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Zarnstorff Named Head Women's Soccer Coach



MLC officially named **Tyson Zarnstorff** head women's soccer coach on Friday. Zarnstorff succeeds **Jeff Schone**, who is stepping down after 13 years with the program. As an assistant for five seasons under Schone, Zarnstorff has been a vital part of the growth of MLC women's soccer.

When asked what he has enjoyed the most about coaching soccer, Zarnstorff said, "I like the competition. I enjoy teaching the game of soccer to my players, and I appreciate being able to show them what soccer can mean to their lives and where it can take them."

Zarnstorff hopes to continue the momentum of the women's soccer program, stating, "Although we don't have a big recruiting base, I think we have a talented group of girls who come every season and play to their best God-given ability."

MLC Women Snap Losing Streak

The MLC women's basketball team snapped a four-game losing streak with a win over Nebraska Wesleyan on January 4.

The Knights defeated the Prairie Wolves 63-52 in a much-needed victory coming off the winter break.

Forward **Emma Nelson** (*MVL*, pictured) had another impressive performance, finishing with a team-high 16 points while shooting 54 percent (7 of 13) from the floor. The junior also collected 11 rebounds, earning her second double-double on the season.

Jordyn Heckendorf (*KML*) also played a key role in the win, scoring 13 points on 50-percent shooting from the field.

Overall, MLC had great spacing and ball movement and shot the ball well—44 percent (22 of 50) from the field.

The Knights also benefited from a slew of Nebraska Wesleyan mistakes and scored 17 points off turnovers.



Upcoming Events at MLC

1/13 MBB @ Northwestern
WBB @ Northwestern
1/14 MBB @ North Central
WBB @ North Central

1/20 MBB vs. Crown
WBB vs. Crown
1/21 MBB vs. UM-Morris
WBB vs. UM-Morris