# FARMINGTON AIL S SPORTS SCENE

### Area girls on ODP teams

he process never seems to end.

Just a month ago, the Olympic Development Program regional soccer pools were elected at a 10-day camp in DeFalab, ill. replayers considered for the regional pools were below the program and the DoP state camps held in August 1994.

Tyrouts for the ODP gittle state pools, from which regional and eventually national ODP teams for 1996 will be selected, were held Aug. 12-13 at Founders Park in Farmington Hills.

Not surprisingly, the Observer & Excentric coverage area was well-represented. 42 players from the Observerland were chosen for the five ago-division pools.

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1977-78 — Ade Ducrek, Canton: Angle Pandoff, Unonia;
Jenny Parksinen, Pymouth; Mamie Vanderburgh, Unonia;

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1977/19 — Aule Ouzek, Canton; Angle Pandoff, Uvonla;
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Ivonla; Sara Moosteman, Farmagian (402; Watsh Manteuffel, Redfrod; Emile Meer, Pymouth; Eurobeth Shrypelo;
Ivonla; Anna Will, Livolia.

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Ivonla; Anna Will, Livolia.

1984 — Derlon, Farmington Hills; Alorea Galindo, Livolia,
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1987 — Mestal Derlon; Lees Mestal Moore, Phymouth
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1988 — Sermington Horts; Livolia; Moore, Phymouth
1987 — Sermington Hill; Livolia; Tomasso, Canton; Microbe Medica, Canton; Andrea Schämmel, Canton;
Phymouth; Redee Mußin, Canton; Andrea Schämmel, Canton;
Carston.

### **Prep Kickoff Classic**

he 15th Annual Prep Kickoff Classic will be held Saturday, Sept. 2, at the Pontiac Silverdome and will feature a four-game

football feast.
The event, originated by the Birmingham
Brother Rice Dad's Club in 1981, includes Catho-lic League teams egainst traditional non-league ri-

vals.

Dearborn Divine Child and Harper Woods
Bishop Gallagher open the action at 10:30 a.m.
Allegan plays Orchard Lake St. Mary's at 1:30
p.m., and Toledo Central Cathelic neets Detroit
Catholic Central at 4:30 p.m.
The evening's final game features host Brother
Rice egainst Farmington Hills Harrison at 7:30
p.m. Rice won 23:21 last year.
All Rice alumni are invited to attend a reception
in the press box during the game.
Tickets are \$3 and may be purchased at the participating schools or the gate.

#### **Bowling tourney finals**

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ansing's left Curtis edged Phil Horowitz of
Weat Bloomfield 238-227 to claim his third
in as many months. The event was held Aug. 12 at
Rose My Horowitz of the Curtist State of Lake Orion,
200-124, end Stan Brzerinski Jr., 207-155, to set
up the final match against Horowitz.
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220-214, and Stan Brzerinski Jr., 207-155, to set
up the final match against Horowitz.
Horowitz, after qualifying fourth, rolled past
Ron Watkins of Lincoln Park, 270-211. Jim St.
Peterof Royal Ork, 258-226, and Harley Trumbuil
217-206 to reach the finals.
Curtis threw a clutch double in the 10th framo
of the final to take home the champlonship trophy
and a \$500 first-place check. Horowitz settled for a
\$250 runner-up check.
The next NSBA tournament will be held at
Cherry Hill Lanes in Dearborn Heights on Sept. 0.
For more information, contact the tournament offices at (50) 626-8880 or (510) 358-370.

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# Hawks capture Cup

he Livonia YMCA Hawks, an under-14
girls soccer team cosched by Farmington's
John Buchanan, captured the Waterford
Cup last weekend with a 2-0 win over Chippewa
Valley in the finals.
The Hawks also beat teams from Flint and Ann
Arbor, outscoring their opponents by a combined

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Members of the Hawks include Suzan Bear, Kristin Leszczynski, Deanna McGrath, Brianna Roy, Andi Sied, Stacey Supanich and Michele Vettraino, all of Livonis, Christen Shull and Suzi Towne, Canton; Jesaica and Rebecca Brady, Grosse Pointe; Nicole Breger and Leure Grode, Sterling Holghtis; Alyson Kehler and Gayle Lukes, Grand Blanc, Michelle Lowa and Kristea Weldla, Royal Oak; Casale Tesple, South Lyon.

#### Wolves 2nd at Maumee

he '88 Michigan Wolves, an under-11 boys socser team, settled for a runner-up finish in last weekend's Maurase (0hlo) Inferma-tional Tournament. The Wolves, coached by Joe Knorel, fell to the U.S.L. Pirate of Troy, 2-1, in the championship game.

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Members of the Wolves include Tim Allen, Brady Crosby, Nik Djokic, Brian Banis and J.T. Katlkoa, all of Livonies, Matt Otopony, Famington Hills, Brian Popency and Mite Simons, Cantoc; Mite Browlas, Fraser, Keith Müllins, Dearborn Heights, Trony Zenn, Dearborn Josh Churells and Jeff Ejehall, Novi; and John Haszebrouck, Southfield.

# Falcons primed for more success

After going 6-3 and coming within points and minutes of making the football playoffs, Farmington High wants to do better in 1095.

BY DAN O'MEARA



Its first winning season in 10 years season in 10 years season in 10 years for the fermington i High football teani burgy for more victories.

And the Falcons could equal cr supass their 1994 success if presents an assessment proye occurrate.

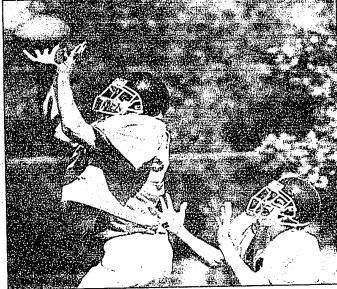
Farmington posted a 9-3 roots in the playeff picture until the lifet week of the season.

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Despite considerable graduation lusses, the Felcone have enough talent back (including 24 seniors) to make another winning campaign.

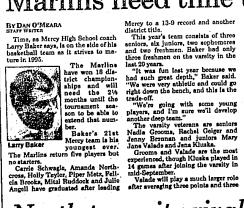
make another winning campaign-possible.
Leuri Niskanen, who begins his third year as head cosch and has been pointing toward this season, admits he is optimistic.
"We've built the foundation," he said. "We have our system in; we have continuity as far as conches. Of course, you've gotta have playurs. "These kids have been in the pro-gram. The seniors won as freshmen they won as exphomores with a JV echedule, and they won last year on the varsity.

"We respect all our opponents, but we're going to play with great confidence." The Falcons hope to take it a step further this year and make the Class



Practice play: Fullback Nick Latra catches a pass in front of Aaron Phillips this week as See FALCONS, 20 Farmington prepares for its Sept. 2 season opener.

# Marlins need time to develop as team



rebounds. The post player got more than helf of her rebounds on the of-fensive glass.

"We're trying to make her the focal

point, so for her it's a new role,"
Baker said. "We're pushing her to
build up in terms of minutes played
and fill more of a scoring role.

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"Though she's only 5-5, rebounding is hor strong suit, and she's easily the best passing forward I've coached. She's also developed a nice 15-foot jumper we're going to try to take advantage of."

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Keisha Brooks, a 5-10 junior who
played on the JV, will join Valade in
the post, with 5-9 freshman Katle
Vihtelic and 5-10 sophomore Heather
Davis, a transfer from Northville, as
backups.

players are all in the same range from 5-6 to 5-10."
Grooms (6-10) was a cheeding guard in the past but moves to a hooding guard in the past but moves to a forward. Klunks (6-6) will start 45 point guard, and freshman Jessia Brennan (6-9) will be the off guard.
"Items is a real good competitor and quarterback to have on the court."
But she has yet to prove she can sustain her ball handling under the kind of pressure she's going to face."
Brennan should provide some of fensive punch and could be an exiling player to watch, according to the fense and adjusting to our style-of play, but she's a very potent open-court threat and has an exceptional.

# North tops city rivals in '95 opener

## BY DAN O'MEARA

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STAT WATERA
The results of initial competition Monday produced encouraging numbers for the 1995 North
Farmington boys golf team.
The flatiture can expect to be competitive again
after winning the annual presence of the third consecutive year.
North poetics of 22 team acore, Farmington 436
and flaration 434 at Hauton Meadows Colf Course
are Brighton. Sephan placed third among inditions and area one of five golfers to earn ell-city
house with a sewer-over-par 79.
Uniform Andrew Wantuck and Chris Reading followed with a pair of 84 for the Raiders, junior Jeff
Gardiner 86, junior Nick Pfelfer 69 and freshman
Jed Mazur 93.

"It was surprised and pleased we were as closely
hunched now were," North coach Daryl Gass said.
"We had no real low occree but no high scores.
"Maybe that shows we have a little more balance
and depth than other years."

The Raiders relied mostly on two outstanding
seniors last year, Draw Sopha and Scott Steinland.
Sopha was All-Observar and All-Western Lakes.

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"Lest year we had two real good ones, and it looks like we'll be a little different team this year," Cose said. Cone said.

Bisphan and Wantuck were the unly returning varsity golfers among the six who represented North in the season opener.

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Case said be was pleased by the early scores and potential reflected in the scores of the other four.

The Raiders will be even better and despire with the return of scopiomore Denny Knothmal, added Const. Knothmal lettered last year but was in Los



016 peo: Andrew Wantuck is one of the veteran North players.

### GOLF

Angeles for the Maccabi Games and missed the first most. Junior Brad Barth will bring added depth and

Sunitor for State With the Mestern Lakes Activi-balance to the team, too.

North was fourth in the Western Lakes Activi-ties Association tournament, and Case expects de-fending champ Plymouth Salem and runner-up-Livonia Churchill to be the teams to boat again.

#### Farmington High

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The Falcons and three of the Intelligence went.

Monday, but two were playing in the junior variety event.

Sophomore Derek Fox and senior Mitch Barrett were co-medalists with like rounds of 7.8. Junior Fat Hickey and Harrison senior Jacot Taketa shot. Stand tied for fourth place.

But Farmington couldn't count the Barrett and Hickey scores since they were assigned to the JV meet based on practice roution. Farmington couldn't make a standard to the JV meet based on practice roution. Farmington coachy Junior Hart a lawy the band.

"That's always the band.
"Had they be playing, we probably would have write a standard with the hand.
"Had they be playing, we probably would have write the playing with the west of the farmington coachy in the playing we had been the playing and have most of their team back.
The sight returning players are seniors Barrett, Krie King, Brise Prentice, Brent Rickard and Mike Carolan, Junior 3st Thomas, Hickey and Fox.

Fallowing Fox in the varretty taily were King (80), Prentice (00), Thomas (80), Carolan (92), Rickard (63).