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**Olson hot in goal in  
East/Loyola victory**



## College basketball preview

### Minnesota State

The Maverick men (4-2) are coming off an 86-71 victory at Upper Iowa on Wednesday and get a chance to avenge a season-opening loss at Winona State at 2 p.m. Saturday at Bresnan Arena. The women's team (3-2) split a pair of games at the Nebraska-Kearney tournament last weekend and return to Nebraska for another weekend tournament. The Mavericks take on Adams State College today and Mesa State College on Saturday at the Double Tree Classic at Omaha.

The men lost 81-72 at Winona State on Nov. 15, but the Mavericks have a different look, as Rueben Trotter, Jake Morrow and Eric Van Cleave joined Luke Anderson and

Chris Whitfield in the starting lineup on Wednesday. Tony Thomason will be back in the starting lineup Saturday after scoring 17 points Wednesday, making 3 of 5 from 3-point range. Anderson is averaging 26.5 points and shooting 50.9 percent from the field, including 50.0 percent (22 of 44) from 3-point range. He's been the Mavericks' leading scorer in each game with at least 20 points in all six. Whitfield is averaging 4.2 points and 4.7 rebounds with 12 blocked shots, and he's shooting 70.6 percent from the field.

Senior center Arin Andrews continues to lead the women's team, averaging 16.0 points and 7.4 rebounds, while shoot-



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ing 58.6 percent from the field. She's scored 905 points in her career, and with 18 rebounds, she'll be the ninth player in program history with 900 points and 600 rebounds. Stacie Johnson has a team-high six 3-pointers, making 42.9 percent from long range. Anna Voltmer is shooting 70.0 percent from the field (14 of 20) in 12 minutes per game.