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MARTIN LUTHER COLLEGE

Softball Wins Six Straight at Home

The softball team enters Wednesday's games against North Central on a six-game winning streak following doubleheader sweeps of Crown, Northland and Minnesota Morris this week.

Senior **Brett Burger** (*Lakeside*) has come up big during the stretch, winning UMAC Player of the Week honors after hitting .526 at the plate and going 5-0 with one save on the mound over the six games.

The Knights have had a pair of dramatic finishes, as **Emma Mindock** (*FVL*) hit a walk-off double to win game two against Northland on Saturday, and **Lisa Hoffer** (*West*) hit a game-ending three-run home run in extra innings on Monday against Minnesota Morris.



Burger throws a strike

Men's Soccer Scores Big Win at UNW



Martin battles for possession

The men's soccer team earned its first win of the spring season by the score of 3-1 at Northwestern-St. Paul on Saturday.

Mark Burger (*MLS*) and **David Martin** (*MLS*) each scored in the first half, while **Lucas Martin** (*LPS*) added a second-half goal to go with a pair of assists.

The Knights entered the game looking for their first win, but were riding the momentum of a 1-1 tie at Minnesota Morris on April 13, followed by a near comeback from a four-goal deficit in a 4-3 defeat to Bethany Lutheran on April 15.

Senior **Josh Higgins** (*Lakeside*) has been steady in goal this season for the Knights and stopped eight of the nine shots he faced against Northwestern-St. Paul.

DeNoyer Sets New Rushing Record

Senior running back **Austin DeNoyer** (*Lakeside*) broke the MLC record for career rushing yards in Sunday's game against Augsburg.

Upcoming Events at MLC

- 4/22 G @MLC Invitational
TN v. Crown
BB @Northwestern
- 4/23 SO v. Northland
TN @Northwestern

DeNoyer entered the day 33 yards shy of the record held by Matt Olson ('16), and ran for 150 yards and two touchdowns on 18 carries to push his career total to 2,837 rushing yards.

DeNoyer also moved into third place in program history with his 32nd career touchdown run, and was named UMAC Offensive Player of the Week.



DeNoyer crosses the goal line