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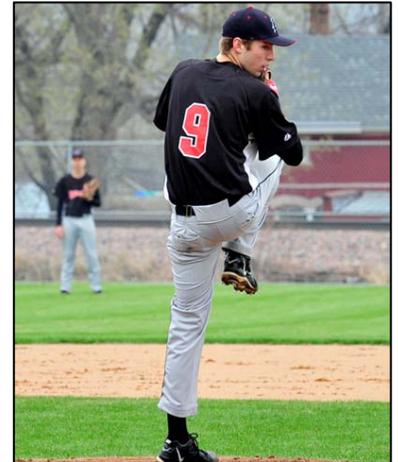
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Baseball Starts Strong in Florida

The baseball team set a new school record on its annual trip to Florida by winning four games. The program had not won any games on the season-opening trip since 2005, when it won the previous high of three games.

The Knights were led by strong pitching performances on the trip. **Jake Ziel** (*LPS*), **Andrew Nemmers** (*LPS*), **Joe Janke** (*WISCO*), and **Matt Olson** (*SCLHS*) led a pitching staff that finished the eight-game trip with an ERA of 3.81. Ziel was named UMAC Pitcher of the Week for his performance in his first outing of the trip.

Ziel and Nemmers were also among the top hitters on the trip, while **Aaron Stokke** (*SCLHS*) and **Galen Holzhueter** (*MVL*) also hit well. Holzhueter was named UMAC Player of the Week after starting the trip with six hits in his first three games.



Ziel on the mound

Holzhueter, Hackbarth Named All-UMAC



Holzhueter drives the baseline

Men's basketball player **Galen Holzhueter** (*MVL*) was named First Team All-UMAC, while **Hannah Hackbarth** (*Lakeside*) was named Second Team All-UMAC for the women's basketball team.

Holzhueter finished the season second in the UMAC in points per game (18.2), and also became the first player in the conference since 2008-09 to be named First Team All-UMAC in football and basketball in the same school year.

Hackbarth led MLC in scoring at 11.9 points per game, and also set a new school record for three-point field goals in a season with 59. Teammates **Alex Anthon** (*Lakeside*) and **Brittney Gossen** (*Manitowoc LHS*) received honorable mention.

Softball Starts Season Indoors

The softball team opened its season with a pair of losses against Macalester at the Irish Sports Dome Tuesday by the scores of 13-3 and 11-2.

Upcoming Events at MLC

3/15 SB @ NCU Tournament

3/16 BB @ William Penn

3/1 BB @ William Penn

Andrea Biedenbender (*MVL*) led the MLC hitters with two hits, including a solo home run in the first game to score the team's first run of the season.

Amber Krause (*LPS*), **Amanda Fogle** (*SCLHS*), **Maggie Schultz** (*Luther*), **MacCartney Mendolla** (*FVL*), and **Madeline Scott** (*LPS*) also had two hits.



Fogle tracks the pop fly