



Captain Zach Henning battles for the ball in a Lawn Avenue School soccer game against Narragansett Pier School. Captain Danny Bailey, at left, is ready for the feed from Henning.

Photo by Adrienne Downing

Lawn soccer plays well against tough Cole

By Adrienne Downing

The Lawn Avenue School rose to a big challenge on Monday afternoon in their game against Cole Middle School. Cole came into the game with an undefeated record and had scored 14 goals against their most recent opponent.

"We played a really great game today," coach Stephanie Nocon said, "This was a very tough team and we really stayed with them. I would almost call this a win, because that team is that good."

Jamestown did take the 3-0 loss, but the Wolves never let down the entire game.

"One of the best things about our team this year is that we work hard until the very end," team captain Danny Bailey said. "We don't give up, even if we are down by a few goals."

Jamestown received strong play in the goal from Rachelle Reppe in the first half, which was key to holding Cole to a 1-0 lead at half time. One particularly heroic save by Reppe came when the ball ricocheted off of the left post and

landed right in front of the goal. Reppe's quick reflexes took over and she dove on the ball and saved the goal.

Owen Heath took over the tending duties in the second half and also made some outstanding saves, including several diving stops.

"Everything is working well right now," Nocon said. "We pretty much have our passing down, but we need to get the ball into the net. We seem to think we can dribble the ball into the goal, and we need to learn to take the shot."

Offensive standouts for the team included Bailey, Nicole Perez and Zach Henning. "Danny and Zach really developed leadership roles on the team last year, and they started out the same way this year so I knew they would make good captains," coach Tom Carney said.

Cara Liberati and James Chamberlain have stepped up the team's defense, which Carney had said was something that needed to happen for the team to be successful.

"They seem to be getting stron-

ger every game, but we are working on strengthening our defense. We need to be able to clear the ball up to the offense to take advantage of their speed. Our speed and our offense are strong points for us," Carney said.

Bailey points out that third year player Jacob Morris has been key to the defensive leadership on the team.

"Jacob has a really good knowledge of the game, and he is very tough on defense," the captain said.

The team started their season on a positive note this year with two wins over Thompson and Westerly Middle Schools.

Carney and Nocon are sharing the coaching duties on the team this year, a situation that seems to be working well with everyone involved.

"They both know a lot about soccer, but they approach the game and run practices a little different, which is good because we get two different points of view," Bailey said.

Carney started playing soccer when he was 8 years old, played through high school and currently plays in an adult league on Sunday afternoons.

"I knew I wanted to coach one of the school teams and the soccer position was open. It worked out well because I really like soccer and the kids are great," he said.

Nocon, who played in college, is also still playing the game. She made the switch from center to defense, giving her a broad knowledge about what her players face.

"Tom asked my to help coach and I was really excited because I love the kids," she said.

The team will play at home tomorrow, Friday, against Thompson Middle School at 3:30 p.m.

Soccer league results

U-6 League:

Outstanding Players: Stearns Farms, Meadow Barrett, Ben Cowan; Lila Delman Real Estate, Peter Andres, Mike Bonner; McQuade's Market, Max Coletta, Adler Delyi; Jamestown Rotary Club, Nolan Bush, Liam Farrell; Jamestown Women's Club: Maya Gamble, Josh Gaudreau; Jamestown Penguins, Pascale Burnett, Adam DiBiase; Del's Lemonade, Jack Barry, Sara Head; East Coast Screenprinting, Andrea Canary, Claudia Pratt; Kettlebottom Outfitters, Ian Brayman, Lindsey Broomhead; Jamestown Hardware, Theo Simmons, Matthew Totten.

U-8 League

Outstanding Players: Mansions & Manors, Sarah Hughes, Myra Lendrum; Jamestown Golf, David Lawless; Trattoria Simpatico, Nicole Croft, McKensie Lennon; Conanicut Marine Services, Gabriela Gamble, Kieran McCarthy; Meredith & Clarke, Christian Hull, Lauren Toland; Jamestown Animal Clinic, Helen Van Cleef.

U-10 League

Bakers 9, Jamestown Fitness 0. Goals Scored: Lexi Brayman, Shane Foley, Stephen Cirella, Conor Kennedy, Robert Haberland. Outstanding Players: Sofia Watson, Jackson Hawkins, Jack Gamble

Island Realty 9, House of Pizza 2. Goals Scored, Noah Simmons,



Kristoffer Asche, Stella Hackman, Teddy Roberts, Giancarlo Varrecchione. Outstanding Players, James Lawless, Eliza Kallfelz, Sadie Housberg.

Central Garage 8, Slice of Heaven 2. Goals Scored, Will Hughes, Jessy Primiano, Jessica Dickinson, Marc Desvaux, Max Liebhauser. Outstanding Players: Alex Supron, Sophie Primiano, Bailey Thran, Natasha Shein.

U-12 League

Jamestown Boatyard 3, Island Rubbish 1. Goals Scored, Logan Bradley, Garret Bucklin, Keenan Novis. Outstanding Players, Ben Stewart, Molly Tiexiera, Kirsten Barrett, Meryl Nelson-Lee, Caleb Brown, Ian Archibald.

Murphy's Law 8, Ali's Run 3. Goals Scored, John Lamont, Christian Kirby, Drew McIntyre. Outstanding Players: Courtney McIntyre, Emily Kallfelz.

U-15 League

Wellworks 4, Narragansett Café 3

Island Sports schedule

Thursday, Oct. 4

Girls' Tennis, at East Greenwich, 3:30 p.m.
Girls' Soccer, at Cumberland, 3:45 p.m.

Friday, Oct. 5

Lawn School Soccer, Thompson, 3:30 p.m.
Boys' Soccer, at Mt. Saint Charles, 3:45 p.m.
Field Hockey, Lincoln, 3:45 p.m.
Girls' Volleyball, at South Kingstown, 6:30 p.m.

Saturday, Oct. 6

Football, at East Greenwich, 2:30 p.m.

Monday, Oct. 8

Girls' Volleyball Koch Eye Tournament, at East Greenwich, 9 a.m.

Tuesday, Oct. 9

Lawn School Cross Country, Riverside, Thompson, Martin at Colt State Park, 3:15 p.m.
Lawn School Soccer, Westerly, 4 p.m.
Boys' Soccer, at Woonsocket, 3:30 p.m.
Girls' Soccer, Barrington, 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Oct. 10

Girls' Volleyball, at Burrillville, 6:30 p.m.
Field Hockey, Tiverton, 6:30 p.m.

Thursday, Oct. 11

Lawn School Soccer, at Msgr. Clark, 3:30
Girls' Tennis, Prout, 3:30 p.m.
Girls' Soccer, at South Kingstown, 6:30 p.m.
Boys' Soccer, Central Falls, 6:30 p.m.

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Thank you to Dr. Jack Civic and his staff, Paul Vieira, Doug and Linda Doyle, Larry Ruotolo, John Dowling, Henry Mullen, Amy Theroux, Frankie Rostier, the Zainyeh Family and especially Mary Turrisi.

Mary became Cody's angel after learning that he had a pancreatic tumor and only had two to four months to live. Her caring and love for Cody allowed us to enjoy his last 11 months. She never lost faith and is a true friend and exceptional person.

Thank you all for entering our lives.

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