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## Career fair a positive for students and employers

**LAURA HIEBENTHAL**  
Editor-in-chief

Dana students who are looking for jobs were able to meet with 33 employers during the third annual career fair on March 31. These employers included companies and organizations seeking people for full-time, part-time and summer positions as well as internships.

"We think around 190 students visited with one or more employers," said Mary Jo Kubie, director of career services. While she was very pleased with the career fair, so were the employers she said. According to Kubie, many employers said they were impressed with the quality of students they met at the fair.

While some recruiters were available to give out information about their companies, others were handing out applications for existing va-

cancies.

"It's a great way to start networking and learn about the application process," said Kubie. The employers also left contact information with career services so if students need more information or have additional questions, they will be able to contact these prospective employers. Many employers said they are interested in coming back to Dana for next year's career fair.

Kubie said she would like to know if any students were not able to attend the fair because they had classes straight through the 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. hours. She said if this was a problem for many students, the fair's hours could be extended in the future.

Students who submitted their resumes to career services earlier in the week were eligible for a prize drawing, as were the students who signed up during the fair. Grand prize winners and their prizes included:

Melanie Scurlock, folio; Perry Mostek, Dana travel cup; Jenny Lemmerman, logo pin; Carrie Eckhoff, Dana license plate holder; Melissa Goldax and Dan Kennedy, resume paper; Melissa Bliemeister and Renee Hesseltine, correction pen; and Pernille Sorensen and Stephanie Lassek, Doubletree brunch gift certificates. Many other students won highlighters and pens.

Kubie added that this is not the only career fair available to students.

For prospective teachers, fairs will be held on April 19 in Lincoln and on April 26 in Fort Hays, Kan. Other general career/job fairs will be held in Fremont on Thursday, in Lincoln on April 28 and at Creighton on May 11. Information about these job fairs is posted outside of career services in the campus center. Kubie said students can check with her about the possibility of transportation to some of these fairs.



Sophomore Wray Wright talks with a representative from the Nebraska Department of Corrections during the career fair on March 31. Thirty-three employers were represented at the fair. (Photo by Leslie Schroeter)

## Volunteers needed for learning styles study

Provided by  
**ANN NELSON**

Students at Dana College have an opportunity to learn about their own learning styles and answer their questions about their career between now and the end of this spring term as a part of a research project on learning styles and career counseling.

Students can schedule a one-hour appointment through the career services office with Ann Nelson, a graduate student from University of Nebraska-Omaha, during which they will take a short assessment of their learning style and then receive help tailored to the way they learn best on the career issue of their choice. At the end of the appoint-

ment they will be asked to complete a short six to eight item anonymous evaluation questionnaire on the experience to give Nelson information about how helpful the experience was for them.

Nelson said, "We all have a learning style which is most comfortable for us. No learning style is better than any other learning style; each has its strengths and weaknesses depending on the situation we are in." She said that an extra half hour would be made available to students who wished to discuss the strengths and career implications of their own learning styles.

Appointments will be made on a first come, first serve basis for up to 25 students. Participants will receive a can of pop and a snack bag of chips.

## Three professors prepare for sabbaticals

**JEN BURGER**  
Features Editor

Three Dana professors will be absent from the classroom next year.

Professors David Miller, Richard Potter and Dr. Scott Morgan are each going on sabbaticals for part of the 1999-2000 academic year. They are taking time to conduct research on subjects that interest them.

Morgan, assistant professor of chemistry, is taking his sabbatical starting January 2000 through January 2001. Morgan's research is on "the molecular origin of liver damage caused by the consumption of alcohol. It sounds like I'm going to drink a lot," he joked.

Morgan hopes he will discover something new about the damage alcohol causes to the liver by building on what is already known. If he does, he will present his research at con-

ferences and possibly publish an article in a journal.

Morgan also adds that the research "may be applicable to some of the courses I teach. Students could get involved, too. This opportunity is positive for me and for Dana. Any time we build relationships with those outside Dana, students could have an advantage someday doing their research."

Potter, associate professor of social work and sociology, will be gone during interim and the spring semester of 2000 to conduct research on higher-order thinking. As assessment chair, Potter hopes to conduct research that could improve the quality of the assessment methods here at Dana. He will conduct a literature and websites search, as well as contact other colleges to ask how assessment and the ability to think is viewed at those institutions. Potter also hopes to present his research at a conference and possibly publish an article.

Potter views this sabbatical as a

period of renewal after 15 years of teaching. "I want to do theory-building in an area outside of my discipline," he said. "I'm ready to experience a different rhythm of life by researching and traveling to other schools," he added.

Miller, assistant professor of business administration, will begin work on rewriting his book this summer. His sabbatical will extend into the fall semester of 1999 and interim of 2000.

Miller's book about the role of spirituality in business is called *Open Your Heart and Develop Your Intuitive Nature*. He plans to talk to business people in Omaha to make the revisions on the book. He used the first draft in his interim class and will incorporate the suggestions of members of his class into the next draft.

"Faculty need to continually train and develop themselves," he said.

These professors' classes will be taught by other members of the faculty or by an adjunct professor while they are absent.

## Changes to curriculum creates new classes, majors

**BROOKE THOMSEN**  
Reporter

The time has come to choose another semester or two of classes. With all of the choices Dana has to offer, you may have noticed some changes to the class offerings.

In particular, the classes offered in the communications and graphic design departments have changed. In the last two weeks the Dana College faculty approved the new communi-

cations and art majors.

The old communications program was divided with degrees offered in organizational, international, print media and broadcast media communications. Dr. Mary McComb, communications professor, felt that a smaller school like Dana should have a focus instead of trying to accomplish every area.

The new program now offers a more general 33-credit communications degree with optional emphasis in organizational communication,

media or a self-designed emphasis. A 60-credit international communication major will still be offered.

The art program at Dana had been split into two majors, art and graphic design. Similar to the communication changes, Dana will now offer an art major with emphasis in either studio or graphic communication design, both 45 credits. Robyn Lewis, art professor, said that this new major reflects the education that Dana design majors receive.

McComb and Lewis both said the

new degrees should reflect the liberal arts mission of Dana with more exposure to theory and skill rather than to media or technology. According to McComb, the old communications program does not give enough flexibility to provide for the more recent merging of communication media such as websites.

Lewis also felt that flexibility was important for design students who, she said, need to know more about design computers. She described the computer as only one of many ever-

changing tools of the trade.

McComb described one communication major highlight as an inclusion of entry and closing courses concerning group communication. She said first-year students will take a class on learning and working effectively in groups in the small group communication class. Seniors will take a final course on problem solving where, according to McComb, they will work with area nonprofit agencies on communication needs or problems.

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## Letters to the Editor:

Dear Editor,

Last week an e-mail conversation occurred among the faculty and staff concerning homosexuality on the Dana College campus. Understandably, some faculty and staff members are upset because a few students were informed about the discussion. Nevertheless, as the only out lesbian on campus (which I think is the greatest tragedy regarding this issue), I feel obligated to make my voice heard.

Many gay men and lesbians struggle with depression, suicide and alcohol abuse, most of which stem from feelings of low self esteem and rejection because of their sexual orientation. I sincerely believe that people do not intend to specifically attack or harm individuals when addressing the issue of homosexuality. Unfortunately, phrases such as "alternative lifestyle" and "separating the sinner from the sin" are extremely damaging to gay men and lesbians. I will never advocate speech codes or the use of politically correct language. I just ask that unless the goal is to foster self hate and shame, people consider the consequences of their word choice and speak with respect for all individuals.

During my four years at Dana I have never put forth a homosexual agenda. I have simply desired the same things all students desire: to be treated with respect and to be given equal opportunity to excel in the search for knowledge and wisdom.

Many members of the Dana community provide such an environment. There are also members of the Dana community who are not as accepting of gay and lesbian students. The range of opinions that exists on campus is wonderful! Different beliefs and the freedom to express those beliefs are essential to American democracy. However, the danger lies in denying equal opportunity to a segment of our community, whether it is based on race, religion, ethnicity or sexual orientation, because we believe our set of values is the only correct one. I struggle daily with the realization that understanding and tolerating world views other than my own, even though they may harm me, is essential in my quest to fully comprehend my own belief system.

At a time when colleges and universities throughout America are including sexual orientation in their affirmative action statements, Dana continues to place discriminatory attitudes in recruitment positions and to discourage the existence of a gay and lesbian discussion group on campus. One of the goals of this college is "to assist students in participating in and shaping our rapidly changing complex society by presenting a dynamic, creative, culturally rich and diversified campus community." I encourage members of the Dana community who believe in creating an accepting and safe environment to strive to make this rhetoric a reality.

Amy Klusmeier

Dear Editor,

On Tuesday, April 6, 1999, a young man in Wyoming pleaded guilty to brutally beating and killing an openly homosexual man. The idea of tying the young gay man to a fence and leaving him to die after beating him was based partially on the fact that the victim was gay. This may be surprising to people who didn't already know that lesbians and gay men are criminally victimized at significantly higher rates than other minority groups. Homosexuals are also frequently victims of bias crimes.

It may be easier for some people to dislike homosexuals based on religious beliefs. This idea is oxymoronic, especially for Christians. It states in I Corinthians 13:13, "There remain, then faith, hope, love, these three, but the greatest of these is love." I'm also sure that the Bible says, somewhere, "Judge not, lest ye be judged." The Old Testament has many rules about sexual activities. One such rule states homosexuality is against God's will. It is also the Old Testament which says that fella-

to is against God's law. In addition, the Old Testament condones slavery and polygamy. Religion should be more like our country's constitution: it should realize that amendments and deletions must be made to fit the times.

Hitler would have agreed with many people's negative ideas of homosexuals. Yet, none of us, I don't think, wants to be like Hitler. It is the ability to have emotions and to feel that make us humans and not monsters. Gays and lesbians have feelings, too. They hear what is said of them, they see the glances, they feel the blow of fists coming down on their heads in hate. Is this the society we want to revert back to? I don't want America to become a society that tries to oppress other human beings.

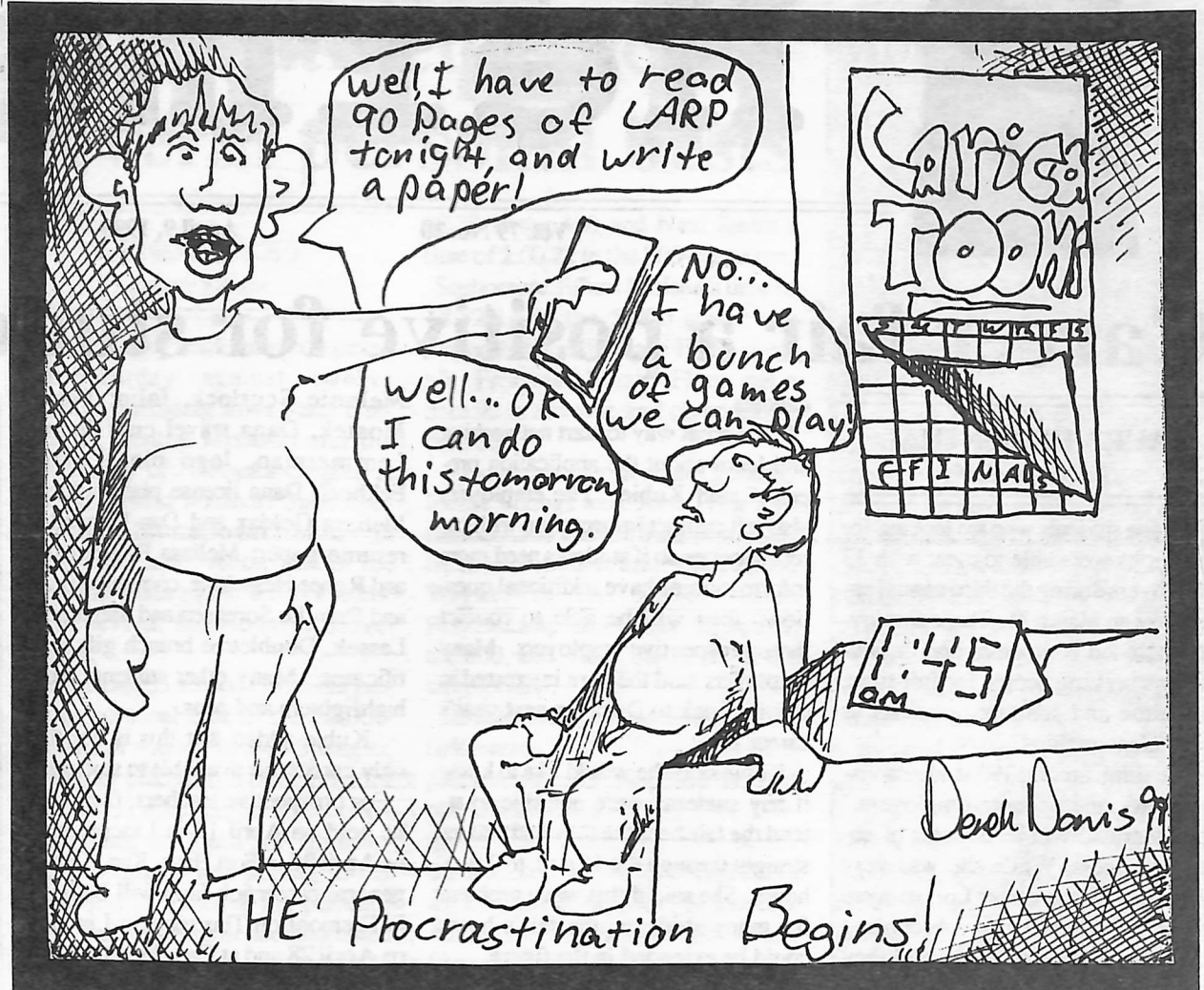
It is time to embrace all people! White, black, red, heterosexual, homosexual; we all have a liver, lungs and a brain. Most important we all have hearts, hearts that keep us living. These are the same hearts that symbolically show us to love.

Traci Ahrendt

## Performing Sunday

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## Investing in the future of athletics

DEREK FEY  
Editorialist

As I look back at the past seven months of my freshman year, I still wonder what force brought me to Dana College. Like many other track runners at Dana, I was offered a lot more money and an indoor and outdoor facility at a few other colleges. So why did many track runners choose Dana College? Coach Birmingham was one of the main reasons I and many others chose Dana.

The main purpose behind choosing a college is that its academic and campus atmosphere is suitable for that particular student. Athletics should be a second priority. I mean, how many athletes competing in the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics (NAIA) expect to make a living from athletics? My guess is a small percentage of NAIA athletes "make it big." However, notice that I said athletics "should" be a second priority. Everyone knows an athletic facility and coach is an athlete's first priority in choosing a college.

Assuming athletics takes precedence in the college decision, Dana seems to run into a problem. When I was given the tour of Dana College, I was greeted by a smart and willing coach. He then proceeded to show me Borup Coliseum. After telling me I would probably be running the 3,000 meters during the indoor track season, I searched for an indoor track to practice on. It was apparent after a five-second inspection of Borup, there in fact was no indoor track. Now, being a long distance runner I don't really need to run a 10-mile

run on an indoor track. However, I was told that we would have to run our speed workouts down at the YMCA, one mile down the road. I told coach that wouldn't be a problem; it's just a nice warm-up for the workout.

Then Birmingham opened the south door to Borup which revealed the football field and track. I dropped my jaw and said, "Wow, a college football field! Hey, coach, do the football players use this cinder track for a couple warm-up laps or something? I assume the real track is up on that hill, right?" Coach informed me that this, in fact, was the Dana College track. He told me that if I wanted to do a workout on a track I would have to run about two miles to the high school track. Oh, okay, I guess. I thought I was being too demanding since I did have one of the better tracks to workout on during high school. Anyway, another good two-mile warm-up for the workout would probably do me good. During all this conversation I'm still wondering where the sprinters do their workouts.

Everyone wonders why Dana places at nationals in cross country year in and year out, but can't seem to compete in track and field. The main reason Dana doesn't compete well as a team in track is the lack of numbers in sprinting and jumping. The main reason there aren't many numbers in these events is the absence of an outdoor and indoor track. How do you recruit a sprinter with no outdoor track? Why would a jumper want to come to a college with no long jump runway? If the administration and athletic department want a track program that's as successful as the cross country program, they have to invest money. Long distance runners don't thrive on the track; they

don't really need a track available to them. But distance events only comprise 234 of the 741 possible points in a track meet.

A new track would be an expensive project. A renovated Borup Coliseum would also be a costly endeavor. However, the funds are available from alumni's contributions. If the administration would accept the donations, a new track would be available. I've heard rumors of a renovation involving Borup Coliseum. Whether this actually happens or not is questionable. I know many runners who were promised a new outdoor track by the time they graduated and it never happened. I was told that it was cross country's turn for new warm-ups (once every four years, that's another story) last year and that never happened. A lot of promises seem to be getting broken and faith in the system is falling. (By the way, thanks for putting up the 1998 cross country picture in Borup. We placed fifth at nationals only four months ago.)

If Borup is to be renovated, I would strongly recommend an indoor track. Once the coliseum is renovated, it will be another 20 years before it will be renovated again. It will then be another 20 years of recruiting middle distance and distance runners. This will lead to another 20 years of individual performances in track, never reaching the team atmosphere experienced in cross country. Athletics can't be ignored in the selection process of a college. And you can't have a successful track team without sprinters and jumpers. The only answer to these problems is an indoor and outdoor track. Invest the money and watch the dividends pour in.

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Other communication class changes will include the replacement of Gender and Communication and Intercultural Communication with Communicating Across Differences. According to McComb the course Mass Media and Society will help

students become media literate. McComb said Communications Criticism will replace Persuasion with analyzation of media and organizational messages.

Dana will still be offering media experiences such as DVTV, KDCV, Hermes, Danian and Sower. According to McComb, professor Vern Wirka will advise KDCV and DVTV part time and will teach Media Pro-

duction Lab. Internships and upper-level independent studies and projects will also continue to be offered.

Lewis emphasized that design courses would begin with building a base of design principles and end with application and technology as opposed to the old program of beginning with technology. She said that knowledge in visual communication has rapidly increased in the last decade along with the range of media.

According to Lewis, this provides a larger demand for flexible designers who can create and solve problems. A more technical reason for the degree change is the fact that Dana's design program is not recognized by the National Association of Schools for Art and Design because the program is more like an art major with only an emphasis rather than a graphic design major.

The new art core includes the combination of 2-D design and color

theory into one class, as well as the requirement of all three art history courses as opposed to one art history course and three studio electives. The studio emphasis will include the art core and 27 credits of art electives as opposed to the old art core, two art histories and nine credits of electives.

Many of the old graphic design classes have been replaced with more specific courses. Lewis abandoned Graphic Design I, II, and III and Introduction to Graphic Design.

The new courses will be taught during separate time slots as Design Process, Typographics I, Typographics II and Design Systems I. The new graphic communication design emphasis will require the new art core, Photography I, Drawing II and nine hours of art electives which may include only one course of Design Systems II, internship or practicum.

Another new course required in communication and being offered as

a general education elective is Lewis' Visual Literacy, a course about communication through visuals.

Research for the communication and art departments about changing these programs involved a lot of interviews, reading and discussing from current literature, professionals, professors from other schools, students and their own experiments.

McComb wrote, "[The communication program's] guiding philosophy [is] about the importance of community in our world and the necessity for everyone to be able to get along with others in group situations, whether work or play."

Lewis emphasized that although Dana no longer will offer a degree in graphic design, the professional world will look more at portfolios than degree names, and graduates who can solve problems, write and know design principles will be needed in graphic design.

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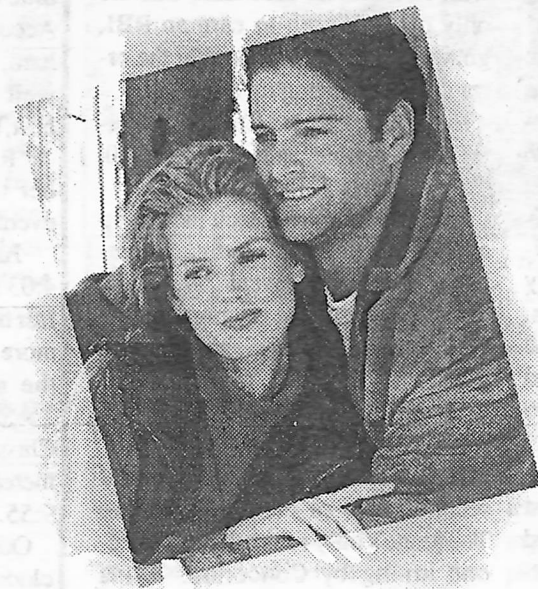
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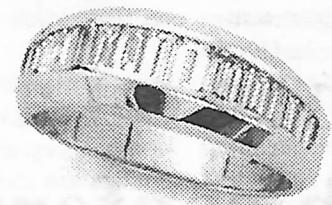
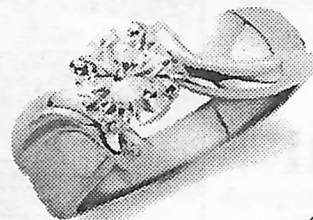
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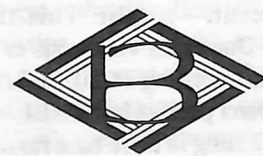
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## Dana softball team goes 2-3 in K.C.

ASHLEY DENNEY  
Reporter

The Dana Viking softball team traveled to Kansas City, Mo., on April 2-3 where they posted a record of two wins and three losses.

### Dana 1, Graceland 10

Dana found themselves in a lopsided loss against Graceland College. The Vikings' pitcher, Jennifer Schneider, scored the only run of the game. Schneider was also the only Viking to get a hit in the game. The Dana women were at bat 16 times with only one hit. Both Schneider and Lisa Cady pitched in the game for Dana with Schneider recording the loss.

### Dana 12, Sterling 1

Dana scored 12 runs on 15 hits as they demolished Sterling. Sophomore Sarah Graham led the team with three runs batted in on two hits. Jessi Thomsen, Jamie Peters and Cady each had two RBIs on a combined 7-12 hitting. Lisa Shefland and Amy Klusmeier each had two hits. Schneider pitched five innings and scored the win, while Cady pitched one inning. The Vikings tallied two errors in the contest.

### Dana 4, Avila College 7

The Vikings led in the game against Avila 4-2 until their opponents scored five unanswered runs. Schneider batted in four RBIs on 2-3 hitting. Klusmeier and Peters both reached base after being walked. Schneider was the lone pitcher of the game, recording three strikeouts. The Vikings only left four players on base com-

pared to Avila's 10.

### Dana 4, Southern Nazarene 3

Dana fell to Southern Nazarene in the fifth inning 2-3, but came back in the sixth to win. Cady scored the win for the Vikings, pitching the entire game. Graham, Peters and Shefland each recorded one RBI for the team. Seven Vikings had a hit as the team went 9-21 combined. The team did commit two errors.

### Dana 3, Missouri Baptist 10

The Lady Vikes fell in the bottom of the first inning 1-4 and never recovered against Missouri Baptist. Cady pitched all seven innings and recorded the loss. Dana got only seven hits out of 27 at bats. Klusmeier led the way, hitting 2-3 with two RBIs. Schneider was the only other Viking to earn an RBI, going 1-3. Dana fell hard in the error column racking up three.

The Vikings hosted Concordia College for a doubleheader on March 30.

### Dana 2, Concordia 4

Cady and Graham each picked up an RBI for the team, hitting a combined 3-9. Peters went 2-4. Dana did only commit two errors compared to Concordia's three. Schneider took the loss, but did record eight strikeouts.

### Dana 0, Concordia 1

The outcome was the same for the second game of the doubleheader. The game's only run came in the second inning by Concordia. Dana earned only three hits out of 25 at bats. Cady batted 1-4, Thomsen went 1-2 and Peters batted 1-3. Schneider threw all seven innings for the team, recording the loss while striking out one.

## Dana men on a tear through conference

DEREK FEY  
Reporter

The Dana baseball team has been on a tear through the conference, winning six out of eight conference games thus far.

After a heartbreaking 16-15 loss at home to Bellevue University March 25—which included junior Jason Houston hitting 3-6 with four runs batted in—the Vikings (13-8-1 overall, 6-2 in conference) hosted Midland Lutheran College.

The March 27 doubleheader ended in a split. Midland finished strong in the first game with a five-run seventh inning that put the Vikings away with a 7-2 victory. Sophomore Aaron Woodard picked up the loss after giving up only three earned runs. Freshman Kyle Murata went 3-4 with two RBIs to lead the Vikings' hitting.

The second game had Dana holding on for dear life in the final inning,

beating Midland 8-6. Dana's offense was in full swing, with Houston hitting 4-4, junior Joe Pope hitting 3-4 with two RBIs and junior Ryan Enright driving in two RBIs. Senior Tony Eitzmann was the winning pitcher, giving up only one earned run. Junior Sam Breuklander, Dana's all-time save leader, picked up another save.

The Vikings then traveled to Midland March 28 for another doubleheader, only to come back with the same result—a split. This time around, Dana was victorious in the first game, winning 14-10. Eight different Dana players had a RBI, with Murata hitting in three base runners. Senior Craig Wetterberg won his third game of the season in the victory.

Dana and Midland battled in the second game to a 9-9 tie in the first six innings. Midland won 10-9 in the bottom of the seventh inning. Senior Rich Martell went 2-4 with four RBIs and a home run. Murata also hit well,

## Track athletes record several personal bests

WENDY TROFF  
Sports Editor

The Viking track team competed Saturday against twelve schools, including Iowa State University, Central Missouri and the University of Nebraska-Omaha at the Northwest Missouri State University Invitational held in Maryville, Mo. At the end of the day, the Dana squad left for home with several individual achievements.

Knocking 33 seconds from his previous personal best in the 10,000-meter run was senior Bob Spangler. Spangler placed fifth overall with a time of 32 minutes, 35.25 seconds. According to Coach Jay Birmingham, Spangler was hoping to run well and to improve his personal best, both of which he accomplished.

"Right now Bob is ranked number two in the conference in this event," said Birmingham.

Junior Scott Stanley's time of 4:03.20 placed him seventh in the fast heat of the men's 1,500. Sophomore Aaron Schlote took seventh in the men's 5,000 with a time of 15:52.52 and sophomore Justin Christensen competed in the 3,000-meter steeplechase with a time of 9:55.83, good for eighth.

Other notable performances included Brandon Elwood's time of

52:70 in the 400 and Neal Smith's time of 2:00.22 in the 800-meter run.

Sophomore Tiffani Nielsen's time of 18:52.14 in the 5,000-meter run earned her a sixth place finish overall. Freshman Natalie Flynn ran a 5:16.92 in the mile and competed in the 800.

Also competing in running events for the Vikings were John Tripp who ran the 1,500 and the 800, Derek Fey in the 10,000-meter run, Allen Wagner in the 5,000, Kevin Ronnenkamp and Renee Boman in the 800, and Marc Bierbaum in the steeplechase.

Dana also had several athletes in the field events. Brooke Thomsen participated in the long jump and the shot put in addition to running the 200-meter dash and the 100-meter hurdles. Amber Weber competed in the long jump, the shot put and 200. Adolfo Morales threw the javelin and hammer. Cody Franzen participated in the discus throw. Sarah Thomas threw the javelin and discus. Scott Heiss competed in the javelin throw and the long jump.

The second outdoor meet for the Vikings will be the Lutheran College Championships this Saturday in Sioux Falls, S.D.

"The schools we're going to race against are ones we don't usually see," said Birmingham. "It will be interesting to see how we fare against these schools."

## More Vikings qualify for NAIA marathon

March 28 brought cold, wet weather to southeastern Nebraska, but the annual Eastern Nebraska Half-Marathon was held as scheduled.

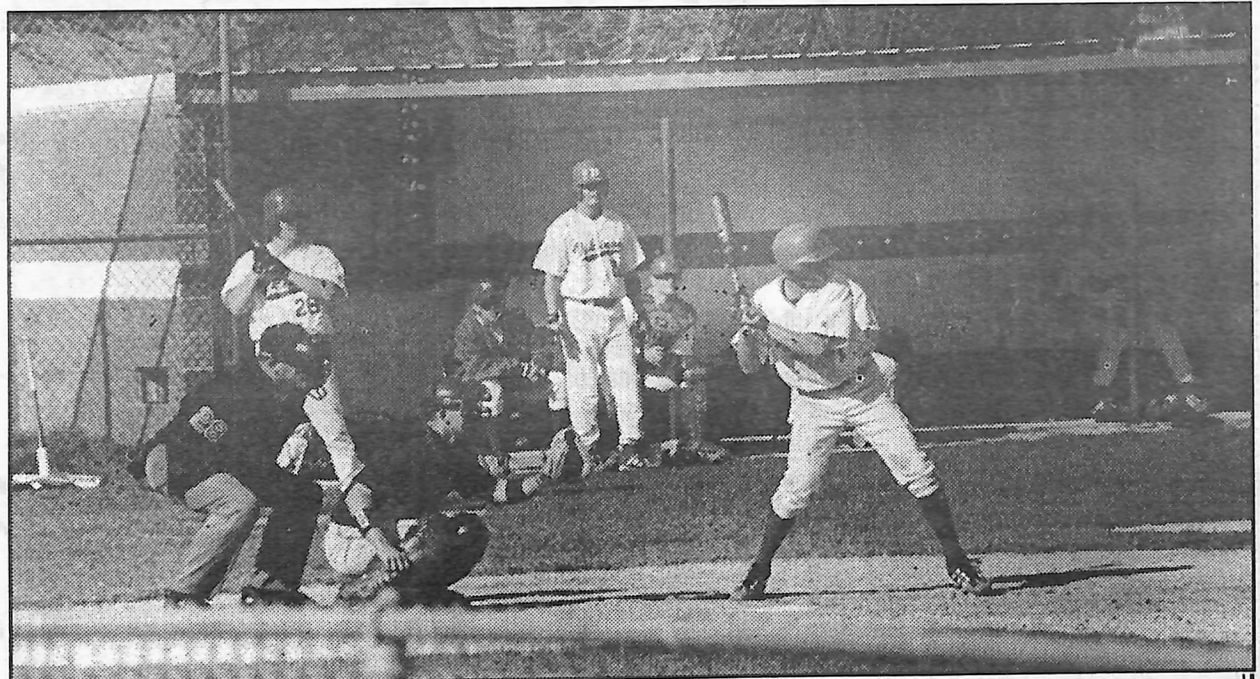
Despite the weather conditions, sophomore Aaron Schlote and freshman Allen Wagner tied for first place at the event held in Tekamah. Their time of 1 hour, 12 minutes, 11 seconds qualified them for the NAIA National Championships in May.

The cold was not the only obstacle the runners faced that day. According to Coach Jay Birmingham, the qualifying time in this event was a fast-paced 1:13.00, which is unusually low.

"It's the fastest qualifying time in NAIA history," said Birmingham. "Sometimes the qualifying time will be set as high as one hour, fifteen minutes."

Schlote and Wagner will join teammates Bob Spangler and Derek Fey, both of whom qualified at earlier events. Spangler's time of 1:11.19 in December and Fey's Dana record of 1:09.25 in February qualified them for May's national championship marathon. This will be Spangler's third time and Schlote's second time competing in this marathon.

The 1999 championships will be held on May 26 in Palm Beach County, Fla.



Batter Jason Houston waits on the pitch during a game this weekend at Peterson Field. The baseball team will be in action again this weekend as they travel to Hastings tomorrow for a 1 p.m. game. (Photo by Kale Maguire)

going 4-4 with a home run. Breuklander picked up the loss.

The Vikings traveled to Concordia University April 1 for a doubleheader with the Bulldogs. Dana came out swinging in the first game, scoring 15 runs in the second inning, and ended up winning on a called game, 26-5. Junior Justin Dutcher brought in six base runners and Murata also drove in six, including two home runs. Pope and Dutcher each hit a home run and Woodard took the victory.

Dana began the second game where they had left off, with a three-run first inning. Dana went on to beat Concordia for the second time, 9-4. Eitzmann was the winning pitcher, allowing only one earned run. Houston hit 2-4, along with Pope, who brought in three runners.

Dana College was the sight for last Tuesday's doubleheader between Dana and Concordia. Much like the previous meeting between the two teams, Dana won both games. Junior Corey Johnson was the winning

pitcher for the first game as Dana won 12-1. Junior Joe Pennucci went 3-3 with 2 RBIs and Martell brought in the three.

The second game brought a 6-3 victory to Dana, with Enright hitting a double. Wetterberg picked up his fourth victory of the season as the Vikings concluded their four-game stand with the Bulldogs.

The Vikings traveled to Bellevue University Wednesday and will travel to Hastings tomorrow for a 1 p.m. showdown.