WFCA 2022 online tournament

radio packet, round 1

Coaches, please print out and share this packet with your student. Alternatively, you can make a copy of the document to share with your student if they would like to edit the materials electronically and perform the material off of a computer. They must begin their recording within 30 minutes of receiving these materials.

Students do not need to record their prep time, but please ensure that the student begins their video with a statement that the recording is being made for the 2022 WFCA online state tournament.

Round 1

LVIV, Ukraine (AP) — Ukrainian officials have defiantly rejected a Russian demand that their forces in Mariupol lay down arms and raise white flags in exchange for safe passage. Russian troops have surrounded and are barraging the strategic southern port city. Ukrainian officials say the Russian military hit an art school sheltering some 400 people only hours before offering to open two corridors out of Mariupol in return for the capitulation of its defenders. In other areas, the Russian offensive has floundered to the point where Western governments and analysts see the broader conflict grinding into a war of attrition. Shelling hit a shopping center in Kiev as Russian forces work to surround the Ukrainian capital.

UKRAINE (AP) — Ukraine's prosecutor general says a Russian shell struck a chemical plant outside the city of Sumy a little after 3 a.m. Monday, causing a leak in a 50-ton tank of ammonia that took hours to contain. Russia's military spokesman claimed the leak was a "planned provocation" by Ukrainian forces to falsely accuse Russia of a chemical attack. The Russian official also said an overnight cruise missile strike hit a Ukrainian military training center in the Rivne region in Ukraine. He said 80 foreign and Ukrainian troops were killed. The head of the Rivne regional military administration confirmed a twin Russian missile strike on a training center there early Monday but offered no details about injuries or deaths.

BEIJING (AP) — Civil aviation officials say a China Eastern Boeing 737-800 with 132 people on board crashed in the southern province of Guangxi. The Civil Aviation Administration of China said in a statement the crash occurred Monday near the city of Wuzhou in Teng county. China Eastern's flight No. 5735 had been traveling at around 30,000 feet when suddenly, just after 2:20 p.m., the plane entered a deep dive. The data suggests the plane crashed within a minute and a half of whatever went wrong. Chicago-based Boeing Co. said it was aware of the initial reports of the crash and was "working to gather more information." Boeing stock dropped over 8% in pre-market trading early Monday.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate Judiciary Committee is set to begin its historic confirmation hearings for Judge Ketanji Brown Jackson. The 51-year-old federal judge would be the first Black woman on the Supreme Court. Barring a significant misstep by Jackson, Democrats who control the Senate by the slimmest of margins intend to wrap up her confirmation before Easter. Jackson is expected to present an opening statement Monday afternoon, then answer questions from the committee's 11 Democrats and 11 Republicans over the next two days. It's not yet clear how aggressively Republicans will go after Jackson, given that her confirmation would not alter the court's 6-3 conservative majority. DUBAI, United Arab Emirates (AP) — Saudi Arabia says it "won't bear any responsibility for any shortage in oil supplies to global markets" after attacks by Yemen's Iran-backed Houthi rebels have affected the kingdom's production. The statement on Monday was carried by the state-run Saudi Press Agency. It quoted the Foreign Ministry as saying that "the international community must assume its responsibility to maintain energy supplies" in order to "stand against the Houthis." Yemen's rebels on Sunday launched a series of attacks targeting the kingdom's oil and natural gas production. Benchmark Brent crude oil stood at over \$112 a barrel in trading Monday.

WASHINGTON (AP) — An elected official from New Mexico is set to be the second person tried on charges stemming from the U.S. Capitol riot. A federal judge in Washington, D.C., will hear testimony without a jury for Otero County Commissioner Couy Griffin's trial Monday. Griffin is charged with illegally entering Capitol grounds the day a pro-Trump mob disrupted certification of Joe Biden's presidential election victory. Griffin is not accused of entering the Capitol or engaging in violence or destruction Jan. 6, 2021. Griffin's lawyers says he peacefully led a prayer on the Capitol steps. A jury this month convicted a Texas man of storming the Capitol in the first trial for a riot defendant.

DALLAS (AP) — Police say 10 people were shot at a spring break party in Dallas and several others were injured as they tried to escape the gunfire. One person was in critical condition following the shooting late Saturday at The Space Dallas, a party venue. Police say nine other people were taken to hospitals in stable condition. No arrests have been announced. The shooting was one of several over the weekend involving multiple victims in Texas. Four people were shot in Austin as the city hosted its annual South by Southwest Festival and four teenagers were shot, one fatally, at a birthday party in Houston.

RICHMOND, California (AP) — More than 500 workers at a Chevron Corp. refinery in the San Francisco Bay area are on strike because of a contract dispute. The United Steelworkers union says the strike affecting the refinery in the city of Richmond began at 12:01 a.m. on Monday. It came after union workers voted down Chevron's most recent contract offer. Chevron says in a statement that it negotiated with the union for months and believes its contract offer was fair. If the strike shuts down the refinery, it could crimp gas supplies in the state with the highest prices in the U.S. The company says refinery operations will continue despite the strike.

WAUSAU, Wis. (AP) — Armed with an exploratory license, a Canadian mining company appears to be moving ahead with plans to drill for gold and copper in north-central Wisconsin. GreenLight Metals, of Toronto, has also filed technical reports with Canadian authorities that say the Reef and Bend deposits in Taylor and Marathon counties have "economic interest" that warrant further exploration. The company says the Bend deposit, located within the Chequamegon-Nicolet National Forest in Taylor County, contains 4 million tons of mostly copper and gold. The Reef deposit, which is roughly 12 miles east of Wausau in Marathon County, contains around 454,000 tons of gold reserves. Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources spokesman Ben Callan said the company needs more approvals before it begins drilling.

TOWN OF ALBION, Wis. (AP) — Sheriff's officials say speed and alcohol appear to be factors in a Dane County crash that killed two people. Authorities say the crash happened in the Town of Albion about 9:30 p.m. Sunday. The driver lost control of the vehicle which left the road and struck a building. Both people in the vehicle were ejected and were pronounced dead at the scene. The names of the victims have not been released.

MILWAUKEE (AP) — Police are investigating a quadruple shooting in Milwaukee. The Milwaukee Police Department say the shooting occurred early Sunday morning. Someone opened fire during an argument at a party. Rounds struck a 28-year-old woman, a 28-year-old man and a 23-year-old man. All three suffered non-life-threatening wounds. A 24-year-old man also was hit. He sustained life-threatening injuries and was listed in critical condition. Police say they're searching for unknown suspects.

EAU CLAIRE, Wis. (AP) — An Eau Claire man has been charged with stealing \$1,400 worth of liquor from a grocery store over three days. The Leader-Telegram reports 50-year-old Michael White was charged Friday with two counts of retail theft. According to the criminal complaint, White walked out of Festival Foods on Feb. 18 with 10 bottles of cognac and four bottles of vodka in his cart without paying for them. The complaint says he returned to the store on Feb. 21 and walked out with seven bottles of cognac and five bottles of tequila in his cart, again without paying. This time a security guard stopped him in the parking lot. White gave the guard the cart and drove off.

MILWAUKEE (AP) — Gabe Kalscheur scored 22 points and 11th-seeded Iowa State surprised Wisconsin in the Badgers' backyard, advancing to the Sweet 16 with a 54-49 victory in the second round of the NCAA Tournament. Izaiah Brockington added 10 points as the gritty Cyclones used their tough defense to hold off Johnny Davis and company in front of a raucous pro-Wisconsin crowd about 80 miles away from the school's Madison campus. After winning just two games last season, Iowa State advanced to the Sweet 16 for the first time since 2016 and the sixth time in school history. It will play 10th-seeded Miami in the Midwest Region semifinals on Friday in Chicago.

MILWAUKEE (AP) — Freshman point guard Chucky Hepburn departed Wisconsin's NCAA Tournament game against Iowa State in the first half with leg injury. Hepburn went down after contesting Tyrese Hunter's layup with 4:37 left. Hepburn grabbed his left leg as he lay on the ground. He put no pressure on his leg as he was helped off the court.

PGA (AP) — Phil Mickelson won't be playing in the Masters this year. Mickelson has been out of sight since inflammatory remarks against the Saudi-funded rival league and the PGA Tour. He's no longer listed under players expected to be compete in this year's Masters. It will be the first time since 1994 that Mickelson is not at the Masters. He lost sponsorship deals after an interview in which he says he was willing to overlook human rights atrocities if it meant getting leverage over the PGA Tour.

Today

A slight chance of rain between noon and 4pm. Partly sunny, with a high near 62. Windy, with a south wind 14 to 19 mph becoming northwest 23 to 28 mph in the afternoon. Winds could gust as high as 39 mph. Chance of precipitation is 20%.

Tonight

Partly cloudy, with a low around 30. Windy, with a northwest wind 29 to 32 mph, with gusts as high as 45 mph.

Tomorrow

Sunny, with a high near 42. Windy, with a northwest wind 24 to 28 mph, with gusts as high as 39 mph.

Tomorrow Night

Mostly clear, with a low around 21. Blustery, with a north wind 10 to 20 mph, with gusts as high as 28 mph.

Summerfest/Seniorfest:30

The Golden Idol Showcase is back! Presented by Direct Supply. If you are age 55 and up, you could perform your talent during Seniorfest Day at Summerfest on July Seventh! Auditions will be 100% Virtual this year, so Register today! Visit this radio station's event page for the link to register. Complete the application and you will be sent instructions to upload and submit YOUR audition video! The deadline is Friday, April 29th, so don't miss out on your shot to be the 2022 Golden Idol!

NEW YORK (AP) — You didn't have to pay much to buy a comic book in 1939. But buying a 1939 comic book today will cost plenty. An official with ComicConnect says someone has paid about \$2.4 million for a copy of the first-ever Marvel comic book. The auction house says the Marvel #1 comic in question is known as a first "pay copy." It's especially prized because it contains the publisher's handwritten notes about who got paid what. The COO of ComicConnect says the issue that was sold is perhaps "one of the top three comic books in the world" of collecting.

ANCHORAGE, Alaska (AP) — In many races, you can win a prize for finishing first, second or third. But last? Why not, when it comes to the grueling Iditarod Trail Sled Dog race across Alaska. The winner crossed the finish line Tuesday. But it wasn't until late Saturday night that the final musher reached the end of the course. For sticking with it until the bitterly cold end, the musher (Apayauq Reitan) won the traditional Red Lantern award and \$1,000. As the last musher to finisher, he also got to extinguish the widow's lamp on the arch that towers over the finish line. The snuffing of the lamp is a tradition marking that there are no other mushers left on the trail.