

D-S and Lo-Ma tied 0--0  
D-S record is now 4-2-1

Shots:	D-S 18, Lo-Ma 4
Shots on goal:	D-S 11, Lo-Ma 4
Saves:	Sam Chandler had 4 saves in goal for the Lady Monarchs

Comments by Coach Eller: "We did a lot of things well, but unfortunately that didn't lead to any goals for us. We controlled possession, using the entire field, and created some good shots. We got back and stopped all of Lo-Ma's counters, most of the time not even allowing a shot when they attacked. They had a sequence where they had 3 consecutive corner kicks, and we defended all of those very well, eventually clearing the ball. Lo-Ma has a solid team with speed in most positions. We had at least 3 really good passes that led to breakaway opportunities for a 1 on 1 vs. their goalkeeper, but every time Lo-Ma's defense out sprinted our forwards and cut them off before we could get a shot off. Lo-Ma is a very well coached team who is connected defensively and they make it tough to get the ball into the middle of the field inside of 35 yards. Their goalkeeper had a tremendous game with a handful of very impressive saves on some shots with a lot of velocity by our players. We had some attempted receiving passes get away from us as it was our first game on a grass field and the ball just simply doesn't roll as smoothly on grass as it does on turf. We did a great job creating shots with switches and drops, but their goalkeeper stopped everything and caught the shots clean with no rebounds or deflections, so we weren't able to get any 2nd chance shots on goal. This was a soccer game between 2 teams who both play really good defense and make it tough for the other team to score. It was evident early on that 1 goal was all it would take for either team to win this game. With the new rule this year that games can end in a tie, there was no overtime or penalty kick shootouts".