

COURIER SCOREBOARD

FOOTBALL**Cardinals 41, Saxons 13****SJFC at Alfred University, Nov. 11.**

Fisher	7	20	7	7	- 41
Alfred	3	7	3	0	- 13

First Quarter

SJFC – Robinson 1 run (Pierri kick), 4:04.
ALF – Reynolds 23 field goal, 2:28.

Second Quarter

ALF – Newsome 7 run (Reynolds kick), 2:30.
SJFC – Harmon 7 pass from Kramer (Pierri kick blocked), 1:42.
SJFC – Robinson 5 run (Pierri kick), 2:13.
SJFC – Marion 13 pass from Kramer (Pierri kick), 0:20.

Third Quarter

ALF – Reynolds 20 field goal, 3:26.
SJFC – Robin 5 run (Pierri kick), 2:38.

Fourth Quarter

SJFC – Marion 58 punt return (Pierri kick).

	SJFC	ALF
First downs	18	13
Total Yards	339	284
Rushes-yards (Net)	45-179	24-46
Passing	160	238
Punt Returns	2-65	0-0
Kickoff Returns	4-54	6-113
Interception Ret.	3-0	1-0

Comp-Att-Int	13-23-1	17-41-3
Sacks-Yards Lost	2-17	2-19
Punts	5-18.0	4-34.0
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	5-76	4-71
Time of Possession	34:08	25:52

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING-Fisher: Robinson 24-142, Reile 16-52, Kramer 4-minus 15. Alfred: Hendrix 6-31, Newsome 12-28, Wiacek 1-2, Miller 1-1, Keeley 4-minus 16.

PASSING-Fisher: Kramer 13-23-1-160. Alfred: Keeley 17-41-3-238.

RECEIVING-Fisher: Nowicki 3-43, Marion 3-40, Jackson 2-25, Harmon 2-20, Smith 1-14, Robinson 1-12, Galletto 1-6. Alfred: Gibbins 6-105, Manzer 4-26, Bork 3-50, Hendrix 3-35, Harding 1-22.

INTERCEPTIONS-Fisher: Driscoll 1-0, Lang 1-0, Stepnick 1-0. Alfred: McGill 1-0.

FUMBLES-Fisher: Kramer 2-1. Alfred: None.

WOMEN'S SOCCER**Cardinals 1, Gators 0****SJFC vs. Russell Sage College, Nov. 4.**

Russell Sage	0	0	0
Fisher	0	1	1

Scoring Summary

75:26 SJFC Davis (Mauro)

Shots: RUS 4, SJFC 14

Saves: RUS 6 (Logan 6), SJFC 2 (Martin 1; TEAM 1)

Cardinals 1, Blue Devils 0**SJFC vs. SUNY Fredonia, Nov. 8.**

Fredonia	0	0	0	0	0
Fisher	0	0	0	1	1

Scoring Summary

195:07 SJFC Zeppetella (unassisted)

Shots: FRED 13, SJFC 22

Saves: FRED 13 (Scroger), SJFC 7 (Martin 4; Gable 3)

Heron's 1, Cardinals 0**SJFC at William Smith College, Nov. 11.**

Fisher	0	0	0
William Smith	0	1	1

Scoring Summary

73:44 WSC Burett-Kurie (Stankavage)

Shots: SJFC 3, WSC 20

Saves: SJFC 11 (Gable 4; Martin 7), WSC 2 (Dudley)

VOLLEYBALL**Tigers 3, Cardinals 1****SJFC vs. RIT, Nov. 4.**

SPORTS CALENDAR

Nov. 17

Hockey vs. University of Rochester, 7:30 p.m.
Women's basketball vs. SUNY Purchase, 8 p.m.

Nov. 18

Football vs. Union College, 12 p.m.
Women's basketball: Holiday Inn Invitational

Nov. 21

Women's basketball vs. Buffalo State College, 6 p.m.
Men's basketball vs. SUNY Brockport, 8 p.m.

Nov. 25

Women's basketball vs. D'Youville College

Nov. 26

Men's basketball at D'Youville College, 7 p.m.

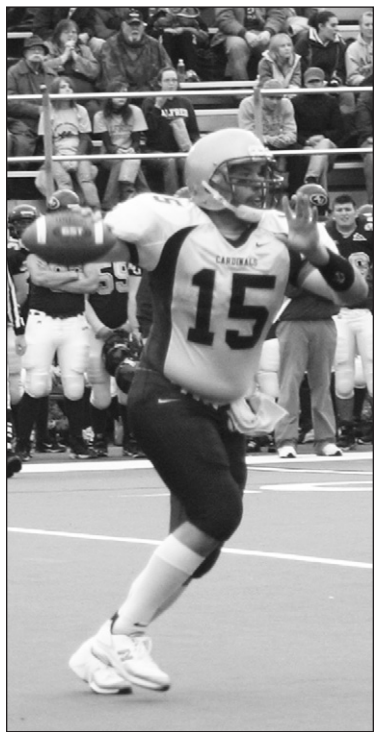
Women's basketball: Holiday Inn Tournament

Dec. 1

Hockey vs. Lemoyne

Dec. 2

Women's basketball at St. Lawrence University, 3 p.m.
Men's basketball vs. SUNY Morrisville, 7 p.m.
Hockey vs. Medaille

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Football

FROM PAGE 24

"It was a team effort and we feel great after this win. We just need to carry that emotion into next week. The real playoffs begin now."

The Cardinals set the momentum of the game on the first drive as they went 65 yards on nine plays, ending with senior tailback Mark Robinson barreling in for a one yard touchdown. The Saxons would answer back in the second quarter when former Cardinals' quarterback Paul Keeley set up a 23-yard field goal with a 55-yard pass to junior tight end Matt Gibbins.

At the beginning of the second quarter, Alfred scored a touchdown with junior tailback Elmer Newsome's nine-yard scamper into the end zone, making the score 10-7 in their favor. Keeley completed 17 of 41 passes with 238 passing yards and three interceptions.

"Keeley is the key to their offense and we hated to lose him when he transferred to Alfred,"

Vosburgh said. "He's a very good kid and that was a decision that he made for himself."

Keeley wasn't as sharp as normal. After a punt by sophomore Ricky Tatar pinned Alfred back at their own three-yard line, Keeley threw a pass right into the hands of junior defensive back Steve Stepnick. The interception marked the twelfth in his career, passing Tim Beadnell for the most interceptions in Fisher's Division III history.

"Everybody was always saying, 'Oh, you're tied and it is the hardest to get that last one,'" said Stepnick, who played in his first game since being injured in the Brockport game. "It feels good that I finally got it and it's even better that it helped the team in that situation."

Fisher knew that they had to take the turnover to their advantage. After the interception, Kramer hit junior tight end Chris Harmon with a seven-yard touchdown pass to put Fisher back in the lead, 13-10.

After Alfred turned the ball over on downs on its next possession,

"It was sweet revenge. It was a team effort and we feel great after this win. We just need to carry that emotion into next week. The real playoffs begin now."

- Junior Rob Kramer

Fisher drove 67 yards in six plays with Robinson running for his second touchdown with 2:16 remaining before halftime.

Fisher wasn't quite done scoring before halftime yet.

Cardinals' senior linebacker Gene Lang intercepted a Keeley pass at the Alfred 26-yard line with 55 seconds left in the half and two plays later, Kramer found sophomore wide receiver Tim Marion for a 13-yard touchdown pass to give Fisher a 27-10 lead going into halftime.

"The turnovers before halftime hurt us quite a bit because Fisher was able to turn those into points," Alfred head coach Dave Murray

said. "Fisher played a heck of a football game today and all the credit needs to go to them."

Robinson ran for his third score of the day in the third quarter while Marion made the final blow to the Saxons in the fourth quarter when he made a 58-yard punt return for a touchdown.

"On that play [sophomore wide receiver] Jimmy Smith made a really nice block that freed me up," Marion said. "Everyone blocked really well on that play and I basically walked right into the end zone because of that."

After compiling 339 yards of total offense, only allowing 238 yards to the Saxons, and the team finally healing from injuries, Defensive Coordinator Blaise Faggiano feels Fisher is ready for Union.

"Being at home will be huge for us and coming off a win against a tough team like Alfred will give us an advantage," he said. "The kids are pretty confident right now and are playing as well as they can."

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EXTRA INNINGS

This is my final answer, Regis

SPORTS EDITOR**BILL KUCHMAN**

Congrats, Houston Dynamo on your MLS Cup win. For those of you who don't pay attention to American soccer, Houston took home the prize at the eleventh Major League Soccer championship, defeating the New England Revolution.

What? You don't follow MLS? Oh. That's okay, I guess.

How about that Chicago Rush, huh? For awhile there, I thought the Predators were going to come back in the fourth quarter. A score of 69-61 is kind of close for a championship game. But hey, Matt D'Orazio really bounced back from being the former quar-



terback of the Rochester Brigade to lead the Rush to capture the ArenaBowl XX.

No? No ArenaBowl? Arena football is just like regular football but indoors. C'mon. No? Well, what else is there?

Hey, that was quite a season for the Rochester Razorsharks? What's a razorshark? Not really sure, but they play a pretty basketball game. Only four losses last season paired with a dominant post season game brought a championship home to the Flour City. Not bad, not bad at all.

Really? What do you mean you haven't TiVo'd the ABA games? It's just like regular basketball but without the weird new ball.

Okay, so most people probably don't pay any attention to these leagues. American soccer, indoor football, and minor league basketball don't really register on the sports-o-meter of the American

public but for a sports junky, these are further layer of sports to learn and bring up in conversation.

Is it sad that I can tell you that before playing in Milwaukee, the Brewers were once the Seattle Pilots? Is it pathetic that I know that the Kings made a cross country trip, going from Rochester and Cincinnati (as the Royals) and then becoming the Kings in Kansas City before finally reaching Sacramento? How about the fact that I know that the Tampa Bay Storm (AFL here, people, AFL) were once the Pittsburgh Gladiators?

I know that I'm not the only like this out there. There has to be numerous people lurking in the shadows who know that the Rochester Jeffersons got kicked around in the early days of the NFL and that the New York Yankees started the twentieth century off as the Baltimore Orioles.

Seriously here, folks, this is the life of someone who has nothing better to do than study the logos of the New York Islanders – 1996 fisherman, anyone? – and knows that MLS once had a central division.

Maybe sports facts were created just for the sole purpose of allowing me to win *Who Wants to Be a Millionaire?* one day. I'm pretty sure that's not why we have math. Um . . . the circumference is 8.2, Regis? I don't think so. Sports, like history, is a field full of random facts and knowledge, all ripe for the picking of those who don't see the need in memorizing the formula to find how two triangles are congruent. That's what my calculator is for.

I can tell you the name of every president back to Herbert Hoover and in which year they took office and I can tell you every World Series champion to before I was

born. For the life of me though, I couldn't explain to you how to factor trinomials. Honestly, I don't even remember what a trinomial is anymore.

It's kind of like natural selection, a survival of the fittest for the mind. I can remember history since it plays a part in everyday life and I can remember sports since it gives me something to talk about at Thanksgiving and makes my extended family like me.

One day, *Millionaire* will call. And on that, I will be ready. Former Mets' manager Bobby Valentine coaches the Chiba Lotte Marines. Final answer, Regis, final answer.

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