

## Unbeaten Footbills Keep Spartans in Dark

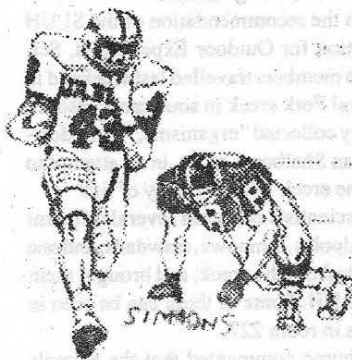
by Scott Witte  
of the Prep News Staff

The Jr. Bill football team's offense, led by senior quarterback Steve Schnur, scored early and often last Saturday evening as they took the large DeSmet crowd out of the game early and gave SLUH fans plenty to cheer about in their 41-16 rout of archrival DeSmet.

SLUH spoiled the first lighted home game ever at DeSmet by racking up five touchdowns en route to a 35-0 halftime lead, while the team's defense stifled any legitimate Spartan threats. With the victory, the Jr. Bills are currently ranked fourth in the area by the *Post-Dispatch*, and are off to a 5-0 start, the team's best first half of a season since 1984.

In those five games, SLUH has outscored the opposition 129-26; most of those 26 points have been scored while the Jr. Bill defensive starters were on the sidelines after the blowout victories were already secured.

Even the Jr. Bill special teams mirrored this domination early in Saturday's game, as senior Steve Aubrey blocked DeSmet's first punt of the evening after SLUH's defense allowed no yards to



DeSmet on its first three downs.

Aubrey commented on the block, "After five weeks, we finally got one!"

Head coach Gary Kornfeld exclaimed, "What a big play! Steve played  
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## Harriers Hammer Catholics at DeSmet After Parkway Letdown

by Ryan Fagan  
of the Prep News Staff

The varsity cross country team cruised to victory Tuesday over the all-Catholic competition at the DeSmet Invitational after placing fourth in the Parkway West Invitational last Saturday.

Last Saturday's fourth place finish was a disappointment for the Harriers, who were beaten by Parkway West, Jefferson City Helias, and Kirkwood. Though Parkway West and Jeff City Helias had figured to be a considerable challenge for the Harriers, upstart Kirkwood's performance came as a surprise. Just a week earlier, SLUH had easily outrun the Pioneers at the Hancock Invitational.

On the individual level, senior Sean Lock won the race in 16:07. Lock attributed the excellent time to "a wild, wooly wildebeest" that chased him across much

of the course.

Lock's classmates Jeff Bierling and Matt Heebner also medaled, and Bierling established a personal best in 17:17. Seniors John Miles and Steve Brockland rounded out the scoring for SLUH, followed closely by senior Ryan Fagan and junior Tim Probst.

At DeSmet, an all-senior Top Seven outclassed the Catholic schools competition, as everyone on varsity medaled. Lock was again the uncontested winner of the race, and Bierling also came up big, beating personal rival Tim Scott of CBC for the first time this season en route to a fourth place finish. Heebner, Miles, Brooks, Fagan, and Brockland placed 7th, 8th, 11th, 13th, and 14th, respectively, as they led SLUH to a 36-point victory over second place DeSmet.

The Harriers will run in the Metro Invitational this afternoon.

## Granite City Proves To Be Tough Test for Varsity Soccer

by Jim Cosgrove  
of the Prep News Staff

The varsity Soccerbills (7-5-1) went into this week's Granite City Tournament hoping to help head coach Ebbie Dunn break the national coaching record and reassert themselves on the St. Louis soccer scene with a prestigious tournament victory.

Dunn needed three victories going into the tournament to eclipse the record. The Bills moved one step closer to that goal with a 3-2 victory over Hazelwood Central Tuesday.

The game did not start off well for the Jr. Bills, however, as the sluggish defense quickly gave up two goals and Hazelwood took off with a 2-0 lead.

The Jr. Bills offense struck back, however, as senior captain Brian Flanagan punched the ball into the upper right hand corner of the net, cutting the Central lead in half.

The Jr. Bills were able to tie the score in the first half on a penalty kick by senior captain Jeremy Moore. Moore blasted the ball close to the Central goalie, who dove over it for the second SLUH goal.

Moore struck again in the second half, launching the ball into the net to give the Jr. Bills their first victory in the tournament and their third win in a row with a score of 3-2.

However, the Jr. Bills were unable to extend their winning streak as they fell to an underdog O'Fallon team 2-1 Wednesday.

O'Fallon struck first with a goal, taking a 1-0 lead, but the Jr. Bill offense was able to tie the game as Moore streaked down the left side of the field, beating two O'Fallon defenders, and crossed to senior Matt Casey, who put the ball in the net for a 1-1 tie.

Jr. Bill defensive mistakes allowed  
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commented, "The tire race was better than [last year's] Wet Billies."

Crazy Clothes Day again proved popular, drawing a large crowd wearing costumes as provocative as the contestants. Winning the 1991 crazy clothes contest were seniors Jim Goodman as "the man in the K-SHE commercial" and Josh Hertel and Pat Huber as "Madonna and her date, Alejo."

Sales of spirit shirts and bandanas proved so successful that junior organizers could not keep them in stock. Spirit Week T-shirts parodying BMW's slogan with "SLUH... The Ultimate Spirit Machine," sold out in three days, and the bandanas were favorites with the freshmen. The juniors expect to receive another shipment of shirts today and sell them at both lunch periods.

One drawback to Spirit Week, according to several juniors, was the small attendance to some of the activities. These problems were attributed to poor publicity and lengthy delays between the beginning of the activity period and the start of the activities. Overall, though, all juniors asked about the week seemed pleased with its organization.

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clearly outplayed our opponents because our teamwork was excellent."

The varsity water polo team is currently participating in its league tournament and will play in the semifinals against Clatyon tonight at 7:00 p.m. If the Bills can win tonight's game, they will probably face CODASCO in the championship Saturday night at 8:00 p.m.

The last game between the two foes produced a five-overtime thriller which the Polobills lost 5-4. Senior Polobill Matt Hutson explained, "We should win if we play better defense and get the ball into their zone more quickly. Overall, I think we have a better team even though they're faster."

Will Hutson and his teammates be able to back their word? Come out Saturday night and see.

Entering tonight's Stadium Game against CBC, the varsity Gridbills are 5-0, but are plagued with nagging injuries. Out are Sean Roy with a broken tibia, Mark Johnson with a broken finger, Steve Aubrey with a knee injury, and Will Boland with a sprain in his foot. All are seniors and Coach Gary Kornfeld empathized, "You've got to feel sorry for these guys. It's their senior season."

## Sports

### The Sports File

The weekly summary of Band C sports compiled by Matt Pfile

**B-Football (5-0):** Oct. 5: SLUH 33 DeSmet 7; McAuliffe 60 yds. passing, Hurley TD, Sahrman 53 yds. rushing and TD, Simon 7 tackles and TD, McCartney 2 TD; Next game: at CBC at 10:00 a.m. tomorrow

**C-Football (5-0):** Oct. 4: SLUH 34 DeSmet 6; Shipley 134 yds. rushing and 2 TD, McArthur 2 TD, Sahrman TD, Klevorn 63 yds. rushing; Oct. 10 SLUH 28 CBC 7; Next game: vs. Granite City at 10:00 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 19

**D-Football (0-1):** Oct. 5: SLUH 0 Country Day (C-team) 18; Kimmich 93 yds. rushing; Final game: vs. DuBourg at 4:00 p.m. today

**B-Soccer (8-1-2):** Oct. 4: SLUH 2 DeSmet 0; Goals: Aubrey, Sumski; Oct. 7: SLUH 2 Collinsville 0; Goals: Rieke, Withington; Oct. 9: SLUH 2 CBC 1; Goals: Hoffmeister, Krafcik; Next game: vs. McCluer at 4:00 p.m. Friday, Oct. 18

**C-Soccer (5-1-2):** Oct. 8: SLUH 4 McCluer North 1; Goals: Haddock, Bierman, Orlando (2); Next games: vs. Francis Howell and Chaminade in DeSmet Tournament at 10:30

a.m. and 2:15 p.m. tomorrow

**JV-Cross Country:** Oct. 5: placed first in Parkway West Invitational; Heebner placed first for JV team; Oct. 8: placed first in DeSmet Invitational; Marshall (1st), Probst (2nd), Kenney (3rd), Dougherty (5th) placed for JV team; Next Meet: Metro Invitational @ Jefferson Barracks at 4:30 p.m. tomorrow

**B-Cross Country:** idle this week; Next Meet: Tiger Classic @ SIU-Edwardsville at 4:00 p.m. Monday, Oct. 21

**C-Cross Country:** Oct. 5: placed first in Parkway West Invitational; Schuckmann placed first for C-team; Oct. 8: placed first in DeSmet Invitational; Schuckmann (1st), Meyers (5th), Flanagan (7th), Stockman (8th) placed for C team; Next Meet: Metro Invitational @ Jefferson Barracks at 4:30 p.m. today

**JV-Water Polo (9-0):** Oct. 4: SLUH 17 Oakville 1; Goals: Zimmerman (6), Kearns (2), Roth (2), Schulte (2), Rea (2), Thole, Reid; Next Game: @ Ladue at 4:00 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 16

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O'Fallon to score again to take a 2-1 lead.

The Jr. Bills were unable to capitalize on numerous scoring opportunities to tie the game and, as a result, lost 2-1, jeopardizing their chances to enter semifinal play in the tournament.

Senior captain Todd Bruemers said, "We're just not playing as a team."

The Jr. Bills will play Sedalia-Smith/Cotton in what might be their last game of the tournament today at 3:15 p.m. If Sedalia-Smith/Cotton defeated or tied O'Fallon last night and SLUH defeats Sedalia today, the Jr. Bills could advance to the semifinals Saturday. That choice will be based on a point system which rewards two points for a victory, one point for a tie, one additional point for a shutout, and another point for a victory with more than three goals, according to one soccer player.

What does it all mean? Beats me, but I hope to see the Jr. Bills Saturday morning in the semifinals and Dunn moving one step closer to fame.

"When you first start coaching, you don't do it to achieve records," Dunn noted. "But if you work hard enough and have the fortune of excellent players, records will come."

## THE BACK PAGE

The Environmental Action/Awareness Group will be collecting both yellow and white page phone books during the month of October. Books may be placed in a box located near the switchboard at any time of the day.

Varsity basketball coach Don Maurer is looking for varsity basketball managers for the upcoming season. If interested, please see Mr. Maurer in his office.

**Wanted:** responsible and reliable young man to work part time (2-3 hours after school, 4 hours on Saturdays) at Unique Indoor Comfort, 2023 South Brentwood. Must be 16 years old and have own transportation. Starting salary \$5.00 per hour. Contact Shannon Intagliata at 645-1640.

Seniors are reminded by the Senior Project Committee that their project proposal forms are due November 4. Any senior with questions regarding the project selection process should contact Mr. John Mueller or one of the committee members.