

# MLC SportsPage



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## MLC Football Falls on Last-Second Field Goal

The Knights football team lost a heartbreaker to Greenville last Saturday, 30-27, on a partially blocked field goal with three seconds left. Greenville is the UMAC preseason favorite to win the conference, so the loss was especially hard for the Knights, who launched a valiant attack despite losing their quarterback, **Max Nordlie** (*MLS*), in the second quarter. The Knights, who were tied at the half, extended their lead to 27-13 early in the fourth quarter on a 37-yard scamper by **Rees Roecker** (*LPS*). The Panthers would launch a comeback that polished off the win with the kick. Nordlie led the Knights with 4-4 and 69 yards passing and 88 yards rushing on six attempts. **Zach Arndt** (*SCLA*), **Carson Oestreich** (*Pierce HS-Norfolk NE*), and **Johnathan Slater** (*ELHS*) all scored touchdowns before Roecker's run. **Nathan Golisch** (*LPS*, *pictured*) had an outstanding defensive game with six tackles and two interceptions. The Knights return home to host Crown in another UMAC matchup. Coach Paul Huebner continues to be impressed by his team's playing hard to the very end.



## Women's Soccer Controls NCU in 4-1 Win



The MLC women's soccer team dominated North Central University 4-1 in a UMAC conference matchup in Minneapolis. Four different players scored for the Knights as they controlled the game with solid possessions. **Kaitlin Butler** (*LPS*, *pictured left*), **Hannah Schroeder** (*LPS*, *pictured below*), **Lydia Krenke** (*LLHS*), and **Madeline Walz** (*KMLHS*) all scored for the Knights. Schroeder leads the Knights in scoring this season with five goals and one assist. **Nicole Porter** (*MVLHS*) follows with two goals and four assists. **Grace Sievert** (*RMLHS*) has been outstanding in the goal, with 97 saves, a .789 save percentage, and two shutouts. The Knights, who are 4-5-1 on the year and 2-3 in the UMAC, face two key

matchups this weekend against UM-Morris and Crown. Coach Jeff Schone has been impressed with the Knights' depth as nine different players have scored this season and many have stepped up to fill in for injured players.



### Upcoming Events at MLC

- 10/6-8 M/W Golf @ Pebble Creek GC
- 10/07 VB @ UM-Morris
- 10/08 FB vs. Crown (Homecoming)
- M/W Soccer vs. UM-Morris
- VB @ Crown
- 10/09 MS vs. Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary
- 10/11 VB @ Bethany
- M/W Soccer vs. Bethany