

**Bloomsburg
State College**

**SOCCER
1981**



Luke Sakalosky (foreground), Rod Koch (background)

Soccer Outlook - 1981

Coming off its first rebuilding season since 1977 the Bloomsburg State College soccer picture looks very bright and the players and coaching staff are entering the 1981 campaign with an extremely optimistic attitude. The Huskies are looking forward to returning to their spot among the leaders in the Pennsylvania State Athletic Conference.

The graduation of three outstanding seniors creates a void, which head coach Lou Mingrone, now in his seventh year at the helm, will seek to fill from a group of talented freshmen and transfers. Gone from a year ago are tri-captains Toby Rank, a four-time All-PSAC eastern division selection, midfielder Brian Farrell, and goalie Greg Malloch.

The booters, who open the slate with a September 12 date at New Jersey Tech, enter the year with a six-year mark of 48-27-3. After four straight winning seasons, BSC slipped to a record of 5-12-1 a year ago, but in the process a young squad gained valuable experience and is anxious to rejoin other top notch regional contenders in the battle for a post-season tournament berth.

Leading the list of returnees is junior Luke Sakalosky, who was chosen to the All-PSAC eastern division team along with Rank last season. He was also the team's second leading scorer a year ago with six goals.

Also returning are backs Roger Stetler and Gary Gallagher, who have been chosen as the captains for this year's team. After contributing four goals last season as a freshman, striker Fred McCaffrey is back for his sophomore season as are Terry Gross, Lou Mickley, and Steve Whaley. Senior Ken Neubeck will move from halfback to fullback to help bolster the defense while Rod Koch will move into the goal where he'll battle with three others for the starting role.

Junior Bill Sypawka will add experienced depth to the striker position and juniors Jim Byrne and Mike Keller are the base on which Mingrone will build his midfield line.

"We will still be very young compared to most of our opponents, but skillwise this is the best group I've ever had," commented Mingrone. "The guys have been working very hard as a team and with all this young, fresh talent, it should be an exciting year."

The roster includes just two seniors and 10 juniors to go along with 12 sophomores and six freshmen.

"Once we become accustomed to each other, I think we're going to be a pretty good soccer team. It may take us one more year to be outstanding, but we're alleviating all the individualistic play and working as a team and right now that's what matters to me most," added the coach.

Included on the tough schedule is Lock Haven, the defending NCAA Division II national champions, and Scranton, the 1980 NCAA Division III runnersup.

1981 Soccer Roster

Name	Pos.	Class	Ht.	Wt.	High School	Hometown
Alexander, Jeff	B	Soph.	6'1"	165	Central Dauphin	Harrisburg
Byrne, Jim	S	Jr.	6'1"	165	Neshaminy/Langhorne	Langhorne
Byrne, Mike	MF	Jr.	5'9"	155	Neshaminy-Langhorne	Langhorne
*Connell, Mike	B	Jr.	6'	170	Livingston	Livingston, NJ
**Gallagher, Gary	B	Jr.	5'9"	160	Pennsbury	Yardley
Gross, Terry	S	Soph.	5'8"	140	Tulpehocken	Bethel
Groves, Dean	S	Fr.	6'	165	Central Bucks West	Chalfont
*Hawkins, Phil	S	Soph.	5'5"	140	Fleetwood	Fleetwood
Hilker, Wayne	MF	Fr.	5'9"	145	Upper Merion	King of Prussia
*Kane, Greg	MF	Jr.	6'	150	Fairfield Area	Fairfield
Keller, Curt	S	Fr.	5'9"	165	Pennsbury	Yardley
Keller, Michele	MF	Jr.	5'8"	160	Pennsbury	Yardley
*Koch, Rod	G	Soph.	5'10"	150	Southern Lehigh	Coopersburg
Loch, Tom	G	Fr.	6'1"	160	New Hope-Solebury	New Hope
Makoge, Sunny	S-B	Jr.	6'1"	170	Presbyterian Secondary	Edea, Cameroon
*McCaffrey, Fred	S	Soph.	6'1"	180	Hempfield	Landisville
*Mickley, Lou	B	Soph.	6'	155	Freedom	Bethlehem
*Neubeck, Ken	MF	Sr.	5'11"	160	Hatboro-Horsham	Hatboro
Osei-Wusu, Prosper	S	Soph.	6'1"	160	Prempeh Jones	Sunyani, Ghana
Peckham, Ted	MF	Fr.	5'8"	145	Upper Merion	King of Prussia
Pettis, Eric	G	Jr.	6'4"	185	Harrisburg Academy	Camp Hill
*Rinkus, Mark	S	Sr.	5'8"	145	Bishop Hafey	West Hazleton
*Rotile, Craig	G	Jr.	6'	160	Lenape Valley	Netcong, NJ
*Sakalosky, Luke	MF	Jr.	6'	175	Cedar Crest	Cornwall
*Secoges, Ed	B	Soph.	5'8"	155	Lebanon	Lebanon
**Stetler, Roger	B	Jr.	6'	175	Middleburg	Middleburg
*Sypawka, Bill	S	Jr.	5'8"	145	Central Bucks West	Chalfont
Vincent, Andy	S	Fr.	5'9"	130	Benton Area	Stillwater
*Waterman, Dave	B	Jr.	5'10"	165	Neshaminy/Langhorne	Langhorne
*Wessner, Mike	B	Jr.	5'10"	160	Fleetwood	Fleetwood
*Whaley, Steve	S	Soph.	5'8"	160	Sparta	Mendham, NJ

* Lettermen

** Co-Captains

Assistant Coach



player-coach for a team of BSC students that plays a spring indoor tournament schedule.

The New Hope, PA native received both his bachelor and master's degree in Special Education at BSC. He is currently an instructor for the Central Susquehanna Intermediate Unit during the school year and serves as the Director of the Summerbrook Reading Camp in Solebury, PA during the summer months.

TIM KNOTER has been associated with BSC soccer since its renewal in 1974. He played on the club team in its initial season and was a solid performer in three years with the varsity squad. Upon graduation in 1978, Tim assumed the role of assistant coach and has been in that capacity for the past three seasons. He is also the

Co-Captains



Roger Stetler



Gary Gallagher

Head Coach

DR. LOUIS MINGRONE, professor of biology, was instrumental in the return of soccer as a varsity sport at BSC six years ago. After a 20-year absence of the sport on campus, he initiated a club in 1974 that posted a 2-4-1 mark.



In 1975 when soccer was named BSC's 14th varsity sport, Mingrone's young squad finished the campaign with a respectable 4-5-1 record. The Huskies improved to 7-4-1 in 1976 and the following season, only the team's third year in collegiate soccer, BSC chalked up a fine 9-3 mark and captured the eastern division crown in the Pennsylvania State Athletic Conference. The booters lost to western division titlist and eventual NCAA Division III champion Lock Haven, 1-0, in the conference championship game. The next year Mingrone's charges completed a 10-2 campaign with one of the losses coming to Missouri-St. Louis (1-0) in the first round of the NCAA Division II tournament. In 1979 the Huskies won the ECAC Southern Regional title while posting a 13-1 record, and after losing eight of eleven starters from that team, BSC dropped to 5-12-1 a year ago.

A native of Dormont, Pennsylvania, Mingrone received his degrees from Slippery Rock, where he lettered in soccer, Ohio University and Washington State University.

Past Post-Season Results

1977 PA Conference Championship

BSC - 0 Lock Haven - 2

1977 ECAC Southern Regional Tournament

BSC - 0 Muhlenburg - 3

1978 NCAA Division II Tournament

BSC - 0 Univ. of Missouri, St. Louis - 1

1979 ECAC Southern Regional Tournament

BSC - 3 Moravian - 2

BSC - 3 E. Stroudsburg - 2

BSC - 1979 Co-Champions Eastern Division Pennsylvania Conference, ECAC Southern Regional Tournament Champions, BSC - 3 Moravian - 2; BSC - 3 E. Stroudsburg - 2. Overall Record 13-1.

College Facts

LOCATION: Bloomsburg, Pennsylvania 17815

ENROLLMENT: 5400 Undergraduates

COLORS: Maroon and Gold

NICKNAME: Huskies

MEMBER: NCAA (Div. II), ECAC (Div. II), Pennsylvania Conference (eastern division)

STADIUM: Robert B. Redman (5000)

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1981 Soccer Schedule

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME
Sept. 12	AT N.J. Tech	1:00 p.m.
Sept. 16	Lock Haven	3:00 p.m.
Sept. 19	AT Shippensburg	1:00 p.m.
Sept. 23	Scranton	3:00 p.m.
Sept. 26	Millersville	1:00 p.m.
Sept. 30	AT Maryland/Baltimore County	3:00 p.m.
Oct. 6	Indiana (Pa)	3:00 p.m.
Oct. 10	*Lycoming	10:00 a.m.
Oct. 14	Bucknell	3:00 p.m.
Oct. 17	Kutztown	1:00 p.m.
Oct. 20	West Chester	3:00 p.m.
Oct. 24	AT Cheyney	1:30 p.m.
Oct. 28	Juniata	3:00 p.m.
Oct. 31	Wilkes	1:00 p.m.
Nov. 2	AT East Stroudsburg	2:00 p.m.
Nov. 4	AT Susquehanna	3:30 p.m.
Nov. 11	PSAC Championship	(West)

*Homecoming

1980 Results

RECORD AGAINST OPPONENTS				
		BSC	OPP.	TIES
Lock Haven	0-11(L)	0	3	0
Elizabethtown	1-2(L)	0	1	0
St. Lawrence	1-2(L)	0	1	0
Shippensburg	1-0(W)	3	3	0
Scranton	0-4(L)	3	2	0
Millersville	1-2(L)	5	1	0
Maryland/Balt. Co.	1-4(L)	1	1	0
York (PA)	0-0(T)	3	1	1
Indiana (PA)	1-4(L)	2	1	0
Slippery Rock	3-5(L)	0	1	0
Bucknell	2-1(W)	1	0	0
Lycoming	2-0(W)	6	0	0
Wilkes	4-0(W)	6	0	0
Kutztown	0-1(L)	2	3	1
West Chester	0-1(L)	0	1	0
Cheyney	3-4(L)	2	1	0
East Stroudsburg	1-2(L)	3	4	0
Susquehanna	2-0(W)	5	1	0
Penn State, Capital	—	2	0	0
Juniata	—	1	0	0
Spring Garden	—	0	0	1
Baptist Bible	—	1	0	0
Messiah	—	1	0	0
Muhlenburg	—	0	1	0
Missouri-St. Louis	—	0	1	0
Moravian	—	1	0	0
Six Year Record		48	27	3
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