



LONE STAR CONFERENCE SOCCER

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LSC SOCCER

The last week of the regular season will determine the host and the final team for Lone Star Conference Championship. Angelo State, Midwestern State, and Texas A&M-Commerce have clinched three of the four spots.

The league champion and tournament host will be decided on Friday when MSU plays at ASU. The Rambelles can secure the outright conference championship for the first time in program history and host the tournament with a win or tie against the Mustangs. MSU can claim a share of their fourth LSC championship with a win, and must prevail by two goals in order to host the tournament.

Eastern New Mexico, West Texas A&M, and Texas Woman's each have a chance to earn the final berth.

The women's teams are 43-35-16 overall this season. The squads are currently 5-6-3 combined versus Rocky Mountain Athletic Conference teams, and 4-4-1 against the Heartland Conference, which are the other conferences in the NCAA South Central Region.

PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

OFFENSIVE

Emily Saville, Midwestern State University, SR, Forward, Fort Worth, Texas, North Crowley HS

Saville notched a goal and an assist to lead Midwestern State to a crucial 2-0 win over Eastern New Mexico Sunday afternoon in Portales. The senior forward's heroics set the Mustangs up for a Lone Star Conference championship showdown Friday afternoon at Angelo State. Saville assisted Mickey Brown on an overlapping run in the 17th minute to give MSU the early lead over the Zias then laced her second goal of the season to the upper right corner of the net in the 56th minute to put the match away. The senior leader has logged two goals and three assists for the Mustangs this season.

DEFENSIVE

Anna Molen, Midwestern State University, SR, Flower Mound, Texas, Marcus HS

Molen's first collegiate goal came in her 55th match and provided the difference in a 1-0 win for Midwestern State over West Texas A&M Friday night. The senior center back from Flower Mound received a redirected rebound off a corner kick from Haley Britton and knocked it into the net in the 60th Friday night. Molen's guidance on the back line played an integral role in MSU's two shutout performances as the back line limited the opposition to a total of 19 shots with only eight of them falling on frame in wins over WT and Eastern New Mexico. Midwestern State has allowed one goal with four clean sheets over its previous five matches.

OTHER TOP PERFORMERS

Kathleen Keoughan, Angelo State University, scored the game-winning goal for the Rambelles in the 86th minute of play last Sunday in ASU's 1-0 win at West Texas A&M. Keoughan gathered in a shot from Jenny Kotowych which hit the crossbar and went to the lower right side of the goal for the score. The goal was Kotowych's third of her freshman season and first since scoring twice in the opening week of the season.

Brionna Minde, Texas A&M University - Commerce, broke 103 minutes of scoreless action versus Ouachita Baptist when she scored in double overtime off a save from a penalty kick. All of Minde's shots were on target versus the Tigers. The Richardson native now has 11 points on the season.

Berklee Watson, West Texas A&M University, has played extremely well in her past two matches since being moved up to midfield after playing her entire collegiate career primarily on defense. Watson had four shots in both games against Midwestern State and Angelo State last weekend. She played the entire 90 minutes on Friday against MSU while appearing in 87 minutes on Sunday against ASU. She continues to provide quality scoring chances for her team.

Caitlyn Conaway, Angelo State University, continued her strong defensive work for the Rambelles last weekend in a pair of shutouts against Eastern New Mexico and West Texas A&M. Conaway and the ASU defense allowed only four shots on goal and have now had eight shutouts this season. Conaway, who was the LSC Preseason Defensive Player of the Year, has been a steady force for ASU which is one win or tie away from securing the program's first LSC Championship.

Catie Hyde, Texas A&M University - Commerce, helped the Lions defense pitch a shutout over the last week in two wins over Ouachita Baptist and TWU. Hyde led the marking of Hayle Hatcher, of OBU who was in the Top Five in the nation in scoring, to no shots. The Lion defense only gave up to two shots to the Tigers and Pioneers. The shutout streak for the Lions is at 193:37 heading into the last weekend of the season.

Fabienne Wilson, Eastern New Mexico University, posted a shutout against Angelo State, the top team in the Lone Star Conference standings. She made seven saves to lift the Zias to a double overtime tie against the Rambelles. She also made seven saves against Midwestern State.

Yvette Bedoy, West Texas A&M University, had two very strong outings between the pipes last weekend. On Friday, she stopped seven shots against Midwestern State. On Sunday against Angelo State, Bedoy tallied three saves while her only goal allowed was a rebound shot off the crossbar.

LSC NOTES (Submitted by LSC SID's)

Angelo State

The Rambelles went 1-0-1 last weekend with a scoreless draw at Eastern New Mexico followed by a 1-0 win over West Texas A&M with freshman Kathleen Keoughan delivering the game-winning goal in the 86th minute

2013 LSC STANDINGS

Team	LSC		Overall
	W-L	Pts	W-L
Angelo State	7-1-1	22	11-3-2
Midwestern State	6-2-1	19	11-4-1
Texas A&M-Commerce	4-3-1	13	10-4-1
Eastern New Mexico	1-3-4	7	4-6-5
West Texas A&M	1-5-2	5	3-8-5
Texas Woman's	1-6-1	4	4-10-2

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Friday, November 01, 2013

*Midwestern State at Angelo State, 3 p.m.

*West Texas A&M at Texas A&M-Commerce, 7 p.m.

*Eastern New Mexico at Texas Woman's, 8 p.m.

Sunday, November 03, 2013

*Eastern NM at Texas A&M-Commerce, 12 p.m.

*West Texas A&M at Texas Woman's, 2 p.m.

Southwestern Oklahoma at Midwestern State, 3 p.m.

All times are CST; * denotes LSC game

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Complete results at lonestarconference.org.

WEEKLY AWARDS

Women's Offensive

- S-11 Kathleen Keoughan, ASU
- S-18 Ashley Cottrell, MSU
- S-25 Brionna Minde, A&M-C
- O-2 Savannah Henderson, A&M-C
- O-9 Tatyanny Griffiths, MSU
- O-17 Sierra Anderson, ASU
- O-23 Jenny Kotowych, ASU
- O-30 Emily Saville, MSU

Women's Defensive

- S-11 Vicky Back, A&M-C
- S-18 Alyxandra Ortiz, ENMU
- S-25 Yvette Bedoy, WTAMU
- O-2 Yvette Bedoy, WTAMU
- O-9 Kallie Essary, MSU
- O-17 Dani Edwards, ASU
- O-23 Dani Edwards, ASU
- O-30 Anna Molen, MSU



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off an assist from Jenny Kotowych. Goalkeeper Dani Edwards did not allow a goal in either game and played all 200 minutes during the weekend. The Rambelles will conclude their regular season on Friday against Midwestern State. ASU needs a win or tie to secure the outright conference championship for the first time in program history.

Eastern New Mexico

The Eastern New Mexico University women's soccer team played to a double-overtime tie with Angelo State, and in doing so tied the NCAA Division II record with 10 overtime contests in a season. Midwestern State topped the Zias in the final home match of the season. ENMU is currently in fourth place in the team standings and will look to solidify a spot in the conference tournament, in the final two games of the regular season, at Texas Woman's and Texas A&M-Commerce.

Midwestern State

Midwestern State took a pair of crucial Lone Star Conference decisions claiming a 1-0 win at West Texas A&M Friday before taking a 2-0 result Sunday at Eastern New Mexico... The Mustangs can claim a share of their fourth LSC championship with a win against Angelo State Friday afternoon on the road... With a win, the Mustangs and Rambelles will tie at 7-2-1 in league play and will have split its head-to-head contests. Angelo State leads the second tiebreakers -- goal differential in league play -- by a +8 to +5 margin. This means MSU must win by two goals in order to host the LSC Postseason Tournament. If not, it will be in San Angelo... The Mustangs remained perfect on the road at 6-0 and can close out their first unbeaten regular season road ledger with a win over Angelo State on Friday. MSU posted a 7-1 road mark in 1998 and were 5-1 in 2010 with the lone defeat coming at Angelo State on Oct. 24, 2010... Senior goalkeeper Kallie Essary has posted shutouts in four of her last five matches with the lone goal coming to Texas A&M-Commerce on Oct. 18... Essary now has seven clean sheets this season and needs one more to match Elli O'Dwyer (2004) and Mallory Whitworth (2010) for the program's single season record... Essary ranks 28th in NCAA Division II in goals against average (0.62), 29th in save percentage (.867) and 96th in total saves (96)... Eleven different Mustangs have scored goal this season with seven different players notching game winners led by sophomore forward Ashley Cottrell's five... Senior defender Anna Molen scored her first collegiate goal in her 55th game when blasted in the game winner from 25 yards out in the 60th minute Friday night at West Texas A&M... Senior midfielder Mickey Brown tallied her 11th career but first of the season Sunday at Eastern New Mexico...

Texas A&M-Commerce

Lions went 2-0 last week with wins over Ouachita Baptist and Texas Woman's. The win over OBU was in double overtime when Brionna Minde put in a rebound off a penalty kick. With the win the Lions are now 2-2-1 in overtime games this season. The Lions are now 10-4-1 and have reached 10 wins for the first time since 2009.

Texas Woman's

0-1 last week.

West Texas A&M

They Lady Buffs played two matches at home last weekend against the LSC's top-two teams, Midwestern State and Angelo State. WT dropped the first match to the Mustangs on Friday night, 1-0. On Sunday, they narrowly fell to ASU, 1-0, off a late goal in the 86th minute. WT celebrated Senior Day on Sunday as it honored defender Berkleee Watson and goalkeeper Yvette Bedoy, who both have had outstanding careers as Lady Buffs. The team will return to action this weekend with a couple of road matches against Texas A&M-Commerce and Texas Woman's.

