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### **Cougars Win NCS on PK's**

## **Champion of Champions**

Submitted by Luisa Miles



Samantha Vankoll

the North Coast Section tournament as It is the Cougars' first win since 2007. the No. 3 seed, but they walked away as No. 1. The Cougars won the NCS title over No. 4 seed semifinals by Las Lomas, 2-1. The Mats fin-Las Lomas on March 1. Regulation ended in a ished the season 15-2-1. 1-1 tie, and Campo took the title on penalty C. Mitchell

**Photo Gint Federas** 

he Campolindo girls' soccer team entered kicks. Campolindo finishes the season 14-3-6

The No. 1 seed, Miramonte, was upset in the

### Saint Mary's Basketball Update





From left, front row: Coach Brian Miles, Jimmy Harrington, Jack Miles, Jonathan Enriquez, Andrew Owens, Billy Beltran, coach James Harrington; back row: Ryan Owens, Charlie Bettencourt, Nick Bamont, Will Van Holten. Photo provided

tured first place during the regular season. St. Bonaventure's 38-21 for the title.

Cade Bennett, Maxwell Weaver

Defeated St. Perpetua on Feb. 16 to win the

West Diablo League Championship, making it four years in a row they've held this title. The

team went on to represent West Diablo in the

ed by a relentless pressure defense, the The team advanced to the final game of the St. Perpetua sixth grade National boys' CYO Tournament of Champions at Heritage team won the West Diablo Playoffs and cap- in Brentwood on March 9. The team defeated

Photo provided

The team went undefeated in three games to clench the Championship title two years in a

row, defeating All-Saints of Hayward 32-23 on

### **Keeping the Streak Alive** Submitted by Lyn Schmidt



#### Kerry Carter

Photo Tod Fierner

he Saint Mary's men's and women's basketball teams entered the West Coast Conference as the No. 4 seeds. The Gaels took to the floor on March 8. The women faced No. 5 USD and the men took on No. 5 Pepperdine.

The women defeated USD in thrilling fashion. The Gaels were down 17 points in the second half but found a way to fight for the 60-58. Senior guard Jackie Nared finished with 20 points. Nared earned Saint Mary's single-season scoring record with 602 points for the season.

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The Gaels faced Gonzaga on March 10 in the semifinals, after press deadline. The winner advanced to the championship on March 11.

On Saturday night, the men solidly defeated Pepperdine 80-69 to improve to 22-10 on the year. Junior forward Brad Waldow led the Gaels with 21 points. The Gaels advanced to the semifinals to take on Gonzaga on March 10. The winner advanced to the finals, March 11.

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Pictured: Top row, from left: Coach Marcus Schroeder, assistant coach Jeff Salyer; middle row: Joey Schmidt, Sam Rack, Cole Curtis, Ben Jules; bottom row: Chase Bennett, Sam McGonigle,

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