

## **2006/7 Campaign**

The Lady Twisters completed their fall outdoor season with a strong 5-2-2 record taking third place in the very competitive Championship division. The Twisters moved on to the Play-off semi-finals against Wilson . In a tightly fought battle, both teams demonstrated solid defense and exciting offensive rushes. However, Wilson took a 1-0 lead into halftime. The second half was more of the same with both teams playing strong soccer and limiting the number of offensive opportunities. The game ended 1-0 in favor of Wilson . The Twisters battled right until the end and continued to show their team spirit and unending effort until the final whistle.

Highlights during the season:

1. Racing out to 4 straight wins.
2. An exciting come from behind win against Back Mountain
3. Top 17 National Soccer Ranking Finish for 2006/7 season.

### **Tournament Season:**

#### **Runner-up at Colleen Reilly Tournament**

LYA Twisters traveled to Horsham and placed 2nd in 2006 Colleen Reilly Tournament finishing with a 1-1-2 record. This was the first competition for the girls in the 2006 season. In typical Twister fashion, the girls frustrated their opponents playing a stifling defense and shutting out three of their four opponents. The team moves on to compete in the Al Pernini Labor Day tournament before opening their season in September. The Twisters will play in the Championship Level in PAGS (Philadelphia Area Girls Soccer) league for the 2006/7 season. The Twisters hit the road to Dillsburg, PA and enjoyed two fun days in the Gettysburg area. The soccer was exciting and the Twisters put up a solid effort on defense and offense both days. The Lady Twisters finished 3<sup>rd</sup> out of 16 behind their rival West Chester and the North Carroll Cyclones. A true recognition of the girl's effort is best expressed when it is recognized by those outside of the team. I am proud to say the girls received several compliments for their effort and team play from several of the other teams' coaches at the tournament. Nice job Twisters!! All the teams played hard and provided for great competition during the two day event.

The Twisters moved on to their first indoor season for a short 8 week session at The Far Post. The Twisters battled a feisty and skilled Nether Providence team in the semi-final game and posted an exciting 1-0 victory in overtime. The victory moved the Twisters into the final against Methacton's premier team. Methacton broke out to a quick two-nil lead, and in great Twister fashion, the Twisters battled back and scored twice to push the game to overtime. Both teams removed their goaltenders and battled hard, but Methacton found the golden goal and posted a 3-2 victory.

The Twisters move on to the Leagues United Indoor Cup on February 10 and follow up that tournament with the EPYSA Indoor State Cup: A-level on March 10. The season moves back outdoors for the spring season, the Twisters will play in the EPYSA sponsored (NSC Championship Series) Spring Cup. Well done girls. We are really proud for the entire season effort.

## 2006/7 Schedule

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Team camp will be July 23 to July 27.

Practice: Wed and Fri: 6pm to 7:30pm

Fields: Eagleview Fields

Colleen Reilly Tournament- Finalist 2006/7

Dillsburg ShootOut – Third out of 16

The Far Post: 1st 8 week Session: Finalist Session 1

2006/7 EPYSA Indoor State Cup – Quarterfinalist

EPYSA NSC Championship Spring Cup- Spring 2007: Deep Run 2 – Lionville 0