Numbers Game

This Day In Sports
2008 — Michael Phelps swims into history as the winningest Olympic athlete ever with his 10th and 11th career gold medals — and five world records in five events at the Beijing Games.

Morning rush

Valley Press news services

Ex-NBA player Sebastian Telfair gets prison time in gun case

NEW YORK — Former NBA player **Sebastian Telfair** has been sentenced to 3½ years in prison in a New York City gun case.

Brooklyn District Attorney **Eric Gonzalez** said on Monday that Telfair received the term for his conviction in April on a gun-possession charge.

Police had arrested the 33-year-old Telfair in 2017 after finding a loaded pistol in his pickup truck during a traffic stop.

The Brooklyn-born Telfair was a first-round draft pick out of high school in 2004. He started with the Portland Trail Blazers and spent time with the Boston Celtics, Minnesota Timberwolves and other teams before ending his career in China in 2014.

There was no immediate response to a phone message on Monday seeking comment from Telfair's attorney.

NCAA amends agent rules to no longer require college degree

INDIANAPOLIS — The NCAA has backtracked on new certification standards and will no longer require a bachelor's degree for a sports agent to represent Division I men's basketball players who declare for the NBA draft while maintaining college eligibility.

The requirement drew criticism last week when the certification standards were revealed, including a social media blast by NBA star **LeBron James**. The requirement was quickly dubbed the "Rich Paul Rule" in reference to James' agent, who does not have a college degree.

The NCAA announced Monday it would amend the standards so bachelor's degrees would not be required for agents currently certified and in good standing with the NBA players union. The NCAA had said last week it modeled its rules after those of the National Basketball Players Association.

"We have been made aware of several current agents who have appropriately represented former student-athletes in their professional quest and whom the (NBPA) has granted waivers of its bachelor's degree requirement," the NCAA said in a statement. "While specific individuals were not considered when developing our process, we respect the NBPA's determination of qualification and have amended our certification criteria."

The NCAA rule permitting players to obtain an agent yet still return to school after withdrawing from the draft was part of recommendations from the **Condoleezza Rice**-led Commission on College Basketball, which was formed in response to a federal corruption investigation into the sport.

The change took place last August, and the first players to take advantage of the rule did so in the spring. They were permitted to sign with an agent certified by the NBPA — which was the stopgap standard until the NCAA put together its own certification requirements — though they had to terminate the deal if they decided to withdraw from the draft and return to school.

The amended policy still requires the agent to be certified by the NBPA for at least three consecutive years, as well as taking an in-person examination, going through a background check and paying required fees. In its release last week, the NCAA said agents would pay a $250 application fee and an annual $1,250 certification fee separate from NBPA certification requirements.

ESPN's Rodriguez: Personal items stolen from rental SUV

SAN FRANCISCO — A rental vehicle being used by ESPN baseball analyst **Alex Rodriguez** was broken into Sunday night, and Rodriguez said several items of a personal and sentimental nature were stolen.

The break-in happened while Rodriguez and other members of ESPN's "Sunday Night Baseball" crew were having dinner at a restaurant near Oracle Park after a game Rodriguez called between the Philadelphia Phillies and San Francisco Giants.

Rodriguez said in a statement Monday he was encouraged that police had security-camera video of the crime.

ESPN said it was working with local authorities. The items were stolen from an SUV that ESPN had rented for Rodriguez and the production crew.

San Francisco police spokesman Adam Lobsinger said in an email that a bag, laptop, camera and pieces of jewelry were stolen. He also said the department's burglary unit is handling the investigation.

The city has dealt with a rash of car burglaries. According to police, there were 11,269 reports of break-ins — an average of 62 per day — in San Francisco during the first half of the year.

Rodriguez is in his second year with ESPN. He was not the only member of the network's crew to be involved in an incident over the weekend. Analyst **Jessica Mendoza** missed Sunday's game after being involved in a car crash on Friday near her home in Oregon. ESPN said Mendoza was not seriously injured and was recovering with her family and was expected back in the booth soon.

Reed wins big events, needs to win more

By DOUG FERGUSON
Associated Press

JERSEY CITY, N.J. — Patrick Reed still hasn't reached top five in the world.

He is a Masters champion. He won a World Golf Championship five years ago, when he first said he felt he was among the top five in golf. He now has two victories in the opening FedEx Cup playoff event, which can make a case as having one of the strongest fields of the year this side of a major.

It's what happens in between these big wins that is holding him back.

A lot of golf. Not a lot of trophies.

Dating to his victory at Kapalua in the Tournament of Champions to start the 2015 season, Reed had played 148 times worldwide with just two victories. One of those came with a green jacket from Augusta National. That makes up for a lot.

Reed ended another long drought Sunday when he rallied from a two-shot deficit in the final hour to win The Northern Trust. It was timely because it assured him a spot in the Tour Championship and raised his odds of having a shot at the $15 million prize for the FedEx Cup.

It also was overdue.

TIP OF THE CAP Patrick Reed tips his cap on the 18th hole as he wins the Northern Trust tournament at Liberty National Golf Course on Sunday in Jersey City, New Jersey. **Associated Press**

The victory ended a drought of 41 tournaments over 16 months since the 2018 Masters, his most recent victory. It wasn't from a lack of effort.

"I don't like long gaps," Reed said after his one-shot victory. "It's not fun, you know what I mean? I've always played to win golf tournaments. I've always wanted to compete to win. I'm not really satisfied with a second, third, fourth, 10th. ... You'll have good finishes in there, but as a competitor, you ask any of the guys out here in the top 10, 15 in the world, they would rather win a golf tournament than have eight second places."

Reed showed the kind of game at Liberty National that makes him believe so much in what he can do.

He lost an early lead Sunday at The Northern Trust. Even with his caddie chasing off geese from the 13th fairway, he failed to birdie the par 5 and was two shots behind with time running out and not many birdie holes left. And then he seized control with a little imagination and plenty of grit.

It started with a pitching wedge to a back right pin on the par-3 14th, which he hit so perfectly that it caught the ridge and fed down to 8 feet for a birdie. That was important because Jon Rahm, who had a two-shot lead, and just made bogey on the 14th.

Reed said his caddie — brother-in-law Kessler Karain — told him, "You have to have him feel that bogey."

On the next hole, Reed kept the momentum and the lead by saving par with a 10-foot putt. And then he drilled his tee shot about 25 yards short of the 296-yard 16th hole with water down the right side, pitched that to 4 feet to a front pin and made another birdie.

Then, it was a matter of holding off Abraham Ancer, and Reed was holding another trophy.

Winning is hard. Winning is what matters. What keeps Reed from the elite in golf — no matter how much he pumps his fists when playing for the flag in the Ryder Cup or Presidents Cup — is winning with more regularity.

That's what makes the top five in the world stand out.

Brooks Koepka has won each of the last six years, including four of the last 10 majors. Dustin Johnson has gone only one year without winning on the PGA Tour since he turned pro. Justin Rose is on his 10th straight year winning on the PGA Tour. Rory McIlroy only had one drought, and one year without a title starting in 2009. Rahm is just starting out, but he has six wins in his three full years as a pro.

For Reed, this is the next step.

NFL

NFL Preseason Glance

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

West	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Kansas City	1	0	0	1.000	38	17
Oakland	1	0	0	1.000	14	3
Denver	1	1	0	.500	28	32
L.A.Chargers	**0**	**1**	**0**	**.000**	**13**	**17**
East	**W**	**L**	**T**	**Pct**	**PF**	**PA**
Buffalo	1	0	0	1.000	24	16
New England	1	0	0	1.000	31	3
Miami	1	0	0	1.000	34	27
N.Y. Jets	0	1	0	.000	22	31
South	**W**	**L**	**T**	**Pct**	**PF**	**PA**
Tennessee	1	0	0	1.000	27	10
Houston	0	1	0	.000	26	28
Indianapolis	0	1	0	.000	16	24
Jacksonville	0	1	0	.000	0	29
North	**W**	**L**	**T**	**Pct**	**PF**	**PA**
Baltimore	1	0	0	1.000	29	0
Cleveland	1	0	0	1.000	30	10
Pittsburgh	1	0	0	1.000	30	28
Cincinnati	0	1	0	.000	17	38

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

West	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
San Francisco	1	0	0	1.000	17	9
Seattle	1	0	0	1.000	22	14
Arizona	1	0	0	1.000	17	13
L.A. Rams	**0**	**1**	**0**	**.000**	**3**	**14**
East	**W**	**L**	**T**	**Pct**	**PF**	**PA**
N.Y. Giants	1	0	0	1.000	31	22
Dallas	0	1	0	.000	9	17
Philadelphia	0	1	0	.000	10	27
Washington	0	1	0	.000	10	30
South	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Carolina	1	0	0	1.000	23	13
Tampa Bay	0	1	0	.000	28	30
Atlanta	0	2	0	.000	37	48
New Orleans	0	1	0	.000	25	34
North	**W**	**L**	**T**	**Pct**	**PF**	**PA**
Minnesota	1	0	0	1.000	34	25
Green Bay	1	0	0	1.000	28	26
Chicago	0	1	0	.000	13	23
Detroit	0	1	0	.000	3	31

Friday's Games
Pittsburgh 30, Tampa Bay 28
Minnesota 34, New Orleans 25

Saturday's Games
Oakland 14, L.A. Rams 3
Kansas City 38, Cincinnati 17
San Francisco 17, Dallas 9

Thursday, Aug. 15
Philadelphia at Jacksonville, 4 p.m.
Green Bay at Baltimore, 4:30 p.m.
N.Y. Jets at Atlanta, 4:30 p.m.
Cincinnati at Washington, 4:30 p.m.
Oakland at Arizona, 5 p.m.

Friday, Aug. 16
Buffalo at Carolina, 4 p.m.
Chicago at N.Y. Giants, 4:30 p.m.
Miami at Tampa Bay, 4:30 p.m.

Saturday, Aug. 17
Cleveland at Indianapolis, 1 p.m.
New England at Tennessee, 4 p.m.
Kansas City at Pittsburgh, 4:30 p.m.
Detroit at Houston, 5 p.m.
Dallas vs L.A. Rams at Honolulu, Hawaii, 7 p.m.

Sunday, Aug. 18
New Orleans at L.A. Chargers, 1 p.m.
Seattle at Minnesota, 5 p.m.

Monday, Aug. 19
San Francisco at Denver, 5 p.m.

College Football

Coaches Top 25 Poll

The preseason Amway Top 25 football poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, final 2018 records, total points based on 25 points for first place through one point for 25th, and last year's final ranking:

	Record	Pts	Pvs
1. Clemson (59)	15-0	1619	1
2. Alabama (6)	14-1	1566	2
3. Georgia	11-3	1447	8
4. Oklahoma	12-2	1415	4
5. Ohio State	13-1	1368	3
6. LSU	10-3	1218	7
7. Michigan	10-3	1155	14
8. Florida	10-3	1103	6
9. Notre Dame	12-1	1100	5
10. Texas	10-4	1038	9
11. Texas A&M	9-4	893	16
12. Washington	10-4	834	13
13. Oregon	9-4	787	NR
14. Penn State	9-4	699	17
15. Utah	9-5	642	NR
16. Auburn	8-5	606	NR
17. UCF	12-1	436	12
17. Wisconsin	8-5	436	NR
19. Iowa	9-4	343	NR
20. Michigan State	7-6	313	NR
21. Washington St.	11-2	274	10
22. Syracuse	10-3	227	15
23. Stanford	9-4	200	NR
24. Iowa State	8-5	169	NR
25. Northwestern	9-5	161	19

Others Receiving Votes: Nebraska 152, Boise State 118, Mississippi State 111, Miami 94, Army 91, Kentucky 79, Virginia Tech 64, TCU 63, Southern Cal 47, Utah State 32, Fresno State 32, Virginia 30, Cincinnati 25, West Virginia 24, Memphis 24, Oklahoma State 20, South Carolina 15, N.C. State 12, Duke 10, Boston College 5, Appalachian State 4, Baylor 4, Florida State 4, Houston 3, North Texas 3, UCLA 2, Temple 2, Arizona State 2, Minnesota 1, Mississippi 1, Tennessee 1, Troy 1.

Schedule

USC
Aug. 31 Fresno St., 7:30 p.m.
Sept. 7 Stanford, 7:30 p.m.
Sept. 14 at BYU, 12:30 p.m.
Sept. 20 Utah, 6 p.m.
Sept. 28 at Washington, TBA
Oct. 12 at Notre Dame, 4:30 p.m.
Oct. 19 Arizona, TBA
Oct. 25 at Colorado, 6 p.m.
Nov. 2 Oregon, TBA
Nov. 9 at Arizona St., TBA
Nov. 16 at California, TBA
Nov. 23 UCLA, TBA

MLB

American League Glance

West Division	W	L	Pct	GB
Houston	77	41	.653	—
Oakland	67	51	.568	10
Texas	59	59	.500	18
Angels	**58**	**62**	**.483**	**20**
Seattle	48	71	.403	29½
East Division	**W**	**L**	**Pct**	**GB**
New York	79	41	.658	—
Tampa Bay	69	50	.580	9½
Boston	62	59	.512	17½
Toronto	50	72	.410	30
Baltimore	39	80	.328	39½
Central Division	**W**	**L**	**Pct**	**GB**
Cleveland	72	47	.605	—
Minnesota	71	47	.602	½
Chicago	52	64	.448	18½
Kansas City	43	76	.361	29
Detroit	35	80	.304	35

Monday's Games
Houston at Chicago White Sox, ppd.
N.Y. Yankees 8, Baltimore 5, 1st game
N.Y. Yankees 11, Baltimore 8, 2nd game
Toronto 19, Texas 4
Cleveland 6, Boston 5
Pittsburgh 10, L.A. Angels 2
Tampa Bay 10, San Diego 4

Today's Games
Houston (Greinke 11-4) at Chicago White Sox (Cease 2-4), 1:40 p.m., 1st game
Baltimore (Means 8-7) at N.Y. Yankees (German 15-2), 4:05 p.m.
Texas (Lynn 14-7) at Toronto (Pannone 2-5), 4:07 p.m.
Boston (Sale 6-11) at Cleveland (Clevinger 7-2), 4:10 p.m.
Seattle (Kikuchi 4-8) at Detroit (Boyd 6-8), 4:10 p.m.
Houston (Cole 14-5) at Chicago White Sox (Nova 7-9), 5:10 p.m., 2nd game
Minnesota (Perez 8-5) at Milwaukee (Anderson 5-2), 5:10 p.m.
St. Louis (Flaherty 5-6) at Kansas City (Sparkman 3-7), 5:15 p.m.
Oakland (Anderson 10-7) at San Francisco (Bumgarner 7-7), 6:45 p.m.
Pittsburgh (Williams 4-5) at L.A. Angels (Canning 4-6), 7:07 p.m.
Tampa Bay (McKay 2-2) at San Diego (Lauer 6-8), 7:10 p.m.

Wednesday's Games
Texas at Toronto, 9:37 a.m.
Baltimore at N.Y. Yankees, 10:05 a.m.
Boston at Cleveland, 10:10 a.m.
Houston at Chicago White Sox, 11:10 a.m.
Minnesota at Milwaukee, 11:10 a.m.
Tampa Bay at San Diego, 12:40 p.m.
Oakland at San Francisco, 12:45 p.m.
Seattle at Detroit, 4:10 p.m.
Pittsburgh at L.A. Angels, 5:07 p.m.
St. Louis at Kansas City, 5:15 p.m.

AL Leaders

BATTING — LeMahieu, New York, .338; Brantley, Houston, .323; Alberto, Baltimore, .321; Devers, Boston, .317; Martinez, Boston, .310; Merrifield, Kansas City, .306; Bogaerts, Boston, .304; Gurriel, Houston, .303; Moncada, Chicago, .301; Lindor, Cleveland, .300.

National League Glance

West Division	W	L	Pct	GB
Dodgers	**79**	**41**	**.658**	**—**
Arizona	60	59	.504	18½
San Francisco	59	60	.496	19½
San Diego	55	62	.470	22½
Colorado	53	66	.445	25½
East Division	**W**	**L**	**Pct**	**GB**
Atlanta	70	50	.583	—
Washington	63	55	.534	6
New York	61	57	.517	8
Philadelphia	60	58	.508	9
Miami	44	73	.376	24½
Central Division	**W**	**L**	**Pct**	**GB**
Chicago	64	54	.542	—
St. Louis	61	55	.526	2
Milwaukee	62	57	.521	2½
Cincinnati	56	61	.479	7½
Pittsburgh	49	69	.415	15

Monday's Games
Washington 7, Cincinnati 6
Arizona 8, Colorado 6
Pittsburgh 10, L.A. Angels 2
Tampa Bay 10, San Diego 4

Today's Games
Chicago Cubs (Quintana 10-7) at Philadelphia (Vargas 6-6), 4:05 p.m.
Cincinnati (Wood 1-0) at Washington (Ross 2-3), 4:05 p.m.
L.A. Dodgers (Kershaw 11-2) at Miami (Yamamoto 4-3), 4:10 p.m.
N.Y. Mets (Wheeler 9-6) at Atlanta (Fried 13-4), 4:20 p.m.
Minnesota (Perez 8-5) at Milwaukee (Anderson 5-2), 5:10 p.m.
St. Louis (Flaherty 5-6) at Kansas City (Sparkman 3-7), 5:15 p.m.
Arizona (Gallen 2-3) at Colorado (Gray 10-8), 5:40 p.m.
Oakland (Anderson 10-7) at San Francisco (Bumgarner 7-7), 6:45 p.m.
Pittsburgh (Williams 4-5) at L.A. Angels (Canning 4-6), 7:07 p.m.
Tampa Bay (McKay 2-2) at San Diego (Lauer 6-8), 7:10 p.m.

Wednesday's Games
Minnesota at Milwaukee, 11:10 a.m.
Arizona at Colorado, 12:10 p.m.
Tampa Bay at San Diego, 12:40 p.m.
Oakland at San Francisco, 12:45 p.m.
Cincinnati at Washington, 1:05 p.m.
Chicago Cubs at Philadelphia, 4:05 p.m.
L.A. Dodgers at Miami, 4:10 p.m.
N.Y. Mets at Atlanta, 4:20 p.m.
Pittsburgh at L.A. Angels, 5:07 p.m.
St. Louis at Kansas City, 5:15 p.m.

NL Leaders

BATTING — Yelich, Milwaukee, .335; McNeil, New York, .334; Reynolds, Pittsburgh, .333; Blackmon, Colorado, .322; Tatis Jr., San Diego, .320; Bellinger, Los Angeles, .317; Rendon, Washington, .317; KMarte, Arizona, .317; Freeman, Atlanta, .309; Arenado, Colorado, .305.

Sports Odds

Major League Baseball
National League
Today

FAVORITE	LINE	UNDERDOG	LINE
at WASHINGTON	-108	Cincinnati	-102
Chicago	-120	at PHILLY	+110
LA Dodgers	**-250**	**at MIAMI**	**+220**
at ATLANTA	-121	New York	+111
at COLORADO	-127	Arizona	+117
American League			
at NEW YORK	-290	Baltimore	+260
Texas	-139	at TORONTO	+129
at CLEVELAND	-108	Boston	-102
at DETROIT	-156	Seattle	+146
Houston	-305	at CHICAGO	+275
Interleague			
at MILWAUKEE	OFF	Minnesota	OFF
St. Louis	-185	at KC Royals	+170
at SAN FRAN	-131	Oakland	+121
at LA ANGELS	**-160**	**Pittsburgh**	**+150**
at SAN DIEGO	-105	Tampa Bay	-105

NFL
Today

FAVORITE	OPEN	TODAY	O/U	UNDERDOG
at JACKSONVILLE	3	3	(35)	Philadelphia
at ATLANTA	1	1	(44)	NY Jets
at WASHINGTON	3	4	(41)	Cincinnati
at BALTIMORE	3½	4½	(38½)	Green Bay
at ARIZONA	3	4	(40)	Oakland

Updated odds available at Pregame.com

California League

South Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
x-Rancho Cuca.	27	23	.540	—
Lake Elsinore	26	24	.520	1
JetHawks	**26**	**24**	**.520**	**1**
Inland Empire	20	30	.400	7
North Division	**W**	**L**	**Pct.**	**GB**
x-Visalia	30	20	.600	—
Modesto	25	25	.500	5
San Jose	24	26	.480	6
Stockton	22	28	.440	8

Monday's Games
No games scheduled

Today's Games
Lake Elsinore at JetHawks, 6:35 p.m.
San Jose at Visalia, 7 p.m.
Modesto at Rancho Cucamonga, 7:05 p.m.
Inland Empire at Stockton, 7:10 p.m.

Wednesday's Games
Lake Elsinore at JetHawks, 6:35 p.m.
San Jose at Visalia, 7 p.m.
Modesto at Rancho Cucamonga, 7:05 p.m.
Inland Empire at Stockton, 7:10 p.m.

MLS

WESTERN CONFERENCE

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
LA FC	**17**	**3**	**4**	**55**	**65**	**25**
Seattle	11	7	6	39	38	34
Minn. United	11	8	5	38	42	35
San Jose	11	8	5	38	41	36
LA Galaxy	**12**	**11**	**1**	**37**	**31**	**36**
Real Salt Lake	11	9	4	37	35	32
FC Dallas	10	9	6	36	36	31
Portland	10	9	4	34	38	34
Houston	9	13	3	30	35	41
Sporting KC	7	10	7	28	37	43
Colorado	7	12	5	26	41	49
Vancouver	5	12	9	24	26	45
EASTERN CONFERENCE	**W**	**L**	**T**	**Pts**	**GF**	**GA**
Philadelphia	13	7	6	45	48	38
Atlanta	13	9	3	42	43	30
D.C. United	10	7	9	39	34	32
NYC FC	10	5	8	38	41	31
New York	11	10	4	37	43	38
New England	9	9	7	34	37	44
Montreal	10	13	3	33	36	47
Toronto FC	9	10	6	33	39	41
Orlando City	8	11	6	30	33	34
Chicago	7	10	9	30	38	37
Columbus	7	14	5	26	27	39
Cincinnati	5	17	3	18	25	57

NOTE: 3 points for victory, one point for tie.

Sunday, August 11
Atlanta 2, New York City FC 1
Philadelphia 2, Houston 1
D.C. United 2, LA Galaxy 1
Los Angeles FC 4, New York 2

Wednesday, August 14
Sporting KC at Orlando City, 4:30 p.m.
Colorado at Minnesota United, 5 p.m.
Seattle at Real Salt Lake, 7 p.m.
FC Dallas at LA Galaxy, 7:30 p.m.
Chicago at Portland, 8 p.m.

Saturday, August 17
New England at New York, 4 p.m.
FC Dallas at Montreal, 4:30 p.m.
New York City FC at Cincinnati, 4:30 p.m.
Toronto FC at Columbus, 4:30 p.m.
Orlando City at Minnesota United, 5 p.m.
Philadelphia at Chicago, 5 p.m.
San Jose at Sporting Kansas City, 5:30 p.m.
Colorado at Houston, 6 p.m.
D.C. United at Vancouver, 7 p.m.
Los Angeles FC at Real Salt Lake, 7 p.m.
Seattle at LA Galaxy, 7p.m.

Sunday, August 18
Atlanta at Portland, 7 p.m.

WNBA

WESTERN CONFERENCE

	W	L	Pct	GB
Las Vegas	16	9	.640	—
Sparks	**15**	**8**	**.652**	**—**
Seattle	14	11	.560	2
Minnesota	12	12	.500	3½
Phoenix	11	12	.478	4
Dallas	7	17	.292	8½
EASTERN CONFERENCE	**W**	**L**	**Pct**	**GB**
Washington	17	7	.708	—
Connecticut	16	8	.667	1
Chicago	14	10	.583	3
Indiana	9	16	.360	8½
New York	8	15	.348	8½
Atlanta	5	19	.208	12

Monday's Games
No games scheduled

Today's Games
Minnesota at New York, 4 p.m.
Atlanta at Las Vegas, 7 p.m.

Wednesday's Games
Seattle at Washington, 5 p.m.
Sparks at Dallas, 5 p.m.
Connecticut at Phoenix, 7 p.m

Auto Racing

NASCAR Monster Energy Cup Schedule

Sunday, Feb. 17 — Daytona 500 (Denny Hamlin)
Sunday, Feb. 24 — Folds of Honor QuikTrip 500 (Brad Keselowski)
Sunday, March 3 — Pennzoil 400 (Joey Logano)
Sunday, March 10 — TicketGuardian 500 (Kyle Busch)
Sunday, March 17 — Auto Club 400 (Kyle Busch)
Sunday, March 24 — STP 500 (Brad Keselowski)
Sunday, March 31 — O'Reilly Auto Parts 500 (Denny Hamlin)
Sunday, April 7 — Food City 500 (Kyle Busch)
Saturday, April 13 — Toyota Owners 400 (Martin Truex Jr.)
Sunday, April 28 — Geico 500 (Chase Elliott)
Sunday, May 5 — MENCS race (Martin Truex Jr.)
Saturday, May 11 — MENCS race (Brad Keselowski)
Saturday, May 18 — x-Monster Energy Open (Kyle Larson)
Saturday, May 18 — x-Monster Energy All-Star Race (Kyle Larson)
Sunday, May 26 — Coca-Cola 600 (Martin Truex Jr.)
Sunday, June 2 — Pocono 400 (Kyle Busch)
Sunday, June 9 — FireKeepers Casino 400 (Joey Logano)
Sunday, June 23 — Toyota/Save Mart 350 (Martin Truex Jr.)
Sunday, June 30 — Camping World 400 (Alex Bowman)
Saturday, July 6 — Coke Zero Sugar 400 (Justin Haley)
Saturday, July 13 — Quaker State 400 (Kyle Busch)
Sunday, July 21 — Foxwoods Resort Casino 301 (Kevin Harvick)
Sunday, July 28 — Gander Outdoors 400 (Denny Hamlin)
Sunday, Aug. 4 — Go Bowling at The Glen (Chase Elliott)
Sunday, Aug. 11 — Consumers Energy 400 (Kevin Harvick)
Saturday, Aug. 17 — Bass Pro Shops NRA Night Race, Bristol, Tenn.
Sunday, Sept. 1 — Bojangles' Southern 500, Darlington, S.C.
Sunday, Sept. 8 — Big Machine Vodka 400 at the Brickyard, Indianapolis
Sunday, Sept. 15 — South Point 400, Las Vegas
Saturday, Sept. 21 — Federated Auto Parts 400, Richmond, Va.
Sunday, Sept. 29 — Bank of American ROVAL 400, Concord, N.C.
Sunday, Oct. 6 — MENCS race, Dover, Del.
Sunday, Oct. 13 — 1000Bulbs.com 500, Talladega, Ala.
Sunday, Oct. 20 — Hollywood Casino 400, Kansas City, Kan.
Sunday, Oct. 27 — First Data 500, Martinsville, Va.
Sunday, Nov. 3 — AAA Texas 500, Fort Worth, Texas
Sunday, Nov. 10 — MENCS race, Avondale, Ariz.
Sunday, Nov. 17 — Ford EcoBoost 400, Homestead, Fla.

NASCAR Xfinity Series Schedule

Saturday, Feb. 16 — Daytona 300 (Michael Annett)
Saturday, Feb. 23 — Rinnai 250 (Christopher Bell)
Saturday, March 2 — Boyd Gaming 300 (Kyle Busch)
Saturday, March 9 — NXS race (Kyle Busch)
Saturday, March 16 — NXS race (Cole Custer)
Saturday, March 30 — My Bariatric Solutions 300 (Kyle Busch)
Saturday, April 6 — NXS race (Christopher Bell)
Friday, April 12 — ToyotaCare 250 (Cole Custer)
Saturday, April 27 — Talladega 300 (Tyler Reddick)
Saturday, May 4 — NXS race (Christopher Bell)
Saturday, May 25 — Alsco 300 (Tyler Reddick)
Saturday, June 1 — Pocono Green 250 (Cole Custer)
Saturday, June 8 — LTi Printing 250 (Tyler Reddick)
Sunday, June 16 — NXS race (Christopher Bell)
Saturday, June 29 — Camping World 300 (Cole Custer)
Friday, July 5 — Circle K Firecracker 250 (Ross Chastain)
Friday, July 12 — Alsco 300 (Cole Custer)
Saturday, July 20 — Lake Region 200 (Christopher Bell)
Saturday, July 27 — U.S. Cellular 250 (Chase Briscoe)
Saturday, Aug. 3 — Zippo 200 at The Glen (Austin Cindric)
Saturday, Aug. 10 — Mid-Ohio 170 (Austin Cindric)
Friday, Aug. 16 — Food City 300, Bristol, Tenn.
Saturday, Aug. 24 — NXS race, Elkhart Lake, Wis.
Saturday, Aug. 31 — Sport Clips Haircuts VFW 200, Darlington, S.C.
Saturday, Sept. 7 — Indiana 250, Indianapolis
Saturday, Sept. 14 — D.C. Solar 300, Las Vegas
Friday, Sept. 20 — GoBowling 250, Richmond, Va.
Saturday, Sept. 28 — Drive for the Cure 200, Concord, N.C.
Saturday, Oct. 5 — NXS race, Dover, Del.
Saturday, Oct. 19 — Kansas Lottery 300, Kansas City, Kan.
Saturday, Nov. 2 — O'Reilly Auto Parts 300, Fort Worth, Texas
Saturday, Nov. 9 — NXS race, Avondale, Ariz.

Golf

PGA Tour FedEx Cup Leaders

1. Brooks Koepka
2. Patrick Reed
3. Rory McIlroy
4. Matt Kuchar
5. Jon Rahm
6. Patrick Cantlay
7. Xander Schauffele
8. Abraham Ancer
9. Gary Woodland
10. Dustin Johnson

PGA Tour schedule

Feb. 7-10 — AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am (Phil Mickelson)
Feb. 14-17 — Genesis Open (J.B. Holmes)
Feb. 21-24 — WGC-Mexico Championship (Dustin Johnson)
Feb. 21-24 — Puerto Rico Open (Martin Trainer)
Feb. 28-March 3 — Honda Classic, PGA National (Champions) (Kevin Mitchell)
March 7-10 — Arnold Palmer Invitational (Francesco Molinari)
March 14-17 — The Players Championship (Rory McIlroy)
March 21-24 — Valspar Championship (Paul Casey)
March 27-31 — WGC-Dell Match Play (Kevin Kisner)
March 28-31 — Corales Puntacana Resort & Club Championship (Kevin Sutherland)
April 4-7 — Valero Texas Open (Corey Conners)
April 11-14 — Masters (Tiger Woods)
April 18-21 — RBC Heritage (C.T. Pan)
April 25-28 — Zurich Classic (Palmer/Rahm)
May 2-5 — Wells Fargo Championship (Max Homa)
May 9-12 — AT&T Byron Nelson (Sung Kang)
May 16-19 — PGA Championship (Brooks Koepka)
May 23-26 — Charles Schwab Challenge (Kevin Na)
May 30-June 2 — Memorial (Peter Cantlay)
June 6-9 — RBC Canadian Open (Rory McIlroy)
June 13-16 — US Open (Gary Woodland)
June 20-23 — Travelers Championship (Chez Reavie)
June 27-30 — Rocket Mortage Classic (Nate Lashley)
July 4-7 — 3M Open (Matthew Wolff)
July 11-14 — John Deere Classic (Dylan Frittelli)
July 18-21 — British Open (Shane Lowry)
July 18-21 — Barbasol Championship, Keene Trace GC (Champions Trace), Nicholasville, Ky.
July 25-28 — WGC-FedEx Invitational (Brooks Koepka)
July 25-28 — Reno-Tahoe Tournament, Montreaux Golf & CC, Reno, Nev.
Aug. 1-4 — Wyndham Championship (J.T. Poston)
Aug. 8-11 — The Northern Trust (Patrick Reed)
Aug. 15-18 — BMW Championship, Medina CC (No. 3), Medinah, Ill.
Aug. 22-25 — Tour Championship, East Lake GC, Atlanta

2019 LPGA Tour Schedule

Jan. 17-20 — Diamond Resorts Tournament of Champions (Eun-hee Ji)
Feb. 7-10 — ISPS Handa Vic Open (Celine Boutier)
Feb. 14-17 — ISPS Handa Women's Australian Open (Nelly Korda)
Feb. 21-24 — Honda LPGA Thailand (Amy Yang)
Feb. 28-March 3 — HSBC Women's World Championship (Sung Hyun Park)
March 21-24 — Bank of Hope Founders Cup (Jin Young Ko)
March 28-31 — Kia Classic (Nasa Hataoka)
April 4-7 — ANA Inspiration (Jin Young Ko)
April 17-20 — LOTTE Championship (Brooke M. Henderson)
April 25-28 — Hugel-Air Premia LA Open (Minjee Lee)
May 2-5 — LPGA Mediheal Championship (Sei Young Kim)
May 23-26 — Pure Silk Championship (Bronte Law)
May 30-June 2 — U.S. Women's Open (Jeongeun Lee6)
June 7-9 — ShopRite LPGA Classic (Lexi Thompson)
June 13-16 — Meijer LPGA Classic (Brooke M. Henderson)
June 20-23 — KPMG Women's PGA Championship (Hannah Green)
June 27-30 — Walmart NW Arkansas Championship (Sung Hyun Park)
July 4-7 — Thornberry Creek LPGA Classic (Shanshan Feng)
July 11-14 — Marathon Classic (Sei Young Kim)
July 18-21 — Dow Great Lakes Bay Invitational (Clanton/Suwannapura)
July 25-28 — The Evian Championship (Jin Young Ko)
Aug. 1-4 — AIG Women's British Open (Hinako Shibuno)
Aug. 8-11 — Aberdeen Standard Investments Ladies Scottish Open (Mi Jung Hur)
Aug. 22-25 — CP Women's Open, Magna GC, Aurora, Ontario
Aug. 29-Sept. 1 — Cambia Portland Classic, Columbia-Edgewater CC, Portland, Ore.
Sept. 13-15 — Solheim Cup, The Gleneagles Hotel (PGA Centenary Course), Auchterarder, Scotland
Sept. 26-29 — Indy Women in Tech Championship, Brickyard Crossing, Indianapolis
Oct. 3-6 — Volunteers of America Classic, Old America GC, The Colony, Texas
Oct. 17-20 — Buick LPGA Shanghai, Shanghai Qizhong Garden GC, Shanghai

Planner

COMING UP IN THE VALLEY

JETHAWKS (Major League Baseball)
- Today vs. Lake Elsinore, 6:35 p.m.
- Wednesday vs. Lake Elsinore, 6:35 p.m.
- Thursday vs. Lake Elsinore, 6:35 p.m.

COMING UP IN SOCAL

ANGELS (Major League Baseball)
- Today vs. Pittsburgh, 7:07 p.m., FSW
- Wednesday vs. Pittsburgh, 5:07 p.m., FSW
- Thursday vs. Chicago WS, 7:07 p.m., FSW

DODGERS (Major League Baseball)
- Today at Miami, 4:10 p.m., SportsNetLA
- Wednesday at Miami, 4:10 p.m., SportsNetLA
- Thursday at Miami, 12:05 p.m., SportsNetLA/MLB

ON TV TODAY

LITTLE LEAGUE SOFTBALL
- World Series: Teams TBD, semifinal 1, Portland, Ore, 4 p.m., ESPN2
- World Series: Teams TBD, semifinal 2, 6:30 p.m., ESPN2

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL
- Chicago Cubs at Philadelphia OR NY Mets at Atlanta, 4 p.m., MLB
- Dodgers at Miami, 4:10 p.m., SportsNetLA
- Pittsburgh at Angels, 7:07 p.m., FSW

TENNIS
- Western & Southern Open: Early Rounds, Mason, Ohio, 8 a.m., TENNIS