

3 NAIA playoffs will be rematches

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KANSAS CITY (AP) — Three of four NAIA Division II football playoff games will be rematches between teams which have played earlier this season, the association announced Sunday.

The pairings in the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics playoffs first round, to be played Nov. 22, will be: Baker University, Baldwin, Kan. (9-0-1), at William Jewell, Liberty, Mo. (10-0-1); Valley City State, N.D. (7-0), at McMurry, Abilene, Texas (9-1); Hanover, Ind. (8-1), at Wilmington, Ohio (7-1); and Linfield, McMinnville, Ore. (9-0), at Pacific Lutheran, Tacoma, Wash. (8-1).

All games are at 1 p.m. local time, except the Valley City-McMurry contest, scheduled for 11 a.m. St. Louis time.

The Baker-William Jewell matchup may finally decide something for the two teams, which battled to a 10-10 tie at Liberty during the regular season and became co-champions of the Heart of America