

### **2016 Girls Soccer Newsletter: Week Five**

*With only two weeks remaining in the regular season the Irish will be packing in the remaining conference games. Players have done a great job of balancing school and soccer and we continue to encourage our student athletes to: focus on school, get sleep, attend to injuries, drink fluids and fuel their bodies with healthy foods! As the weather starts to cool remember to dress in layers (players and fans). It's awesome to see the packed sidelines and crowded bleachers at games, thank you fans, you are truly the 12th player on the field!*

### **Friendly Reminders...**

\*RESCHEDULED EASTVIEW GAMES:

JV vs Eastview @ RHS, Wednesday September 28th @ 4:00pm

Varsity vs Eastview @ RHS, Saturday October 1st @ 12:00pm

\*Ball girls are need for the Saturday, 10/1, Varsity game vs. Eastview. Interested? Contact Gregg.Sirek@allina.com

\*Booster Club Meeting, Wednesday 10/5 @ RHS, all parents are encourage to attend and get involved!

\*WREATH SALE Packets are due October 10th, and will be turned in to the team manager at each level (Freshman, Sophomore and JV this will take place during uniform turn in). Make sure to sell, sell, sell! We will need parent volunteers on Friday, November 18th as well as Saturday, November 19th to assist in wreath set up and pick up. If you are interested please contact: monica.eichten@gmail.com.

### **Upcoming Events...**

Tuesday, 9/27

4:00PM JV @ Shakopee

5:00PM Varsity @ Shakopee

Wednesday, 9/28

JV vs Eastview 4:00PM @ RHS

Thursday, 9/29

JV vs Burnsville 5:20PM @ RHS

Varsity vs Burnsville 7:00PM @ RHS \*Teacher Appreciation Night

Friday, 9/30

Freshman @ Burnsville 4:15PM  
Sophomore @ Burnsville 4:15PM

Saturday, 10/1  
Varsity vs Eastview 12:00PM @ RHS

### ***COACHES GAME SUMMARIES....***

#### **Freshmen vs. Farmington (Final: 2-1)**

The Irish came out with a solid defensive effort to get them the win against a tough Farmington team. Leading the defense and making some key plays were Morgan Workman, Sofie Hammel, Emily Robinson, and McKenna Klein. Scoring both goals for the Irish was Sophie Parla. Her first goal was on a beautiful through ball from Jenna Gillich and her second goal came off of a nice pass from the outside from Lindsey Knutson.

#### **Sophomore vs. Farmington (Final: 8-1)**

Coach Kline lost the stat sheet from the game after she entered the stats in. The Irish scored early but Farmington countered quickly to make the score 1-1. The Irish led 6-1 at the half and finished the 2nd half with two more goals. There were some left-footed goals, a direct kick, some beautiful footwork around defenders and some excellent passing combinations. Goals were scored by Sara Charboneau, Jenna Fox, Morgan Gale, Lauren Hanson (2), Olivia Kraemer, and Ashley Tuttle (2). Assists from Sara Charboneau and Jenna Fox. The Irish are on a roll!

#### **Sophomore vs. Jefferson (Final: 10-1)**

Under very wet and sloppy field conditions, the Irish started the scoring quickly with a total of 8 goals in the first half. Scoring unassisted goals were: Rose Sieve, Madi Krachnavy (2), Gabi Reardon, and Mady Dye. Scoring assisted goals were Jenna Fox (2) from Gabi Reardon and Lauren Nerland, and Sara Charboneau from Jenna Fox. The second half the Irish played mostly possession soccer and worked on crosses instead of attacking the goal relentlessly. We switched things up and girls tried out some new positions. Scoring 2 goals was Lauren Hanson with assists from Rose Sieve and Nicole McFee. Alex Poehler had 3 saves on 4 shots.

#### **JV vs. Farmington (Final: 0-0)**

Farmington's game was a little frustrating for the girls. They couldn't find the back of the net but ended up with 12 shots on goal to Farmington's 5. Lauren Spindler ended with 2 saves and Danielle Kniefel with 3 for the game.

#### **JV vs. Apple Valley (Final: 5-0)**

The girls came back on Thursday to face Apple Valley and came ready to play beating the Eagles 5-0! CK added 1 goal while Izzy and Kelsey led the scoring with 2 goals each . Abby S., Lolo and Sienna had the assists for the Irish. Lauren and Dani had NO saves, great defense by the Irish!

#### **JV vs. Jefferson (Final: 6-0)**

Saturday was another great game for the girls beating Jefferson 6-0. Hailey and Cammy started the scoring off in the first half. The girls heated up in the 2<sup>nd</sup> half scoring 4 more goals by Alli, Izzy, Jasmine and our last goal of the game was a beautiful cross from Sienna to find Abby S. head. Dani recorded 2 saves that game and 0 for Lauren. Girls are ready to continue our winning streak this week against Shakopee and Burnsville. GO IRISH!

#### **Varsity vs. Farmington (Final: 2-2)**

The Irish started off the game 5 minutes in with a 40 yard perfectly placed ball from Megan Dahl. Unfortunately after a poorly cleared ball the Tigers finish on a ball just outside the 18, making the score 1-1. Just as the half was coming to a close Farmington scored their 2nd goal. Going into the 2nd half the Irish were fired up. Playing possession and creating opportunity early. In the 58th minute of the game Carolyn Ciriacks tied up the game on a great ball from Josey Schlie. The Irish outshot the Tigers 13-4, but could not finish the job, ending the game in a tie.

#### **Varsity vs. Apple Valley (Final: 4-0)**

It was a strong showing for the Irish on their home field last Thursday. In the first half Carolyn Ciriacks had two beautifully placed balls to assist Jasmine Finley in the 8th minute of the game and Jadyn Scholler in the 24th minute. Strong play defensively held Apple Valley to 0 shot on net during the first 40 minutes of play. Second half play continued to be all Irish. Jill Newton assisting Jadyn Scholler's 2nd goal of the game and Rachel Schorn placing a ball perfectly in the box for a Lauren Bangh finish.

#### **Varsity vs. Jefferson (Final: 4-0)**

It was a quick start to the game for the Irish. In the first 11 minutes Jasmine Finley and Carolyn Ciriacks (assisted by Brea Debettignies), put two goals in the back of the net. Great controlled play by the Irish throughout the game led to two more goals. Lauren Bangh's header assist to Alyssa Derby's goal just before the end of the first half and Alex Sirek's finish off of a Carolyn Ciriacks assist. The Irish defense held Jefferson to only 3 shots on net and keeper Margaret Tulay recorded her 5th shut-out of the season.