

SOCCKER: Unranked Oakville wins CYC tourney

FENTON • The Oakville soccer team put the perfect finish on a magical eight-day run Saturday evening, knocking off CBC 2-1 in the title game of the Msgr. Louis Meyer Division of the 56th annual CYC/Bob Guelker Memorial Tournament at Anheuser-Busch Center.

Over the last eight days, the unranked Tigers (9-3-2) knocked off Vianney 3-1 in a non-league game before bumping off third-ranked Chaminade 1-0 to win its tournament pool and top-ranked SLUH 3-2 in Friday's semifinals.

The Post-Dispatch had CBC (9-3-2) ranked second among large schools.

The Tigers jumped on CBC early Saturday, getting a header goal from senior John O'Brien in the sixth minute of the match. Jordan Klipsh assisted.

CBC, the defending tournament champion, came up with the equalizer about three minutes before the break. Sophomore Joe Corbett scored the goal with a flicked shot after receiving a pass from freshman Austin Ledbetter.

While CBC controlled the tempo of the match and tested Oakville keeper Josh Richter at times, Oakville was dangerous with counter-attacks.

One of those counters, with about 8½ minutes left in regulation, proved to be the difference. After CBC keeper Nick Lenkman stuffed a shot from Jared Swierk, junior Luke Miller knocked the loose ball into the vacated net.

Waterloo 2, Granite City 1 • Waterloo (13-1-2) outlasted Granite City in the Msgr. Lloyd Sullivan Division, winning in penalty kicks. The Bulldogs are ranked fifth among area small schools.

Granite City (4-5-2) scored first, taking advantage of a fortunate bounce early in the second half when a blocked ball between two players ended up on the foot of Brendan Brooks, who poked it in.

Waterloo tied it with about 18 minutes left in regulation as Lance Kohler knocked in a pass from Nathan Vogt.

Waterloo, which had the better of the play for much of the match, outscored the Warriors 3-1 in penalty kicks. Kohler, Jon Huelsman and Dane Dudley converted penalty kicks for Waterloo.

Mullen was the only Granite City player to make his kick.

Lutheran South 2, Highland 1 • Lutheran South (9-5) beat Highland in the title game of the Msgr. Larry Walsh Division.

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