

Number of wins Bishop Lynch (26-12) has against 5A and 4A opponents. Bishop Lynch, which plays in TAPPS 6A, has won its last 12 district matches.

SPORTSDAY RANKINGS

CLASS 5A			
Rk.	Team	W-L	Prev.
1.	Arlington Martin	23-7	1
2.	Allen	27-6	2
3.	Arlington Lamar	26-4	3
4.	Plano West	23-8	4
5.	Arlington	26-6	5
6.	Coppell	25-4	7
7.	Lake Highlands	21-10	6
8.	Plano	19-12	9
9.	Grapevine	20-10	10
10.	Coll. Heritage	22-7	8

CLASS 4A-OTHERS			
Rk.	Team	W-L	Prev.
1.	Hebron	28-5	1
2.	Mesquite Poteet	32-2	2
3.	Bishop Lynch	26-12	3
4.	Frisco Centennial	23-5	4
5.	TCA-Addison	23-10	5
6.	Wylie	23-5	6
7.	Plano Prestonwood	29-4	7
8.	Highland Park	20-12	9
9.	Justin Northwest	20-13	10
10.	Greenhill	23-3	NR

LEADERS

(Min. of 33 games played)

KILLS			
Name, school	G	Total	Avg./G
Alex Feagin, Greenhill	63	296	4.7
Susie Leshar, Hebron	90	414	4.6
Maggie Ross, Waxahachie	84	365	4.3
Alyssa Oberle, Argyle	91	371	4.1
Erika Clark, Frisco Centennial	85	352	4.1
Kathleen Nash, Plano West	86	347	4.0
Jessica Tuttle, Mes. Poteet	94	375	4.0
Jackie Jones, Greenville	83	323	3.9
Lauren Otto, Arlington	76	290	3.8
Jourdan Jesberg, Coll. Heritage	75	284	3.8
Stephanie Moore, Ursuline	68	261	3.8

ASSISTS			
Name, school	G	Total	Avg./G
Georgia Dealy, Highland Park	93	1071	11.5
Michelle Snider, Hebron	90	956	10.6
Jenny Davis, Greenhill	65	642	9.9
Taylor Sullivan, Pl. Prestonwood	71	669	9.4
Lauren Eubank, Woodrow Wilson	66	623	9.4
Kendra Hall, Lake Highlands	87	774	8.9
Evoni Darling, Coll. Heritage	78	683	8.8
Megan Muncy, Sachse	78	681	8.7
Lauren Wilson, McKinney North	93	798	8.6
Emily Stegich, Rich. Pearce	89	756	8.5

ACES			
Name, school	G	Total	Avg./G
Lauren Eubank, Woodrow Wilson	66	83	1.3
Lauren Otto, Arlington	76	94	1.2
Valorie Rogers, Ari. Sam Houston	69	80	1.2
Lauren Wilson, McKinney North	93	93	1.0
Liz Franks, Irving MacArthur	68	67	1.0
Elizabeth Spence, Richardson	87	84	1.0
Lima Lafaele, Eulich Trinity	81	77	1.0

BLOCKS			
Name, school	G	Total	Avg./G
Marissa Powell, Midlothian	91	282	3.1
Susie Leshar, Hebron	90	216	2.4
Jackie Jones, Greenville	83	196	2.4
Jordan Schilling, Coppell	94	209	2.2
Kaela Parnell, Hebron	90	183	2.0
Austa Willis, Midlothian	92	188	2.0
Kalley Hinton, Denton Ryan	93	173	1.9
Emily Shearin, Woodrow Wilson	66	123	1.9
Audrey Johnson, FW Arl. Heights	60	106	1.8
Lauren Salisbury, SL Carroll	74	134	1.8

DIGS			
Name, school	G	Total	Avg./G
Brenda Ventura, Irv. MacArthur	79	823	10.4
Macie McCarthy, Justin Northwest	99	505	5.1
Kelly Shelton, McKinney North	93	465	5.0
Lauren Otto, Arlington	76	369	4.9
Lauren Thompson, Gar. N. Forest	75	368	4.9
Sarah Joeckel, Arlington	86	402	4.7
J Whitten, Richardson	87	392	4.5
Alicen Scott, Sag. Boswell	84	349	4.2
Taylor Filkins, Garland	76	301	4.0
Lashae Belt, Mesquite	72	288	4.0
Codi Clark, FW Christian	54	218	4.0

All eyes trained on a winning tradition

Greenhill: Boys and girls combine efforts to chase state championships

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ADDISON — A green banner with gold lettering hangs high in Greenhill's gym. The banner tells of Greenhill's rich boys volleyball tradition, recognizing state title after state title.

Across the way is another banner, this one gold with green lettering recognizing Greenhill's girls volleyball tradition. It features similar accolades — not as many state titles but just as much recognition.

Greenhill has been a private school volleyball powerhouse. If the banners don't tell the story, the hardware in Greenhill's trophy case does. The Hornets and Lady Hornets know about building a volleyball dynasty, even though no one likes using the D word.

"I find that a little bit too confident," senior Kerry Stuewer said. "But I think we have a very strong program with a very good history. We have a lot of pride in our program because we've put up the big numbers."

With history and pride come a mutual respect and a sibling-like relationship between the programs. When the boys aren't pushing the girls to excel, the girls are doing so for the boys.

And when they're not cheering for each other on game nights, they're all hanging out and having a good time somewhere.

"Some of them played in a summer tournament with each other," first-year girls coach Chandra Perry said, referring to SpikeFest in Frisco. "They're all very close and are at each other's games when they aren't playing the same night."

Since 1973, the programs have combined to win 12 SPC championships.

The boys have won 10, including five in a row from 1999 to 2003.

The girls won their two last season and in 2001. Perry is looking for her first title after replacing longtime girls coach Michelle McGuire.



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Alex Feagin (left), Gabe Oros and their teammates are focused on capturing both SPC volleyball state titles this season.

GREENHILL VOLLEYBALL

Notable: Gabe Oros is the boys team leader in kills, while Chris Rogers leads in assists. ... Alex Feagin leads the girls in kills, and Jenny Davis is the assists leader. ... The boys finished third in the SPC championships last season. ... The girls' first title in 2001 followed eight second-place finishes since 1991.

Did you know? The boys and girls volleyball teams will team up Oct. 5 to host a volleyball clinic for the school's sixth-graders.

The boys, coached by Keith Nannie, entered this season with a 182-4 record the last four seasons. Nannie's teams won 90 consecutive matches from 1999 to 2001.

The Hornets haven't won state since 2003. They won the Greenhill Fall Classic tournament Sept. 16-17. Gabe Oros was the tournament MVP, and Nannie collected his 500th victory.

"It felt really good to win that for him because he gives a lot to us," senior Chris Rogers said. "Now we're thinking of going one game at a time and trying to get back on top again."

That same weekend, the girls flew to California for the North Torrance Volleyball Tournament. The Lady Hornets went undefeated to claim the title, as Alex Feagin

BRIEFS

Suspended starters expected back for Mac

Irving MacArthur has lost its last two District 6-5A volleyball matches — against Hurst L.D. Bell and South Grand Prairie — while playing without all of its starters.

MacArthur coach Allen Darst said eight players — seven on varsity — were suspended for the last two matches because of disciplinary reasons. Darst wouldn't elaborate on the reasons for the suspensions but he said he expected most of the players back for Friday's match against district-leading Coppell. MacArthur is 12-17 overall this season and 1-5 in 6-5A.

Brandon George

HEBRON: Hebron (28-5, 7-0) concluded the first half of District 9-4A play undefeated with a 25-14, 25-7, 25-16 win against Frisco on Tuesday. The team swept six of its seven district matches and only dropped one game to Justin Northwest.

CARROLLTON NEWMAN SMITH: The team went on the road Tuesday and knocked off Lake Highlands, 17-25, 25-23, 28-26, 12-25, 15-6, to take sole possession of first place in District 10-5A. Junior middle blocker Lauren Thedford led Newman Smith (19-11, 5-0 in 10-5A) with 14 kills, which gives her a team-high 289 this season. Lake Highlands fell to 21-10 overall and 5-1 in district.

COPPELL: Jordan Raines leads the team with 156 kills in 80 games. Jordan Schilling leads Coppell with 209 blocks in 94 games. Mandy Modic leads the team with 227 digs in 87 games, and setter Elaine Minden has a team-best 466 assists in 94 games.

DENTON RYAN: Denton Ryan (22-7, 4-2) defeated Colleyville Heritage, 25-14, 10-25, 25-21, 27-25, in 5-5A play Tuesday night. Colleyville Heritage (22-7, 3-3) lost its second straight district match.

FLOWER MOUND MARCUS: Marcus had no trouble with rival Flower Mound, earning a 25-9, 25-18, 25-7 win Tuesday at the Flower Mound gym. Marcus (20-14, 4-2) will host Allen on Friday.