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### How NBA 1st round draft may go

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How the Associated Press handicaps the first round of the NBA draft:

1. New Jersey - Kenyon Martin, F, Cincinnati. The consensus best all-around player in the draft, although he comes with a worrisome downside—he broke his right leg in the Conference USA tournament. Nets might trade pick.

2. Vancouver - Stromile Swift, F, LSU. Would clear the way for the Grizzlies to trade Othella Harrington, who wants out of British Columbia.

3. L.A. Clippers - Marcus Fizer, F, Iowa State. The self-proclaimed best player in the draft is the safe pick for the Clips, who are flirting with the idea of taking high school phenom Darius Miles.

4. Chicago - Darius Miles, F, East St. Louis (Ill.) H.S. Jerry Krause needs a center, but a good one should be available at No. 7. If Clippers take Miles at No. 3, Krause might trade this pick to a team coveting Fizer. 5. Orlando — Chris Mihm, C, Texas. Magic are salivating over the prospect of Fizer maybe dropping here. Otherwise, it's a tough year to be picking fifth. 6. Atlanta - Mike Miller, F, Florida. A bigger decision for Hawks is whether to trade Dikembe Mutombo. 7. Chicago — Joel Przybilla, C, Minnesota. Krause

gets his big man. 8. Cleveland—Courtney Alexander, G, Fresno State. Cavs desperate to get a center, but if Mihm and Przybilla are gone, Alexander can replace Bob Sura. 9. Houston - Jerome Moiso, F, UCLA. With Steve Francis and Cuttino Mobley in the starting backcourt, Rockets need forwards.

10. Orlando - DerMarr Johnson, G, Cincinnati. Not easy to find 6-foot-9 shooting guards.

11. Boston - Morris Peterson, F, Michigan State. Celtics coach Rick Pitino, desperate to make a splash, could trade up to the top five.

12. Dallas — Jamal Crawford, G, Michigan. Mavs also trying to deal package of Shawn Bradley, Robert Pack and hot Rod Williams to Nuggets and Hawks.

13. Orlando — Iakovos Tsakalidis, C, AEK Greece. Has at least two years left on Greek contract, but can

14. Detroit - Mateen Cleaves, G, Michigan State. If Pistons pass on Cleaves, he falls to 20,s.

15. Milwaukee - Etan Thomas, F, Syracuse. And pray Tim Thomas doesn't bolt.

16. Sacramento — Quentin Richardson, F, DePaul. And find a taker for Nick Anderson. 17. Seattle - Mamadou N'Diaye, C, Auburn. Are

Sonics dangling Ruben Patterson and Shammond Williams in an effort to move up?

18. L.A. Clippers — Donnell Harvey, F, Florida. Someone has to replace Maurice Taylor.

19. Charlotte — Chris Carrawell, G, Duke. Hornets need local lad to sell tickets.

20. Philadelphia — Olumide Oyedeji, C, DJK Wurzburg, Germany. Won Bundesliga slam-dunk

21. Toronto — Keyon Dooling, G, Missouri. Need a point guard like humans need oxygen. 22. New York - Speedy Claxton, G, Hofstra. And a

taker for Frederic Weis. 23. Utah - Hanno Mottola, F. Utah. A fine Finnish

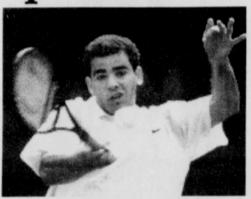
Krause gets Jermaine O'Neal from Portland. 25. Phoenix — Desmond Mason, F, Oklahoma State.

Best available athlete, a la Shawn Marion in 1999. 26. Denver—Soumaila Samake, C, Cincinnati (IBL). Someone has to back up Bradley, no?

27. Indiana - Erick Barkley, G, St. John's. Clearing the way for Mark Jackson's free agency departure. 28. Portland - Jamaal Magliore, C, Kentucky. If he falls this far.

29. L.A. Lakers - Mike Smith, F, Louisiana-Monroe. MVP of Portsmouth Invitational is no Leon.

#### Sampras rips protest by **Spaniards**



Defending champion Pete Sampras returns to Jiri Vanek of the Czech Republic during their men's singles, first round match on the Centre Court at Wimbledon, Monday, June

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Pete Sampras has a word for the Spanish protest at Wimbledon: childish.

The six-time champion had little sympathy for have to play Philippoussis (in the first round)."

Spaniards Alex Corretja and Albert Costa after their withdrawal Sunday. They were angered at not being seeded in the top 16 despite being ranked in the top 16 by the ATP.

"You really try to rise above it instead of being a little childish about it and going home," Sampras said Monday after beating Jiri Vanek 6-4, 6-4, 6-2 in his opening match. "It's a bit disappointing." Unlike the three other Grand Slams, Wimbledon seeds players according to their ability on grass instead of using the ATP ranking. Both Wimbledon and ATP Tour officials have agreed to look at a new seeding system for Wimbledon. "They did have their reasons why they didn't play," Sampras said. "It's just disappointing. You know, this is the biggest event we have in the game. Everybody should play it."

Sampras, who was seeded No. 2 in the French Open and lost in the first round to Mark Philippoussis, said he'd be happy not being seeded at Roland Garros.

"If I wasn't seeded at the French Open that would be fine by me,"he said. "As long as I don't

#### Salazar joins Central Catholic staff

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Alberto Salazar, international track and field legend, has accepted the position of Head Cross Country coach at Central Catholic High School. "Our kids will have the opportunity to learn from one of the greatest distance runners of all time. Alberto will bring his expertise and knowledge to our program, which will enable us to build a strong, competitive program. We are so excited to have him join our community," remarked Mark Horak, Athletic Director for Central Catholic. In both 1981 and 1982, Salazar was the number one ranked marathoner in the world. He has won numerous marathon races including his reign as the New York City marathon winner for three consecutive years, 1980,

81, and 82. In 1981 Salazar set a

world record for the 5-mile

distance in 22 minutes, 3 seconds.

Salazar set American records in

the 5,000 and 10,000 meters in

1982, and set a world record in the

marathon in 1981, running 2 hours,



8 minutes and 13 seconds. He also was a member of the US Olympic team in both 1980 and 1984.

Most recently, he was the winner of the Comrades Ultra-Marathon Champion race in South Africa, which covered a grueling course of 54 miles. He also served as captain of NIKE's 1994 Hood to Coast relay team that set a new record time in winning the race.

#### Fire's Williams injured in traffic accident

Portland Fire reserve guard Tara Williams was placed on the injured list Tuesday after she suffered whiplash and a concussion in a traffic accident the day before. Williams was riding to practice with rookie teammate Lynn Pride when they were rearended at a stop light. Pride was not injured.

By WNBA rules, Williams has to sit out at least three games. The next game she's eligible for is July 3 at Indiana. Williams has played in eight of the Fire's 10 games, averaging 3.6 points and going 6-of-8 from 3-point range.

To fill her spot on the roster, Portland activated guard Jamila Wideman, who has been on the injured list all season with a sprained ankle. The expansion Fire have a 2-8 record, third-

in the

worst

## Kentucky Derby's Fusaichi Pegasus

Kentucky Derby winner Fusaichi Pegasus has been sold to Ashford Stud, the North American division of Coolmore

Financial terms were not disclosed, but the Daily Racing Form is reporting that the deal is worth between \$60 million and \$70 million, which would easily top the record price of \$40 million paid for Shareef Dancer in 1983.

Current owner Fusao Sekiguchi is expected to retain control of the horse through the Breeders' Cup, but will not retain any ownership for breeding purposes. The colt will stand at Ashford in Versailles, Kentucky and the Racing Form is reporting that the horse will carry a stud fee in the \$200,000

out to Sekiguchi when the Mr. Prospector colt was purchased at the 1998 Keeneland auction for \$4 million. Fusaichi Pegasus became the first favorite to win the Kentucky Derby in 21 years. But he was stunned by Red Bullet in the Preakness as a 1-5 favorite and settled for

Stakes due to a small cut on his right front hoof.

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A group headed by Coolmore owner John Magnier lost out

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Fusaichi Pegasus later dropped out of the Belmont

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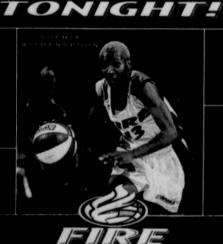
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