

Denison 2, Missouri Valley 0
Denison improves to 5-10 this season

Shots: Denison 25, Missouri Valley 10
Shots on goal: Denison 20, Missouri Valley 6
Saves: Leigha Brungardt had 3 saves in goal, Amy Estrada had 2 saves in goal and Gloria Diaz had 1 non-keeper save for the Lady Monarchs.
Halftime score: Denison 1, Missouri Valley 0

Goals: 1) Bailey Gibbons scored her 4th goal of the season, assisted by Magaly Villa (3rd assist of season) with 15:58 remaining in the 1st half. Whitlee Auen attacked off the dribble countering a Missouri Valley possession. Auen passed the ball to Villa on the right wing. Villa passed the ball across to Gibbons running the middle of the goal. Gibbons finished the shot from 10 yards out in a 1 on 1 vs. their goalkeeper.

2) Aremy Santos scored her 1st goal of the season, assisted by Leigha Brungardt (2nd assist of season) with 11:02 remaining in the match. Magaly Villa took a corner kick from the left corner and centered the ball into the box where Brungardt received the kick at the near post and centered the ball to Santos who finished from 8 yards out just under the crossbar.

Comments by Coach Eller: "We created multiple good scoring chances with some good passing and putting some pressure on their defenders. Missouri Valley's goalkeeper had a very good game with some tough saves and we shot several 1 on 1 shots right at their goalkeeper. Overall, we did a pretty good job of possessing the ball with some controlled passes instead of just kicking the ball as hard as we can and trying to chase it. Defensively, we did a great job of taking away any close shot opportunities for Missouri Valley. We marked up well and communicated well to limit their scoring opportunities. It was a good team win as we got a lot of girls into the game with the hot weather and we used 2 goalkeepers".