

Girls Varsity

Passion is one thing that is evident in athletes, soccer included. Practice is how games are won. This is true in a sense that in practice, all essential skills are learned for a game to be successful. A goal of the girls varsity soccer team is to become more successful this season, work harder in practices, and as a team as a whole. Many players are returning members and have been playing for more years than can be recalled. Growth has been evident this season as the Lady Cougars grew together as a team. As said by Anson Dorrance, "the vision of a champion is someone who is bent over, drenched in sweat, at the point of exhaustion, when no one else is watching." Most often at the practices of the girls, one can see at least one person exhibiting these behaviors, thus making them that of a champion.



Samantha Calcutt sophomore began playing soccer at a young age. "I enjoy the sport as a whole and I love the people I play with."

As a returning member of the varsity girls soccer team, freshman Tara Ramey is a center-mid fielder. Since the beginning of Ramey's soccer career, she has always played this position.

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"We all got chosen for our positions based upon the skills we exhibited during tryouts," explained junior Lacey Thompson.

Juniors Taylor Montjoy and Marissa O'Quinn practice ball drill during practice.



Prior to drill work at practice, the team gathers around Coach Bradley Rickert to receive the practice plan.

