

SOKOLSKI WINS TITLE

Bonduel wrestler dominates state competition

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Bonduel's Maddy Sokolski raises her hand after winning the girls 138 weight class title during the WIAA state individual wrestling tournament on Feb. 25 at the Kohl Center in Madison.

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Bonduel's Sokolski dominant on way to title

Three other Bears also make state podium

By **MORGAN RODE**
Sports Editor

Bonduel High School's Maddy Sokolski capped off a perfect season with a state title in the girls 138-pound weight class during the Wisconsin Interscholastic Athletic Association Individual State Tournament, which ran Feb. 23-25 at the Kohl Center in Madison.

Sokolski didn't surrender a point in any of her four state matches, with a 7-0 decision over Middleton's Mattie Papenthien in the final being the only win not to come by pin.

"I'm feeling really overwhelmed with all the support from my family, and my boyfriend, my teammates and friends," said Sokolski minutes after winning it all. "I'm really grateful to be down at Madison this year, it's really a cool environment."

Sokolski's state title was just the cherry on top for an already special trip to Madison for the Bears.

Tyson Bogacz placed fourth in the Division 3 182-pound weight class, while Hailey Berg was the fourth-place finisher at the girls 126 weight class. Kaitlyn Kroening capped her freshman season with a sixth-place finish at the girls 100 weight class. Bonduel's other two state qualifiers, Jaxon Bogacz and Colin Fischer, lost their only state matches.

In the state final, Sokolski got the matches' first takedown about halfway through the opening period. In the second period, she escaped before getting another takedown to make it a 5-0 lead. Sokolski earned another takedown in the final period to finish off her impressive state run.

"I stayed on the attack the entire time," said Sokolski. "I don't want to ease off, settle in with any points ahead, I wanna make sure I secure the win. I knew it would be one of my tougher ones down at state, I expected to have Mattie in the finals, and it went good."

While Sokolski's state matches got tougher along the way, the result was the same in her opening three matches.

Sokolski pinned Cadott's Shannon Burlum in just 19 seconds before a



Bonduel's Maddy Sokolski wrestles Middleton's Mattie Papenthien during the girls 138 weight class title during the 2023 WIAA state individual wrestling tournament on Feb. 25 at the Kohl Center in Madison.

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Bonduel's Hailey Berg, top, works toward a pin of Kettle Moraine's Charis Guerra during the 2023 WIAA state individual wrestling tournament on Feb. 23 at the Kohl Center in Madison.

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38-second pin of Turner's D Turrell in the quarterfinals. The Bonduel sophomore pinned Southern Door's Hailey Veeseer in 1:10 in the semifinals.

"My mindset was pure domination," said Sokolski, who later added that with more hard work, becoming

a three-time champ by the time she graduates is possible. "My coach, Chad (Bogacz), is always putting that into my head. I just didn't want to overlook anybody, everybody is fair competition, just confidence is key."

Sokolski ended the year with a

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16-0 record.

Tyson Bogacz had dreams of winning a state title as well, but a quarterfinal loss to Blair-Taylor's Jackson Shramek — who later won it all — ended that hope.

In the 3-2 loss to Shramek, Bogacz fell behind 2-0 after a period. Bogacz escaped in the second and got a penalty point in the third, but a Shramek escape proved to be the difference.

Bogacz bounced back with a 2:47 pin of Riverdale's Kadin Rynes to ensure himself a spot on the state podium. Bogacz scored the matches' first points on a reversal before working to the pin.

Bogacz advanced to the third-place match after a 1-0 win over Cadott's Dawson Webster. A third-period escape from Bogacz was the

only point scored.

Bogacz's final match was a 9-5 decision loss to Stratford's Jackson Ormond. The Bonduel senior trailed 4-2 after a period and 7-5 going to the third. Ormond started in the bottom position and got a late reversal to seal the match.

"It was special and something I won't forget," said Bogacz of ending his career at state. "Wish I was able to finish on top, but life goes on and I'm excited to see what's next for me. It means I have plenty to improve on when I go to wrestle in college and I can't wait to do that and grow with another coaching staff."

Berg began her second state appearance with a 3:35 pin of Kettle Moraine's Charis Guerra. Berg had a takedown and reversal before getting the pin.

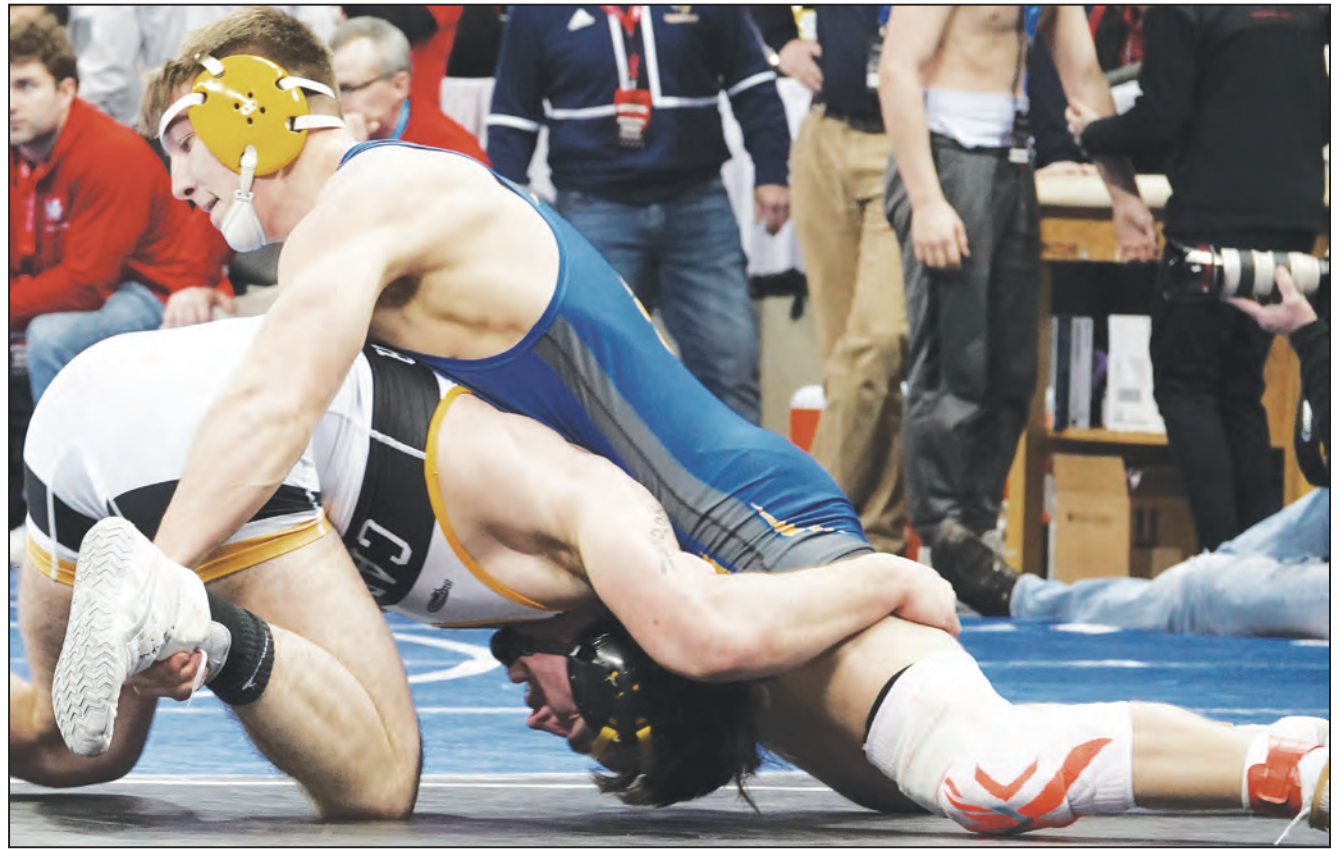
Berg was pinned in 5:35 in her quarterfinal match with Mineral Point's Dealya Collins. Berg got the initial takedown and led 4-0 after a reversal in the second. Collins scored five unanswered points to pull ahead, then got an escape and takedown before the pin in the third.

The Bonduel sophomore responded with a 45-second pin of Princeton/Green Lake's Maddy Cody and then got a 3:44 pin over La Crosse Logan/Central's Amelia Adams to earn a spot on the state podium.

Berg then won a 3-2 decision over Plymouth's Brooke Schuenemann to make the third-place match.

Against Schuenemann, Berg rallied from an early 2-0 deficit with an escape and takedown. She wasn't able to score from the bottom position in the second, but held Schuenemann scoreless in reversed roles in the third to hold on.

Facing off with Collins again for third place, the two were tied after a period. Berg pulled ahead with an escape and takedown, but a reversal from Collins led to the pin.



Bonduel's Tyson Bogacz, right, wrestles Cadott's Dawson Webster during the 2023 WIAA state individual wrestling tournament on Feb. 25 at the Kohl Center in Madison.

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"Placing fourth this year will give me more motivation to get higher on that podium," said Berg. "And I'm so happy I have my best friend Maddy to help me and motivate me through these matches and she's encouraging me to do better and better each match."

Kroening was one of the first wrestlers on the state mats, taking on New Berlin West/Eisenhower's Camila Garay. Kroening led 7-4 after a wild first period and then picked up three more points in the second before getting the pin at the 3:38 mark.

Kroening was pinned in 1:30 in her quarterfinal matchup with De Pere's Brooke Corrigan, who went

on to win the title.

The freshman got back into the win column with a 1:35 pin of Watertown's Mya Grosenick. Kroening led Osseo-Fairchild/Augusta/Fall Creek's Aaliyah Zamora 6-2 before a pin at 2:34 to secure a place on the podium.

In her final state matches, Kroening dropped a 6-0 decision to Westby's Kylie Klum and then was pinned by Holmen's Nora Lee in 48 seconds during the fifth-place match.

"I'm proud of myself that I reached my goal of making it on the podium and proud of myself that I even made it to state, but I wish I could have placed a little bit higher," said Kroening.

Jaxon Bogacz battled in his lone state match at 106 pounds against Stratford's Colin Cournoyer, but ended up losing a 5-4 decision. Bogacz led 4-3 after two first-period takedowns, but a reversal from Cournoyer in the third proved to be the difference.

Fischer was pinned in 1:51 during his 145 weight class match against Cornell/Gilman/Lake Holcombe's Troy Duellman. Fischer was trailing 4-0 when he got pinned.

Fischer ended the year with a 29-15 record, while Jaxon Bogacz went 41-9. Tyson Bogacz finished 44-3, Berg was 22-5 and Kroening posted an 11-8 mark.

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HIGH SCHOOL HOCKEY

Bay Area girls qualify for state tournament

By NEW MEDIA STAFF

The Bay Area Ice Bears girls hockey team qualified for state after winning two sectional games last week.

Top-seeded Bay Area, which includes several Pulaski girls, edged the fifth-seeded Xavier co-op 2-1 in a sectional semifinal matchup on Feb. 21 in Ashwaubenon and then earned a 3-1 victory over the third-seeded University School of Mil-

waukee co-op on Feb. 25 in Fond du Lac to qualify for state.

Bay Area was later handed the No. 1 seed for the state tournament, and will battle the fourth-seeded Middleton co-op at 4 p.m. on March 2 at Bob Suter's Capitol Ice Arena in Middleton.

No. 2 Superior/Northwestern and No. 3 Hudson will battle in the other state semifinal at 6:15 p.m. that evening. The winner of each semifinal will then face off in the champion-

ship at 12:10 p.m. on March 4.

In the sectional semifinal win over the Xavier co-op, Bay Area scored in the first period to take the lead and then on a power play in the third period before the visitors scored their lone goal.

Against the University School of Milwaukee co-op, Bay Area scored all three of its goals in the opening period before coasting to victory.

The Central Wisconsin Storm girls team, which rosters Witten-

berg-Birnamwood's Marli Novy, also made it to sectionals, but lost 4-2 to the Hayward co-op on Feb. 21 in Schofield.

The second-seeded Storm fell behind after two first-period goals from the third-seeded Hurricanes. Central Wisconsin rallied to tie it in the final period, only to have the Hayward co-op score two more goals to seal up the contest.

Central Wisconsin finished the year with a 20-4 overall record.

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Panthers' Whiting caps freshman year with title



Oconto Falls' Taylor Whiting reacts after winning the girls 107-pound title during the 2023 WIAA state individual wrestling tournament on Feb. 25 at the Kohl Center in Madison. MORGAN RODE | NEW MEDIA



Oconto Falls' Cole Bozile, right, and Luxemburg-Casco's Easton Worachek battle during the 2023 WIAA state individual wrestling tournament on Feb. 24 at the Kohl Center in Madison. MORGAN RODE | NEW MEDIA

Bozile claims 4th place

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Oconto Falls High School freshman Taylor Whiting won the girls state title at 107 pounds during the Wisconsin Interscholastic Athletic Association Individual State Tournament, which ran Feb. 23-25 at the Kohl Center in Madison.

It marks the fifth straight year a Whiting has won a state title after Taylor's older brother, Clayton, won four titles during his high school years. After winning her first title, she made her way into the crowd for an emotional embrace with her older brother.

Whiting capped off a 4-0 run at state with a 4-0 decision win over Wausau West's Savannah Danielson in the title match.

"It's an amazing feeling, a lot of stress came off a little bit here," said Whiting of accomplishing her goal of keeping the family state title streak alive. "I'm excited to keep going, learn more, train more."

Oconto Falls' Cole Bozile placed fourth in the Division 2 132-pound weight class, while Garrett Ganter dropped his lone match at 106 pounds.

Whiting got the title matches' opening takedown with 48 seconds to go in the opening period. She added another takedown in the second for the only other points of the match.

"Going into it, I was a little nervous but I knew I could control my ties — I'm stronger, I've trained more. I knew I just had to go into it confident and just couldn't be nervous and get to my shots and my ties," said Whiting.

Whiting dominated on the way to the final.

She opened up state with a 51-second pin of Sheboygan South's Ariya Yang and then eased to a 15-6 major decision win over Milwaukee Ronald Reagan's Aliana Rauter in the quarterfinals.

Whiting then topped Glenwood City's Savanna Millermon by major decision, 14-1, in the semifinals.

"Absolutely," said Whiting on if winning four state titles is her goal. "Keep training, all year round. Obviously that (first-place) match wasn't

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perfect, so I have to keep training to get better."

Whiting ends her freshman season with a 24-1 overall record.

Bozile also had his sights on a state title but came up a little bit short of that.

"My fourth-place finish this year was not what I was shooting for," said Bozile. "I had a higher expectation for myself."

After a first-round bye, Bozile pinned Baldwin-Woodville's Tyler Fink in 3:15 in the quarterfinals. Bozile led 2-1 after a period and was up 6-3 when he got the pin.

Bozile then faced Luxemburg-Casco's Easton Worachek in the semifinals, falling 4-0. A first-period takedown and second-period reversal accounted for all the points between the two wrestlers.

The Oconto Falls sophomore advanced to the third-place match after an 11-3 major decision win over River Valley's Noah Radtke. Bozile got a takedown in the first period and three-point nearfall and takedown in the second to build a 7-1 advantage. He finished off the win with two escapes and a takedown in the third.

In the third-place match, Bozile lost 4-2 to St. Croix Falls' Kellen Kelly.

Bozile had the first takedown, but Kelly escaped late in the first. Kelly escaped again in the second to tie it and then won it with a reversal in overtime.

"This fourth-place finish will help me prepare for next year more than I ever have before," said Bozile. "The third-place match loss, I haven't felt that much pain in my past experiences of losing. I'm willing to do whatever it takes to make me standing at the No. 1 position on that podium."

Ganter dropped a 7-0 decision to Richland Center's Ethan Hady in his lone state match. The match was tied going into the second period before Hady got a two-point nearfall. He added a reversal and three-point nearfall in the third to seal the match up.

Ganter ends the year with a 47-12 mark, while Bozile was 52-9.

HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL

Bonduel girls win 5th straight regional title

Every other area girls team eliminated

By NEW MEDIA STAFF

The Bonduel High School girls basketball earned a pair of playoff wins last week to win a regional title for the fifth consecutive season.

Every other area girls team was eliminated at some point during regional play.

Division 4

Bonduel earned a No. 3 seed and a bye for the postseason, so its first game wasn't until the regional semifinals on Feb. 24.

Bonduel pulled away from sixth-seeded Shiocton for a 46-35 win in that game in Bonduel. The Bears led by just three at halftime.

Hailey Zernicke scored 18 points, grabbed 11 rebounds and had three steals for Bonduel. Audrey Weier chipped in 10 points for the Bears. Ella Hischke dished out six assists, while Hailee Thompson had three steals.

The Bears then traveled to take on No. 2 Coleman for a regional final on Feb. 25, easing to a 43-28 victory.

Weier recorded 13 points and eight rebounds to power Bonduel. Zernicke added 13 points and six boards.

Hischke totaled nine points, six assists and four steals for the Bears.

The Bears next game will be a sectional semifinal contest against fourth-seeded Mishicot on March 2 in Gillett. Visit www.newmedia-wi.com for results from that game. Results will also be published in the March 10 paper.

Wittenberg-Birnamwood and Menominee Indian also competed in Division 3.

Witt-Birn also had a No. 3 seed and bye. The Chargers earned a 53-26 win over sixth-seeded Stratford on Feb. 24 in Wittenberg. The Chargers led 31-15 by halftime.

Reese Rogowski scored 12 points for Witt-Birn, while Melaina Granquist had 11 points and 14 rebounds.

Rory Salvesen contributed eight points, three steals and four assists for the Chargers. Faith Resch totaled eight points.

Witt-Birn then saw its season come to a close after a 60-35 regional final loss to second-seeded Westfield on Feb. 25 in Westfield.

Granquist led Witt-Birn with 10



Oconto Falls' Kate Pytleski, right, drives to the basket during the team's Division 3 regional quarterfinal playoff win over Little Chute on Feb. 21 in Oconto Falls.

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points, nine rebounds and three assists. Salvesen added nine points, while Rogowski finished with six points.

Witt-Birn ended the season with a 21-4 overall record.

Seventh-seeded Menominee Indian was upset by No. 10 Kewaunee 59-56 in overtime of a regional quarterfinal clash on Feb. 21 in Keshena.

Ayanna Smith hit five 3-pointers and led Menominee Indian with 15 points. Mariah Fish added 11 points, while Kaysha Wilber had 10 and Emma Komanekin eight.

The Eagles finished the season with a 12-12 mark.

Division 5

Lena joined Bonduel and Witt-Birn in advancing to regional finals.

The third-seeded Wildcats earned a forfeit win over 14th-seeded St. Thomas Aquinas Academy on Feb. 21.

Lena then held off sixth-seeded Florence 50-45 in a regional semifinal on Feb. 24 in Lena.

Whitney Potter scored 21 points

to power Lena to victory. Eva Brooks added 10 points for the Wildcats. Claire Brooks and Kali Fischer scored six points each.

Lena had its season come to a close after a 56-19 loss to second-seeded Sevastopol in a regional title game on Feb. 25 in Sturgeon Bay.

Lena, which trailed 18-5 at halftime, caps the season with a 21-5 record.

Seventh-seeded Suring earned one postseason win, toppling 10th-seeded Bowler in a regional quarterfinal on Feb. 21 in Suring.

Christine Sleeter powered Suring with 27 points. Bunny Cramer added 10 points, while Mackenzie Bailey chipped in eight.

Suring also had its season ended by Sevastopol. The Eagles lost 61-34 in a regional semifinal on Feb. 24 in Sturgeon Bay.

Sleeter scored 17 points to lead the team and also reached 1,000 points for her high school career. Cramer added six points.

Suring ended the year with a 13-13

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record, while Bowler went 6-14.

Gillett, Gresham, Tigerton and Marion all lost their regional quarterfinal matchups on Feb. 21.

Eighth-seeded Gillett fell 46-43 to ninth-seeded Wausaukee in Gillett. The Tigers finished the year with a 15-10 record.

Carleigh Kaczmarek hit four 3-pointers to tally 12 points for Gillett. Cilena Guns also scored 12 points.

No. 10 Gresham lost 69-52 to seventh-seeded Newman Catholic in Wausau. Gresham finished the year 13-11 and won the Central Wisconsin Conference-North Division by two games.

No. 15 Tigerton lost 89-16 to No. 2 Edgar in Edgar. The Tigers ended the winter season with a 2-16 mark.

Lillian Welch led Tigerton against Edgar with five points and five rebounds, while Abby Swartz scored four points.

No. 15 Marion fell 78-13 to No. 2 Oakfield in Oakfield. The Mustangs went 3-22 this winter.

Division 3

Seventh-seeded Oconto Falls topped No. 10 Little Chute 47-27 in a regional quarterfinal on Feb. 21 in Oconto Falls before being eliminated after a 62-45 loss to No. 2 Wrightstown in a regional semifinal on Feb. 24 in Wrightstown.

Against Little Chute, Ashlyn Allen hit three 3-pointers and scored nine points for Oconto Falls. Kyndra Staidl tallied eight points, while Bailee Gorman had seven and Kati Raddatz and Amber Otto six each.

Oconto Falls finished 7-19 this winter season.

Division 2

Shawano and Pulaski both fell in their opening playoff games.

Shawano had a bye with its No. 5 seed and then lost 60-59 to fourth-seeded Mosinee in a regional semifinal on Feb. 24 in Mosinee.

Leah Nordin poured in 31 points for Shawano. Trinity Popelka added 12 points, while Ella Stuber had seven.

The Hawks went 11-13 this winter.

No. 10 Pulaski fell 53-43 to No. 7 Ashwaubenon in a regional quarterfinal on Feb. 21 in Ashwaubenon.

Pulaski finished the year with a 5-20 overall mark.

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HIGH SCHOOL WRESTLING

Witt-Birn's Gauderman falls just short of title

Senior takes 2nd at state

By **MORGAN RODE**
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Wittenberg-Birnamwood High School senior David Gauderman capped his wrestling career with a second-place finish in the Division 3 285-pound weight class at the Wisconsin Interscholastic Athletic Association Individual State Tournament on Feb. 23-25 at the Kohl Center in Madison.

Witt-Birn teammates Ben Miller, Devin Wudtke, Andres Sanchez, Nathan Waupekenay and Brenna Marsh combined to earn two other wins at state, but none were able to place in the top six.

Gauderman made things look easy on his way to the state title match, with pins in the quarterfinal and semifinal. In the first-place match against Fennimore's Evan Gratz, Gauderman was pinned in 1:15.

"It means a lot to make the finals. Even though I wanted to win the title, I am happy that I ended my career in the finals," said Gauderman. "I'm happy my family and friends could watch me one last time."

"My last match he was just too big for me to handle, very unfortunate ending."

Gauderman capped his senior season with a 51-2 overall record.

Gauderman wasn't entirely pleased with his effort in his opening matchup against Coleman's Kain Otto in the quarterfinals.

Gauderman jumped out to a 5-0 lead, but an Otto reversal tightened things up heading to the second period. The senior started in the bottom position in the second and eventually picked up a penalty point as Otto stalled. After a short break for blood, Gauderman pulled a late reversal before pinning Otto at the 3:54 mark.

The Witt-Birn senior was happier with his showing in the semifinal against Westfield's Ty Monfries. Gauderman had two takedowns in the first 32 seconds before a three-point nearfall. He then capped the match off by pin at 1:39.

"It was a great experience at state this year. I loved having my teammates cheer me on and be by my side as my career came to an end," said Gauderman.



Wittenberg-Birnamwood's David Gauderman, front, fends off Fennimore's Evan Gratz during the Division 3 285-pound title match at individual state tournament on Feb. 25 at the Kohl Center in Madison.

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Miller opened state taking on Shiocton's Mason Demerath in a 106-pound clash. Miller got the first takedown and went on to pin Demerath in 1:46.

Miller then faced Pecatonica/Argyle's Aidan Gruenfelder in the quarterfinals. Miller escaped three times in the opening period but was eventually pinned in 1:45.

In Miller's consolation match against Westby's Jayden Geier, Miller lost by decision, 9-5. After a scoreless first period, Miller got a takedown and two-point nearfall in the second, but still trailed 5-4 heading to the third. Geier earned two points on a nearfall before Miller escaped to make it 7-5, but a Geier takedown sealed the match.

Sanchez opened state with a pin of Pardeeville's Logan Young in 2:35 in a 138 weight class matchup. Sanchez had a takedown, two three-point nearfalls

and a two-point nearfall in the first before getting a takedown and the pin in the second.

The Witt-Birn junior lost by technical fall, 18-3, in the quarterfinals against top-seeded Lucas Sullivan of Mineral Point, who went on to win it all. Sanchez escaped in the first period and got a takedown in the second for his points.

Sanchez then squared off with Shiocton's Blake Carton in the consolation bracket. Sanchez got the first takedown but only was able to earn one more point on an escape in the third in an eventual 10-3 loss.

Wudtke dropped a 7-1 decision to Royall/Wonewoc-Center's Gunnar Wopat in his lone match at 126 pounds. Wudtke earned his point on an escape in the second period.

Waupekenay lost a 15-3 major decision to Iowa-Grant/Highland's Bode

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Brokopp at 195 pounds. Waupekenay tied things with a reversal in the first period and escaped in the second period for his points.

Marsh was pinned in 1:25 in her first and only match against Mukwonago's Cailyn Whittier in the girls 107 weight class. Whittier went on to lose, which meant Marsh was eliminated from the bracket.

Marsh finished the year 5-2. Miller posted a 40-13 mark, Wudtke was 41-13, Sanchez finished 39-11 and Waupekenay went 30-13.

HIGH SCHOOL WRESTLING

Hawks' Young finishes 2nd at state

Hermann just misses podium

By **MORGAN RODE**
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Shawano senior Caden Young ended his high school career by placing second in the Division 1 170-pound weight class at the Wisconsin Interscholastic Athletic Association Individual State Tournament on Feb. 23-25 at the Kohl Center in Madison.

Shawano's Onna Hermann just missed a podium finish in the girls 120 weight class, while Courtney Schenk dropped her lone 138 match. Carsen Herm fell in both of his 152 weight class matchups back on the boys side.

After earning three wins between Feb. 23-24, Young found himself in the final against Germantown's Ethan Riddle on Feb. 25.

Young was able to earn five points on escapes, but ended up losing a major decision, 14-5, to finish in second.

"It was super special to wrap up my career at state, it was nice to end my high school career in the finals in front of family and friends," said Young, who ends the year with a 47-6 record.

Young wished he could have a redo of his state final, adding Riddle, "was better in just more positions than me."

Young looked like the No. 2 seed he earned in his first couple state matches.

He topped Neenah's Eli Gast and Badger's Santino Butitta in 10-2 major decisions.

Young's semifinal match against Nicolet's Benjamin Ott was a bit tougher, with Young prevailing in overtime.

After a scoreless first period, Young escaped from the bottom position in the second to grab a 1-0 lead. Ott escaped early in the third period, and neither wrestler scored in the final 1 minute, 55 seconds. Young got the first takedown in overtime to advance to the final.

"It means a lot," said Young of placing second. "It's taken four years of hard work to get where I am. Although it was a bittersweet ending, I'm happy with what I accomplished."

Herm opened state battling Kimberly's Karsen Otis, who went on to take third. Herm had an escape in the opening period before being pinned at the 1:05 mark.

With Otis advancing on, Herm got



Shawano's Caden Young, back, wrestles Germantown's Ethan Riddle during the Division 1 170-pound state final on Feb. 25 on Feb. 24 at the Kohl Center in Madison.

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another crack at things against Wilmot Union's Joel Sullivan in a consolation matchup. Neither wrestler scored in the shorter first period, but in the second, Sullivan pulled a reversal before eventually pinning Herm in 2:17.

Hermann had a strong showing at state, finishing 2-2.

Hermann took down Racine Case's Celine Haschker early in the first period of her opening match and then got the pin at the 45-second mark.

Hermann lost a 5-1 battle with Peshtigo's Addisen Olson in a quarter-final clash. Hermann escaped for the first points in the second period, but Olson got a takedown to pull ahead. In the third period, Olson started in the bottom position, but wasn't able to escape until about 30 seconds remained.

Olson finished off the match with a late takedown.

Hermann then took on Lancaster's Alyvia Bahl in a consolation match, winning a 6-1 decision. Hermann trailed 1-0 going to the final period, but a takedown, three-point nearfall and penalty point in the final 15 seconds gave Hermann the win.

The Shawano junior then battled Adams-Friendship's Lydia Hutter in a match where the winner would go on to make the podium. Hermann led 4-2 after two takedowns across the first two periods. Hutter got the first takedown in the third to tie it, but Hermann escaped with eight seconds left. Hutter claimed the win after a questionable last-second takedown that drew some negative reactions from the

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fans and coaches looking on.

Schenk's only state match came against Poynette's Emersyn Miller.

Schenk was trailing 4-0 before being pinned at the 3:20 mark of the match. Miller lost her next match, meaning Schenk was eliminated from the tournament.

Schenk finished the year with a 15-9 record, while Hermann went 20-9. Herm had a 38-13 overall record.

HIGH SCHOOL WRESTLING

Pulaski's Gibbons 3rd at state tournament

Andre places 6th,
while Wells wins twice

By **MORGAN RODE**

Sports Editor

Pulaski High School's Trenton Gibbons capped his strong high school career with a third-place finish in the Division 1 182-pound weight class during the Wisconsin Interscholastic Athletic Association Individual State Tournament on Feb. 23-25 at the Kohl Center in Madison.

Marna Andre also made the podium for the Red Raiders, coming in sixth in the girls 235 weight class. Pulaski's Mason Wells earned a 2-2 record at state at the 220 weight class, while Broc Ambrosius dropped both of his matches at 113 pounds.

Gibbons made things look pretty easy in his first two matches on Feb. 23, pinning Port Washington's Diego Armendariz in 3 minutes, 3 seconds and then earning a 6-0 decision win over Kaukauna's Drew Wendzicki.

Gibbons then battled De Pere's Michael Alexander in a semifinal match on Feb. 24. The two have squared off several times over the years and each earned their fair share of wins. This time though, Alexander won a 7-4 decision.

Gibbons was behind 2-1 after two periods before a high-scoring final period. Alexander escaped to make it 3-1 before Gibbons got a stalling penalty point with 53 seconds left. Alexander took down Gibbons with just over 20 seconds to go, but Gibbons got an escape with 12 seconds left and another stalling point to get within one. After Alexander was tagged with the penalty, he took down Gibbons to finish off the match.

While Gibbons said the loss prevented him from accomplishing his goal of winning the state title, he didn't let that affect him in his final two matches on Feb. 25.

Gibbons got a quick takedown and then pinned Brookfield East's Johnny Botsch in 39 seconds. In the third-place match, Gibbons scored the first 10 points, including two three-point nearfalls, and claimed a 10-2 major decision over West Bend East's Kasey Gish.

"Today I definitely had that mentality that I was going to go out there and take care of business, nothing was going to stand in my way," said Gibbons. "It's great going out with two



Pulaski's Trenton Gibbons, front, and De Pere's Michael Alexander are intertwined during a semifinal matchup at the individual state tournament on Feb. 24 at the Kohl Center in Madison.

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wins on the last day and winning my last match that I'll ever wrestle, it's a good feeling."

Wells was a part of four tight decisions at state.

Wells opened state with a hard-fought 5-1 win over Kaukauna's Jordan Loose, getting a takedown and two-point nearfall in the final 30 seconds to prevail. Wells then came up on the short end of things in a 7-4 setback to Mukwonago's Ryan Mazer.

Wells earned another dramatic win in a consolation clash with New Berlin West/Eisenhower's Thomas Perra, pulling a reversal before earning two more points on a nearfall in the final 30 seconds of action to win 7-3. Unfortunately for Wells, he wasn't able to duplicate the late heroics in his next match, falling 4-3 to Reedsburg Area's Jesus Gonzalez.

Ambrosius faced an uphill battle at state having to start off against top-seeded Wyatt Skebba of Hortonville, who went on to win it all. Ambrosius put up a good fight, but was eventually pinned at the 3:01 mark.

In Ambrosius' second match against Neenah's Declan Koch, who went on to place third, Ambrosius was pinned in 3:58.

Andre started her state tournament against Kickapoo/La Farge/Youth Initiative's Manda Hemmersbach. Andre was in complete control before eventually finishing it off with a pin in 3:06.

Andre was locked in a tight battle with Arrowhead's Kate Riege in a quarterfinal match. The wrestlers were deadlocked at 2-2 before Riege pinned Andre with just two seconds

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left in the second period.

Andre bounced back with pins in 1:44 over Nekoosa/Assumption's Daisha Storlie and 59 seconds over Muskego's Sophia Peterson to keep her season alive.

In her consolation matches, Andre lost by pin in 3:56 to Berlin's Alivia Davey and then a 6-3 decision to Whitnall/Greendale's Faith Pritzlaff in the fifth-place match.

"Going and competing this year has definitely left me hungry for more, so I'm already looking forward to next season and the competitions leading up to state," said Andre. "Being able to place at state this year with just around four months experience gave me more confidence in my abilities as a wrestler. I'll be working hard to improve my skills in the off-season, so when my senior season rolls around I'll have a little more experience under my belt. Getting a taste of what the championship rounds were like this year has left me exhilarated and ready to go again hard next year."

Andre capped the year with a 14-7 overall record. Gibbons was 43-4, Ambrosius 21-14 and Wells 10-3.

HIGH SCHOOL WRESTLING

Suring/Gillett duo unable to earn any wins at state

By MORGAN RODE
Sports Editor

Suring/Gillett wrestlers Shylah Hisey and Parker Zahn were unable to earn any wins while competing at the Wisconsin Interscholastic Athletic Association Individual State Tournament inside the Kohl Center in Madison.

Hisey went 0-2 in her 165-pound weight class matches on Feb. 23-24, while Zahn lost her only 145 match on Feb. 23.

Hisey faced top-seeded Alexandra Hofrichter from Antigo on Feb. 23, and was pinned in 21 seconds.

Hisey battled Fort Atkinson's Gracy Heine in a consolation bracket matchup on Feb. 24, being pinned at the 3 minute, 31 second mark of the match. Hisey fell behind 5-0 in the opening period before pulling off a reversal for her first state points.

Hisey escaped late in the second period and got the first takedown in the third period to only trail 6-5, but Heine pulled a reversal and

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then finished off the match with a pin.

Hisey caps her junior season with a 1-12 record.

Zahn's lone match came against Antigo's Olivia Hofrichter.

Zahn trailed 5-1 after a period and 9-1 about 30 seconds into the second period, but pulled a reversal to stay alive. Hofrichter pulled a reversal of her own before Zahn capped the period by escaping.

Zahn was taken down in the third period and eventually pinned at the 4:58 mark of the match.

Hofrichter lost her second match, which sent her to the consolation bracket and caused Zahn to be eliminated.

Zahn ends her junior season with a 9-5 record.

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Suring/Gillett's Parker Zahn, top, wrestles Antigo's Olivia Hofrichter during the individual state tournament on Feb. 23 at the Kohl Center in Madison.

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HIGH SCHOOL WRESTLING

Lena's Comins 4th, Misco 5th at state

Alberts drops both of her matches

By **MORGAN RODE**
Sports Editor

Lena High School's Dylan Comins and Luke Misco each capped their wrestling careers on the state podium after placing fourth and fifth, respectively, at the Wisconsin Interscholastic Athletic Association Individual State Tournament on Feb. 23-25 at the Kohl Center in Madison.

Comins earned fourth in the Division 3 120-pound weight class, while Misco was fifth in his 132-pound weight class.

Miriam Alberts also was at state, competing in the girls 152 weight class. She dropped both of her matches.

Comins and Misco each opened state with impressive showings on Feb. 23.

Comins won a 15-0 technical fall over Random Lake's Dylan Brody, while Misco claimed a 19-3 tech fall win over Shiocton's Jordan Jahnke.

In the quarterfinals on Feb. 24, Comins lost by tech fall, 18-2, to Fenimore's Amryn Nutter, while Misco was pinned by Cadott's Brayden Sonnentag — the eventual state champ — in 3 minutes, 13 seconds.

Both Wildcat wrestlers kept their seasons and careers alive a bit longer with thrilling consolation wins later that day.

Comins stayed alive with a 6-4 sudden win over Stratford's Trenton Cournoyer. Comins got the opening takedown but trailed 3-2 after two periods. He got the first takedown in the third period before Cournoyer escaped to tie things up. It didn't take Comins long to get a takedown in overtime, needing roughly 10 seconds.

Misco's win to stay alive turned out to be one of the better matches at state. Misco trailed 8-0 early in the third period before rallying for a dramatic win by pin in 4:31 over Royall/Wonewoc-Center's Colin McKittrick.

Misco earned his first point on a stalling penalty before getting a takedown and three-point nearfall. After letting McKittrick up, Misco got another takedown with about 30 seconds to go before sealing the comeback by pin.

"All I will say is I remember going into the third (period) down by eight and all that was going through my



Lena's Dylan Comins, top, wrestles Stratford's Trenton Cournoyer during the individual state tournament on Feb. 24 at the Kohl Center in Madison.

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Lena's Luke Misco points to fans in the stands after a dramatic comeback win over Royall/Wonewoc-Center's Colin McKittrick on Feb. 24 at the Kohl Center in Madison.

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head while I looked at my dad (coach Chad Misco) was I can't be done here," said Misco.

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Comins split his consolation matches on Feb. 25 to come away with fourth place. He first claimed a 6-3 decision over Cameron's Kayne Johnson after rallying with a takedown and three-point nearfall late in the third period.

Comins then squared off against Nutter again, this time only losing by decision, 4-2.

"It was a big win for me to take fourth, I was very close to taking third against a kid that teched me the second day," said Comins. "A very close match against a very, very tough wrestler."

Misco was in another tight match to start the final day, losing a 5-4 decision to Crandon's Elias Glinski. In that match, Misco was not able to pull any late heroics after escaping to get within one point with under 10 seconds to go.

Misco bounced back by dominating

Pardeeville's Kingston Galetka in the fifth-place match, winning a 9-0 major decision.

"To be 100% honest, taking fifth means a lot coming from a lot of injuries," said Misco. "I've always wanted to be a state champ my whole life, but the hardest thing to learn and accept is to lower the standards on myself and just go out and wrestle the very best I can and give it 100% every match and never give up."

Comins capped his senior year with a 52-11 record, while Misco went 37-6.

Alberts took on second-seeded Isabelle Olesen of Oak Creek to open state on Feb. 23. Alberts was pinned at the 1:09 mark of the match.

After Olesen advanced, Alberts got to wrestle again on Feb. 24 against Lomira's Kara Kuge. Alberts trailed 2-0 going into the second period before being pinned at the 2:11 mark.

Alberts capped her sophomore season with a 6-9 record.

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HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL

Bowler spoils Marion's bid to win conference outright

Brunner leads way for Bowler with 19 points

By **LUKE REIMER**
Reporter

The Bowler High School boys basketball team spoiled Marion's shot at winning the Central Wisconsin Conference-North Division title outright on Feb. 24 in Bowler.

In a hard-fought battle on senior night, Bowler pulled away late to beat Marion 67-62. Senior Beau Brunner led the scoring for Bowler with 19 points. Fellow seniors Tristan Thiex and Emmitt Kietlinski added another 15 and 17 points, respectively.

For Marion, Parker Miller led the team with 30 points. No other Mustang scored in double figures.

While Brunner opened scoring early in the game, his most impactful points came toward the end of the game. Up 56-53, Brunner made a 3-point shot and scored on two offensive rebounds off of missed free throws, all with less than five minutes remaining.

"I just narrowed it down and focused," said Brunner, on his late game heroics. "In my mind I just said that I need to get these rebounds."

The win in the final game of the regular season pushed Bowler's record to 10-14, but 7-5 in conference. Marion finishes the regular season with a 13-11 overall mark and a conference record of 10-2. That 10-2 record is tied with Northland Lutheran for the top of the conference.

"It is a great feeling — we have a great group of guys and we have worked through a lot of adversity," said Marion senior Jaden Stuhr on finishing at the top of the conference.

Even though Marion still won conference, Kietlinski described the feeling of preventing them from winning outright.

"It felt really good. For us to prevent them from winning it outright felt really good, honestly," said Kietlinski. "We didn't have anything to play for, but us seniors winning our final home game felt really nice."

Even though they would have wanted to win the game and claim the outright title, Marion still finished first in the conference for the first time since 1968, when Dick Bennett was



Bowler's Beau Brunner, left, drives past Marion's Izan Bueno in Bowler's CWC-North victory over Marion on Feb. 24 in Bowler.

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Marion's Jaden Stuhr rises for a sideline jumpshot during Marion's loss against Bowler on Feb. 24 in Bowler.

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coaching the team.

"It feels good knowing that we at least tied for first, but we came here tonight hoping to finish it outright, but that didn't happen — not much you can do about it now," said Miller.

Marion opened the game on a 10-5 run, with six quick points coming from Miller. Scoring stayed steady through most of the first half, with Bowler clawing back to a one-point deficit. The Panthers took their first

lead late in the first half with a 3-point make from junior Danian Schultz to make the score 21-19. Kietlinski then found success going to the paint, making a post fade away followed by a fastbreak dunk.

Bowler eventually built its largest lead of the first half with another Kietlinski fastbreak layup, making it 31-23 with about two minutes remaining. A five-point run from Stuhr cut Bowler's lead to three entering halftime.

Coming out of halftime, Marion shifted to a 2-3 zone and found success generating steals and tipped passes. The zone defense allowed the Mustangs to get back on top, 44-43. Bowler then took a hit, when senior guard Marcus Malone fouled out of the game early in the second half. With an already depleted bench, Bowler was forced to use just five players for the rest of the game.

"We just slowed it down a little bit instead of having a fast-paced game," said Brunner, on how the offense changed after Malone left the game. "We just tried to play and not turn the ball over."

Marion got back on top thanks to an open layup from Miller, but that was short lived as Bowler responded with six straight points on two free throws

from Thiex, a putback layup by Schultz and layup from Kietlinski.

The teams traded baskets on the next couple of possessions, before a free throw late in the game from Thiex gave Bowler a 60-55 lead. Marion cut the lead to three before Brunner found himself wide open under the hoop after a missed three. He made the layup and brought the lead back to five.

Miller scored a layup immediately after. Brunner was then fouled, but he missed the subsequent free throw. On the rebound, Marion fumbled the ball out of bounds and Bowler took back over. After hitting free throws and exchanging baskets, Bowler held off Marion's late push to win the game.

"We were able to stay in the game by forgetting about the little mistakes and learning from them quickly in the game," said Miller.

Marion 28 34 — 62

Bowler 31 36 — 67

Marion (62): Parker Miller 4-6 30, Jaden Stuhr 1-3 9, Izan Bueno 0-0 7, Sam Gueths 0-0 6, Jack Van Kooy 0-0 4, Ryan Malueg 0-0 4, Jackson Krohn 0-0 2.

Bowler (67): Beau Brunner 0-4 19, Emmitt Kietlinski 3-4 17, Tristan Thiex 7-8 15, Danian Schultz 2-2 13, Marcus Malone 0-1 2, Brady Strassburg 1-2 1.

HIGH SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

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BOYS BASKETBALL

Bonduel 74

Menominee Indian 55

Bonduel took down Menominee Indian in a Central Wisconsin Conference-East Division clash on Feb. 25 in Bonduel. The Bears outscored the Eagles 44-27 in the second half.

Noah Weier made eight field goals and seven free throws to score 25 points for Bonduel. Ryan Westrich added 21 points and 15 rebounds.

Cade Johnson chipped in 11 points for the Bears, while Charlie Tauchen had seven.

Barron Waupoose tallied 16 points for Menominee Indian. Isaiah Moss contributed 10 points, while Lloyd Reeves and Ali Davenport had nine each.

Gillett 87

Suring 47

Gillett rolled past Suring in a Marinette & Oconto Conference matchup on Feb. 25 in Gillett.

Austin VandeCorput hit three

3-pointers and led Gillett with 20 points. Ben Matczak and Aydin Franti scored 17 points each.

Tyler Frank contributed 10 points for the Tigers, while Jesse DeBauch had nine and Ryan Pensis eight.

Ethan Lally made three triples and led Suring in scoring with 11 points. Donny Otradovec added eight points, while Mason Ferrell and Trent Thomson had six each.

De Pere 74

Pulaski 54

Pulaski fell to De Pere in a Fox River Classic Conference clash on Feb. 24 in Pulaski.

Derek Shaw hit three 3-pointers and scored 17 points for Pulaski.

Brady Wotruba added nine points for the Red Raiders, while Colin Schultz had eight.

Shawano 65

Merrill 42

Shawano eased past Merrill in a nonconference clash on Feb. 21 in Merrill.

Michael Metcalf-Grassman led a balanced Shawano offensive attack

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with 19 points. Brandon Reed tallied 17 points.

Jacob Landon tallied 14 points for the Hawks, while Logan Sipple chipped in 10.

Tigerton 72

Tri-County 24

Tigerton rolled to a Central Wisconsin Conference crossover win over Tri-County on Feb. 21 in Plainfield.

Asher Michaelis led a balanced Tigerton attack with 12 points. Joey Zimdars, Colby Wanta and Maverick Maas each scored 11 points, while Loghan Wanta had 10 and Ryder Graham eight.

Michaelis also had nine rebounds and five steals. Graham contributed eight boards and five assists, while Loghan Wanta had eight rebounds and four steals.

Clintonville 67

Oconto Falls 43

Oconto Falls dropped a North Eastern Conference matchup to Clinton-

ville on Feb. 20 in Oconto Falls.

Carter Hill scored nine points to lead the Panthers.

STAA 62

Lena 42

Lena fell to St. Thomas Aquinas Academy in a Marinette & Oconto Conference matchup on Feb. 20 in Lena.

Logan Graef tallied 14 points to lead Lena offensively.

Reed Hosking added nine points for the Wildcats. Anthony Seefeldt posted eight points, while Wyatt Dean had six.

GIRLS BASKETBALL

Tigerton 32

STAA 18

Tigerton capped the regular season with a nonconference win over St. Thomas Aquinas Academy on Feb. 20 in Tigerton.

In her final home game, senior Abby Swartz totaled 21 points, 12 rebounds, eight blocks and five steals for Tigerton.

Lillian Welch chipped in six points and nine boards for the Tigers.

RECREATION SCOREBOARD

BOWLING

Chet and Emil's Monday Women's League

Team	W	L
Star Campsite	21	15
Cady Home	20	16
Banner Banks	17	19
Chet and Emil's	14	22

High individual scratch games: Kim Zeller 214, Jen Duranceau 198, Kristine Beran 198, Julie Stewart 190, Alicia Schinzel 190, Barbara Praslowicz 188.

High individual scratch series: Kim Zeller 561, Alicia Schinzel 528, Jen Duranceau 512, Kristine Beran 508, Barbara Praslowicz 506, Courtney Tryba 476.

Chet and Emil's Tuesday Commercial

Team	W	L
Chet and Emil's	20	7

Kautza Excavating	19	8
Clark Construction	18	9
White Insurance	14	13
Schmidt Schulta	9	18

High individual scratch games: Doug Kunst 256, Reid Praslowicz 248, Tim Lemke 247.

High individual scratch series: Tim Lemke 675, Brian Rew 658, Doug Kunst 652.

Him & Hers Couples — Lakeshore Lanes

Team	W	L
Brothers Pub	28	7
Keglers	26	9
Gingerly Salon	24	11
Buss Automotive	22	13
MW Auto Body	21	14
CDH	19	16

Lunds Corner Bar	16	19
Bust N' Balls	14	21
Pin Heads	14	21
Brothers Pub Too	13	22
The Farmers	11	24
Just 4 Fun	2	33

High individual scratch games: Mary Metoxen 259, Darcie O'Kimosh 258, Dave Rindt 254, Kevin Zuleger 248, Brad Weisnicht 247, Steve Rouse 247, Bill Grosskreutz 246, Dave Hackbarth 242, Jessie VanDerLinden 234, Sharon Buss 225, Lisa Krueger 212, Cindy Hackbarth 203.

High individual scratch series: Darcie O'Kimosh 756, Brad Weisnicht 702, Bobbie Reiter Jr. 686, Daniel Poels 678, Mary Metoxen 676, Kevin Zuleger 672, Dave Hackbarth 669, Bill Grosskreutz

665, Sharon Buss 642, Diane Durkee 550, Jessie VanDerLinden 540, Sandy Weisnicht 529.

Chet and Emil's Wednesday Business

Team	W	L
CWAA	16	11
Kropf's Meat	15	12
Karcz Lending	14	13
Kessen Auto Body	14	13
Chet and Emil's	13 1/2	13 1/2
Rew Motors	12	15
S and M Tool	11 1/2	15 1/2
TLC Auto Body	9	18

High individual scratch games: Paul Hanke 269, Devin Barnes 226, Austin Rekow 226.

High individual scratch series: Jeremy Praslowicz 727, Doug Kunst 634, Dave Schmidt 606.



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COLLEGE HIGHLIGHTS

By NEW MEDIA STAFF

Wisconsin Lutheran College

Pulaski High School graduate Connor Heezen earned a pair of wins for the Wisconsin Lutheran College men's tennis team's dual win over Lawrence on Feb. 25.

Heezen and No. 3 doubles partner Matt Bass won 8-5. Heezen also claimed a 6-2, 6-2 win at No. 6 singles.

Pulaski grad Trevor Stiede played in both of the WLC men's basketball team's conference tournament games last week.

Stiede recorded nine points, one block and one rebound across 18 minutes in a win over Benedictine on Feb. 24. He tallied six points, three assists, one steal and three rebounds in 21 minutes in a loss to St. Norbert on Feb. 26.

Bonduel grad Kara Troxel started in both of the Wisconsin Lutheran College women's basketball team's conference tournament games last week.

Troxel totaled four points, four rebounds one assist and one steal across 31 minutes and a win over Concordia on Feb. 23. She then had five points and a rebound in 26 minutes in a loss to St. Norbert on Feb. 25.

St. Norbert College

Lena graduate Kennedy Marquardt and Oconto Falls graduate



EMILY GONNERING

Emily Gonnering each competed for the St. Norbert women's track and field team at the Northern Athletics Collegiate Conference Indoor Track and Field Championships on Feb.

24-25.

Marquardt placed eighth in the 200-meter dash (27.22 seconds) and was on the top-finishing 4x400 relay (4:07.48) and third-place finishing distance medley (13:18.47).

Gonnering earned 10th place in the weight throw after a top toss of 12.75 meters.

Bowler grad Logan Thiex got two outs while pitching for the St. Norbert baseball team against Loras on

Feb. 25. Thiex induced a flyout and groundout.

UW-Parkside

Pulaski grad Sheridan Flauger helped the UW-Parkside women's basketball team's to two wins last week.

Flauger totaled nine points, four rebounds, one assists and one steal across 36 minutes against Wayne State on Feb. 23. She contributed 14 points, four boards and a steal across 33 minutes against Saginaw Valley State on Feb. 25.

UW-Eau Claire

Oconto Falls graduate Autumn Canavera represented the UW-Eau Claire women's track and field teams at the Wisconsin Intercollegiate Athletic Conference Indoor Track and Field Championships on Feb. 24-25.

Canavera placed 11th in the 1-mile with a time of 5:25.66.

UW-Milwaukee

Shawano grad Isabel Roloff competed in the 60 dash and pole vault for the UW-Milwaukee women's track and field team at the Horizon League Indoor Championships on Feb. 25-26.

Roloff took fourth in the pole vault after clearing 3.6 meters and was 15th in the 60 dash with a time of 7.87 seconds.

UW-Platteville

Pulaski grads Kayla Lipsey placed 16th in a pair twice while representing the UW-Platteville women's track and field team at the Wisconsin Intercollegiate Athletic Conference Indoor Track and Field Championships on Feb. 24-25.

She turned in a time of 9.82 seconds in the 60 hurdles and was 16th in the pentathlon with 2,368 points.

Lipsey placed 11th in the 800 (2:40.73), 15th in the 60 hurdles (10.51) and long jump (4.23 meters) and was 16th in the high jump (1.35 meters) and shot put (7.4 meters) in her pentathlon events.

Saginaw Valley State University

Shawano graduate Tori DePerry turned in two strong games for the Saginaw Valley State women's basketball team last week despite the team losing both contests.

DePerry totaled 10 points and six

rebounds across 34 minutes against Purdue Northwest on Feb. 23. She then tallied 17 points, eight boards, three assists and two steals across 37 minutes against UW-Parkside on Feb. 25.

UW-Stevens Point

Pulaski grad Lindsey Jossie and



LINDSEY JOSSIE

Menominee Indian grad Guadalupe Corn represented the UW-Stevens Point women's track and field teams at the Wisconsin Intercollegiate Athletic Conference Indoor Track and Field

Championships on Feb. 24-25.

Corn placed seventh in the shot put (12.88 meters).

Jossie placed 20th in the long jump (4.49 meters) and 15th overall in the pentathlon with 2,519 points. In her pentathlon events, Jossie was fifth in the 800 (2:32.91), 17th in the 60 hurdles (10.67), 15th in the high jump (1.38 meters), eighth in the long jump (4.75 meters) and 17th in the shot put (6.24 meters).

Pulaski grad Gabrielle DeCleene got her college softball career started by playing in two UWSP games last week.

DeCleene doubled in her lone at-bat during a loss to Marian on Feb. 26. She went hitless across two at-bats against Concordia on Feb. 25.

Northern Michigan University

Wittenberg-Birnamwood graduate Abi Fraaza played 20 minutes during the Northern Michigan women's basketball team's loss to Michigan Tech on Feb. 25.

Fraaza tallied 10 points, four rebounds and one assist during her time on the court.

St. Mary's University of Minnesota

Shawano grad Peyton Buerman was a part of two wins during the St. Mary's University women's tennis team's dual win over Bethany Lutheran on Feb. 25.

Buerman and No. 3 doubles partner Kara Hand won 8-1. Buerman then earned a 6-0, 4-6, 10-2 win at No. 3 singles play.

St. Martin's University

Gresham graduate Christian Haffner played in both of the St. Martin's men's basketball team's games last week.

Haffner posted six points in a loss to Central Washington on Feb. 23 and then had a rebound in a win over Northwest Nazarene on Feb. 25.

Ripon College

Gillett grad Angela Mosconi ran in two events for the Ripon women's track and field team at the Midwest Conference Indoor Championships on Feb. 24-25.

Mosconi placed 19th in the 400 (1:09.23) and ninth in the 5,000 (19:25.16).

Concordia University

Bonduel graduate Kalleigh Thorne placed 13th in a pair of events for the Concordia women's track and field team at the Northern Athletics Collegiate Conference Indoor Track and Field Championships on Feb. 24-25.

She posted marks of 4.69 meters in the long jump and 9.53 meters in the triple jump.

Oconto Falls graduate Katelyn Albrect appeared in one game for the Concordia softball team last week. She doubled and drew a walk during a win over UW-Stout on Feb. 25.

St. Cloud State University

Pulaski High School graduate Jasmine Litt played five minutes in the St. Cloud State women's basketball team's conference tournament loss to Southwest Minnesota State on Feb. 26.

She grabbed a defensive rebound while on the court.

Grand Canyon University

Witt-Birn grad Wyatt Dickman represented Grand Canyon's men's



WYATT DICKMAN

swim team in several events at the Western Athletic Conference Swimming and Diving Championships from Feb. 22-25.

Dickman placed 14th in the 500 freestyle (4:31.82), 12th in the 100 breaststroke (55.02) and 10th in the 200 breaststroke (1:59.81).

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