



# Sports

## MSU wins seventh straight

### Rohr picks up victories in twinbill sweep

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**MANKATO** — Minnesota State had eight doubles in a doubleheader sweep of Augustana, 3-1 and 6-5, in North Central Conference softball Tuesday.

It's the seventh consecutive victory for the Mavericks, the second time this season the team has won seven or more in a row.

In the opener, Samantha Rohr, who was named NCC pitcher of the week for the third time this season, went the distance. Rohr, who has earned a decision in Minnesota State's last nine games, allowed one run on three hits while striking out 10.

Abby Morris had two doubles and an RBI, and Katie Reed and Kari Hudson each had an RBI double. Six of Minnesota State's seven hits were doubles.

In the second game, Augustana went ahead 2-0 in the top of the third inning. Morris' sacrifice fly and Hudson's groundout each brought in one run to tie the game in the bottom of the inning.

Abby Wagner hit a solo home run in the fourth, her fifth of the season, but Augustana answered with three runs in the top of the fifth.

Morris and Kimberly Merrick each doubled to score a run in the fifth, and the Mavericks scored twice in the sixth. Mallory Michel had an RBI single, and the winning run scored on an error.

Rohr pitched the final three innings to earn the victory, allowing one run on one hit while striking out two.

Minnesota State (33-12, 8-1 in NCC) will celebrate senior day Friday when it hosts Nebraska-Omaha, beginning at 2 p.m.