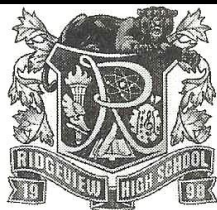


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Ridgeview High School Lady Panthers

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*"I don't believe skill was, or ever will be, the result of coaches.
It is a result of a love affair between the child and the ball."*

Roy Keane, Irish soccer player and English soccer club manager

Coach's Corner

Varsity have two home games this coming week while JV are playing three.

On Tuesday, 6th December we are hosting Matanzas. The kick-off times are 5.30 pm and 7.20 pm. The varsity game is a district game.

We play a junior varsity only game against the Florida School for the Deaf and Blind at 6.00 pm on Wednesday, 7th December. There will be no practice for varsity on Wednesday. Varsity players are expected to come along and support the junior varsity team and work the concession stand in lieu of practice. Varsity players should be at Panther Stadium at 5.30 pm. They will not be charged admission.

On Thursday, both teams are playing Pedro Menendez at Panther Stadium. The kick-off times are 5.30 pm and 7.20 pm. This is a district game for varsity.

Please note that the Oakleaf @ RHS game that was originally scheduled for Tuesday, 3rd January has been moved to Monday, 9th January at the request of Oakleaf High School.

There are seven home games remaining in the season. We need ALL families to step up and volunteer to man the concession stand. If it is done equitably, each family should only have to work a maximum of three game slots between them. Ideally, we need varsity parents to work the JV game slots and JV parents to work the varsity game slots. That way, everyone gets to see their daughter play. The sign-up sheet is always at the concession stand at home games. Please stop by and sign up for future games if you haven't already done so. Many thanks to those families who have already signed up, or who have worked their three games slots, or have bought out of working the concession. Your contribution is much appreciated. Any profit that is made in the concession stand goes directly back into the Lady Panthers Soccer Program.

Results to Date

	Played	Won	Lost	Tied	Goals For	Goals Against	Shut Outs
Junior Varsity	8	5	2	1	30	17	3
Varsity	8	4	4	0	32	27	1

Schedule

Tuesday, 1st November, **5-2 win/1-3 loss**
RHS @ Oakleaf, 5.30/7.20 pm

Thursday, 3rd Nov, **0-5 loss/0-8 loss**
St Johns CD @ RHS, 5.30/7.20 pm

Tuesday, 8th November, **8-0 win/8-0 win**
* RHS @ Palatka, 5.30/7.20 pm

Thursday, 10th Nov, **7-0 win/9-1 win**
RHS @ Middleburg, 5.30/7.20 pm

Tuesday, 15th November, **2-2 tie/2-3 loss**
* Clay @ RHS, 5.30/7.20 pm

Thursday, 17th Nov, **2-0 win/10-3 win**
RHS @ St Augustine, 5.30/7.20 pm

Monday, 28th Nov, **3-6 loss/0-8 loss**
* RHS @ Ponte Vedra, 5.30/7.20 pm

Thursday, 1st December, **3-2 win/2-1 win**
Paxon @ RHS, 5.30/7.20 pm

Tuesday, 6th December
* Matanzas @ RHS, 5.30/7.20 pm

Wednesday, 7th December
FSDB @ RHS (JV), 6.00 pm

Thursday, 8th December
* Pedro M @ RHS, 5.30/7.20 pm

Monday, 12th December
* Orange Park @ RHS, 5.30/7.20 pm

Friday, 16th December
RHS @ Clay, 5.30/7.20 pm

Thursday, 5th January
Middleburg @RHS (S), 5.30/7.20 pm

Monday, 9th January
Oakleaf @ RHS, 5.30/7.20 pm

Tuesday, 10th January
Fernandina @ RHS (V), 6.00 pm

Friday, 13th January
RHS @ Bishop Kenny, 5.30/7.20 pm

Monday, 16th January
Districts @ Higher Seed (V), 6.00 pm

Wednesday, 18th January
Districts @ Pedro M(V), 5.00/7.00pm

Friday, 20th January
District Final @ Pedro M(V), 7.00pm

** denotes district game
(JV) denotes junior varsity only game
(V) denotes varsity only game
(S) denotes Senior Night*

Round Up of Last Week's Games

The Panthers had two match ups last week.

On Monday, they traveled to Ponte Vedra to take on the Sharks. The Ponte Vedra forwards had speed and were able to pressure the Ridgeview defense. Seven minutes into the game, a Ponte Vedra forward broke through the Panther back line and sprinted to goal to score. The Sharks were on the scoreboard again nine minutes later when they were awarded a corner and the kick was deflected into the net. The Panthers were able to get one back when they were awarded a free kick outside of the eighteen yard box.

Janelle Echevarria took the kick and sent the ball into the upper 90

of the goal to make it 1 – 2. However, in the dying seconds of the first half, the Sharks responded with a lob shot from outside of the 18 yard box that sailed into the goal. The first half ended 1 – 3. The Sharks continued to push through the Panther defense in the second half and scored three additional goals to make the score 1 – 6. The Panthers pushed hard in the final quarter and were rewarded when **Allison Dailey** passed to **Alyvia Goodwin** who scored with a shot from the edge of the eighteen yard box. The Panthers got an additional goal in the final minutes of the game when **Casey Miller** took advantage of a goalmouth scramble to put the ball in the net. The final score was 3 – 6.



Alyvia Goodwin, #17, Amaya Austin, #12, Shayla Hofstra, #11 and Jasmine Echevarria, #14, in a defensive wall in front of keeper, Allison Dailey, #3

In the varsity game, the Panthers played defensively. They were able to hold Ponte Vedra in the first half but were



*Alyvia Goodwin, #17 and Casey Miller, # 5, set up for a free kick
With Amaya Austin, #11, Madison Yonash, #7, Jasmine Echevarria, #14,
and Anna Magruder, #8, in the background*

unable to exert any pressure on the Sharks. The Panthers lost midfield dynamo **Kyleigh Reedy** in the first half after she suffered a concussion from a head to head contact with an opposing player. The Sharks got on the scoreboard in the dying minutes of the first half from a corner kick. One minute later, they scored again and the first half ended 0 – 2. The Panthers collapsed in the second half and the Sharks were able to run up the score. They scored an additional six times with two of the goals headed in from corners. The game ended 0 – 8 with four minutes to go.

On Thursday, the Panthers hosted Paxon School for

Round Up of Last Week's Games Continued

Advanced Studies at Panther Stadium. The junior varsity Panthers were on the scoreboard three minutes into the game when **Malia Hofstra** sent the ball to **Jacqueline Gagliano** who ran the ball from the half to score. The Panthers dominated the first half but struggled to finish the chances they created. Their second goal came twenty minutes later when the Panthers were awarded a free kick from well outside of the eighteen yard box. **Jasmine Echevarria** came up from the back to take the kick and sent the ball sailing into the upper ninety of the goal. The first half ended 2 – 0. The second half continued in the same vein with the Panthers struggling to finish. Eight minutes into the



*Kyleigh Reedy, #10, and Anya Alecca, #12,
getting marked up in midfield*

half, a Golden Eagles forward broke through the Panther defense to score in a one on one against keeper **Madison Yonash**. The Panthers responded four minutes later when **Taysia Gendler** dropped the ball to **Jacqueline Gagliano** who scored with an eighteen yard shot. The Golden Eagles got one more back seven minutes later in a goalmouth scramble resulting from a free kick. The game ended 3 – 2.

A depleted varsity squad then took on the Golden Eagles. The game was a scrappy affair with both sides struggling to get on the scoreboard. The Panthers created more chances than the opposition but failed to convert them and the first



McKenna Reedy, #15, on the ball

half ended 0 – 0. The Panthers took the lead three minutes into the second half when **Kayla Alexander** put **Autumn Woodard** through to score. The Golden Eagles equalized with just ten minutes to go in the game when they scored from a free kick outside of the eighteen yard box. The Panthers were able to regain their lead two minutes later when an **Anya Alecca** free kick, from well outside of the eighteen yard box, deflected off a defender, over the keeper, and into the goal. The final score was 2 – 1.