

Florida Lottery

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■ CASH 3

May 21N.....	7-9-7
May 21D.....	6-0-9
May 20N.....	7-9-7
May 20D.....	6-0-9
May 19N.....	9-1-5
May 19D.....	3-7-9
D-Day, N-Night	

■ PLAY 4

May 21N.....	9-7-6-3
May 21D.....	6-5-9-0
May 20N.....	9-7-6-3
May 20D.....	6-5-9-0
May 19N.....	8-1-9-0
May 19D.....	3-7-7-8
D-Day, N-Night	

■ FANTASY 5

May 21.....	4-5-6-9-29
May 20.....	5-9-18-29-32
May 19.....	5-21-22-27-33
PAYOFF FOR MAY 20	
2 5-digit winners	\$95,813.71
256 4-digit winners	\$120.50
8,625 3-digit winners	\$10
83,718 2-digit winners	free ticket

■ LOTTO

May 18.....	1-11-19-33-37-49
May 15.....	5-6-13-33-35-40
May 11.....	20-23-26-32-41-46
PAYOFF FOR MAY 18	
0 6-digit winners	\$11M
48 5-digit winners	\$4,565.50
2,674 4-digit winners	\$68
54,226 3-digit winners	\$5

■ MEGA MONEY

May 17.....	2-4-11-32
MegaBall.....	8
PAYOFF FOR MAY 17	
0 4-of-4 MB.....	\$500,000
6 4-of-4.....	\$1,153.50
52 3-of-4 MB.....	\$291.50
1,076 3-of-4.....	\$42
1,630 2-of-4 MB.....	\$19

■ POWERBALL

May 18.....	10-13-14-22-52
Powerball.....	11
...	
May 15.....	2-11-26-34-41
Powerball.....	32
PAYOFF FOR MAY 18	
1 5 of 5 + PB.....	\$600M
2 5 of 5.....	\$1,000,000
26 4 of 5 + PB.....	\$10,000
886 4 of 5.....	\$100
ESTIMATED JACKPOT	
\$40 million	

■ MEGA MILLIONS

May 21.....	2-15-17-48-55
Powerball.....	11
...	
May 17.....	11-15-35-43-49
Powerball.....	41
PAYOFF FOR MAY 17	
0 5 of 5 + MB.....	\$190M
0 5 of 5.....	\$250,000
2 4 of 5 + MB.....	\$10,000
138 4 of 5.....	\$150

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■ COLLEGE BASEBALL: Atlantic Sun

Eagles want to land NCAA bid

By **GREG ZECK**
SPORTS WRITER

FORT MYERS — Many of Florida Gulf Coast University's baseball players are taking a "do or die" approach to this week's Atlantic Sun Conference tournament in DeLand.

It's for good reason, too. On top of the six seniors or graduate students on the squad, there are a half dozen more draft-eligible juniors that have a strong chance at being selected by a major league team in June.

Today's matchup with Kennesaw State in the team's opening game will be the first test for the Eagles in search of a berth in the NCAA tournament.

The showdown proves to be one that is far from easy for FGCU. Though Ricky Knapp (9-2, 2.02 ERA) is scheduled to pitch, the Eagles will be going against one of the best — if not

the best — pitcher in the conference, Stephen Janas (8-0, 0.81 ERA).

FGCU took two of three in the regular season series but Kennesaw State's win came in Janas' start that saw him throw seven innings of one-run baseball on seven hits and a walk with six strikeouts.

"It will be another war," Eagles coach Dave Tollett said. "We were hoping they would be in the field as a sixth seed and that we wouldn't have to see him Game 1. We feel comfortable, but it's just a tough matchup."

Regardless, the laid-back Eagles are more excited than anxious for the opportunity

ALL-CONFERENCE EAGLES

Six Florida Gulf Coast University baseball players earned all-Atlantic Sun Conference honors, announced Tuesday:

- FIRST TEAM**
2B Brandon Bednar, Jr.
OF Sean Dwyer, Jr.
SP Ricky Knapp, Jr.
- SECOND TEAM**
OF Michael Suchy, So.
- FRESHMEN TEAM**
SP Michael Murray
3B/DH Nick Rivera

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necessarily nerves, but we're prepared. We're not overwhelmed by it; it's another series of games that we've got to go out and win."

The Eagles are projected to be on the cusp of making the NCAA tournament. Their surest path is winning the conference tournament. With a record of 37-18, Tollett figures three more wins would make a compelling argument for an at-large birth.

"It would put us over 40, and that's hard to ignore," he said. "Thirty-seven is a really good year, but 40 is a great year. We just have to take it one game at a time."

But baseball is a game predicated on random events, and with rainy conditions expected throughout the tournament's duration, the winning team will undoubtedly catch a few breaks. "There's five teams that can win it, so you've got to be lucky this week," Tollett said.

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■ COLLEGE BASEBALL: Big Ten

Thawing out the first pitch

By **DAVE CAMPBELL**
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MINNEAPOLIS — With Indiana in the midst of maybe the best season in the baseball program's history, coach Tracy Smith had an admission to make before the Big Ten tournament began. If the top-seeded Hoosiers don't win the double-elimination draw this weekend, well, he wouldn't mind all that much.

"Don't think that we're not going to win this thing. I don't want that to get out there. But there's that small piece of me that says I wouldn't be that disappointed

because I think that's good for our conference," Smith said. "The more we get in the NCAA tournament, the better we're all going to look."

Because of obvious geographical factors, baseball has never been the Big Ten's strongest sports. This year, though, the quality of the conference is strong enough, they've been hoping, to send a handful of teams to the NCAA tournament.

The Hoosiers (40-13) are the top seed and all but guaranteed a spot. They're 12th in the latest Baseball America national poll, and their ranking in the Ratings Percentage Index that

steers NCAA tournament selection criteria is 14th. Fifth-place Illinois is 17th. Michigan State (33-17), which finished seventh and missed the cut for the conference tournament, has the 36th-best RPI score and thus a chance to be selected.

If No. 2 Ohio State, No. 3 Nebraska, No. 4 Minnesota or No. 6 Michigan emerges as the winner, then the Big Ten will be in position for a healthy showing when the NCAA tournament is picked. The event begins on today at Target Field, the home of the Twins and the first major league site in the history of the tournament.

DETAIL

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"I'm a contact guy, I'm not going to try and throw it by guys," Knapp said. "That's how I was taught to think of the game ... I'm trying to go out there and throw nine innings every time I pitch, and I can't do that going full-bore."

Knapp's fastball usually works around the mid-to-high 80s and can touch up to around 90 mph, but he has a changeup and slider that work well off it while also working in a curveball.

And while the numbers on the radar gun may not be outstanding, the rest of the stat sheet is, which is why he's taking the mound today for FGCU in its opening game of the Atlantic Sun tournament against Kennesaw State in DeLand. The right-hander will not only be attempting to give the Eagles an NCAA tournament birth, but also himself a final opportunity to impress major league scouts.

Knapp is 9-2 this season in 13 starts and has a 2.02 ERA over 93 2/3 innings. His 70 strikeouts lead the team but with 15 walks this season, Eagles coach Dave Tollett said Knapp's approach when he takes the mound is second to none of the players he's coached in his 11 years at the helm.

"He's probably the best that's ever pitched here on the mental side of it," said Tollett, who coached Chicago White Sox ace Chris Sale. "He's constantly knowing what he wants to do with the baseball, knows his limits. He said today, 'If I get to the ninth, I'm not going to try and blow by them, I'm going to pitch smarter,' and that's Ricky."

Considering what

resources Knapp had available to him, it's no reason he became such a dominant pitcher.

An alumnus of Port Charlotte High School, Knapp is the son of former Detroit Tigers pitching coach Rick Knapp, who is currently the Los Angeles Dodgers assistant minor league pitching coordinator.

The Tigers selected the younger Knapp in the 44th round of the 2010 amateur draft but he decided to enroll at FGCU for two main reasons: the proximity to home and the tutelage of Tollett and assistant coach Forrest Martin.

But the sort of success that Knapp garnered with the Pirates, including an all-state selection, didn't immediately follow him to Fort Myers.

He tied for the team lead in wins and was named to the A-Sun all-freshman team but had a 5.06 ERA. Thanks to a trip to the Northwoods League that summer, Knapp returned to the Eagles better than ever, thanks to mental development.

"I wasn't really throwing enough strikes and was getting hit when I was," Knapp said. "They say the game speeds up at all levels but you don't really realize it until you actually play in a game. You work through it and learn how to have success, learn to say 'I don't have my stuff today, so I have to command better.' It was just learning to make adjustments from pitch to pitch instead of batter to batter."

Knapp also learned how to trust in his stuff, knowing the process would ultimately prevail. That meant trying to convert as many outs as quickly as possible with a goal of keeping each batter to three or fewer pitches.

"I don't even want to get

to a 2-1 (count)," Knapp said. "I want to put him away 1-1, 0-1, 1-0. I want to keep the pitch count low. If he gets to 1-2, I might then try to put him away because that's a force-action count, and then there's a couple different things I can do."

Now in the middle of a successful junior campaign, Knapp acknowledged that the number of times he puts on an Eagles uniform are just a handful; today could potentially be his last start. Knapp is draft eligible again this June and his stock probably wouldn't get much higher in another year because even if he did have better numbers, he would be a year older.

Knapp said he gets excited at the thought of being selected and continuing to pursue his dream of making it to the major leagues.

"I wasn't considered a prospect out of high school, so it's pretty cool, and seeing that for our team is just awesome," Knapp said. "Obviously our basketball team had all the hype with the Sweet 16, but we have something pretty special with the baseball team with a lot of guys that can keep playing professionally."

Tollett even seemed resigned to the fact that he won't have the luxury of calling Knapp, who he thinks can go anywhere between Rounds 3-10, much longer but is thrilled he's had the opportunity to have the right-hander on the Eagles.

"Ricky has been fantastic for three years, and we're going to miss him," Tollett said. "He's going to be drafted pretty decently ... It only takes one team to like him like we did."

Just how the blueprint read.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

BASEBALL

IRONPIGS tryouts: Travel teams for 9U, 10U, 11U, 12U, 13U, and 14U age groups, 10 a.m. to noon Aug. 3-4 at 1185 O'Donnell Blvd., Port Charlotte. No fee for tryouts. Call Wayne, 941-626-1274 or email wayne1harrell@yahoo.com

Imagine Sharks camp: June 10-13, 9 a.m.-noon, at Atwater Park. Open to ages 8-14. Cost: \$90/week (second and subsequent children from same family: \$75) or \$25 per day. Registration deadline: June 7. Registration forms can be obtained at the front desk of Imagine School or online. Contact coach Bryant Sturz, bdoug9@comcast.net

BOXING

Youth and adult classes: Male and female. 6-8 p.m. Monday-Friday at 24710 Sandhill Blvd. in Deep Creek. Training and/or competition. Member of USA Boxing. Call 239-292-9230 or visit CharlotteHarborBoxing.com, www.facebook.com/CharlotteHarborBoxingGymnasium.

FOOTBALL

Pirate camp: 6-8 p.m. May 29 at Port Charlotte High School for grades K-8. Cost: \$30. Call 941-255-7485, ext. 3133.

North Port Huskys registration: Includes cheerleading, ages 5-14 (no weight restrictions). 6:30-8 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays at Butler Park. Cost: \$100 before May 31. Call Beth, 941-993-5590.

Charlotte Warriors registration: Includes cheerleading, June 6 (6-8 p.m.), June 8 (10 a.m.-2 p.m.), June 27 (6-8 p.m.) and June 29 (10 a.m.-2 p.m.) at Carmalita Athletic Park, Punta Gorda. Ages 5-15. Cost: \$150. Registration forms at www.charlottewarriors.com or call Kelly at 941-286-5082.

Port Charlotte Bandit registration: Includes cheerleading, ages 5-15, 10 a.m.-2 p.m., June 22. Cost: \$150. Visit www.portcharlottebandits.com or call Les, 941-629-8604.

GOLF

Provo Open: 8:30 a.m. shotgun start July 13, The Hills at Rotonda Golf & Country Club. Four-player, best ball scramble. Cost: \$85 player, \$325 team. Call Dennis, 941-697-0779 or email denpro@embarqmail.com.

Englewood Youth Soccer Association tournament: 8:30 a.m. shotgun start June 8 at The Hills at Rotonda Golf & Country Club. Cost: \$65 player. Call 941-270-7569 or 941-662-6457.

KICKBALL

CC Adult Sports: Games at 7 p.m. and 8:15 p.m. on Thursdays at Englewood Sports Complex adult softball fields. Call 941-209-5924.

LACROSSE

Youth league seeks volunteer coach: For spring program in Charlotte County. Ages 10-15, boys and girls. Assistance available. Call Don, 941-743-5016.

RUNNING

Carillon Classic 5K Run & Walk: 7:30 a.m. May 25 at Bok Tower Gardens, Lake Wales. Cost: \$30. To register, Active.com or FPRAPolk.com.

FGCU cross country camp: June 24-28 at FGCU. Cost: \$465 (resident camp), \$355 (day camp — commuters). Conducted by FGCU coach Cassandra Goodson. Group/individual instruction, including race strategy, injury prevention and nutrition.

SAILING

Sail camp: Ages 9-17, two sessions (June 3-7, July 8-12), 8:30-4 p.m., Cost: \$125 (Charlotte Harbor Community Sailing Center members) or \$175 nonmembers. Registration forms at www.thesailingcenter.org.

Punta Gorda Sailing Club: Racing and cruising programs for all ages. Call Bill, 781-910-3217 or visit pgscweb.com.

Charlotte Harbor Multihull Association: For multihull owners or those interested in them. No dues. Meets 6 p.m. first Monday of each month at Harpoon Harry's. Visit <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/CHMA/> or call Ron, 941-876-6667.

SOCCER

YMCA indoor league registration: Open to boys and girls ages 6-12, at Charlotte County YMCA (Franz Ross Park, Port Charlotte). Cost: \$38 members/\$60 nonmembers. Visit CharlotteCountyYMCA.com or call 629-9622.

Englewood Youth Soccer Association: Competitive team tryouts 9 a.m. June 1. Visit www.englewoodsoccer.com for more details.

SWIMMING

Charlotte County Swimming: Year-round USA Swimming team provides instruction and competition ages 6 and up. Visit www.ccswwim.org or call Susan, 941-628-1510.

FGCU swimming camp: June 8-13, June 17-21 and June 22-23 at FGCU. Cost: \$105 (resident camp), \$80 (day camp) for first session; \$545 (resident camp), \$385 (day camp), \$200 (half-day camp) for second and third sessions. Conducted by FGCU coach Neal Studd. Group/individual instruction, including race strategy, injury prevention and nutrition.

TENNIS

Tennis instruction: Age 5 to adult, at Franz Ross Park YMCA. Register at CharlotteCountyYMCA.com or call 941-629-9622.

Rotonda QuickStart: Free lessons for parents and kids (12-under), 10-11 a.m. Saturdays, Rotonda Park. Rackets and balls provided. Call 941-698-9480.

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