back heel into the upper left corner by junior Abigail

McNary goalkeeper Sydney Snapp made a diving save in the 37th minute to keep the game tied 1-1 entering halftime.

Munguia then placed a shot 30 yards out over the Lincoln goalkeeper's head to put the Celts up 2-1 in the 45th minute.

After two close calls, including another diving save from Snapp and a shot off the left post, Lincoln tied the game 2-2 in the 52nd minute, finding a gap in the McNary defense and hitting a one time shot off a cross from the right side from 12 yards out to the upper right corner.

Lincoln scored the winning goal in the 60th minute, connecting with a cross from the outside in the middle of the box to make it 3-2.

With Wyatt out with mono, Nash played a rotation of girls who were normally fill-ins.

"They couldn't keep up mentally the quickness of the game and the pace of the game," Nash said. "They only lost them (Lincoln forwards) probably five times but every time they lost them it was either a dynamic diving save by Sydney or a goal. Ultimately, their center of the park was able to find the ball in dangerous positions."

The Lady Celts began to push defenders into the attack, and took chances with additional offensive substitutions in the final ten minutes. But Lincoln closed out the game well, playing deep to the corners and locking Mc-Nary into their defensive end with good pressure.

"We competed against a great team," Nash said. "We



McNary junior Gina Munguia scored a goal and had an assist in the Lady Celts 3-2 loss at Lincoln on Saturday, Oct. 28.

relentlessly battled all the way to the final whistle just about every game this season so I was incredibly proud of their performance."

Nash credited Snapp, who finished with 15 saves, for keeping the Lady Celts in the game.

"She had the best game of her season that day, 15 saves and of those, six of them you knew were goals until she saved it," Nash said. "You were ready to tip your hat to the opponent and then all of the sudden she got a finger

McNary finished the season 8-4-2, advancing to the state playoffs in back-to-back

"Last year we were excited

"This year we were disappointed to lose even as the underdog, which tells you the direction of where the program is heading."

The Lady Celts return all but one starter—Jessy Shore.

"We've got some unfinished business," Nash said. "I'm excited that these freshmen and sophomores that weren't on the team last year that got their first playoff experience, they won't be as starstruck."

Lincoln defeated Aloha on Tuesday, Oct. 31 4-1 to advance to the quarterfinals of the state tournament.



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McNary's boys soccer team wasn't able to upset No. 1 Jesuit, falling to the Crusaders 2-0 on Saturday, Oct. 28 in the first round of the state playoffs.

The Celtics were even with Jesuit until the Crusaders broke the 0-0 tie in the 33rd

The Celtics finished the season 6-7-3, losing to Jesuit in the first round of the playoffs for the second year in a

VOLLEYBALL

McNary's volleyball team lost at No. 3 Sheldon 3-0 (25-16, 25-17, 25-20) in the first round of the state tournament on Wednesday, Oct. 25.

The Lady Celts finished 10-13 overall and fourth in the Greater Valley Conference.

Sheldon also swept Roseburg 3-0 (25-23, 25-17, 25-15) on Saturday, Oct. 28 to advance to the quarterfinals.



KEIZERTIMES/Derek Wiley McNary junior Francisco Rios led the Celtics in scoring with







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