

Mallon having 'dream season'

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received \$110,000 for winning. "Whoever survives, at the end of the week, is going to win."

"I had two double-bogeys on Friday and thought I had no chance. Here I wake up Sunday and I'm with in two strokes. Fortunately, I took my best game out there Sunday. It was probably one of the best tee-to-green rounds I've ever had."

THOUGH SHE already has had an extraordinary season, Mallon doesn't consider herself a shoo-in for golfer of the year honors.

"Gosh, no," she said. "I still haven't caught up with Pat Bradley. She's ahead of me on the money list."

Ex-CC star finds basketball niche

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leading U.S. Basketball League, where former U-D teammate and another CC alum, John McIntyre, is playing.

Wendt, who was all-Midwestern Collegiate Conference in both his years at U-D, averaged 14 points and seven rebounds a game as a senior, hurt his back playing in the USBL and decided to give the game up. He took a job in sales with Automotive Data Processing, and later transferred to Minneapolis.

While there, his back improved and Wendt began playing again in what he described as the Minneapolis version of the "St. Cecilia league," a reference to the Detroit gym that draws so many local stars during summer. A friend he met while playing in Minneapolis, Sheldon Anderson, suggested Wendt look into playing overseas.

ANDERSON HAD spent time playing in Germany and still retained contacts there. Wendt had considered playing in Europe after graduating from U-D, but opted not to when he was drafted in the sixth round by the Boston Celtics in '86.

"I had this dream of playing in the NBA," he said. "In hindsight, I wish I had tried (Europe) right out of college."

Armed with Anderson's recommendation and a second chance, Wendt decided to go for it. The decision wasn't easy, nor was it one he could make himself. Not only was he giving up his job, but he was getting married to his high school sweetheart, Kathy Rogers.

They both decided it was a good gamble. "We thought, 'Let's take it while we're young. Once you get older, you plant your roots and you're not as willing to take the chance.'"

swimming

NORTHWEST SUBURBAN SWIM LEAGUE RESULTS

FARMINGTON GLEN 208 CRANBROOK BLUE DOLPHINS 278 (Monday, July 15)

DOUBLE WINNERS

8-under: Hannah Pawlaczek, 25 fly (19:16, new pool record), 25 free (17:04); Robbie Gundlach, 25 back (24:07), 25 fly (12:53). 9-10: Kate Booms, 50 fly (44:50), 50 back (40:70). 13-14: Brenda Hewson, 50 fly (34:03), 50 free (31:00); Don Boyer, 50 fly (32:03), 50 back (34:31).

SINGLE WINNERS

8-under: Michael Murland, 25 breast (25:11). 9-10: Mody Oduy, 50 free (37:56). 11-12: Karen Matthe, 50 back (41:93). Anna Marie Scano, 50 free (33:02). Andrea Dole Monache, 50 breast (41:55). Nick Sosnuk, 50 back (41:12). Karl Pawlaczek, 50 breast (39:52). 13-14: Beth Bonner, 50 breast (44:35). Steve Scano, 100 individual medley (1:12:87). Jon Booms, 50 free (29:94). 15-16: Kevin Yoder, 50 breast (36:00). Eric Hewson, 100 free (50:72). Bob Hol druge, 100 IM (1:06:21). Jason Hofer, 50 fly (29:24).

RELAY WINNERS

52-year combined age 200 medley: Steve Scano, Jon Booms, Don Boyer and Karl Pawlaczek (2:18:32).

CRANBROOK 285 BEECHVIEW 277

SINGLE WINNERS

8-under: Scott Abbey, 25 free (20:16). Jon Kuka, 25 breast (28:13). 9-10: Geron Sogor, 50 breast (48:14). 11-12: Tony Spence, 50 back (38:00). Chris Leland, 100 IM (1:21:19). Patrick Dufresne, 50 fly (39:03). Chris Leland, 50 breast (38:47). Dana Drehan, 50 breast (42:56).

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family lived in Birmingham, and Edgewood pro Paul Van Loosen was her first instructor.

AT A BANQUET that evening, Mallon will become the first inductee into the Mercy Hall of Fame. Organizers hope to make it an annual event, adding other graduates who have distinguished themselves since leaving Mercy.

The fee for the event is \$175, which includes lunch, golf and dinner. Tee sponsorships of \$500 and \$1,000 are available, too. Four tickets will be included with the larger amount, two for the smaller price.

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many, you've got to go out and meet the people, make the most out of it."

Wendt added that having Kathy with him helped immensely. "People who can adjust to it can have a great time over there," he said.

There's little doubt he has. Actually, on the court Wendt has had few problems. "To me, the game is no adjustment. They really rely on Americans for everything — a score, to rebound, to handle the ball if you're able. When it's crunch time in a game, they expect you to shoot it. Americans have a total green light."

CONSIDERING WENDT'S all-around style of play — at U-D, he was the team's second-leading scorer and top rebounder, and ranked among the MCC leaders in rebounds and assists — it's no wonder he blended right in.

And it's no wonder he'll go back. He spends his summers with his family, now in Farmington Hills.

sports shorts

ELITE GYMNASTS

Four gymnasts from the Farmington Gymnastics Center in Farmington Hills have been chosen to participate in the National Junior Elite Training Camp this month in Maryville, Tenn.

Erin McWatt, Gina Spagnoli, Jennifer Erick and Kara Hofer are among those gymnasts taking part in five days of intensive instruction and technical training.

The national program tests gymnasts age 6-15 and has produced many top qualifiers. Accompanying the gymnasts will be their coach, David Mahoney.

VARDAR WINS CUP

The Vardar III '74 boys soccer team, led by Livonian Dominic Vella (18 goals) continued its three-year unbeaten streak in tournament play by winning the International Friendship Cup, held June 30 through July 6 in Denver, Colo. The event drew clubs from 12 states and 11 countries.

Vardar III '74 beat Neasca of Mexico City, 5-2, for the title after beating the Colorado State Cup runner-up Evergreen Stingers in the quarterfinals, 4-2, and Spirit West of Kansas City, Mo., in the semifinals, 5-1.

Mike Giese (Farmington Hills) and Matt Suckley (Sterling Heights) were also among the top Vardar goal scorers.

Defensively, strong efforts were turned in by Tom Baker (Plymouth), Chad Kingsbury (Saginaw) and Scott Lamphier (Livonia). Vardar III '74 allowed only seven goals in six games.

Other members of Vardar III '74, coached by Mike Christensen, include: Darlo Rauter, Livonia; Mike Wdowick, Canton; Dale Garriash, Troy; Brad Dennis, Brighton; Chris Dwyer, Grosse Pointe; Uri Fisher, Miami; Fla. Tony Jones, Kalamazoo; Erik Lawson and Brian Kallay, Ann Arbor; and Mike Schroeder, Dearborn Heights.

Mustangs set for state

The Mid-America Mustangs won their third softball tournament of the 1991 season in preparation for the state competition this weekend in Sterling Heights.

The 15-and-under girls team routed the Clinton Valley Travelers 16-3 Sunday in the final of the Walled Lake tournament Sunday, completing a four-game sweep.

In games prior to that, the Mustangs blanked the Travelers 8-0 and East Detroit 9-0 on Saturday, advancing to the championship round earlier Sunday with an 8-1 victory over Garden City.

Tracy Sinke was the winning pitcher in every game, allowing an average of one run, six hits and no walks.

Michelle Bohneke, Karen Jose and Stacey Fields had three hits apiece to lead the offense in the final. Jose also drove in four runs and Bohneke two. Bohneke scored three runs, Fields and Jose two each.

CINDY LEHNIS, Jamie Cook, Christy Walker and Tara Waslak contributed two hits apiece. Cook, Walker and Waslak also had two RBI, and Lehnis and Cook scored two runs.

Sinke pitched a one-hitter as the Mustangs shut out Clinton Valley in the first game, which was scoreless until Mid-America scored six runs in the fourth inning.

Kate Strahan and Lehnis were 2-for-3 and scored two runs. Lehnis also had two RBI. Bohneke and Jose scored a run and batted in one apiece.

Jose was the leading hitter in the win over East Detroit, going 3-for-4 with three RBI. Lehnis chipped in two hits, two RBI and two runs. Waslak and Cook added two hits each, Waslak two RBI and Cook one RBI.

In the game with Garden City, Lehnis had three hits in three trips to the plate, including a double and a triple. She scored two runs and knocked in one.

Waslak had two hits and two RBI, Bohneke scored three runs and Cook drove in one run.

The Mustangs, sponsored by Ford Motor Co., are managed by Ray Knickerbocker. John Sinke, Tommie Walker, Ron Movinski, Kathy Long and Bill Martin are the coaches.

Trio shares softball lead

The Majestics, the Commanders and the Spitfires are the early leaders in the Commercial Carpet Corporation Girls Fast-Pitch Softball League.

The eight teams in the league represent area high school teams and are composed of players from their respective schools.

The tri-leaders won double-headers Thursday to begin the season 2-0. The Cobras and Shags are 1-1, the Diamonds, Lazars and Fantastics 0-2.

The Commanders defeated the Fantastics 21-18 and 13-5. Rachel Allor was 5-for-5, Tracey McManamon 4-for-4 and April Switala 3-for-4 in the first game. Lori Shingledecker was the winning pitcher. Allor and Switala had two hits each in the second game, and McManamon got the pitching victory.

The Spitfires were 10-0 and 9-6 winners over the Lazars. Mary Jo Kelly was the winning pitcher in both games, and Gerlyn Kephrie had three hits, three stolen bases and three RBI in the first. Jenny Silva was 3-for-3.

The Majestics defeated the Diamonds 5-1 and 9-3. Krista Miller pitched a no-hitter for the Majestics and the Diamonds made seven errors in the first game. Karen Sereniet allowed only four hits but suffered the loss.

Debbie Dziekan tossed a two-hitter in the second game, striking out eight and walking four. Sereniet was the loser.

Jenny Banish and Carrie Quint had two hits each for the Majestics, and

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