

1973

VARSITY SOCCER

SAINT ANDREW'S SCHOOL

INDEPENDENT CONFERENCE CHAMPIONS

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# 1973 VARSITY SOCCER ROSTER

## SENIORS

Walter Birkholz*	Left Halfback
Henry Hauptfuehrer*	Right Fulback
Henry Koenig*	Left Fulback
Allan Marshall**	Center Forward
Paul Nelson*	Left Wing
Charles Olson	Left Wing
Jeff Petty*	Left Fulback
Jeremiah Sock*	Center Halfback
Greg Moon*	Inside Forward

## JUNIORS

Lars Allfather*	Right Fulback
Bob Amos	Right Halfback
Dwayne Breger*	Inside Forward
Gordon Brownlee*	Rover- Sweeper Back
James Gerrish*	Right Halfback
Bob Greenlee	Right Wing
Sam Goodfellow*	Goalie
Rob Harrington*	Left Wing
Chris Hunt*	Right Wing
Mike Kadick	Rover
Greg Marsh*	Point, Center Halfback
Karl Meyer	Fulback
Ralph Neel*	Inside Forward
Jon Rodgers*	Goalie
Bill Shields*	Point, Right Halfback
Dave Strong	Midfielder

## SOPHOMORES

Tom Washburn*	Left Halfback
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## MANAGERS

Tom McCoy  
Peter Schaeffer

## COACHES

Robert Pasco  
John Moses

\* Lettermen  
\*\* Captain

## GOALS

A. I. duPONT: Marshall 4, Moon 1  
MILFORD: Marshall 3, Sock 2  
MT. PLEASANT: Marshall 2  
WESTTOWN:  
TOWER HILL: Birkholz 2, Moon 2, Marshall 1  
FRIENDS: Marshall 2, Hunt 1  
TATNALL: Marshall 2  
SANFORD: Marshall 2, Birkholz 1, Moon 1  
WESTTOWN: Marshall 1, Moon 1, Neel 1, Nelson 1, Sock 1  
TATNALL: Marshall 3, Breger 1, Hunt 1, Moon 1, Nelson 1, Sock 1  
FRIENDS: Marshall 2, Birkholz 1, Moon 1, Sock 1  
TOWER HILL: Marshall 3, Moon 1, Hunt 1  
SANFORD: Marshall 3, Moon 2, Breger 1

## GOALS - TOTALS

Marshall	28	*
Moon	10	
Sock	5	
Birkholz	4	
Hunt	3	
Breger	2	
Nelson	2	
Neel	1	
	<u>55</u>	

## ASSISTS - TOTALS

Moon	7
Sock	5
Birkholz	4
Marshall	4
Nelson	3
Hunt	2
Gerrish	2
Petty	2
Washburn	1

\* leading scorer in state

## OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCES

A. I. duPONT: Marshall  
MILFORD: Washburn, Sock, Rodgers  
MT. PLEASANT: Hauptfuhrer  
WESTTOWN: Brownlee  
TOWER HILL: Birkholz, Moon  
FRIENDS: Marshall  
TATNALL: Shields  
SANFORD: Hauptfuhrer  
WESTTOWN: Shields  
TATNALL: Marshall  
FRIENDS: Moon  
TOWER HILL: Moon  
SANFORD: Marshall, Moon

## ALL-CONFERENCE SELECTIONS

FIRST TEAM: Allan Marshall, Jerry Sock, Greg Moon, Gordon Brownlee  
SECOND TEAM: Walter Birkholz, Henry Hauptfuhrer, Chris Hunt

## ALL-STATE SELECTIONS

FIRST TEAM: ALLAN MARSHALL, JERRY SOCK  
HONORABLE MENTION: Greg Moon, Walter Birkholz, Gordon Brownlee

ALUMNI SOCIETY MOST VALUABLE PLAYER AWARD: ALLAN MARSHALL

PRE-SEASON

	CHRISTIANA	2	SAS	3
	DICKINSON	1	SAS	7
	CAESAR RODNEY	1	SAS	9
		<u>4</u>		<u>19</u>
9/28	A. I. duPONT	1	SAS	5
10/2	MILFORD	0	SAS	5
10/6	MT. PLEASANT	0	SAS	2
10/9	WESTTOWN	1	SAS	0
10/12	TOWER HILL	1	SAS	5
10/16	FRIENDS	1	SAS	3
10/19	TATNALL	0	SAS	2
10/23	SANFORD	0	SAS	4
10/27	WESTTOWN	1	SAS	5
10/30	TATNALL	1	SAS	8
11/2	FRIENDS	1	SAS	5
11/6	TOWER HILL	1	SAS	5
11/10	SANFORD	1	SAS	6
		<u>9</u>		<u>55</u>

In non-conference play, Alan Marshall scored three goals and Jeramiah Sock two as St. Andrew's blanked Milford 5-0.

# Dickinson keeps lead in soccer

BLUE HEN CONFERENCE Soccer.

	W	L	T	Pts.
Dickinson	5	1	1	11
Christiana	5	1	0	10
Brandywine	4	1	1	9
Conrad	4	2	0	8
Newark	4	3	0	8
Mt. Pleasant	2	2	2	6
Wm. Penn	2	3	2	6
McKean	1	4	0	2
Delcastle	1	5	0	2
A. I. du Pont	0	6	6	0

There was some juggling for position at the top of the Blue Hen Conference soccer standings yesterday, but Dickinson High stayed in the lead.

Paul Niggebrugge led Dickinson with four goals to topple Alexis I. du Pont 7-0. Bob Crowley, Mark Edwards, and Chuck Krzywicki each scored for Dickinson and Todd Fish tailed on a penalty kick for A.I.

In other games it was Christiana 1, Conrad 0; Brandywine 2, McKean 0; Newark 3, William Penn 2.

Christiana knocked Conrad out of second place with 1-0 victory as J. J. Kelly scored in the first half.

Peppering 48 shots on goal, Brandywine overpowered McKean 2-0. Bulldogs Scott McDonald and Doug Lewing scored midway through the second half. Tom Curran contributed two goals and Sam Hart one to lead Newark over William Penn 3-2. Mike Kraus and Steve McClenachan scored for the Colonials.

In Independent Conference action, league-leading St. Andrew's downed Tatnall 2-0 on two goals by Alan Marshall. Concord blanked Mount Pleasant 2-0 on goals by Pete White and Rick Fortin in a non-conference game.

# Dickinson first in Blue Hen soccer

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Mt. Pleasant	2	2	2	6
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Delcastle	1	5	0	2
A. I. du Pont	0	5	0	0

With defending state champion Concord High ineligible, there is no lack of candidates to succeed it as Blue Hen Conference king—including one team that hasn't had to wait too long.

Dickinson, in only its first year at the sport, moved into first place yesterday, thanks

to a 5-1 triumph over Newark while Brandywine was knocking Conrad from the undefeated list 3-2.

Paul Niggebugger scored three times for Dickinson while Mark Edwards and Bob Crowley added goals in the victory, which gave the Rams nine points, one more than Conrad and Christiana.

Lindsey Walter, John Furlong and Briant Clement connected for Brandywine, which stayed very much in the race with seven points. Joe Sarnecky and Doug Challenger had the Conrad tallies.

Steve McClenaghan scored seven times for William Penn, which routed Delcastle 12-0. Bob Hoisington and Joe Hayes each counted twice while Harold Dempsey had the other goal in the rout. Mount Pleasant edged A. I. du Pont 2-1 with Joe Tanzer and John Berry scoring for the winners, Steve Rawling for the losers.

## St. Andrew's kicks

MIDDLETOWN—Allen Marshall booted two first half goals Saturday as host St. Andrew's School downed Mount Pleasant High 2-0 in non-conference soccer.

Meanwhile, in a game that doesn't count in the standings, Concord pushed its mark to 6-1-1 by topping Christiana 2-1. John Beresiewicz and Kevin Gregory scored for the winners, Joe Hasper for the losers.

In the Independent Conference, two goals by Alan Marshall and one by Chris Hunt led St. Andrew's past Friends 3-1. Jesse Eisenman had the Friends score.

# St. Andrew's near kick crown

INDEPENDENT CONFERENCE

	W	L	T	Pct.
St. Andrew's	7	1	0	.875
Friends	3	2	2	.600
Tower Hill	3	2	3	.600
Tatnall	2	4	2	.333
Sanford	1	3	2	.250
Westtown	1	5	1	.167

St. Andrew's School moved closer to the Independent Conference soccer title by crushing its closest rival,

Friends, 6-1 yesterday.

The victory gave St. Andrew's a 7-1 conference record and a 19-1 mark overall. Allan Marshall scored two of the goals, giving him 22 for the season. Jerry Sock, Walter Birkholz and Greg Moon added the others.

John Davis scored three times for Tower Hill, which blanked Westtown 6-0. Tom Johnson, Jay Stewart and Rick Cates also counted for the Hillers.

Alexis I. du Pont salvaged something from a winless Blue

Hen Conference season by tying McKean 1-1 in its final league game. Reynolds Dods scored for A. I.

In non-conference play, Conrad deadlocked Upper Merion, Pa., 2-2 with Bill Greigs and Doug Challenger scoring for Conrad.

# St. Andrew's Soccer Has Global Touch

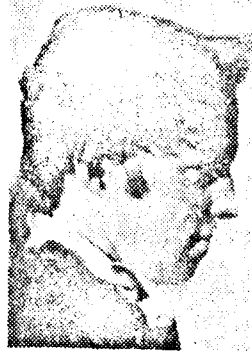
By ELLS EDWARDS

Special to The Inquirer

You'll just have to forgive St. Andrew's soccer coach Robb Pasco. Every now and then he busts out whistling a few bars of the old Harlem Globetrotters' theme song, "Sweet Georgia Brown," and the reverberations can be heard on just about every schoolboy soccer field in New Castle County.

Pasco's stable of globetrotters, the soccer-playing variety, has rolled up enough victories this year to trigger a wave of xenophobia in state soccer circles.

Well, not really, but the St. Andrew's booters, led by foreign-born students from West Germany, Bermuda and Gambia, West Africa, has conquered every Delaware team in sight, swept the Independent Conference title, and figures to win the state soccer tournament two weeks hence if invited. Indeed, only a wafer-thin 1-0 loss to West-



ROBERT PASCO

... still whistling

town (Pa.) Friends mars the Saints' 11-game record this year.

Before you start hollering about immigration quotas, it should be explained that Pasco, now in his first year at the Middletown prep school, doesn't have a global recruiting program. He simply inherited a world of talent.

Saints' leading scorer Allan Marshall (22 goals), whose dad is a Bermuda taxi driver, came here in 1972 because

his former headmaster wrote about Allan in a letter to an old friend who happens to be St. Andrew's registrar. Honest.

As an amateur player back home Allan represented Bermuda in a 1970 Havana soccer tournament, traveled to Europe on a soccer tour the same year and was selected the island's most valuable junior league player. Last season he had 30 goals in 12 games.

Marshal, a center-fielder, "can dribble around everybody, but he's been bothered with a bad knee, so he doesn't move to the ball unless we need him" Pasco explained. "He was also kicking for our football team but I made him cut that out."

Jeremiah Sock a center-half or midfielder came to St. Andrew's from Gambia under a student exchange program sponsored by Suffield Academy. The son of a retired African civil servant,



WALTER BIRKHOLZ

... in dad's footsteps

Sock, at 18, is described as "one of the leading amateur players in the world for his age" by Pasco. Sock, hampered by an ankle injury, sat out three weeks earlier in the season. He is a two-year member of Gambia's National Side (team).

Walt Birkholtz, an exchange student from West Germany, follows in the footsteps of his late father, who was a 1939 St. Andrew's grad-

uate. Walt will return to finish high school in Germany next fall.

Sock and Marshall, however, plan to attend college here after graduation. If possible, they'd like to be playing soccer together next fall.

Marshall, who played on Bermuda's junior Olympic team at Munich, leans toward the University of Pennsylvania.

"I'm concentrating on Ivy League schools and also Duke and University of Virginia," he said.

"They'll both need financial help, but some college would be lucky to get them," Pasco said.

Delaware's high school tournament, incidentally, has been rescheduled for Nov. 13-15 under the lights at Baynard Stadium.

In his clipped British accent Sock said St. Andrew's, if invited, "will come out the champions."

# St. Andrew's Kickers Win

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Westtown	1	5	1	.167

St. Andrew's School moved closer to the Independent Conference soccer title by crushing its closest rival, Friends, 5-1 yesterday.

The victory gave St. Andrew's a 7-1 conference record and a 10-1 mark overall. Allan Marshall scored two of the goals, giving him 22 for the season. Jerry Sock, Walter Birkholz and Greg Moon added the others.

John Davis scored three times for Tower Hill, which blanked Westtown 6-0. Tom Johnson, Jay Stewart and Rick Cates also counted for the Hillers.

# Soccer Victory To St. Andrew's

Revenge-minded St. Andrew's defeated host Westtown Friends, 5-1 in soccer Saturday to remain on top in the Independent Conference with a 6-1 record. Westtown had beaten St. Andrew's 1-0, earlier this season.

Five players hit the scoring column for the visitors, including first-half goals by Alan Marshall, Gregg Moon and Jeremiah Sock. St. Andrew's got second-half goals from reserves Paul Nelson and Ralph Neel.

St. Andrew's faces Friends Friday for the Independent Conference title and a possible berth in Delaware's post-season soccer tournament.

# Soccer tourney for St. Andrew's

MIDDLETOWN—St. Andrew's School will compete in the Delaware High School Soccer Tournament, if invited.

That announcement was made yesterday after St. Andrew's 7-1, downed Sanford 4-0 in an Independent Conference game.

Allan Marshall scored two goals, and Greg Moon and Walter Birkholz added one each for St. Andrew's. Goalie John Rogers recorded his

fourth shutout.

In another league game, Tower Hill and Tatnall battled to a 1-1 deadlock. John Davis tallied for Tower Hill in the last four minutes of the game to offset a goal, in the first seven minutes, by Mike Jordan.

The Friends varsity played to a 2-2 tie with the Westtown (Pa.) jayvees. John Pennock and Jeff Harper scored for Friends.

## St. Andrew's clinches loop soccer crown

### INDEPENDENT CONFERENCE

	W	L	T	Pts.
*St. Andrew's	8	1	0	16
Friends	4	2	2	10
Tower Hill	3	3	3	9
Tatnall	2	4	2	6
Sanford	1	4	2	4
Westtown	1	5	1	3

Allan Marshall scored three goals and St. Andrew's School clinched the Independent Conference soccer championship with a 5-1 victory over Tower Hill yesterday.

Greg Moon, who assisted on all the Marshall goals, added one of his own as did Chris Hunt while Tom Johnson collected the lone Tower Hill tally. For St. Andrew's, it was its eighth conference victory in nine games.

Friends downed Sanford 5-1 in another Independent game as Jeff Harper, Tom Dew, Hilar d Weinstock, Richard Horwitz and Jesse Eisenman all counted for the winners.

Shutouts were the thing in non-conference play. Don Zebly recorded his ninth such of the season as Concord defeated Milford 2-0. Luis Sierra and Rick Fortin scored the goals.

Greg Tipping scored his seventh shutout as Brandywine edged Westtown 1-0, Lindsey Walter collected the only goal.

## fumbles/ errors

Yesterday's Morning News erroneously reported St. Andrew's School would compete in the Delaware High School Soccer Tournament if invited.

Athletic Director Dennis Madigan indicated the Independent Conference signed a pact with the Delaware Secondary Schools Athletic Association to compete in post-season competition, with each school's headmaster having the option to accept or reject invitations.

"You can see," he said, "it was a misinterpretation. It will be up to our headmaster (Robert Moss) if we compete."

## Dickinson keeps lead in soccer

Dickinson High, Christiana, Brandywine, and Conrad all won yesterday to retain their 1-2-3-4 standing in Blue Hen Conference soccer.

Dickinson defeated William Penn 5-2 as Paul Niggebrugge scored two goals for the Rams, who remain one point ahead of second-place Christiana.

Christiana downed McKean 2-0 as goalie Carl Lupton made eight saves to preserve his shutout. J. D. Kelly and Mike Clark scored for the Vikings.

Greg Tipping recorded his sixth shutout for Brandywine, a 3-0 winner over Delcastle. Brandywine, which outshot Delcastle 52-4, got goals from Lindsey Walton, Charlie West, and Dave Keffer.

Conrad defeated Mount Pleasant 3-2 on goals by Eddie Schmidt, Billy Greggs, and Eric Burton. Gregg Grimaldi and John Berry scored in the second half for Mount Pleasant, down 3-0 at halftime.

## Cards use Marshall Plan to rout Tatnall

### INDEPENDENT CONFERENCE Soccer

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Tower Hill	2	2	3	7
Tatnall	2	4	1	5
Sanford	1	3	1	3
Westtown	1	3	1	3

Allen Marshall, who scored 30 goals in an All-State season last year, upped his total to 20 with three yesterday as St. Andrew's School routed Tatnall 8-1 in Independent Conference soccer.

Tower Hill, using goals by John Maroney, John Davis and Todd Tyson, whipped non-league foe Abington Friends 3-1.

# SPORTS

## St. Andrew's Wins

Allan Marshall booted three goals to lead St. Andrew's School past Sanford 6-1 Saturday in Independent Conference soccer. The victory completed St. Andrew's season at 12-1.

## St. Andrew's Places 4 on 'All' Soccer

Champion St. Andrew's School dominated the selections on the All-Independent Conference soccer team selected by the coaches yesterday.

Allan Marshall, Jerry Sock, Greg Moon, and Gordon Brownlee of St. Andrew's were all named to the first team while Walter Birkholz, Chris Hunt and Henry Hauptfuhrer were chosen to the second.

Other first team members included goalie Mike Wenof of Sanford, Jon Pennock and Jack Hewslett of Friends, Todd Tyson and Davie Larsen of Tower Hill, John Levinson of Tatnall and Craig Pickard of Westtown.

Also named to the second team were goalie Philip Herrmann and Eric Sundin of Tatnall, Tony Williams of Westtown, John Davis and Jon Saunders of Tower Hill, and Tom Dew, Jeff Harper and Dan Troyan of Friends.

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*Once Over Lightly*

## The DSSAA Criticized

By Hal Bodley  
Sports Editor

Cleaning out the mailbag:

Roderick Stanard, a career education teacher in the De La Warr School District, joins many other Delawareans in complaining about the omission of St. Andrew's School from the just-completed soccer tournament.

Writes Stoddard:

"As it presently functions, the so-called State Soccer Tournament is a farce, and the Delaware Secondary School Athletic Association selection committee should be recognized for the fraud which it is perpetrating on so many unknowing sports fans.

"These 'championships' are nothing more than an invitational tourney, and should be advertised as such.

"With absolutely no malice toward the fine teams involved, or to the schools for which they competed, I publicly deplore the closed-club backroom politics presently in sway in the DSSAA.

"I question the motives, integrity and judgment exercised by the selection committee, and publicly ask how St. Andrew's School, undefeated in state play, and a 5-0 victor over Milford, a tourney finalist, can be bypassed, overlooked, or even ignored. The selection committee deprives the fans from viewing one of the finest schoolboy teams ever assembled in Delaware.

"In addition to their victory over Milford, the Saints defeated Christiana, the other finalist, 3-2 in preseason play.

"It is a shame that no matter who emerged as victor in this year's tourney, a large group of knowledgeable soccer fans are aware that a question, like a dark cloud, remains as to who is really the best team. I am sure that the Milford and Christiana teams would have relished a chance to play St. Andrew's again.

"Does the DSSAA run an NCAA or NBA championship and exclude UCLA or the Celtics?"

"If the situation of bias in the DSSAA continues, isn't it interesting to ponder what may happen to the Sallies, St. Marks, et al in future tournaments. They also are private schools. If bias is not the case, why the obvious and deliberate slap at St. Andrew's? They took all the required steps in order to participate, including having an outstanding season.

"Soccer is emerging in this country as a major sport. It is followed throughout the world as the No. 1 sport and draws by far the greatest numbers of fans.

"The DSSAA should realize that there are increasing numbers of fans who expect it to run a soccer championship, involving the best teams in our state.

"Anyone can run an invitational tourney."

It has been mentioned on these pages frequently the last few days that it was unfair for St. Andrew's to have been excluded from the tournament. The selection committee's reasoning is legitimate, although fragile and certainly open for second guessing.



# No soccer tourney for St. Andrew's?



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A hoax.

That's what Bob Pasco labels the state scholastic soccer tournament. It opens Tuesday night at Baynard Stadium with a semifinals doubleheader that includes three teams from the Blue Hen Conference.

The St. Andrew's School coach was in an angry mood as he discussed the by-passing of his team, which clinched the championship of the Independent Conference (8-1), is 11-1 overall, has an eight-game winning streak, and closes its season today, against Sanford, at home.

"We're the only undefeated team (against in-state competition) in Delaware," said Pasco, a Richmond, Va., native, in his first year at the Middletown school. "I believe we have scored the most goals (49) and allowed the least (8) of any team in the state. We haven't allowed more than one goal in any game. And we don't get picked for the tournament!"

"I'm totally flabbergasted. I'm still in a state of shock. I just can't believe it. Neither can the players or the student body. I think we got passed over on pure politics of the Blue Hen coaches. The state soccer tournament committee is made up of public school people. The Independent Conference has no representation."

Dennis Madigan, St. Andrew's athletic director, added: "Needless to say, there's turmoil on our campus today."

## Comparisons favorable

Jay Widdoes of Concord High, chairman of the state tournament committee, explained his committee felt "St. Andrew's schedule didn't meet the competitive level of the (three) teams involved in the Blue Hen playoffs."

Poppycock is what Coach Pasco replied, only in stronger language.

"We defeated two Blue Hen teams, Alexis I. du Pont (5-1) in our opener and Mount Pleasant (2-0). Brandywine beat Mount Pleasant by only 4-2 and Conrad by 3-2. So by comparative scores, we're better.

"We also defeated Milford 5-0 in the rain, at their place, and Milford is in the state tournament.

"Our kids feel they're the best in the state and they're being deprived of the opportunity to show it in the tournament."

Pasco, 26, a Williams College graduate who coached and taught at Episcopal High in Jacksonville, Fla., last season, isn't buying any of that stuff about the committee not knowing the Independent Conference was interested in competing.

"The committee was informed last spring that Independent Conference schools are interested, depending on the decisions of the respective headmasters, who had to take scheduling into consideration. The committee then said it would do away with the Independent berth and use an open berth.

"It just doesn't make sense to give three of the tournament berths to Blue Hen teams."

Widdoes concurred that for the first three years of the tournament the Independent Conference was written into the brackets, but the conference didn't choose to enter. So the Independent berth was done away with.

## Blue Hen re-run

"But this had no bearing whatsoever in selecting the teams this year," Widdoes quickly added.

Pasco feels this isn't really a true state tournament, but a Blue Hen re-run.

"We have the best talent in the state," he emphasized.

The Saints' roster has a strong foreign flavor.

Allan Marshall, All-State center-forward last year when he led the state in scoring with 30 goals and has 25 this year, is from Bermuda, where his dad drives a taxi.

Jerry Sock is from West Africa, where he was on the Gambian national team for two years before coming to St. Andrew's.

Walter Birkholtz, 17, a one-year exchange student, is from West Germany. "His dad graduated from St. Andrew's in 1939 and he wanted his son to come here," explained Pasco. "His dad was killed in an auto accident last August. The Sock boy was assigned to us by the ASSIST program, which is run by the headmaster of Suffield Academy, Conn. We didn't know he was coming here until the middle of August."

By this time, Pasco had no appetite for the steak that was broiling in the oven at Madigan's apartment where the interviewing was taking place. The steak was medium rare, but Pasco was "well done" and still broiling.

At St. Andrew's next week, they may just start wearing black mourning bands on their sleeves to protest what they feel is a miscarriage of justice.

Meanwhile, at Baynard Stadium . . .

# The Real Reason St. A

By ELLS EDWARDS

Special to The Inquirer

In this, the era of Watergate, hypocritical flag-waving by officials who turn out to be criminals, and flagrant conflicts of interest, sometimes it's hard for kids to understand.

One of the places a kid can still turn when the world outside is spinning, screeching on its axis, is to athletics, that corner of existence where ideals remain untarnished, where the win-at-any-price boys haven't been able to spin their slimy web. But when the lengthening shadow of the times falls over even high school athletics, where are the kids going to turn?

A lot of kids, and some of their parents, were wondering this week — wondering why St. Andrew's (13-1), the state's only undefeated (against in-state competition) soccer team suddenly found itself uninvited to the state tournament.

"The committee felt that the level of competition that they play against isn't on the same level with the Blue Hen Conference," said Jay Widdoes, state soccer committee chairman. Widdoes said that St. Andrew's only shot at the four-team tourney was to be picked for the at-large berth. The first two Blue Hen finishers and the top downstate team are automatically invited.

Bob Landis, Mount Pleasant High soccer coach and committee member, said that because the Blue Hen league was knotted in a three-way tie (among Brandywine, Conrad and Dickinson) for second place when the committee met to consider an at-large choice, it was decided that the third-place Blue Hen team would be the at-large pick.

"We felt that St. Andrew's was not a competitive team," Landis said.

Funny how a man whose Blue Hen team was shut out 2-0 by St. Andrew's could say they were not "competitive." And odd that the Middletown school had trounced A. I. du Pont; had beaten both Dickin-

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son (the at-large selection) and Christiana (tournament champ) in pre-season scrimmages and had blanked downstate selection Milford, 5-0.

Ah, surely there must be another reason or two why St. Andrew's wasn't in the tournament.

"Well, the biggest thing that hindered their selection was all the things that happened in the past," Landis conceded.

St. Andrews, you see, plays in the Independent Conference, which had turned down

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automatic invitations to play in the state's first three soccer tournaments. So last fall, the committee wrote them off.

This past spring, however, the independent schools decided to play.

"We really felt our champion would be chosen (for the tournament), particularly if it's a tremendous team," said Jim Coulter, soccer coach at Westtown (Pa.) Friends, which defeated St. Andrew's, 1-0.

But one committee member blurted out the real reason why St. Andrew's wasn't in-

vited.

"The independents' decision to play this fall was initiated by St. Andrews," he said, the rancor rising, crowding the words from his throat, "because of the superb talent they brought in for soccer."

So there it was — the real nitty gritty. Of course, St. Andrew's had the talent. People like foreign-born Allan Marshall and Jerry Sock. And all those platitudes about not being "competitive" were suddenly inoperative.

But why should the 12-member committee hide the real reasons for not inviting perhaps the state's best soccer talent?

Well, let's take a look at the committee. Ron Gilbert

coaches soccer at Brandywine High, one of three schools that stood to benefit from the committee's decision to take the third-place Blue Hen team as the at-large selection, remember? Ned Landis coaches at Conrad High, another of the schools involved in the league's three-way tie for second place when the selection was made.

James Robinson and Ken Horn both coach at junior high schools that serve as feeders for schools involved in the decision. Jay Widdoes, the chairman, formerly taught and coached at Brandywine and still teaches in the same school district.

You'd like to think that

these men made an objective decision. You'd like to believe them when they tell you St. Andrew's isn't "competitive." But you have to wonder.

You have to wonder how the kids at St. Andrew's feel. You have to wonder what's going through the minds of the kids who played in the tournament, knowing that maybe, just maybe, they'd been given something they didn't earn.

And you have to wonder with Milford High coach Robert Mitchell how long it will take Delaware schoolboy soccer to recover.

"This whole thing hasn't helped soccer," he said. "It's a sorry mess."



By Matt Zabitka

# State Soccer Lures Collegiate Recruiter

Bill Muse in his Dutch boy hair-do and sporty attire, looked like a college freshman. Okay, maybe a sophomore, certainly no older than a junior.

Muse, head soccer coach at Princeton, came to Wilmington recently, specifically to catch the semifinals of the fourth annual Delaware Interscholastic Soccer Tournament at Baynard Stadium.

He sat through the entire two games, watching Christiana rip Dickinson 4-2 in the opener and Milford upset Brandywine 2-1 in the night-cap.

Pleasure trip? , he was asked.

"Recruiting," he smiled. "This is the first time that Princeton is going out recruiting high school soccer players."

Muse said the first time he came to Delaware to recruit was four years ago, when he was in his first of three years as an assistant coach at Hartwick. At that time he tapped Jeff Marshall, who climaxed at outstanding career as a booter at Hartwick this year.

Asked what difference he saw in state school boy soccer here, from his first visit four years ago compared to now, he replied:

"Comparing Delaware soccer with that of soccer in other states — and I've seen at least 25 high school games this year — I'd say Delaware still has a long, long way to go with their talent. But I have noticed big strides have been made."

Of the tourney semifinals he saw here, he made these observations:

- "Christiana and Brandywine looked like they're well-coached."
- "I liked the way Christiana took the ball to the goal, but Dickinson gave (J.D.) Kelly too much space to work in."
- "Milford played too much of a defensive game. But they're patient. They need more striking power."
- "Dickinson's (Paul) Niggebrugge looked like he was in a desert. He had so very little to work with."

Muse, whose first head college coaching job was at State University of Albany, said he had

been in close contact with St. Andrew's School Coach Bob Pasco.

"I really think St. Andrew's got overlooked, not being invited to play in this tournament," he said softly. "I've seen films of their games. They have an outstanding team. In fact, I'm trying to get two of their players to come to Princeton — Allan Marshall and Jerry Sock. They're both great players."

Marshall, All-State center-forward last year when he led the state in scoring with 30 goals, is from Bermuda, where his dad drives a taxi.

Sock is from West Africa, where he was on the Gambian national team for two years before coming to St. Andrew's.

After Christiana upended Dickinson in the semifinals, Vikings' side-burned, bespectacled Coach Howard Gerken was seen huddled in the stands with Muse. Gerken was asked about the gist of the conversation.

"We talked about a couple of my players, J. D. Kelly and Mark Golden," said Gerken. "He thought both have the potential to play college soccer. He wanted to know all about them, especially their grades."

Muse's invasion here was a shot in the arm to state scholastic soccer. It's a good sign. The booters are finally starting to get recognition.

Move over football and basketball. The soccer players are also lining up for athletic scholarships.

But keep in mind, all you athletes, as Muse pointed out, "All your talent isn't worth a plugged nickel (towards a scholarship) if you don't have the grades."

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Muse is making a return trip to this area tomorrow. This time by popular request. He's scheduled to be the principal speaker at the annual banquet sponsored by the Delaware Scholastic Soccer Coaches Association. The 6:30 p.m. affair will be held in the Delcastle High cafeteria.

In addition to releasing the 1973 All-State soccer selections, voted upon by the coaches, the winner of the coach of the year award will be announced. Last year's winner was Bob Gregore of Concord.

## DSSAA 'Farce'

I would like to reply to the remarks of J. D. Kelly of Christiana High in Matt Zabitka's Friday column. "Quote: We've got the best defense in the state." What happened to that defense when they played Concord and St. Andrew's? Also their other conference loss?

"Quote: Our goalie Carl Lupton has no equal. This was his 11th shutout in 16 games'. Our goalie Don Zebley had 9 shutouts in 13 games and only 6 points scored on him for the season. Your goalie had two scored by us, three by St. Andrew's and how many by others?

"Best goalie in State", because he was chosen all conference by a bunch of coaches who can't see beyond

their noses. This does not make him No. 1. These selections have become a popularity contest, not always who is really the best player.

The Blue Hen Conference and DSSAA are a farce. You need an interpreter to translate their rules, or should I say it depends on who you are or what you can get away with?

If you really want to play the best team in the state St. Andrew's, give Concord a call. Our record was 11-1-1, and we beat both Milford and Christiana. Please check with the Blue Hen Conference, and get their permission. We do not want to be disqualified for any unscheduled games.

In closing, may I congratulate Mr. Zabitka and others for the fine newspaper coverage of the tournament. What happened to that fine coverage last year when Concord won the states? How bias can you be?

**Eric Zebley**  
Disgusted Concord  
Soccer Player

Wilmington

# Christiana has three All-Staters

By Matt Zabitka

Three repeaters are on the 1973 All-State high school soccer team, announced at last night's Delaware Scholastic Soccer Coaches' banquet at Delcastle High.

J. D. Kelly (17 goals, 3 assists) from this year's state tournament championship Christiana team; Bobby Jacobs (15 goals) of Milford, and Alan Marshall (28 goals) of St. Andrew's are the first team repeaters.

In addition to lineman Kelly, Christiana also placed midfielder Dave Harper and goalkeeper Carl Lupton (11 shutouts in 16 games), dominating the No. 1 team.

St. Andrew's, Independent Conference champion, was the only other school to place more than two on the first team—lineman Marshall and midfielder Jeremiah Sock.

Howard Gerken, who led Christiana to its best record ever (8-1 in the Blue Hen Conference and 13 2-1 overall, which includes the state title), was named coach of the year.

The 30-year-old native of Freehold, N.J., completed his fourth year of coaching at Christiana, the last three years as head man.

Princeton University's head soccer coach Bill Muse was principal speaker at the banquet.

## FIRST TEAM

**CARL LUPTON**, goalkeeper, Christiana . . . 16, junior . . . first varsity season 11 shutouts, including Milford game in state tourney final . . . allowed nine goals in 16 games.

**JAMES (J.D.) KELLY**, right inside, Christiana . . . 17, senior . . . a three-year starter and team co captain . . . made All-State honorable mention in 1971 and All-State and All-Blue Hen Conference first teams in 1972 and '73 . . . scored 17 goals and three assists this year for a career record of 26 goals, 6 assists . . . scored both goals in Christiana's 2-0 victory over Milford in state tourney finals.

**ALLAN DAVID MARSHALL**, center forward, St. Andrew's . . . 6-feet, 160, senior, captain . . . native of Smith's Parish, Bermuda . . . first team All-State and All-Independent Conference in 1972 and '73 . . . state's leading scorer in 1972 (30 goals) and 1973 (28) . . . led team to 10-2 record last year and 12-1 this season.

**BOBBY JACOBS**, left wing, Milford . . . first-team All-Henlopen Conference and All-State two straight years . . . his 15 goals led Bucks in scoring . . . booted team's penalty shots, corner kicks from the left side and directed kicks from the left side . . . senior, captain.

**JEREMIAH SOCK**, center halfback, St. Andrew's . . . 6-feet, 170, exchange student from Gambia, West Africa . . . scored 5 goals, 7 assists . . . missed three weeks of season due to ankle injury . . . "The most complete and exciting high school player I have ever seen," said Coach Bob Pasco.

**DAVE HARPER**, center midfielder, Christiana . . . 17, senior . . . three-year starter . . . second-team All-Blue Hen Conference and All-State last year . . . scored 10 goals and four assists this season for a career total of 13 goals, 5 assists . . . team co-captain . . . was the penalty kicker for two years . . . a college prep student, he plans to major in engineering.

**PAUL NIGGEBRUGGE**, center forward, Dickinson . . . 17, junior . . . scored 17 goals this season, Dickinson's first ever on varsity level . . . scored four goals in one game twice and once had three in one game . . . also made All-Blue Hen first team.

**STEVE McCLENACHAN**, line, William Penn . . . junior, co-capt., shoots equally well with both feet . . . scored 15 goals in 11 games, three coming in the 3-2 victory over Concord.

**GLENN TAYLOR**, sweeper back, Conrad . . . 6-3, senior, tri-captain . . . was second-team All State last year . . . selected by fellow lettermen as most valuable player . . . as a

sweeper, he captained the defense, set up the offense.

**PAT DULIN**, center back, Concord . . . senior, co-capt., All-Blue Hen Conference first-team selection last two seasons, second-team All State last year . . . rated Concord's greatest back ever . . . his ability as a defensive player to seize command and generate an attack helped Raiders finish 11-1-1 this year.

**JOHN FURLONG**, midfielder, Brandywine . . . finest accomplishments were in his overall understanding of the game, particularly his outstanding knowledge of movement and position play . . . trapped, headed, passed and shot for the goal extremely well . . . senior.

## SECOND TEAM

Linemen: Kevin Gregore, sr., Concord; Tony Radway, jr., Seaford; Doug Challenger, sr., Conrad; Tom Adams, jr., Milford.

Backs: Charles West, sr., Brandywine; Todd Fish, sr., Alexis I. du Pont; Mark Woodall, sr., Cape Henlopen.

Mid-fielders: Bob Slaughter, sr., Milford; Dick Bogan, sr., Milford; Chris Bodolus, jr., Caesar Rodney.

Goal keeper: Rich Goodell, sr., Seaford.

## HONORABLE MENTION

Linemen: John Levinson, Tainall; Greg Moon, St. Andrew's; Keith Mumford, Sussex Central; Rick Fortin, Concord; Pete White, Concord; Mark Edwards, Dickinson; Lindsey Waller, Brandywine; Mike Clarke, Christiana; James Cuyton, Lake Forest.

Backs: Mark Golden, Christiana; Gordon Brownlee, St. Andrew's; Ed Morris, Caesar Rodney.

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# SPORTS

## Soccer All-Staters Named

# Coach Stresses Return Of 'Personalized' Sports

By MATT ZABITKA

"With all the turmoil in sports today, I really have to question whether the person has gone out of sports," Bill Muse told the gathering at last night's ninth annual All-State soccer banquet at Delcastle High.

Muse, an All-American two years at Springfield College and now head coach at Princeton, made many other observations at the affair sponsored by the Delaware Soccer Coaches Association.

- "Set yourself a goal. Strive to be the best possible player you can be. If you strive to reach that point, you are successful."

- "I probably love winning more than any other coach in this room. Many times after a game I can't be talked to, if we lose. As I sit and question miscues, I think about the good times and feel the insignificance of winning."

- "20 years from now, you won't remember scores of games, but will remember the good times, the friends you made. People, places and things are the most important things, not the games you won."

- "Delaware (high school) soccer has come a long way since the first time I visited here four years ago (as an assistant coach and recruiter for Hartwick College), but it still has a long way to go."

Muse, at 26 the youngest of only 25 men in the nation who own a Grade A certificate from the U. S. Soccer Football Officials Association, was introduced by Paul Timmeney, Alexis I. du Pont soccer coach and president of the state coaches' group, who served as master of ceremonies.

Trophies were presented to the first and second-team All-

Staters, who also received certificates, as did all those who made honorable mention.

Howard Gerken, who led Christiana to the Blue Hen Conference title (8-1 in conference, 13-2-1 overall) and the state tournament championship also received a trophy for being named coach of the year.

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The rest of the first team includes Conrad's Glenn Taylor, Dickinson's Paul Niggebrugge, William Penn's Steve McClenahan, Concord's Pat Dulin and Brandywine's John Furlong.

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