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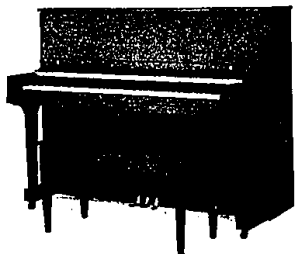
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Raiders tumble in loss to Chargers after strong start

North Farmington lost the momentum and, consequently, the volleyball match, too, as host Livonia Churchill rallied to take a 16-7, 16-4 victory Wednesday. "We started off really strong," North coach Deb Calanchi said. "We had a few great blocks, and we seemed to have Churchill on the run. "Then, all of a sudden, our serve reception and passing fell apart, and we didn't find it the rest of the evening. It was like a domino effect all night." The Raiders slipped to 4-2 in the Western Lakes Activities Association after winning their first four matches and are 14-8-6 overall. "North started with a 6-2 lead

VOLLEYBALL

in the first game. Calanchi called a timeout when the Chargers pulled even at 6-6, but the Raiders were unable to regain the momentum. "We just went south; we lost our aggressiveness," Calanchi said. "We needed a big play to spark the rest of the team, and nobody made it. "We had a chance to make a name for ourselves and just didn't step up." Melissa Traczyk was 5-for-6 hitting with two kills, but the Raiders had only four kills in the match. Elna Pihlits was 6-for-6

serving and Amy Berke 5-for-5. "We couldn't get the ball to the setter and, when we finally did, the set wasn't there," Calanchi said. "We didn't put all the pieces together." Churchill won the third game, 15-10. Brittany Pajewski, in the back row, and Ashley Lynch, as the backup setter, played well in the that game, Calanchi added.

Trojans lose at home Harper Woods Lutheran East spoiled Livonia Clarenceville's home opener Thursday in volleyball with an 8-15-15-5, 15-11 victory. The loss drops Clarenceville's record to 15-9 overall and 1-2 in the Metro Conference.

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and forth. The Hartland Invite was the first opportunity to throw our top six. "You have to play that game during the season. I want to get girls qualified for the regional, but I want them to compete in as many events as possible." At the Hartland Invite, Farmington finished second and was just three 10ths of a point out of first place. Northville-Nowi won the eight-team meet with a 144.45; Farmington scored 144.15, Hartland 144.10 and Brighton 143.35. In Division 1 all-around competition, Keesling tied for third (38.60) and Seymour was sixth (38.05). Keesling was fourth (9.05) on bars and Seymour sixth (9.00);

Seymour was fourth (8.95) on beam and Keesling fifth (8.8); Houchins was second (9.6) on floor, Keesling fourth (9.5) and Seymour sixth (9.35). In Division 2, Ulewicz was fifth (8.75) on vault and Warheit sixth (8.7); Olesko was second (8.95) on bars and Sherry seventh (8.4); Smith was third on beam (8.95) and floor (9.2). "They're just getting stronger; that's what I'm seeing now," Dwyer said of all the Farmington gymnasts. "They're getting stronger and more confident. They have a lot of talent, and it's starting to show."

FARMINGTON 144.10
WALLED LAKE 133.60
Jan. 24 at Farmington Training Center

Vault: 1. Clara Seymour (F), 9.01; 2. Lindsay Smith (F), 8.75; 3. (tie) Dana Warheit (F), Lindsay Brown (WL) and Sarah Chranowski (WL), 8.55.
Bars: 1. Clara Seymour (F), 9.3; 2. Chelsea Keesling (F), 9.2; 3. Lindsay Brown (WL), 9.05; 4. Natalie Olesko (F), 8.7; 5. Samantha Sherry (F), 8.45.
Beam: 1. Chelsea Keesling (F), 9.5; 2. Lindsay Smith (F), 9.1; 3. Clara Seymour (F), 8.95; 4. Natalie Olesko (F), 8.85; 5. (tie) Amy Gursky (WL) and Stephanie Schmitz (WL), 8.55.
Floor: 1. Chelsea Keesling (F), 9.55; 2. (tie) Clara Seymour (F) and Lindsay Smith (F), 9.35; 4. Samantha Sherry (F), 9.05; 5. (tie) Natalie Olesko (F) and Lindsay Brown (WL), 8.85.
All-around: 1. Clara Seymour (F), 38.75; 2. Chelsea Keesling (F), 38.60; 3. Natalie Olesko (F), 38.40; 4. Samantha Sherry (F), 38.40; 5. Dana Warheit (F), 38.30.

WRESTLING

LIVONIA STEVENSON 53
FARMINGTON HIGH 38
Jan. 24 at Farmington
103 pounds: Dan Robe (LS) d. Steve Russo, 20-10; 115: Dan McKillip (LS) won by major dec. over Andrew Anderson, 13-2; 119: Charlie Rabaut (LS) pinned Lance Dawson, 2:14; 128: Brian Holman (LS) won by technical fall over Andrew Semich, 15:0; 130: Pat McKillip (LS) won by major dec. over Rob Eustender, 15-2; 140: Mike Huh (F) d. Jared McClellan, 4-2; 148: Sean O'Halloran (LS) won by major dec. over Cam Murland, 11-0; 152: Matt Redley (LS) won by void;

160: Aram Markosian (LS) won by void; 171: Darin Mainella (LS) d. Nick Belsky, 7-2; 189: John Ledbetter (F) p. Kevin Domingo, 1:10; 218: Sarned Jaure (F) won by void; 278: Mike Robinson (LS) p. Adam Herdow, 0-51.
Dust-mat records: Stevenson, 2-2 WLAA Lakes Division, 10-10 overall; Farmington, 1-2 WLAA Lakes Division, 2-10 overall.
PLYMOUTH SALEM 61
NORTH FARMINGTON (intrans.)
Jan. 24 at Plymouth Salem
145 pounds: Tony Kennard (PS) pinned Daniel Perach, 4:30; 152: Adam Schaefer

(PS) pinned Adam Weintrob, 3:40; 160: Craig Blair (PS) pinned Matt Smith, 0:28; 171: Brian Schultz (PS) pinned John Whyard, 2:28; 189: Quentin Anst (PS) pinned Jared Stohett, 0:31; 218: Zach Jensen (PS) pinned Eric Shapiro, 3:42; 278: Jeremy Walker (PS) pinned Shawn Goodman, 0:28; 109: Brian Meryn (PS) won by void; 132: Mike Dendros (PS) won by void; 138: Pete Bobee (PS) d. Ramis Bajram, 12:7; 128: Mike Goethe (PS) won by void; 130: Brandon Sammut (PS) pinned Kevin Grasmick, 1:22; 38: Nathan Ollard (PS) pinned Kenick Peterson, 2:50; 240: Will Schultz (PS) pinned Derek Hartman, 1:44.

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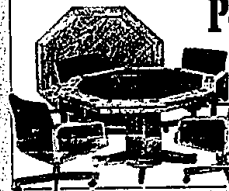
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