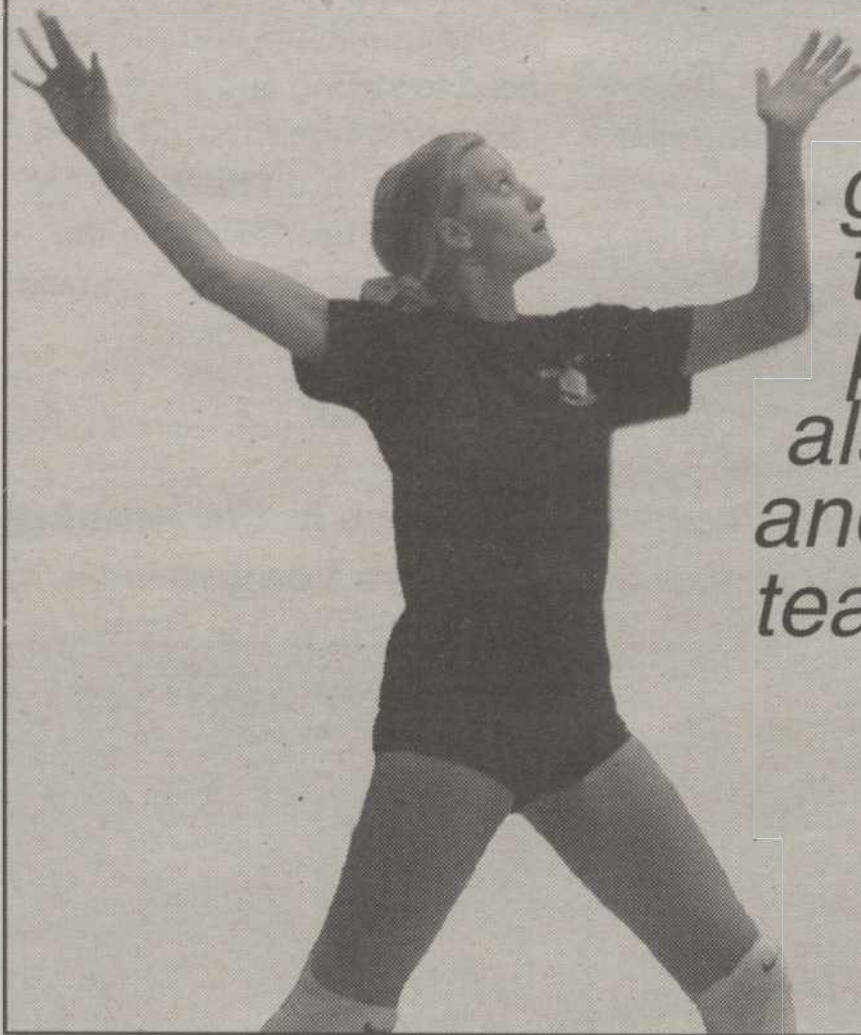


SENIORITY

Girls volleyball uses tradition and determination to overcome youth



"As the only senior I need to be strong but not mean. I'm going to amp up the team and have a positive attitude. I also want to be equal and encourage the team."

Isabel Valentine, senior

Upcoming games

Tuesday, 6:15 p.m. vs Milwaukie
Oct. 22 @ WLHS

Tuesday, 8 a.m. WLHS
Oct. 27 Invitational

Thursday, 6:15 p.m. @ Oregon City
Oct. 29

Highlights:

- The team is currently ranked first in the Three Rivers League despite a loss to Lakeridge on Oct. 16.
- There is only one senior on the team compared to eight last year and three freshman.
- The team practices for 3^{1/2} hours per day, more than any other WLHS team.

Upcoming games

Thursday 7:30 p.m. @ Lake Oswego
Oct. 22

Tuesday 7:30 p.m. vs Rex Putnam
Oct. 27 @ WLHS

Thursday 7:30 p.m. @ Clackamas
Oct. 29

Highlights:

- They had their first shutout against Oregon City, 4-0.
- Defeated Putnam, 2-1.
- Beat Milwaukie, 3-2.
- Beat Lakeridge for first time since 2001, 4-1.
- Currently fifth in the Three Rivers League.

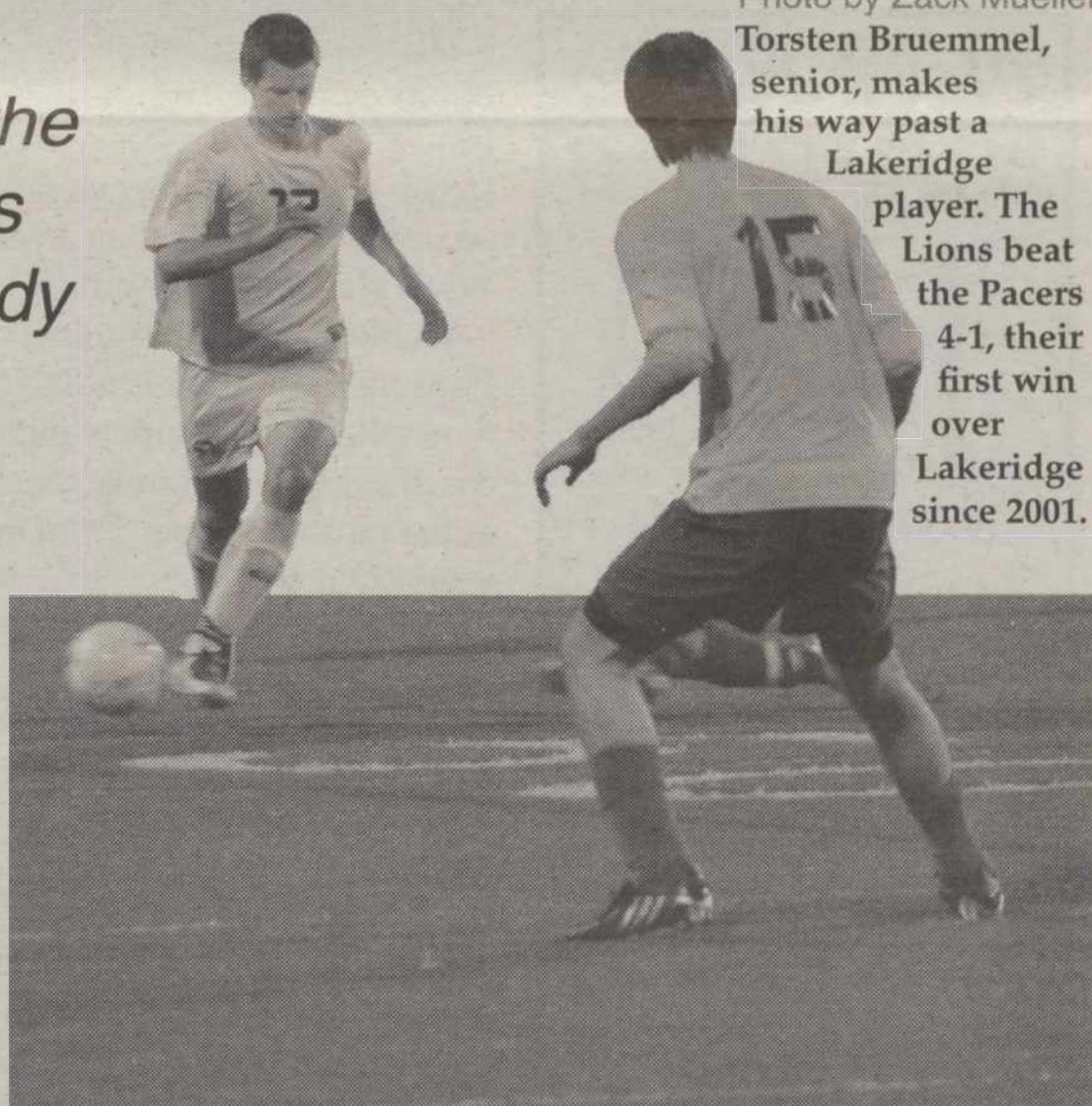
Tenacity

Young Varsity Boys' Soccer Team looks to improve record

"One of the things we're fighting is the idea that we're as good as everybody around us."

—Greg Bean, head coach

Photo by Zack Mueller
Torsten Bruemmel, senior, makes his way past a Lakeridge player. The Lions beat the Pacers 4-1, their first win over Lakeridge since 2001.



Sheron's Scoop

OREGON TEAMS SUFFER ROUGH START

ASHLEY SHERON

Fans have been hyped for Oregon State Beavers and Oregon Ducks football but they have not lived up to expectations. Starting with two wins, the Beavers lost the next two games. One of the most talked about games to start the college football season was Oregon at Boise State. The game is still being talked about because of the 19-8 Oregon loss and Duck player, LeGarrette Blount, punching a Boise State player, a teammate and a Boise State fan.

So far the Beavers have been unpredictable leaving

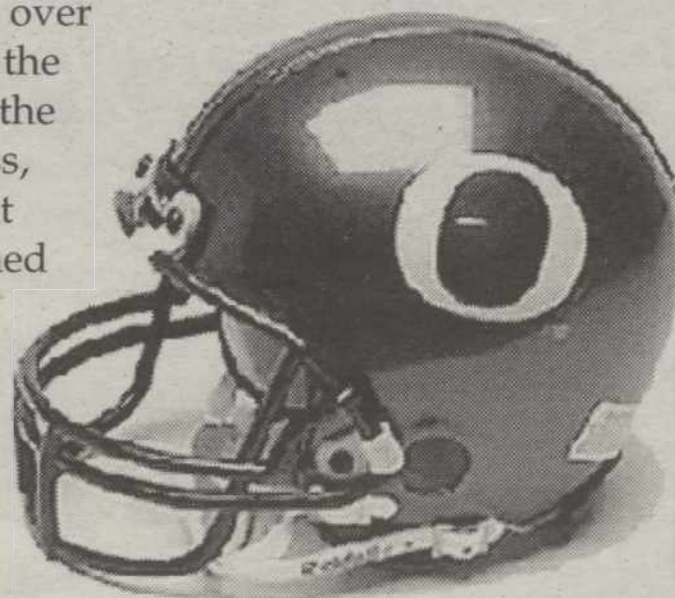
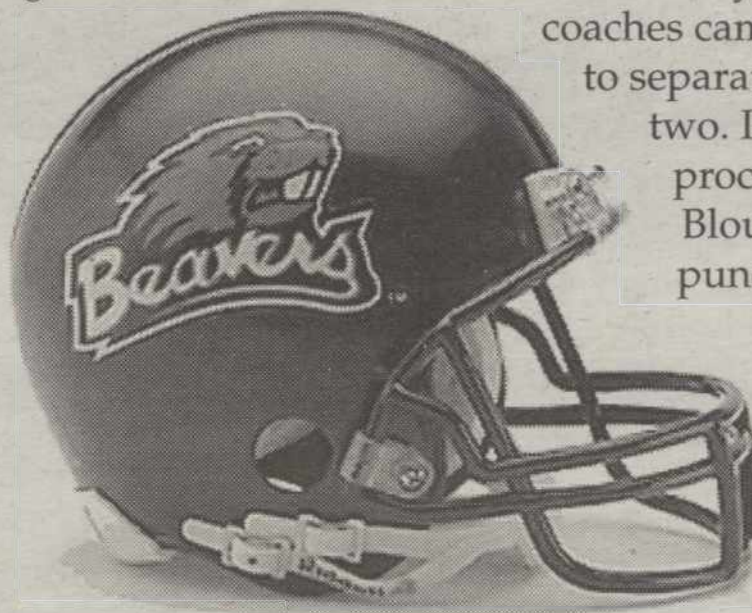
them ranked ninth in the Pac-10 standings just above Washington State. They face a challenging schedule and need to step up their game to succeed.

Playing on Boise State's new blue football field, the Ducks lost, 19-8. Instead of walking off the field and thinking of ways to grow from the loss, Blount punched a Bronco player in

the face.

Immediately, coaches came over to separate the two. In the process, Blount punched

was being escorted out by security.



trying to hold him back. Blount also punched a Boise State fan who was antagonizing him as he

coach Chip Kelly announced almost immediately after the incident that Blount would not play in any games

including any bowl games but the Ducks would allow him to practice regularly with the team. Fast forward to Kelly's controversial announcement that the new plan would allow him to play in any game that doesn't fall on a Saturday—which is the Civil War against Oregon State. Only one bowl game doesn't fall on a Saturday. Since the incident, the Ducks haven't lost a game.

The Ducks need to straighten out the situation with Blount and the Beavers need to step up their game if they hope to improve on their slow starts.