

(Rankings are through matches played as of Sunday, Oct. 18)

Week 8

| Rank | School                                      | Record | Prev. Rank | Notes/Comments   |
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| 1    | Saint Ignatius (Cleveland, OH)              | 16-0   | 1          | St. Ignatius posted its third 3-0 win over an Ohio state Top 10 team this season by closing out regular-season play with a 3-0 victory over Toledo St. Francis. Paul Castrigano, Luke Blades and Kailum Ijaz scored the three goals and Matt Sanda delivered a strong performance in midfield. The Wildcats move on to postseason play this week where they open against Garfield Heights. |
| 2    | Neuqua Valley (Naperville, IL)              | 23-0-1 | 3          | The FAB 50 national crown may come down to the Ohio and Illinois state tournaments. If favored Neuqua Valley wins the IHSA state title, it only needs one slip up by St. Ignatius to finish the year at No. 1.   |
| 3    | Saint Thomas Aquinas (Overland Park, KS)    | 15-0   | 4          | Jordan Zarse delivered the match-winning strike, scoring on a free kick as St. Thomas Aquinas defeated Washburn Rural 1-0 in a battle between undefeated Kansas teams that were ranked 1-2 in the state.   |
| 4    | East (Denver, CO)                           | 12-0   | 5          | Zach Bolden scored all three goals as Denver East defeated Pine Creek 3-0 in a meeting of state-ranked teams.  |
| 5    | Charles E. Jordan Senior H. S. (Durham, NC) | 15-0   | 6          | Jordan has allowed only four goals this season. Jordan got a ringing endorsement from Green Hope coach Andy Chadwick, who told the Raleigh News and Observer, that in the one time he saw Jordan they were the best team he has seen in North Carolina in his eight years as a head coach.   |
| 6    | Churchill (Livonia, MI)                     | 17-0-1 | 7          | Max Washko scored three goals as Churchill defeated Walled Lake North 4-0 to win the KLAA title.   |
| 7    | Pingry School (Martinsville, NJ)            | 12-0   | 8          | Freddy Elliott and Randy Faulk scored the goals as Pingry remained perfect with a 2-0 win over Montgomery.   |
| 8    | Arlington (Lagrangeville, NY)               | 13-0   | 9          | Cody Farrier scored the game-winner as Arlington survived a 2-1 overtime contest against league rival Ketcham. Arlington is in the middle of a five-match-in-eight-day stretch.  |
| 9    | Lincoln (Gahanna, OH)                       | 14-0-1 | 10         | Lincoln ends regular-season play Monday against Upper Arlington in what should be a challenging match.   |
| 10   | Pennsbury (Fairless Hills, PA)              | 14-1   | 12         | Pennsbury ran its win streak to 11 matches with a 2-0 decision over William Tennett.   |
| 11   | McQuaid Jesuit (Rochester, NY)              | 14-0-1 | 20         | McQuaid backed its No. 1 local ranking with a 4-2 victory over perennial state challenger Aquinas.   |
| 12   | C. B. C. (Saint Louis, MO)                  | 18-2-3 | 16         | CBC coach Terry Michler became the first high school coach to reach 800 wins when CBC defeated Blue Valley Northwest (Kan.) 1-0 in the relocated Art Firley Shootout.  |

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| 13 | Strongsville<br>(Strongsville, OH)    | 12-1-3 | 13 | Strongsville is the top seed in the Brunswick section/district tournament that starts this week.  |
| 14 | Glastonbury<br>(Glastonbury, CT)      | 11-0   | 15 | Glastonbury shut out South Windsor (5-0) and Manchester (2-0) last week. Glastonbury has won 30 of its last 31 matches.   |
| 15 | Chaminade<br>(Mineola, NY)            | 11-2-1 | 14 | Chaminade split a pair of matches with FAB 50-ranked teams last week, beating St. Anthony's 1-0 on a goal by Giovanni LoManaco before losing 3-2 to St. John the Baptist. Chaminade holds a narrow lead in the league race, which justifies a higher rank its Catholic League rivals. |
| 16 | Don Bosco<br>(Ramsey, NJ)             | 13-0   | 17 | Don Bosco Prep defeated St. Joseph-Montvale, 2-0, to advance to this week's Bergen County Tournament quarterfinals.   |
| 17 | Holt (Holt, MI)                       | 19-0-1 | 19 | Holt captured the CAAC Gold Cup title last week with a 1-0 victory over Mason.  |
| 18 | Broomfield Senior<br>(Broomfield, CO) | 13-0   | 21 | Broomfield remained perfect with victories over Skyline (7-0) and Fossil Ridge (5-0).   |
| 19 | Council Rock<br>(Newtown, PA)         | 12-1-2 | 22 | Council Rock North plays three straight days this week to end its regular season. The team's only loss this year is to Pennsbury as these league rivals split.  |
| 20 | Saint John's<br>(Shrewsbury, MA)      | 14-0   | 24 | St. John's Shrewsbury won the annual battle of St. John's -- defeating St. John's Prep last week to remain perfect.   |