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Mustangs October Soccer Game Recaps

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10/10—Griffith Hat Trick Leads Mustangs to Victory

The Mustangs beat the Lehigh-Carbon Community College Cougars 4-0 on Saturday.

Led by freshman Dave Griffith (North Penn), the Mustangs penetrated the Cougars defense repeatedly, posting 30 shots on goal. Cougars' goalkeeper Terry Stewart (Northwestern) played an outstanding game, making 17 saves preventing the Mustangs from running up the score.

However Griffith found his way past Stewart with well-placed shots in the 21st, 39th, and 73rd minutes of the game. Freshman Christian Pastor (Souderton) also notched a goal for the Mustangs in the 77th minute bringing the final score to 4-0.

10/7—North Penn Alumnae Stand Out in Mustangs Victory

The North Penn High School alumnae of the Mustangs came on strong Wednesday as the women's soccer team traveled to take on the Middlesex County College Colts.

The Mustangs jumped out with an early lead when sophomore Katelyn Mathe (North Penn) put one in the goal off a direct kick from freshman Danielle Lillo (North Penn) in the eighth minute of the game.

Ahead by one, the Mustangs continued to pressure the opposition offensively and defensively preventing the Colts from coming from behind. After 82 minutes of back and forth play and excellent goal keeping the Mustangs took the 1-0 win, advancing their record to 7-4. Mustangs sophomore goalkeeper Erica Smolcynski (North Penn) recorded her third shutout of the season.

10/7—Phantoms Top Mustangs

The Mustangs fell to the Delaware County Community College Phantoms in their second match up of the season.

The Mustangs had beaten the Phantoms 3-1 previously and were looking for a repeat performance going into Wednesday's competition. But the Phantoms came on strong scoring first and playing a tight defensive game.

Twice during the play the Phantoms pushed ahead and each time the Mustangs answered back. But late in the second half the Phantoms scored their third and final goal from which the Mustangs were unable to recover.

10/5—Mustangs Falls 6-1 to Skylanders

The Mustangs women's soccer team traveled to Sussex County Community College Monday for a match up against the NJCAA Division I Skylanders.

The Skylanders jumped into the lead early in the game with goals in the fifth and ninth minutes scored by the team's scoring leader Alyssa Lewis.

The Mustangs fought to shrink the two-point deficit by answering back with a goal by freshman Megan Kelly (North Penn). But the Skylanders remained unfazed scoring three more goals before half time and ultimately winning the game 6-1.

10/3—Mustangs Trounce Colonials 8-1

Coming off a heartbreaking 1-2 overtime loss to the Bucks County Community College Centurians, the Mustangs men's soccer team had something to prove Saturday.

The Mustangs posted a spectacular 8-1 victory over the Philadelphia Community College Colonials during the College's annual Community Day celebration.



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Heading off the first half offensive charge was freshman forward Tom Dempsey (Methacton) who shot a rocket past the Colonials goalkeeper. Following his lead freshman teammates Ahmed Faik (Upper Dublin) and Mike Wambold (Upper Moreland) also found the back of the net taking the Mustangs into the second half with a 3-0 advantage.

Just minutes after the break Dempsey started the attack once again, this time followed by a goal apiece from sophomore Jerry Francois (Cheltenham) and freshman Christian Pastor (Souderton) and two final goals from freshman Ryan Nelson (Wissahickon).

10/3—Mustangs Buzz by Ravens

The Mustangs women's soccer team topped the Reading Area Community College Ravens 9-3 Saturday.

Competing for a crowd of local families in attendance as part of MCCC's 16th Annual Community Day the Mustangs delivered a

star performance in their victory over the Ravens.

Scoring two apiece and leading the attack for the Mustangs were sophomore Stephanie Doran (Lansdale Catholic), freshman Jeannine Mason (Methacton) and freshman Katie Miller (Plymouth Whitmarsh). Goals were also scored by freshmen Abigail Fairley (Upper Merion) and Megan Kelly (North Penn) and sophomore Katelyn Mathe (North Penn).

10/1—Vikings Shut Out Mustangs

The Mustangs lost 0-3 to the NJCAA Division I Mercer County Community College Vikings Thursday.

The Mustangs' efforts to improve their record were thwarted by the Vikings' aggressive forward line. Out-shooting the Mustangs 18-2 the Vikings pounded sophomore goalkeeper Erica Smolcynski (North Penn). Smolcynski notched 15 saves in a solid performance, letting only three slip by.

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