

Ramalho, GLT set for battle with ST

The Lowell Sun
Lowell Sun

Article Last Updated: 10/23/2007 11:38:44 AM EDT

Sophomore midfielder Casey Ramalho pocketed her 9th goal of the season with 18 minutes to play, lifting the undefeated Greater Lowell Tech girls soccer team past visiting Minuteman Tech of Lexington, 1-0, in Commonwealth Athletic Conference play yesterday.

Girls soccer

The win gives the Gryphons a 13-0-3 overall mark and 10-0-3 CAC record heading into today's conference showdown with Shawsheen Tech in Tyngsboro.

Greater Lowell 1

Minuteman 0

Ramalho controlled a left-side crossing pass from Cassandra daSilva off her body, dropping the ball and one-timing a hard shot into the net for the CAC leaders. The assist was also daSilva's team-high 20th overall point.

GLT freshman keeper Amanda Pang made 4 saves on the way to her 4th shutout and the team's 5th overall.

Also playing well were midfielders Chantel Garcia and Sara Sequiera, sweeper Megan Loiselle and defender Amanda Sullivan. Today is the third meeting between GLT and Shawsheen, the first game a 5-5 tie and the second a 2-1 Gryphons win.

Acton-Boxboro 1

Concord-Carlisle 0

Junior forward Ceci Jensen notched her 7th goal and 12th point 3 minutes into the game, and the nationally-ranked Colonials made it stand up for the DCL victory.

Kristen Gargiulo set up the tally, keeper Carley Cesare made 5 saves for the team's 13th shutout in 16 games (only 3 goals allowed), and outside fullback Monica Jensen was a defensive standout.

Bishop Fenwick 6

Lowell 0

The Red Raiders (9-7-1) ran into a buzzsaw in the form of non-league host Fenwick of Peabody.

Busy LHS keeper Rachel Henry finished with 10 saves, while forward Tina Tobin, midfielder Victoria Harvey and defender Maggie Crowe played hard.

Westford 5

Wayland 0

Kasia Zak and Alexa St. Martin had a goal and assist apiece, while Jocelyn Veilleux, Christine Mathai and Nicole Raine scored 1 goal each for Westford Academy (12-2-2, 3-2-2 DCL Large).

Jennifer Larrick added an assist. Keeper A.J. Millet made 8 saves for her 6th shutout. Megan Hunter and Jessica Royal were fixtures on defense.

Nazareth 4

Lowell Catholic 1

Megan Saffie scored Lowell Catholic's goal with an assist from Jillian Saffie.

Jillian Saffie made 12 saves in goal for the Crusaders (6-10). Abby Murphy, Nicole Mercier and Alyssa Otero had