

SPORTS



SENATHLETES

Who is...
Breanna Shofner

The 18-year-old International Falls High School senior is a sprinter on the Bronco girls track and field team. She qualified for state in the 100- and 200-meter dashes the past three years and has also been part of Falls’ state-qualifying 4X100 relay the past two years.

- Birthday:**
February 9, 1996

Future plans:
Graduate from Falls High School and Rainy River Community College, attend St. Cloud State State University and run track there.

What’s on TV:
Survivor, Prison Break, Dance Moms

Favorite movies:
Hunger Games

What do you drive:
Chevy Equinox

Favorite Web sites:
Instagram, YouTube

Favorite meal:
Dave’s Pizza

Biggest superstition:
Three jumps before blocks

Worst habit:
Overthinking things

Favorite city to visit:
Minneapolis
- Favorite attribute about yourself:**
My drive

Least favorite attribute:
Shyness

Favorite holiday:
Christmas

Your hero:
My dad

Top three things on your bucket list:
Go to the Olympics.
Travel the world.
Go skydiving.

Favorite memory about your high school career:
Sharing sports with people who love them, too.

Favorite thing to do that has nothing to do with sports:
Go on Rainy Lake.

Dream job:
Professional athlete

Love to trade places for a day with...
My dog Winston

BOYS BASEBALL



In front from right, the Broncos’ Luke Spilde (22) slides into home plate to score the winning run before the ball gets to Vikings catcher Tommy Manninen in Tuesday’s game at Scheela Field.

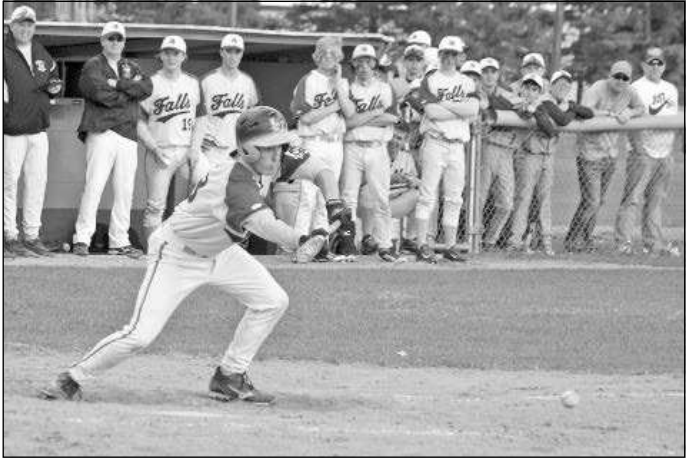
Broncos buck Vikings’ comeback

L-BF then wins regular-season finale at home

JOURNAL STAFF REPORT

After pulling out to a 6-0 lead after three innings Tuesday, the International Falls boys baseball team saw Littlefork-Big Falls tie the game in the top of the seventh, before the Broncos plated a run in the bottom of the frame to win at home over their nearby rival, 7-6. The victory snapped a four-game losing streak for FHS.

“We got a lot of different guys in the lineup, so it’s hard to judge, but I think the guys were ready and we played much better than we have...,” said Broncos head coach Eric Walls. “We’re building for (the start of



The Broncos’ Jake Kulig lays down a sacrifice bunt in Tuesday’s game at Scheela Field against Littlefork-Big Falls.

the Section 7AA Tournament) next Tuesday.” FHS, which used several reserve players on Senior Day, tallied 12 hits, including seniors Luke Spilde and Wyatt Ulrich with three and two hits, respectively. Ulrich also

had 2 RBI and Spilde drove in another run. Broncos junior Cole Miggins worked four innings on the mound before Spilde pitched in the final three innings. The Vikings were down 6-2 going in top of the sev-

enth when they scored four times to tie the game. Of L-BF’s six hits, Darian Erickson had three of them. Vikings left-hander Evan Wimmer pitched the first six innings before Taylor DeLack took the mound in the bottom of the seventh.

“It was a pretty well-played game by both teams,” said L-BF head coach Dan Beste. “Falls jumped on us early. I thought Evan did a really nice job kind of keeping (the Broncos’ runs at six until the final inning.) We had our chances at the end.”

Spilde led off with a single and advanced to second base after a pick-off throw by DeLack got past Wimmer at first. Jake

Baseball to B3 ►

GIRLS SOFTBALL

Broncos sink Two Harbors in Section 7AA opener at home
L-BF downs North Woods in 7A

JOURNAL STAFF REPORT

The International Falls softball team took a six-run lead after two innings Tuesday and went on to a 10-4 home victory over Two Harbors to open the Section 7AA Tournament.

“I think that (6-0 lead) kind of relaxed our girls a little bit,” said Falls head coach Kevin Gordon. “The short game worked for us.”

The No. 3-seeded Broncos, who ended up with 18 hits, picked up their first two runs in the bottom of the first after Amber Tilander and Cassie Tomczak both singled and scored.

The Falls then extend-

ed its lead over the No. 6-seeded Agates with four more runs in the bottom of the second that included a double by Tomczak.

Two Harbors finally got on the scoreboard with two runs in the top of the fourth. The Falls got a run back in the bottom of the inning, only to see the Agates score once more in the top of the fifth.

The Broncos picked up



Brooke Millerbernd

Softball to B3 ►



The Broncos’ Meghan Tomczak makes contact with the ball to lead off the bottom of the sixth inning with a single in Tuesday’s Section 7AA Tournament home game against Two Harbors.

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