

RC girls may be first to make playoffs in soccer



By Steve Marschke, News-Ledger Editor

Coach Kamal Singh is excited about the prospects of this year's girls soccer squad at River City High School.

"Right now, we're at the half-way point in our league play," he said last week. "Our overall record is 11 wins, three losses. Our league record is three wins, two losses."

The chance of making the playoffs "looks really, really good," he added.

"We'll definitely be one of the top three teams in the league. We'll be trying to beat Woodland, which has won the league."

Who is at the center of this winning team?

Forwards Jaylen Crim and Sydney Schultz, says Singh.

"Jaylen is leading in this section for goal scoring, and Sydney is number five," he said. So we have two of the top five leading scorers in the section on our team."

Singh said that this year's squad may make history by making the playoffs.

"The high school girls have never made the playoffs," he said. "We're looking at breaking that barrier."

He invites locals to come out and check this "exciting group" of soccer players.

The varsity girls will host Rio Linda at RCHS at 6:30 p.m. on April 7.

Back row left to right: Taylor Martin, Sydney Schultz, Melissa Bustamante, Ana Carolina Renaux Lauth, Coach Kamal Singh, Jaylen Crim, Jessica Burnett, Hildelice Medina, Deyssi Yvalla

Middle Row: Jenna Reed, Keionna Claypoole, Crystal Carol, Arizona Vargas, Christine Dowler

Front row: Dianerick Ramirez, Valerie Ogorodnikov, Andrea Salcedo

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