

SPORTS

SCOREBOARD

Prep basketball

New Auburn 40, Grantsburg 35 GRANTSBURG (35) Vaksdal 6, Finch 5, Morrin 16, Jensen 5, Hedlund 3. Totals (FG FTM-FTA FLS PTS): 13 9-14 14 35. NEW AUBURN (40) Farrell 8, Goodremote 5, Pope 5, Baldry 18, Butterfield 4. Totals 18 4-6 14 40. Grantsburg 5 3 13 14 —35 New Auburn 11 4 16 9 —40 3-pointers—none. Fouled out—none.

Bowling

FRIDAY NIGHT SPAREPARTS Ojibwa Golf & Bowl Beer, Balls and Pins 19 5 3 Righties & a Wrong 13 11 Hit and Miss 13 11 Motley Crew 13 11 Loose Lug Nuts 12 12 Hurricanes 9.5 14.5 Green Achers 9.5 14.5 Hobbsy's 7 17 High game: Bill Fehr 279, Rich Peterson 259. High series: Peterson 704, Terry Spaeth 687. Team game: Beer, Balls and Pins 834. Team series: Beer, Balls and Pins 2,354.

FRIDAY REAL PEOPLE Falls Bowl Bowldozers Alley Oops Motts Knotts Liquor Pigs Lots of Luck Odd Balls Thunderballs Dam Shot High game: Men: Brian Hable 232, Eric Foiles 200. Women: Erin Foiles 193, Lucy Behrens 189. High series: Men: Hable 567, Foiles 549. Women: Foiles 570, Rhonda Galindo 488. Team game: Bowldozers 691. Team series: Bowldozers 1,905.

SATURDAY NIGHT FUN Falls Bowl Spare Me South Side Strikers Ball Returns Lane Lickers Total Slackers The Ewobs Wayward Four Bohling Short High game: Men: Kevin Ermatinger 229, Cliff Zwiefelhofer 222. Women: Kathy Kirkham 192, Donna Brazeau

182. High series: Men: Ermatinger 648, Zwiefelhofer 593. Women: Kirkham 502, Lora Bowe 477. Team game: Lane Lickers 689. Team series: Spare Me 2,034.

SUNDAY DOUBLE SINNERS Falls Bowl Did Not Bowl Late Bloomers Guess Who's Bowling Trouble Guys and Dolls Cheers Average Joes Ten Pin Turkey Hunters Grizwolds Clueless Holy Balls Thumb Poppers O-Gazms High game: Men: Dan Owen 239, Eric Fischer 225. Women: Janice Derhaag 210, Nicole Owen 200. High series: Men: Fischer 637, Brett Giebel 613. Women: Stacy King 496, Derhaag 491. Team game: Cheers 703. Team series: Trouble 2,016.

Racquetball CHIPPEWA FALLS LADDER Rank W L Hasenberg 4176 9 1 Kirchen 4089 8 2 Bowe 4072 22 13 Docksey 4065 2 4 Rieper 4027 12 20 Hebert 4007 4 2 Wiseman 3935 1 9 Swoboda 3933 9 5 Slaby 3889 3 9 Stokka 3819 6 0 Steljes 3706 8 1 Parrott 3626 7 0 Arneberg 3605 3 6 Jordan 3522 1 8 Nevin 3512 2 4 Eisold 3467 8 5 Duss 3459 4 3 Sanborn 3268 1 2 Bahr 3254 7 26 Graczowski 3252 5 4 Couture 3197 5 3

NFL AMERICAN CONFERENCE East W L T Pct PF PA N.Y. Jets 8 4 0.667 340 268 New England 7 5 0.583 277 255 Miami 7 5 0.583 253 257 Buffalo 6 6 0.500 276 259 South

Tennessee 11 1 0.917 304 175 Indianapolis 8 4 0.667 257 250 Houston 5 7 0.417 282 310 Jacksonville 4 8 0.333 241 270

NATIONAL CONFERENCE East W L T Pct PF PA N.Y. Giants 11 1 0.917 352 206 Dallas 8 4 0.667 299 260 Washington 7 5 0.583 208 222 Philadelphia 6 5 1.542 319 249 South W L T Pct PF PA Tampa Bay 9 3 0.750 280 200 Carolina 9 3 0.750 285 231 Atlanta 8 4 0.667 298 242 New Orleans 6 6 0.500 337 301

NFL NATIONAL CONFERENCE West W L T Pct PF PA Arizona 7 5 0.583 338 313 San Francisco 4 8 0.333 262 313 Seattle 2 10 0.167 216 311 St. Louis 2 10 0.167 159 360

Monday's Game Houston 30, Jacksonville 17 Thursday, Dec. 4 Oakland at San Diego, 7:15 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 7 Minnesota at Detroit, Noon Cleveland at Tennessee, Noon Houston at Green Bay, Noon Atlanta at New Orleans, Noon Jacksonville at Chicago, Noon Philadelphia at N.Y. Giants, Noon Cincinnati at Indianapolis, Noon Miami vs. Buf. at Toronto, 3:05 p.m. N.Y. Jets at San Fran., 3:05 p.m. Kansas City at Denver, 3:05 p.m. Dallas at Pittsburgh, 3:15 p.m. St. Louis at Arizona, 3:15 p.m. Washington at Baltimore, 7:15 p.m. Monday, Dec. 8 Tampa Bay at Carolina, 7:30 p.m.

NBA Monday's Games Charlotte 100, Minnesota 90

Boston 107, Orlando 88 Miami at Golden State Tuesday's Games L.A. Lakers at Indiana, 6 p.m. Washington at New Jersey, 6:30 p.m. Portland at New York, 6:30 p.m. Detroit at San Antonio, 7:30 p.m. Philadelphia at Chicago, 7:30 p.m. L.A. Clippers at Dallas, 7:30 p.m. Toronto at Denver, 8 p.m. Utah at Sacramento, 9 p.m.

Bobcats 100, Timberwolves 90 MINNESOTA (90) Gomes 6-12 0-0 16, Jefferson 3-11 2-2 8, Collins 0-1 0-0 0, Foye 7-13 7-8 23, Miller 7-13 0-0 19, Love 3-7 4-6 10, Telfair 0-3 0-0 0, McCants 2-8 2-4 6, Carney 0-0 0-0 0, Smith 1-3 0-0 2, Ollie 1-2 4-5 6, Cardinal 0-2 0-0 0, Totals 30-75 19-25 90. CHARLOTTE (100) Wallace 4-12 6-7 15, May 2-5 1-2 5, Okafor 9-14 6-6 24, Felton 5-12 4-5 14, Richardson 11-18 0-3 25, Jones 1-1 1-2 3, Augustin 3-7 1-1 9, Morrison 1-5 0-0 3, Dudley 1-5 0-0 2, Mohammed 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 37-80 19-26 100.

Minnesota 20 16 25 29 —90 Charlotte 21 22 23 34 —100 3-Point Goals—Minnesota 11-25 (Miller 5-8, Gomes 4-6, Foye 2-4, Love 0-1, Telfair 0-1, Cardinal 0-2, McCants 0-3), Charlotte 7-13 (Richardson 3-4, Augustin 2-4, Wallace 1-1, Morrison 1-2, Felton 0-2). Fouled Out—Augustin. Rebounds—Minnesota 51 (Miller 10), Charlotte 50 (Okafor 10). Assists—Minnesota 17 (Miller 5), Charlotte 28 (Felton 14). Total Fouls—Minnesota 19, Charlotte 21. Technical—Minnesota defensive three second. A—9,285 (19,077).

NHL

EASTERN CONFERENCE Atlantic Division W L OT Pts GF GA N.Y. Rangers 17 8 2 36 72 65 Pittsburgh 14 6 3 31 75 63 Philadelphia 11 7 5 27 76 71 New Jersey 12 8 2 26 65 60 N.Y. Islanders 10 12 2 22 65 80 Northeast Division W L OT Pts GF GA Boston 16 4 4 36 82 55 Montreal 13 6 4 30 67 61 Buffalo 11 10 3 25 65 71 Toronto 8 9 6 22 71 82 Ottawa 8 10 4 20 52 56 Southeast Division W L OT Pts GF GA Washington 13 8 3 29 77 75 Carolina 12 11 2 26 65 75

Florida 9 11 3 21 56 Atlanta 8 12 3 19 67 Tampa Bay 6 10 7 19 53

WESTERN CONFERENCE Central Division W L OT Pts GF GA Detroit 16 4 4 36 84 Nashville 12 10 2 26 70 Chicago 10 6 6 26 75 Columbus 11 10 3 25 71 St. Louis 10 10 2 22 63

Northwest Division W L OT Pts GF GA Vancouver 14 9 2 30 75 Minnesota 14 8 1 29 67 Calgary 14 9 1 29 72 Colorado 12 12 0 24 64 Edmonton 10 11 2 22 61 Pacific Division W L OT Pts GF GA San Jose 20 3 1 41 92 Anaheim 14 9 3 31 75 Los Angeles 10 9 3 23 59 Phoenix 10 11 2 22 55 Dallas 8 11 4 20 65

Two points for a win, one point overtime loss or shootout loss. Monday's Games Nashville 2, Buffalo 0 Columbus 3, Vancouver 2 Detroit 2, Anaheim 1 Colorado 6, Minnesota 5 Toronto at Los Angeles Tuesday's Games Florida at Washington, 6 p.m. Tampa Bay at Philadelphia, 6 p.m. Atlanta at Montreal, 6:30 p.m. Dallas at Calgary, 8 p.m. Los Angeles at Phoenix, 8:30 p.m. Toronto at San Jose, 9:30 p.m.

Avalanche 6, Wild 5 Colorado 2 4 0 — Minnesota 2 2 1 — First period—1, Minnesota Bouchard 4 (Koivu, Skoula), 5:50 Colorado, Svatos 4 (Liles, Sal 9:09. 3, Colorado, Jones (Laperriere, McCormick), 12:43. Minnesota, Koivu 9 (Burchard), 19:11 (pp). Second period—5, Minnesota Bouchard 5 (Bergeron, Zidlicky), (pp), 6, Colorado, Stastny 5 (Will Hejduk), 3:49. 7, Colorado, Hejduk 10 (Stastny), 8:16 (pp). 8, Colorado, Hensick 1 (Laperriere), 16:32. Colorado, Stastny 6 (Sm Hejduk), 17:51. 10, Minnesota Nolan 5 (Brunette, Koivu), 19 (pp). Third period—11, Minnesota Burns 4 (Johnsson), 14:00. Shots on Goal—Colorado 11-5—31. Minnesota 5-7-5—17. Goalies—Colorado, Bouchard 18,568 (18,568). T—2:29.

PACKERS: Poor game-time punts cost Frost his job