



FAMILIAR POSITION...Bob Wallden, front, who has been the Raiders' top runner, placed sixth in the Group 3 cross country meet at Holmdel for the second year in a row.

RAIDER BOYS COME IN SIXTH Devil Girls Place 7th In Group X-C Meet

The Westfield High School girls finished seventh in the Group 4 Cross Country meet and the Scotch Plains-Fanwood boys came in sixth in the Group 3 meet on the 3.1 mile course in Holmdel on November 10. The Blue Devil boys finished 19th in its group with a total of 504 and the Raider girls finished 19th in its at 405. The Old Bridge boys and girls won their Group 4 title with respective totals of 63 and 79. The Blue Devil girls totaled 212 and did better than the Morris Knolls girls (234) who had beaten them in a previous non-regular season meet. Mainland at 54 was at the top of the heat in the Group 3 boys. The Raider boys totaled 188 and once again were outrun by the Cranford boys who finished fifth at 165. Last year, the Blue Devil girls

finished third in their group with a total of 147 and were led by Alexis Anzelone who crossed ninth with a time of 20:15. Hunterdon Central won the title. This year, the top Blue Devil was Sarah Mahran who came in 14th with a time of 20:36.4 and qualified for the Meet of Champions as a wild card. Last year, the Raider boys finished fourth in their group - won by Cranford at 110 - with a total of 332 and were led by Bob Wallden who finished sixth with a time of 16:55. Wallden was the first Raider to cross this year, again finishing sixth but with a better time of 16:46.9. K. C. Brown was the first Cranford runner to cross, finishing ninth at 16:57.5.



REAPING AN INTERCEPTION...Westfield PAL "C" team member Gordon Peeler, No. 34, hauls in an interception and heads down field against Berkeley Heights.

Westfield C Grid Kids Tie Berkeley Heights, 0-0

The Westfield PAL C football team played to a, 0-0, tie with Berkeley Heights on November 11. Westfield was unable to convert a first down on four possessions, fumbling twice. Defensively, Westfield stifled Berkeley Heights with strong line play from Ricky Ruhl, Joe Vall-Ilobera, Kyle Wright and John Dugan, along with a fumble recovery by Patrick Stanley. Berkeley Heights opened the second half with a strong drive, stringing together a series of runs and a 10-yard pass. The drive ended when nose guard Jeffrey Mysel disrupted a hand-off and forced a fumble that he recovered.

Westfield fumbled on their next series, giving up the ball at midfield. Keyed by strong tackles from Mike McCrea, Scott Newman and Charlie Read, Westfield forced Berkeley Heights to turn the ball back on downs. A Westfield interception put the ball back into Berkeley Heights' hands at their own 40-yard line. Westfield forced another turnover when Gordon Peeler had an interception. Westfield maintained a long drive behind strong blocking by C. J. Patella, Mysel, Dugan, Vall-Ilobera, Tommy Wansaw and Satya Tagat. Michael Henry, Matt Shaffer and Will Uhr had strong runs, as well as long runs from Michael Phillips (13 yards) and Ryan Brand (11 yards) to bring Westfield to a first and goal from the nine-yard line. Berkeley Heights stopped Westfield at the one. With time running down, Westfield forced a punt. The long return by Ed Simmons came up a little short as time ran out.

Rebels Extinguish Lady Fireballs, 3-0

The Scotch Plains-Fanwood Rebels under age 10 soccer team, crushed the Flemington Lady Fireballs, 3-0, on November 4, upping their record to 6-0-1. In the first moments of the game, Flemington was called for a hand-ball penalty in the box. Morgan Burke took the penalty kick and fired a shot past the goalie for the first goal. Lyndsey Douglas followed with a perfectly placed cross to Jen Kickenweitz who drilled a shot into the corner of the net. Defenders Sarah Canfield, Kathryn Dinizo and Ali Prestridge blocked every Fireball attempt in the first half. In the second quarter, defenders Douglas and Kim Many played at midfield, refusing all Fireballs attempts to put the ball in Rebel territory. The Rebels kept up the offensive pressure with a barrage of shots on goal by Cassie Zito, Michelle Goldberg, Colleen Sweeney, Prestridge, Devon Daly and Dinizo. The Fireballs goalie did an excellent job warding off shots, but was finally overwhelmed by Sweeney who fired off an unstoppable ball to give the Rebels a 3-0 victory.

FSPY Raises Funds For September 11

Members of the Fanwood-Scotch Plains YMCA Piranhas swim team recently held a Swim-a-thon to benefit September 11 relief efforts. The Piranhas raised \$2,200 that went directly to the American Red Cross in support of the September 11 fund. The Swim-a-thon was held in conjunction with the Westfield "Y" and sponsored by the Jewish Community Center of Scotch Plains, each of whom raised funds towards the relief efforts. Team members who participated, included Nicole Buzzanca, Ryan Cleary, Jessica Colucci, Nicole Colucci, Brian Gartner, Katie Gartner, Megan Gartner, David Hauptman, Lindsey Hauptman, Ryan Hauptman, Danny Keenan, Patrick Keenan, Kim Kliesch, Daniel Livolsi, James Livolsi, Peter Livolsi, Sean Lockier, Arianna Lyons, Micaela Lyons, Annie O'Halloran, Morgan Smith and Sarah Smith.

High School Girls Soccer Group Section 2 Results:

GROUP 3 SEMIS:

Millburn 3, Scotch Plains-Fanwood 1
Caitlin Fabian, Nikki Spinelli and Caitlin Farry scored for the 13-2-1 Millers. Holly Kramer netted a goal on an assist from Chelsea Mintz for the 12-8-1 Raiders.

Sc. Pl.-Fanwood 0 1 1
Millburn 3 0 3

Mendham 1, Cranford 0
Jillian Whitehead scored for 15-3-2 Mendham.

Cranford (15-6) 0 0 0
Mendham 1 0 1

PAROCHIAL A:

Pingry 1, Union Catholic 0
Lauren Oplinger fired in a goal in the second overtime for Pingry.

Union Cath. (12-5-1) 0 0 0 0
Pingry (15-3-1) 0 0 0 1 1

Immaculate Heart 8, Pope John 1
No. 3, 18-1 I.H.A. was led by Krista Lee Gentile (3 goals) and Simone Dekker (2 goals).

PAROCHIAL B:

Oak Knoll 4, Kent Place 2
Katie Cummings blasted in three goals and Jen Redmond nailed one for the Royals. Lindsey Penek and Katie Gandolfo scored for Kent Place.

Oak Knoll (12-6-1) 3 1 4
Kent Place (16-3-1) 0 2 2

Morris Catholic 5 (19-1-1), Villa Walsh 0 (12-9-1)

CHAMPIONSHIP:

Morris Catholic 8, Oak Knoll 1
Shannon Alger netted three goals and Katelyn McCormick abetted with four assists. Jen Redmond scored the only Royals' goal.

GROUP 2 SEMIS:

Chatham 2, Summit 1
Julia Berger scored the winning goal for 16-5 Chatham. Karen Jann netted a goal for 13-3-4 Summit.

Summit 0 1 1
Chatham 1 1 2

GROUP 1 SEMIS:

North Warren 2, New Providence 1 (Shootout)
Tory Kania netted a goal off an assist from Allison Shaughnessy for the 18-6 Pioneers. North Warren (14-4-3) won the shootout, 3-0.

New Prov. 1 0 0 0 (0) 1
N. Warren 0 1 0 0 (3) 2



Files of The Westfield Leader and The Times Blue Devil Sarah Mahran

SP-F Blue Thunder Quells Readington Revolution, 6-1

The Blue Thunder of the Scotch Plains-Fanwood Soccer Association under age 11 division had their offense firing on all cylinders as they topped the Readington Revolution, 6-1, on November 11. After jumping to a 5-0, halftime lead, the Thunder displayed class in refusing to run up the score. Rather

than continually shooting on the Revolution goal, the Thunder killed the clock with sharp, crisp passing. Chris McManus scored first with a perfect header off a pass from Jack Dunphy. Danny Gore, Brendan McEvoy, Matt Bonner, Josef Ellis and Dunphy also added goals. Reid Miller, Ellis, Gore and Dunphy also chipped in with an assist each. Andrew Smith started in goal and, thanks to the constant pressure by his forwards and the tough play from his defense, did not face a shot the entire half. Bonner relieved him in the second half and made several outstanding diving stops. Mike Lauricella, Colin Grimm, Mike Roth, Danny Rodriguez, Marc Fusillo and Gore comprised the impenetrable defense that stopped the Revolution every time they brought the ball into the Thunder zone. Offensively, the Revolution had no one to keep up with the skilled Thunder forwards, Joseph Del Prete, Eddie Byron, Greg Bencivengo, McManus, Dunphy, Ellis, McEvoy, Miller, Bonner and Smith.

PUBLIC NOTICE

**BOROUGH OF FANWOOD
NOTICE OF INTRODUCTION OF
ORDINANCE 01-22-R
AND PUBLIC HEARING**

An ordinance was introduced by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Fanwood on November 7, 2001. Copies of this ordinance can be obtained without cost at the Fanwood Borough Hall, 75 North Martine Avenue, Fanwood, New Jersey between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday. The purpose of this ordinance is to AMEND CHAPTER 93, OF THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF FANWOOD RELATING TO LAND USE. This ordinance establishes regulations relating to various land use issues in the Borough of Fanwood. A public hearing on this ordinance will be held on December 13, 2001 at 8:00 p.m. Eleanor McGovern Borough Clerk
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