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Knights Complete Season Sweep of North Central

The MLC women's basketball team defeated the North Central Rams on Friday, February 17, for their second UMAC win of the season, downing the Rams 84-77. The Knights had previously beaten the Rams in mid-January for their first conference win.

The Knights struggled to shoot from 3-point territory in the first half, going 1-of-7 from deep. But they turned on a switch in the fourth quarter, shooting 4-of-6 from the perimeter and 56 percent from all areas of the court to lead them to victory.

The offensive barrage in the second half was led by **Jordyn Heckendorf** (*KML, pictured*), who finished with 20 points and nine rebounds, while **Emma Nelson** (*MVL*) chipped in 15 points.



Knights Head Coach **Dan Gawrisch** expressed his support of the team, saying, "They've put in a lot of time and energy up to this point and have had to overcome a lot. I'm proud to be their coach, and I'm excited that they get to be rewarded with a win tonight."

Men Take Home Third in Meet at St. Olaf



The MLC men's track and field team took third place at the St. Olaf indoor meet with a total of 94 points.

Carson Oestreich (*Pierce NE*) tied for first place in the 60-Meter Dash with his time of 6.98, while **Samuel Malliet** (*Shoreland*) again took first place in the High Jump with a top jump of 1.75 meters.

The Knights received their third first-place finish from **Caleb Lash** (*Shoreland, pictured*) in the 5000-Meter Run. The distance runner won the race with a time of 16:43.84.

The MLC men also put together a

successful run in the Distance Medley, taking home first place with a time of 11:56.48.

Upcoming Events

2/24 ITK @ UMAC Championships
2/25 ITK @ UMAC Championships

3/3-6 BB @ Florida Trip
SB @ South Carolina Trip