

Sioux City West 1, D-S boys soccer 0 (OT)
D-S falls to 2-1 this season

Stats:

Shots:	SC West 32, D-S 6
Shots on goal:	SC West 16, D-S 4
Saves:	Yahir Zavala had 14 saves in goal, Jeffery Menendez had a non-keeper save as a defender
Corner kicks:	D-S 4, SC West 3
Free kicks:	SC West 17, D-S 9
Penalty kicks:	SC West 2, D-S 0

Sioux City West scored the only goal of the match with 1:18 remaining in the 1st OT. The goal was scored on a penalty kick following a foul from behind, inside the box, on the Monarch defense.

Comments from Coach Trevino: "Sioux City West has a fantastic team and they are definitely going to be one of the toughest teams we play this season. We really struggled to maintain possession and probably only controlled possession for 15-20% of the match. We did a good job, for the most part, defending their attacks and making their shots as tough as possible. We are very fortunate we didn't lose 3 or 4 to nothing, as West hit the post at least 3 times, including their 1st penalty kick. Yahir had an outstanding game in goal for us. Tonight was his 1st opportunity to face a lot of shots and he was up to the challenge. We also had a big defender save by Jeffery on a shot that would have gone in. West pointed out some things to us that we need to improve on. It's up to the guys to make those improvements. They caught us chasing the ball on defense and not marking up, so they just passed the ball around and wore us out. West beat us to some 50/50 balls as we waited for the ball to come to us while they went to the ball. We had 2 trips in the box, leading to penalty kicks. We need to understand smart players will go down whenever there's contact from behind or on a slide tackle in the box. We need to be smarter in those situations and not do those things. The players were saying their game winning penalty kick was the result of the officials not calling a ball out of bounds on the far sideline. West's player kept going while our players stopped, so we were put in a position to try to catch him from behind. If the ball is out of bounds, we need to pick it up and throw it in instead of stop playing. All of those things are able to be corrected, we just need to remember them and make those corrections".