

## 2020 Season:

### State Tournament, Coeur d'Alene, Middleton, Twin Falls!!

#### **State Championship vs Thunder Ridge @ Twin Falls, 10/27/20**

The game started off with back and forth possession. After things started to settle down, Boise was able to play their game and connect passes through the middle and down the side with a few shots just wide of the goal. Corner kick by Toby Caldara and headed by Zach Owen but was cleared out by defense. In the 12th minute of the game, a nice combination between Toby Caldara and Jack Goode resulted in a shot and a beautiful score by Jack, 1-0!

2nd half Boise maintained the majority of the possession with several combinations through midfield and great defensive stops by the Brave! Unfortunately, with 17 min left to play in the game, Thunder Ridge scored, 1-1. Great cross by Cory Cadwell, but the goalie held on to it before Toby Caldara could get there. More efforts for shots on goal were either wide of the goal or scooped up by the goalie. With 1 minute left in the game, great ball over the top of the defense by Sawyer Luthy to a sprinting Liam McLain, but his shot bounced wide of the goal.

OT play went back and forth without any result. Headed to second OT

During second OT, again the play was back and forth. Lots of pressure and combinations but ended with no goals.

PKs: Arthur Langlet saves one of the kicks and Boise's first five kickers - Jack Goode, Joe Woodley, Liam McLain, Quinn Nichols and Nick Liebich - all give a textbook lesson on how to shoot PK's and bury all 5 shots for a Boise Brave State Championship!! Go Brave!!

#### **State Semi-Championship Game vs Eagle, Postponed from Friday bc of snow, played Monday @ Middleton 10/26/20**

Only three minutes in, a throw in to Toby Caldara who cut the ball back to Jack Goode who one time slotted it in the goal for the first goal of the game, 1-0! Great corner kick to find Nick Liebich's head for a header shot that the goalie unfortunately caught. Great defensive stops by the Brave defense of Cory Cadwell, Zach Owen, Nick Liebich and Ray Womack!! Toby Caldara passed it out wide to Jack Goode who crossed it to a sprinting Calvin Warren who one timed it into the goal for the second goal of the game, 2-0!! Great ball movement from Boise who kept the pressure up. Another awesome corner kick from Toby Caldara to jumping Nick Liebich who headed it in for the third goal of the game, 3-0! Liam McLain got pulled down in the box for a penalty kick. Jack Goode stepped up and buried the ball in the back of the net for the fourth goal for Boise, 4-0. A near collision when Alec Martin came out to grab the ball on a sliding save! More amazing passes and combinations through the midfield. With 6 minutes left in the half, Eagle scored 4-1.

2nd half started with some quick passes and pressure from Eagle, but some good clearances from Boise's defense. More aggressive play and hard tackles by Boise to try and maintain possession of the game. There were several great runs up the side of the field and crosses made without a result in the net, but with 14 minutes left in the game, Toby Caldara scored a beautiful goal off a bad clearance from the Eagle defense. Boise continued to play together as a team with amazing passes, lots of talking, hard work, determination and grit. Game ended 5-1

#### **State Game 1 vs Post Falls, Thursday 10/22/20**

The first game of State started with lots of talking and high pressure by Boise High. Scary moment off a set play from Post Falls, but shot was blocked by the wall and cleared by defense! A great run up the side by Toby Caldara, but was stopped short by the defense and the follow up from Logan McKendrick caught him offside. Boise passing the ball around and making great combinations through the middle with awesome support from the defense!! A set play at the other end by Boise had a great shot by Jack Goode that was just wide of the goal. A short time later, a cross by Braden Black and headed by Jack Goode that forced the goalie to punch it over the top of the goal. More pressure from Boise and a shot by Sawyer went just wide again. Boise continued to work the ball around, but couldn't convert to a goal. Great through ball to Calvin Warren from Sawyer Luthy and then Calvin was taken down in the box for a no call from the ref. Amazing run from Nick Liebich from the back and shot, but a fingertip snag by the goalie. Half ended 0-0.

The second half started with a run from Liam McLain who passed it out wide to Sawyer Luthy who crossed it right in front of the goal to a sprinting Calvin Warren who finished it in the goal, 1-0! Great punching save by Alec Martin off a long ball shot from Post Falls and then cleared by Boise's defense. After some great combinations across the midfield, Toby Caldara displayed some amazing footwork to dribble the defense and shoot hard to score the second goal of the game, 2-0! Next, another amazing stop by the defense who got it up the field to Toby Caldara who then

*crossed it to Braden Black who fired it over the outside of the goal. Jack Goode slipped it through two defenders to Calvin Warren, who shot, but ball was pushed out of bounds by the goalie. Several great defensive stops by Cory Cadwell, Nick Liebich, Zach Owen and Quinn Nichols. More combinations across the field and great runs with some awesome shots that were either saved or just wide of the goal! Boise dominated the game, played strong and tough all the way to the end! 2-0 win*

### **3rd Varsity District Game vs Sky View, Tuesday 10/13/20**

Game started with high pressure and intensity from both teams. Great effort from everyone on the field. Great through ball from Jack Goode to Logan McKendrick who fired a shot but was saved by the goalie. Boise had some amazing pressure and shots on goal, but couldn't get anything to drop in.

After halftime, Jack Goode dropped it in to Toby Caldara who calmly chopped it back and finished it in the goal, 1-0! Braden Black beat three defenders to pass it in the box to Jack Goode who shot but deflected off the goalie and Cory Cadwell was there to follow it up for Boise's 2nd goal, 2-0. Unfortunately, with 14 min left to play, Skyview scored on a set play just out of reach of the outstretched arms of Alec Martin! 2-1. Play continued back and forth with runs up the field and possession mostly by Boise! Great run up the field by Logan McKendrick and cleared out by a defender for a corner kick. Toby Caldara served it in on the far side of the box for a great header by Calvin Warren for the third goal of the game, 3-1 final! On to State next week!!

### **2nd Varsity District Game vs Eagle, Monday 10/12/20**

The second game in District started off with high pressure and quick ball movement from Eagle. Then, Boise started to make some combinations and shots on goal. The defense held strong with Nick Liebich, Cory Cadwell, Zach Owen and Ray Womack! An awesome save by Alec Martin!! Off the corner, the ball bounced around in the box and Calvin Warren put it in for the first score of the game! 1-0. The rest of the half was back and forth play from both teams.

Second half started with multiple shots on goal and corner kicks, but Boise couldn't convert to goals. There were some more amazing stops by the defense!! Some awesome saves by Arthur Langlet! Boise battled hard to win possession of the ball. Boise player got a red card on a questionable play and were playing a man down. Shortly after, Eagle scored on a bouncing ball in the box to tie the game. Play continued with both teams working hard to control the game. High pressure from Eagle and a crazy drooping shot went right over the goalie's outstretched hand for a second Eagle goal, 2-1. Boise worked hard the last minutes of the game and threw everything they had at the Eagles, but lost 2-1.

### **1st Varsity District Game vs Mtn View, Saturday 10/10/20**

Game started with high intensity from both teams. Set play after a hard foul, giving Toby Caldara a chance to score, but his hard shot was saved by the outstretched arm of the goalie. Great run up the sideline by Jack Goode who then had to leap over a defender to lift it in to Logan McKendrick who just missed a header wide of the goal. Toby Caldara crossed it in the box and Nick Liebich headed it for a shot, but was deflected out of bounds for a Boise corner. Boise was working the ball around so well with great combinations and multiple shots on goal, but nothing was dropping in. Braden Black beat the defender to cross it perfectly where Jack Goode side volleyed it in the top of the net. 1-0 with 6 min left in the first half. Cross in, ball bounced around and finish by Nick Liebich for Boise's 2nd goal, 2-0. Header in the box by Toby Caldara was bobbled by the goalie and Joe Woodley was there to finish it all the way in the net, 3-0.

Second half started with Jack Goode running side by side with defender and he calmly placed it in the back of the net! 4-0 Calvin Warren beat a defender to the end line where he crossed it to a running Sawyer Luthy who placed it perfectly down low in the corner for the 5th goal, 5-0. Logan McKendrick took a defender to the end line again and chopped it back across the field to a waiting Liam McLain who shot and scored the 6th goal for Boise! Great defensive stops to keep the shutout! More combination play and high pressure from the Brave offense to continue to put pressure on the Mavericks. With 2 min left, a fantastic punching save over the top of the goal by Boise goalie, Arthur Langlet! Game ended 6-0.

### **JV District Championship game vs Rocky Mountain, Saturday 10/10/20**

*On Saturday, the boys JV soccer team found itself in the championship game versus underdog Rocky Mountain. Rocky Mountain made it to the final after defeating Timberline in penalty kicks and then upsetting another top seed in Mountain View. From the onset of the game it was apparent that Boise was ready to play as the Brave attack was fierce to begin with. Boise had several great chances to score in the first half but came up short each time. In the second half it was more of the same as Boise controlled the game with steady defense, solid play from the midfield and nice shots on goal from the attackers. However, Boise could not find the back of the net so the game found its*

way into overtime and penalties. With the game going to penalties it truly was anyone's game. Unfortunately for Boise, the first 3 attempts were either missed or saved by the Rocky goalie where as Rocky made their first 2 attempts. Boise goalie Hugo Cabrera made a big save to give Boise some life on the 3rd Rocky penalty kick. Jack Montgomery was able to give Boise some hope with finding the net for Boise on our 4th kick. With 2 shots left for Rocky they needed to make one more to win. Rocky was able to find the back of the net on their next penalty which secured the win for Rocky. While it was a disappointing way to end the season for Boise, it was still an incredibly successful year. The team finished with a record of 8 wins 1 loss and 2 ties. Overall the team scored 38 goals and only conceded 5. The future remains bright for Boise High Boys Soccer, in large part, because of this group of athletes. Congrats on a great season and best of luck with your upcoming return to school and club soccer, Coach Rigsby.

#### *Second JV District Game vs Eagle, Friday 10/9/20*

The second game of the District tournament found Boise in a semifinal game versus Eagle High. Eagle got an opening round win over Borah. Early in this game you could tell that Boise High was the better team and would control the game. To start the game off Boise had great possession of the ball and worked up the field quickly to put pressure on the Eagle defense. About 8 minutes into the game Boise had several chances consecutively at the goal. Freshmen Ves Rider was able to connect with his head on the last of the chances and put away the first goal. Throughout the rest of the first half the defense was stout, the midfield was dominant and the attack put pressure on Eagle. In the second half it was more of the same with Boise controlling the game. To seal the deal for Boise and secure a win, another goal would be needed. Andy Schell carved up the Eagle defense and played a great ball to Daniel Hirai who scored the second goal to give Boise all the comfort it needed in defeating Eagle 2-0.

#### *First JV District Game vs Centennial, Thursday 10/8/20*

The first game of the District Tournament found Boise matched up with Centennial. Centennial was a pesky opponent from the start and kept Boise on its toes with scrappy play. The game was back and forth throughout with neither team controlling the tempo. Going into half it was a 0-0 game. Both teams were getting used to a new opponent and playing on a football field that was narrow and overly bumpy. In the second half Boise woke up and started controlling the game a bit more. After a foul on junior Andy Schell, Boise found itself with a free kick from about 30 yards out on the sideline. The freekick found its way into the box where a mad dash to get to the ball ensued. Daniel Hirai was the first to make good contact with the ball and slotted away the game winning goal for Boise. Overall it was a great start to the tournament for Boise.

#### **Varsity vs Skyview, Tuesday 10/06/20 SENIOR NIGHT!!**

A big shoutout to our Boise Brave Seniors! We wish them luck in their future adventures and are so grateful to have had them play soccer at Boise High! **Congrats to Braden Black, Toby Caldara, Jackson Fornander, Jack Goode, Nick Liebich, Alec Martin, Logan McKendrick, Quinn Nichols, Zach Owen, Calvin Warren, Nick Warren and Ray Womack!**

The game started with all seniors and some great runs and combination passing. Soon, Boise took a Corner kick from Toby Caldara, defense tried to clear it out, but the ball bounced around and Nick Liebich gave it a side head flick over the goalie for the first Brave goal of the game, 1-0. Short time later, Logan McKendrick beat a player down the side of field, crossed it to Jack Goode, who shot it hard, but goalie saved it. Then, a cross by Jackson Fornander to Calvin Warren who headed it, keeper saved it, but Nick Warren followed it up by blasting it in the back of the net. Boise up 2-0. Calvin Warren intercepted a goal keeper clearance and then tucked it away for the third Brave goal of the game, 3-0. Great ball way up the field from Jack Goode to a sprinting Braden Black who chopped it back to fake out the defender for a shot on goal that was just wide. Great defensive stops by Nick Liebich, Ray Womack, Cory Cadwell and Jackson Fornander. After a great keeper save by Alec Martin, Jackson Fornander played a big ball up top to Calvin Warren who cut the ball back not once, twice, but three times to fire off a shot and score!!! 4-0 half. Second half started with back and forth play from both teams. Defensive stop by Liam McLain who passed it to Jack Goode who slipped it right through the Skyview defense to Braden Black, who shot a low, hard shot for the fifth Boise goal, 5-0! Corner kick from Toby Caldara to Nick Liebich who headed it in for Boise's 6th goal. A little while later, Arthur Langlet had an awesome save to keep the game as a shutout. Game ended with a Boise victory 6-0

#### **JV vs Skyview, Tuesday 10/06/20**

To close out the regular season the boys JV soccer team hosted Skyview. This game was a physical fast paced game to start with as Skyview was seeking some redemption after losing to Boise earlier in the season. Boise on the other hand was not going to let this happen. Freshmen midfielder Colin Smith got Boise on the scoreboard with an awesome goal off a nice assist from Jack Montgomery about 15 minutes into the game. Shortly thereafter Colin scored again off a nice pass from Qussai Kadro. The goals continued to come with a great header goal from

freshmen Chase Sakadales off a nice cross from Armani Castro. Just before half Fiston Juma scored the 4th goal of the half after receiving a great ball from Armani. At half it was 4-0. The second half proved to be more of the same domination from Boise. Daniel Hirai scored the teams 5th goal and Fiston Juma scored the team's sixth goal. Goal keeper Hugo Cabrera even assisted on a second half goal off a towering goal kick. This game was the best collective team game of the whole season and showed how good the JV team was. All members of the team contributed and helped lead Boise to a dominant showing over Skyview in the 6-0 win.

#### **Varsity @ Borah, Saturday 10/03/20**

The game began with tons of pressure and great passing by Boise High. Borah managed to get the ball up the field, but Zach Owen had a great defensive play stopping them in their tracks. Back down the field by Boise and multiple feet on the ball trying to get a shot in, but too many Borah legs in the way, out of bounds. Sawyer Luthy takes the corner which ricocheted right to Nick Liebich's feet who made quick work of it and put it in the back of the net, 1-0. Impressive save by Alec Martin by punching over the top of the net. Another shot by Borah, saved by Jack Goode's header. Next a questionable call by the ref on the edge of the box. PK for Borah, 1-1. Boise keeps the pressure up with great passing, get one through the middle to Toby Caldara who puts a powerful shot on goal, but saved by Borah's keeper. Solid defense in the back by Quinn Nichols, Nick Liebich, Zach Owen and Cory Cadwell shuts down any chances Borah might have. Free kick awarded Borah, another great save by Alec Martin. Sawyer Luthy working hard to create chances. Down the left side, great chip pass by Cory Cadwell to Braden Black, crossed and barely cleared by Borah. Great work by Chase Kluksdal and Joe Woodley moving the ball through the middle. Workhorse effort by Jack Goode to Braden Black who uses amazing fast footwork to beautifully place the ball in the low right corner of the goal to end the half 2-1.

Second half starts with a quick run up the right side by Braden Black. Borah counters and cleared by a Nick Liebich header. Braden Black to Toby Caldara, powerful shot just wide of the goal. Free kick by Toby Caldara to Braden Black who heads it back into the middle to Nick Liebich who perfectly places his header just past the goalie's outreached hands, 3-1. Sawyer Luthy effortlessly moving the ball around. Braden Black to Toby Caldara who gives a sprinting Jack Goode a perfectly placed pass for a bullet shot that somehow the Borah goalie stopped. Nick Liebich with another great clear. Beautiful pass by Jackson Fornander to Liam McLain who one touches it and shoots it right past the defender and goalies outstretched body to bury it in the low right corner, 4-1. Another Boise free kick and a flawless trap, turn and shot by Nick Liebich, but saved. A great run by Liam McLain and his left foot strikes again to the lower right corner, 5-1. A smooth, awesome run by Joe Woodley beating all defenders to go one on one with the goalie, GOAL! 6-1. Borah managed to make a run and get a shot off, but calmly saved by Boise High goalie, Arthur Langlet. Hard working Logan McKendrick gets a solid shot off, but saved. Nick Warren and Calvin Warren working hard, showing their speed and frustrating Borah players. Borah gets a free kick and bends it around our wall, but a great save by Arthur Langlet deflates Borah players. Game ends 6-1

#### **JV @ Borah 10/03/20**

On Saturday, Boise High traveled to take on our oldest rival in Borah. An early start on a beautiful Saturday morning could only get better once the game started. Borah came out with solid effort and improved play. However, they had not seen the improved Boise team. Once Boise started connecting and playing solid team soccer it was apparent that Borah was no match for Boise. Midfielder Colin Smith found forward Daniel Hirai with a sweet pass to set up a shot on goal that was initially saved and then put away with extra effort from Hirai. Before halftime Junior Welongo (Tony) Malumalu played a great cross to fellow Junior Fiston Juma who finished with a header goal. It was 2-0 going into halftime. In the second half Boise continued to control the game. Goalkeeper Hugo Cabrera Gutierrez made a couple nice saves and the defense was stellar. Boise had a number of solid chances in the second half but did not score again. In the end the game finished 2-0 but that was not indicative of how dominant of an performance Boise had. It was a great team effort and a solid victory. With the win Boise improves to 5-0-2 on the season. Tuesday, October 6th is the last game of the regular season versus Skyview. The game marks the last regular season game for a large group of seniors on the varsity team. Congrats to all of the seniors and all they have accomplished at Boise High on the soccer field. Both Boise teams will look to get wins to continue building momentum heading into the district tournament. Good luck boys, Coach Rigsby.

#### **Varsity @ Capital, Tuesday 9/29/20**

Play started with back and forth possession from both teams. Play continued until there was a foul committed on Capital in the box for a penalty kick. Fortunately, the Kick hit the side post and was turned into a goal kick for Boise! Whew! After the ball was being bounced around a bit, Nick Liebich ended up with it at 30 yards out and roped it up and over the outstretched arms of the goalie for the first goal of the game! 1-0 Boise continued to move the ball around and connect passes all through the midfield, with a few efforts at shots on goal. With only 30 seconds

left in the first half, Braden Black shot on goal and the ball bounced right between the goalie's legs to end the half Boise up 2-0.

Second half started with a beautiful ball played by Nick Liebich to Sawyer Luthy who out paced the defense for a goal! 3-0 A short time later, Chase Kluksdal played a ball to Sawyer Luthy who turned quickly and shot a low fast shot to score Boise's 4th goal! 4-0 A Scramble for the ball had Logan McKendrick coming up with it and racing to the end line to serve it in to Braden Black who finished it into the net for the 5th goal. Down on the other end, there was a great jumping save by Boise goalie, Alec Martin off of a lofting shot by Capital. Great combination work from Braden Black to Logan McKendrick to Sawyer Luthy, who had a defender on his hip, but managed to slip it past the goalie with his left foot for Boise's 6th goal! Shortly after, a hard foul on Logan McKendrick set up a ball played in from Jackson Fornander to a flying Zach Owen who headed it in for the 7th goal of the game. Unfortunately, Capital scored with 6 min left in the game. 7-1 Capital scored again on a set play to end the game 7-2

#### **JV vs Capital 9/29/20**

On Tuesday, the JV Boys soccer team traveled to play Capital on short rest. After the barrage of goals that completed the game on Monday, the team picked up where they left off. To start off the game, Junior Andy Schell picked up 2 goals from great passes from fellow junior Jack Gwin. Freshmen Chase Sakadales scored the 3rd goal after receiving a nice pass from Armani Castro. To close out the half, sophomore Qussai Kadro picked up his first goal of the year. The second half was more of the same with complete domination of Capital. To start the scoring, goalkeeper Hugo Cabrera-Gutierrez finished a penalty kick. Attackers Kye McAllister and Andy Schell scored goals 6 and 7. Newcomer Sebastian Wampler scored a nice goal off a good pass from Evan Fornander. Captain and normal starting centerback scored 2 goals to increase the lead. To seal the deal Fiston Juma scored 2 goals. The final assist was credited to Welongo (Tony) Malumalu. Jack Montgomery and Jack Gwin split time in the goal during the second half. The final score read 12-0 for Boise.

#### **Varsity vs Capital, Monday 9/28/20**

Less than 2 minutes into the game, Liam McLain passed to Jack Goode in the middle who turned quickly and fired off a shot that sailed over the goalies head for Boise's first goal. 1-0 Great clearance from Cory Cadwell all the way up top to a sprinting Toby who beat the defender and crossed it just out of reach of Liam McLain. Boise continued to put dangerous balls in play for a goal, but were stopped short by the Eagles defense. Strong knuckle ball shot by Toby Caldara, left the goalie stunned as he cleared it off his hands over the crossbar. Liam McLain beat the Eagle defender and took him to the end line where he tried to slip it past the goalie-the ball trickled under the goalie's arm where Jack Goode was there to help the ball over the line for the 2nd Brave goal of the game. After working the ball around, the passes ended up on Joe Woodley's foot who got off a quick, low shot to score Boise's 3rd goal! After only a few minutes, Sawyer Luthy lifted in a perfectly placed ball to a leaping Nick Liebich who headed it in for the 4th goal. Calvin Warren put great pressure on the goalie who fumbled the ball around, but the ball was cleared by the defender. After connecting several passes in a row and dominating the possession, Sawyer Luthy passed it to Chase Kluksdal who cut it past a defender and fired a laser over the goalie's head-for goal number 5!

Second half started with good ball movement and a shot on goal by Liam McLain, but was scooped up by the goalie. Set play shot by Liam deflected off the wall, bounced around the penalty box and a header by Zach Owen was caught by goalie. A short time later, a hard foul on Liam set up a great shot on goal from Joe Woodley who curved it just out of reach of the goalie in the upper corner of the net! 6-0 There was a scramble in the box and the ball slipped out and under Boise's goalie for a Capital goal. 6-1 Good run up the middle by Calvin Warren who beat three defenders and shot hard on goal, but was saved by the goalie. Good defensive stops by Jackson Fornander, Cory Cadwell, Nick Warren and Ray Womack. Almost had a twin connection when Nick Warren passed it up and over the defense to a sliding Calvin, but was just out of his reach! A few great catches and saves by Arthur Langlet after some shots by Capital! Toby Caldara slid a perfectly placed pass up to Jack Goode who crossed it to Nick Liebich, who gracefully slipped it right under the goalie's outstretched arm for the 7th Brave goal. After taking a hard foul, Toby Caldara stepped up to the set play and roped the ball past a flying goal keeper for another Brave goal. 8-1 Zach Owen crossed the ball to a waiting, wide open Toby Caldara who calmly scored the 9th goal for Boise. Boise continued to pass the ball around and challenge for more shots on goal. Game ended 9-1

#### **JV vs Capital 9/28/20**

On Monday, the Boise High JV Boys soccer team took on cross town opponent Capital. Early you could tell that Boise was going to control this game. Time after time Boise was putting pressure on the Capital defense and goal keeper with Capital putting up little pressure on Boise. However, Boise missed many shots and had several one on

one opportunities come up short. Nonetheless prior to halftime Kye McAllister played a sweet ball to Daniel Hirai who finished the first goal of the game to give Boise a 1-0 lead going into half. In the second half Boise started opening things up and an onslaught of goals poured in. In the second half there were goals from Daniel Hirai, Kye McAllister (2), Armani Castro, Fiston Juma and Colin Smith. Assists in the second half were credited to Daniel Hirai, Evan Goode and Evan Fornander. The defense was stout throughout the game and it was a solid overall team effort in the 7-0 win for Boise.

#### **Varsity @ Timberline, Saturday, 9/26/20**

Game started with high pressure from Boise resulting in a few good shots by Toby Caldara. Calm clearances from the defense to stop the advances of Timberline's front line. Play continued back and forth with combination play through the midfield and defensive stops! Great combination passing between Calvin Warren, Nick Warren, Sawyer Luthy and Jack Goode to work their way up the field, but were stopped short by Timberline defense. Then came a defensive stop by Nick Liebich who cleared it out to Braden Black who crossed it over to a sprinting Calvin Warren, who battled with a defender for possession of the ball, but went out of bounds for a corner kick. Corner kick found the head of a jumping Nick Liebich but went just wide of the goal. The half ended with a 0-0 tie. Boise was working hard at pressuring the defense and connecting passes, but couldn't get anything to land in the goal.

Second half started with more pressure from Boise and a shot by Nick Liebich just wide of the goal. Awesome defensive stops by Cory Cadwell and Nick Warren! Boise got the ball on a bad pass from a defender. Jack Goode passed it to Toby Caldara who fired a laser of a shot but hit the side post! Then, more combination play and Sawyer Luthy hit a shot that was deflected off the goalies hands, and was cleared by Timberline defense! Give and go between Jack Goode and Sawyer Luthy, with a shot just wide of the goal. More give and go between Sawyer Luthy, Toby Caldara and Jack Goode! But the ball was just out of reach for Toby to reach for a shot. Incredible coverage of the field by Chase Klucksdal helping out defensively and offensively! Combination play from Liam McLain to Jack Goode who had a defender right on him but was one on one with goalie, shot hard and deflected by goalie's hands and tried to follow up but the ball trickled out of bounds. Another hard shot by Toby Caldara deflected off goalie's hands again, but was followed up by Logan McKendrick for a corner kick. Boise was battling hard to try and score. Unfortunately, Timberline had a set play after a foul and the shot went in for a Timberline score. 0-1 with 4 minutes left in the game. Another combination from Jack Goode to Toby, but shot was saved over the top of the goal by goalie. Boise battled until the whistle, but came up short with a 0-1 loss to the Wolves.

#### **JV vs Timberline 9/26/20**

On Saturday, 9/26 the boys team wrapped up the week with its 4th game in 6 days versus Timberline. Saturday's game was back and forth and tight the whole time. Going into half it was tied 0-0 after a few decent chances from the Boise attack. In the second half it was more of the same being a bit back and forth. Boise tended to keep possession a bit more and had some good opportunities at goal but in the end could not find the back of the net. The back line (Nate Privari, Marcos Chavez-Miranda, Jack Montgomery, Evan Fornander and Jackson Hammond) played a strong game not allowing any legitimate opportunities at the goal. Jack Gwin and Evan Goode had solid performances in the midfield. Good first week and I look forward to seeing what week 2 of the season brings with 2 games versus Capital and another game versus Borah, Coach Rigsby.

#### **Varsity @ Skyview, Thursday, 9/24/20**

Game started off with a set play by Skyview off a foul by Boise. Kick was straight to the goalie, Alec Martin, who caught it for a save. Down on the other end of the field, set play by Boise resulted in no one connecting on the other end of the kick from Toby Caldara. Great combination play between Jack Goode, Quinn Nichols, Sawyer Luthy, Liam McLain and Toby Caldara. Strong shot by Sawyer Luthy off a back pass that sailed just over the top of the goal. A few amazing defensive stops by Chase Klucksdal, Nick Liebich, and Cory Cadwell! Then, a cleared ball up to the top by Jack Goode to a sprinting Logan McKendrick who calmly cut the ball back across the defense to score Boise's first goal of the game. 1-0 Defensive stop by Nick Liebich who passed it up to Jack Goode, who slipped it through the defense to Toby Caldara, but the goalie made a finger tip save on Toby's shot for a corner kick. With 7 minutes left in the first half, Boise was knocking all around the goal with shots from Nick Liebich, Sawyer Luthy and Jack Goode. Nick Warren passed to Braden Black who crossed it to a sliding Calvin Warren with his outstretched leg that just barely missed the ball! Halftime! 2nd half started out slow and with lots of pressure from Skyview. PK awarded to Skyview but an incredible save by the Boise High goalie, Arthur Langlet, kept the game at 1-0. Play continued with good stops by Ray Womack, Cory Cadwell, Quinn Nichols and Nick Liebich. Great ball from Toby Caldara to Liam McLain, who played a beautiful ball through to Logan McKendrick, but he was mobbed by defenders and chipped the ball over the goal. Another great connection between Jack Goode, Toby Caldara,

Logan McKendrick and Liam McLain, but unfortunately resulted in the goalie saving the shot. Game ended 1-0 with another Boise win!

#### **JV vs Skyview 9/24/20**

On Thursday, 9/24 the boys teams traveled out to Skyview in Nampa to take on the Hawks. This game was a bit different from the first 2 as it was played on a football field that was narrow and short in comparison to the standard soccer field. In the first half it was a bit back and forth as Skyview was a pesky opponent. Just before halftime an unfortunate deflection led to a Skyview goal to give them a 1-0 lead. After conceding a tough deflection goal Boise went on the attack with shot after shot but nothing was finding the net. After an onslaught of shots on Skyview's goal Skyview quickly countered Boise and got a second goal going into half to take a 2-0 lead. At half, the boys decided it was time to take over and it showed instantly after the kickoff. 20 seconds into the 2nd half Sophomore Kye McCallister crushed a shot off a nice pass from Daniel Hirai into the net to give Boise some much needed momentum. Moments later defender Jack Montgomery put the second goal away to tie the game up off a nice pass from Armani Castro. Within just under 10 minutes of second half play Boise had regained control of the game. Freshman Ves Rider played some solid outside mid in the 2nd half to create several goal scoring opportunities and a couple free kicks as Boise continued to exert their will in the 2nd half. To close out the game Boise put in 3 more goals. Kye McCallister found the back of the net again. Defender Marcos Chavez Miranda played a great ball to Andy Schell who put away the 4th goal. Daniel Hirai finished off the scoring after receiving a great through ball from Kye. It was a dominant second half that showed the potential of this Boise team. 2 newcomers to the squad made their first appearance of the season in Goalkeeper Hugo Cabrera and defender Jackson Hammond. We look forward to seeing how they can contribute to the team's efforts moving forward.

#### **JV vs Borah 9/22/20**

Tuesday, 9/22 marked the return to the pitch for the Boise JV team against other cross town rival Borah. The boys were ready for some redemption after narrowly missing out on a win against Timberline to start the season. Early and often Boise had many shots at the goal and put Borah under constant pressure. However our shots were not falling until right before half when Junior Welongo (Tony) Malumalu scored a slick goal off a nice pass from Junior Andy Schell to give the team a 1-0 lead going into half. In the second half it was more of the same with ball control, tons of shots on the goal and stout defense. To close out the game Sophomore Evan Goode found Junior Fiston Juma for the game's second goal to bring the final score to 2-0. Goalkeeper Arthur Langlet got the clean sheet and once again it was a great team effort with all players contributing in the victory.

#### **Varsity vs Timberline, Monday, 9/21/20**

The Brave would like to extend our heartfelt love and support to Sean Sullivan and his family as he recovers from a bike accident. #bebrave Sean, we miss you!

The game started with a few good runs down the side from Logan McKendrick and a blocked shot on goal from Sawyer Luthy. An incredible tackle in the box by Nick Liebich on a Timberline shot to prevent a shot on goal. Cross by Toby Caldara to Jack Goode, but his shot went just wide of the goal. Pass from Jack Goode to Sawyer Luthy who dribbled through the defense to have a hard shot on goal that knocked the keeper off his feet, but was cleared by the Timberline defense. Play continued with a strong shot on goal by Jack Goode from a set play after a hand ball by Timberline. Goalie punched it out of bounds for a corner kick. Shortly after, Boise finally put one in the back of the net by Toby Caldara off a beautiful cross from Jack Goode! Soon after, Nick Warren had a shot on goal, just wide of the goal. A fast paced run up the side of the field and cross by Braden Black, but was scooped up by the goalie. Several amazing stops by Boise's defense: Nick Liebich, Jackson Fornander, Joe Woodley and Nick Warren. Play continued with combinations through the middle and pressure from the front line.

Halftime score 1-0

2nd half started off with great ball movement and a through ball to Logan McKendrick, but was called offsides. Next, was a hard low shot by Toby Caldara, but was picked up by goalie. Shortly after, was an incredible through ball by Jack Goode to a sprinting Liam McLain who connected with the ball but ended in a cluster with the goalie and defender and the ball rolled just outside of the goal. A short time later, Logan McKendrick on a full sprint, running side by side with a defender, shot on goal but just trickled to the side of the goal. Boise was knocking all around the goal!! Boise's goalie, Alec Martin, had a great finger tip roll of a save over the top of the goal to prevent a Timberline score. Another great effort from Boise off a set play by Toby Caldara to Jack Goode, who's shot was barely saved on the line by a defender. Great distribution through the middle from Chase Klusdal! A Corner kick from Liam McLain to Zach Owen's head but was saved by the goalie. Joe Woodley had a nice chest trap down to his foot for a shot on goal, but was saved over the top of the goal by the goalie. Play continued back and forth with some strong defensive stops from Cory Cadwell, Zach Owen and Quinn Nichols. Quick paced run up the side by Calvin

Warren who passed it to Jack Goode and then off to Quinn Nichols but was stopped short by a Timberline defender. Some amazing dribbling down the side of the field by Sawyer Luthy, to beat a defender, crossing the ball to set up a goal for Boise, but the shot was just over the goal. Finally, when the ball was bouncing around and landed at Chase Klukdsal's foot, he shot hard at the goal, the ball was deflected by a defender which made the ball go over the outstretched hand of the goalie for the final goal of the game. Giving Boise their first win of the season!! 2-0 Way to go Boise!

#### **JV vs Timberline 9/21/20**

Monday 9/21 marked the opening kickoff to the shortened fall 2020 soccer season for Boise High. The JV team is coming off a 2019 district championship with high hopes for the 2020 season. On Monday, the team hosted Timberline. Boise got on the scoreboard with an early goal from Freshman Daniel Hirai off a beautiful pass from Sophomore Qussai Kadro. Boise held steady in the first half and controlled the game to take a 1-0 lead going into half. Early in the second half Timberline came out with a bit more energy and were pressing the goal more. After a series of attempts to clear the ball out of the box unfortunately a Boise defender committed a hand ball foul in the penalty box which resulted in a penalty kick for Timberline. Timberline capitalized, tying the game at 1-1. With 20 minutes left in the game it was back and forth between the 2 teams. Boise tended to control the pace and had more chances including an outstanding volley from Sophomore Armani Castro which drilled the crossbar in the last 2 minutes of the game. When the final horn went off the game ended in a tie. Overall it was a great team effort in the first game with all players participating and contributing to the solid effort.