

Westbrook fined \$25,000 for language; Jazz ban fan

By the Associated Press

NEW YORK — The NBA has fined Oklahoma City guard Russell Westbrook \$25,000 for the language he directed toward a fan in Utah.

Meanwhile, the Jazz have banned the fan from all events at their arena permanently and effectively immediately.

Westbrook says the fan made racial comments toward him during the Jazz-Thunder game on Monday night. The NBA and the Jazz both investigated the matter and released decisions Tuesday afternoon. Westbrook was fined

for using both profanity and threatening language, which he did from the sideline.

The Jazz say that the fan was banned for “excessive and derogatory verbal abuse” during the game.

Oklahoma City Thunder's Russell Westbrook gets into a heated verbal altercation with fans in the first half of an NBA basketball game against the Utah Jazz, Monday in Salt Lake City.

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SCOREBOARD

Local schedule

■ **TODAY, MARCH 13**

No events scheduled

■ **THURSDAY, MARCH 14**

No events scheduled

■ **FRIDAY, MARCH 15**

No events scheduled

Bowling

AT JASPER/Eastown Recreation Center

MARCH 11

■ **MONDAY NIGHT BOOSTER LEAGUE**

Superior Ag 6, Lemond's Cleaning 2
Crazy Cajuns 8, Ferdinand News 0
Double AA Drywall 8, Basket Case Brewing Company 0
Impressions Printing 6, Carpenters 2
High games and series — Paul Lemond 235-258-255-748, Chelsea Kiefer 254-178-190-622, Josh Hart 228-635, Scott Koterman 237-610.

Pro baseball

■ **MLB SPRING TRAINING GLANCE**

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AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W	L	PCT.
New York	6	6	.600
Kansas City	11	8	.579
Toronto	9	7	.563
Cleveland	9	7	.563
Oakland	10	8	.556
Los Angeles	10	8	.556
Minnesota	9	8	.529
Houston	9	8	.529
Baltimore	9	8	.529
Tampa Bay	9	9	.500
Detroit	9	9	.500
Seattle	7	8	.467
Chicago	6	10	.375
Texas	6	10	.375
Boston	6	11	.353

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	PCT.
San Diego	5	6	.667
Atlanta	11	7	.611
Chicago	11	8	.579
Philadelphia	9	7	.563
Los Angeles	9	7	.563
Washington	9	8	.529
Milwaukee	9	9	.526
Arizona	8	8	.500
New York	8	10	.444
Miami	8	10	.444
St. Louis	7	9	.438
San Francisco	7	10	.412
Colorado	7	10	.412
Pittsburgh	7	11	.389
Cincinnati	5	10	.333

Tuesday's Games

Detroit 4, Boston 3
Miami 8, N.Y. Mets 1
Minnesota 10, Pittsburgh 4
Atlanta 5, St. Louis 0
Tampa Bay 2, Toronto 1
Seattle at Chicago White Sox (ss), cancelled
Chicago White Sox (ss) at Kansas City, cancelled
Washington 5, Houston 3
N.Y. Yankees 8, Baltimore 7
San Diego (ss) at Cincinnati (ss), cancelled
Oakland at San Diego (ss), cancelled
Texas at Arizona, cancelled
Cincinnati (ss) 12, Chicago Cubs 3
San Francisco 4, Milwaukee 2

Wednesday's Games

Minnesota vs. Boston at Fort Myers, Fla., 1:05 p.m.
Atlanta vs. Washington at West Palm Beach, Fla., 1:05 p.m.
St. Louis vs. Miami at Jupiter, Fla., 1:05 p.m.
Toronto vs. Baltimore at Sarasota, Fla., 1:05 p.m.
Houston vs. N.Y. Mets at Port St. Lucie, Fla., 1:10 p.m.
Chicago Cubs vs. Oakland at Mesa, Ariz., 4:05 p.m.
Cleveland (ss) vs. Kansas City at Surprise, Ariz., 4:05 p.m.
Milwaukee vs. Cleveland (ss) at Goodyear, Ariz., 4:05 p.m.
Arizona vs. Colorado at Scottsdale, Ariz., 4:10 p.m.
Philadelphia vs. N.Y. Yankees at Tampa, Fla., 6:35 p.m.
San Diego vs. L.A. Angels at Tempe, Ariz., 9:10 p.m.
San Francisco vs. Seattle at Peoria, Ariz., 9:40 p.m.
Chicago White Sox vs. L.A. Dodgers at Glendale, Ariz., 10:05 p.m.

Thursday's Games

Philadelphia (ss) vs. Tampa Bay at Port Charlotte, Fla., 1:05 p.m.
Washington vs. Minnesota (ss) at Fort Myers, Fla., 1:05 p.m.
Philadelphia (ss) vs. Pittsburgh at Bradenton, Fla., 1:05 p.m.
Boston vs. Detroit at Lakeland, Fla., 1:05 p.m.
Minnesota (ss) vs. Baltimore at Sarasota, Fla., 1:05 p.m.
Miami vs. Houston at West Palm Beach, Fla., 1:05 p.m.
N.Y. Mets vs. St. Louis at Jupiter, Fla., 1:05 p.m.

N.Y. Yankees vs. Toronto at Dunedin, Fla., 1:07 p.m.
Texas (ss) vs. Kansas City at Surprise, Ariz., 4:05 p.m.
Texas (ss) vs. Chicago Cubs at Mesa, Ariz., 4:05 p.m.
Colorado vs. Cleveland at Goodyear, Ariz., 4:05 p.m.
Cincinnati vs. L.A. Dodgers (ss) at Glendale, Ariz., 4:05 p.m.
L.A. Angels vs. Milwaukee at Phoenix, 4:05 p.m.
San Francisco vs. Arizona at Scottsdale, Ariz., 4:10 p.m.
L.A. Dodgers (ss) vs. San Diego at Peoria, Ariz., 9:40 p.m.

College basketball

■ **AP MEN'S TOP 25 FARED**

Tuesday
1. Gonzaga (30-3) lost to Saint Mary's 60-47. Next: TBA.
2. Virginia (28-2) did not play. Next: vs. N.C. State or Clemson, Thursday.
3. North Carolina (26-5) did not play. Next: vs. Louisville or Notre Dame, Thursday.
4. Kentucky (26-5) did not play. Next: vs. Mississippi or Alabama, Friday.
5. Duke (26-5) did not play. Next: vs. Syracuse or Pittsburgh, Thursday.
6. Michigan State (25-6) did not play. Next: vs. Ohio State or Indiana, Friday.
7. Texas Tech (26-5) did not play. Next: vs. Oklahoma or West Virginia, Thursday.
8. Tennessee (27-4) did not play. Next: vs. Mississippi State, Texas A&M or Vanderbilt, Friday.
9. LSU (26-5) did not play. Next: vs. Florida or Arkansas, Friday. Next: SEC semifinals, Saturday.
10. Michigan (26-5) did not play. Next: vs. Iowa, Illinois or Northwestern, Friday.
11. Houston (29-2) did not play. Next: vs. South Florida or UConn, Friday.
12. Florida State (25-6) did not play. Next: vs. No. 16 Virginia Tech or Miami, Thursday.
13. Purdue (23-8) did not play. Next: vs. Minnesota or Penn State, Friday.
14. Nevada (28-3) did not play. Next: vs. Boise State or Colorado State, Thursday.
15. Kansas State (24-7) did not play. Next: vs. TCU or Oklahoma State, Thursday.
16. Virginia Tech (23-7) did not play. Next: vs. Miami, Wednesday.
17. Kansas (23-8) did not play. Next: vs. Texas, Thursday.
18. Buffalo (28-3) did not play. Next: vs. Akron or Miami (Ohio), Thursday.
19. Wisconsin (22-9) did not play. Next: vs. No. 21 Maryland, Rutgers or Nebraska, Friday.
20. Wofford (29-4) did not play. Next: NCAA Tournament.
21. Maryland (22-9) did not play. Next: vs. Rutgers or Nebraska, Thursday.
22. Auburn (22-9) did not play. Next: vs. Mississippi or Georgia, Thursday.
23. Marquette (23-8) did not play. Next: vs. St. John's or DePaul, Thursday.
24. Cincinnati (25-6) did not play. Next: vs. Tulsa or SMU, Friday.
25. Villanova (22-9) did not play. Next: vs. Providence or Butler, Thursday.

■ **SCHEDULE**

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Wednesday, Mar. 13

EAST

UMass vs. George Washington at Brooklyn, N.Y., 1 p.m.
Nebraska vs. Rutgers at Chicago, Ill., 6:30 p.m.
Butler vs. Providence at New York, N.Y., 7 p.m.
Bucknell at Colgate, 7:30 p.m.
DePaul vs. St. John's at New York, N.Y., 9:30 p.m.

SOUTH

Clemson vs. NC State at Charlotte, N.C., Noon
Fordham vs. Richmond at Brooklyn, N.Y., 3:30 p.m.
FAU vs. Louisiana Tech at Frisco, Texas, 7 p.m.
Middle Tennessee vs. UAB at Frisco, Texas, 7:30 p.m.
North Texas vs. FIU at Frisco, Texas, 9:30 p.m.
Rice vs. Marshall at Frisco, Texas, 10 p.m.

MIDWEST

Georgia vs. Missouri at Nashville, Tenn., 7 p.m.
Northwestern vs. Illinois at Chicago, Ill., 9 p.m.

SOUTHWEST

Houston Baptist vs. Lamar at Katy, Texas, 6 p.m.
Oklahoma St. vs. TCU at Kansas City, Mo., 7 p.m.
Cent. Arkansas vs. Texas A&M-CC at Katy, Texas, 8:30 p.m.
West Virginia vs. Oklahoma at Kansas City, Mo., 9:30 p.m.
Vanderbilt vs. Texas A&M at Nashville, Tenn., 9:30 p.m.

FAR WEST

Sacramento St. vs. N. Arizona at Boise, Idaho, 11:30 a.m.
Colorado St. vs. Boise St. at Paradise, Nev., 2 p.m.
Idaho St. vs. S. Utah at Boise, Idaho, 2 p.m.
Arizona vs. Southern Cal at Paradise, Nev., 3 p.m.
Idaho vs. Montana St. at Boise, Idaho, 4:30 p.m.
Wyoming vs. New Mexico at Paradise, Nev., 4:30 p.m.
California vs. Colorado at Paradise, Nev., 5:30 p.m.
San Jose St. vs. Air Force at Paradise, Nev., 7 p.m.
Stanford vs. UCLA at Paradise, Nev., 9 p.m.

Washington St. vs. Oregon at Paradise, Nev., 11:30 p.m.

Thursday, Mar. 14

EAST

Akron vs. Buffalo at Cleveland, Ohio, Noon
La Salle vs. Rhode Island at Brooklyn, N.Y., Noon
Saint Joseph's vs. Duquesne at Brooklyn, N.Y., 6 p.m.
Georgetown vs. Seton Hall at New York, N.Y., 9:30 p.m.

SOUTH

Arkansas vs. Florida at Nashville, Tenn., 1 p.m.
UConn vs. South Florida at Memphis, Tenn., 1 p.m.
Tulane vs. Memphis at Memphis, Tenn., 3:30 p.m.
Delaware St. vs. NC Central at Norfolk, Va., 6 p.m.
Alabama vs. Mississippi at Nashville, Tenn., 7 p.m.
Bethune-Cookman vs. Howard at Washington, D.C., 8:30 p.m.

MIDWEST

Indiana vs. Ohio St. at Chicago, Ill., 12:30 p.m.
Creighton vs. Xavier at New York, N.Y., 2:30 p.m.
Cent. Michigan vs. Kent St. at Cleveland, Ohio, 2:30 p.m.
CS Bakersfield vs. Rio Grande at Las Vegas, Nev., 5:30 p.m.
N. Illinois vs. Toledo at Cleveland, Ohio, 6:30 p.m.
Penn St. vs. Minnesota at Chicago, Ill., 7 p.m.
Ball St. vs. Bowling Green at Cleveland, Ohio, 9 p.m.

Texas vs. Kansas at Kansas City, Mo., 9:30 p.m.
East Carolina vs. Wichita St. at Memphis, Tenn., 10:30 p.m.

SOUTHWEST

Iowa St. vs. Baylor at Kansas City, Mo., 12:30 p.m.
SMU vs. Tulsa at Memphis, Tenn., 8 p.m.

FAR WEST

Chicago St. vs. New Mexico St. at Las Vegas, Nev., 3 p.m.
CS Northridge vs. UC Santa Barbara at Anaheim, Calif., 3 p.m.
Portland St. vs. Weber St. at Boise, Idaho, 4:30 p.m.
UNLV vs. San Diego St. at Paradise, Nev., 5:30 p.m.
UC Davis vs. Cal St.-Fullerton at Anaheim, Calif., 5:30 p.m.
UC Riverside vs. UC Irvine at Anaheim, Calif., 9 p.m.
UMKC vs. Utah Valley at Las Vegas, Nev., 9 p.m.
Long Beach St. vs. Hawaii at Anaheim, Calif., 11:30 p.m.
Seattle vs. Grand Canyon at Las Vegas, Nev., 11:30 p.m.

Saturday, Mar. 16

EAST

Penn vs. Harvard at New Haven, Conn., 12:30 p.m.
Princeton vs. Yale at New Haven, Conn., 3 p.m.

Pro basketball

■ **NBA GLANCE**

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EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division

	W	L	PCT	GB
x-Toronto	48	20	.706	—
Philadelphia	43	25	.632	5
Boston	41	27	.603	7
Brooklyn	36	33	.522	12½
New York	13	55	.191	35

Southeast Division

	W	L	PCT	GB
Miami	31	35	.470	—
Orlando	31	37	.456	1
Charlotte	30	37	.448	1½
Washington	28	39	.418	3½
Atlanta	23	45	.338	9

West Division

	W	L	PCT	GB
x-Milwaukee	51	17	.750	—
Indiana	43	25	.632	8
Detroit	34	32	.515	16
Chicago	19	50	.275	32½
Cleveland	17	51	.250	34

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Southwest Division

	W	L	PCT	GB
Houston	42	25	.627	—
San Antonio	39	29	.574	3½
New Orleans	30	40	.429	13½
Memphis	28	40	.412	14½
Dallas	27	40	.403	15

Northwest Division

	W	L	PCT	GB
Denver	44	22	.667	—
Oklahoma City	41	26	.612	3½
Portland	41	26	.612	3½
Utah	37	29	.561	7
Minnesota	32	36	.471	13

Pacific Division

	W	L	PCT	GB
Golden State	45	21	.682	—
L.A. Clippers	39	30	.565	7½
Sacramento	33	33	.500	12
L.A. Lakers	31	36	.463	14½
Phoenix	16	52	.235	30

Monday's Games

Cleveland 126, Toronto 101
Washington 121, Sacramento 115
Brooklyn 103, Detroit 75
Houston 118, Charlotte 106
Oklahoma City 98, Utah 89

L.A. Clippers 140, Boston 115

Tuesday's Games

Indiana 103, New York 98
Philadelphia 106, Cleveland 99
L.A. Lakers 123, Chicago 107
Milwaukee 130, New Orleans 113
San Antonio 112, Dallas 105
Denver 133, Minnesota 107
Portland 125, L.A. Clippers 104

Wednesday's Games

Brooklyn at Oklahoma City, 7 p.m.
Orlando at Washington, 7 p.m.
Detroit at Miami, 7:30 p.m.
Memphis at Atlanta, 7:30 p.m.
Golden State at Houston, 9:30 p.m.
Utah at Phoenix, 10 p.m.

Thursday's Games

Cleveland at Orlando, 7 p.m.
Oklahoma City at Indiana, 7 p.m.
Sacramento at Boston, 7:30 p.m.
L.A. Lakers at Toronto, 8 p.m.
Minnesota at Utah, 9 p.m.
Dallas at Denver, 10:30 p.m.

Friday's Games

Charlotte at Washington, 7 p.m.
L.A. Lakers at Detroit, 7 p.m.
Sacramento at Philadelphia, 7 p.m.
Milwaukee at Miami, 8 p.m.
Phoenix at Houston, 8 p.m.
Portland at New Orleans, 8 p.m.
New York at San Antonio, 8:30 p.m.
Chicago at L.A. Clippers, 10:30 p.m.

Pro golf

■ **WORLD GOLF RANKING**

Through March 10

1. Dustin Johnson	USA	9.77
2. Justin Rose	ENG	9.55
3. Brooks Koepka	USA	8.70
4. Justin Thomas	USA	8.62
5. Bryson DeChambeau	USA	7.48
6. Rory McIlroy	NIR	6.73
7. Francesco Molinari	ITA	6.71
8. Xander Schauffele	USA	6.13
9. Rickie Fowler	USA	6.11
10. Jon Rahm	ESP	6.00
11. Tiger Woods	USA	5.12
12. Jason Day	AUS	5.09
13. Tommy Fleetwood	ENG	5.08
14. Tony Finau	USA	5.07
15. Paul Casey	ENG	4.65
16. Patrick Reed	USA	4.61
17. Bubba Watson	USA	4.46
18. Patrick Cantlay	USA	4.38
19. Marc Leishman	AUS	4.38
20. Phil Mickelson	USA	4.15
21. Webb Simpson	USA	4.03
22. Matt Kuchar	USA	3.95
23. Gary Woodland	USA	3.93
24. Cameron Smith	AUS	3.65
25. Jordan Spieth	USA	3.60
26. Sergio Garcia	ESP	3.59
27. Alex Noren	SWE	3.55
28. Louis Oosthuizen	SAF	3.54
29. Hideki Matsuyama	JPN	3.54
30. Rafa Cabrera Bello	ESP	3.49
31. Ian Poulter	ENG	3.42
32. Adam Scott	AUS	3.35
33. Matthew Fitzpatrick	ENG	3.30
34. Keegan Bradley	USA	3.25
35. Matt Wallace	ENG	3.15
36. Tyrrell Hatton	ENG	3.13
37. Henrik Stenson	SWE	3.02
38. Li Haotong	CHN	3.00
39. Kiradech Aphibarnrat	THA	2.95
40. Billy Horschel	USA	2.89
41. Branden Grace	RSA	2.88
42. Kyle Stanley	USA	2.68
43. Eddie Pepperrell	ENG	2.63
44. J.B. Holmes	USA	2.59
45. Shane Lowry	IRL	2.52
46. Charles Howell III	USA	2.51
47. Thorbjorn Olesen	DEN	2.44

48. Kevin Kisner	USA	2.38
49. Andrew Putnam	USA	2.33
50. Byeong Hun An	KOR	2.31

On the air

All Times EST

■ **TODAY, MARCH 13**

TELEVISION

Noon — Men's college basketball: ACC Tournament, North Carolina State vs. Clemson (ESPN)
2 p.m. — Men's college basketball: ACC Tournament, Virginia Tech vs. Miami (Fla.)/Wake Forest (ESPN)
4 p.m. — Men's soccer: UEFA Champions League, Bayern Munich vs. Liverpool (TNT)
6:30 p.m. — Men's college basketball: Big Ten Tournament, Rutgers vs. Nebraska (BTN)
7 p.m. — Men's college basketball: ACC Tournament, Louisville vs. Georgia Tech/Notre Dame (ESPN2)
7 p.m. — Men's college basketball: Big East Tournament, Providence vs. Butler (FS1)
7 p.m. — NBA basketball: Brooklyn Nets at Oklahoma City Thunder (ESPN)
7 p.m. — NHL hockey: Chicago Blackhawks