"Dogs begin MIAA play

Freshman Lauren Miller makes contact during Saturday's three-game sweep against Washburn University.

"We're very excited to get started," head coach Aaron Vlcko said. "We know what we have in our pitching staff and I think our offense is better at the plate. We're not giving up too many hits."

Before the spring practice season started, the Bulldogs were involved in running and weightlifting sessions. Monday, the team went through their first practice without pads.

"We're going to play a little bit out of their 'Broadway.' We're going to use a little bit of speed and be the strong-conditioning team," senior wide receiver Jimmie Blue said. "I think that the guys are really excited about the change."

Junior quarterback Phil Davis said that the team has been better this year, and it is also working on improving its kicking game.

"We want to identify those young-side types on both sides of the football," Nesbitt said. "Tight ends and defensive players are coming up and are not as experienced."

The Bulldogs have seven seniors on the team, but only four starting positions are up for grabs."

"We're hoping that we can build on this battling mental edge," head coach Aaron Vlcko said.

"We're facing something that we haven't seen in the last four years," head coach Aaron Vlcko said. "We're going to give it our all," said head coach Aaron Vlcko.

"We're looking for that one player," Davis said. "Our true character."