**UMC Distinguished Alumni Selected**

**Personal Achievement**

Jan (Pickar) Hankey

Hankey, is a 1979 graduate from the hotel, restaurant, and institutional management (now hospitality and home economics) division in dietetic technician program. She is director of nutritional services at Good Samaritan Hospital in Kearney, Nebraska. Prior to assuming that position in June, she worked in Harvey, North Dakota, where she was president of the Harvey Area Business and Professional Women's Club, a member of Prairie Toastmasters, and the St. Cecilia Alter Society. She was state president of the Dietary Managers Association in 1985 and was the North Dakota Diet Technician of the year in 1985.

Hankey has provided much appreciated support to UMC by assisting Dietetic Technician students as a sponsor of the Dietetic Technician Internship Program.

She and her husband, David, have one daughter, and recently opened their own business in Kearney.

Terry Correll

Correll is the manager of hunting operations for the largest hunting club in Minnesota, the Minnesota Horse and Hunt Club in Prior Lake. After graduating from UMC's agriculture division in natural resources conservation, he attended Moorhead State University for two years. As an active community supporter, Correll is chairman of the Prior Lake Ducks Unlimited Chapter, and President of the Minnesota Shooting Preserve and Game Breeder’s Association. His Presidency of the Shooting Preserve and Game Breeder Association attests to the esteem held by his fellow professionals.

He also takes the time to speak at local high school career days; gives seminars at the high school on “dog training” and volunteers his facilities for youth firearms training. He assisted with the first outing of the “Able Partners” association, which is an association set up for disabled people who enjoy hunting and fishing but cannot do so on their own.

Correll also maintains a strong contact with UMC by providing internship employment, including two students just this past year.

He and his wife, Karen, have four children, Andy, Tim, Stefanie, and Robin.

**Personal Service**

Ron Tobkin

Tobkin is President of Prairie Bean Company in Perham, and is a partner with his father in Perco Irrigation. A 1968 graduate from the agriculture division, he also attended North Dakota State University where he attained a degree in soils sciences.

He has applied his UMC agricultural education into his farming and business operation of producing and marketing of edible beans.

Tobkin is active in the community as a Jaycee, Knights of Columbus member, and many other organizations besides having served as School Board President and Chairman of Perham's Chamber of Commerce Agricultural Committee. He has received an Honorary Chapter Farmer award, and was a County King Agassiz.

He is not only an exceptional agri-businessman, but an avid supporter of UMC. He continually recruits area students for UMC— including four of his brothers. He is a member of UMC's Development Steering Committee and the Northwest Experiment Station's Advisory Committee. Committees which set the direction for UMC's private fundraising and agricultural research at Crookston.

Tobkin and his wife, Sally, live with their three children, Tanya, Nathan, and Patrick, on Paul Lake near Perham.

David Thom

Thom graduated from UMC in 1974 from the agriculture division in the natural resources conservation program. He transferred to the University of Montana and graduated with honors in forest management. He is a resources assistant for the USDA Forest Service in Stanford. Twenty-three UMC students have been placed on internships or in temporary positions through Thom’s help. One of his work sites even became known as “little UMC”.

Thom began his professional career in 1973 as a Seasonal Forestry Technician in the Lolo and Chippewa National Forests, then was a Land and Timber Manager for St. Louis County, a forester in Oregon until 1982, and a forester and silviculturist through 1985.

He is very community minded and has been Assistant Scoutmaster for Troop 67, a coach for the “little kids” wrestling program, a member of the Judith Basin Search and Rescue, and is also active in the church.

He and his wife, Jan, have two children, Erin and Michael.
President Al's Column

Al Gustafson

Homecoming '86 is history, and all the events associated with it were a success. The Alumni Council has some new faces, and we will be meeting together in November to set some goals for 1987. Blake Crosby is a "go-getter" and I believe he will keep us headed in the right direction.

One of the biggest challenges of the Alumni Office is to keep track of you "alums." If you want to receive news from UMC, make sure we have your correct address. Send your new address, married name or any changes in your status to the White House Alumni Center, University of Minnesota-Crookston, Crookston, MN 56716.

Many changes have taken place at UMC since it started in 1966 - new buildings, increased enrollment, plus a variety of courses and activities - not to mention the boy-girl ratio, no curfews, etc. UMC is looking great!

The Alumni Association has not stood still and the White House is evidence of that. This is a fine building that is used for both UMC and NWSA events. This center was made possible because of the support of the UMC/NWSA alumni and the friends of UMC. Make sure you stop in at the White House and say hello whenever you are in the area.

Anyone who has any suggestions, ideas or complaints for the Association, contact a council member or the staff at the White House Alumni Center.

To all you deer hunters, "Hope you had a successful and safe hunt!"

Crosby's Comments

Blake Crosby

Homecoming '86 has come and gone and I want to personally thank all the UMC Alumni who worked so hard and spent so much time helping me out. I had a great time and really appreciated seeing some of you there! The Reunion Class of '76 was the largest group yet to return, and I know they all had a good time reminiscing. The former homecoming kings and queens were also a great bunch to have back. We will have to do more with special groups in the future.

My congratulations to the new UMC Alumni Association Planning Council members. They are good people and I look forward to a fine year under the leadership of Al Gustafson. Congratulations to the Alumni Award winners, also. A very impressive group!

Chancellor's Message

Donald Sargeant

We're pleased that the fall quarter enrollment is up. In recent years the decline in the numbers of high school graduating seniors has affected the fulltime student enrollment at most colleges, including UMC. However, I'm hopeful that we've stabilized and that we can hold an enrollment of about 450 students each year. The biggest change in terms of enrollment the past few years has been in terms of part-time and older students. This fall we have over 500 students in this category. This is quite different from ten years ago.

Blake Crosby has assumed the leadership of the alumni efforts on campus. We feel his work in the financial aid office has really prepared him to know students who have attended UMC, and we're confident that this, along with his personal skills, will provide us with the very strong leadership we need in the alumni operations.

My congratulations to Ron Tobkin and David Thom for receiving the Distinguished Alumni Award, and to Jan Hanley and Terry Correll for the Personal Service Award. These were presented at the alumni banquet at homecoming. To hear their remarks of how important UMC was in helping them begin their career was really a moving experience for those of us on the UMC staff that were present that evening. It makes us proud of our work as well.

The campus is continuing to be improved. This fall it was a challenge to find a parking spot, believe it or not, because of the roadway and parking lot construction. The new dairy barn which provides the finest within the University for teaching and research, has its cows back in place. Construction of the equipment storage buildings, both on the college and experiment station campuses, are also progressing - as is an elevator in Hill Building.

Thanks for your continued support.

Mitteness Awarded Past President's Plaque

Randy Mitteness, 76 is shown receiving his Presidents Plaque from Roger Dergvist, 76, at the October 10 Alumni Recognition Banquet. Mitteness was UMC Alumni Association President during 1985-86.

While he was president he was instrumental in making the change from a Board of Directors to a Planning Council and Action Committee. He was a board member for 5 years, helped strengthen the Alumni Annual Fund, and assisted in establishing the White House as the UMC Alumni Center.

Thanks, Randy, on behalf of the UMC Alumni Association, for your hard work and dedication.

Miller Assigned to Alumni & Development Office

Don P. Miller is the editor of the Torch and Aggie during this collegiate year. Miller was the chief instructor in the Journalism program, and since the program was phased out last year, he was reassigned to the Alumni Development Office for the 1986-87 collegiate year.

"Don has practical experience in the journalism area that makes him a real asset to us," said Blake Crosby, Assistant Director of Alumni/Development Office. He added, "I am looking to Don to bring me up to speed with the tasks involved in publishing the alumni newsletters so I can keep moving once Don has left."

Miller has been with UMC since 1961. He is the annual advisor, works with the Winter Shows and on 4-H projects. He holds a bachelor's degree from Valley City State and a masters from South Dakota State University.

HOMECOMING is October 10, 1987

UMC Alumni Association Planning Council

President .................................................. Al Gustafson ’88
Vice President .............................................. Curt Petrich ’89
Secretary ................................................... To be appointed
Treasurer .................................................... Tom Skjel ’77
Council Members ........................................ Carolyn Lapka Mosher ’84
........................................ Tim Persson ’80
........................................ Jerry Rude ’83
........................................ Don Yuzenkerk ’80
........................................ Bonnie Bergland Isaacson ’73
........................................ Larry Murphy ’89
........................................ Belle Landby Nelson ’78
........................................ Sherry Hoefi O’Gorman ’89
........................................ John Stuch’ Schleicher ’78
Comm - Business Writing Classes Taught by Computer

Three courses in Communications Composition and one in Business Writing are being taught by computer this year. The computer is being used as a very sophisticated typewriter with the word processing program making the changes, corrections and findings extremely easy for the student.

For the past 17 years, Dr. Bernard Seltzer has been teaching composition classes at UMC. He is familiar face to most UMC graduates because all students have to take composition and many of them from Seltzer.

Seltzer stated, "Too many of our students don't believe they can write very well when they enrol at UMC. Usually students have a very difficult time in understanding sequential writing. Writing with a pen is extremely slow and most students don't see themselves as writers. One reason is because of the tedious process of copying the finished product. Students become overly concerned with getting the article down on paper and not with the creation of the article. These students are changing their ideas toward writing. They are having fun while they are learning to write. The fear of required writing classes is disappearing due to the computer classes. They are finding it easier to hand in their papers since they no longer have to cross out misspelled words, change entire sentences and punctuation, copy it over and then hand it in. The computer changes the writing on the screen and students hand in a perfect copy every time. More time is spent in a writing laboratory setting. I tend to lecture less. Students teach themselves how to write on a computer. Teaching writing is not teaching a subject called composition, teaching writing is a process of dealing with 20 students (there are 20 computers in this classroom) and 20 different writing problems. It is the students writing and their problems which comprises the course," Seltzer stated.

A recent survey of students in the computer classes indicated that students tend to write lengthier articles and find it easier and faster to write these articles on the computer.

Editors note: We are the only college in the area using the computer in composition classes. The textbook used in the business writing class is edited by Dr. Seltzer.

Crosby Named Assistant Director of Alumni and Development

The University of Minnesota-Crookston has a new Assistant Director of Alumni and Development. Blake Crosby, former Assistant Director of Financial Aid at UMC for seven years was appointed on August 1.

Blake Crosby

"Blake knows UMC very well and will start the job working with alumni and development projects immediately," said Lowell Larson, Director of Alumni and Development. "He has strong skills in working with people and will fit into the office responsibilities."

"I'm looking forward to this new opportunity. I have many ideas about how to work with alumni, now all I have to do is focus them," said Crosby. "UMC's alumni program is unique because the school is young and so many of the UMC alumni. Alumni age is between 30 and 35 and many of them are still raising families and switching jobs, making it difficult for the alumni office to maintain contact. We can't expect graduates who are in the middle of raising families and who are just beginning to get set financially to contribute hundreds of dollars, but we do want those alumni to get the UMC word out to their communities and to contribute financially as they are able," Crosby stated.

Some of Crosby's major projects will be to computerize and more completely develop the alumni database to handle the 3,490 NSWA alumni and the 3,300 UMC alumni.

"The NSWA alumni are very loyal supporters and soon UMC alumni will reach that point, so we want to be fully automated when that happens," said Crosby.

Crosby is very people oriented and wants alumni students to become aware of the White House Alumni Center. Because of his previous work with student activities, he'll have some built-in contacts and hopes to try several ideas this year.

As the Assistant Director of Alumni and Development position may undergo significant change during the next few years. Alumni and Development will remain a major part of the job, but Crosby sees new challenges in working with faculty and students to write grants for research projects, developing an alumni program for the resident traditional student, working more with off-campus teaching and workshops and coordinating more programs with the Northwest Experiment Station.

Crosby is married to the former Jan Tjaden who teaches kindergarten at Lincoln Elementary in Crookston. He is a Bolla, North Dakota native.

Sylvester is Researching History of East Grand Forks

Dakota, Manitoba, and Minnesota newspapers dating from the 1870's; books and pamphlets, and personal interviews. During the leave Sylvester and his wife, Evi, who is working as a researcher on the project, will travel to the twin cities several times, and to Fort Garry and Winnipeg as they collect the material for the history, which is scheduled for publication in late summer, 1987. The project is a major part of East Grand Fork's centennial celebration and is coordinated by the Centennial Book Committee chaired by EGF/Exponent publisher Warren Strandell.

"East Grand Forks has developed somewhat differently from Grand Forks, Crookston, and other surrounding communities," says Dr. Sylvester. "Relatively little has been published on the town's development so the research is a special challenge. We hope the project will encourage work in preserving the histories of other Northwestern Minnesota communities," he said. The University of Minnesota, Crookston, as part of its service commitment to the community, could become a focal point for continued work in historic preservation.

John Polley Retires

Dr. Seltzer gives individual instruction to a student in one of his computer classes.

John Polley

John Polley, assistant professor of mechanical agriculture, retired in June. He has been on the staff for 17 years.

"John Polley is a personable individual that returning students always seek out on campus. He provided not only excellence in teaching, but he was a true friend to each student," said Donald Sargent, Chancellor.

Polley taught surveying, hydrology and irrigation, soil and water engineering, and land-use management in the agriculture division.

"It is fun to watch young folks come to UMC unsure of themselves, and then watch the light bulbs come on when they begin thinking positively for themselves," said Polley.

He was reared on a farm in McIntosh where he attended rural schools. He joined the U.S. Army and served with the Rangers during World War II in campaigns from North Africa to southern France.

In 1949 he started at the University of Minnesota in vocational agriculture. After graduation he returned to his home community of McIntosh, and during vocational age until he joined the Soil Conservation Service in 1956. Polley started the Marshall County Conservation district in Warren in 1957. He began teaching at UMC in 1969.

The Alumni Association wishes John well in his retirement.

Asst. Provost Takes Hibbing Position

Anthony Kuznik

Anthony Kuznik, vice chancellor for student affairs at UMC, accepted the position of provost at Hibbing Community College. He began his new job August 4.

Stephen Sylvester

Dr. Stephen Sylvester, Assistant Professor of Social Science, is on leave fall quarter as part of the University's professional development program. Sylvester is engaged in research on the history of East Grand Forks, Minnesota.

The project involves several research areas, including manuscript and photograph collections in North
Blake Crosby checks with some of the UMC Alumni at the post-game bash.

Dean Bondeson, '81, and Tim Belle Nelson, '78, with her husband, Dan, warming up after the game.

The UMC Trojans hit 'em for a loss!

Lowell Larson chats with alumni D...
Alumni award recipient, Ron Tobkin, with his faculty hosts, Dave and Irene Hoff (left).

Correll, his wife Karen, and faculty hosts, Phil and Ethel (hidden) Buckley.

1971 Homecoming Queen, Kathy (Rude) Abbot, with her mother and husband.
1986 Annual Fund Contributors

NUMBER OF CONTRIBUTORS
206 Contributors
9 Century Council Members
3 Matching Gifts
214 TOTAL.

DESIGNATION OF CONTRIBUTIONS
$20 Emerging Leaders Program
70 Alumni
50 University Division
210 Business Division
325 Scholarships
310 Ag Division
4350 Unrestricted
$5,385 TOTAL.

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($100 Gifts)

*Matching Gift

Schmidt, Guggenberger Given Awards

Matthew Schmidt, a Business Administration major from Argle, and Debbie Guggenberger, a Court Reporting major from Richmond, were recipients of scholarships presented at the Fifth Annual Scholarship Recognition Banquet. The scholarships were awarded to Schmidt and Guggenberger based on their academic ability, outstanding leadership, and community involvement and are made possible through alumni donations.

The Scholarship Recognition Banquet is held in the fall of each year. This year there were over 240 people in attendance including 80 student recipients and 60 major donors. One hundred scholarships adding up to nearly $60,000 were presented that evening.

UMC Alumni Association President, Al Gustafson, presented the Association awards.

1986 Annual Fund

Contributions to the 1986 Annual Fund by UMC alumni support academic scholarships and restoration of the White House Alumni Center. Future plans for Annual Fund donations also include student instructional equipment and office computer equipment. Donations to the UMC Alumni Association are used to publish the TORCH and provide office and association's supplies.

Private contributions are always needed and greatly appreciated. Alumni support insures continued quality education at your school - The University of Minnesota-Crookston.

A special thanks from UMC and the Alumni Association to each of you who were so generous.
Notes about our UMC Classmates

1968
AL GUSTAFSON selected as Red Lake County King Agassiz. He is also the recent elected president of the UMC Alumni Association.

ANNE GRANITZ was elected County Auditor in Roseau County. She has been listed in Outstanding Young Women in America.

RON REITMEIER named to a three year term on the FKM Electric Cooperative's board of directors.

1970
DENIS BEAUMANN recently purchased a partnership in the Henning Farm Supply at Henning. He and his wife Norine and their three children live in Henning.

HARLOW GROVE featured in the Crookston Times as the Farm Family of the Month. Harlow is the general livestock spt. at the Red River Valley Winter Shows. The Groves farm west of Climax.

1971
ROGER SCHWENZEFFER selected as Kittson County King Agassiz. Roger farms near Hallock.

STEVE TILLERAAS is in the landscaping business in Great Falls, Montana.

1973
MICHAEL BUSHY appointed produce department supervisor with the Fargo Division of Super Value Stores, Inc.

1974
CURT ZIMMERMAN was recently named the director of the Livestock Market Institute at So. St. Paul, and was the main speaker at the annual Farmer's Appreciation Day at Watertown-Mayer High School.

DAN HOLEN was selected as Lake of the Woods County King Agassiz. He is ASCS office manager in Lake of the Woods County.

1975
GERRY GALE is a self-employed carpenter in Eagle River, Alaska.

WAYNE MOEN married Kim Johnson in July. They farm near Ulen, and Wayne is also employed by A&A Produce.

JOHN GAUKEBUD was re-elected Roseau County Commissioner. His farm near Badger and does some crop spraying.

1976
DELOS NORLEBKO married in August and is presently the manager of the Lassel Ace Hardware in Martinez, CA.

1977
MARY (Boucher) PIERRE is a city carrier for the U.S. Post Office in New Brighton, MN.

FRANK THOMPSON took over as manager of Crookston's Minakwa Country Club in August.

RUSSELL JACKSON is the agricultural rep at the Greenbush State Bank, Greenbush, MN.

PORTIA OLSON is a layout artist for Olean Wholesale Grocery and free lances illustrations for articles in the Morgan Horse magazine.

1978
MARLENE NOesen and GREGORY LEBLANC were married June 28. Greg farms near Crookston and Marlene is employed by the West Polk County Extension office.

BRUCE THIELEN is the new landscape and grounds supervisor at UND in Grand Forks, ND.

PHILIP DELICH is the manager of Maurice Finns, a fine dining seafood restaurant, in Colorado Springs, CO. He was married 1986.

MIKE GASPER is manager and chief pilot for Gasper Flying Service located 10 miles north of Crookston. He was recently featured in the Crookston Times.

1979
MARK LEE recently married Joan Kiesler.

ANN (Vossen) ILLIES married to Ronald. They live in Bemidji and have one daughter. Ann was employed most recently by the Bemidji Tribune.

REBECCA SNYDER married Mike Marvich in June. She is employed at the Hillibo Nursing Home and Mike is managing editor of the Crookston Times.

CURTIS BARTZ is engaged to be married to Jodi Ball.

GENE EIGSTAD received his Doctor of Medicine degree from the University of Minnesota in 1986. He is presently in residency at Appleton, WI.

1980
JON AAKRE and his wife Jana were named winners in the Northern Division District 17 Young Cooperators contest sponsored by Mid-America Dairymen.

1981
SCOTT STENGREN recently married Susan Anderson. They live in Rothsay where Scott is employed.

1981
ELAINE SORBO teaching 8th and 9th grade science in the Duluth Schools summer program. She is starting graduate program at UMD and lives in Isabella, MN.

CATRY HENESL is a layout artist at the Park Rapids Enterprise, and is president of the Park Rapids FFA Alumni Chapter.

GAIL MOORE wed Bryant Dahl last spring. Gail is employed at the Stroble Law office in Thief River Falls. Bryan is an agricultural loan officer at Norwest Banks in TRF.

STEPHEN MCGREGOR married Lois Osborne in August. They are at home in Plainsview, NE where he is employed as crop production manager at GIP, Inc and Lori is a legal secretary.

CHARLES NORMAN ran for Pine River School Board. He is in the dairy farming business near Pine River.

1983
JEFF FERIEICK is the new owner of the Glenelg Supper Club in Greenbush, MN. The Glenelg offers a full service menu.

SHERYL GILBERTSON married Richard Guettin in September. They live in Bloomington, MN.

CHRIS BUCHOLZ was named "Employee of the Month" at Louies Paradise Valley Resort in Scottsdale, AZ.

1984
CRAY BITTER married Eunice Petschke in October. They live in Fargo, ND where Craig is employed at Holsom Bakery.

MARSHALL HAGEN and JUDY JOHNSWED were married in August. Judy is employed as a teacher in the North Dakota Army National Guard's Military Academy and was commissioned a 2nd Lt. in the Army Guard. She was the Honor Graduate (highest academic and leadership in the graduating class).

NADINE STOLTZMANN married Joseph McMillan in May. Nadine is a sales rep for Victor Marsh in Minneapolis and Joe is a senior associate scientist for research at Pillsbury Co.

LYNN HODGDSON is a sales representative for KNOX radio station in Grand Forks, ND.

KEVIN AND CARMEN (Eben) RENG live on a ranch 30 miles south of Dallas, Texas. Kevin is an outside landscape supervisor at the Dallas Market Center and Carmen is a beauty supervisor at Dillard's department store.

LISA HOWATT is on the news staff(281,969),(715,997) of KOGN radio in East Grand Forks, MN.

DAVID Qualley is an announcer and does commercials and sports color at KDOW in Windom, MN.

LANA RICHTER is a legal secretary for the Gochen, Gage and Krause law firm in Manhattan.

MIKE MANSTON is a feature writer for the Valley Journal at Halstad, MN.

1984 (cont.)
ROSE ANN SUMMERS is employed at POTATCH in Shelvin, MN. She states, 'My mare is having her first foal.'

LORI RICHTER is with Regan, Kunsard, Barnett and Kakeley law firm in Mankato.

1985
CARL WITTEBORG is married and operates a poultry farm near Rugby, ND. He was recently featured in the Pierce County Tribune.

DAVE DUFALT recently married Terrie Burchard. They live in Fargo, ND where both attend NDSU.

1986
LEAH HART named office assistant at the Grafton Branch office of Farmers Credit Services (PCS) of Grand Forks.

PAUL ANDERSON married Jill Johnson in August.

CINDY LUNDQUIST is a secretary for the Omaha Steaks International in Omaha, NE.

LOST LOST ALUMNI

If you have any information about these alumni from the class of 1976 please notify the Alumni Office.

Frederick Benson
Barry P. Blanchette
Catherine M. Brown
Kathryn Brunen
Patrick Corrigan
Debra J. Curry
Larry Gooden
Mark Grundman
Kim Marie Buehler
Scott Johnson
Robert W. LaCocq
Kim A. Lindeman
Mary C. Meyer
Rebecca Nelson
Connie Nowackie (Roach)
Catherine Relph
Douglas Rhonemus

Sherrin K. Torkelson, Admissions Counselor for the University of Minnesota Technical College-Crookston, will be holding general information sessions about the U of M Crookston on the following dates:

Monday, December 8, at Mrs. B's Historic Lanesboro Inn in Lanesboro, MN from 2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday, December 10, at the Best Western Albert Lea Inn in Albert Lea, MN from 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Thursday, December 11, at the Western Midway Motor Lodge in Rochester, MN from 2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

If you know of anyone interested in UMC, or of anyone just checking out future careers, invite them to stop in and visit on one of these days. You should stop in yourself and see what the campus looks like now—there will be VCR tapes of the campus, pictures, and general information about UMC. Prospective students and/OR parents, and alumni are welcome to stop in anytime during the specified hours.

Do some recruiting for your Alma-Mater!!
1986-87 Athletic Season In Review

Volleyball
With a 26-8-3 record, volleyball coach Lori Ulfferts took her young team to the state tournament. Nearly half of the 15 team members are also basketball players. There are only two sophomores on the team. Ulfferts said she was hired too late in the summer to do any volleyball recruiting, but the team has an invincible record.

'Tm proud of them. I can take them anywhere!' This team is 'gung ho' they get their chance and they do it. They are ready to go to state where we will be the underdog because we are so very young,' Ulfferts said.
The 26-8 record is the most games any UMC volleyball team has ever won. The previous record was 14 wins. This team has the height with two players over six feet and four standing five ten. 'This team knows they can't do it individually, they do it as a team,' Ulfferts stated.

Football
Jim Sims in his 11th year at the helm of the football team was disappointed in this year's season which ended 3-5.
When the Mayville Junior Varsity forfeited that set the Trojans back another nine days without a game before conference play. Statistics reveal that UMC was very close to winning many of their games. They were outscored by only 175-156 during the season.
Three UMC records were broken by quarterback Jeff Bigger during the season. He attempted the most passes (37) in one game, most passes completed (15) in one game and gained a total of 2,551 yards in his 15 game career.
'It is too early in the recruiting season to make any assumptions at this time, except we need an entire backfield,' Sims said.

Women's Basketball
Hoping to improve their 9-8 season record the women's basketball team

Ulfferts Hired for Women's Sports
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Ulfferts will also teach health, physical education and recreation classes in the arts and sciences division.

Olson is new Wrestling Coach

Wrestling
First year coach Lonnie Olson is optimistic about his wrestling team this year. Since he was hired too late in the year to do his own recruiting, he is working with a team that he is unfamiliar with.
Olson is a UMC graduate and holds a bachelor's degree in physical education from the University of North Dakota.
At the present time he has only ten men out for the team which is short in the lighter weights. They will be tough at the heavier weights. Scott Swanson and Paul Mickelson, both heavyweights, work well against each other in practice and should be very good as the season progresses,' Olson said.
Wrestling is on the decline in the Minnesota two year colleges. Teams have to travel much further than teams in other sports since most of their colleges in the conference do not wrestle.
The team opens their season at the NDSSS, Wahpeton Open on December 6th.

Test 86-87 Men's Basketball Schedule
Nov. 28-29 at UND-Williston Tourn.
Dec. 3 Alumni
Dec 8 Concordia JV
Dec 13 UND-Williston
Dec 15 at NSDU-Bottineau
Dec 17 at Mayville JV
Dec 19-20 at Anoka-Ramsey Tourn.
Jan. 6 Mayville JV
Jan 9 Lake Region
Jan 16 at Hibbing
Jan 17 at Rainy River City
Jan 23 Mesabi (C)
Jan 30 Vermilion (C)
Feb 5 at Itasca (C)
Feb 11 at Fergus Falls (C)
Feb 13 at Brainerd (C)
Feb 19 at Northland (C)
Feb 26-28 State Tournament at Inver Hills

(C) Conference Game

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1986-87 Hockey Schedule
Dec. 4 Northland
Dec. 6 St. Croix Jr. Stallions
Dec. 10 Fergus Falls (C)
Dec. 13 at Rainy River (C)
Jan. 14 at Rainy River (C)
Jan. 19 at Mesabi (C)
Jan. 26 at Mesabi (C)
Jan. 30 at Fergus Falls (C)
Jan. 16 Vermilion (C)
Jan 17 Vermilion (C)
Jan 21 at Northland (C)
Jan. 23 at Itasca (C)
Jan 24 at Itasca (C)
Jan. 30 NSDU-Bottineau
Jan. 31 NSDU-Bottineau
Feb 4 Northland (C)
Feb 6 Hibbing (C)
Feb 7 Hibbing (C)
Feb 13-15 State Playoffs
Feb 20-22 State Playoffs
March 6-8 National Tournament at DuPage

(C) Conference Game

Test 86-87 Wrestling Schedule
Dec. 6 at NDSSS Open
Dec. 12 Bethany
Dec. 15 Itasca Tournament
Dec. 19 U of M-Waseca
Dec. 20 at Rochester Tournament
Jan. 9 Rochester
Jan. 10 Worthington and Bismarck
Jan. 26 at Mayville
Jan. 28 at NDSSS
Jan. 31 Anoka-Ramsey, Mayville
Feb. 7 at Itasca, Willmar
Feb. 14 State Meet at Anoka-Ramsey
Feb. 20-21 Region XIII at NDSSS
Feb. 26-28 NJCAA at DuPage

(C) Conference Game

Volleyball Team 5th at State

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1986-87 Volleyball Team 5th at State Championship is a feat sixth year volleyball coach Gary Senske says is not unlikely.
"The 1986-87 hopsters are bigger than the 86 version and they have more depth. The four returning sophomores know what it took to become runner up in Region XIII and hopefully will make the freshmen aware of the intensity that is needed to be a winner,' Senske said.
Senske also added, 'We have a good pre conferenceseason which should help to season the freshmen. If I were to pick out the tougher opponents this year it would be Fergus Falls and Brainerd. This year's team is very intelligent - they are learning college offenses quickly and they are good evaluators. We will be ready to compete at Williston.'
-1986-87 volleyball team opens at the UND-Williston tourny on November 28-29.

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