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Postseason Basketball Special

Perfection fades late for Kagan, Stone

Former co-leaders' late-night record of 1-3 leads to seven-way tie at day's end

LRT NCAA Men's Pool Standings

- 1. Jeff Cultrera, 65 Mike Duensing, 65 Ben Fairclough, 65 Matt Kagan, 65 Chris Manzione, 65 Mrs. Stone, 65 Shaun Sullivan, 65
- 8. Jenn Castelhano, 60
 Milan Cisar, 60
 Justin Gerace, 60
 Mike Mierkiewicz, 60
 Allyson Perlini, 60
 Joe Ploszay, 60
 Bryan Rudolph, 60
 Tim Stevens, 60
 Todd Stigliano, 60
 Kate Wright, 60
 David Zinkerman, 60
- **19.** Sixteen players tied at 55 points apiece.

Complete standings, please see page 2.

Senior Matt Kagan and teacher Bonnie Stone were riding high.

Both contestants in *The Living Room Times*'s fourth annual moneyless men's basketball pool were perfect in their predictions about the first twelve NCAA tournament games, and were locked in a two-way tie for first place heading into the fourth wave of first-round games Thursday.

Then the late-night results began coming in. Kagan and

Stone had overestimated George Washington. They had underestimated Detroit. They had, like most everyone else, ignored Weber State. As a result, they had gone 1-3 in their picks for Friday's late-night games—and had seen their records plummet from 12-0 to 13-3 in the course of less than an hour.

"wave" of

games:

Matt Kagan

Mrs. Stone

Shaun Sullivan

Jeff Cultrera

Chris Manzione

1st

4-0

4-0

4-0

4-0

4-0

2nd

4-0

4-0

4-0

3-1

3-1

<u>wave</u> <u>wave</u> <u>wave</u> <u>wave</u>

3rd

4-0

4-0

3-1

4-0

3-1

4th

1-3

1-3

2-2

2-2

3-1

Eleven participants tied at 12-4

Sixteen participants tied at 11-5

When it was all over, North Carolina and UCLA were eliminated from the tournament, Indiana was into the second round, and seven contestants were tied for the lead in the *LRT* pool with 65 points apiece.



THE UPSETS

#14 Weber St. 76, **#3** N. Carolina 74 **#12** Detroit 56, **#5** UCLA 53 **#10** Gonzaga 75, **#7** Minnesota 63

#10 Creighton 62, #7 Louisville 58 #9 New Mexico 61, #8 Missouri 59 #9 Oklahoma St. 69, #8 Syracuse 61

UConn rolls

TOTAL

13-3

13-3

13-3

13-3

13-3

Routs UTSA, 91-66

DENVER (AP) -- Connecticut prides itself as a team of runs. On Thursday night, the top-seeded Huskies showed why.

Richard Hamilton had 28 points as Connecticut, playing without ailing coach Jim Calhoun, closed the first half with a 18-1 run en route to a 91-66 victory over Texas-San Antonio in the first round of the NCAA tournament.

"We showed that we have spurt-

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	Mike Duensing	65
	Chris Manzione	65
	Shaun Sullivan	65
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	Milan Cisar	60
	Justin Gerace Mikey Mierkiewicz	60 60
	Allyson Perlini	60
	Joe Ploszay	60
	Bryan Rudolph	60
	Tim Stevens	60
	Todd Stigliano	60
	Kate Wright David Zinkerman	60 60
19.		55
	Evelyn Ni	55
	Christine Perkins	55
	Alison Lucey	55
	Jamie Schultz	55 55
	Brendan Loy Steve Santos	55
	Liz Acev	55
	Dennis Chow	55
	Michael Zarotney	55
	Sara Hamilton	55
	Joanna Kornafel Josh Rubin	55 55
	Nathan Emerson	55
	Bindee Chokshi	55
	Mark Jordan	55
35.		50
	Tom Greca	50
	Heather Weinberg Mike Walker	50 50
	Kristina Polomsky	50
	Kevin Hauschulz	50
	Brenden Roche	50
	Lou Ruggiero	50
	Derek McDonald Jason Rose	50 50
	Claudio Gualtieri	50
	Idalina Estanislau	50
	Matt Thomsen	50
	Mrs. Norby	50
	Beth Milewski Jeff Santos	50
	Stacey Schultz	50 50
	Brian Newbold	50
	Stephanie Toohey	50
54.	Amanda Titus	45
	Joey DiNardi	45
	David Martins Eric Burns	45 45
	Travis Meyer	45
	Jeff Blum	45
	Kelly Laskowski	30
61.	Ryan McBride	25