

Falcons forge tie with Chiefs

A victory would have been even better, but the Farmington Falcons were quite pleased with the outcome as it was.

The Falcons enjoyed a morale victory Monday when they battled defending league co-champion Plymouth Canton to a scoreless tie in girls soccer.

Farmington is 1-1-1 in the Western Lakes Activities Association and 1-1-2 overall. Canton is 2-0-1 and 3-2-1.

"We had opportunities to win it and didn't capitalize on some of those opportunities," Farmington coach Bob Neff said.

"I don't want to be real pleased with a tie, but I am pleased we played at a level that kept us even with Canton."

The Chiefs had 14 shots on goal and another eight that were wide of the posts. The Falcons managed three and three, respectively.

Neff praised goalkeeper Jessica Guibord and the Farmington defenders for holding the line in a defensive struggle against a quality opponent.

Guibord had what Neff called "a newswall game. What the defense couldn't stop did, she was just outstanding," he said.

"One (of her saves) was the best diving save across the goal that we'll remember all season."

The Falcons also had excellent play from freshmen Deanna Vacca (defense) and Sarah Turk (midfield), both of whom came up from the JV and replaced injured players.

They combined with Erica Gwynn, Erin Kenney, Karen Pawloski and Angie Newman for a solid defensive effort.

"As a whole group, they were just outstanding on defense," Neff said.

"We still had our chances," Canton coach Don Smith said, adding the Chiefs played the final 30 minutes with 10 players.

"Farmington was a scrappy

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team and accomplished what they set out to do; they didn't lose."

HARRISON 1, FRANKLIN 1: The Hawks improved to 2-1 in the Western Lakes Activities Association by defeating host Livonia Franklin Monday.

Harrison led 2-0 at halftime after goals by Erica Rice and Jenni Japene in the 12th and 16th minutes. Julie Earle assisted on both goals.

Missy Morales cut the deficit in half in the 60th minute with a goal for Franklin.

Sophomore Sara Kloosterman made 12 saves in goal for the Hawks, 2-4 overall, and Jennifer Moesch six for the Patriots.

"She played an outstanding game; she really was the difference," Harrison coach Glenn Bruehan said.

MERCY 3, TRENTON 1: The Marlins with the wind at their back, took a 3-0 lead in the first half and made it stand for a non-league victory Tuesday.

Kara Kluska scored an unassisted goal in the first few minutes after stealing a pass.

Call Agapinski's header off a cross from Kluska made it 2-0, and Jessica Pereira scored after a scramble in front of the Trenton net late in the first half. Morrow assisted on the third goal.

The Marlins (3-1-2) outshot the Trojans 17-4 in the first half and 8-5 in the second.

"We still dominated in the second half," Mercy coach Deepak Shrivastava said. "The wind had a lot to do with it. It was hard to muster any control because it was pretty windy out there."

Leah Ottenbright scored the lone Trenton goal midway in the second half, but Shrivastava said Colleen Seaton did a good job of shadowing her throughout the game.

He also cited the play of captain Sierra DeAgostino and Emily Lawrence, Lynn Dreniak, Laurin Hendrickson, Kluska, Anne Forz, Mary Duggan, Molly Johnson and Morrow. Julie Angeli played the entire game in goal.

"The team looked good," Shrivastava said. "It seems we're getting people helping each other and playing hard."

"If the kids are working well in practice and games, we should be satisfied -- and we are."

Harrison girls repeat as Novi Relays champ

Farmington Hills Harrison won the Novi Relays for the third consecutive year Saturday, but the Hawks had a bigger comfort margin this time.

The Hawks scored 100 points to capture first place and finished 24 points ahead of the runner-up Novi girls. Walled Lake Western was third with 61.

"It was the best performance we've ever had there," Harrison coach Mark Babcock said. "The last two years it was real close, but it wasn't that way Saturday."

Harrison wasn't idle during spring break but traveled to Clemson, S.C., for the 11th straight year and trained at the university.

"We came back early for this meet, and you could tell we put in a lot of work because it showed," Babcock said. "I give our kids a lot of credit; they looked ready to go."

The Hawks won six events, and Krista Snow figured in four. Erika Greene and Devron Kennedy were part of three winning relays each. Allison Noe and Amy Jenkins two.

Snow and Greene combined with Rachel Buckley in the long jump (43-34), Patti Dixon and Sarah Hone in the shuttle hurdles (1:10.7).

Kennedy and Snow teamed with Jenkins and Sarah Rauch in the sprint medley (4:45.3). Monique Anderson and Greene in the 400 relay (52.9).

Noe, Lisa Sokol, Jenny Lapinski and Kristen Schleicher batted through a strong wind to win the 3200 relay (10:51.1) and the winning 1,600 team (4:58.1) consisting of Jenkins, Kristine Knutson, Noe and Kennedy.

The Hawks also had seconds in the throwing events. Mandi Berg and Dixon combined with Leali

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Area coaches: Call in stats

The first listing of Observer-land boys and girls track-and-field statistics will appear in the Thursday, May 4, editions.

Members of the Observer sports staff will compile the weekly lists, and area coaches are asked to call or fax their information every Monday.

Girls coaches should call Dan O'Meara at (313) 953-2141, and boys coaches are asked to contact Steve Kowalski at (313) 953-2106.

The fax number is (313) 691-7279. If calling, coaches can do so any time Monday and leave their information on voice mail if necessary.

Smoke in the discus (222-11) and Keren Andrzejewski in the shot put (77-0).

Noe, Dixon and Kennedy also scored in four events. Harrison had one other second, two thirds and one fourth in the following:

■ 6,400 relay (Noe, Schleicher, Amy Schaner and Jenny Hannewa), 24:43.

■ 800 relay (Anderson, Sokol, Danielle Jacques and Kennedy), 1:56.1.

■ distance medley (Jackie Watta, Dixon, Schaner and Noe), 14:08.

■ high jump (Margo Ward and Jenkins), 8-9. The total reflects two instead of three people because one failed to make the opening height.

"Noe once again was just tremendous," Babcock said, also cit-

ing the efforts of Snow, Greene and Kennedy. "She was in four events, which is unheard of for a distance runner."

MERCY WINS QUAD MEET

Farmington Hills Mercy was first in eight events, including three relays, to win a quadrangle girls track meet at Dearborn Divine Child.

The Marlins scored 121 1/2 points, Southfield Christian 84 1/2, the host Falcons 43 and Bloomfield Hills Hooper nine.

Amy Buhl won the 100-meter hurdles (16.0) and the 300m (54.4), and she also anchored the winning 1,600 relay team.

Ellen O'Connell won the 800 run (2:24) and started the 1,600 and 3,200 relay teams to victory.

O'Connell, Jackie Segue and Bray Glynne combined with Buhl in the 1,600 (4:35.1) and Lisa Nobles in the 3,200 (10:54.4).

Mercy also had titles from Kathy Telford in the shot put (28-11), Karen Bender in the long jump (13-4W) and Amy Antkowiak with a personal best in the 3,200 run (13:29.5).

In the Lady Chief Relays at Plymouth Canton Saturday, O'Connell was the lone Farmington winner in the eight-mile cross country relay with an 11:41.4 time. Canton won the four-person team event.

SHAMROCKS RACE

Redford Catholic Central took a big step toward regaining the Catholic League Central Division boys track championship with Monday's 87-41 dual victory over Birmingham Brother Rice.

The Shamrocks are 2-0 in Central Division meets.

First-year track performer Kevin Quay surprised the Warriors with a first place in the long jump (20-feet, 4 1/2 inches), giving the Shamrocks an early lead.

Quay later added a second place in the 100 meter run (11.6) and 200 meter run (24.1).

"Rice was expecting to go one, two, three in the long jump and all of a sudden Quay comes out and wins it," CC coach Tony Magli said. "That set the tone for the whole meet. It's just learning how to run."

"It's a nice victory for us. It's always nice to beat Rice, always nice to be 2-0, no matter who it is, as long as you keep winning."

The other individual winners for the Shamrocks were Joe Washnook, discus (134-10); Chris Watta, 110-meter hurdles (15.3); Brian Pollock, 200 meter run (23.81); Derrick Faunce, 800 meter run (2:04.6); and Joe Leo, 1,600 (4:42.3) and 3,200 (10:09.0).

TENNIS

BIRMINGHAM GROVES 4 NORTH FARMINGTON 3

April 28 at N. Farmington

No. 1 singles: Nathan Cohen (OC) defeated Seth Weingarten, 6-3, 3-6, 6-1.

No. 2: David Rignetti (OC) beat Ben Sommers, 6-4, 6-7 (7-5), 6-4.

No. 3: Steve Kneger (NF) def. Jeremy Boschmoe, 6-4, 6-1.

No. 4: Normi Shih (NF) def. Adam Cohen, 6-4, 6-7 (7-5), 6-2.

No. 1 doubles: Kevin Danholm (OC) Barrett (OC) def. Ron Vander-Jason Soper, 6-1, 6-4.

No. 2: Peter Rouse-Jordan Boschmoe (OC) def. Robert Yost Aaron Scherzfeld, 6-7 (7-4), 6-4, 6-0.

No. 3: Michael Redsch-Brad Steil (NF) def. Jordan Scharg Amy Saxty, 6-3, 6-1.

NORTH FARMINGTON 8 PLYMOUTH BALEM 3

April 24 at Salem

No. 1 singles: Xunang Li (PS) defeated Seth Weingarten, 6-3, 6-1.

No. 2: Ben Sommers (NF) def. Matt Potter, 3-6, 6-1, 6-2.

No. 3: Steve Kneger (NF) def. Dan Gordon, 6-1, 6-0.

No. 4: Normi Shih (NF) def. Matt Horings, 6-0, 6-3.

No. 1 doubles: Regis Buckley-Rob Woodbury (PS) def. Ron Vander-Jason Soper, 6-4, 6-3.

No. 2: Robert Yost-Michael Redsch (NF) def. Brian Courville-Aaron Fiala, 6-3, 6-0, 6-3.

No. 3: Jason Courney-Faisal Khan (PS) Jeremy Lewis-Aaron Scherzfeld, 10, 6-7, 7-5.

No. 4: Peter Gotschewski-Steven Lehman (NF) def. Karam Gh Nick Vranic, 6-1, 6-1.

North Farmington records 2-0 in Western Lakes, 3-1 overall.

FARMINGTON HARRISON 8 LYONIA FRANKLIN 2

April 24 at Franklin

No. 1 singles: Jarroth Thomas (FH) def. James Metzger, 4-6, 6-1, 6-4.

No. 2: Chris Weil (FH) def. Vania Day, 4-6, 6-2.

No. 3: Wadon Green (FH) def. Howe Kays, 6-3, 3-6 (retired).

No. 4: Sean Finn (FH) def. Scott Lee Rose, 3-6, 6-0.

No. 1 doubles: Paul Pryor-Kurt Stum (FH) def. Eric Krantz-Pat Schott, 6-4, 6-0.

No. 2: Sean Sanford-Casey McConnel (FH) def. William Kitchner-Dan Suter, 6-2, 6-2.

No. 3: David Kupperman-Hwa Leland (FH) def. Ryan Bascley-Jerry Dymke, 6-3, 6-3.

No. 4: Wade Johnston-James Trachsel (J) def. Jim Bosker-Steven Snyke, 5-7, 6-2, 6-4.

FARMINGTON 7 PLYMOUTH CANTON 1

April 24 at Farmington

No. 1 singles: Scott McKay (F) def. Steve Shumard 6-3, 6-7 (5-7), 6-1.

No. 2: Dave Markewicz (PC) def. Wade Clark 4-6, 6-1, 6-2.

No. 3: Scott Matthews-Scott May (F) def. Ryan Kerr 2-6, 6-0.

No. 4: Andy Peter (F) def. Joe Hunter 6-2, 4-6, 7-5.

No. 1 doubles: Daniel Odenkue-Princk Lee (F) def. Jeff Annon-Savary Hattara 6-0, 6-3.

No. 2: Kevin Davis-Mike Hassan (F) def. Chris Newcome-Ant Dahl 6-3, 6-2.

No. 3: Scott Matthews-Scott May (F) def. Matt Fierman-Erik Johnson 6-2, 6-3.

No. 4: Chris Lee Neal (F) def. Chris Muscott-Adam Alan 6-2, 6-7 (4-7), 6-4.

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CITY OF FARMINGTON HILLS SUMMARY OF PROCEEDINGS CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING APRIL 24, 1995

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Smith at 7:30 p.m. Members Present: Bates, Grant, Lichtman, Oliverio, Sever, Smith and Vagstad. Members Absent: None. Others Present: City Manager, City Clerk, Donnan, Assistant City Manager, Call, Directors Bassell and Courtney, and Attorney Donohoe.

COUNCIL PROCLAIMED:

- April 23rd-April 30th as Days of Remembrance of the Holocaust.
- April 21st-May 14th as Muscular Dystrophy Month.
- May 1st as Law Day 1995.

COUNCIL:

- Recognized achievement of City Clerk Kathy Donnan in receiving the 1995 State of Michigan City Clerk of the Year award.
- Established Information Management Task Force to perform Information Management Use Study re: upgrading City's office technology.
- Accepted responsibility for construction and maintenance on Eight Mile Road across Founders Sports Park frontage.
- Reviewed agendas for budget session meetings.

APPROVED:

- 1995/96 Community Development Block Grant program.
- Resolution to hold special election on June 6, 1995, re: millage increase proposal for SMART transportation system.
- Transfer Agreement and introduction of ordinance amendment re: transfer of MetroVision to Time Warner Entertainment.
- Dedication of roadway right-of-way across the Activities Center frontage on McGeebell.
- Village-Lemans and City's Planning and Board of Appeals for schedules.
- Special event licenses for Lakeshore Elementary School Parade/Pan Fair, Hillside Elementary School's one-mile walk.

AWARDED BIDS FOR:

- DPW supplies and contracted services to: Angelo Asphalt in the amount of \$18,943; Barrett Paving in the amount of \$9,118; Clawson Concrete in the amount of \$41,500; St. Regis Culvert, Inc. in the amount of \$14,845; Roberson Transport in the amount of \$41,711; Lacarta Construction in the amount of \$31,042; PK Contracting in the amount of \$33,798; Soovinen in the amount of \$23,502; Greenlaw Landscapes in the amount of \$23,081; H & H Excavating in the amount of \$13,240.
- Fire rescue truck to Emergency Vehicles, Inc. in the amount of \$192,500.
- Floor refurbishment at Fire Station No. 3 to Pro-Cote in the amount of \$2,000.

JOANNE SMITH, Mayor
KATHRYN A. DORNAN, City Clerk

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