



Springfield Soccer Club Alumni Update-Part 3

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As the holiday season creeps up on all of us so does the end of the regular season for college soccer. Most teams wrap up their schedule this week or next.



Colin Lawter- As a freshman Lawter has yet to make an appearance for the Bulldogs. Bulldogs recently set a school record for wins this season. With a record of 11-3 and 3-0 in Missouri Valley Conference play they sit atop the standings. Drake travel to Creighton this weekend in a battle that will most likely decide who gets the top spot in the league.



Elle Holtmann- Coming off of a 4-0 win over Missouri S&T the Rockhurst University Hawks improve their record 10-4-3 overall. Holtmann, a sophomore, has yet to start a game but has made five appearances from the bench. In those appearances she has accumulated 1 shot on goal. Elle and the Hawks are home for their next game will be against Drury in the GLVC Tournament on November 2nd.



Jesse Clevenger- The MSSU Lions have had a rough go of it this season on the pitch with a record of 1-13-1 Clevenger and his teammates are at work trying to turn their season around. Clevenger has started 11 of the Lion's 15 games and has 1 goal on 12 shots from his midfield position. MSSU's next opponent will be Rockhurst University at home on October 28th. **Stuart Ziegler** and **Nate Evans** are also receiving major minutes for the Lions.



Ross Chafin- Ross has appeared in one of the thirteen games. The Pioneers are currently above five hundred with a record of 7-5-1. They face off against San Jose State at home on Halloween.



Patrick Carver-Ranked #6 nationally, the Emory Eagles (GA) have yet to be beat 14-0-0 record in 2008. They are buoyed by the offensive prowess of last year's UAA Player of the Year Patrick Carver. Carver has started all 14 games, currently has 11 goals, and is leading the team with 26 points scored this season. Carver recently put two goals in against University of the South, a game the Eagles won 4-0. The next challenge for Carver and the Eagles is Brandeis University on October 31st.



Katie Brooks- Katie and William Jewell are having trouble copying last year's form with a current record of 8-5-1 they currently sit 4 spots out of the top 25. Katie is now a senior and a captain of the squad. Katie and the Cardinals will try to bounce back from their 2-1 loss to Lindenwood University when they come home to take on MidAmerica Nazarene University on November 1st. Also Playing for William Jewell are Megan Garrad and Will Griffin.



Tyler Kutz- The #11 ranked Parkland College Cobras (IL) have kept up their early season success. Goalkeeper Kutz has lead them to a 15-1-2 record so far this season including 10 shutouts. With a GAA of .404 Kutz is ranked fifth among all NJCAA goalkeepers this year. Kutz and the Cobras will take on Illinois Central in the Region 24 semi-finals this Wednesday.



Jessica McCutcheon- McCutcheon and the Hillcats are off to a great start this season with a 12-3-0 record. McCutcheon is earning solid minutes as a freshman. She has made 6 appearances and made 2 starts. Her GAA is .790 and she has registered a shutout in one of her two wins. Jessica and the Hillcats face off next against John Brown University on October 29th.

T.J. Martin: The Hillcats and Martin have had a pretty solid season with a record of 8-4-3. Martin has played in all 15 games this season making 10 starts. He has a goal and an assist in the stat book for the year. Martin and company take on Southern Nazarene on November 1st.



Brian Fishback- Fishback and the Greyhounds of the University of Indianapolis have a record of 6-6-4. Fishback has started all but one game for the Greyhounds this year. In those 15 games he has 1 goal and 4 assists. With a recent loss to #11 ranked Northern Kentucky the Hounds travel to Springfield to take on Drury in GLVC tournament action on November 2nd.



MEN'S: The Bears have had a rough go of it so far this season with a record of 5-7-4. They look like they may be coming into form with the start of conference play with two wins in their last three games. They are back in action on October 28th against UMKC. Missouri State has been lead by their 4 SSC alums this season.

Justin Alford: Alford started the season playing in a fullback position, but has moved into midfield in recent weeks. Justin has started all thirteen games for the Bears. He has scored one goal on twenty-one total shots.

Nick Dryden: Nick has also started all thirteen games for the bears. Nick has been a solid player at the back for this season playing as a Center Back in most games. Coming out of the back Dryden has managed to put 6 shots on goal.

Heath Melugin: Melugin, as a freshman, has made a big impact on the Missouri State squad. Appearing in all 13 games and starting 6 of them. Heath began the season in midfield but has moved up to a striker position by Coach Leamy. Since the move up top, Heath has scored three goals including two game-winners both are tops on the team.

Justin Scicluna: Scicluna another freshman for Missouri State has also seen some playing time. He has made 2 appearances in the 13 games that the Bears have had. In those two appearances Justin has managed one shot on goal.

WOMEN'S: The Lady Bears have faired better than their male counterparts so far this season with a record of 9-5-1. The Lady bears are back in action on Halloween against at home against conference foes Indiana State. The women have one SSC alum earning substantial minutes.

Tara Bailes: Bailes, a freshman, has seen substantial playing time this season appearing in all of the lady bear's games and starting two of them. Tara began the season playing in midfield, but Coach Brewer has recently moved her into a forward position. On the season Tara has one goal and one assist.



MEN'S: The Drury Panthers have had their normal strong start to the season. They are currently sitting on a record of 11-5-1. They are back in action on Friday October, 31 away to Northeastern State University. The Panthers boast three SSC Alums on their roster.

Danny Collins: Collins has earned substantial minutes so far this season appearing in thirteen of the Panther's seventeen games, and starting one of them. Statistically he has one goal on four shots and one assist.

Alex Palmer: Alex has also made multiple appearances for the Drury team. He has nine appearances including one start on the season. He has been kept out of the goal column thus far but does have 2 assists.

Adam Peterson: Peterson has made a big contribution to the Panther's season. Adam has played in all 17 games so far this season starting 1 of them. Peterson has notched four goals on twelve shots and has one assist for the season.

WOMEN'S: The Lady Panthers are also above 500 on their season with a record of 8-6-3. They are 1-1-1 in their last three games. There are currently two former Springfield Soccer Club players on the Drury roster.

Katy McLain: McLain has earned substantial playing time as a freshman. She has appeared in seven of the Lady Panther's fourteen games. Statistically she has one goal on 2 shots in 107 minutes of playing time.



Washington University in St. Louis: Wash U has had a good year thus far with a record of 10-3-1. They are currently ranked #16 nationally. Wash U will face off against University of Rochester on Halloween. The Bears boast three SSC alums in their squad.

Josh Florez: Florez has appeared in 4 games for the Bears.

John Duncan: Duncan has made six appearances and has three shots on goal.



Luke Prater: Prater and the Knights have had a solid season with a record of 11-6-0. Prater has played in 14 of the knights 17 games and as made 13 starts. In those games he has accumulated 11 shots. Prater and company are back in action on November 1st against Luther.



Tyler Northrip: Northrip and the pioneers are three games over .500 with a record of 8-5-0. Tyler has made 13 appearances all of which have been starts. Over those starts he has one goal and one assist. They are in action again on October 25th against Lambuth.



Grinnell: Is having a strong 2008 season with a record of 13-3-0. They are back in action on the 31st against Augustana. Grinnell currently has two SSC alums in their squad.

Laura McElroy: Laura has started in goal for every game Grinnell has had. She has a goals against average of 1.09 and 3 shutouts on the season. She also has an assist on the books as well.

Rebecca Carter: Carter has made 10 caps for the team including three starts.



Missouri S&T: Having a tough season S&T currently sits at 6-8-4. They head to Northern Kentucky to begin GLVC tournament action this weekend.

Zack Hay: Hay has played in all but one game for the Miners this season. He has 2 goals on six shots thus far into the season.

Jorge Quiroz: Jorge has made one appearance for the team this year in which he recorded one shot.



Northeastern Oklahoma A&M: The Norsemen are having a tough season with a record of 7-11-2. They boast two 2008 SSC alums in Nathan Hamilton and Colton Sexton. The Norseman will look to carry their end of year form through next season with wins in two of their last three.

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