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About Northern Iowa

Teacher education remains the chief function of the University of Northern Iowa, but in recent years academic programs have been enlarged to offer degrees in non-teaching fields.

In subsequent years following 1967, when the Iowa General Assembly approved university status for UNI, non-teaching degrees added have included the Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Technology and Bachelor of Music.

New construction is evident throughout the campus. A new physical education complex opened in 1971, as did the first phase of a 278-unit married student housing development. A large, modern education center opened its doors in 1972 and shortly afterwards began on an addition to the library.

Perhaps the most exciting construction in the near future will be the multi-purpose Uni-Dome, a 12,000 seat coliseum that in addition to other functions will be the indoor home of Panther football. The fund drive for the Uni-Dome has passed the three-quarters mark and ground breaking is hoped for by 1974.

UNI's prowess in teacher education has left its mark on the physical education department, which turns out per capita the largest number of coaches in the state.

Maintenance of a well-rounded intercollegiate athletic program of primary interest to the UNI staff. The success of this endeavor is indicated by the fact that Panther teams have won the conference's all-sports trophy in two of the last three years.

The University retains membership in the National Collegiate Athletic Association, and is one of eight schools in the North Central Conference. A full round of 11 intercollegiate sports are sponsored by the conference, and have championship events. Other schools are Mankato State, Morningside, Augustana, South Dakota U., South Dakota State, North Dakota U., and North Dakota State.

Quick Facts About UNI

SCHOOL: University of Northern Iowa
LOCATION: Cedar Falls, Iowa 50613
FOUNDED: 1876
ENROLLMENT: 10,000
PRESIDENT: Dr. John J. Kamerick
CONFERENCE: North Central Conference
NICKNAME: Panthers
COLORS: Purple and Gold
HOME COURT: Men's Gymnasium (3,500)
1972-73 RECORD: Overall 11-13 — NCC: 6-8 (6th)
ATHLETIC DIRECTOR: Stan Sheriff
NATIONAL AFFILIATION: NCAA (College Division)
LETTERMEN LOST: 6 (six)
LETTERMEN RETURNING: 4 (four)
HEAD BASKETBALL COACH: Jim Berry (Creighton U., 1960)
1st year at UNI, 56-41 record—collegiate
ASSISTANT: Dan Breitbach
SPORTS INFORMATION DIRECTOR: George A. Ellis

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This book is designed to supply you with the basic information needed as you follow the Panthers through the current season. Photographs, features, or additional data will be sent upon request. Let us know your needs.

Space in Men's Gymnasium is extremely limited. Room is allotted for working press only in the press box. Passes will be issued on an individual game basis and requests must be received in the Sports Information Office no later than four days before the game.

Floor passes will be furnished only to photographers representing bona fide news media. Photographers should notify the Sports Information Office at least four days in advance of plans for game coverage.

Play-by-play account will be furnished at the end of each half. Complete half-time, final and individual statistics and shot charts will be offered both during and after the game.
A New Deal At Northern Iowa -- Jim Berry Heads It

The University of Northern Iowa has a new deal in 1973-74. Young, personable Jim Berry has taken over the reins of the Panthers and already he has made his presence felt even before the first game of the season. All Berry did in the short time since his selection in mid-March was to recruit one all-regional cager (6-1), one All-State selection (6-2) and two High School All-Americans (6-2, 6-9).

A Waterloo native, Berry graduated from West Waterloo and moved on to Creighton University in Omaha, Nebraska where he earned two All-American honors in basketball during the late 50s. Following his graduation from Creighton in 1960, he remained to serve as the assistant coach and head baseball coach until 1962.

A two-year stint in the armed forces followed but he continued coaching, directing service basketball and baseball teams. His basketball squads chalked up a fine 41-11 mark in two years.

High school basketball was next for Berry and he made Waterloo Columbus High a powerhouse, winning or tying for city titles, ranking several squads among the state’s top 10, and posting a 64-36 record over a five-year period.

His last stop before UNI was at Loras College where his Duhawk teams went 56-41, 50-26 over the last three seasons including three NAIA play-off teams.

An exciting player, an exciting coach, Berry is enthusiastic over the UNI program and its position in the North Central Conference. He plans to be a winner.

The Outlook

A very young, inexperienced University of Northern Iowa basketball team, headed by a new coach—36 year-old Jim Berry—will face a difficult and strong cage schedule in 1973-74 but the rebuilding campaign for Panther basketball is strongly scented with the sweet smell of optimism.

“We are young—there are no seniors on the squad—with only one starter back from the 1972-73 squad,” said coach Berry. A former All-American cager at Creighton University in the late 50s, Berry joined the UNI staff this spring after compiling a 51-41 record at Loras College (Iowa) including three NAIA District playoff teams.

His only returning starter is junior guard Joe Ferguson who was the second leading scorer on the squad with a 13.5 average last season. Three other lettermen are available—6-0 junior guard Rick Nielson, 6-5 junior forward Jim Davis, and 6-6 sophomore forward Bill Runchey—but none have extensive playing experience behind them.

“How quickly they (the team) can pick up our system of offense and defense,” continued the personable Berry, “could spell out how successful we are. If we can get by the first part of our schedule without getting too worried about the early-season scores, then we will be all right.”

And that early schedule promises to be very tough with Central Missouri State, Western Illinois and Big 8 powers University of Kansas and University of Nebraska on the slate. All but the Western Illinois contest are on the road. The Western Illinois contest is the second sandwiched between home opener Wisconsin State—Stevens Point and Westmar. The Panthers will also open the North Central Conference Holiday Tournament in Sioux Falls, S. D. in late December, facing NCC favorite University of North Dakota.

Perhaps a late but highly successful recruiting effort on Berry’s part could make the task easier in the latter half of the season. No less than eight freshmen will be on the roster including some lofty front line help and some outstanding guard court potential. The list has high school All-Americans Jim Riggett (6-9) of Eldora and Bill Barnhouse (6-2) of Oskaloosa on it.
Home Game Information

GAME SITE: Men's Gymnasium on the UNI campus. Located immediately east of O. R. Latham Stadium (football stadium).

GAME TIME: Varsity games start at 7:30 p.m. Preliminary games begin at 5:30 p.m. and should be completed by 7:00. Varsity teams may begin warmup at that time.

TEAM UNIFORM: Northern Iowa colors are purple and old gold. White jerseys with Navy Blue numbers will be worn by the Panthers at home. Navy Blue jerseys with Gold numbers will be worn on the road.

OFFICIALS: Assigned from registered, approved officials of the North Central Conference by Dr. Richard Koppenhaver, Commissioner, North Central Conference, Suite 232, Curtis Hotel, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

VISITING TEAM TICKETS: Contact Jim Rudd, Athletic Business Manager. Phone 273-2141.

PRACTICE: Men's Gymnasium is available for practice for visiting teams if arrangements are made in advance. Contact Jim Berry, Basketball Coach.

BASKETBALLS: Spaulding 100 will be used for all games. Practice balls will be supplied upon request.

DRESSING ROOMS: Visitors' dressing rooms are located at the Southeast corner of the Gym and can be entered through the Southeast entry.

PRESS PASSES, SCOUTING TICKETS, PICTURES, INFORMATION: Contact George A. Ellis, Sports Information Director. Phone 273-2761.

The Uni-Dome

Something for everyone... that's the tab. The proposed Uni-Dome for the University of Northern Iowa will be Iowa's 1st and only truly multi-purpose, domed coliseum. Construction of the $4.5 million dollar structure is tentatively scheduled for spring 1974. It will seat 12,19,000 for football. A completely removable artificial gridiron turf can be rolled up in 45 minutes revealing a base surface for basketball games, track, etc. Community and business-oriented groups will be able to use the coliseum for sales meetings, conventions and related activities. Pop music concerts, theatrical productions, circuses, shows and commencement exercises are special possibilities for the Uni-Dome.
## North Central Conference
### Final 1972-73 Standings

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### TEAM STATS

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2. Aug. 81.8
3. UNO 80.5
4. UNI 79.5

#### FG SHOOTING
1. SDSU .488
2. UNI .455
3. NDSU .450

#### REBOUNDS
1. SDSU 50.8
2. UNI 48.2
3. UNO 44.2

### INDIVIDUAL STATS

#### SCORING
1. Colburn, SDSU 23.3
2. FERGUSON, UNI 20.5
3. BEILKE, UNI 18.0
4. McCoy, UNI 17.0
5. Aug. 15.0

#### FG SHOOTING
1. Gibbons, NDSU .562
2. BEILKE, UNI .537
3. FERGUSON, UNI .515
4. Aug. .500

#### REBOUNDING
1. Iverson, USD 13.7
2. TIMION, UNI 13.2
3. Aug. 12.5
4. TIMION, UNI 12.0
5. FERGUSON, UNI 11.4
6. AUG. 11.0
7. McCoy, UNI 10.9
10-11 DAN COSTIGAN, 5-9, 165 Sophomore, Guard, Elkader, Iowa

Not a big man by basketball standards, scrappy Dan still figures into the UNI basketball picture. Saw limited action with the varsity last season but averaged 11.7 points per game on the junior varsity. Good free throw shooter, hitting 82 per cent for JVs. A second team All-State selection in high school at Central Elkader in 1972, Dan averaged over 20 points per game during his three varsity seasons at Elkader.

He was the top scorer for the JVs four different times including a 25-point effort. He is rated as a clever ball handler, a good shooter, and an excellent assist man. Son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Costigan of Elkader. His father played baseball at UNI. Dan is Majoring in Physical Education.

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12-13 DENNY ESLICK, 5-9, 160, Sophomore, Guard, Webster City, Iowa

A transfer from Wayne State College of Nebraska, this slick moving newcomer could be a big asset to the Panther attack. Started for the Wayne State junior varsity two years ago before transferring and sitting out last season. A two-year starter at Webster City for coach Fran Jones, he earned All-Conference honors.

Denny is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Daryl Eslick of Webster City. Denny plans a major in business education with a minor in physical Education.
14-15 RICK NIELSEN, 6-0, 165, Guard, Algona, Iowa

Played in half the Panther games last season while averaging a slim 1.0 ppg. Rick is being counted on heavily to give the Panthers leadership in the guard court, along with returning vet Joe Ferguson. Rick played with the junior varsity last season, averaging 10.3 ppg. over a 12-game stretch. If he can take command, the Panthers will be in good shape. Rick fired the assisting pass to Bill McCoy last season on the basket that set the school record for the now-graduated McCoy.

Very active in the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Rick won All-Conference and honorable mention All-State honors in high school for coach Howie Stephenson at Algona and won 9 major awards in football, basketball and track. He has a double major in physical education and safety education. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Nielsen of Algona. His father is a former UNI wrestler.

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20-21 BILL BARNHOUSE, 6-2, 170, Freshman, Guard, Oskaloosa, Iowa

A first team Iowa Daily Press Association All-State selection, Bill is one of a number of top freshmen recruits in the Panther camp. He averaged 18.0 points per game for Oskaloosa and coach Glenn Smith and earned high school honorable mention All-American honors as well. Bill is noted as a fine defensive player and a strong passer as well as his offensive talents.

Bill is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barnhouse of Oskaloosa.
**JOE FERGUSON, 6-2, 175, Junior, Guard, Ottumwa, Iowa**

The only returning starter on the 1973-74 Panther basketball squad, Joe will be expected to carry much of the outside punch for the UNI team. Averaged 13.5 points per game, totaling 324 points, second on the squad to graduated Bill McCoy. Led the team in assists with 81.

Joe played exceptional in the NCC as well, winding up 12th in league scoring with a 14.2 average, 12th in field goal shooting at .283, and 8th in assists with 47. For the season, he had excellent marks of .504 from the floor and .744 from the charity stripe. Joe was a member of the Ottumwa team of coach Bill Kramer that finished in the state high school tournament in 1971. He earned All-State and All-Tournament honors that season while averaging 22.0 points per game. Rated as an outstanding defensive player as well.

A major in physical education, Joe is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe P Ferguson of Ottumwa. Joe Jr. is married to the former Julie Edmonson.

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**GREG GOODMAN, 6-2, 185, Freshman, Guard, Grundy Center, Iowa**

Another one of those top-flight freshman recruits, Greg comes to Northern Iowa with a host of solid credentials. He earned 2nd team IDPA All-State honors as he averaged 26 points per game, 10 rebounds per game and shot 47 per cent from the field for coach Harry Doyle at Grundy Center. Labeled as a strong all-around player—able to play good defense and fire the accurate pass. Greg earned a phenomenal 14 varsity letters in six sports while in high school.

Still undecided about his major field, Greg is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Goodman of Grundy Center.
KEITH KROGMAN, 6-5, 190, Freshman, Forward, Clinton, Iowa

Joins the Panther ranks after outstanding high school career at Northeast High School of Goose Lake. Under Coach Dennis Howard, Keith earned All-Conference, All-Metro, All-Eastern Iowa, and honorable mention All-State honors. He was the team captain and most valuable player last year while scoring 428 points. Keith earned 12 letters at Northeast in football, basketball and track.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Raphael Krogman of Clinton, he plans on majoring in physical therapy.

RAY SCHWARZENBACH, 6-3, Sophomore, Forward, Lake Park, Iowa

A member of the 1973 cage squad at UNI, Ray saw limited action last season, playing in four games. Saw extensive duty with the junior varsity last year, scoring an average of 9.2 ppg. A strong high school performer, Ray earned All-Conference, All-NW Iowa, and All-State honors at Lake Park for coach Steve Barger. He is the holder of numerous records at Lake Park.

An honor student, Ray is majoring in math. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Schwarzenbach of Lake Park.

MIKE ROBERTS, 6-7, 195, Freshman, Forward, Cedar Falls, Iowa

A young athlete loaded with potential. A second team All-Big 8 selection, Mike could develop into a top performer. He just needs the seasoning. Earned letters at Cedar Falls in track and basketball, playing the cage sport under coach George Soverign.

An honor roll student, Mike plans on majoring in biology. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Roberts of Cedar Falls.
34-35 RANDY PODHASKI, 6-7, 200, Freshman, Forward, Waterloo (West) Iowa

Another exciting freshman that should prove to be an invaluable performer in future years. Randy earned All-Big 4, All-Big 8 conference, and honorable mention All-State honors in basketball at Waterloo West undercoach Dick Christy. He was team captain and MVP and set a school field goal record during the 1972-73 season.

In addition to basketball, Randy is an outstanding high jumper clearing 6-5 on several occasions and is expected to join the thincled team in the spring. Planning to major in physical education, Randy is the son of Mrs. Arline Podhaski of Waterloo.

40-41 'JIM DAVIS, 6-5, 190, Junior, Forward, Oskaloosa, Iowa

Played in 22 games last season, averaging 4.4 points per game as his 98 points ranked 6th in individual scoring last season. Jim has been a top reserve and should be ready to take over a starting role. Great high school credentials as he earned All-Conference, All-Area, and All-State honors at Oskaloosa High School under coach Glenn Smith.

A National Honor Society student in high school, Jim is a major in political science. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Davis of Des Moines.

DAVE PETERSEN, 6-5, 180, Sophomore, Forward, Estherville, Iowa

Broke in with the Panthers last season, participating in only one varsity contest while spending most of his playing time with the junior varsity squad. Averaged 6.7 ppg with the JVs. An All-Conference cager for two years at Estherville High under coach George Hess.

A history major, Dave is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Peterson of Estherville.
**42-43 NIC CLASSICK, 6-6, 220, Sophomore, Forward, Ames, Iowa**

A versatile performer, Nic got his taste of battle as a freshman last season playing as a reserve. Participated in 8 games, scoring 17 points for a 2.1 average. A rugged athlete, he can be effective both inside and outside. Earned All-Conference and All-State honors at Ames High School under coach George Duvall in addition to being his team's MVP and captain. Listed as his biggest achievement last season was the sweep the UNI JVs captured over Iowa, Iowa State and Drake in reserve cage games.

Nic is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Les Classick of Ames. Both parents attended UNI.

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**44-45 BILL RUNCHEY, 6-6, 195, Sophomore, West Bend, Iowa**

A good bet for the top big man on the UNI team this season. Gained considerable experience with the varsity last season, earning his letter as a freshman while playing 18 games. That experience has to pay off on this year's youthful team. Scored 51 points for a 2.8 ppg. average. Came to UNI with plenty of credentials—10 major awards in four sports, 3 years All-Conference, 5th team All-State, and a host of school cage records at West Bend under coach Dan Medeck.

A physical education major, Bill is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Runchey of West Bend.

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50-51 DOUG JOHNSON, 6-10, 220, Freshman, Center, Belvidere, Illinois

A highly recruited prize, Doug is an excellent example of Coach Berry's hopes for the future. Averaged 16.4 points per game and 12 rebounds per game while winning All-Big 9 conference and All-Regional cage honors. Played for Coach Jim Hansen at Belvidere, Illinois. Should be right in the thick of the fire despite lack of collegiate experience.

Planning on a career in business, Doug is an honor student. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnson of Belvidere, Illinois.

52-53 JIM RIGGERT, 6-9, 215, Freshman, Center, Eldora, Iowa

A big man in Coach Berry's plans, Jim will combine with Doug Johnson to give the Panthers a real threat in the front court. Had an outstanding career at Eldora High School for Coach George Maurer. Scored 21.5 points per game last year and averaged 17.2 rebounds pg. He finished with 1,257 career points and 1,126 career rebounds. Jim earned 3rd team All-State honors last season and was an honorable mention All-American pick. Jim is talented enough to be a threat both inside and outside as well as an outstanding rebounder.

Majoring in Business, this honor student is the son of Mrs. Bernice Riggert of Eldora.

54-55 ROD WEIKERT, 6-7, 215, Junior, Forward, Cedar Falls, Iowa

The only experienced player in the center position, Rod sat out the 1972-73 season. He played with the varsity briefly in 1971-72, appearing in four games. A former Cedar Falls cager where he played for Coach George Soverign, he was a member of the 1970 Big 8 Conference title team.

Another honor roll student, Rod is pursuing a career in business management. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Roy Weikert. Rod's brother Jerry is a former UNI cager.
### 1972-73 Northern Iowa Basketball - Final Stats

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**Nort Central Conference**
WISCONSIN STATE
STEVENS POINT

DECEMBER 4 in CEDAR FALLS

Location: Stevens Point, Wisconsin
Enrollment: 8,000
Fieldhouse: Quant Gym (4,500)
Nickname: Pointers
Colors: Blue and Gold
Head Coach: Bob Krueger
Years/Record: 10 years
1972-73 Record: 7-17
Sports Information: Don Amiot
Conference: Wisconsin State U.
Conf. Record and Finish: 4-12 (8th)
Lettermen Lost: 6
Starters Returning: 3
Honor Candidates: Cal Kuphall, 5-10, G; Bruce Weinkauf, 6-2, G.

CENTRAL MISSOURI
STATE UNIVERSITY

DECEMBER 7 in WARRENSBURG, MO.

Location: Warrensburg, Missouri
Enrollment: 10,000
Fieldhouse: Garrison Gym (3,600)
Nickname: Mules
Colors: Cardinal and Black
Head Coach: Jim Kampen
Years/Record 1 yr., 12-14
1972-73 Record 12-14
Sports Information: Dean Vogelaar
Conference: Missouri Intercollegiate
Conf. Record and Finish: 4-8 (tie 5th)
Lettermen Lost: 4
Starters Returning: 6
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Honor Candidates: Deon Kayhill, 6-4, F; Craig Shour, 7-0, C.

WESTERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY

DECEMBER 14 in CEDAR FALLS
FEBRUARY 19 in MACOMB, ILLINOIS

Location: Macomb, Illinois
Enrollment: 14,000
Field House: Western Hall (8,500)
Nickname: Leathernecks
Colors: Purple and Gold
Head Coach: Walt Moore
Years/Record: 1st year, no record
1972-73 Record: 11-14
Sports Information: Larry Heimburer
Conference: Independent
Lettermen Lost: 6
Lettermen Returning: 3
Starters Returning: 2
Honor Candidates: Bob Hunter, 6-3, F; Walt Burwell, 6-11, C.

UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS

DECEMBER 8 in LAWRENCE, KANSAS

Location: Lawrence, Kansas
Enrollment: 18,500
Field House: Allen Fieldhouse: (17,000)
Nickname: Jayhawks
Colors: Crimson and Blue
Head Coach: Ted Owens
Years/Record: 9 yrs., 168-76
1972-73 Record: 8-18
Sports Information: Don Baker
Conference: Big 8
Conf. Record and Finish: 4-10 (tie 6th)
Lettermen Lost: 2
Starters Returning: 9
Honor Candidates: Tom Kivisto, 6-2, G; Rick Suttle, 5-9, C.

WES T M AR COLLEGE

DECEMBER 15 in CEDAR FALLS

Location: LeMars, Iowa
Enrollment: 900
Field House: Phys-Ed. Center, (1,500)
Nickname: Eagles
Colors: Blue and White
Head Coach: Paul Knudtsen
Years/Record: 16 years, 190-194
1972-73 Record: 15-10
Sports Information: Neil Ersland
Conference: Tri-State
Conf. Record and Finish: 6-4 (2nd)
Lettermen Lost: 3
Lettermen Returning: 7
Starters Returning: 2
Honor Candidates: Al Stoner, 6-1, G; Al Wierda, 6-6, C.

UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA

DECEMBER 20 in LINCOLN, NEBRASKA

Location: Lincoln, Nebraska
Enrollment: 21,600
Field House: Coliseum (8,500)
Nickname: Cornhuskers
Colors: Scarlet and Cream
Head Coach: Joe Clario
Sports Information: Don Bryant
Years/Record: 10 years, 137-117
1972-73 Record: 9-17
Conference: Big 8
Conf. Record and Finish: 4-10 (tie 6th)
Lettermen Lost: 3
Lettermen Returning: 6
Starters Returning: 3
Honor Candidate: Jerry Fort, 6-3, G.
### UNIVERSITY OF NORTH DAKOTA

**Date:** December 27 in Sioux Falls, S. D.
**Date:** January 26 in Cedar Falls
**Date:** February 22 in Grand Forks, N. D.

- **Location:** Grand Forks, N. D.
- **Enrollment:** 8,400
- **Fieldhouse:** UNO Fieldhouse (7,500)
- **Nickname:** Sioux
- **Colors:** Green and White
- **Head Coach:** Dave Gunther
- **Years/Record:** 3 years, 48-28
- **1972-73 Record:** 16-10

**University Information:**
Lee Bohnet
Conference: North Central
Conference Record and Finish: 8-6 (4th)

**Lettermen Lost:** 3
**Lettermen Returning:** 7
**Starters Returning:** 2
**Honor Candidates:** Don Gunhus, 6-5, F.

### MANKATO STATE COLLEGE

**Date:** January 5 in Cedar Falls
**Date:** February 9 in Mankato, Minn.

- **Location:** Mankato, Minnesota
- **Enrollment:** 10,000
- **Fieldhouse:** Highland Arena (6,000)
- **Nickname:** Indians
- **Colors:** Purple and Gold
- **Head Coach:** Lloyd Raymond
- **Years/Record:** 1st year, no record
- **1972-73 Record:** 9-16

**Sports Information:** Brad Monroe
Conference: North Central
Conference Record and Finish: 5-9 (7th)

**Lettermen Lost:** 7
**Lettermen Returning:** 6
**Starters Returning:** 1
**Honor Candidates:** Mike Peroutka, 6-3, G.

### SOUTH DAKOTA STATE UNIVERSITY

**Date:** January 12 in Brookings, S. D.
**Date:** February 15 in Cedar Falls

- **Location:** Brookings, S. D.
- **Enrollment:** 6,800
- **Fieldhouse:** Frost Arena (6,500)
- **Nickname:** Jackrabbits, Tacks
- **Colors:** Yellow and Blue
- **Head Coach:** Jim Marking
- **Years/Record:** 8 years, 137-68
- **1972-73 Record:** 18-8

**Sports Information:** Dave Martin
Conference: North Central
Conference Record and Finish: 8-6 (4th)

**Lettermen Lost:** 3
**Lettermen Returning:** 8-6 (4th)
**Starters Returning:** 2
**Honor Candidates:** Rich Gerry, 6-1, G; Ron Wiblemo, 6-0, G.

### NORTH DAKOTA STATE UNIVERSITY

**Date:** January 25 in Cedar Falls
**Date:** February 23 in Fargo, N. D.

- **Location:** Fargo, N. D.
- **Enrollment:** 6,500
- **Fieldhouse:** New Fieldhouse (8,000)
- **Nickname:** Bison
- **Colors:** Green and Gold
- **Head Coach:** Marv Skaar
- **Years/Record:** 1 year, 14-12
- **1972-73 Record:** 14-12

**Sports Information:** Del Johnson
Conference: North Central
Conference Record and Finish: 7-7 (5th)

**Lettermen Lost:** 4
**Lettermen Returning:** 7
**Starters Returning:** 4
**Honor Candidates:** Mark Gibbons, 6-5, F; Mark Emerson, 6-3, G.

### AUGUSTANA COLLEGE

**Date:** January 11 in Sioux Falls, S. D.
**Date:** February 16 in Cedar Falls

- **Location:** Sioux Falls, S. D.
- **Enrollment:** 2,100
- **Fieldhouse:** S. F. Arena (10,000)
- **Nickname:** Vikings
- **Colors:** Blue and Gold
- **Head Coach:** Mel Klein
- **Years/Record:** 2 years, 30-22
- **1972-73 Record:** 17-9

**Sports Information:** Larry Borgum
Conference: North Central
Conference Record and Finish: 9-5 3rd

**Lettermen Lost:** 2
**Lettermen Returning:** 10
**Starters Returning:** 3
**Honor Candidates:** Davor Rukavina, 6-9, F; Neil Klutman, 6-2, G.

### EASTERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY

**Date:** January 28 in Cedar Falls

- **Location:** Charleston, Illinois
- **Enrollment:** 8,000
- **Fieldhouse:** Lantz Gym (6,800)
- **Nickname:** Panthers
- **Colors:** Blue and Gray
- **Head Coach:** Don Eddy
- **Years/Record:** 5 years, 71-63
- **1972-73 Record:** 10-16

**Sports Information:** Dave Kidwell
Conference: Independent
Conference Record and Finish: 7-7 (5th)

**Lettermen Lost:** 7
**Lettermen Returning:** 3
**Starters Returning:** 0
**Honor Candidates:** Rob Pinnell, 6-7, F.
### UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH DAKOTA
**February 1 in Vermillion, S. D. March 2 in Cedar Falls**

- **Location:** Vermilion, S. D.
- **Enrollment:** 5,300
- **Fieldhouse:** Armory (2,600)
- **Nickname:** Coyotes
- **Colors:** Vermillion (Red) and White
- **Head Coach:** Jack Doyle
- **Years/Record:** Last year, no record
- **1972-73 Record:** 17-9
- **Sports Information:** Ron Lenz
- **Conference:** North Central
- **Record and Finish:** 10-4 (2nd)
- **Lettermen Lost:** 7
- **Lettermen Returning:** 4
- **Starters Returning:** 2
- **Honor Candidates:** Charlie Cutler, S-11, G.

### MORNSINGSIDE COLLEGE
**February 2 in Sioux City, Iowa March 1 in Cedar Falls**

- **Location:** Sioux City, Iowa
- **Enrollment:** 1,200
- **Fieldhouse:** Allee Gym (4,500)
- **Nickname:** Maroon Chiefs
- **Colors:** Maroon and White
- **Head Coach:** Dan Callahan
- **Years/Record:** Last year, no record
- **1972-73 Record:** 0-24
- **Sports Information:** Lonnie Rogers
- **Conference:** Independent
- **Record and Finish:** 0-14 (8th)
- **Lettermen Lost:** 5
- **Lettermen Returning:** 5
- **Starters Returning:** 2
- **Honor Candidates:** Scott Burgason, 6-6, F.

### BRIAR CLIFF COLLEGE
**February 7 in Cedar Falls**

- **Location:** Sioux City, Iowa
- **Enrollment:** 800
- **Fieldhouse:** Sioux City Auditorium (3,000)
- **Nickname:** Chargers
- **Colors:** Blue and White
- **Head Coach:** Ray Nacks
- **Years/Record:** 3 years
- **1972-73 Record:** 7-16
- **Sports Information:** Lonnie Rogers
- **Conference:** Independent
- **Record and Finish:** 0-14 (8th)
- **Lettermen Lost:** 5
- **Lettermen Returning:** 5
- **Starters Returning:** 2
- **Both Teams, Game:** 217 (UNI 119, Aug. 98), 1967-8
- **Highest Average, Season:** 88.1 (22 Games), 1967-8
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- **Biggest Margin, For:** 64 (UNI 96, 1967-8)
- **Biggest Margin, Against:** 43 (SDSU 121, 1945-6)

### Individual Records

#### INDIVIDUAL POINTS
- **Game:** 40, Jerry Waugh (vs UND), 1967-68
- **Season:** 550, Bill McCoy, 1970-71
- **Career:** 1,713, Bill McCoy, 1969-73 (4 Seasons)

#### FREE THROWS
- **Game:** 19, McCoy (vs Bemidji), 1970-71
- **Season:** 212, McCoy, 1970-71
- **Career:** 579, McCoy, 1969-73
- **Consecutive Game:** 17, Jessen (vs SDSU), 1964-5
- **Consecutive:** 32, McCoy, 1971-72

#### FIELD GOALS
- **Game:** 16, Craig Kneppe (vs SDSU), 1964-5
- **Season:** 192, Duane Josephson, 1963-64
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The Northern Iowa Staff

Head, Physical Education-Athletics ........................................... Dr. William Thrall
Athletic Director ................................................................. Stan Sheriff
Athletic Business Manager ....................................................... Jim Rudd
Sports Information Director ...................................................... George A. Ellis
Head Football Coach .............................................................. Stan Sheriff
Head Wrestling Coach ............................................................. Chuck Patten
Head Track, Cross Country Coach ................................................ Jack Jennett
Head Gymnastics Coach ........................................................... Glen Stych
Head Swimming Coach ............................................................ J. D. Anderson
Head Baseball Coach .............................................................. Dr. Ken Green
Head Golf Coach ................................................................. Dr. Peter Mazula
Head Tennis Coach ............................................................... Elmer Kortemeyer

Major UNI News Outlets

Waterloo Daily Courier
   (Russ Smith, Sports Editor)
Cedar Falls Record
   (Terry Herson, Sports Editor)
Des Moines Register
   (Randy Witke, Sports Writer)
Cedar Rapids Gazette
   (Gus Schrader, Sports Editor)
Dubuque Telegraph-Herald
   (Hal Lagerstrom, Sports Editor)
Northern Iowan, UNI
Associated Press, Des Moines
United Press Int., Des Moines
KWWL-TV-Radio, Waterloo
   (Dave Pierce, Sports Director)
KCFI-Radio, Cedar Falls
KXEL-Radio, Waterloo
WMT-TV, Cedar Rapids
   (Ron Gonder, Sports Director)
KCRG-TV, Cedar Rapids
   (Bob Brooks, Sports Director)
WHO-TV, Des Moines
   (Jim Zabel, Sports Director)
KRNT-TV, Des Moines
   (Pete Taylor, Sports Director)

YOUR HOST AT UNI

George A. Ellis joined the Northern Iowa sports staff in October as Sports Information Director replacing Rod Williamson who moved to Iowa State as an assistant. He served as SID at Morningside College for 5 years prior to coming to UNI. A graduate of Morningside, Ellis won 4 national awards for his football programs and brochures while at Morningside. A former collegiate wrestler at Morningside, Ellis is 28 and married with one son.

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