

Oct. 3 Girls Soccer – Northstars win!



*Despite hurting her toe, Sara Eggert had one of the four Nottingham goals today as the Northstars stunned unbeaten Pemberton, 4-2 (Photo by John Blaine/purchase photos by e-mailing [jbsportsphoto@aol.com](mailto:jbsportsphoto@aol.com)).*

## Nottingham plays well from start to finish in gaining first victory

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**Oct. 3:** Who says anything can't happen in sports?

Nottingham High's girls' soccer team traveled to Burlington County today and brought along an 0-8 record. Waiting for the Northstars was Pemberton and its sparkling 7-0 record.

So what happens?

Nottingham scores three first-half goals and rolls to a 4-2 victory over the Hornets for that long-awaited first win of the season.

"We definitely were happy and pumped up after getting that win in today," said Dana Davies, who had two Nottingham goals. "It was a relief off our shoulders. We came out wanting to win, and it showed.

"We were psyched," added Sara Eggert, who also had a goal. "Since Pemberton was an undefeated team and for us to win, it was phenomenal."

The only downer was that Eggert suffered a toe injury and is worried it's broken, but will get it checked Tuesday. Other than that, it was a day to celebrate for the Northstars, who also got a goal from Kristina Ragolia.

"It hurts, I'll go to the trainer and go from there," she said. "But we won!"

They did indeed, with their best sustained effort of the season.

"We've been playing well as a team and we haven't really been able to put everything together," Davies said. "Today, everything seemed to just click. Our shots were on, the passes were good and our defense was solid."

The sophomore forward hopes that it's something the Northstars can build on.

"We just need to keep the momentum going," Davies said. "I definitely think beating a team that was undefeated is the confidence and motivation we needed to keep our heads up for the rest of the season."

Afterall, anything can happen.