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MSU Maverick Basketball Newsletter

Inside the Johnson Alumni Room

The Johnson Alumni Room is a venue for Hoops Club Members to gather and promote the advancement of the MSU Basketball programs, network, and "talk hoops".

Each home conference game a local business has the opportunity to sponsor the Johnson Alumni Room. Local food vendors serve a snack between games and Pub 500 provides a beverage service. Dollars generated through these sponsorships go directly to the men's & women's basketball programs for team needs. The Johnson Alumni Room is open 1/2 hour prior to the women's game until the completion of the men's game.

Wednesday, February 24th

This will be the last game of the regular season events in the Johnson Alumni Room. Stop in and support Pub 500 while you "talk hoops".

Johnson Alumni Room Sponsors

-MinnStar Bank-

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Use your membership card for a discount on purchases from Barnes & Noble.



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Game News

Men's Basketball

The MSU men's basketball team earned a 93-79 victory over Concordia University. Senior guard Jermain Davis score a season-high 22 points and junior guard Jefferson Mason added 20 points and 12 rebounds. The double-double marked the eighth of the season for Mason and the 11th by a Maverick.

St. Cloud State earned a 92-84 victory over MSU Saturday evening. Junior guard Jefferson Mason led the Mavericks with 28 points. Senior center Travis Nelson led the Mavericks with 24 points. Mason also pulled in a team-high 13 rebounds for his third consecutive double-double of the season and the 10th of the season.

MSU (22-2 , 15-2 NSIC) and ranked seventh in the latest NABC Division II poll, travels to Southwest Minnesota (13-10, 8-9 NSIC) State Feb. 20, for an 8 p.m.contest. Tune into Am 1230 KYSM the Fan Mankato at roughly 7:40 p.m

News Flash.....

The MSU men's basketball team stayed 2nd in this week's NCAA Central Regional Rankings. Mesa State remains at the top of the rankings despite an 11-game win streak that was snapped last Saturday night at Western New Mexico.



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MSU Basketball Fundraiser Raffle

PURCHASE YOUR RAFFLE TICKET HERE

Only \$5.00 per ticket

Grand Prize - \$500.00
 2nd Place - Two (2) 2010-11 Basketball Season Tickets (\$310 value)
 3rd Place - Two (2) 2010-11 Basketball Season Tickets (\$310 value)
 4th Place - National Championship Women's Autographed Basketball (\$250 value)
 5th Place - National Championship Women's Autographed Basketball (\$250 value)
 6th Place - 2010-11 Basketball VIP Parking Pass (\$150 value)

Drawing will occur:
 Saturday, February 24th
 Halftime of Men's Basketball game

The Hoops Club is selling raffle tickets as a fundraiser to support the MSU Basketball Teams. Each ticket is \$5. Drawing for prizes will be during the last home game of the season.

1st Place is \$500 cash.

Raffle tickets can be purchased in the Johnson Alumni Room or from any Hoops Club Board member. Thank you for your support!!

The Hoops Club would like to thank the following Johnson Alumni Room Sponsors:

- ◆ Greater Mankato Growth's Young Professionals Group
- ◆ Subway Restaurants
- ◆ Southern Minnesota NAIFA
- ◆ Blethen, Gage & Krause
- ◆ Coulter, Schmidt & Klein Private Wealth Advisors
- ◆ Builders Association
- ◆ Programming Solutions
- ◆ MinnStar Bank
- ◆ Prairie Pride BBQ
- ◆ Pub 500
- ◆ Papa John's Pizza
- ◆ Topper's Pizza
- ◆ Weggy's Bar & Grill, Lake Crystal
- ◆ Loose Moose Bar & Grill
- ◆ WOW Zone
- ◆ Olives
- ◆ Johnny B's Sports Bar
- ◆ Tav on the Ave
- ◆ Angie's Kettle Corn



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Game News Cont.

Women's Basketball

The MSU Mavericks battled Concordia University Friday evening and were defeated, 72-59. MSU was led by Tiffany Moe with nine points and Liz Trauger posting eight points and bringing down five rebounds.

MSU was defeated by the Huskies of St. Cloud State in a close battle Saturday afternoon, 69-67. Leading the Mavericks in scoring was Laura Weber with 17 points. Weber earned her second career double-double as she brought down 12 rebounds. The Mavericks won the battle of the boards 36-30, dishing out 17 assists and grabbing five steals from the Huskies.

The Lady Mavs now 13-11 overall and 8-9 in the NSIC will travel to Marshall, Minn. to battle the Mustangs of Southwest Minnesota State (15-9, 9-8 NSIC) next Saturday, 6 p.m. game.

News Flash.....

MSU senior forward Liz Trauger (Livermore, Iowa) has been named to the ESPN the Magazine All-District V Second Team. To be eligible for the ESPN the Magazine Academic All-District teams, student-athletes must maintain a 3.30 grade point average. The teams are voted on upon by the College Sports Information Directors of America. Trauger owns a 3.83 GPA as an accounting and corporate finance major.