

D-S JV boys soccer 2, Sergeant Bluff-Luton 0
D-S improves to 11-1 this season

Shots: D-S 20, SB-L 5
Shots on goal: D-S 12, SB-L 1
Saves: Christopher Magana had 1 save in goal for the Monarchs.
Corner kicks: D-S 3, SB-L 0
Fouls: D-S 3, SB-L 7
Off sides: D-S 0, SB-L 1

Goals: 1) Joao Lima scored his 1st goal of the season with 35 seconds remaining in the 1st half. Lima took a corner kick from the left corner and put the kick to the back post. A SB-L defender was unable to head the ball out and the ball skimmed off his head into the goal.

2) Manuel Leanos scored his 5th goal of the season with 16:40 remaining in the match, assisted by Joao Lima (1st assist). Lima passed the ball from the right wing to Leanos in the middle of the field. Leanos hit the shot from 15 yards out while being knocked to the ground by a SB-L defender.

Comments by Coach Eller: "We were very short handed tonight due to a track meet, St. Rose confirmation, driver's ed., 1 player replacing an absent varsity starter and 1 player having to stay home to watch his brothers. We were missing 8 players out of our rotation, so I really didn't know what to expect in this game. Everybody that played did a solid job. We passed the ball very well and created some really good scoring chances. SB-L had a couple defender saves on our shots on goal, so it really could have been a bigger margin. Manuel's goal was like an "and-1" in basketball. He got knocked to the ground from the side as he shot. I think we would have gotten to take a penalty kick if the shot didn't go in. Manuel's goal was really impressive. Joao has been putting some corner kicks in really good spots the last few games that we hadn't converted yet, so it was nice to see him get rewarded with a goal for another great corner kick. Our defense and midfield played very well and really limited their shots in the middle of the field. The shots that SB-L got to take were from wide angles where the chance to score really slims down. All of their shots from those wide angles were wide of the post".