

Soccer Starts

The men's soccer team, coached by Mr. Tom Caccese, opened their season with an away game September 20 against Altoona. The Highacres team came home with a 3-1 win.

Returning starters this season are Dennis Williams, forward (leading scorer in league last season with a school record of 20 goals), full-backs Chris Bartnick, Gary Johnson, and Kurt Kreisher, half-backs Van Woolcock and Dale Ober, and goalie Dan Weimer.

Other starters who are new to the team this year are forward Demitrius Marinos, wings Todd Klinger and Rudiger Gebhard, and full-back Joe Kovalick.

1975 Soccer Schedule:

Sept. 20 (A)...Altoona, 2:00 Sept. 24 (A)...Mont Alto, 2:00 Sept. 27 (H)...York, 1:00 Oct. 1 (H)....Keystone Jr. College, 4:00 Oct. 4 (A)....Ogontz, 1:00 Oct. 8 (H)....Berks, 3:30 Oct. 15 (A)....Scranton, 4:00 Oct. 18 (H)....Delaware, 1:00 Oct. 22 (A)....Schuylkill, 4:00 Nov. 8 (A)....State Soccer Championship at University Park

B-ball X'ed

The Women's Basketball team will be missing from the Highacres winter sports schedule this year.

This cancellation is partly due to lack of interest. Last year only eight girls came out for the team; from a financial point of view, it was not worth renting a court for practices for these few. Another problem involved the location of practices, which were held in town and were inconvienient for team members who lived in the Residence Hall.

However, with the completion of the new gym next year, the prospects of renewing women's basketball at Highacres seems hopeful. Karate Club by Tony Greco All Invited

A new organization is the subject of much attention at Highacres this fall. The Karate Club, with Mr. Richard Campbell as adviser, operates in conjunction with a karate course offered by the physical education department.

The club is affiliated with a local school and a national organization. Locally, the group is associated with the Sembach Karate School. The main instructor at Sembach is Robert Seamon, who owns a second degree black belt. The national affiliate is the National Karate and Jiu-Jiutsu Union, headed by Richard Baillorgeon, who wears a sixth degree black belt.

Club meetings are held every Wednesday evening from 7:00 to 9:00 PM in the basement of the commons. The physical education class meets every Tuesday and Thursday from 10:00 to 11:55 AM, and members receive both training in karate and one credit. The class is filled; however, new members are welcome to join the club. Spectators are also welcome to drop in any Wednesday night and watch the club in action.

The president of the Karate Club is Bob Kerstetter, with Mike Wirth as vice president. Kerstetter holds a brown belt in Kershin Kahn, while Wirth owns a brown belt in tae Kwan Do.

So far, 60 students have joined the club. Experience is not necessary and anyone from beginner to expert, both male and female, are welcome to join. The cost is \$15.00 per term.

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Jago "Very Hopeful"

volleyball:

by Sharon Rupert

The Women's Volleyball team, coached by Ms. Deidre Jago, will open their season at home on September 27, at 1:00 p.m., against York.

Those selected for this year's team are: Mary Ann Barletta, Ellen Bartleson, Rosemary Ciampi, Kim Davis, Karen Heine, Mary Frances Kakabar, Sue Kinard, Debbie Mattioli, Mary Ritzie, Marce Sos, Jean Spishock, and Gayle Zimmerman.

The team is in the Eastern Division, which includes the Commonwealth Campuses in the eastern part of the state. Home matches will be played at the Highacres tennis courts. On November 8, the Eastern Commonwealth Campus Tournament will be held at Scranton. Those teams finishing in first, second, or third place will receive trophies.

When asked about her thoughts on this year's team, Ms. Jago replied, "I am very hopeful. We had 20 girls try out for the team, and it looks like we have a lot of experience. Of course, a lot of it depends on the skill level of the other campuses, but I have high hopes for a successful season."

1975 Volleyball Schedule

Sept. 27(H)...York 1:00 Sept. 30(H)...Scranton 4:00 Oct. 4 (A)...Ogontz 1:00 Oct. 9 (A)...Delaware 3:00 Oct. 14 (A)...Sckuylkill 4:00 Oct. 18 (H)...Delaware 1:30 Oct. 20 (A)...York 4:00 Oct. 27 (A)...Scranton 4:00 Nov. 8 (A)...Eastern Commonwealth Campus Tournament at Scranton.

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