

Tornadoes edge Catawba

by Rebecca Russ

Not only was last Saturday's men's soccer game special because they won 2-1 over Catawba College for Homecoming, but it was also special because this game marked the 100th collegiate win for Coach Don Scarborough. "I thought it was neat that it happened at homecoming," said Scarborough, "and that all those guys who were with me on my first team were here for this game." Team members from Scarborough's first team in 1978 were present to cheer the Tornadoes on.

Though unfavorable weather didn't help game and field conditions, the action was still fast-paced and intense as the Tornadoes managed to stay steps ahead of their opponents throughout the game. BC's first goal was scored by Yong Song with an assist by David Chun who went on to score the second goal.

An excellent string of matches culminated in a disappointing loss for the Brevard Men's Soccer team a week and a half ago against Anderson College. Anderson came into the game tied with Brevard for first place in the conference. This game determined who would be "top dog" so to speak.

Although the first half did not show more than two goals for Anderson, goalkeeper Buck Rowlee made some gritty saves that kept the Anderson attackers on their toes. In the last 40 seconds of the first half, a collision between Rowlee and teammate Tom Misuraca left Rowlee dazed and Misuraca out of the game. Rowlee was later replaced by Jacob Christensen after sustaining a slight knee injury.

Brevard showed more spunk in the second half; however, morale was low.

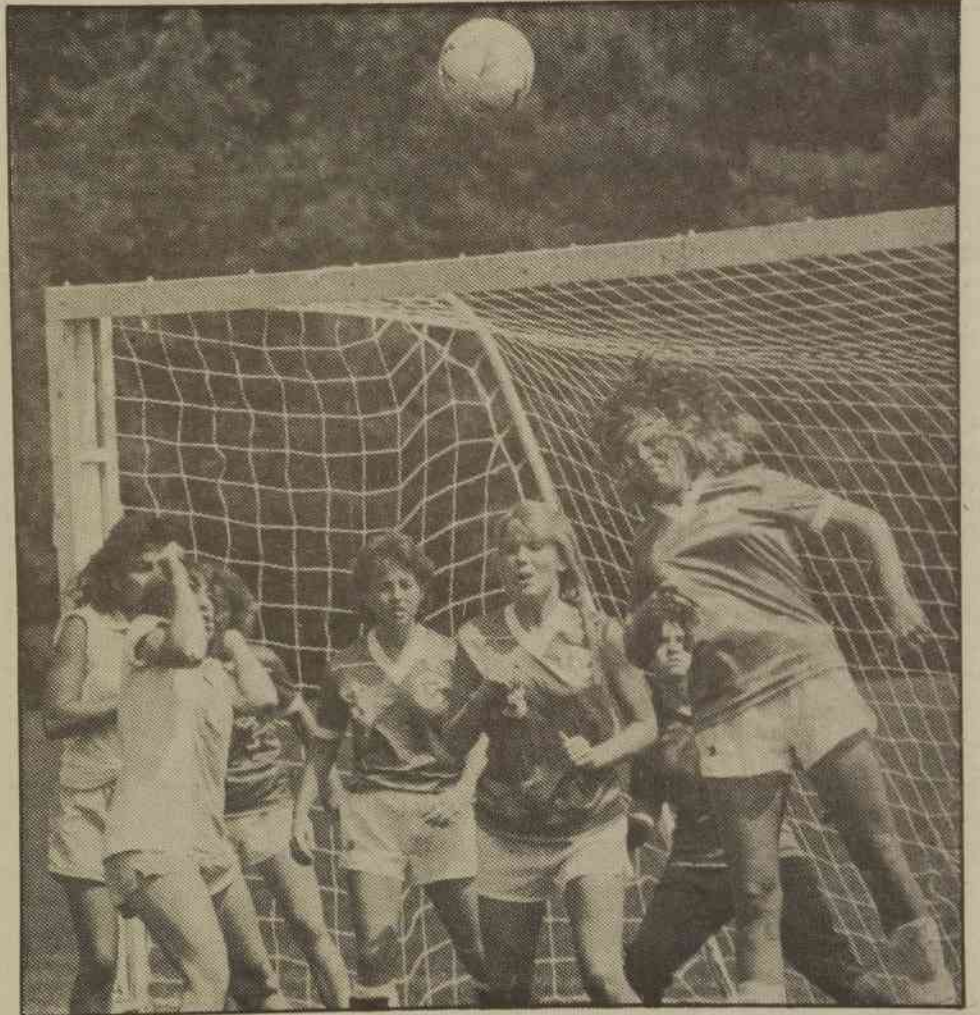
Another goal for Anderson seemed to wipe out whatever intent was there. A driving shot by Steve DeLong and an open kick by Paul Holmes were the last attempts to score by Brevard.

Dave Taylor, who coached the second half, was disappointed. "We didn't prepare mentally for soccer—only for Anderson. They didn't create the goals; we gave them away."

In other recent soccer action, Brevard won an exciting game over Montreat-Anderson College with a score of 5-1 on Oct. 4. Although it was Montreat's homecoming, nothing could dampen the spirits of Brevard's team or the fans. The regulation time ended with a score of 1-1, with Joseph Brooks scoring BC's lone goal on a penalty kick. Overtime, a 20 minute period made up of 10 minute halves, was equally exciting. Brevard tore away with two goals in each half, leaving the score 5-1.

Brevard captured an easy 11-1 win over North Greenville College on Sept. 22 beginning with two goals scored in the first two minutes of the game. Markus Siebmann had a great game scoring three of the goals. Some of the other scorers were Brooks, Misuraca, and Yong Song.

The Sept. 30 match at Lees-McRae was marked by poor field conditions. Brevard, however, was consistent and pulled out a 3-0 victory giving Taylor his first coaching victory. A 0-0 score at half-time made play all the more intense. Brooks made a beautiful shot by out maneuvering a player out on the wing; and Song headed the ball into the goal. Keith Young gave Brevard another hard fought goal and David Chun set up another head shot for Song to give Brevard the victory.



Brevard College Women's Soccer Team Vice-Captain Amy Cearley goes for a header as the Lady Tornadoes challenge at the goal in a recent game. Watching are Carol Ellison (13) and Felicia Cope (9). (Brevard College photo)

Lady Tornadoes improving

by Cathy Haynie

The Lady Tornadoes' most recent game was played last Sunday, Oct. 12 against Georgia State University and ended victoriously 6-2 putting the overall team record at 5-7 which is "not bad for a building year," says Coach Julie Johnson. Paige Jackson scored five of the six goals making her player of the game. "I'm really proud of how well the team is doing," says Jackson.

Though the women lost to Emory University last Friday, Oct. 10, by a score of 0-5, Johnson felt that it was definitely one of their strongest games this season. "They were strong in offense," Johnson said, "but we played well even though we were backed up against the goal a lot." Captain Amy Cearley was named player of the game.

On Wednesday, Oct. 8, the women were defeated by Warren-Wilson on their home field. According to Johnson, goalkeeper Mary Nall played an "excellent game" with Warren-Wilson's offense keeping her on her toes throughout most of the game. Player of the game, Karen Ellis, suffered a knee injury and is now out of the remaining season.

The Lady Tornadoes have a big game ahead on Oct. 18 against Maryville College. BC won the last time the two teams met and some of the players feel that Maryville will be tougher because of their loss. Sophomore Shelly Ainsworth comments, "Maryville will also have the homefield advantage." She also believes that the team has a lot of strength this year. "We have a lot of girls with strength in different areas instead of one or two superstars. The girls have good attitudes and are all self-motivated players," Ainsworth adds.



A dismal drizzle Saturday couldn't stop die-hard Brevard College alumni from getting out on the soccer field for the homecoming alumni soccer game. Here, '86 grad Tony Patino (7) goes for a header against '78 grad Steve Schneider (21). Patino playfully called the game the "World Cup of Has-Beens."

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