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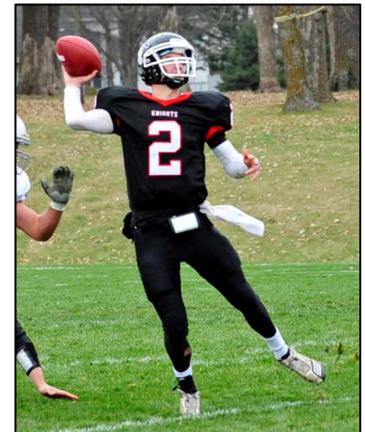
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Rothe Sets Records in Season-Opening Loss

The football team started the season with a 56-54 loss to Maranatha Baptist Bible College, but saw its quarterback set several school records in the high-scoring affair.

Sophomore **Luke Rothe** (*LPS*) set new MLC records for passing yards (399) and completions (27) in a single game to earn UMAC Offensive Player of the Week honors.

The Knights gained 622 total yards on offense, and Rothe finished with six total touchdowns (four passing and two rushing). **Matt Olson** (*SCLHS*) led the rushing attack with 121 yards and two touchdowns on 19 carries. **Micah Plocher** (*MLS*) caught ten passes for 147 yards and one touchdown, while **Dan Rodewald** (*LPS*) also had a big day at wide receiver with five catches for 92 yards and two scores.



Rothe makes the throw

Engelbrecht Reaches Milestone, Named Player of the Week



Engelbrecht goes for another kill

Senior outside hitter **Rebecca Engelbrecht** (*Shoreland*) became the fourth volleyball player in school history to reach 1,000 kills for her career over the weekend.

She was also named to the All-Tournament team for her performance at Bethel University's two-day event, and received UMAC Offensive Player of the Week honors for the second consecutive week.

Engelbrecht entered the season ranked seventh all-time at MLC in career kills with 895, but a strong start to the season has pushed her into the fourth spot. She now has 1,014 for her career, and sits 35 behind **Lisa Gawrisch '00** in third place, and 76 behind second-place **Rachel Kramer '01**. **Rachel Meyer '06** is the school's all-time leader in kills with 1743.

Grey Davis Named Runner of the Week

Sophomore **Grey Davis** (*Lakeside*) was named UMAC Men's Cross Country Runner of the Week for his performance over the weekend at the Crown College Invitational.

Upcoming Events at MLC

9/12 G @ Northland

9/13 VB @ UW-Oshkosh

9/14 FB v. MacMurray
VB @ UW-Oshkosh
XC - MLC Invitational

Davis was the top finisher for MLC at the event, taking sixth place with a time of 28:34.8.

As a team, MLC finished third out of five at the event, with **Darian Schnose** (*MLS*) and **Noah Willitz** (*MLS*) also finishing in the top 30.



Davis runs for the finish line