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Posted by Gunk - 2008/03/10 11:32

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Posted by timmyboy - 2008/03/10 11:35

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This is last week's poll.

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Understandable. SI's poll page is really dumb because of this. ESPN's is much better.

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Posted by AF_Puma - 2008/03/10 12:18

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Re:Not in AP Top 25

Posted by Cornellcoug - 2008/03/10 13:18

BYU came in at 24 today in the AP. Not too bad

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Posted by penncougar - 2008/03/10 13:28

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I would consider the loss to NC state at home a bad loss the way that NC state has played this year. Davidson gets zero attention locally though as all the focus is on the 4 main schools in North Carolina. If they are getting some east coast bias, its coming from the north

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