

# THE DECATHLON ASSOCIATION

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### STOMNE NAIA WINNER NJCAA Settled. and NCAA D-I, II Next

**Hello Again.....**A pair of national collegiate heptathlons were settled over the weekend. In Yankton, SD (Mount Marty College) 20 year of Swedish transfer Philip Stomne/Keiser U (Valbo, SWE) emerged from a pack of three to capture the NAIA title on Wednesday-Thursday. His 5211 score was just shy of his PR (5228). His 132-point final margin came over North Star Conf king Cleet Wrzesinski, the Dickinson State senior with Concordia's junior Cody Williams another 23 digits back.

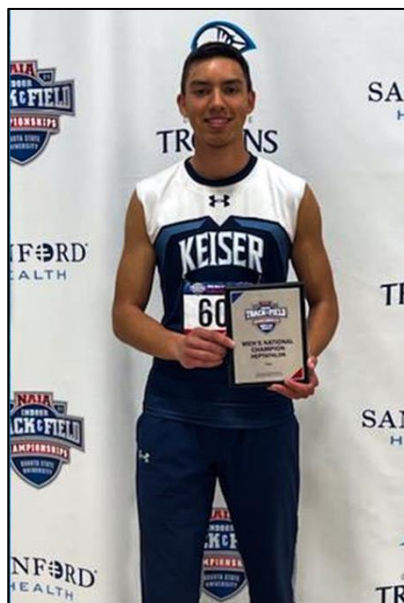
Stomne boasts of an outdoor deca best of 6637.



**3/3-4 NAIA National Champs, Mount Marty Field House, Yankton, SD**

5211	Stomne, Philip/Keiser'24	7.11	677
1149	192 8.49 425 2:51.43		
5079	Wrzesinski, Cleet/Dickinson St'22	7.18	
6371	178 18 8.35 395 2:47.25		
5056	Williams, Cody/Concordia(NE)'22	7.42	635
1119	189 8.33 455 2:54.81		

On Friday-Saturday in Pittsburg, KS Cloud County soph Andrew Betton (below) won the NJCAA crown with a 4736 effort.



Philip Stomne/Keiser, won the NAIA crown in Yankton, SD

**3/5-6 NJCAA National Champs, Pittsburg State College, Pittsburg, KS**

4736	Betton, Andrew/CloudCounty'23	7.22	619	1023	186	8.87	400	2:53.26
4698	Paletti, Nicola/Iowa CentralCC'24	7.35	666	805	198	8.85	360	2:50.53
4636	Cade, Marcquiece/CloudCounty'	7.48	642					
		1113	192	8.75	330	2:54.39		

**UP Next,**

NCAA I and II title meets are scheduled for 3/11-12. The former in Fayetteville, AR, the latter in Birmingham, AL. The NCAA- D-III meet has been cancelled.

