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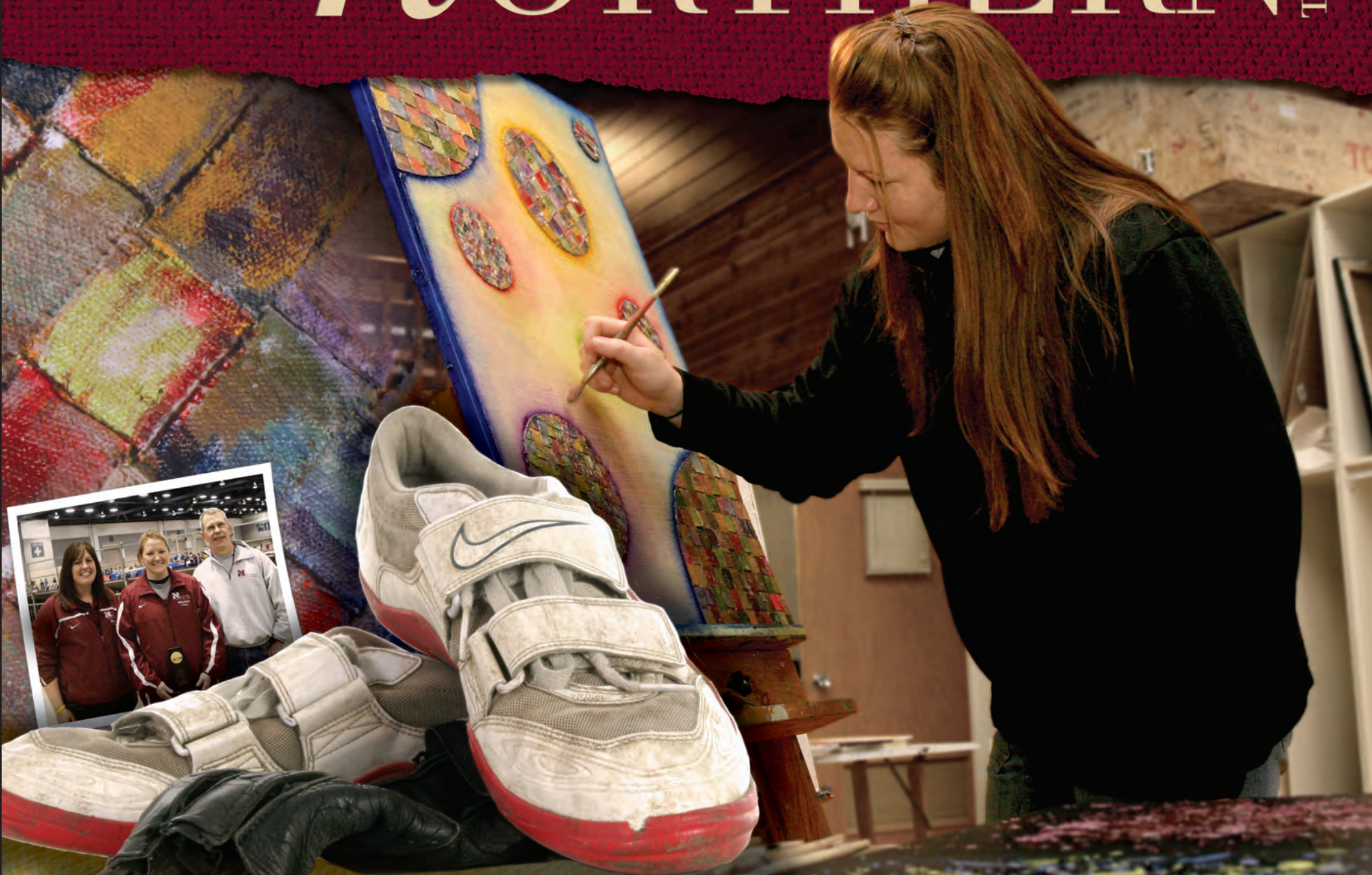
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### ABOUT NORTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY

Northern State University is a premier residential, liberal arts institution characterized by outstanding instruction, extraordinary community relations, and unparalleled co-curricular opportunities. In August of 2009 NSU was again named by *U.S. News and World Report* as one of the best undergraduate public institutions in the Midwest. For more information about NSU, visit our Web site at [www.northern.edu](http://www.northern.edu).

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# Letter

FROM THE PRESIDENT

This focus on excellence is day-in and day-out. I hope you'll have the chance to experience it as the months move forward – our students, faculty, and staff are among the very best at what they do.



PRESIDENT  
JAMES M. SMITH

## A FOCUS ON EXCELLENCE

AS THE TITLE INDICATES, THE FOCUS AT NSU on excellence is something that surrounds almost all I do as President. However, after doing a bit of traveling and observing our best and brightest, that focus is a little bit sharper as of late. I had the distinct opportunity to introduce our Symphonic Band at the North Dakota Music Educators Association recently in Bismarck. The band was excellent – a standing ovation was

received from a very large audience who know music and know it very well. To see our young men and women perform at that level was a real delight for me. And to have a member of our Fine Arts faculty, Dr. Darci Bultema, sing with the Symphonic Band was genuinely a special treat. Just after returning from Bismarck, I joined Don and Carmen Meyer for the Legends of the Hardwood Breakfast at the Final Four in Indianapolis. Don received the John Wooden Keys to Life Award and was well spoken at this event as he was at the ESPY Celebration last summer. This time, however, Chick-fil-A presented NSU with a check for \$10,000 in honor of Don's accomplishment. As you all might suspect, Don immediately asked that it be used by the NSU Foundation for scholarships. The entirety of this \$10,000

check was then doubled to make a \$20,000 investment in the future lives of some really great students who will call Northern "home" for next year and future years to come.

In addition to traveling to see excellence come alive, I have had the opportunity to see it here in Aberdeen as well. Our International Business Advisory Board was just in town and we celebrated that visit with a reception at our home. Connie and I were most impressed with the dedication that these people have to the success of our Center of Excellence for International Business. Presidential Scholars have been selected during the course of the past few weeks and more than one hundred twenty Wolf PACT students have been on campus for early Fall Semester enrollment. These young men and women truly define the word excellence in so many different ways!

As I conclude, please know that while I've just selected a handful of events and people to highlight here there are hundreds of other references I would have mentioned if page space allowed. This focus on excellence is day-in and day-out. Without the generosity of our alumni and friends to the capital campaign, much of what I have shared with you would not be possible. I hope you'll have the chance to see for yourself our students, faculty, and staff are among the very best at what they do. If you don't believe me, just read a few pages into the magazine and you'll see that excellence is the essence of what we do here at Northern and your support makes it happen.

*Go Wolves*

## CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

# UPDATE

27.2 MILLION

21 MILLION

20 MILLION

15 MILLION

10 MILLION

5 MILLION

**TOTAL  
CAMPAIGN  
GOAL:**

**\$27,250,000 Over  
5 years**



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## "Happiest Place on Earth"

If you had the chance why wouldn't want to spend your summer at the "Happiest Place on Earth" Northern State University junior Kelsey Pickford will get to do just that as a member of the 40th All-American College Band at Disneyland in California.

The 21-piece All-American College Band performs at the Disneyland Resort in California for eleven weeks each summer. Her days will include clinics/rehearsal each morning and daily performances, one of which is on stage in a big band/jazz format and the four remaining as a marching band show.

"Pickford is one of five saxophonists from across the country selected to be part of this band," said Dr. Alan LaFave, Dean of the NSU School of Fine Arts. "This is a tremendous honor and will be an amazing experience. We are very excited for her achievement."

An accomplished performer, Pickford sought the advice of former All-American College Band members, and NSU faculty, Grant Manhart and Fred Hemke. "They encouraged me to look into it, and when I found that an audition was being held in Chicago, I decided it was worth a try," said Kelsey. She and her mother traveled to Northwestern University in early March for the audition.

During her audition Kelsey had little time to "WOW" the adjudicator by showing her musical ability with three different styles of music. She also had to display proficient sight reading skills, and exhibit her marching

and dancing abilities. She didn't disappoint and showed her versatility and talent by playing small excerpts on the alto sax, tenor sax, flute and clarinet. Though she has been selected to play tenor sax with the group, Kelsey anticipates that she may get to flex her instrumental talents and play some clarinet and piccolo as well.



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DR. ALAN LAFAVE,  
NSU SCHOOL OF FINE ARTS DEAN

"When I finished my audition, the judge seemed pretty excited! He took me into

another room where I was able to meet Ron McCurdy who is the director of the band," said Kelsey. "When I left Chicago I still didn't know whether or not I had made it, and a few days later, the happiest moment of my life came when I got a call from Ron McCurdy offering me a summer job."

A clarinetist since the fifth grade, Kelsey came to NSU to major in music education with a woodwind emphasis. She is also the recipient of many scholarships including the Hatterscheidt Scholarship, Excellence in Music Scholarship and the President's Meritorious Scholarship. She is active in Symphonic Band, Orchestra, Jazz Band, Flute quartet, Saxophone quintet, Woodwind Quintet, Clarinet Choir and Jazz combo. She is also a member of MENC.

The Disneyland All American College Band first came into existence in 1971. Since then, over 2500 members have passed through this program and moved on to many different distinguished careers in the music industry. Members of the Disneyland All American College Band spend five days a week performing in Disneyland, working on their music skills, going to workshops with leaders in the music industry.

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Northern is a special place, one of those special campuses in the U.S. where learning and optimism come together to prepare for the future. I support Northern's fund because I know each dollar will be optimized, and the benefits to students are of clear value.



CORINNE AAKER CRAMER  
ELEMENTARY EDUCATION MAJOR,  
CLASS OF 1970

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"Once I graduate, I think this experience will give me the extra edge I need."

SARAH JOHNSON, WEBSTER

# NSU Business Students Earn First Place Ranking

IN BUSINESS STRATEGY GAME TWICE

For the second time this academic year students from Doug Ohmer's BADM 482 class have earned the top spot in the online "Business Strategy Game."

NSU students William Deng, Sioux Falls, Delton Witte, Sioux Falls, AmyFaye Kamletz, Glenrock, Wyo., and Matt DeVine, Gettysburg, joined last semester's team, who were the first NSU students to earn the top spot playing the online game. Stacy Sam, Wakpala, Nick Welder, Milbank, Sarah Johnson, Webster and Lindsay Scott, Milbank were part of Ohmer's class in the fall of 2009, and ended their semester with a first place finish competing against 1360 teams from 103 universities. Deng, Witte, Kamletz and DeVine earned their number one spot in the world-wide ranking by defeating 3991 teams from 263 universities.

According to Doug Ohmer, NSU management faculty, The Business Strategy Game (BSG) is used as part of business students' senior capstone course, BADM 482 – Business Policy and Strategy. In BSG, class members are divided into management teams of three to five persons and assigned to run

an athletic footwear company in head-to-head, on-line competition against companies run by other student teams. Companies compete in a global market arena, selling branded and private-label athletic footwear in four geographic regions—Europe-Africa, North America, Asia-Pacific, and Latin America. Company operations simulate those of actual athletic footwear companies Nike, Adidas-Reebok, and New Balance.

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SARAH JOHNSON, WEBSTER

"I think that the most important thing that I learned from the BSG was that the

choices my team made always seemed best for our company at the time, other teams were making choices at the same time which overall, impacted the way our year turned out. Participating in the game gave me knowledge of what real companies have to do each year in order to get to the top." shared Sarah.

The challenge for each student management team is to craft and execute a competitive strategy that results in a respected brand image, keeps their company in contention for global market leadership, and produces good financial performance as measured by earnings per share, return on equity investment, stock price appreciation and credit rating.

"I was surprised how fast teams could improve their ratings with just a few simple changes to their company's strategy," added Sarah. "Once I graduate, I think this experience will give me the extra edge I need."

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CASSI MOONEY, INTERIM COORDINATOR OF NSU STUDENT ACTIVITIES

## THEIR ALTERNATIVE

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TIFFANY THORNE, GILLETTE, WYO.

The alternative break program places teams in communities to engage in community service and experiential learning during their breaks.

"We have four meetings prior to our trips and a follow up meeting when we return," said Cassi Mooney, interim coordinator of NSU student activities. "On every trip that NSU has been involved, we always hear how well our people work."

Adam Isack, Waverly, S.D. added, "We work fast and some can't keep up, so NSU groups get picked up pretty fast!"

Two groups spent their winter break volunteering in Los Angeles, Calif., with Aids Project Los Angeles (APLA), and Florida City, Fla., at Everglades National Forest and Biscayne National Park.

"We spent two days in Everglades National Forest looking for the Brazilian Pepper plant, walking

through heavy brush and using a machete to make a trail," said Adam Isack. "It was like being explorers!" The group also spent time helping to beautify the grounds at Biscayne National Park by laying sod at the visitor's center.

Those working with APLA had the opportunity to work with Disney's "Give a Day, Get a Disney Day" program, and bagging food at a local food bank.

In early March groups traveled to Rapid City, New Orleans and Catalina Island. In Rapid City the group worked for three days at a Habitat for Humanity building site putting up siding and hanging sheetrock. Those who traveled to New Orleans worked with "Operation Nehemiah," helping families rebuilding their lives after the destruction caused by hurricane Katrina in 2005.

"Getting to see New Orleans through the eyes of those most affected by hurricane Katrina made a pretty big impact on me," said Tiffany Thorne, Gillette, Wyo. "I would love to return in the future to see how the city is progressing."

At the Catalina Island Conservancy the group spent their time creating a trail under the direction of Kevin Ryan, trail coordinator for the conservancy. "Kevin named our trail 'The NSU Trail' because he was pretty impressed about how efficient we were," said Philip Mittleider, Tappen, N.D. Tigh Leibel of Timber Lake S.D., added, "We showed that trail who was boss!" The group also helped build nature fences to contain bison on the island. Workers from the conservancy welcomed ideas and advice from the NSU group some of who were familiar with ranching.



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“SERVE uses Break Away’s “8 Components of a Quality Alternative Break” to help students exceed other volunteer vacations,” said Mooney. “The hope is that by giving students the opportunity to learn about the problems faced by members of communities, with whom they otherwise may have had little or no direct contact, we will be able to help students move along the Active Citizenship Continuum towards a more ‘active’ lifestyle.”

The Alternative Break Program, sponsored by the S.E.R.V.E.,

Break Away®: the Alternative Break Connection, Inc. and the United Way of Northeastern South Dakota. Break Away®: the Alternative Break Connection, Inc. is a national nonprofit organization that supports the development of quality alternative break programs by providing training and information primarily to colleges, universities, and nonprofit organizations interested in creating lifelong active citizens through these intensive service-learning programs.



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TIGH LEIBEL, TIMBER LAKE, S.D.

## PARTICIPANTS INCLUDE:

### Los Angeles

Natasha Valnes, Sisseton  
Becky Schuldt, Wentworth  
Jamie Feigen, Dell Rapids  
Allison Foster, Ortonville, Minn.  
Samantha Johnson, Claremont  
Ashley Doty, Wessington Springs  
Mariah Woods, Groton  
Xiaou Zhang, Beijing

### Florida

Adam Isack, Waverly  
Kirbie Wages, Great Falls, Mont.  
Jihye Jang, Donghae, Korea  
Jihye Jin Geoge, Korea  
Christa Mielke, Sauk Rapids, Minn.  
Brandon Sterling, Rapid City  
Ahyoung Jung, Buk Gu, Korea  
Jordan Palmer, Huron

### New Orleans

Tiffany Thorne, Gillette, Wyo.

Ben Villa, Rapid City  
Cassi Mooney, Granite Falls, Minn.  
Yun Shi, Shanghai, China  
Di Wang, Beijing, China  
Liang Jia, Beijing, China  
Man Jung, Chan-Won City, Korea  
Kat Brown, Onida  
Minjoo Song, Busan, Korea  
Namho Lee, Busan, Korea  
Mariah Woods, Groton

### Rapid City

Jamie Fiegen, Aberdeen  
Sam Johnson, Claremont  
Natasha Valnes, Sisseton  
Tomee Brown, Wakpala  
Nate Brown, Wakpala  
Dongsu Kim, Suwon, Korea  
Yaqian Zeng, Beijing, China

### Catalina Island Conservancy

Kate Coughlin, Aberdeen

Adam Isack, Waverly  
Christa Mielke, Sauk Rapids, Minn.  
Yan-jie Wang, Beijing, China  
Xiaou Zhang, Beijing, China  
Ji-hye Jin, Geoge, Korea  
Youngjoo Kim, Sucheon  
Philip Mittleider, Tappen, N.D.  
Tigh Leibel, Timber Lake  
Jordan Smith, Phillip  
Magdelyn Nelson, Beloit, Wis.  
Kimberly Wirries, Ulen, Minn.  
Brittany Hansen, Madison  
Kelsey Beckstrom, Britton

### Costa Rica

Karla Jager, Clear Lake  
Kate Job, Rapid City  
Ruth Fellbaum, Webster/Aberdeen  
Grace Hannasch, Fargo, N.D.  
Jordan Palmer, Huron  
Jessica DesLauriers, Huron  
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**AFTER BACK-TO-BACK RUNNER-UP** finishes in the indoor weight throw and the outdoor hammer throw last season, Amanda Madden broke through in spectacular fashion on Mar. 12 at the 2010 NCAA National Indoor Championships, winning the weight throw with a lifetime best and NSU school record throw of 19.81 meters (65-00 feet). Amanda credits coaches Mariah Mougey and Brenda Fuller on improving both her footwork and delivery technique in the ring with both the two and three turn throws.

"Mariah and I talked about the different situations before hand and I felt confident that we had made the right decision. I knew what I needed to do," said Amanda. "I am a very visual person and Mariah has taken the time to learn what works for me, and my success in these events wouldn't be possible without her."

Fresh off her national champion performance at the indoor national meet, Amanda booked her ticket to the outdoor championships with her NCAA automatic qualifying toss in the hammer throw on Sat, Apr. 4. The senior won

that event with a mark of 55.40 meters (181 feet, 9 inches), winning by more than 45 feet.



MARIAH MOUGEY, ASSISTANT TRACK AND FIELD COACH, AMANDA MADDEN AND JIM FULLER, HEAD TRACK AND FIELD COACH

Visualization comes naturally for Amanda who is also a gifted artist. She has studied drawing, painting, sculpture and many forms of digital media, which is her favorite medium. She hopes to land a position working with graphic design and digital media after she graduates.

"Amanda is one of the most driven and talented students I have ever come across. Her ability to balance her athletics and academics is unprecedented," said Sara Christensen Blair, NSU assistant professor of art. "It is bitter sweet to see her graduate. We are sad to see her go but so happy for all of her successes."

Amanda, who is a third generation alumnus of NSU, was the recipient of many athletic and academic awards including NSU Track and Field Scholarship, the WolfPACT Scholarship, H.P. Gerber Memorial Scholarship, James L. and Edna Faye Lauver Art Scholarship and Interior Design Concepts Scholarship.

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Amanda will graduate with Cum Laude honors from Northern State on May 8.

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SARA CHRISTENSEN BLAIR,  
NSU ASSISTANT  
PROFESSOR OF ART



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In February of 2010 Meyer announced his retirement from coaching. The NCAA win leader will continue at Northern State in the position of Regents Distinguished Professor /Assistant to the President. More information on Coach Meyer can be found at [www.coachmeyer.com](http://www.coachmeyer.com)

Dosch had spent the past two seasons at Southern Illinois University (SIU), overseeing the inside linebackers and special teams for the Salukies, who won the Missouri Valley Conference title both years.

Prior to his time at SIU, he was head coach at Jamestown College. Before taking over at Jamestown, Dosch spent eight years as the defensive line/outside linebackers coach at the University of North Dakota.

"I am proud to be part of a community that supports athletics and an athletic department that has such a tradition of excellence," said Dosch.

The North Dakota native has enjoyed getting to know his team and believes attitudes are positive.

"While I am concerned how they perform on the field, I am just as concerned how they conduct themselves in the classroom and in their day-to-day activities," said Dosch. "Our student athletes are visible in a community this size and it is important we give our community a team they want to come out and support on game day."

Coach Paul Sather has returned to the land of maroon and gold after being named the new head men's basketball coach replacing Coach Don Meyer who retired from coaching at the end of the 2009-10 season.

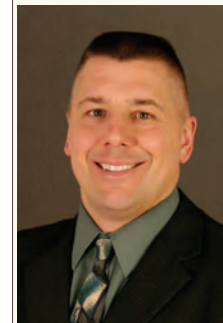
"I have a great deal of respect for coach Meyer, his legacy adds to the history and tradition of Northern State. I really can't worry about filling anyone's shoes – the only thing I can worry about is doing my job and doing it the best I can," said Sather.

A 1996 NSU graduate, Sather returns to the Wolves' staff after five years as the head coach at Black Hills State University in Spearfish, S.D. He also spent time at NSU as an assistant coach under both Bob Olson and Meyer from 1998 to 2004.

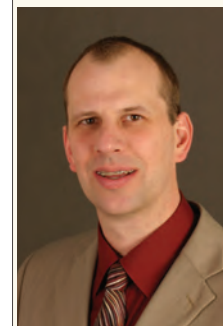
Since his return to Aberdeen, Sather has enjoyed seeing improvements and updates to his alma mater.

"I have especially been impressed with the progress that has been made in academic scholarship dollars," said Sather. "We are in a very competitive league, and that additional financial assistance allows us to be a lot more competitive and attractive to potential students."

After serving as a student athlete, an assistant coach and as a visiting head coach, Sather knows the expectations Aberdeen has for a strong winning program. "The only thing I can control is what kind of a team I have and that we meet fans expectations," said Sather. "This is a community that loves basketball and I am very blessed to be a part of it once again."



TOM DOSCH  
HEAD FOOTBALL  
COACH



PAUL SATHER  
HEAD BASKETBALL  
COACH



New science labs are up and running and students are reaping the benefits.



▲ | Karsten Rohlfs, Aberdeen, S.D. and Thomas Parrott, Aberdeen, S.D.



▲ | Karsten Rohlfs, Aberdeen, S.D. and Steve DeVoe, Aberdeen, S.D.

## GEOSCIENCES LAB | ▶

Calvin McGrudor,  
Riverview, Fla.  
Marissa Nelson,  
Sioux Falls, S.D.  
Maggie Fedor,  
Monticello, Minn.  
and Jordan McLain,  
Tulare, S.D.



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“I learned more than just what to learn. I learned how to learn. Northern State University prepared me to think. Then, it literally prepared me for my first job. These two lessons, in turn, gave me the tools and desire I still use today to do my job the best I can. I’ve never forgotten those lessons.”



JEFF ERICKSON  
PRESIDENT/CEO, GREAT WESTERN  
BANK, SIOUX FALLS  
CLASS OF 1980, BUSINESS MAJOR

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# REDISCOVER ABERDEEN

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ABERDEEN CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL HOMECOMING/HALL OF FAME AND  
NORTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY GYPSY DAYS.

**THURSDAY, SEPT. 16**

**NSU Royalty Coronation**

Johnson Fine Arts Center, 7 p.m.

**FRIDAY, SEPT. 17**

**NSU 50 Year Club Luncheon**

NSU Student Center, 12 Noon

**Alumni Campus Tours**

Meet at NSU Student Center, 1-3 p.m.

**NSU Distinguished Alumni & Hall of Fame Banquet**

Dakota Events Center, 5 p.m.

Hosted by the NSU Foundation

**Class of 1960's Football Reunion**

(All players that played from 1960-1969)

Dakota Event Center, 7 p.m.

**Golden Eagles Football vs. Watertown**

Clark Swisher Activities Complex, 7 p.m.

**SATURDAY, SEPT. 18**

**NSU Gypsy Day Parade**

Main Street, 9 a.m.

**Reliving Memories at "Old" Central High School**

Building tours given by Aberdeen Parks, Recreation & Forestry Department. The CHS Alumni Room will be open. Take an amazing trip down memory lane and experience the Aberdeen Recreation & Cultural Center, 10:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.

**Eat lunch in the Eagles Nest**

Get a Subway Meal (sandwich slice, chips, cookie, drink) only \$5 per person! 10:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.

**Wolves Football vs. Concordia St. Paul**

Clark Swisher Activities Complex, 2:30 p.m.

Tailgating and Alumni Picnic (Noon)

Sponsored by the Royal Order of the Gyps and the NSU Alumni Association

**CHS Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony & Banquet**

Central High School, 6 p.m. Hosted by the Aberdeen Public Schools Foundation

**All NSU Volleyball Reunion**

Immediately following NSU vs. St. Cloud State match, Ramada Inn (Down Under)

## NSU GYPSY DAYS 2010

*September 18, 2010*

### 2010 DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI/HALL OF FAME KRETCHMAN COACHING AWARD HONOREES



**DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI:**

**Larry Card**  
BS'72 in Business



**HALL OF FAME:**  
**Eric Kline**  
BS'95 in Education



**HALL OF FAME:**  
**Jammie (Coyle) Raba**  
BS'00 in Education



**HALL OF FAME:**  
**Lynne Nacke**  
BS'00 in Marketing



**HALL OF FAME:**  
**Wally Johnson**  
BS'64 in Education



**HALL OF FAME:**  
**Dr. William Haigh**  
Retired Math Faculty and  
Athletic Representative



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**Tom McGough**  
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GATHERINGS

SIOUX FALLS-COACH DOSCH Feb. 4, 2010  
ARIZONA/SUN CITY WEST Feb. 13, 2010

ARIZONA/TEMPE Feb. 14, 2010  
FLORIDA Jan. 11, 2010



## SIOUX FALLS-COACH DOSCH

**1.** Lft-Rt: Bob Olson '77-Athletic Director, Sherry Nelson '83, President James and Dr. Connie Ruhl Smith and Head Football Coach, Tom Dosch

**ARIZONA/SUN CITY WEST** **2.** Lft-Rt: (back row): Robert Sorge, Bill Jordan '54, Jack Schuver '57, Max Hawk '57, Ken Wight '52, Frank Bohall '59, Bill Hurrell, President James Smith, Dr. Connie Ruhl Smith and Marv Schumacher '56; Lft-Rt (front row): Jeannette Sorge '69, Marilyn Maloney '62, Linda

(Hanson) White '65, Louise Clark '58, Jack Clark '57, Jane Hawk '56, Diane Wight '51, Dennis Maloney '61, Connie Jones '59, Bill Jones '55, Maureen Bohall '58, Voniece Schumacher '56, Pat Fors '53, Glenn Leffler '56 and Lynne Hawk '79

**FLORIDA** **3.** Lft-Rt (Staggered): Dr. Ken and Andrea Giedt, Friend of NSU, Carey Hornaman '80, Friend of NSU, Jerry '66 and Gay Nichols, Dan '69 and Mary Culey, Bill '59 and Jane Hauck, President James and Dr. Connie Ruhl Smith, Don '59 and Annie Brown, Richard Holmberg '60



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**ARIZONA/TEMPE** **4.** Lft-Rt (back row): Hugo Carlson, Pat Birgen, Lew Feuerstein '59, Richard Gebhart '58 and '61, Curt Glaser '61, Frank Bohall '59, Tom Gray '93, Dale Fredrickson '65; Lft-Rt (middle row): Oscar Oland '59, Monica Feuerstein, Shirley Gebhart, Lester Clarke, Jerry Birgen, Dave Harvey '85, Ray Vikander '65, President Jim Smith; Lft-Rt (front row): Dr. Connie Ruhl Smith, Larae Carlson, Charlotte Clark '72, Leann Fredrickson '65, Maureen Bohall '58, Jane Harvey '87



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