

Spartans shut out Hawks, top Vikings

6-0 and 4-3 wins make a good week for Solon boys on the pitch

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SOLON — A pair of wins last week improved the varsity boys to 3-5 overall as they shutout West Delaware and edged past Vinton-Shellsburg in double OT.

Solon 6, West Delaware 0

The Hawks remained winless after visiting the Spartans Tuesday, April 25.

Eli Freerks put Solon's first goal on the scoreboard in the 14th minute. Josiah Hale scored 13 seconds later making it 2-0. Freerks nailed

his second goal of the night in the 15th minute, Nate Shafer scored in the 25th minute with an assist by Freerks, and Keegan Conway made it 5-0 with a shot from around the 30-yard line in the 32nd minute. Ian Ressler scored in the second half.

Lewis Sutton, Conway, and Freerks were credited with one assist apiece while Zander Stookey made one save in 80 minutes in the goal.

Solon 4, Vinton-Shellsburg 3

The Spartans got the win in the second overtime period after a 3-3 tie at the end of regulation play.

Solon led 2-1 at the end of the first period.

Eli Freerks scored twice with one goal apiece by Keegan Conway and Nate

Shafer. Lewis Sutton and Shafer had one assist each. Keeper Zander Stookey made six saves.

Upcoming schedule

Thursday, May 4 – Home vs. Williamsburg (Senior Night). 5:30 p.m., JV to follow

Saturday, May 6 – At Clear Creek Amana, Tiffin. 10:00 a.m.

Tuesday, May 9 – Home vs. Center Point-Urbana. 5:30 p.m., JV to follow

Thursday, May 11 – At Beckman Catholic, Dyersville. 6:30 p.m. (girl/boy doubleheader)

WaMaC East standings

	Conf.	Overall
Marion	6-0	10-0
Mount Vernon	2-4	3-6
Solon	1-4	3-5
West Delaware	0-3	0-8



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Eli Freerks (16) passes the ball with a high kick Tuesday, April 25 at home against West Delaware. Freerks, a junior, scored twice in a 6-0 shutout and scored two more in a 4-3 double overtime win at home against Vinton-Shellsburg.



Josiah Hale (1) congratulates Eli Freerks (16) on scoring Tuesday, April 25 at home against West Delaware. Freerks scored twice in the 6-0 win.



Jack Hosking (40) drives the ball Tuesday, April 25 at home against West Delaware.



Nate Shafer (14) takes a shot at West Delaware's goal Tuesday, April 25 at home. Shafer scored in the 25th minute with an assist by Eli Freerks in a 6-0 win.



Lewis Sutton (3) takes a shot at West Delaware's goal Tuesday, April 25 at home.

Solon boys win Benton's triangular

Spartans set school record 143 as Brennan Heesch medals

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VAN HORNE — The varsity boys won Benton Community's golf triangular Monday, April 24 and set a new

school record with a team total of 143. West Delaware took second with 160 while the host Bobcats put up 180 for the afternoon.

Brennan Heesch medaled with 34 while Mac McCarty was the runner up with 35. McCarty tied with Isaiah Zoske. Quinton Heineman (39), and Sean Stahle and Jack McCarty (41 each) rounded out the varsity scoring.

Solon boys win Mount Vernon's golf quad meet

Isaiah Zoske medals with 34

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MOUNT VERNON — The varsity Spartans notched yet another golf meet victory Tuesday, April 25 as they won Mount Vernon's quad meet at

the Kernoustie Golf Club with 144. West Delaware was second with 155, the host Mustangs totaled 165, and Vinton-Shellsburg had 169 on the day.

Isaiah Zoske medaled with 34 while Mac McCarty was runner up with 35 after the nine holes. Jack McCarty (37), Sean Stahle (38), Brennan Heesch (40), and Quinton Heineman

(42) rounded out the Solon varsity.

Zoske, a sophomore, was leading the state with a nine-hole average of 35.17 according to the online stats site Bound.

Upcoming schedule

Monday, May 8 – WaMaC Meet at Pin Oak Golf Course, Manchester. 9:00 a.m.