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Ridgeview High School Lady Panthers

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"Experience tells you what to do; confidence allows you to do it."

Stan Smith - English Soccer Player

Coach's Corner

The scheduled season is over and the varsity team will enter the district play-off games next week. There are seven varsity teams in the district and they are seeded for the play-offs according to their results when they played against each other during the season. The seeding is as follows.

Seed 1 Pedro Menendez High School

Seed 2 Ponte Vedra High School

Seed 3 Clay High School

Seed 4 Matanzas High School

Seed 5 Ridgeview High School

Seed 6 Orange Park High School

Seed 7 Palatka High School

Although Monday, 16th January, is not a school day, we do have a game. We are playing away at Mantanzas High School (3535 Old Kings Road North, Palm Coast). The kick off time is 6.00 pm. The team bus is scheduled to leave the gym parking lot at 3.45 pm and return around 9.00 pm. Junior varsity players are encouraged to ride the team bus and come along to support. We will be playing in our blue uniforms.

If we win on Monday, we will be playing again on Wednesday, 18th January, at Pedro Menendez High School (600 Florida 206, Saint Augustine). This time, we will be playing Pedro Menendez High School. The kick off time is either 5.30 pm or 7.30 pm. We will be playing in our blue uniforms. Junior varsity players are encouraged to ride the team bus and come along to support. Team bus times will be announced later.

If we win on Wednesday, we will be playing in the final on Friday, 20th January, at Pedro Menendez. This time, we will be playing the winner of the Ponte Vedra/Palatka/Clay/Orange Park games. The kick off time is 7.00 pm. The team bus is provisionally scheduled to leave the gym parking lot at 5.00 pm and return around 9.30 pm. We could be playing in either uniform. Junior varsity players are encouraged to ride the team bus and come along to support.

End of Season Results

	Played	Won	Lost	Tied	Goals For	Goals Against	Shut Outs
Junior Varsity	15	10	4	1	58	29	4
Varsity	16	7	9	0	57	53	4

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

Tuesday, 15^{th} 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, **8-1 win/4-7 loss** * Matanzas @ RHS, 5.30/7.20 pm

Wednesday, 7th December, **8-0 win** FSDB @ RHS (JV), 6.00 pm

Thursday, 8th December, **2-1 win/0-4 loss** * Pedro M @ RHS, 5.30/7.20 pm

Monday, 12th December, **6-1 win/5-0 win** * Orange Park @ RHS, 5.30/7.20 pm

Friday, 16th December, **2-1 win/1-4 loss** RHS @ Clay, 5.30/7.20 pm

Thursday, 5^{th} January, cancelled/8-0 win Middleburg @RHS (S), 5.30/7.20 pm

Monday, 9th January, **2-3 loss/2-4 loss** Oakleaf @ RHS, 5.30/7.20 pm

Tuesday, 10th January, **4-0 win** Fernandina @ RHS (V), 6.00 pm

Friday, 13th January, **0-5 loss/1-7 loss** 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

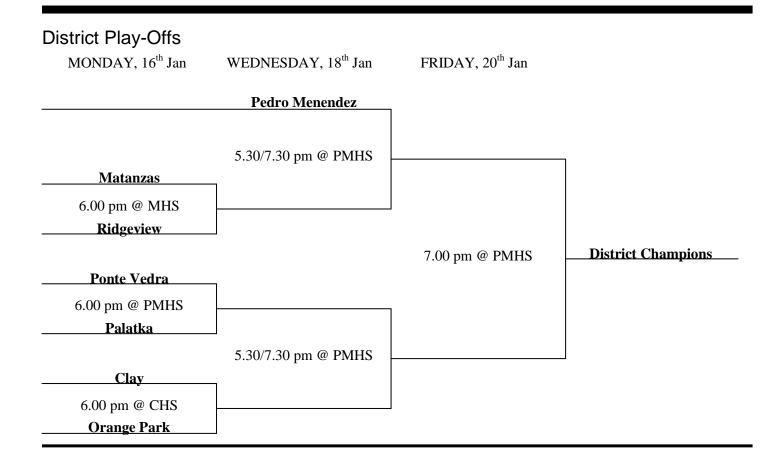
District Final @ Pedro M(V), 7.00pm

* 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 three match ups last week. On Monday they hosted Oakleaf High School at Panther Stadium for a double header. The junior varsity game was a hard fought affair with both sides struggling breakthrough each other's defense. The first half ended a goalless draw. The first goal of the game didn't come until fifteen minutes into the second half when the Knights took advantage of a poorly cleared ball to score. The Knights went two up one minute later with a shot from outside of the 18 vard box. Five minutes later. the Panthers and were awarded a free kick from outside of the 18 yard box. Alyvia Goodwin took the kick and the ball sailed high into the net to make the



Alyvia Goodwin, 17, Amaya Austin, #12, Shayla Hofstra, #11 and Jasmine Echevarria, #14, defend against a free kick

score 1-2. The Knights made it 1-3 five minutes later when their speedy #9 broke through the Panther defense to run on goal and score in a one on one against the keeper. The Panthers fought hard to come back in the final fifteen minutes of the game. They got one back with five minutes to go when **Jacqueline Gagliano** ran the ball down the right side of the field and dropped the ball to **Alyvia Goodwin** who shot from the edge of the eighteen yard box. The Knights keeper parried the shot but **Janelle Echevarria**, following in, was there to put the ball in the net. The Panthers pushed hard for another goal but score remained 2-3 at the final whistle.

Round Up of Last Week's Games Continued

The varsity teams then took to the field. The varsity game was another hard fought affair. The Panthers initially struggled to contain the Knights speedy #4. Goalkeeper Sarah Golemme was kept busy and made some fine saves to keep the Panthers in the game. Twenty minutes into the game, #4 eventually broke through and scored the only goal of the first half. The second half continued in the same vein. Six minutes into the half the Knights went two up when they scored from a corner. The Panthers pulled one back six minutes later when Anva Alecca sent the ball through for Autumn Woodard to run on goal and score by taking the ball around the



Janelle Echevarria, #4, on the ball

keeper. The Knights scored two more times to make it 1-4. The Panthers got one more back with nine minutes left in the game. **Isabella Calalang-Boyer** sent the ball up the left wing to **Autumn Woodard** who cut in and curled the ball inside the far post with a right foot distance shot. The Panthers pushed hard in the final minutes but the score was still 2-4 when the referee blew the final whistle.

On Tuesday, the varsity team was at home to Fernandina Beach High School. The Panthers quickly took control of the game and moved the ball around the field with some crisp passing. The first goal came eleven minutes into the game when **Kyleigh Reedy** sent the ball through the Pirates defense for **Janelle Echevarria** to run on to and score with a neatly placed shot. The Panthers went two up fifteen minutes later when **Amaya Austin** passed the ball to **Autumn Woodard** who ran the ball from the half up the right wing, cut in, and took a shot from the edge of the eighteen. The



Central defender, Anna Nesi, #13, clearing the ball with McKenna Reedy, #15, Kayla Alexander, #16, and Autumn Woodard, #2, in the background

keeper appeared to have the shot covered but the ball took a deflection off **Pirates** 9 defender and went in. The first half ended 2 - 0. The Panther central defenders, Anna Nesi and Danielle Fletcher, with Sarah Golemme in goal, continued to shut out the Pirates in the second half. The Panthers went three up when Kyleigh Reedy took a shot from outside of the eighteen. The Pirates keeper parried the shot but Janelle Echevarria, following in, put the ball in the The Panthers got their final goal of the night with just one minute to go in the game when Kyleigh Reedy, on the edge of the eighteen yard box, dropped the ball back to Anya Alecca who sent the ball

Round Up of Last Week's Games Continued

sailing into the net with first time right foot shot. The final score was 4-0.

On Friday, the **Panthers** travelled to Bishop Kenny High School for a double header. The junior varsity game was only four minutes old when a Crusader forward broke through the Panther defense to take the ball around the keeper score. Two additional Crusader goals late in the first half made the score 0 - 3 at half time. The second half continued with the Panther defense working hard to try to contain the Crusaders. Bishop Kenny scored two more goal in the second half and the game ended 0-5.



Kianna Dennis, #18, Isabella Calalang-Boyer, #5 and Danielle Fletcher, #6, getting lined up against a free kick

The Varsity Panthers were on the back foot from the outset in their game. Two minutes into the game, the Crusaders' speedy #8 broke through the Panthers defense to score. Thirteen minutes later, #8 took the ball through the Panther defense to get another goal. The Crusaders' #8 was on the scoreboard one minute later when she scored with a high shot from out left from a tight angle. The Panthers did get one back with fifteen minutes to go in the half. **Autumn Woodard** sent the ball across the top of the eighteen-yard box to **Janelle Echevarria** who sent the ball sailing high over the keeper with a right foot shot. The goal rallied the Panthers and they began to put some pressure on the Crusaders for the remainder of the half. The first half ended 1-3. The Crusaders came back strong in the second half and regained control of the game with an early goal from a direct free kick from outside of the box. They punished the Panther defense an additional three times in the half and the game ended 1-7.



McKenna Reedy, #15, going past the opposition with Sarah Streicher, #11 in the background