

SPORT SHORTS

All-state girls hoop teams tab Buntich, Shackelford

ROCHESTER — Our Lady of Mercy point guard Julie Buntich, who was the catalyst in leading the Monarchs to the state semifinals last March, was recently named a third-team member of the Class A all-state team.

The 5-foot-7 senior averaged 23 points and six rebounds for Kathy Boughton's Monarchs, who finished the season at 24-2 and won their fourth sectional title in six years.

Another Catholic high school player, junior Marisa Shackelford of Cardinal Mooney, was tabbed to the Class B fifth-team.

McQ, AQ players honored

Three diocesan high school boys basketball players were recently named to all-state basketball teams by the New York State Sports Writers Association.

In Class A, McQuaid's Drew Henderson was named to the fourth team. Among selections to the Class B team were Aquinas' Paul Kucewicz (fourth team) and Alcindor Coleman (10th team).

Volunteers needed to help officiate games for disabled

Volunteers are needed to help officiate softball and soccer games for the Community Sports League, a cooperative program of eight agencies serving disabled adults.

The softball season runs from June 5 to August 21, with games on consecutive Mondays, and the soccer season, with games on Thursday evenings, runs from June 1 to July 27. All games, which begin at 6:45 p.m. and finish at 8:30 p.m., will be played at the Monroe Developmental Center, 620 Westfall Rd., Rochester.

No experience or special knowledge of either sport is necessary. The league operates under adapted rules. Group-home staff members will supervise participants while volunteers officiate games.

Call William Smouse at 716/458-7994 for information.

Golf tournament to benefit cystic fibrosis research

The Rochester Chapter, Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, has announced that a charity golf tournament to benefit cystic fibrosis research will take place Tuesday, May 23, at Eagle Vale Country Club, Nine Mile Point Road, Fairport.

The format for the first-ever "Breath of Life Classic" will be coed, and will feature a shot-gun start/five-person scramble, beginning at 1 p.m.

A \$150 donation to cystic fibrosis research is required to play in the tournament.

In addition, a \$100 donation will purchase a hole sponsorship. A \$225 donation will include both a round of golf and hole sponsorship.

Information on registration for the event can be obtained at the Eagle Vale clubhouse or by calling 716/546-5890.

Softball marathon planned

The third annual Genesee Beer/Easter Seal softball marathon is scheduled for June 17 and 18 at Cobbs Hill Park in Rochester.

More than 75 teams — consisting of all men, all women or mixed — are expected to come out for the tournament. All funds raised by the two days of friendly competition will benefit the disabled of the Monroe County area.

Teams are invited to pre-register now. Call 716/232-2540 for information.

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Kearney defenseman Craig Chodak (19) attempts to keep a Pittsford attacker away from the Kings' goal during Pittsford's 10-7 win last Friday, May 5.

Kings seeking to gain back winning ways

By Richard A. Kiley
Staff writer

Two weeks ago, Webster used a four-goal third quarter to hold off a stubborn Bishop Kearney lacrosse team, 7-6. Last Saturday, May 6, the Warriors waited until the fourth quarter to set down the Kings.

Webster (7-5) outscored visiting Kearney 5-1 in the final quarter — with three of the goals coming on man-up situations — to win the non-league game, 10-4, under the lights.

The loss was the third in a row for Kearney (6-5), which fell to Pittsford, 10-7, on Friday, May 5.

Much like their first meeting with Webster back on April 29, the Kings hurt themselves with penalties. In all, five of the Warriors' 10 goals last Saturday came while Kearney was a man-down. Webster scored five of its seven goals while a man-up in the first game between the two teams.

The penalties allowed the Warriors, who beat highly touted Penfield 4-3 earlier in the week, to break open what was a tight game. The score was 1-1 after one quarter, 2-2 at the half and 5-3 in favor of Webster going into the fourth quarter.

"They got us for two trips (tripping penalties) and one unsportsmanlike conduct in the fourth quarter," said Kearney head coach Jim Burns. "We talked to the kids

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teams. That will undoubtedly change after 7-2 losses to both Corning West and Hornell (ranked No. 15 in Class B).

Against visiting Corning West on Thursday, May 4, the Crusaders' sloppy defense led to a four-run fifth inning for CW and a 7-2 loss. McMail scattered five hits, struck out seven and walked two for ND.

McMail scored Heather Leljedal on a double in the sixth inning, and later scored on a fielder's choice to provide ND's only offense.

McMail was once again the victim of shabby defense by her teammates in a 7-2 loss to Hornell on Wednesday, May 3. The Crusaders committed nine errors for the game.

McMail had six strikeouts and allowed seven hits and one walk for ND.

Notre Dame got single runs in the third and fifth innings. Kelly Fitzgerald began the third inning with a bloop single, and moved over to third base on a passed ball and a steal. She scored on a single by Melanie Crisco.

Crisco led off the fifth inning with a triple and scored on a double by Mary Valente.

Despite the losses to Corning West and Hornell, Elmira ND continues to remain in the thick of things for the Sullivan Trail Conference title. The Crusaders, who were one-game back in the tightly contested race at the beginning of the week, have remaining league games against Horseheads, Corning East, Southside, Corning West and Hornell. Three of the five league games are away from home.



Jon Hand (16) cuts through a trio of Pittsford defensemen. Despite Hand's four goals, Kearney lost.

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