

# Blackshirt goal: halt Buffalo stampede

By Pete Wegman

Two number one ranked collegiate football teams will clash Saturday in UNL's Memorial Stadium.

No, the stadium won't be the scene of a battle between Ohio State and Oklahoma. Rather the Big 8's number one ranked defensive team, the Nebraska Cornhuskers, will host the Colorado (CU) Buffalos, leading the Big 8's offense.

Nebraska's Blackshirts have allowed 193 yards and 9.5 points a game, while the Buffalo offense has been clicking at a 406 yard-per-game pace.

The game, which may be tops in the collegiate ranks this weekend, took on an added aspect Thursday when it was announced by Mike Moran, Colorado Sports Information Service, that Colorado will travel to Lincoln without two starters.

Colorado head coach Bill Mallory has

suspended starting tailback Tony Reed, starting linebacker Gary Campbell, and reserve split end Robert LaGarde.

Reed and LaGarde were given citations for shoplifting Tuesday. Campbell received 16 stitches following a fight in a Boulder, Colo. night spot Tuesday. Campbell is suspended indefinitely and Reed has been suspended for five days.

While the "irresistible force meets the immovable object" cliché may be applicable to the game, another added element will be present: Nebraska also has the number two offensive team in the Big 8, averaging 399 yards.

Colorado, 5-1 and 10th ranked nationally, is off to its best start since 1971 when the 10-2 Buffalos finished third nationally behind Nebraska and Oklahoma, respectively.

Colorado's only loss came three weeks

ago when the nation's number two team, the Oklahoma Sooners, won 21-20 when Colorado missed an extra point in the fourth quarter.

Quarterback David Williams leads the CU offensive unit. Williams has rushed for 319 yards and passed for 627 to rank second in Big 8 total offense behind Kansas quarterback Nolan Cromwell.

Williams, who started every game for CU last season and was academic all-big 8, has completed 58 percent of his passes for three touchdowns this season.



Photo courtesy of CU

Colorado quarterback David Williams is second in the Big 8 in total offense.

Most of Colorado's ball-carrying chores have been handled by senior fullback Terry Kunz and junior tailback Reed.

Reed, a transfer student from Antelope Valley Junior College (Ca.), won junior Billy Waddy's starting position this fall. Waddy, 1973 Big 8 freshman of the year who led Colorado in rushing last fall, will start in place of the suspended Reed.

Reed is seventh in Big 8 rushing with an 86 yard-per-game average. Kunz, who missed Colorado's 31-20 win over Missouri last week because of a bruised instep, has fewer total yards than Reed, but is averaging 88 yards per game, good for sixth in the conference. Kunz will play against

The Buffalos' offensive line averaging six feet five inches and 265 pounds, is the biggest in the Big 8 and may also be the largest collegiate offensive line.

On defense, CU has the Big 8 defensive player of the week, defensive end Troy Archer.

Archer had 10 solo and five assisted tackles and caused a fumble against Missouri last Saturday. Archer, however, is only Colorado's third leading tackler.

Linebackers Bart Roth and Gary Campbell lead the Buffs in tackles this year. Sophomore Brian Cabral will start in Campbell's place.

Overall, Colorado's defense is fourth in the Big 8.

Colorado hasn't beat Nebraska since 1967 and has not had a lead in a game with Nebraska since a 7-0 first period margin at Lincoln in 1969. Nebraska leads the series, 21-11-1.

"We'll be facing the most complete team we've played this year, in terms of passing, running and their defense in Nebraska," Mallory said.

"They have a superb defense that attacks you all the time," he said. "It's a typical great Nebraska defense."

## sports

### Three matches scheduled for UNL volleyball squad

By Susie Reitz

Traveling to Kearney Saturday, UNL women's volleyball team will face Kearney State, Wayne State and Concordia.

At the Graceland College tournament last weekend, Kearney defeated UNL 14-9, 12-8, but Nebraska is "ready for them this weekend," said volleyball coach Pat Sullivan.

Incorrect timing of the Graceland matches did not allow a complete match against Kearney, Sullivan said.

"We were on a scoring streak when the match was cut short," she said. "The extra minute or more left in the match could have meant a lot."

UNL had 59 attacks against Kearney compared to 70 in a match with the University of Minnesota, which UNL defeated in full games, Sullivan said.

"Those 11 extra attacks added to the Kearney match could have meant 11 more points," she said. "We lost those when we didn't get the full game."

Another opponent this weekend, Con-

cordia, was defeated 15-4, 15-6 by UNL earlier this year.

UNL has not yet played Wayne, but defeated them "handily" 15-0, 15-7 early last year, Sullivan said. Wayne is currently undefeated.

"The team isn't even thinking in terms of games or matches any more," Sullivan said. "The girls are thinking of first place in regionals now. There's a positive feeling and we're ready to go to it."

The varsity spikers are 10-5 and JVs are 7-0 after matches Tuesday against Wesleyan and Hastings.

The junior varsity defeated Wesleyan's varsity 15-8, 7-15, 15-8. UNL's Marsha Rupert had good matches and Janet Lindhurst was "hitting up a storm" in the Wesleyan match, Sullivan said.

In the second match, UNL beat Hastings varsity 15-1, 15-3. Diane Oltman and Marsha Bartak had good second matches, Sullivan said.

Next opponent for the JVs is Doane varsity Monday at Doane.

### Saturday soccer battle Stadium to see two UNL-CU clashes

Football won't be the only game played in UNL's Memorial Stadium Saturday.

Athletic director Bob Devaney granted UNL's soccer club permission to play the Colorado University (CU) Buffalos in Memorial Stadium immediately following the UNL-CU football game Saturday, according to Jim Fullerton, soccer club president.

"We've always thought it would be pretty nice to have a game in the stadium after a football game," Fullerton said. "Mr. Devaney has been very nice, very cooperative."

Fullerton and club member Bob Babcock have been coordinating publicity for the game, which was scheduled Monday.

#### Schedule changed

"Colorado canceled a game with Northern Colorado to come here Saturday," Babcock said. "If it goes well Saturday, there's a possibility we could be playing Iowa State (ISU) in the stadium following that game (Nebraska plays ISU in football Nov. 15)."

"We have some long-range goals we're trying to kick off with this game."

The club has a tentative commitment from the coach and four players from the St. Louis Blues, a professional soccer team, to stage a clinic in Lincoln sometime this semester, he added.

Nebraska hasn't played Colorado in three years. The Huskers were scheduled to play CU last spring in the Big 8 tournament in Ames, Ia., but the Colorado team left the tournament early, forfeiting to UNL.

#### Initial meeting

Colorado competes in the Big 8 and the Rocky Mountain inter-collegiate soccer league. The Buffalos will host the Big 8 tournament next spring.

"We're going to have to play hard to beat Colorado," Fullerton said. "They should have a real tough team."

Nebraska has a 7-1 mark on the season, the only loss coming to Kansas, 5-1. The club won its first tournament ever earlier this fall when UNL beat York 11-1 to win the Concordia (Seward) Invitational.

UNL's club is coached by English professor Franz Blaha. Blaha however, will spend next year in Europe.

"The problem with soccer is that people don't understand the rules. But it's easier to understand soccer than football rules."

Sunday the Huskers will host a team

from Salina, Kan., at 2 p.m. in Memorial Stadium. The team, composed of students and businessmen, lost to Nebraska 6-1 during a downpour in Salina this fall.

Fullerton said the club's biggest fall game will be Sunday, Nov. 2 when the Huskers travel to Bloomington, Ind. to play Indiana University under the lights.

"That's the game we're looking forward to," he said, "because we have a chance to make some money."

He said Nebraska has been guaranteed one-third of the gate receipts from the game to be played in a 4,000-seat stadium, according to Fullerton.

## sports shorts

Co-rec basketball entries are due today in the Recreation Office, 17th and Vine streets. Play begins Wednesday. There is a \$5 entry fee.

Men's volleyball entries are due in the Recreation Office Wednesday along with a \$5 entry fee.

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UNL's rugby team plays its final home game of the season Saturday against the Omaha rugby club. The match begins at 10 a.m. at the Women's Physical Education Field.

The match is kind of a rivalry, according to team member Dan Nelson. The two teams have met once this year, and Omaha won 13-7.

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Former UNL student Manfred Wuder-

lich took top rifle honors Saturday at the State Air Pistol Team match held at the UNL rifle range.

Wunderlich, who holds the National record in air rifle, (399/400), scored 375/400.

Top scores in the air pistol division included a 367/400 by Charles Daniels of Lincoln, Adolf Siegl's 362/400, Omahan Brian Hopkins' score of 357/400, La Vista native Wilford Robertson's score of 335/400 and James Bergren's 326/400.

Awards were provided for shooters by the Daisy air gun program, Region IV. Daisy also provided air rifles and air pistols for competitors.

The match was sponsored by the UNL Physical Education Dept. and was officiated by members of the UNL rifle club.

### Riegsecker tops 33 lifters in intramural weightlifting

By Chuck Beck

Intramural weightlifting championships ended Wednesday as Dennis Riegsecker, representing the NU weightlifting club, won the Best Lifter Trophy out of 33 participants in the meet.

Intramural coordinator Gale Wiedow said the trophy was awarded at the discre-

tion of the meet's three judges and Meet Director Boyd Epley. Wiedow added that the best lifter award was independent from the individual weight class winners.

Weight class championships were based on two lifts, the snatch and the clean and jerk. Weight class winners, their organizations and lifting totals were:

-Chris Buechle, Abel 5 in the 114-pound class, lifted a total of 238 pounds.

-Tom Pollard, an independent in the 123-pound class, lifted a total of 303 pounds.

-Tim Rimpley, Sigma Phi Epsilon in the 132 weight class, totaled 293 pounds.

-Pete Hannon, weightlifting club, lifted 341 pounds in the 148-pound class.

-Dennis Riegsecker, weightlifting club in the 165-pound class, lifted 396 pounds.

-Steve Haava, weightlifting club lifted 386 pounds in the 181-pound class.

-Bob Bonness, Beta Theta Pi in the 198-pound class, lifted 431 pounds.

-Mark Daly, weightlifting club in the 220-pound class, totaled 401 pounds.

-Steve Gottner, an independent in the 242-pound weight class, lifted 280 pounds.

-Bruce Conger, an independent, won the super heavyweight class with lifts totaling 388 pounds.

### Filmed matches aid field hockey

Field hockey practices this week have concentrated on strategy and included viewing game tapes, according to UNL women's field hockey coach Elizabeth Petrakis.

Games from the Big 8 tournament in Lincoln last weekend, in which UNL finished second, were taped from Henslik Hall.

"Hopefully the tapes will help the girls see what they need to work on," Petrakis said.

Saturday, UNL will play the University of Iowa at 9 a.m. and Iowa will play Concordia at 11 a.m. on the Women's Physical Education Field.

Nebraska's team has not had any injuries this week, Petrakis said, but goalie Betsy Anderson suffered a shoulder separation last week which will put her out for the season. Becky Hillman will continue at that position, Petrakis said.

According to Petrakis, support from fans is growing and spectators are "beginning to understand the game."

Increased interest in field hockey can be seen, she said, because Lincoln Public Schools now offer field hockey.