

UNL soccer club wins invite

From Staff Reports

The University of Nebraska-Lincoln women's soccer club won its own Husker Women's Invitational this weekend at Cook Pavilion.

The team defeated Kansas State 2-1 in overtime Sunday in the champi-

onship game. UNL tied Iowa State and defeated Nebraska-Omaha, Colorado State and Missouri to reach the final.

For the weekend, Sarah Sheffloe led UNL with three goals, and Kim Phillips and Chris Messersmith each had two.

But, Larson said, trying not to burn out is the hardest part. He said he gets tired of cycling and running while training for triathlons.

Keeping intensity up toward the end of swim season also is hard, he said, especially after training for months without a break and knowing that once that ends, his triathlon season begins again.

"It gets old after a while," Larson said. "I just hang in. (Triathlons) are my chance of being somebody."

Swimmer

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runs 25 miles a week, bikes 25 miles a day, except for one 50-mile day each week, and swims three times a week.

That conditioning program not only helps him in triathlons, but makes him better in the pool, too.

"Triathlons give you an extra edge," Larson said. "I come into the season in better shape."

King

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Huskies had begun searching for a way to stop the bleeding. Northern Illinois, 20-4, took command from the opening tip, led by as many as 10 points in the first half and went to halftime up 43-36.

The two teams traded baskets early in the second period, with King converting three three-point plays. He drew Nebraska to within 51-49 at the 14:37 mark when he hit a free throw after a dunk.

Then Northern Illinois charged again, retaking an eight-point lead behind the three-point shooting of 5-foot-10 senior guard Donald Whiteside. His last three-pointer put the Huskies up 62-54 with a 11:52 remaining.

Nee said he felt that Whiteside, who finished with 16 points and five three-point goals, never missed.

After Nebraska had whittled the Huskie lead to 68-64, King took over the game, battling for inside position and drawing fouls on the Northern Illinois front line. King hit six straight free throws to tie the game 70-70, then canned a 15-footer for the Huskers' first lead, 72-70 with 4:28 left. Nebraska never trailed after that and scored the final eight points.

The 40-point effort tied King with Jerry Fort, who set the record against Missouri in 1975. The 40 points are a Sports Center best. With 23 second-

half points. King fell one short of the record of 24 held by Fort and Dave Hoppen.

King, who ended up 12 of 16 from the floor and 16 of 19 from the free throw line, said he wasn't thinking about the record during the game.

"I had no idea," he said. "The only thing I noticed during the game was that my free throws kept adding up."

The win gives Nebraska a 22-4 record and tied them with teams in 1919-20, 1977-78 and 1982-83 for most wins in a season. The Huskers have four regular season games left, along with the Big Eight tournament and probable NCAA bid in March.

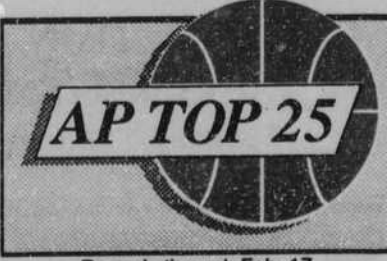
Nebraska will travel to Columbia, Mo., Wednesday to face Missouri at 7 p.m.

Northern Illinois 43 30 — 73
At Nebraska 36 46 — 82

Northern Illinois—Harmon 3-4 3-4 9, Thomas 5-13 4-4 14, Fens 1-3 0-0 2, Whiteside 5-12 1-2 16, Hidden 2-4 5-5 11, Wells 5-6 2-2 12, Lipnisky 3-6 2-2 8, Moles 0-1 0-0 0, Arrington 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 24-49 17-19 73.

Nebraska—Farmer 1-5 2-3 4, Hayes 2-6 1-4 5, King 12-16 16-19 40, Scales 1-4 4-4 6, Reid 1-5 4-6 6, Owens 2-2 1-1 5, Piatkowski 3-6 2-2 8, Moody 2-3 0-0 4, Chubick 0-0 0-0 0, Ramos 1-1 2-2 4. Totals 25-48 32-41 82.

3-point goals—Northern Illinois 8-17 (Whiteside 5-11, Hidden 2-4, Lipnisky 1-2), Nebraska 0-5 (Piatkowski 0-2, Farmer 0-1, Hayes 0-1, Reid 0-1). Rebounds—Northern Illinois 24 (Thomas 14), Nebraska 28 (Farmer, King 7). Assists—Northern Illinois 16 (Lipnisky 7), Nebraska 20 (Reid 5). Turnovers—Northern Illinois 22 (Whiteside 7), Nebraska 16 (Farmer 4). Total fouls—Northern Illinois 31 (Hidden, Lipnisky), Nebraska 15. A—13,698.



Records through Feb. 17

Rank	Record	School	Points
1	22-0	UNLV	1,575
2	22-1	Ohio St.	1,501
3	25-2	Arkansas	1,449
4	22-3	Indiana	1,347
5	22-3	Syracuse	1,327
6	19-4	North Carolina	1,256
7	22-5	Duke	1,153
8	19-4	Kansas	1,079
9	20-5	Arizona	1,058
10	24-2	Utah	920
11	19-3	Southern Miss.	901
12	19-5	Kentucky	851
13	23-3	E. Tennessee St.	755
14	21-4	Nebraska	747
15	19-3	New Mexico St.	684
16	18-5	Oklahoma St.	527
17	18-7	UCLA	508
18	17-6	St. John's	480
19	17-7	LSU	475
20	19-7	Virginia	468
21	17-6	Mississippi St.	327
22	18-8	Pittsburgh	226
23	18-2	Princeton	216
24	16-7	Seton Hall	180
25	15-8	Georgetown	102

Rec Scoreboard

Results from Sunday's games.

Men's basketball

Fraternity B

Sigma Phi Epsilon B1 51, Pi Kappa Phi 36; Alpha Tau Omega B2 83, Sigma Nu B2 29; Delta Tau Delta B1 82, Phi Gamma Delta B2 42; Beta Theta Pi 50, Phi Kappa Psi 23; Sigma Alpha Epsilon B1 47, Phi Delta Theta 42; Alpha Tau Omega B3 77, Kappa Sigma 70; Delta Tau Delta B2 62, Sigma Nu B1 32; Phi Gamma Delta B1 50, Alpha Gamma Rho 35; Delta Upsilon B1 69, Acacia 52; Chi Phi B1 80, Triangle 29; Sigma Chi 68, Sigma Phi Epsilon B2 37; Sigma Alpha Epsilon B2 56, Delta Upsilon B2 32; Phi Kappa Psi B1 58, Beta Sigma Psi 35; Lambda Chi Alpha B2 82, Alpha Gamma Sigma 52; Phi Kappa Psi B1 57, Phi Delta Theta 55.

Fraternity C

Sigma Alpha Epsilon C1 68, Chi Phi C1 29.

Residence C

Abel 9 46, Cather 9 18; Cather 11 37, Abel 11 35; Selleck 8200 42, Cather 5 27.

Residence BC

Abel 12B 60, Abel 6B 23; Falcons B 52, Cather 13B 38; Harper 2B 38; Cather 13C 15.

Faculty/staff

Movin Crew 51, ECA 49; Chemistry 74, Donut Dunkers 25; Fire & Ice 51, Eulers 53; Pseudopsych Squad 57, Atom Bombers 30.

Women's basketball

Your Loss FYI 77, Sam's Team 31; Ballbusters by forfeit over NU Crew; The Holy Hits 57, U.N. Nuns 43; East Campus, Delta Sigma Pi double forfeit; Haven't Got A Clue 36, Musketeers 35; Pound

WVNB by forfeit over Bombay Shooters; Fine Young Ladies 46, Sandoz 6 25; Volleyballers 72, The Whippers 22; Brew Crew II 32, Burr II East 30.

Co-rec volleyball

AB

Sigma Nu by forfeit over Alpha Tau Omega/PBP; Alpha Omicron Pi 2, Alpha Tau Omega/PBP 1; Abel 4/Sandoz 7 by forfeit over Bump & Dig; Delta Tau Delta 2, Alpha Omicron Pi 1; Monks & Nuns 2, Sigma Nu 1; F.Y.I. 2, Aces, Eights & Queens 0; Schramm 2 & Crew 2, Monks & Nuns 1; Delta Tau Delta 2, Phi Beta Lambda 0; Fluffaluffacuss 2, You Said What 1.

BC

Sigma Alpha Mu 2, C.L. Express 1; Sigma Alpha Mu 2, Naked Aggression 0; BS Spikers 2, AGC 1; Naked Aggression by forfeit over Delta Tau Delta; Delta Tau Delta 2, Screaming Architects 0; Kappa Sigma/GFB 2, The Richards 0; I-House 2, It's Just Us 1.

Soccer

Fraternity A

Beta Theta Pi 3, Sigma Nu 1; Lambda Chi Alpha 2, Phi Gamma Delta 1; Alpha Tau Omega 7, Chi Phi A 0; Triangle by forfeit over Sigma Phi Epsilon.

Fraternity B

Lambda Chi Alpha by forfeit over Beta Theta Pi B2; Kappa Sigma 5, Phi Kappa Psi 4; Sigma Phi Epsilon 6, Alpha Tau Omega 0.

Fraternity C

Chi Phi C by forfeit over Farmhouse C; Beta Theta Pi 4, Alpha Tau Omega 0.

Residence

Roscoe Rowders 5, NU Tennis 4.

King tips teammates for big night

By Todd Cooper

Staff Reporter

After devouring a meal fit for a King, Husker center Rich King gave all the credit to his feeders.

The 7-foot-2 senior center scored 40 points on 12 of 16 field goal shooting and 16 of 19 free throw shooting in an 82-73 victory over Northern Illinois on Monday night. His output tied Jerry Fort's all-time scoring record set in 1975 and surpassed the Sports Center scoring record.

But his assist men deserve the dessert, King said.

"I give the credit to the whole team," King said. "It's been our trademark — the unselfishness — and that's not a cliché, it's our strong point."

And on a night on which King was the only Cornhusker player to score in double figures, he appreciated the

assists even more.

"It's hard for the people on our team that are great scorers to come down and turn down their offensive opportunities because our strength might be going inside," King said.

But guards Jose Ramos and Keith Moody, who had four and two assists, respectively, felt obligated to give the ball to King. Northern Illinois' tallest starter was 6-7.

"It was obvious that every time Rich King got the ball he either scored or they fouled him and he made his free throws," Ramos said. "You'd be crazy not to go into him."

Ramos proved his sanity.

"You can check the tape," Ramos said. "Ninety percent of my passes were probably inside to him."

And most of those passes came from the time the Huskers were down

62-57 with 11:36 to play until they led 77-73, at the 2:07 mark. King had eleven points during that run.

"I said, 'Rich, you're the man here, you're hot, I'm giving you the ball,'" Ramos said.

"Jose was saying that the whole game," King said. "And Jose's very aware of who's got the hot hand, but they all started saying, 'Post up, we're coming to you.'"

Moody said he was glad King gave his teammates a place at his table.

"It felt real good both ways because he's scoring and we're getting credit for the assists," Moody said. "He gets all the pub (publicity), but deep down inside we know that Jose and I were a big reason for his success."

"As long as he commented about us, we'll be satisfied."

SPORTS BRIEFS

CU's Wise gets player of week

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — Colorado guard Steve Wise was named Big Eight basketball player of the week for scoring 43 points in wins against Kansas State and Iowa State.

The senior from Detroit added eight assists, seven rebounds and three steals in the games. He was 14 for 27 from the floor, including hitting six of nine from three-point range.

Wise had 28 points against Kansas State and added 15 at Iowa State. The victory over the Cyclones ended a 56-game streak of Big Eight road losses for the Buffaloes, which dated back to the 1982-83 season.

"Ever since my freshman year, the streak has been on my mind," Wise said. "I'm glad it's over."

Halsne, Jennings make honor roll

Nebraska's Ann Halsne and Karen Jennings have been named to the first team on the 1991 Phillips 66 Academic All-Big Eight Honor Roll for women's basketball.

Halsne, a senior from Spencer, Iowa, had a 3.29 grade point average and Jennings, a sophomore from Persia, Iowa, had a 3.84 GPA. Both are majoring in exercise science.

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PRACTICE roundup

Men's gymnastics: Coach Francis Allen said the team is getting ready to compete against Oklahoma this weekend. "We're trying to get our meet routines down," he said. The team had been doing well in practice, Allen said. "We didn't practice as well today," he said. "I think we practiced too hard yesterday." . . . Wrestling: The Cornhuskers continued to work toward the Big Eight championships, Coach Tim Neumann said. "We had the second day of two hard practices in a row," he said. "We'll probably go a little lighter tomorrow." Neumann said the team is as healthy as it's going to get, with All-American Corey Olson the only wrestler out. Olson will miss the rest of the season with a knee injury. . . . Men's swimming and diving: Coach Cal Bentz said the team went through a hard workout. "We're getting ready to taper down for a championship performance," he said.

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