Student Senate sets activity fee

By KATIE MURPHY

Last night the Student Senate unanimously passed the Student Activity Fee Budget for the 1993-1994 academic year. The Student Senate Budget Committee decided the budget.

The Student Activity budget encompasses virtually every aspect of student life here at Notre Dame, wrote Student Body President, Elizabethe PLUS, in a letter to the student senators. Those attending this full session will begin the year knowing that their money is spent wisely.

The total budget amounted to $400,000, which is $5,000 more than last year. The budget is comprised of four sections: Student Senate (SB), Student Union Board (SUB), Student Government, and the contingency fund. All allocations include funds for clubs, Hall Presidents' Council, and the class governments and activities. Overall, allocations received more than $10,000 less than the 1992-1993 academic year.

Student Senate Treasurer, Richard, last year's president of PLUS, said, "We're pretty sure the Shirt will make $20,000," said Student Senate President, Elizabethe. "There's been a big interest in the Shirt, and it's in the orientation going. And we want something that's more organized. We want a shirt for the parents and the students when they come in."
INSIDE COLUMN

Realities of the homogeneity of fun at ND/SMC

Though the second-ugliest fountain in Michiana isn’t yet pumping, the Fieldhouse Mall is once again the most exciting place on the Notre Dame campus.

Someone erects the statue in the mall every spring, beckoning Notre Dame and Saint Mary’s musians to hook up their amps and play to their fans. The sun shining, the birds are finally singing and bands are playing in front of the Peace Memorial every day, to a small but devoted bunch of groupies.

But that the Fieldhouse Mall, in the spring and early fall, is the only arena for our little scene to show itself off without the restriction of alcohol and cover charges is what keeps Notre Dame far behind places much more fun.

Another lack of diversity (as usual), this time in the realm of our own campus. But real connoisseurs of the stage are occasional reading. They have to peel their eyes away from the job market every day. Many others on this campus need to do. Coffeehouse and singles may whine about them, knowing that the weekend would be their only time to entertain themselves.

Imagine a Catholic University which sustains an elegant balance between Catholic and non-Catholic faculty at which all students could enjoy themselves. Weekday nights would not be spent sitting around watching television, spending their sleeping hours laughing at the sizzling dallies of entertainment that every college student needs. Instead, students would work all week on their studies or their art or whatever nourished them, knowing that the weekend would be their time for fun.

But today, at Notre Dame and Saint Mary’s, that is not possible. Students who enjoy listening to poetry have to wait for an occasional reading. They have to peel their eyes away from the daily dailies of entertainment that every college student needs. Instead, students would work all week on their studies or their art or whatever nourished them, knowing that the weekend would be their time for fun.

Church seeks to control HIV victims

PARKARE, Zimbabwe — Church leaders have urged the government to introduce laws controlling the sex lives of people suffering from the HIV virus. Legislation proposed by an ecumenical council on AIDS last week would make it a crime for a person with the HIV virus or Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome to have sex without informing the partner or securing consent. HIV is the virus that causes AIDS, which is fatal. Zimbabwe Health Minister Timothy Stamps and AIDS counseling groups have often said they oppose specific laws against HIV victims for fear it would discourage carriers from seeking care and accelerate its spread. The church leaders said they believed legislation would prevent AIDS from becoming more widespread, especially among girls and women.

TODAY AT A GLANCE

WORLD

Nicosia, Cyprus — Israeli President Saddam Hussein attended a military parade in Baghdad on Monday marking his 56th birthday, the Israeli News Agency reported. All the armed forces participated in the event, named the "Mother of all Battles Parade," to commemorate the 1991 Persian Gulf War.

Mother of All Battles in Baghdad's name for the war in which Iraqi troops were driven out of Kuwait, ending their seven-month occupation. Although Iraq has acknowledged it was defeated militarily, it claims to have won a moral victory by facing the U.S.-led coalition of more than 30 countries. The news agency, monitored in Nicosia, said the parade reaffirmed that "our valiant armed forces are the fighting and triumphing arm of the people and nation."

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OF INTEREST

Career & Placement Services will be set up in the Hesburgh Library Concours today and tomorrow to collect our "Future Plans Survey" forms that were sent to you earlier this semester. They will be in the concourse from 10 a.m. to noon each day.

PI Sigma Alpha will collect unused pens, pencils and paper for Project Passacon to send to a school in Benin, Hollywood hot-shots with an eye on northwest Indiana. Mayor Raymond Flynn of Gary, Ind., began in Washington.

Mayor Joseph Kernan (D-South Bend) will address the entire student body today at 4 p.m. in the Notre Dame Room, LaFayette Student Center. Mayor Kernan will discuss all the aspects of the city government in a question and answer session. All are welcome to attend. Questions? Call Joanna of the Entrepreneur Club at 4-3595.

Memorial Mass for Katie Walsh, who will be held this afternoon at 4:30 p.m. at the Regina Chapel of Saint Mary's College. Reception will follow.

MARKET UPDATE

ON THIS DAY IN HISTORY

In 1959: Pope John II excommunicated the Italian state of Venice.

In 1965: The steamship "Sultana" exploded on the Mississippi River near Memphis, killing more than 1,400 Union prisoners of war.

In 1937: The zionist's first Social Security checks were distributed.

In 1892: The trial of John Hinckley Jr., who shot President Reagan, began in Washington.

In 1960: In an exchange between the U.S. and the Soviet Union, five political and religious dissidents were released.
By JASON WILLIAMS
Assistant News Editor

Notre Dame and Saint Mary's students joined over one million civil rights marchers in the 1993 March on Washington for Lesbian, Gay and Bisexual Equal Rights and Liberation. Ten members of Gays and Lesbians of Notre Dame and Saint Mary's (GLND/SMC) join over one million civil rights marchers in the streets and on the malls in Washington on Sunday, according to Erik Floan, co-chair of GLND/SMC.

"It was like one big fantastic family reunion," he said. "It was like possibility versus reality—everywhere we went there was this feeling of welcoming and friendship."

Floan said other Notre Dame and Saint Mary's students and faculty joined their group as they marched down Pennsylvania Avenue. He said he was overwhelmed by the amount of support bystanders shouted at them and was impressed with the "literally hundreds of alumni" who approached them.

People were very supportive," said Kelly Smith, a GLND/SMC member and Washington marcher. "They were cheering us—they had no idea that our school had a student alliance."

Floan said many colleges were well represented at the march with banners and large student groups. Notre Dame and Saint Mary's faculty, students and alums joined other students from Harvard and Radcliffe Colleges at a reception prior to the march Friday night.

"The big chant among student groups was 'We're here, we're queer and our parents think we're studying,'" Floan said. A church service was held Saturday at Washington National Cathedral in honor of the marchers. Floan said the eighth mile long cathedral was filled to capacity with people filling standing space as well.

"The service at Washington National Cathedral was really the high point of the experience for me," he said.

"The hymns, scriptures and readings took on an entirely new meaning in a nearly all gay and lesbian congregation of worshipers," Floan said. "The most amazing moment came before the sharing of the peace when the priest asked everyone to stand and look behind them, to the left, to the right, and in front of them and he said 'We are all here—gay, lesbians, bisexuals and straight; we all have a place in God's kingdom; we all are a part of his creation."

Floan said the congregation broke into tears and everyone began hugging each other upon the conclusion of the service.

Smith said the atmosphere of the entire weekend made her feel like she was not in the minority.

"I was just so impressed by the numbers and diversity of the people who were there, she said. "I felt connected to everybody there because we were all there for the same purpose."

Contributions to this story were made by Katie Murphy.

Students participate in civil rights march

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Debate team leaves mark nationwide

By BETH REGAN
Assistant Saint Mary's Editor

When thinking of great duos, the names Bert and Ernie, Jim and Bob, and Clinton and Gore may come to mind, but most students are unaware that Notre Dame has its own amazing pair: Faye Kolly and Val Renegar, the debating duo who led Notre Dame to the final round of the national debate competition this season.

Senior Renegar, and her partner sophomore Kelly, rep­resent Notre Dame's debate team in 15 tournaments across the country this year. Not only were they ranked 32nd in the nation, but they also won eight tournament rounds and Renegar pulled in two individual speaker awards, surpassing all previous Notre Dame debate teams.

Renegar, a four year debating veteran, was pleasantly surprised with her partner's ability to catch on so quickly. Kelly began at ground level and was being recognized on the national level by December. "They advanced incredibly quickly," Renegar said. "I couldn't be prouder of her."

"In the beginning I was frustrated, more than I expected," Kolly said, "but there was substantial improvement from tournament to tournament."

The improvement was not gained without hard work and dedication. The duo put in anywhere between 20-30 hours per week researching and debating the pros and cons of the United Nations' role in Universal Declaration of Human Rights.

"We became well versed on both sides of the issue," Renegar said. "I lose my opinion from time to time."

Not only were they forced to take all of their classes on Tuesdays and Thursdays in order to have Mondays and Fridays free for travel, but they also gave up the normal social life at Notre Dame for a year on the road.

"Our friends became the people from across the country that we saw on the weekends," Renegar said. "Not the people in our classes or in our dorms."

Although the team was pleased with its results, it felt that the year could have been even more successful if it had greater funds and a stronger public awareness campaign.

"Debate is an excellent academic activity and deserves as much attention as any other extra-curricular activity," Kelly said. "The support we need to start with the administration."

Many of the larger and more powerful debate teams are able to send four or five teams to each meet, according to Coach Tim Mahoney.

"Sending only one team is a bad reflection on the University," he added.

The duo encourages anyone that enjoyed the Iceberg De­bates to try their hand at debating seriously.

"It is the best educational ac­tivity to do to prepare for classes and a future career," Renegar said. "I am very proud of their ac­complishments," Mahoney said. "Not only because of the success, but also because of the hard work."
Arnold lands spot on commission

By ANDY RUNKLE
News Writer

Kitty Arnold, the director of Career and Placement Service, has recently been elected to serve a three-year term on the Board of Governors of the College Placement Council (CPC). Arnold becomes the first woman to represent the Midwest region on the CPC. Her placement is "a representation that the profession has changed dramatically. There are simply more women in the career planning field," according to Arnold.

The Board of Governors is the policy-making entity for the entire CPC organization, said Arnold. The Board of Governors has two formal meetings each year to set policy for the CPC, she said.

As a governor of the council, Arnold will be appointed to lead a subcommittee which will meet to address specific problems, she said.

This council is a national association composed of "two constituents," the college career placement specialists and corporate college relations representatives. "We come together to try and serve the students better in the recruitment employment process," she said.

Arnold will serve as one of seven representatives on the CPC from colleges and universities. She will take office July 1.

Arnold has served at the University as director of Career and Placement Service since 1983. This office provides students with job placement and counseling services.

Arnold previously served as assistant director of the Career Center at Indiana University at Bloomington and the director of career and placement services at Indiana University at South Bend.

NEW YORK (AP) — NBC said it would announce David Letterman's successor on the "Tonight" show Monday night, and all signs pointed to Conan O'Brien, a little-known writer-comedian, as heir to the "Late Night" throne.

The announcement would be made by "Tonight" host Jay Leno, and the host-designate would appear with him, the network said.

O'Brien, 28, is a 1983 graduate of Harvard University, where he was twice president of the Harvard Lampoon, magazine, the nation's leading undergraduate comedy school. His graduate course was the San Francisco-based Groundlings comedy troupe, training in sketch comedy and improvisation.

O'Brien was a writer for HBO's "Not Necessarily the News" before his five-year stint at "Saturday Night Live," where he shared a writing Emmy and occasionally appeared as a sketch player.

For the past two years, he has been a writer-producer at Fox's hit animated sitcom "The Simpsons." O'Brien was a leading contender among the young comedians vying for the "Late Night" job and had a run-through audition on the set of "Tonight" in the Burbank studios two weeks ago.

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Excavators unearth burial ground

GIZA PLATEAU, Egypt (AP) -- Egyptian excavators digging in two ancient cemeteries here have discovered an archaeological bonanza buried within sight of the Giza pyramids.

Finds include several painted statues — one an extraordinary depiction of a father and his two young children — intricate tombs and decorated limestone tables.

There's even a chilling, and evidently successful, curse to frighten away would-be tomb robbers.

The discoveries came to light over the past six months, during digging in graveyards where upper- and middle-class officials were buried during the era of Giza's pyramid-building pharaohs of four thousand years ago.

They're remarkable not only for their beauty but because they yield insights into Egyptian society during the time of the early pharaohs.

"It's hard to know how much is out there to be discovered," said Zahi Hawass, the antiquities minister with the Higher Council for Giza excavations. Hawass is currently lecturing on the finds in Egyptian cities and other U.S. and Canadian cities.

Egypt has yet to announce the finds and the excavations have been temporarily shut down. An announcement was planned months ago as part of a campaign to counter tourism losses from Islamic extremist attacks.

The extremists seek to undermine Egypt's secular government, which depends heavily on tourism revenue. About 140 people have been killed and 900 police and riot police are believed to have dropped sharply.

In the excavations, the most impressive discovery is a painted limestone statue of the pools that marked the seventh anniversary of what Russia's prime minister called "a black day for us."

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Unusual Summer Job On Campus

WNDU needs a vacation relief technician for summer employment from May through September to install, operate, maintain, and repair radio, television, cable, and satellite equipment. This is for the technically inclined science/engineer student with a knowledge of electricity and electronics. The position is for up to 40 hours per week, includes shiftwork and requires a valid driver's license. Please apply at the WNDU Studios by May 4th.

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CERNABOLY tragedy remembered with service

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Minority Engineering Program gives students awards

Greg Crowley, a senior mechanical engineering major from Columbus, Ohio, was presented the Outstanding Student Award by the Minority Engineering Program (MEP) April 15, during MEP's annual recognition and awards banquet.

The award, considered MEP's highest honor, recognized Crowley for "his enthusiastic support of the program and for creating opportunities for his peers."

Also honored during the banquet were Erica Reinhart, a junior chemical engineering major from Elkhart, Ind., and Yolanda Turner, a junior mechanical engineering major from Columbus, Ohio, and Thao Doan, a junior mechanical engineering major from Tumwater, Wash., who received outstanding academic performance awards; and Latauma Mead, a senior chemical engineering major from Chicago, Ill., and Mark Campos, a senior mechanical engineering major, who received most improved academic awards. Additional awards were granted to sophomore architecture students Uyen Tran from Kirkland, Wash., and LaTorre Whitleaf from Waller, Texas.

MEP students once again voted to award the outstanding faculty award to Terrence Aka, assistant dean and associate professor of computer science and engineering, "for his exceptional teaching." Other faculty members honored for "concern and initiative in assisting students" included Stuart McComas, associate chairman of mechanical engineering and professor of aerospace and mechanical engineering; Michael Stanisic and Joseph Powers, both assistant professors of aerospace and mechanical engineering; and Jay Brockman, instructor of computer science and engineering.

Corporate scholarships were awarded engineering students as follows:

• From Anderson Consulting to John Tran, a sophomore computer science and engineering major from Brooklyn, N.Y.; Jiyoung Lee, a freshman electrical engineering major from McAllen, Texas; and Michael Ortiz, a sophomore electrical engineering major from Montclair, Calif.

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NEW YORK (AP) — As President Clinton nears his 100th day in office, almost half of Americans in an Associated Press poll say he has already broken promises too often. But about the same number consider him a strong leader.

The leadership measure could be crucial for a president trying to push an agenda of change after winning only 43 percent of the vote in November. Those polled regard Clinton as a strong leader 49 percent to 37 percent, with the rest unsure.

More Americans than not say Clinton has set the right tone for his administration, by 44 percent to 40 percent. But 48 percent say he already has broken his promises too often, compared with 34 percent who say he has kept his promises up to this point.

Clinton complained Sunday that it was "just not realistic" to expect that he could have moved on all his campaign commitments in his first 100 days. "That's why you get a four-year term, not a three-month term," he said.

The poll indicates a quarter of voters split between favorable and unfavorable stands on controversial issues, such as abortion rights and homosexuals in the military. About 10 percent of Clinton voters say he has accomplished about what they expected, 6 percent say more than they expected, 22 percent say less. Among the disappointed are 18 percent of Democrats and 18 percent of Clinton voters.

Clinton gets higher marks for leadership among women in the poll than among men, possibly because of his push for spending on social programs that traditionally are more popular with women than men.

Also, the president has taken a cautious tone on controversial issues, such as abortion rights and homosexuals in the military. He has seemed to be a more moderate leader than others to fault him for breaking promises too often.

From what you have seen thus far, do you think President Clinton has kept his promises up to this point?

More than you expected in his first 100 days: 11 percent

Just about what you expected: 32 percent

Less than you expected: 53 percent

Do you think President Clinton has accomplished?

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No answer: 8 percent

Clinton's "opening month"

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Polls show Clinton's shortcomings
Center named in honor of Higgins

By JOHN LUCAS
Business Writer

The Notre Dame economics department's six-year-old computer hardware, teaching, discussion, and publication on labor. The department's economy was recently named in honor of labor scholar Mon- ing the inauguration of the Higgins Library Center, which took place at the group's annual conference on April 17 at the University of Minnesota. Charles Craypo, chairman of the department of economics.

"It's (higgins) one of a number of priests who became well not for his work on behalf of labor organized labor," Craypo said.

"It's an interesting event and an interesting day," said a participant and speaker at numerous international meetings, having been chairman of the department of economics.

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Although few take advantage of it, Saint Mary's students have the option of pizza that is freshly made in the Haggard snack bar, and will be delivered on days seven for delivery seven days a week from 5 to 11 p.m.

This opportunity originally started when the pizza was, according to Leon Miller, shift leader at the snack bar, but it did not last long. It was then that Hawk's employees decided to buy a computer, as in-savvy, "They are paying more attention to consumer demand and adjusting their product line to meet that demand," Miller said.

"When business first started, we used to deliver more pizzas on campus than any other pizza company," Miller said.

"It's a way of life. We have pizza delivered to the conservation of goals. Instead, a dozen stockholders for the annual meeting went up here and have my name on a list to be elected," said Dr. Elmer Eling.

"How can you work with that kind of attitude, with rising frustrations at new and its sister lending institution, Independent Bankers, as well as a dozen stockholders at the annual meeting went up here and have my name on a list to be elected," said Dr. Elmer Eling.
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Dear Editor:

My friend and colleague, Professor Michael Detlefsen (The Observer, April 21) is right; Recommendation 1 of Colloquy 2000 ("all who participate in hiring faculty must be cognizant of and responsive to the need for dedicated and committed Catholics to predominate in number among the faculty") is indeed serious business.

And perhaps President Malloy should postpone making his report to the board of trustees until there has been more opportunity for serious discussion of this matter among faculty. For if faculty members don’t endorse the project of building and maintaining a Catholic or Christian university—if they don’t support and work at it—the whole enterprise is doomed; it simply won’t happen. You can’t be a Catholic or Christian university from the top down.

For these very reasons I endorse the intent if not the wording of Recommendation 1. It isn’t possible to have a Catholic or Christian university without having a majority of Catholic or Christian faculty members. (Maybe it’s logically possible, but it is also logically possible to jump over the moon.) Having a Catholic administration clearly won’t do the trick; what’s needed is broad and deep faculty commitment to the enterprise of building a Christian university.

Alasdair MacIntyre
Professor of Philosophy
April 26, 1993

Majority of professors should be Catholic

Catholic doctrine must be followed

Dear Editor:

My friend and colleague, Professor Michael Detlefsen, questions the claim made by the Colloquy for the Year 2000 Committee on Academic Life that there is a need for dedicated and committed Catholics to predominate in number on the Notre Dame faculty (The Observer, April 21).

The need to be thus met, I take it, is this University’s need to maintain and to strengthen its Catholic identity. Professor Detlefsen seems to believe that whether this claim concerning a need for numerical predominance is to be considered justified or not is something to be settled only by debate about what are in fact the highly contested findings of recent sociological and historical discussions of secularization.

But Catholics have to remember that for them the norm for Catholic universities in this respect has already been laid down in the Apostolic Constitution on Catholic Universities of August 1990, Ex corde ecclesiae, II, 4. 4: “In order not to endanger the Catholic identity of the university...the number of non-Catholic teachers should not be allowed to constitute a majority within the institution...”

And elsewhere it is made clear that the Catholic teachers are to be dedicated and committed Catholics. Vatican II taught us in Lumen gentium (25) that judgments made by the Pope “are to be sincerely adhered to,” whenever his mind and will is evident.

So neither the views of the Committee on Academic Life nor those of the Faculty Senate can be of primary importance. To suggest otherwise would be to imply that this University is free to ignore both Ex corde ecclesiae and Lumen gentium, that is, that it has already lost its Catholic identity.

Alasdair MacIntyre
Professor of Philosophy
April 26, 1993

Facultly composition crucial to university

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QUOTE OF THE DAY

"Freedom and not servitude is the cure of anarchy; as religion, and not atheism, is the remedy for superstition."

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By JENNIFER HABRYCH
Sallie’s Man’s Editor
5:30 a.m. Tuesday: Jennifer Sypolt awakes to the sound of her alarm at 5:30 a.m. every day. She leaves her home in the early morning for the last two and a half years. Davis will be speaking on his book at Saint Joseph’s Medical Center. Professional experience that cannot be replicated in the classroom or the laboratory. "The essence of Davis’s book on African-American history of African-American Catholics is that the presence of the black Catholics has been a muted one, a silent witness," Davis said in the preface to his book that it’s the historians task to make the past speak, to highlight what has been hidden, and to retrieve a missed memory.

In an interview with the editors from U.S. Catholic Magazine, Davis describes why the history provided in this book is so important to African-American Catholics. "Black Catholics want a sense of being Catholic especially if they are converts; but they don’t want to be cut off from their roots," he said. "They desire only need and want a sense of identity. They have a good reason to be Catholic and to be proud of it and not feel they have given up being black."

Davis’s book, tracks the history of African-American Catholicism from the fourth to the twentieth century. During the present day situation of African-American Catholics in the United States. Ethiopia had its own liturgy and translation of scriptures. African-American Catholics first arrived in the United States with the Spaniards in the 16th century. Later, many African-American Catholics lived in Maryland and Louisiana due to the evangelical efforts of the Jesuits. The influence and growth of African-American Catholics was slow before the abolition of slavery. Tension was high among both the hierarchy and lay people with regards to African-American Catholics. African-American Catholics many times celebrated mass in a separate section of various churches and no African-American religious could be ordained.

Later despite the tension, two religious orders of sisters were formed; the Oblate Sisters of Providence and the Loretto Sisters. Eventually Augustine Tolton, the first identifiable African-American priest was ordained in 1858 in Rome. There is no special formula to avoid caffeine overdose. Everyone has a different tolerance for caffeine depending on their metabolism. In order to reduce the risk of caffeine overdose, "The most effective way to make coffee is the "rule of thumb": Do not consume more than 300 mg of caffeine per day ( 8 cups of coffee) per day. If your coffee contains 90 mg of caffeine, you would not consume more than 300 mg of caffeine.

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**TRANSACTIONS**

**FOOTBALL**


**NHL PLAYOFFS**

**STANLEY CUP PLAYOFFS**

**DIVISION SEMIFINALS**

**(Best of 7)**

**Sunday, April 26**

New Jersey 4, Pittsburgh 1

St. Louis 4, Chicago 3, OT, St. Louis wins series 4-0

Los Angeles 3, Calgary 1, series tied 2-2

Toronto 3, Detroit 2, series tied 2-2

Vancouver 3, Winnipeg 1, Vancouver leads series 3-0

**Monday, April 27**

Pittsburgh 5, New Jersey 3, Pittsburgh leads series 3-0

Washington 6, NY Islanders 4, NY Islanders lead series 3-2

Montreal 5, Quebec 4, OT, Montreal leads series 3-2

**Tuesday, April 28**

Toronto at Detroit, 7:30 p.m.

Los Angeles at Calgary, 9:30 p.m.

**Wednesday, April 29**

Washington at NY Islanders, 10:30 p.m.

**Thursday, April 30**

Montreal at Quebec, 7:30 p.m.

**Saturday, May 1**

**Sunday, May 2**

Valpraso @ Covelwski 5 p.m. Double Header

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Penguins clinch series over Devils

PITTSBURGH (AP) — The Pittsburgh Penguins lost just once in 51 days. They weren't about to lose twice in two days. Jeff Daniels and Ron Francis scored 21 seconds apart in the third period and the Penguins, frustrated for 1 1/2 periods by New Jersey's clitch-and-grab defense, beat the Devils 5-3 Monday to win the Patrick Di-
vision semifinal series in five games.

The two-time defending Stanley Cup champions, whose playoff-record 14-game win-
nning streak ended with Sunday's 4-1 loss, won their ninth consecutive playoff series over three seasons. They will play either the New York Islanders or Washington Capitals in the division finals beginning Sun-
day afternoon in Pittsburgh. New York leads 3-2 after Washington's 6-4 victory Mon-
day night.

"We went so long without

Montreal leads series 3-2 over Quebec

QUEBEC (AP) — Montreal's only shot in overtime produced a goal by Kirk Muller that gave the Can-
adien a 3-2 lead over the Quebec Nordiques Monday night and a 3-2 lead in their Adams Division semifinal Monday night.

Muller took Vincent Damp-
house's pass on his forehand and ripped a low shot that caught goalie Ron Hextall on the move at 8:17 of overtime.

Montreal has a chance to close out the series Wednesday night at Montreal. The Mon-
treal-Quebec winner meets Buffalo in the Adams Division final.

The third overtime game of the series was forced when Montreal's Gilbert Dionne tied it 4-4 with a goal at 13:23 of the final period.

Mats Sundin had two goals and Andrei Kovalenko also scored for the Nordiques, who turned what had been a disciplined series into an intense affair when they came out bumping and hitting the Canadiens, to the delight of the announced crowd of 15,399.

Mike Keane, Damphouse and Eric Desjardins also scored for Montreal.

The game broke open when Montreal goaltender Patrick Roy left after allowing a goal to Kovalenko at 1:46 of the second period. Moments earlier, Roy had suffered a bruised right shoulder when struck by a high shot from Mike Hough.

Roy, who had been outstand-
ing in the first period, returned to start the third.

Montreal had a goal disallow-
ed 2:14 into the game when Muller scored on a rebound. Kovalenko scored on a blast from the high slot between Hextall's pads at 4:24.

Kovalenko swung round the net and tucked one in off the far post to start the middle period, chasing Roy. Sundin's high shot past backup goalie Andre Racicot on a power play at 8:17 made it 2-1.

Damphouse tied it with a backhander off the center bar inside the net that needed confir-
mation by a video replay at 11:00. Desjardins went in alone to put Montreal in front 3-2 at 17:14.

Washington Capitals avoid oust with hat trick

LANDOVER, Md. (AP) — The Washington Capitals got a hat trick from Al Iafrate, avoided overtime and staved off elimi-
nation in their Patrick Division series against the New York Is-
landers with a 6-4 victory Mon-
day night.

The Islanders, who got four goals from Ray Ferraro, still hold a 3-2 lead and can wrap up the best-of-7 series Wednesday night in New York.

Iafrate's third goal gave the Capitals a 5-1 lead with 11:11 left, but Ferraro brought the Is-
landers back. He capped a 2-
in-1 with 10:06 to go, com-
pleted his hat trick with 5:38 left and then flipped in a back-
hander with 2:15 remaining after New York had pulled its goalie.

The Islanders' comeback stalled when Tom Fitzgerald was called for slashing with 1:56, and the Capitals wrapped up the victory when Dale Hunter scored into an empty net with 7.5 seconds to go.

Washington, which had blown two-goal leads in the two previ-
games, had dropped three straight in overtime after win-
in Game 1 in regulation. The Islanders' last six playoff wins have been in overtime.

It was the first career hat trick for Iafrate, giving the Capitals' defensemen five goals in two games.

With the score 1-1, Iafrate scored at 14:48 of the first pe-
riod on a slap shot from the left point with the Capitals on the power play. Less than two minutes later, Iafrate took a lead pass from Bobby Carpen-
ter and fired a shot from the left circle that found the far corner of the net.

After watching the Capitals score on three of their first nine shots, New York coach Al Arbour pulled goalie Glenn Healy in favor of Mark Fitz-
patrick at the outset of the sec-
dround.

Fitzpatrick held Washington in check until 16:41, when Hunter sent a pass into the crease that struck Pat Elynuik and went into the net for a 4-1 lead.

Washington goalie Don Beaupre, making his first start of the playoffs, had 28 saves. It was the first time since 1968 that Washington had won a game when facing elimination.

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Coach fired after Pistons fail to make playoffs

AUBURN HILLS, Mich. (AP) — Ron Rothstein, whose team failed to make the playoffs for the first time in 15 years, was fired Monday as coach of the Detroit Pistons.

Pistons president Tom Wilson and Billy McKinney, the player personnel director, met with Rothstein at The Palace on Monday and announced his dismissal at an afternoon news conference.

"This team was beset with inherent problems from the day I took over," Rothstein said in a statement. "I don't think I have to recount the other problems that unfolded as the year progressed."

"I have given this job my all from day one. I tried to find a balance between the needs and wants of the players and what I felt was my responsibility as the head coach. Above all, I have tried to conduct myself in a professional manner."

Don Chaney, an assistant who once coached the Houston Rockets, is considered a leading candidate to succeed Rothstein, although the club would not comment in that regard.

"It wouldn't be fair to say that before we talk to all our assistants," McKinney said. "After all, it's a player's league."

Robertson was replaced by Chuck Daly, who went on to become an icon in Detroit, leading the Pistons to the NBA finals three times and winning consecutive championships in 1989 and 1990.

"It is naturally difficult when you come in behind a man like Chuck, and especially in an organization that's had so much success," McKinney said. "We're not a championship team anymore. And the players aren't the same now as they were then."

Rothstein made his reputation as an assistant to Daly. As a result, the expansion Miami Heat made him their first coach in 1988. But the complaints in Miami were the same as the complaints in Detroit. The players didn't like his hard-driving, short-tempered style.

He returned to Detroit as a Pistons' broadcaster last season. But that didn't sit well with players like Rodman, either. They felt he was looking over Daly's shoulder, trying to push him out.

Daly quit at the end of the season, taking the New Jersey Nets job. The Nets are in the playoffs this season.

Rothstein was signed to a four-year contract worth a reported $2.1 million by Jack McCloskey. But a week later, McCloskey also quit to become general manager of the Minnesota Timberwolves. That left Rothstein on his own, with players who didn't like him and a general manager who didn't sign him. The lack of support from the front office also was a factor as the season unfolded.

"In retrospect, maybe we should have said, 'OK, Ron's the coach and he's here for four years — you might as well get used to it,'" Wilson said. "But that might not have been honest. It might have helped in the short term, but not for the long term."

It is unlikely the next coach, whoever he is, will have to worry about Rodman. The NBA rebouncing leader almost surely will be traded before next season.

Kentucky Derby riders might wear mini cameras

LEXINGTON, Ky. (AP) — A jockey in the Kentucky Derby may be equipped with a mini-camera if he wants to wear it, and if the owner and trainer give their approval.

The Kentucky Racing Commission gave its approval in an 8-1 vote Monday after Churchill Downs gave five conditions for a "jockey cam" to be used for the first time Saturday's Derby.

The jockey would have a two-ounce camera attached to his helmet and a battery pack strapped to his lower back.

"It should be a non-factor in the race," said Alex Waldrop, the track's general counsel and secretary, adding that the one-pound unit would be included in the jockey's 126 pounds.

The conditions for the device are:

— ABC-TV would furnish a liability insurance policy for Churchill Downs and the jockey.
— Approval from the Federal Aviation Administration that would allow a helicopter to fly 2,000 feet around the perimeter of the track during the race to pick up the signal from the camera.
— The jockey, trainer and owner must give their consent.
— ABC cannot pay the jockey.
— The jockey would be selected before the post draw.

Pat Day, who rode Lil E. Tee to victory in last year's Derby, said the camera would "give the public a tremendous view of the race," but added, "I would still be hesitant to wear it."

He said he was approached about wearing the device in the Arlington Million last year, but decided against it because "I was aware of it being there."

Commissioner Carl Bowman agreed with Day.

"I think it breaks the focus of the rider in this race," said Bowman. "I'm a purist, especially with the Derby. I don't think we need experimentation in the Derby. There are too many unknown contingencies."

Waldrop said the jockey cam has been used six times at U.S. tracks without incident.

Mickey Solomon, manager of the Jockey Guild, said he was not opposed to the camera "with the proper (insurance) coverage in place. I think it's good for the game."
Detroit is scoring more like the Lions than the Tigers. The Tigers aren't just winning games. They are pummeling opponents, scoring runs in bunches.

They fell into a little slump in their series finale at Minnesota on Sunday, managing just one run in the first six innings.

Then they made up for that overnight, scoring 15 in the final two innings for a 1-6 victory. That came less than 24 hours after winning, 17-1. Those wins followed lopsided scores of 12-4, 20-3 and 20-4 run up in the last two weeks by this modern Murderer's Row.

Detroit's numbers in the first month of the season are mind-boggling, forcing statisticians to work overtime.

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"I don't think I've ever seen that before," Anderson said of the weekend blitz. "If we pitch at all, they can't stop us from being in the hunt."

The Tigers led the majors with 791 runs last season, but they gave up 794 for a league-low 4-60 ERA. It was the first time that set of circumstances ever occurred.

Fielder has led the major leagues in RBIs the last three seasons, joining Ruth as the only players to do it. He had 16 RBIs in the Tigers' first 17 games.

"You just keep going and pressing and trying to do better," Fielder said. "This is one of those beautiful things. The way we're feeling now, we'll keep pressing and know that our good innings is going to come."

The Tigers' third selection in the 1987 draft, who was hitting .348 with four homers and 18 RBIs entering Monday night's game at Kansas City.

One more thing to consider. Detroit averaged 15 runs in its sweep of Minnesota. The Tigers averaged 17 points per game in 1992. But then again, the Tigers don't have anyone with Barry Sanders' speed.
Saint Mary's softball beats Kalamazoo twice yesterday

BY CHERYL GILLILAND
Sports Writer

In the first time in three years, the Saint Mary's softball team defeated the perennially powerful Kalamazoo College on Monday. Saint Mary's won the first game 9-4 and the second game 9-6.

The double header was the last home appearance for the Belles and ended their regular season with a record of 16-10. The Belles' head coach Don Cromer was pleased with the way the year went.

"We've had a fantastic sea¬
son. We have a lot of young
players on the team, and it's a
shame that we have to end
the season," said Cromer.

Many players felt that Mon¬
day's wins were the perfect way
to end the season. Bridge
t McCourt, the team's only senior,
played solid defense in both
games and caught the third out
of the last inning in the second
game.

"Today we finally had nice
weather and the chance to end
our season on a good note," she
d said.

Freshman Shannon Heise led Saint Mary's in the first game with a double, a triple and a run batted in as the Belles defeated Kalamazoo 9-4.

Wake Forest's Rodney Rogers heads to riches of NBA draft

WINSTON-SALEM, N.C. (AP) — Wake Forest forward Rodney Rogers made it official Monday. He will enter the NBA college draft, passing up his senior season. The Honorable basketball player was the best season since my freshman year," said senior co-captain, Cheryl Fortunak, who set a personal best in the 400. "I told the girls that I was happy with the way the season ended on a high note."

McKinley said that Saturday's meet, "didn't feel like a finale." Fortunak agreed by saying, "the end of the season didn't truly hit me until we turned in our uniforms today.

The Varsity Awards Banquet will make the end of the season a reality for Fortunak. She is the only member of the track team to graduate this year. Next season the Belles will return two juniors, two sopho¬mores, and numerous freshmen.

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The decision to turn pro was a difficult one to make, he said. He talked at length with coach Dave Odom several times be¬fore making up his mind about two or three weeks ago.

"To my teammates at Wake Forest and my family and friends, it gives me a lot of sadness to tell you I'm leaving," said Rogers during a packed news conference. "But I'm doing what I think is best for me and my family."

The prospect of a rookie cap in the NBA had no effect on his decision to enter the draft this year, Rogers said. Before making up his mind, Rogers talked with Chicago Bulls star Michael Jordan, who left North Carolina early to turn pro. He also sought out Larry Johnson and Tyrone "Muggsy" Bogues, both of the Charlotte Hornets.

While he listened to their advice, he ultimately made the call.

"This wasn't up to my family or friends to decide," he said. "It was up to Rodney Rogers."

Rogers was joined by his mother, Estella, and other family members for the news conference. His mother said she supports his decision but wants him to remember that she wants him to get his college degree.

"So far he's done what he promised," she said. "If he doesn't get it, it will be some¬thing he'll have to live with."

Rogers led the Demon Deacons to a top 10 ranking and the round of 16 in the NCAA tournament. He was first-team All-ACC in 1992 and 1993.

Rogers shot 55 percent from the floor in leading the Demon Deacons to a 21-8 record, their best since 1984. Teammate Randolph Childress said Rogers made the right decision.

"He's already proven himself in the best basketball conferen¬ce in the country," said Childr¬ess, who attended the news conference along with several other Wake players.

"I told him he should do it," he said, acknowledging that Rogers' departure leaves a huge void in Wake's starting lineup. "I don't think anyone in the country could fill his shoes." The Sporting News has said Rogers could be among the top five players taken in the draft. Other observers have said the burly forward's prospects were hurt by a poor showing in the National Invitation Tournament at the West Regional at Charlotte last month. Rogers was upstaged in that game in a matchup against Kentucky's Jamal Mashburn, scoring just 14 points.

Odom said the ACC is losing one of its greats.

Rogers has the size and talent to be an all-star in the NBA, Odom said.

"He is ready to play in that league," he said. "I think he'll be a great pro, but like all young pro players it will take some time. There were a lot of things he could have worked on to be even better if he had come back next year."

Rogers acknowledged that fi¬nances were a big factor in his decision.

"I want to do something for my family after they've done so much for me all my life," he said.

Wake Forest's Rodney Rogers heads to riches of NBA draft
Free agency affects quarterback selection

NEW YORK (AP) — When as many kickers are drafted as quarterbacks, there’s something different about the NFL draft.
The difference, of course, is free agency.
The first draft of the free-agent era ended Monday with rounds 5-8, making this one-third shorter than the 12 rounds of previous years — 224 players chosen instead of 336.

The most unique statistic? Only eight quarterbacks were chosen, four in the last two rounds, including Heisman Trophy winner Ciro Torretta. He was taken by Minnesota in the seventh round. That’s the same number of kickers or punters taken, including Harlan Alcorn, a punter-kicker from Akron, who was the last pick.

Quarterbacks, of course, were the first picks. Drew Bledsoe of Washington State went to New England and Rick Mirer of Notre Dame went to Seattle.

After that, only two more went until Torretta was chosen with the 192nd pick. They were Billy Joe Hoberti, to the Los Angeles Raiders with the last pick of the second round, and Mark Brunell, to Green Bay on the fifth round. Both played at Washington.

Finally, Torretta was taken by Minnesota. Alex Van Pelt of Pitt went to the Pittsburgh Steelers with the 216th pick. Three picks later, San Francisco took Michigan’s Elvis Grbac and three picks after that San Diego went for Indiana’s Trent Green.

But other recent data on college quarterbacks went through the eight rounds and are now free agents — Florida’s Shane Matthews and Weber State’s Jamie Martin to name two.

And some teams didn’t worry about their lack of draft picks.

“We’re very excited and pleased to announce the Chiefs exercised their first-round selection for quarterback Joe Montana of Notre Dame and David Whitmore, a defensive back from Stephen F. Austin,” Chiefs president Carl Peterson said.

But Peterson added: “Normally I value draft choices very, very much and most other teams do. This was a special situation.”

It sure was.

Just ask the college quarterbacks.

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The Office of University Computing invites the Notre Dame, Saint Mary’s, and Holy Cross communities to attend this Spring series of presentations on the educational uses of computer and media technologies.

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A continuation of the session presented in the Fall series exploring electronic publishing. CD-ROM is becoming a popular medium for distribution of text, large databases, and multimedia publications. Microsoft’s new Encarta multimedia encyclopedia will be demonstrated. A live audio conference with the Development Lead for Multimedia Publications at Microsoft will follow the demonstration.

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NFL draft continued yesterday with few surprises

Heisman Trophy winner Torretta goes in 7th round to Minnesota

NEW YORK (AP) — If there was a change in the NFL draft in the first year of free agency, it was a subtle one.

After quarterbacks went 1-2 in Sunday's draft for the first time in 22 years, teams got down to the basics. As in most years, the big guys went quickly — a half dozen offensive linemen in the first nine picks and an equal number of defensive linemen in the first round.

It's always a dance of the elephants," general manager George Young of the New York Giants said after the first round. "You got five offensive tackles that go. All the big guys go, whether they're linebackers or offensive linemen. They always go early."

There were no surprises at the top other than the trade by the New Orleans Saints of linebacker Pat Swilling, the 1991 defensive MVP, to Detroit. In return, the Saints got the eighth overall pick in the draft, which they used on offensive tackle Willie Roaf of Louisiana Tech.

Drew Bledsoe, the Washington State quarterback, went to New England and Rick Mirer of Notre Dame to Seattle. Bill Parcells, the Patriots' new coach, said Bledsoe had been his team's first choice all along, although he considered both Mirer and a trade. Teams like Atlanta, Houston, Washington, Philadelphia, San Francisco and Indianapolis drafted specifically to fill holes lost by defecting free agents, and there were seven first-round trades — six swaps of draft position, the seventh one the Swilling deal.

But there were others who went to the best available athletes, theory, like Pittsburgh, which needs linebackers, had plenty of defensive backs and still went for cornerback Deon Figures of Colorado.

"When you're drafting 23rd in the first round, you don't always have the luxury of doing that,"Steelers coach Bill Cowher said.

The draft resumed today, when New England opened the fifth round by selecting kicker Scott Sisson of Georgia Tech. Heisman Trophy winner Gino Torretta of Miami was taken in the seventh round by Minnesota. He was the fifth quarterback picked in Sunday's draft position, the seventh one the Swilling deal.

First round after winning the Super Bowl, he traded it for guard Eric Moten and that move up in the second round for guard Eric Moen and that pick turned out to be Desmond Howard. Parcells' choice of Bledsoe was hardly a surprise. But unlike Troy Aikman, who was made an instant starter in 1989, when Johnson took him No. 1 for a 3-13 Dallas team, Bledsoe may not be an instant starter.

"In the final analysis, we thought Bledsoe had a little more ability to throw the ball effectively,"Parcells said. "But I promise you I will not throw him to the wolves and he will not play until he's ready to play."

Mirer went No. 2 and was happy to be going west rather than east.

Then Phoenix swapped places with the New York Jets and took Georgia running back Garrison Hearst; the Jets took defensive tackle Marvin Jones of Alabama defensive line John Copeland.

Eric Curry, the other Alabama defensive end, went to Tampa Bay; Chicago took USC wide receiver Curtis Conway; the Saints took Notre Dame running back Robert Smith. The Travelers Companies, Hartford, Connecticut. An Equal Opportunity Employer.

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year. Her understanding of certain situations has really helped our team during her career. She’s been the liaison between the players and the staff all year.”

“On the field, Ronny’s worked hard all year,” continued Miller. “She gets herself in good shape physically and that’s made a major difference in her game.”

“This is the closest team we’ve ever had during our four years,” said Alvarez. “It doesn’t seem like we won’t be back.

“We’re real supportive of each other, but it’s really hard to end it,” she added. “We know everything about each other because of the amount of time we’ve spent with each other during our four years.

Alford and co-captain from Baton Rouge, LA, boasts one of the best changeups in the country. She has compiled a career record of 47-26 and ranks second in total games pitched with 113. This year, she has a record of 7-5 and a 1.43 ERA.

“This is the closest team and I’ve had so many good experiences,” she added. “We’ve been close since day one.

Another senior who has flashed Alvarez in the outfield over the past four years is Lisa Miller, who bats from Gahanna, OH, has played all over the outfield during her career. Offensively, Miller holds the Irish record for stolen bases with 24. This year, she has batted 248 with a new batting stance. Previously, she was a slap hitter from the left side, but this year, she has batted right handed with success.

“She has one of the strongest arms in the outfield,” said coach Miller. “She’s worked real hard with her new batting stance.

“When we step on the field now as compared to when we were freshman.”

“This is the closest team I look back at the seniors have made this year’s season because of injury. Boulac, a third baseman from St. Joseph’s High in South Bend, IN, injured her leg during the winter and has worked valiantly to regain her previous form. She has played in six games this year, but has gone hitless in six at bats. She has a career .273 batting average and has hit five home runs in her career.

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Notre Dame will rely on Kobata, senior Staci Alford and Currie Miller to carry the pitching load for the doubleheader.

“We’ve had some down games this year,” said coach Miller. “We can’t afford to have a down game today.”

Northern has been one of the most dominant teams in the Midwest in recent years, but Notre Dame has improved drastically and hopes to knock off the Huskies.

“Notre Dame is not only a re-recruiting rival, but a regionally

Both seniors have recovered and hope to finish out their careers on a high note in the MCC tournament.

“It’s been very difficult all year with the situation they’ve been in,” commented Miller. “It’s been very difficult to see, but they’ve gotten better. Their morale has improved and hopefully they could have done better in the past. It will be real difficult to do this late in the season, but I’ll take it one day at a time and see what happens.”

“I missed playing ball, but I really missed my friends on the team,” said Quinn. “I want to go out playing and leave with the feeling that I finished on a good note.”

“I had a great time playing softball for Notre Dame,” commented Miller. “I’m proud to say that I’ve played for four years, and I’ll really miss it.”

raised team looking to move up at our expense,” said Northern’s coach Dee Abrahamson. “We want to hold onto our rating and that means we don’t want to lose to anyone.”

“Our kids are excited to play, but they stressed out because of all their other school commitments,” she continued. “We seem to get fired up for big games. Hopefully, our team will be mentally ready to play two strong games.”

After today, the Irish will face UIC in Chicago on Thursday, and then return home to face Indiana State on Saturday at 2 p.m.
Irish ball teams take to the diamond this afternoon
Baseball hosts Valparaiso in 2 games

By JENNY MARTEN
Associate Sports Editor

The Notre Dame baseball team (25-10) has a tough week ahead including games against Indiana State, Indiana and Detroit Mercy, but that week starts this afternoon with a doubleheader against Valparaiso (4-27).

The Crusaders got off to a less than stellar start this year losing the first 20 games of their season to the likes of Nevada, Purdue, Indiana State and Western Michigan, but have begun to turn things around only losing by more than four runs in one game out of the last 11.

"It's the biggest game of the year for them," said Irish head coach Pat Murphy who has found himself saying that about most teams that play Notre Dame this spring. "They've played a whole lot better than their record indicates."

The Irish are coming off a disappointing series against Midwestern Collegiate Conference rival Evansville in which Notre Dame lost two and won only once.

"We didn't come to Evansville with a great passion for the game," said Murphy. "You can't just show up and think you're going to win."

With its losing record, Valparaiso might be a hard team to get psyched up for, but the Crusaders could be dangerous. Led by outfielder Jeff Grimm who is hitting .316 with six doubles, Valparaiso's offense features some decent hitters, second baseman Jeff Raymond (.266, 17 walks), third baseman Jason York (.238, 14 RBIs) and outfielder Todd Fitzgerald (.233, 10 RBIs) will contribute at the plate for the Crusaders.

On the mound, Jeff Brooks (1-5, 3.97 ERA) and Jon Vegg (1-5, 6.68 ERA) will most likely start for Valparaiso while Tom Cone (4.74, 1 save) will come in to close the games.

For Notre Dame, Al Walania (1-2, 5.97 ERA) and Tim Kraus (0-1, 9.78) will start the games on the mound for the Irish.

Hitting continues to be the consistent strength of the Irish. Seniors Eric Danapilis (.479, 50 RBIs, 11 HR) and Matt Haas. Nonetheless, injuries continue to plague the Irish and lineup changes are expected.

"We've been up at usual, but we've got to come out ready to play," said Murphy.

Softball meets ranked Northern Illinois team

By DOMINIC AMOROSA
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame softball team returns home today after a grueling stretch of weekend games. They will face nationally-ranked Northern Illinois at 3 p.m. at first Field.

Over the rain-soaked weekend at Evansville, the Irish split two games with Midwestern Collegiate Conference rival Detroit Mercy 1-0 and 4-3, while their games with Evansville were rained out. They improved their record to 26-12.

Freshman Terri Kobata beat the Titans in the first game to improve her record to 12-3 and extend her scoreless inning streak to 44. During the streak, she has allowed seven hits, one walk and has struck out 77.

"Terri continued to pitch very well," noted coach Liz Miller. "The weather conditions weren't ideal, but they're a good hitting team."

Kobata faced Detroit to four hits and tied her school record with 15 strikeouts.

Notre Dame captured the winning run in the fourth inning on junior Christy Connoyer's single, followed by sophomore Andrea Keys' RBI single.

In the second game, the Irish lost for the first time in nine games. Junior pitcher Carrie Miller gave up three hits and two runs in four innings, and took the loss. The hitting stars for the Irish were senior Stephanie Pinter, who went 3 for 3 with a run batted in. Sophomore Sara Hayes added two hits and senior Lisa Miller had a double.

Coach Miller attributed the loss to a combination of things. "We had one error that cost us, but they had some key hits at the right time," she commented. "Most of the balls we hit went right at them, and their shortstop robbed us so many times."

As for today's game, Northern Illinois comes into the game ranked 12th in the nation and number two in the region. The Huskies are 29-11 overall, with a 9-3 MCIW record.

They are led by senior outfielder Bee Zenner (.378) and senior first baseman Dawn Worden (.365). Their pitching leader is senior Tracy Meade, who has pitched 157.5 innings in 24 appearances. She has a record of 14-6 with 144 strikeouts and a 1.44 ERA.

"They're a very strong team, and they've been playing better this year than in the past," said coach Miller. "They're strong in all areas. They've played great competition this year, while not playing any down games."

Six seniors nostalgic about their four years

By DOMINIC AMOROSA
Sports Writer

Throughout this season, the Notre Dame softball team has relied on its six seniors to provide leadership to their young team. The six seniors who remain on the squad have grown up together as the team has developed into a nationally known program. Today's home game marks the beginning of the final stretch in the careers of seniors Ronny Alvarez, Staci Allard, Lisa Miller, Casey McMurray, Sheri Quinn, and Deb Boule.

When the group speaks about their time at Notre Dame, words like friendship, support and closeness come straight to their minds. Their time nears the end on the softball field, but their friendships will remain forever.

"I told the seniors in the fall that I really needed their leadership in many ways because it was my first year," said coach Liz Miller. "They certainly didn't let me down, because they have done a great job. I don't believe we would have had any chance to do as well as we did without our seniors."

Alvarez, a co-captain from Temperance, MI has been a fixture in the outfield for four years. She ranks third on the Irish all time list in total games played with 189 and third in runs scored with 60. She has hit 15 hits on the year, and has stolen five bases. In the outfield, she has committed only one error in 30 chances.

"She's been the spokesman between the players and the coaching staff all year," said coach Miller. "She's always been positive throughout the season."

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