



Sports

College volleyball

MSU downs St. Cloud 3-2

ST. CLOUD — Stef Sandstrom distributed 57 set assists and added 13 digs Friday, helping the Minnesota State University volleyball team squeak past St. Cloud State 3-2 in a North Central Conference volleyball match.

The Mavericks escaped Hallenbeck Hall by winning 27-30, 30-21, 22-30, 30-22, 15-13.

Megan Stroud ripped 14 kills, Dana Ostertag added 12 kills and Cassie Wolpern chipped in with 10 kills. Wolpern and Lisa Rohret led the team with 17 digs apiece. Mandy Reuter had 13 digs.

Kirsti Pangrac led the Huskies with 22 kills. Sierr Nowak had 54 set assists.

The loss drops St. Cloud to 5-10 overall and 0-2 in the NCC. MSU (12-4, 2-0) returns to action 4 pm. today with another NCC match at Minnesota Duluth.

GAC 3, Augsburg 1

Junior Jennifer Thelemann of Le Sueur led all players with 19 kills as Gustavus Adolphus defeated Augsburg 30-25, 24-30, 30-27, 30-28. Thelemann also had three blocks and eight digs in the Minnesota Intercollegiate Athletic Conference win at Augsburg.



Stef Sandstrom

Andrea Kron added 18 kills and Danielle Gimmestad had 13 kills and five blocks (one solo) for the Gusties. Libero Emily Klein delivered 32 assists.

Both teams return to MIAC play at 3 p.m. today with Augsburg (6-7, 1-3 in MIAC) hosting St. Thomas and Gustavus (11-3, 3-0) competing at St. Catherine.



Jennifer Thelemann

Central College Classic

Bethany Lutheran College came up short in both of its opening-day matches Friday, losing to the University of Chicago and to William Penn by scores of 3-1 at Pella, Iowa.

The Vikings dropped their opener against Chicago 30-28, 19-30, 30-27, 30-27. Leslie Bremer and Emma Orth each had 11 kills for Bethany.

Eva Voss added nine kills and Joelle Shouts had 39 set assists.

The Vikings lost to William Penn 30-22, 28-30, 30-24, 30-17. Voss had 12 kills and Bremer had 10 kills. Shouts recorded another 32 set assists and Laura Parochka 15 digs.

Bethany continues tournament play today with matches against Central College and Coe College.