

Gudmundsson's triple-double sparks Davidson to 75-66 win over Rhode Island

Bohannon, No. 21 Iowa hold off Indiana in overtime

IOWA CITY, Iowa, Feb 23, (AP) — Jordan Bohannon hit three 3s in overtime, including one with 20.2 seconds left, and 21st-ranked Iowa rallied to beat Indiana 76-70 in overtime on Friday night for its fifth win in six games.

Tyler Cook had 18 points and Bohannon added 17 for the Hawkeyes (21-6, 10-6 Big Ten) — all of them in the second half and overtime.

Bohannon, whose 3 with 28 seconds left in regulation forced overtime, buried another one to put Iowa ahead 68-65 with 2:47 to go. De'Ron Davis answered with a 3-point

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play, but Bohannon hit a 3 off a loose ball with 2 minutes left to give the Hawkeyes a 71-68 lead. Cook's free throw with 1:10 left made it a two-possession game, but Morgan responded with a putback.

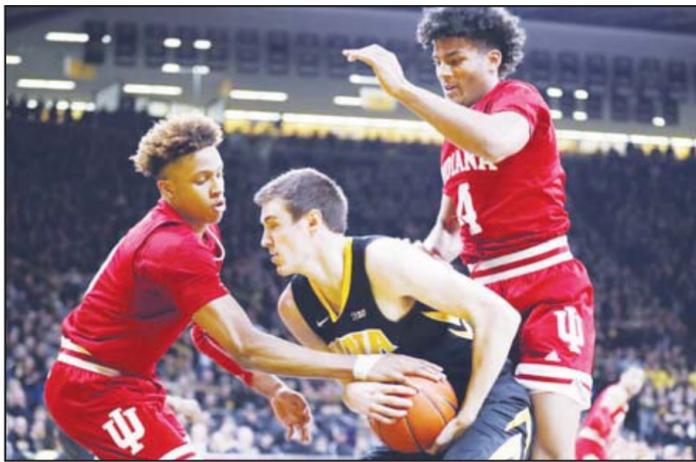
Indiana's defense forced Bohannon to jank up a 3 at the shot clock buzzer, but the junior calmly knocked it through to complete one of the spectacular stretches of his career.

Morgan had 15 and Langford scored 14 points for Indiana (13-14, 4-12), who've dropped 12 of 13.

Buffalo 80, Kent St 57

In Amherst, New York, Nick Perkins scored a career-high 27 points and Buffalo won its 24th consecutive home game beating Kent State.

Perkins scored eight points in the final 1:15 of the first half as part of an electrifying 10-0



Iowa forward Nicholas Baer, (center), grabs a rebound between Indiana's Romeo Langford, (left), and Jake Forrester during the first half of an NCAA college basketball game on Feb 22, in Iowa City, Iowa. (AP)

run in which Buffalo built a 35-27 lead. CJ Massinburg scored 18 for Buffalo (24-3, 12-2 Mid-American Conference) in matching No. 5 Tennessee for the nation's second-longest home winning streak and before the largest crowd in school history.

Buffalo moved into sole possession of first

place in the East Division following Bowling Green's loss to Ohio. And the win also clinched the Bulls a bye into the quarter-finals of the MAC tournament next month as they can't finish lower than second in the East.

Antonio Williams scored 17 before fouling

Kuwait win 18 medals at GCC amateur athletics champ'ship

DOHA, Feb 23, (KUNA) — Kuwait won 18 medals at the GCC amateur athletics championship, which concluded competitions in Doha on Friday.

Kuwaiti athletes succeeded in winning some events today.

Bader Mohammad won the 1,500 meter event and finished the race by a time of 4:32:55 minutes. Kuwait's Shaikha Al-Qattan won the women 200m race with a time 29.74 seconds.

Hashem Al-Ali won the high jump after registering 1.95 meters, while teammate Hammam Al-Rashidi came third after crossing 1.83 meters.

Khaled Al-Shemmiri, Kuwait team director, expressed content for the results of the athletes who succeeded in winning 18 medals throughout the competitions.

Kuwait came second after Qatar, which won 34 medals. Oman came third with eight medals.

out to lead Kent State (19-8, 8-6), which lost consecutive games for the first time since a four-game losing streak in February 2018.

Davidson 75, Rhode Island 66

In Kingston, Rhode Island, Jon Axel Gudmundsson scored 20 points and had 10 rebounds and 10 assists to lead Davidson over Rhode Island 75-66 on Friday night.

The triple-double was the first for Davidson since John Falconi had 17 points, 12 rebounds and 11 assists in a 1973 game.

Gudmundsson's three field goals were 3-pointers with the junior guard from Iceland making 11 of 15 free throws.

Kishawn Pritchett made all four of his 3-point attempts and scored 13 points for

Davidson.

Luka Brajkovic scored 12 points and Dusan Kovacevic 10 for the Wildcats (20-7, 11-3), who moved within a half-game of first-place VCU (11-2). Davidson shot 61 percent and made 9 of 13 from the arc.

Tyrese Martin scored 16 points and Fatts Russell, Cyril Langevine and Jeff Dowtin added 12 each with Langevine grabbing 13 rebounds. Rhode Island (12-14, 5-9) had a 13-1 advantage on the offensive glass and outscored the Wildcats 19-0 on second-chance points but only shot 37.5 percent overall.

Davidson led by nine at halftime and never by less than that in the second half.

No. 10 Stanford tops Arizona

UCLA rallies from 22-down to knock off No. 2 Oregon 74-69

EUGENE, Oregon, Feb 23, (AP) — Kennedy Burke had a career-high 29 points and UCLA came back from a 22-point deficit to knock off No. 2



UCLA's Kennedy Burke, (right), pulls down a rebound ahead of Oregon's Lydia Giomi during the third quarter of an NCAA college basketball game on Feb 22, in Eugene, Oregon. (AP)

Oregon 74-69 on Friday night.

Burke was 12 of 17 from the field and had seven rebounds for the Bruins (17-10, 10-5 Pac-12), who won for the eighth time in the last nine games. Japreece Dean added 14 points and Michael Onyenwere had 12.

UCLA outscored the Ducks 36-14 over a large portion of the second half to lead 68-60. Oregon pulled to within 70-69 on Sabrina Ionescu's 3-pointer with 34 seconds left, but the Bruins scored the last four points at the foul line.

Erin Boley led the Ducks (24-3, 13-2) with 20 points, Ionescu had 18 and Maite Cazorla 13. Oregon was playing without junior forward Ruthy Hebard, who injured her right knee in Monday night's 67-62 loss at No. 12 Oregon State.

It was the first back-to-back losses for the Ducks since they dropped three in a row to end the 2016-17 season, a span of 71 games.

Stanford 56, Arizona 54

In Stanford, California, Alanna Smith hit a 3-pointer with 34 seconds left and Stanford scored the final nine points of the game to beat Arizona.

Stanford trailed 54-47 before Lacie Hull hit a 3-pointer to start the game-ending run with 4:10 left, ending a nearly five minute scoreless streak for the Cardinal (22-4, 11-3 Pac 12). Smith then hit consecutive 3-pointers to Stanford the lead.

Aari McDonald, who scored 20 points for the Wildcats, missed two free throws with 17 seconds left, but Arizona had a chance when Destiny Graham stole the Cardinal inbound pass after Stanford called timeout. McDonald's 3-point attempt at the buzzer went in and out preserving the Cardinal's win.

Butler 61, Marquette 57

In Milwaukee, Tori Schickel scored six of her 19 points in the fourth quarter as Butler rallied past Marquette.

Schickel's layup with 36 seconds to go gave the Bulldogs (20-6, 10-5 Big East Conference) a 59-57 lead and Whitney Jennings made 2 of 4 free throws to cap the scoring. The Golden Eagles (22-5, 13-2) lost for the second time in their last three games.

Butler trailed by eight early in the fourth quarter before scoring 11 straight points for a 54-51 lead with 4:06 to go. Marquette scored four straight points to retake the lead, but Michelle Weaver's 3-pointer put the Golden Eagles ahead 57-55 and they never trailed again.

Oregon St 68, USC 61

In Corvallis, Oregon, Mikayla Pivec had 18 points and eight rebounds and Oregon State used a late run to beat Southern California.

Pivec's jumper with 5:15 left in the fourth quarter sparked a 16-2 run that turned a seven-point deficit into a seven-point lead with 22 seconds to go. Aleah Goodman and Destiny Slocum highlighted the run with back-to-back 3-pointers — Goodman giving the Beavers (22-5, 12-3 Pac-12) the lead for good at 61-59 and Slocum pushing the lead to five with 32 seconds left.

California 69, Arizona St 60

In Berkeley, California, Kristine Anigwe and Reece Caldwell scored 20 points each, Asha Thomas added 18 and California ended a five-game losing streak by snapping Arizona State's five-game winning streak.

Thomas made three 3-pointers in the third period when the Golden Bears (15-11, 6-9 Pac-12) outscored the Sun Devils 22-9 and took the lead for good, going into the fourth quarter ahead 47-41.

ASU got as close as three with 4:12 to go in the game before Caldwell started a 7-0 run with a 3-pointer.

Drake 66, Evansville 39

In Des Moines, Iowa, Sara Rhine scored 16 points and grabbed eight rebounds and No. 24 Drake used a big third quarter to pull away from Evansville.

The Bulldogs (20-5, 12-1 Missouri Valley Conference) outscored the Purple Aces 25-3 in the third quarter with 10-of-17 shooting while Evansville (3-22, 1-13) was going 1 of 8 with seven turnovers, five coming off steals. Evansville finished with only 13 points in the second half.

Leonard and Raptors spoil DeRozan's Toronto return

George shines as Thunder edge Jazz in 2OT

TORONTO, Feb 23, (AP) — Kawhi Leonard had a go-ahead dunk with 15 seconds left and scored 25 points to help the Toronto Raptors beat his former San Antonio Spurs teammates 120-117 on Friday night, spoiling DeMar DeRozan return.

Traded to San Antonio in the offseason deal that sent Leonard to Toronto, DeRozan received a warm welcome in the homecoming, but was denied a second victory over his former team. He finished with 23 points.

Lowry and DeRozan embraced near center court following the final whistle as the sellout crowd of 20,058 cheered in approval.

Pascal Siakam added 22 points to help Toronto win its seventh straight game. Kyle Lowry and Danny Green each had 17, Serge Ibaka had 13 points and 15 rebounds, and Jeremy Lin had 11 points in his second game with the Raptors.

Marco Belinelli scored 21 points for San Antonio. Davis Bertans had 16, and Rudy Gay added 12 points and 10 rebounds. The Spurs have lost five of six.

Thunder 148, Jazz 147, 2OT

In Oklahoma City, Paul George floated in a basket with less than a second remaining in double-overtime, capping a 45-point night with the winning shot as Oklahoma City topped Utah.

George dribbled out the final seconds before driving between two defenders and floating in a shot with 0.8 seconds left. Kyle Korver got off a desperate 3 for Utah, but it went long as the buzzer sounded.

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Russell Westbrook added 43 points, 15 rebounds and eight assists, helping Oklahoma City overcome 38 points from Donovan Mitchell.

Westbrook fouled out with 1:09 left in the first overtime, ending his NBA streak of 11 consecutive games with a triple-double.

Jerami Grant had 18 points for the Thunder.

Timberwolves 115, Knicks 104

In New York, Derrick Rose scored 20 points, Taj Gibson added a season-high 19 and Minnesota overcame the first missed game of Karl-Anthony Towns' career to beat New York.

Towns' streak of 303 consecutive starts was snapped when he was placed in the concussion protocol after a car accident. Towns was able to fly to New York after the accident Thursday in Minnesota, but was ruled out after further medical examination Friday.

Damyean Dotson and Allonzo Trier each scored 20 points for the Knicks in their 18th straight home loss.

Nuggets 114, Mavericks 104

In Dallas, Nikola Jokic had 19 points and 13 rebounds and Denver beat Dallas for its third straight victory.

Paul Millsap added 17 points and 13 rebounds, and Isaiah Thomas had 16 points over 16 minutes in his second game since offseason hip



Toronto Raptors forward Kawhi Leonard (2) tries to get past San Antonio Spurs guard DeMar DeRozan (10) during the second half of an NBA basketball game on Feb 22, in Toronto. (AP)

NBA Results/Standings

WASHINGTON, Feb 23, (RTRS) — Results and standings from the NBA games on Friday.

Charlotte	123	Washington	110	Minnesota	115	New York	104
Indiana	126	New Orleans	111	LA Clippers	112	Memphis	106
Chicago	110	Orlando	109	Denver	114	Dallas	104
Toronto	120	San Antonio	117	Oklahoma City	148	Utah (OT)	147
Detroit	125	Atlanta	122				

Eastern Conference

Atlantic Division

	W	L	PCT	GB
Toronto	44	16	.733	-
Philadelphia	38	21	.644	5-1/2
Boston	37	22	.627	6-1/2
Brooklyn	30	30	.500	14
New York	11	48	.186	32-1/2

Central Division

	W	L	PCT	GB
Milwaukee	44	14	.759	-
Indiana	39	20	.661	5-1/2
Detroit	27	30	.474	16-1/2
Chicago	15	44	.254	29-1/2
Cleveland	13	46	.2203	1-1/2

Southeast Division

	W	L	PCT	GB
Charlotte	28	30	.483	-
Miami	26	31	.456	1-1/2
Orlando	27	33	.450	2
Washington	24	35	.407	4-1/2
Atlanta	19	40	.322	9-1/2

Western Conference

Northwest Division

	W	L	PCT	GB
Denver	40	18	.690	-
Oklahoma City	38	20	.655	2
Portland	35	23	.603	5
Utah	32	26	.552	8
Minnesota	28	30	.483	12

Pacific Division

	W	L	PCT	GB
Golden State	42	16	.724	-
LA Clippers	33	27	.550	10
Sacramento	30	28	.517	12
LA Lakers	29	29	.500	13
Phoenix	11	49	.183	32

Southwest Division

	W	L	PCT	GB
Houston	33	25	.569	-
San Antonio	33	27	.550	1
Dallas	26	32	.448	7
New Orleans	26	34	.433	8
Memphis	23	37	.383	11

surgery.

Dallas rookie star Luka Doncic sat out with a sore right ankle. Jalen Brunson started in Doncic's place and had a career-high 22 points.

Pistons 125, Hawks 122

In Atlanta, Thon Maker made a tie-breaking 3-pointer with 16.7 seconds remaining and Detroit overcame Blake Griffin's ejection to beat Atlanta.

Reggie Jackson scored a season-high 32 points, and Andre Drummond had 26 points and 21 rebounds for Detroit. Griffin was ejected after his second technical foul in the third quarter.

Trae Young led Atlanta with 30 points and 10 assists.

Pacers 126, Pelicans 111

In Indianapolis, Wesley Matthews scored 15 of his 24 points during a third-quarter rally, Domantas Sabonis had 18 points and 12 rebounds and Indiana overcame a 20-point deficit to beat New Orleans.

Bojan Bogdanovic added 20 points for Indiana. Cheick Diallo led New Orleans with 16 points.

Anthony Davis had 15 points.

Hornets 123, Wizards 110

In Charlotte, North Carolina, Kemba Walker had 27 points and 11 assists in his first outing since the All-Star game and Charlotte over-

came Bradley Beal's 46-point night for Washington.

Nic Batum added 20 points for the Hornets in his first game this season at shooting guard.

Bulls 110, Magic 109

In Orlando, Florida, Lauri Markannen made two of three free throws with 1.5 seconds left to lift Chicago past Orlando.

After being fouled by Aaron Gordon on a 3-pointer, Markannen missed the first attempt, the Bulls' only miss of the game in 19 attempts, and hit the second two. Markannen finished with 25 points and 11 rebounds.

Evan Fournier led Orlando with 22 points.

Clippers 112, Grizzlies 106

In Memphis, Tennessee, Montrezl Harrell matched his career high with 30 points, Danilo Gallinari added 23, including 10 straight points in the fourth quarter, and Los Angeles beat Memphis.

Lou Williams added 18 points. Mike Conley scored 25 points for the Grizzlies.



Oklahoma City Thunder center Steven Adams (12) blocks a shot by Utah Jazz guard Donovan Mitchell (45) in the first overtime of an NBA basketball game in Oklahoma City, on Feb 22. (AP)

NFL Roundup

Parkey released

Patriots owner faces 'solicitation' charges

JUPITER, Florida, Feb 23, (RTRS) — New England Patriots owner Robert Kraft faces two counts of solicitation of prostitution in Florida as one of 25 individuals facing similar charges in connection with an investigation into a Florida spa allegedly tied to an international human trafficking ring.

Kraft, 77, is alleged to have paid for sex at Orchids of Asia Day Spa in Jupiter, Fla., one of 10 shut down in the region after a long investigation showed the women in the spas were sex servants, according to authorities. Kraft allegedly visited the spa on two occasions, according to law enforcement. He has not been arrested on the charges, both classified as misdemeanors. NFL Network reported that an arrest warrant will be issued on Monday with possibility of Kraft facing 60 days in jail.

Kraft, who also owns the New England Revolution MLS franchise, denied the accusations on Friday afternoon. The NFL also released a statement, saying it "is aware of the ongoing law enforcement matter and will continue to monitor developments."

After a difficult season culminated by a crucial missed attempt on a potential game-winning field goal in the NFC playoffs, kicker **Cody Parkey** will be released by the **Chicago Bears** when the new league year begins in March.

According to multiple reports, the team intends to cut ties with Parkey once the NFL free agency period begins on March 13.

The **Philadelphia Eagles** announced the release of defensive back **Chris Maragos** after five seasons with the franchise, missing all of last season with a knee injury he suffered during the 2017 campaign.

Maragos was one of the Eagles' top special-teams players. The Eagles said he made 49 special teams' tackles in 53 games with the club and was a Pro Bowl alternate in 2014.