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MIDWEST LINEMEN TO JOIN
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Two All-State Midwest linemen, one from Minnesota and the other from Wisconsin, have signed national letters of intent indicating they will attend the University of Montana on grid scholarships this fall.

They are Randy Barrett from Brookfield Central High School near Milwaukee, and Steve Tesch from Robinsdale High School near Minneapolis.

Barrett rated first team All-State honors both offensively and defensively. Word has it that the 6-2, 210-pounder could have been lineman of the year for the state had his votes not been split between offense and defense.

Offensively, the highly versatile Barrett worked at both guard and center during his prep career while seeing action at tackle and linebacker on defense.

UM assistant coach Ron Nord, making the announcement, cited Barrett's quickness and agility. "He's a fine tennis player, which is unusual for a boy of his size," Nord said.

Tesch, whose hometown is Golden Valley, earned All-State honors as part of the tough Lake Conference. That is the same league in which former Grizzly fullback Bryan Magnuson played during his high school days.

The 6-1, 220-pounder chose Montana over full offers from Minnesota and Nebraska, partly because of UM's fine forestry school.

In 1967, Tesch was one of two juniors in Minnesota named to the All-State team. He plays tackle either way and guard on offense.

He graduated 40th out of 913 in his class this spring.

"Steve is the kind of student-athlete we like to enroll at the University," Nord said. "He and Randy will be fine additions to our program."

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