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Thursday, July 8
Waltham High School – Waltham, MA

Boys Scholastic

Metro 4, Northeast 2

Felix DeBona (Everett, Everett HS) scored three of Metro's four goals in the second half to help his team erase an early one-goal deficit. DeBona's three goals included a header off a direct kick from Thomas Ballenthin (Lexington, Lexington HS). Xavier Orrellano (Somerville, Prospect Hill Academy) tallied the other Metro goal.

Northeast's scoring came from Conor Leahy (Beverly, Beverly HS) assisted by Nick Moscaritolo (North Reading, North Reading HS) and Julian Yourawski (Peabody, St. Mary's HS) assisted by Brad Surette (Beverly, Beverly HS).

Central 1, Coastal 1

Coastal took the early lead on a strike by Jesse Fine (Pembroke, Pembroke HS) from Noah Phelps (Attleboro, Attleboro HS) at 12 minutes. Central answered in the 61st minute when Derek Silver (Wheelwright, Bromfield) buried a header off of a corner kick from Dustin Bradley (Shrewsbury, St. John's).

In net, Central's Alex Usevicous (Milford, Milford HS) and Matt Towers (Acton, Lawrence Academy) went toe to toe with Coastal's Andrew Hurley (Kingston, Silver Lake) and Spenser Powell (Attleboro, Attleboro HS).

West 1, Southeast 0

West got a second half goal by Gabe Richardson (Huntington, Gateway Reg. HS) on an assist from David Garcia-Ruiz (Turner Falls, Turner Falls HS) to edge Southeast. West keepers Michael Ketterman (Monson, Monson HS) and Tarek Dahdul (West Springfield, Williston-Northampton School) pitched the shutout.

Metro 3, Coastal 0

Metro came out strong in the second half to defeat Coastal, 3-0. Metro's David Lima (Everett, Everett HS) scored in the 25th minute to break the ice, and it remained 1-0 until the 45th minute when Felix DeBona (Everett, Everett HS) netted his fourth goal of the tournament with an assist from teammate Elias Estabrook (Somerville, Prospect Hill Academy). Kevin Montiel (Somerville, Somerville HS) capped the scoring at the 57th minute. On the goal, Cesar Silva (Medford, Medford HS) made a beautiful pass to Montiel who knew exactly what to do with it. Metro goalkeeper Marcello Cugno (Medford, Medford HS) protected the lead on the way to the shutout.

Southeast 3, Central 1

Southeast struck early and held on for the victory over Central, 3-1. Ronan O'Callaghan (Weymouth, Boston College HS) tallied a goal in the 4th minute for Southeast. Ian Pimental (Norfolk, King Phillip HS) scored on a header off the setup by John Mbengam (Randolph, Randolph HS), who also found the net 10 minutes later. Mbengam's goal was also assisted by Pimental. Central scored on a header from the corner by Daegan Benison (Auburn, Saint John's Shrewsbury HS).

Girls Scholastic

Central 2, Metro 0

Central's Megan Sullivan (Millbury, Sutton HS) scored two first half goals to pace her team's offense in a victory over Metro. Alyssa Lewandowski (Leicester, St. Peter-Marian) and Larissa Costa (Sutton, Sutton HS) picked up the assists. Jenna Marcello (Hopedale, Hopedale HS) and Holly Ouellette (Shrewsbury, Shrewsbury HS) combined in goal for the shutout.

West 1, Coastal 0

Forward Cate Taras (Belchertown, Belchertown HS) buried a direct free kick from the top of the penalty box at the 32 minute mark to post the game's only goal as West blanked Coastal.

Northeast 3, Central 2

Kristen Verrette (Saugus, Bishop Fenwick) collected a goal and two assists to help Northeast slip past Central. Verrette's strike was unassisted, while she picked up the helpers on goals by Molly Fitzgerald (Haverhill, Haverhill HS) and Kerianne Acheson (Peabody, Bishop Fenwick).

The Central scoring came from Kelly Niland (Upton, Nipmuc HS) and Lauren Soucey (Mendon, Nipmuc HS).

West 4, Metro 0

West broke it open in the second half to defeat Metro, 4-0. West's Leah Dominique (Agawam, Agawam HS) scored in the 23rd minute with the help of teammate Erika Mason (Blandford, Gateway Regional HS). That was all the scoring until the second half when Cate Taras (Belchertown, Belchertown HS) scored at the 47th minute. Metro hung tough and nearly found the net on numerous occasions, but were ultimately unable to capitalize on opportunities. Alyssa Werbicki (Chicopee, Chicopee Comprehensive HS) and Alexis Stockwell (Belchertown, Belchertown HS) scored at the 66th and 69th minute, respectively. Brianna Kubik (Blandford, Westfield HS) and Molly Delaney (Springfield, Central HS) combined for the shutout.

Friday, July 9

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Southeast 3, Northeast 0

Southeast shutout Northeast, 3-0 in the first game Friday morning. John Mbengam (Randolph, Randolph HS) scored unassisted in the 24th minute to give Southeast the 1-0 lead. In the 29th minute, Robert Lynch (Weymouth, Weymouth HS) scored an outstanding goal from the top of the 18-yard box by deflecting an airborne pass, spinning, and finding the top corner of the net. Phillip DiTullio (Hanover, Boston College HS) put the game away with the team's third goal on a pass from Ronan O'Callaghan (Weymouth, Boston College HS) in the 50th minute.

Metro 5, Central 1

Metro led 4-0 at halftime and cruised to an easy victory over Central. Felix DeBona (Everett, Everett HS) and Cesar Silva (Medford, Medford HS) each scored a pair of goals for unbeaten Metro. Donne Agogo (Chelsea, Chelsea HS) added a score. Central spoiled the shutout midway through the second half with a goal from Shane Ruffing (Westboro, Westboro HS), which was assisted by Dustin Bradley (Shrewsbury, St. John's – Shrewsbury).

Coastal 0, West 0

Coastal and West battled to a scoreless stalemate. Keepers Andrew Hurley (Kingston, Silver Lake Reg. HS) for Coastal, and West's duo of Michael Ketterman (Monson, Monson HS) and Tarek Dahdul (West Springfield, Willston-Northampton School) were perfect on the day.

Central 1, Northeast 0

Central midfielder Derek Silver (Wheelwright, Bromfield) buried a pass from John McBride (Shrewsbury, Shrewsbury HS) at the 48 minute mark to break a scoreless tie and give his team the win over Northeast. Matt Towers (Acton, Lawrence Academy) posted the shutout in goal, while Northeast keeper Pat Wilson (Beverly, Beverly HS) played admirably across the pitch.

Southeast 3, Coastal 0

Robert Lynch (Weymouth, Weymouth HS) connected with Chris Murray (Canton, Canton HS) just three minutes into the game, and then midfielder Ryan Madden (Milton, Milton HS) added a pair of goals to lift Southeast over Coastal, 3-0.

Metro 1, West 0

Homero Morais (Somerville, Somerville HS) buried a direct kick from just outside the penalty box in the seventh minute to give Metro its fourth win of the tournament. Marcello Cugno (Medford, Medford HS) was solid in goal for the undefeated Metro which has already qualified for the gold medal game on Sunday.

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Northeast 3, Metro 0

Northeast scored three times in the first half and cruised to a 3-0 win. Kristen Verrette (Saugus, Bishop Fenwick) scored a goal and dished an assist, while Alexa Poulin (Tewksbury, Central Catholic HS) and Joy Santarelli (South Hamilton, Hamilton-Wenham Reg. HS) added a goal apiece. Alana Houlihan (North Andover, North Andover HS) and Mackenzie Koravos (Andover, Andover HS) picked up assists.

Central 2, Coastal 1

Megan Sullivan (Millbury, Sutton HS) scored a pair of goals, the second being the game-winner which broke a 1-1 tie and led Central past Coastal, 2-1. Alyssa Lewandowski (Leicester, St. Peter-Marian) picked up the assist on Sullivan's first tally. Coastal's point came from Ashleigh Berg (Plymouth, Plymouth North HS) on a pass from Jasmin Vivar (Attleboro, Attleboro HS).

Northeast 2, West 0

Northeast midfielder Alexa Poulin (Tewksbury, Central Catholic HS) netted two unassisted goals, one at 32 minutes and the other at 54, to lift her team over West, 2-0. Keeper Melissa Toomey (Saugus, Saugus HS) earned the shutout.

Coastal 3, Metro 0

Coastal scored three first half goals in a 10 minute span and blanked Metro, 3-0. Jenna Szostak (Carver, Carver HS) scored a goal which was sandwiched by two from Lilly Helfrich (East Falmouth, Falmouth HS). Jasmin Vivar (Attleboro, Attleboro HS) and Lauren Annese (Attleboro, Attleboro HS) picked up the assists.

Saturday, July 10

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West 1, Central 0

West defeated Central 1-0 in a close game that went scoreless until the 50th minute. West received a stellar performance from goalies Michael Kitterman (Monson, Monson HS) and Tarek Dahdul (West Springfield, Williston-Northampton School), who combined for the shutout. Although Central goalie Matthew Towers (Acton, Lawrence Academy) was able to keep his team in the game, Michael Pope (Springfield, Minnechaug HS) came through in the 50th minute to score the game's only goal and secure the win for West.

Northeast 2, Coastal 0

Northeast took an early lead and never looked back, defeating Coastal, 2-0. Brad Surette (Beverly, Beverly HS) scored Northeast's first goal in the 7th minute, however, the game remained close until the 42nd minute when Julian Yourawski (Peabody, St. Mary's HS) punched in Northeast's second goal. Northeast goalie Patrick Wilson (Beverly, Beverly HS) was credited with the shutout.

Southeast 1, Metro 0

Metro defeated Southeast, 1-0, in a hard fought match that went scoreless until the 32nd minute. Goalie Marcello Cugno (Medford, Medford HS) kept Metro's hope alive throughout the game, however, in the 32nd minute Southeast's Matt Donovan (Holliston, Holliston High School) scored the game's only goal to complete the shutout.

West 1, Northeast 1

West's Patrick Cronin (Holyoke, Holyoke HS) buried a pass from David Garcia-Ruiz (Turner Falls, Turner Falls HS) in the 67th minute to salvage a 1-1 tie with Northeast. Brad Surette (Beverly, Beverly HS) hooked up with Eric Buck (Andover, Andover HS) just before halftime to give Northeast the lead. Northeast keeper Pat Wilson (Beverly, Beverly HS) played well in net, as did Michael Ketterman (Monson, Monson HS) and Tarek Dahdul (West Springfield, Williston-Northampton School) for West.

Medal Round – Sunday, July 11

Bronze – West vs Central

Gold – Metro vs Southeast

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Northeast 3, Coastal 0

Northeast jumped out to an early two goal lead and never looked back, shutting out Coastal 3-0. Northeast's Kristin Verrette (Saugus, Bishop Fenwick HS) got things started with a goal in the 22nd minute. Northeast added another goal three minutes later and Kerianne Acheson (Peabody, Bishop Fenwick HS) finished things with an insurance goal in the 52nd minute.

West 2, Central 0

West shutout Central, 2-0, behind goals from Leah Dominique (Agawam, Agawam HS) and Erika Mason (Blandford, Gateway Regional). Dominique got things done early scoring the only goal West needed in the 8th minute. Mason added an insurance goal in the 68th minute to complete the shutout.

Northeast 3, Coastal 0

Northeast advances to the gold medal match after taking down Coastal 3-0. Coastal fought fiercely through the first 36 minutes of the scoreless game until Northeast's Molly Fitzgerald (Haverhill, Haverhill HS) scored the first goal in the 37th minute. Northeast then proceeded to erupt for two more goals, as Kristin Verrette (Saugus, Bishop Fenwick HS) found the back of the net in the 50th minute and Nicolette Pelrine (Methuen, Central Catholic) found the back of the net in the 55th minute.

West 1, Central 0

West and Central carried a game into overtime for the first time in the tournament, but it ended just two minutes in when Alyssa Werbicki (Chicopee, Chicopee Comp. HS) found the net off a feed from Katherine Goodale (Belchertown, Belchertown HS). The win propelled West into the gold medal game, and knocked Central down to the bronze contest.

Medal Round – Sunday, July 11

Gold - Northeast vs West

Bronze - Central vs Coastal

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Bronze Medal Game

Central 2, West 0

Central captured the bronze and shutout West, 2-0, in a game that went scoreless for nearly 50 minutes. Central's Gustavo Rocha (Milford, Milford HS) broke the scoreless tie in the 47th minute. Although Rocha's goal would be all Central would need, Central's John McBride (Shrewsbury, Shrewsbury HS) added an insurance goal in the 58th minute to seal the win for Central. Goalie Alex Usevicous (Milford, Milford HS) got the shutout for Central.

Gold Medal Game

Southeast 2, Metro 1

After two overtime periods, Southeast defeated Metro, 2-1, on penalty kicks to win the gold. Neither team generated much offense until the 43rd minute when Southeast's Marc Monestine (Jamaica Plain, Boston College HS) scored the game's first goal. However, Metro's Thomas Ballenthin (Lexington, Lexington HS) tied things up with a goal of his own in the 67th minute. Metro goalie Marcello Cugno (Medford, Medford HS) and Southeast goalie Michael Perry (Wrentham, King Phillip High) kept the game tied through two overtimes until Phillip DiTullio stepped up and won the game for Southeast on penalty kicks.

Girls Scholastic

Gold Medal Game

West 2, Northeast 1

In a battle for the gold medal, West snagged the 2-1 victory against Northeast to take home the 2010 Bay State Games soccer title. The evenly matched game was a stalemate, ending in a 1-1 tie through regulation and both five minute overtime periods. The game ended quickly, however, as Jordan McConnell (Belchertown, Belchertown HS) nailed the third penalty kick of the first round to win the game for West. Katherine Goodale (Belchertown, Belchertown HS) knocked in the lone goal for West in regulation, while Kristin Verrette (Saugus, Bishop Fenwick HS) countered for Northeast. West goalie Brianna Kubik (Blandford, Westfield HS) shut out Northeast in the first half and Molly Delaney (Springfield, Central HS) saved the game through overtime and the penalty kicks.

Bronze Medal Game

Central 1, Coastal 0

Central walked away with the 1-0 victory over Coastal in the bronze medal game that went scoreless through regulation and two five-minute overtime periods. The game ended in the seventh round of penalty kicks, when Rachel Matthew (Hudson, Hudson HS) slid one past Coastal goalkeeper Danielle Devine (West Barnstable, Barnstable HS). Central keeper Jenna Marcello (Hopedale, Hopedale HS) recorded the shutout for Central in the bronze medal victory.
