160: 1-Ayden Friese (QC), 6-Matthew Foster (PLPRB)
170: 1-Tyson Meyer (MA), 2-Cody Wheeler (WDC), 4-Tim Ryan (PLPRB)
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172: 1-Brake Vagle (NDC)
152: 1-Bryce Dagel (EP), 2-Evan Koering (PLPRB)
163: 1-Connor Tulenchik (PLPRB)
160: 1-Ayden Friese (QC), 6-Matthew Foster (PLPRB)
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175: 1-Jake Poehler (PLPRB) and Jake Poehler took the top spot in their respective classes as the Pequot Lakes/Pine River-Backus Road Crew finished second in the 11-team Minnewaska Invite Saturday, Jan 12.

Evan Koering all placed second and Riley Wilson and Josh Pettit each notched their 50th career wins. Poehler's win was his 75th.

Cody Wheeler of Wadena-Deer Creek also scored a second-place finish and the Wolverines finished ninth. Team Scores: 1-Minnewaska Area 228.5, 2-Pequot Lakes-Pine River-Backus 185, 3-Eden Prairie 147.5, 4-Alexandria 135, 5-New London-Spicer 115, 6-Border West 112, 7-Quad County 91.5, 8-Edina 53, 9-Wadena-Deer Creek 36.5, 10-Minneapolis Patrick Henry 31, 11-Minneapolis Roosevelt

Individual results

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106: 1-Jacory Bates (EP), 5-Simon Snyder (WDC), 6-Riley
Wilson (PLPRB)
113: 1-Easton McCrory (MA), 6-Owen Carlson (PLPRB)
120: 1-Ryan Borris (A), 3-Caleb Ruhl (PLPRB)
126: 1-Blake Vagle (NLS), 5-Austin Staricha (PLPRB),
6-Mason Snyder (WDC)

COLLEGE HOCKEY

SCSU Huskies rally to beat Bulldogs, maintain control of NCHC top spot

out of St. Cloud State's the Nanooks a 2-1 win. lead atop the NCHC on

Friday night. kies made the fifth-ranked in regulation. Bulldogs spit that chunk back out Saturday, Jan. Hockey Association series of the weekend, and the 12, however, scoring four ended in a split, the sixth second of his collegiate Gophers seal road unanswered goals for a in eight league series for career, for McLaughlin, 4-2 victory before a crowd the Beavers (10-11-3, 8-7of 6,647 at Amsoil Arena.

St. Cloud State, coached by former Bulldogs player and assistant coach Brett Larson, came into the weekend eight points ahead of UMD (12-6-2 overall, Fighting Irish, you call on 5-4-1 NCHC) and seven up on second-place Western Michigan. The Huskies (15-3-2, 7-1-2) leave with an eight-point advantage on UMD while Western Michigan was able to pull to four via a sweep of Miami in Kalamazoo, Mich.

Bemidji State falls in OT to Alaska

BEMIDJI. — Justin Bau-Center crowd to its feet er with his game-tying goal of the third period, sendinto overtime.

Alaska's 19th skater Justin Young had other plans, stunning the Bemidji State men's hockey team and the home fans

DULUTH — Minnesota with his goal 52 seconds 0 in the Big Ten with the attempted a wraparound.

1-1 WCHA) this season.

Fighting Irish undone by an Irish freshman

SOUTH BEND, Ind. — If you want to silence the an Irish kid from northern

Minnesota, apparently. That was the secret for the Minnesota Gophers Saturday, Jan. 12, at Notre Dame, as they earned their first sweep of the season when Blake McLaughlin, a freshman from Grand Rapids, Minn., scored a dramatic goal with 7.8

seconds left for a 2-1 win. After a defensive turndry brought the Sanford over by Irish wing-Michael Graham, Mclaughlin took a pass in the waning moments from Tyler Sheehy near ic overtime goal — this center ice, won a foot- one by Jordan Kawaguchi ing Saturday night's game race with the Notre Dame to secure a 3-2 win and 4, defender and shoveled a UND's first National Collow shot past Irish goaltender Dylan St. Cyr to sweep of the season.

quiet much of the arena.

Duluth took a sizable bite into overtime, handing win, which has them in Colorado College forward second place, two points Grant Cruikshank crashed Baudry's goal came on back of Ohio State. They the power play with only got 34 saves from goalie with goalie Alex Leclerc, The No. 1-ranked Hus- 2 minutes, 9 seconds left Mat Robson, who improved igniting chaos around the to 7-4-4 with the win.

The Western Collegiate It was the second goal who was a key player for Grand Rapids High School two season ago when the Thunderhawks won the Minnesota state title.

UND sweeps Colorado **College with dramatic** overtime goal

GRAND FORKS — Adam Scheel was vomiting all night and Saturday morning. When he arrived at Ralph Engelstad Arena at 9 a.m.

ing staff sent him home to get rest and fluids. in and found a way to get

morning skate, the coach-

it done, too. For the second-straight night, UND beat Colorado College with a dramatlegiate Hockey Conference McLaughlin, Brooke Bryant,

The Gophers improved Jones picked up a rebound goaltender Abigail Levy. 9-8-4 overall and 6-3-3- of a Kawaguchi shot and

Forum News Service sweep with 6-3 win MANKATO — Alex Woken led the way with

the crease and got tangled

three points and Grace Zumwinkle scored two goals as the No. 2 Golden Gophers earned a 6-3 win and series sweep over Minnesota State at the Verizon Center in Mankato Saturday, Jan. 12. Minnesota (21-2-1, 11-2-

1-0 WCHA) extended its winning streak to 14 consecutive games with the win Saturday for the team's over the Mavericks. Five different players scored for the Maroon & Gold and 11 different Gophers record-Scheel's teammates dug ed at least one point led by multiple points from Woken (1g-2a), Zumwinkle (2g), and Taylor Heise (2a). Sydney Scobee improved to 6-2-1 with 23 saves on 26

shots faced. Minnesota State (8-10-WCHA) 3-9-2-1 received goals from Jordan and Brittyn Fleming along On the winning goal, Nick with a 28-save effort from

gophersports.com

RAIDERS From Page B1

"The tempo is all set on the defensive end and in the last ten minutes of the first half, they made one bucket. My challenge at halftime was another 20 minutes and they did that."

Malik Kelly finished the game with 12 points and six rebounds, but helped CLC force Mesabi into 23

"I wasn't very surprised," Kelly said of the Raiders' Saturday performance. "Coach told us to come in and work hard. He let us know that Mesabi was 2-0 in conference play and would be coming in with a chip on their shoulder and trying to improve from last year. So we couldn't come out there just think-

ing it was going to be easy."

first half. That is where the fun much Chris has grown." ended for Mesabi as the Raiders outscored them 22-2 for the rest of the half to lead 59-34 at the half.

"It was our pressure defense," time out and told us to get focused and not play slow because it was going to be a close game, so we couldn't make it an easy game for them if we wanted to show that we are one of the best teams in the conference."

At the end of the first half, Buckley's line showed 23 points, five steals and two assists. "Chris got his hands on everything," Russell said. "We put a lot of emphasis on focusing on the lane and he was there. I like to call it "little man syndrome", and you have to play that way and The Norse were effective early as he was in the right place at the right p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 16.

they built a six-point lead. But the time. And the best part was that he Raiders' defense picked up and a got Gavin (Smith, who scored 14 layup from Buckley put the Raiders points off the bench) going and we up 37-32 at the 7:24 mark of the need that. And that showed me how

Seven different players from CLC's bench got into the scoring

"I told them that if you guys play Kelly said. "Coach called a quick like that at playoff time, there is no one on our team that I need to worry about," Russell said. "You guys all got the opportunity and showed that you can play."

For more photos go to https://bit. ly/2AUh2cn. Mesabi Range 34 33 — 67 Central Lakes 59 51 — 110

MESABI RANGE
Daniel Modi 1, Alban Cooke 7, Markis Watkins 4, Bryce
Hempel 12, Calvin Lee 20, William Howard 19, Mamoudou
Cisse 2, Duerlo Champagne 2. FG 26-66 (39 percent), FT

Cisse 2, Duerlo Champagne 2. FG 26-66 (39 percent), FT 10-12 (83 percent). 3-point 5-15 (33 percent). CENTRAL LAKES

Chris Buckley 30, Josh Arnold 7, Malik Kelly 12, Jai'Onn Harlin 3, Gavin Smith 14, Kelvin Harris 7, Al-Jureau Ray 10, Tyree'on Johnson 8, Shamar Hill 4, Avis Gilbert 2, Brandon Burggraff 8, Dylan McLain 5. FG 43-84 (51 percent), FT 10-14 (71 percent). 3-point 14-28 (50 percent). Division: 3-0. Overall: 10-4. Next: at Vermillion Community College 7:30

MAPLE LAKE — Maddie the six-team invitational.

Invite Saturday, Jan 12.

fifth on the bars and ton 116.7 eighth in the all-around. beam to gain a top 10 in p.m. Tuesday, Jan 15.

5-HLWW—HT 118.65, Dylann Boser finished 6-Kasson Mantorville Tri-

Ashley Hage also tied her Rush City/Pine City/ season-high score on the Hinckley-Finlayson, 7:30

Calgary 4, Florida 3 Pittsburgh 7, Anaheim 4

Tampa Bay 5, Buffalo 3 Boston 3, Toronto 2 Montreal 3, Colorado 0

San Jose 4, Ottawa 1

Saturday's Games New Jersey 3, Philadelphia 2 NY Rangers 2, NY Islanders 1

Columbus 2, Washington 1, OT Detroit 5, Minnesota 2 Vegas 4, Chicago 3, OT St. Louis 3, Dallas 1

San Jose 4, Ottawa 1 Arizona 3, Edmonton 2 Los Angeles 5, Pittsburgh 2 Sunday's Games Carolina 6, Nashville 3 Winnipeg 4, Anaheim 3, OT Columbus 7, NY Rangers 5 Vancouver 5, Florida 1 NY Islanders 5, Tampa Bay 1 Calgary 7, Arizona 1 Monday's Games Colorado at Toronto, 6 p.m.

Colorado at Toronto, 6 p.m. Chicago at New Jersey, 6 p.m. Minnesota at Philadelphia, 6 p.m. St. Louis at Washington, 6 p.m. Montreal at Boston, 6:30 p.m.

Third Period—6, Winnipeg, Chiarot 4 (Tanev,

Copp) 14:05.

Overtime—7, Winnipeg, Little 10 (Trouba) 4:49.

4:49.
Shots on Goal—Anaheim 7-13-8-3—31. Winnipeg 11-11-5-7—34.
Power-play opportunities—Anaheim 0 of 2. Winnipeg 1 of 3.
Goalies—Anaheim Gibson 15-14-8 (34 shots-30 saves). Winnipeg Hellebuyck 20-13-1 (24 29)

Detroit 3, Minnesota 2

Detroit 1 2 2— 5

Minnesota 1 1 0— 2

First Period—1, Detroit, Bertuzzi 11 (Nyquist,

Larkin) 0:24. 2, Minnesota, Kunin 1 (Parise,

Suter) 17:00.
Second Period—3, Minnesota, Niederreiter 8

(Koivu, Zucker) 0:17 (pp). 4, Detroit, Vanek 8 (Mantha, Ericsson) 0:45. 5, Detroit, Vanek

o (wallind, Elissolf) (4-3), Detroit, Variek 9 (Ericsson, Hronek) 15:10.

Third Period—6, Detroit, Bertuzzi 12 (Larkin, Green) 0:47. 7, Detroit, Bertuzzi 13 (Nyquist, Larkin) 8:38.

Shots on Goal—Detroit 8-21-8—37. Minneso-

Power-play opportunities-Detroit 0 of 4. Min-

Goalies—Detroit Howard 12-12-5 (18 shots-16 saves). Minnesota Dubnyk 17-15-3 (37-

32). A—19,087 (18,064). T—2:28.

(31-28). A—15,321 (15,004). T—2:33.

Saturday's result Detroit 5, Minnesota 2

Buffalo at Edmonton, 8 p.m.

Sunday's result Winnipeg 4, Anaheim 3, OT Anaheim 2 1



Jesse Johnson / USA Today Sports

Minnesota Timberwolves forward Karl-Anthony Towns (32) backs toward the basket as New Orleans Pelicans forward Anthony Davis (23) plays defense in the first half at Target Center on Saturday,

Towns leads Wolves to close win against Davis, Pelicans

Field Level Media

MINNEAPOLIS 27 points and 27 rebounds of a five-game road trip. as the host Minnesota New Orleans Pelicans 110-106 on Saturday night.

Timberwolves bounced back from their first loss under interim head coach Ryan Saunders a night earlier to improve to 2-1 since he replaced the fired Tom Thibodeau on Jan. 6.

Andrew Wiggins added 18 points, Josh Okogie scored 17, Dario Saric and Tvus Jones had 14 each and Taj Gibson 10.

Anthony Davis had 30 points and 14 rebounds, added 22 points and 11 rebounds and Elfrid Pay- giving Minnesota a 99-ton had 10 points to lead edge over New Orleans.

the Pelicans, who saw Karl-Anthony Towns had streak end in the opener dunks by Randle and Holi-

The Pelicans led by Timberwolves held off the two points after the first er and blocked a shot by quarter, the Wolves led by Davis, leading to Jones' two at halftime and the layup and a 108-103 Mintightness continued in the nesota lead. third quarter.

> times and changed hands those would be New Orlenine times before Randle's ans' only points in the layup in the final seconds final 3:58. Jones made lead after three quarters.

> The Pelicans maintained the lead until Saric's 3-pointer produced the quarter buzzer with a tipfirst tie of the period at 95 in that gave New Orleans with 8:11 remaining.

The score was tied once the first period. Jrue Holiday scored 25 more before Towns' tippoints, Julius Randle in produced the first lead and 15 rebounds as Minchange of the quarter, nesota held a 54-52 halfgiving Minnesota a 99-97 time lead.

Towns made another three-game winning basket before consecutive day pulled the Pelicans even.

Towns made a 3-point-

Holiday answered with The score was tied 10 a three-point play, but gave New Orleans an 89-87 two free throws to give the Wolves a 110-106 lead with 54 seconds left.

> Payton barely beat the a 29-27 lead at the end of

Towns had 14 points

Bertuzzi's 1st career hat trick carries Wings over Wild

Field Level Media

ST. PAUL — A career night from Tyler Bertuzzi helped the Detroit Red Wings earn something self near the front of the the score at 2-2. positive in an otherwise negative stretch.

Bertuzzi scored his first career hat trick to help Detroit earn a 5-2 win over the Minnesota Wild on Saturday, Jan. 12.

just the second time in 11 ed in on a partial break- netted his second goal of games and also cooled off away and beat Red Wings a Wild team that had won goalie Jimmy Howard on a shot from the point to four of its previous five the stick side.

Detroit outshooting the Wild by 37-19 margin.

After allowing a goal 13 seconds into the game against Winnipeg on Friday, the Red Wings pulled

scoring 24 seconds into goal by Nino Niederreiter lead.

Minnesota goal and tipped home a shot from the lead with 4:50 left in the point by Gustav Nyquist. second period on another

in the first period, tying home a shot from the top the score at 1–1 with 3:00 of the faceoff circles. left in the first on a goal The Red Wings won for by Luke Kunin, who skat- the third period, Bertuzzi

It was Kunin's first goal dominated, of the season.

the second period with a in front of the Minnebang, with each scoring in sota goal and lifting a the first minute.

second, Minnesota took a Red Wings with 11:22 left that trick on the Wild, 2-1 lead on a power-play in the game.

the game to take a 1-0 but Detroit answered 28 seconds later on a goal by Bertuzzi camped him- Thomas Vanek that tied

Detroit then took a 3-2 The Wild answered later goal by Vanek, who fired

Only 47 seconds into the game, tipping home give Detroit a 4-2 lead.

Bertuzzi then scored his third goal later in The teams started off the third, walking out backhand underneath the Just 17 seconds into the crossbar to make it 5-2

WRESTLING

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195: Morgan Gibson 4-2 220: Cade Barrett 5-1

138: Kyle Patnode 6-0 145: Brad Patnode 4-2 152: Blake Wgeishofski 1-5 160: Braden Kramer 3-3 170: Isaiah Boberg 2-4 182: Forrest Gibson 2-4

285: Open Thief River Falls 34, Pierz 31 Pierz 34, Tracy-Milroy-Balaton-West-brook-Walnut Grove 29 Pierz 40, United North Central 28 Kenyon-Wanamingo 46, Pierz 21 Pierz 34, Brainerd 31 Bemidji 53, Pierz 15 Pierz results

106: Trevor Radunz 5-0, Jacob LeBlanc 0-1 113: Jacob LeBlanc 1-3, Trevor Radunz 0-1 120: Sebastian Warzecha 4-2 126: Jake Andres 5-1

132: Brandon Funk 1-4. Jake Andres 1-0

145: Austin Radunz 0-1, Ross Boser 0-2 152: Brandon Tomala 2-3, Riley Hoskins 160: Riley Hoskins 0-5, Brandon Tomala

170: Reese Kapsner 5-1 182: Tanner Young 1-5 195: Jacob Gotvald 2-2, Carson Huls 2-0 220: Carson Huls 3-1, Jacob Gotvald 0-2

285: Austin Dickmann 2-4 Overall: B 12-5, Prz 10-3. Next: Brainerd in Pequot Lakes/Pine River-Backus Quad at Pine River Tuesday, Jan 15; Pierz at Bel-

grade-Brooten-Elrosa Triangular Tuesday. Jan. 15.

DANCE

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minor falls and a few other minor timing issues, but had a very solid performance. It was much better than at the conference the night before. We looked more confident and in control. Anoka performed well, too.

"This will fuel us as we move toward sections. They won sections last year

and we were second so obviously, we are on a mission."

Brainerd racked up 408 points out of 500, but Anoka finished with 414.

Brainerd's junior varsity kick finished fourth with 11 rank points. JV jazz was also fourth with 11.5 rank points.

Jazz: 1-Anoka 4, 2-Brainerd 5, 3-Spring Lake Park 10, 4-Hopkins 10, 5-Burnsville 17, 6-Lakeville South 18, 7-Sauk Rapids 19, 8-Elk River 24, 9-St. Francis 27, 10-New Prague 30

Kick: 1-Brainerd 3, 2-Anoka 6, 3-Spring Lake Park 12, 4-Sauk Rap-

ids 12.5, 5-Burnsville 15, 6-Lakeville South 16, 7-Hopkins 20, 8-Forest Lake 24, 9-New Prague 27, 10-Elk River 30, 11-St. Francis 32.

Next: Brainerd at Wayzata Invitational Saturday, Jan. 19

CLC

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Voigt said. "I don't like running the shot clock down very often, but as a defense when you have to play for 30 seconds, you wear down, and we wound up getting a high-per-

Said Weite: "We knew that we still needed to get the ball inside and as a result of that we got some kick out passes and we had better looks from the perimeter.

eye for the way that the ball hits the rim and I at rebounding and seeing where the ball is going to go," she said.

games at Vermilion, at home against Fond du Lac and Saturday at Rainy River.

"We did cave to some pressure on Wednesday and today we put more emphasis on taking care of and being strong with against Ridgewater and the ball," Voigt said. "It Jan. 16.

Northland in games last comes down to them going to do before you get the ball it is a lot easier to complete your move and to control the ball. It is all about reaction."

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Mesabi Range 19 12 13 19 — 63
Central Lakes 28 23 15 17 — 83

Hansen 13, Shawna Wiese 4, Makenzey Goerdt 3, Hailey Aho 25, Callie Sellman 1. FG 23-64 (36 percent), FT 9-16 (56 percent). 3-point 8-22 (36 percent).

CENTRAL LAKES
Kezia Rahier 4, Kelsie Weite 9, Liz Anderson 9, Maggie Fellerman 8, Sam Schimpp 3, Lindsay Hendrickson 4, Palge Wallevand 16, Naomi Lane 12, Kali Mammenga 5, Lillee Hardee 13. FG 34-76 (45 percent), FT 11-14 (79 percent). 3-point 4-23 (17 percent). Division: 2-1. Overall: 9-5. Next: at Vermillion Community College 5:30 p.m. Wednesday,

AREA EVENTS

Monday, Jan. 14 BOYS BASKETBALL

SPORTS

Staples-Motley at Upsala 7 p.m **BOYS HOCKEY**

ALPINE SKIING Brainerd at Detroit Invite at Detroit Mountain

Tuesday, Jan. 15 BOYS BASKETBALL Brainerd at St. Cloud Apollo 7:15 p.m. Aitkin at Braham 7:15 p.m. Crosby-Ironton at Hinckley-Finlayson 7:15 p.m. Little Falls at St. Cloud Cathedral 7:15 p.m. Barnum at Pequot Lakes 5:45 p.m. Howard Lake-Waverly-Winsted at Pierz

Pillager at Staples-Motley 7:30 p.m Pine River-Backus at Cass Lake-Bena 6 p.m. Nevis at Verndale 7:30 p.m. Wadena-Deer Creek at Frazee 7:30 p.m.

GIRLS BASKETBALL

Braham at Aitkin 7:15 p.m.
Detroit Lakes at Crosby-Ironton 7:15 p.m.
Little Falls at Bemidji 7:15 p.m.
Park Rapids at Pequot Lakes 7:15 p.m.
Pierz at Pine City 7:15 p.m. Menahga at Pillager 7:30 p.m. Pine River-Backus at Cass Lake-Bena 7:30

p.m. Verndale at New York Mills 7:30 p.m. Wadena-Deer Creek at Sebeka 7:30 p.m.

WRESTLING

WRESTLING
Brainerd, Bemidji, Hibbing at Pequot Lakes/
Pine River-Backus Quadrangular, at Pine
River 5 p.m.
Aitkin, Foley at Bertha-Hewitt/Verndale/PP

Triangular, Bertha 5 p.m. Pierz. BBE at Howard Lake-Waverly-Winsted Triangular 5 p.m.
Wadena-Deer Creek vs. United North Central at Menahga 7 p.m.

BOYS HOCKEY Becker at Little Falls 7:15 p.m. Breckenridge/Wahpeton at Wadena-Deer Creek 7 p.m.

GIRLS HOCKEY Northern Lakes vs. Prairie Centre at Long Prairie 7 p.m.

GYMNASTICSRush City at Little Falls 6 p.m.

BOYS SWIMMING AND DIVING

NORDIC SKIING Brainerd, Little Falls at Alexandria Invite, Andes Tower Hills 2 p.m. DANCE TEAM

Aitkin, Crosby-Ironton, Pequot Lakes, Pierz, Pine River-Backus in Mid-State Conference Jazz Meet at Detroit Lakes 7 p.m.

TV AND RADIO

Monday, Jan. 14 COLLEGE BASKETBALL:

Nebraska at Indiana, 5:30 p.m., FS1 Syracuse at Duke, 6 p.m., ESPN Women's: Iowa at Minnesota, 6 p.m., ESPN2 Women's: Michigan State at Ohio State, 6 Texas at Kansas, 8 p.m., ESPN

GOLF: Web.com Tour: The Bahamas Great Exuma Classic, 1 p.m., GOLF

Minnesota at Philadelphia, 6 p.m., FSN, KKIN-AM (930), KUAL-FM (103.5), KSKK-AM (1070), KAKK-AM (1570) Montreal at Boston, 6:30 p.m., NBCSN

Premier League: Wolves at Manchester City, 1:55 p.m., NBCSN

Australian Open: Day 1 - First Round, 2 a.m., ESPN2 Australian Open: Day 2 - First Round, 8 p.m., ESPN2

Tuesday, Jan. 15 COLLEGE BASKETBALL: Seton Hall at Providence, 5:30 p.m., FSN Teams TBA, 6 p.m., ESPN Teams TBA, 6 p.m., ESPN2 Rutgers at Purdue, 6 p.m., BTN Marquette at Georgetown, 7:30 p.m., FS1 Notre Dame at North Carolina, 8 p.m., ESPN

GOLF: Web.com Tour: The Bahamas Great Exuma Classic, 1 p.m., GOLF European Tour: Abu Dhabi HSBC Champion-

ship. 9:30 p.m., GOLF nnesota at Philadelphia, 6 p.m., FSN, KIN-FM (94.3), KFGI-FM (101.5), WC-

Los Angeles at Minnesota, 7 p.m., NBCSN, KKIN-AM (930), KUAL-FM (103.5), KSKK-AM (1070), KAKK-AM (1570)

Australian Open: Day 2 - First Round, 2 a.m., ESPN2 Australian Open: Day 3 - Second Round, 8 p.m., ESPN2

FOOTBALL

Professional National Football League playoffs

Saturday, Jan. 12
No. 1 Kansas City 31, No. 6 Indianapolis 13
No. 2 Los Angeles Rams 30, No. 4 Dallas 22 Sunday, Jan. 13 No. 2 New England 41, No. 5 Los Angeles Chargers 28 No. 1 New Orleans 20, No. 6 Philadelphia 14

Conference championships

Sunday, Jan. 20
NFC title game: No. 2 Los Angeles Rams at No. 1 New Orleans, 2:05 p.m. (Fox)
AFC title game: No. 2 New England at No. 1 Kansas City, 5:40 p.m. (CBS) Super Bowl

Sunday, Feb. 3 at Atlanta
AFC champion vs. NFC champion, 5:30 p.m.
(CBS)

HOCKEY

Professional NHL Atlantic Division GP W LOT SOPts GF GA 46 35 9 2 0 72189133 44 28 14 2 0 58158122 Tampa Bay

Boston	45 26 1	5 4	0 56131116			
Montreal	46 24 1	7 5	0 53138139			
Buffalo	45 23 1	6 5	1 52131130			
Florida	44 17 1	9 4	4 42138160			
Detroit	47 17 2	3 2	5 41133160			
Ottawa	46 17 2	4 5	0 39143178			
Metropolitan Division						
	GP W	LOT	SOPts GF GA			
Washington	44 27 1	2 4	1 59154128			
Columbus	45 27 1	5 2	1 57148139			
Pittsburgh	45 25 1	4 4	2 56161132			
NY Islanders	44 25 1	5 1	3 54134117			
Carolina	45 22 1	8 3	2 49123130			
NY Rangers	45 18 2	0 5	2 43126157			
New Jersey	44 17 2	0 5	2 41128148			
Philadelphia	45 16 2	3 6	0 38123160			
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Winnipeg 4, Detroit 2

EAST
Boston College 59, Pittsburgh 55
Charleston 66, William & Mary 54

SCOREBOARD DePaul 66, Villanova 59, OT Drexel 57, Delaware 40

Duquesne 60, George Mason 57 James Madison 84, Northeastern 49 Marquette 72, Georgetown 62 Massachusetts 74, La Salle 60 NC State 66, Virginia 38 Rider 55, Siena 52 Seton Hall 79, Providence 73 St. Joseph's 66, St. Bonaventure 41 Syracuse 90, North Carolina 77 Towson 92, Hofstra 68

Central Florida 56, Cincinnati 55 Clemson 57, Florida State 45 Florida 58, Missouri 56 Georgia 66, Tennessee 62 NC-Willmington 75, Elon University 70 South Carolina 76, Louisiana State 53 Texas A&M 70, Alabama 43

MIDWEST
Arkansas 83, Vanderbilt 62
Bradley 61, Indiana St. 45 Bradley 61, Indiana St. 49.
Detroit Mercy 42, Illinois-Chicago 36
Drake 84, Valparaiso 53
Fordham 56, Saint Louis 53
Illinois St. 72, Evansville 61
Indiana 75, Wisconsin 68
Indiana - Purdue 82, Oakland 53
Kansas 61, Kansas State 54
Leutinulle 61, Caparia Tach 44 Louisville 61, Georgia Tech 44 Mississippi 55, Kentucky 49 Missouri St. 66, Southern Illinois 51 Northern Iowa 64, Loyola-Chicago 52 Notre Dame 78. Wake Forest 48 Purdue 57, Northwestern 54 Rutgers 62, Nebraska 56 West Virginia 66, Oklahoma 55 Western Illinois 92, North Dakota 80

Anaheim 2 1 0 0— 3
Winnipeg 1 1 1 1— 4
First Period—1, Anaheim, Gibbons 1 (Montour, Rowney) 2:19. 2, Anaheim, Rakell 6 (Sprong, Rowney) 16:14. 3, Winnipeg, Wheeler 9 (Morrissey, Scheifele) 19:00 (pp.)
Second Period—4, Winnipeg, Laine 25 (Little) 2:24. 5, Anaheim, Cogliano 3 (Sprong, Rowney) 15:48.
Third Period—6. Winnipeg. Arizona State 62. California 61 Oregon 72, UCLA 52
Oregon St. 76, Southern California 52
Stanford 78, Arizona 48 Utah 58, Washington 43 Washington St. 74, Colorado 48

GOLF

Sony Open in Hawaii Purse: \$6,400,000 w - Waialae Country Club (par 70, 7044 yards) Final Matt Kuchar.

Andrew Putnam Corev Conners .. .68-67-64-64-263 (Marc Leishman .67-64-68-64-263 Chez Reavie...... Hudson Swafford 65-65-66-67-263 Charles Howell III. .66-69-64-66-265 ...69-67-63-67-266 ...70-67-65-64-266 ...68-65-68-65-266 B. DeChambeau Sung-Hoon Kang. Sebastian Munoz. Patton Kizzire Ted Potter Jr. .66-65-68-68-267 Patrick Reed .68-66-68-65-267 Sung-Jae Im...... Keith Mitchell..... Brandt Snedeker 71-64-65-68-268 ..68-65-63-72-268 ..66-69-65-68-268 .67-68-67-66-268 Justin Thomas. .68-62-70-69-269 ..68-66-69-66-269 ..72-64-68-66-270 ..67-70-66-67-270 J.T. Poston Harris English Brian Gay .67-69-68-66-270 Emiliano Grillo ... Cameron Smith Kyle Stanley Abraham Ancer 70-68-63-69-270 ..66-68-69-67-270 ..73-64-68-65-270 ..68-66-68-69-271 ..68-65-70-68-271 Keegan Bradley Matt Jones.. .67-69-67-68-271 Carlos Ortiz .68-69-70-64-271 ..71-64-64-73-272 ..68-66-70-68-272 ..70-68-68-66-272 Brice Garnett. .65-67-71-69-272 71-66-66-69-272

Shugo Imahira. Scott Piercy Ian Poulter Rory Sabbatini. ...69-69-66-68-272 ...68-67-68-69-272 ...68-69-68-67-272 ...68-69-66-72-272 Sam Saunders. Roger Sloan . Yong-Eun Yang. Julian Etulain.... .68-68-70-66-272 ..67-67-68-71-273 ..69-68-69-67-273 ..69-69-65-70-273 ..68-67-69-69-273 Russell Knox .68-68-71-66-273 .70-67-66-70-273

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..70-67-68-68-273 ..70-67-68-68-273 ..61-74-70-68-273 ..67-69-67-71-274 ..71-66-70-67-274 Dylan Frittelli...... Brandon Harkins. Jim Knous. .66-69-69-70-274 ..69-67-65-73-274 ..73-65-65-71-274 ..69-69-67-69-274 ..72-66-66-71-275 Hideki Matsuyama. Alex Prugh..... Jimmy Walker. Tyler Duncan... Fabian Gomez

Adam Hadwin .73-65-70-67-275 ..68-70-70-67-275 ..67-68-70-70-275 ..66-70-70-69-275 Trey Mullinax Wes Roach.... J. Rodriguez Rvan Blaum .68-66-71-71-276 Yuki Inamori .69-68-71-68-276 .68-69-71-69-277 Russell Henley

Riyuka Hoshino66-72-69-71-278 Johnson Wagner68-69-70-71-278 Kevin Kisner69-69-68-73-279 Michael Thompson66-69-70-74-279 **TRANSACTIONS**

Sunday's Games
Philadelphia 108, New York 105
Toronto 140, Washington 138, 2OT
Milwaukee 133, Atlanta 114
Orlando 116, Houston 109
Golden State 119, Dallas 114
Denver 116, Portland 113
Cleveland 102, L.A. Lakers 95
Monday's Games

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Boston at Brooklyn, 6:30 p.m.
Memphis at Houston, 7 p.m.
Charlotte at San Antonio, 7:30 p.m.
Detroit at Utah, 8 p.m. Portland at Sacramento, 9 p.m. Portland at Sacramento, 9 p.m. New Orleans at L.A. Clippers, 9:30 p.m. Tuesday's Games Phoenix at Indiana, 6 p.m. Minnesota at Philadelphia, 6 p.m. Oklahoma City at Atlanta, 6:30 p.m.

Chicago at L.A. Lakers, 9:30 p.m Saturday's result Minnesota 110, New Orleans 106 New Orleans 29 23 37 17 — 106 Minnesota 27 27 33 23 — 110

MEW ORLEANS (106)
Jr.Holiday 12-22 1-1 25, A.Davis 10-22 8-9
30, J.Randle 7-13 8-10 22, E.Moore 1-6
0-0 2, Payton 3-6 2-2 10, Mirotic 3-8 2-2

0-0 2, Payton 3-6 2-2 10, Mirotic 3-8 2-2 9, Miller 2-5 0-0 4, F.Jackson 2-5 0-0 4, Frazier 0-1 0-0 0, Okafor 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 40-88 21-24 106.

MINNESOTA (110)

Okogie 6-14 4-5 17, Wiggins 7-21 2-3 18, Towns 10-23 4-6 27, Gibson 5-7 0-0 10, Teague 1-5 0-0 2, T.Jones 4-9 4-4 14, Saric 4-7 4-4 14, Tolliver 0-4 1-2 1, Dieng 1-1 0-0 2, Deng 2-2 0-0 5. Totals 40-93 19-24 110.

3-Point Goals—New Orleans 5-25 (Payton 2-2, A.Davis 2-5, Mirotic 1-6, Frazier 0-1, Miller 0-1, J.Randle 0-1, F.Jackson 0-2 Miller 0-1, J.Randle 0-1, F.Jackson 0-2 EMoore 0-3, Jr.Holiday 0-4), Minnesota 11-39 (Towns 3-8, T.Jones 2-3, Saric 2-3, Wiggins 2-8, Deng 1-1, Okogie 1-8, Gibson 0-1, Teague 0-3, Tolliver 0-4). Fouled out: None. Rebounds-New Orleans 54 (A.Davis 14). Minnesota 55 (Towns 27). Assists-New Orleans 22 (Jr.Holiday 7), Minnesota 23 (Teague 10). Total Fouls—New Orleans 20 (A.Davis, Mirotic 5), Minnesota 20

College

Sunday's College Basketball Scores Sunday's College Basketball Scor EAST George Mason 84, Rhode Island 67 Iona 88, Canisius 70 Michigan St 71, Penn St. 56 Quinnipiac 80, Fairfield 78 Rider 104, Niagara 84
St. Peter's 72, Marist 63
SOUTH
Central Florida 76, East Carolina 65

(Towns, Saric 4). A-16,384

Memphis 83, Tulane 79 South Carolina 85, Missouri 75 MIDWEST
Dayton 72, Massachusetts 67
Michigan 80, Northwestern 60
Northern Iowa 57, Drake 54
South Dakota 87, Purdue Fort Wayne 73 Villanova 90, Creighton 78 Xavier 70, Butler 69

Oregon 81, Southern California 60 Women

Sunday's College Basketball Scores

Connecticut 63, South Florida 46 Creighton 65, St. John's 63

Sunday Baseball National League
Cincinnati Reds - Named Caleb Cotham
assistant pitching coach.
Washington Nationals - Designated SS Matt

Reynolds for assignment. Signed 2B Brian Dozier to a one-year, \$9 million contract. Football
National Football League
Coordinals - Named Brian Natkin Arizona Cardinals - Named Brian Natkin assistant offensive line coach. Named David

Raih wide receivers coach. Named Sean

Raih wide receivers coach. Named Sean Kugler offensive line coach. Named Steve Heiden tight ends coach.

Miami Dolphins - Signed QB Jake Rudock to a Reserve/Future contract.

New Orleans Saints - Activated TE Garrett Griffin from the practice squad. Added QB J.T. Barrett IV to the practice squad. Placed WR Simmie Cobbs Jr. on IR.

NCAA Football

Alabama - Announced DB Deionte Thomp-

Alabama - Announced DB Deionte Thompson, DB Saivion Smith, and LB Mack Wilson will enter the NFL draft. Auburn - Announced DL Jaunta'vius Johnson has left the program and is expected to transfer to Colorado.

Boise State - Announced DE Kayode Rufai

has left the program and is expected to transfer to another school. Brigham Young - Announced DL Tevita Mo'unga has left the program and is expect-ed to transfer to another school. Colorado - Announced DL Israel Antwine has

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NC State - Named Tony Gibson co-defensive coordinator and safeties coach.

Notre Dame - Announced QB Brandon Wimbush has left the program and is expected to transfer to UCF.

Pittsburgh - Announced WR Darian Street has left the program and is expected to transfer to Towson. Syracuse - Announced QB Chance Amie has left the program and is expected to transfer to another school.

Temple - Named Rod Carey head coach.

West Virginia - Named Chad Scott offensive assistant coach.

Basketball National Basketball Association

National Basketball Association
Denver Nuggets - Recalled C Thomas Welsh
from Iowa (NBAGL).
Indiana Pacers - Assigned PG Edmond
Sumner to Fort Wayne (NBAGL).
Los Angeles Lakers - Recalled C Moritz

Wagner and SG Svi Mykhailiuk from South Bay (NBAGL). Milwaukee Bucks - Waived SG Jaylen Morris. Hockey National Hockey League

National Hockey League
Arizona Coyotes - Recalled G Calvin Pickard
from Tucson (AHL).
Chicago Blackhawks - Assigned D Brandon
Davidson to Rockford (AHL).
Columbus Blue Jackets - Recalled RW Kole

Sherwood from Cleveland (AHL). Florida Panthers - Activated C Nick Bjugstad from injured reserve.

San Jose Sharks - Assigned C Rourke Chartier to San Jose (AHL).

St. Louis Blues - Recalled C Jordan Kyrou

and LW Jordan Nolan from San Antonio Fampa Bay Lightning - NHL fined D Mikhail Sergachev \$2,403.67 for cross-checking an

opponent.

Toronto Maple Leafs - Assigned G Kasimir Kaskisuo to Toronto (AHL). Signed LW Trevor Moore to a two-year, \$1.5 million contract extension.

Vancouver Canucks - Activated LW Josh Leivo from injured reserve. Assigned C Adam Gaudette to Utica (AHL).

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Weite, a point guard, led the team in rebounding

week. Against Mesabi, she making confident moves was one of four players in the low block and when who tallied five rebounds you know what you are to lead the team.

"I have always had an have always been good

The team now has

MESABI RANGE

For more photos go to Kaitlin Knutson 3, Patty Overbye 14, Haley

BASKETBALL Professional

	NB	Α				
East	tern Co	nfe	rence			
	Atlantic					
	W	L	Pct	GI		
Toronto	33	12	.733	_		
Philadelphia	28	16	.636	4.		
Boston	25	17	.595	6.		
Brooklyn	21	23	.477	11.		
New York	10	33	.233	22.		
	Central					
	W	L	Pct	GI		
Milwaukee	30	12	.714	_		
Indiana	28	14	.667	2.		
Detroit	18	23	.439	11.		
Chicago	10	33	233	20		

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Western Conference
Northwest Atlanta

W L Pct 29 13 .691 Denver Oklahoma City 26 16 .619 26 18 .591 23 21 .523 21 22 .488 Pacific Portland Golden State 24 18 .571 23 21 .523 22 21 .512

33 Phoenix Southwest 24 18 .571 25 19 .568 20 23 .465 20 23 .465 19 23 .452 San Antonio New Orleans Dallas Memphis Saturday's Games
Detroit 109, L.A. Clippers 104
Miami 112, Memphis 108
Orlando 105, Boston 103
Minnesota 110, New Orleans 106

Oklahoma City 122, San Antonio 112 Phoenix 102, Denver 93 Sacramento 104, Charlotte 97 Utah 110, Chicago 102 Sunday's Games

Miami at Milwaukee 7 p.m.

Golden State at Denver 8 n m