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A Strong Start to the Men's Soccer Season

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This past week, Men's Soccer played four matches against various teams here at Coe College. With three wins and one loss, there were multiple opportunities for the Kohawks to shine this week and prove themselves for the season.

The games played this week went well for the Kohawks with three wins and one loss. The matches ended with a 1-1 tie on Thursday (9/7) against Cornell College, an 8-1 win on Friday (9/8) against Spurgeon

College, a 2-3 loss to Benedictine University on Sunday (9/10), and a 2-0 win against Monmouth College on Monday (9/11).

The Kowhawks kicked off the week with a game against Cornell College for the right to the Bremner Cup. With a 1-1 tie, the first 35 minutes of the match were a slow buildup by both Coe and Cornell. Things changed when Midfielder Ian Kerney ('26) scored in the 37th minute.

With continued pressure throughout the game, Cornell was able to get a shot with less than ten minutes left of the match, tying the final score as 1-1. The Bremner Cup was



Men's Soccer Team showing off the Bremner Cup after their win against Cornell College (9/7), photo courtesy of Coe College Athletics Photo Gallery webpage

then decided with penalty kicks after the conclusion of normal play time. Goalkeeper Jr. Holland ('26) triumphed the entire shootout and saved all penalties leaving Coe with a closing score of 3-0 for the trophy.

Men's Soccer

represented Coe with their hard work on the field and gave their all for the chance to win. Working hard towards their end result in order to gain the Bremner cup, the team highlights on what could have happened to better increase their

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Cedar Rapids Weekly Forecast

Fri	SAT	SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THRS
Slightly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy	Rain Showers	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy
80*/57*	74*/51*	74*/48*	76*/56*	83*/61*	83*/61*	81*/59*

Courtesy of the National Weather Service

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chances of a bigger win against Cornell.

The team said that everyone gave it their all and worked hard towards the win for the Bremner Cup, yet they also mentioned that more hard work needs to be done so that improvement could happen in the future. The Kohawks continue to experience what it means to work and to play hard and there is so much to expect from them in coming games.

With a huge amount of games this past week the Kohawks zeroed in their focus on playing with all they got. With their

games against Spurgen College and St. Benedictine University, Kohawks gave a fight to step up their skills from the last game.

They told The Cosmos that they are reflecting on how to take the mistakes that they made into consideration and about the effort that needs to be put into the game by the whole team.

Some of the team spoke with us about how the game against Benedictine University (9/10) could have been won if there was better communication between them all.

Having that

been said, the Kohawks continued to work as a team and had a nice win against Monmouth College following their 9/10 loss. With the intensity of the game, the score of 2-0 reflected the determination of the Kohawks to win.

There is much to talk about how the Kohawks played these last few games. They persevered in sportsmanship and teamwork and practiced better communication.

With an end thought reflecting that it matters not how the game starts but how the game ends.

The Kohawks, from our perspective, gave heart and soul to the game and really showed it with their wins and continued progress.

Upcoming Sports (Home)

9/16- Women's Soccer vs. Maranatha Baptist University	@ 2:00 PM Clark Field
9/18- Men's Soccer vs. Ripon College	@ 5:30 PM Clark Field
9/23- Football vs. Nebraska Wesleyan University	@ 1:00 PM Clark Field
9/26- Men's Soccer vs. Augustina College	@ 7:00 Pm Clark Field
9/29- Volleyball vs. Wartburg College	@ 6:00 PM Kohawk Arena
9/30- Volleyball vs. Grinnell College	@ 12:00 PM Kohawk Arena
9/30- Volleyball vs. University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire	@ 2:00 PM Kohawk Arena

Check out the Coe Athletics webpage to stay up-to-date about your favorite Kohawk sports teams. Scan the QR code to the right to be taken to the main Athletics page.



What's Happening

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Nuestra Coemunidad Game Night

by: Autumn Vargas
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Nuestra Coemunidad held their first game night of the year this past Friday on September 8th.

The club picked a beautiful evening to bring an air of excitement into the student body. The night kicked off with delicious churros and fluffy, sugary pan dulce.

The tables outside of Hickock Hall were full of students munching on the sweets and talking about the year and what is to come.

The snacks went quickly to the more than 30 students that came to attend this event and soon enough Lina Sinuco ('26), Vice President of Nuestra Coemunidad, made an announcement



Nuestra Coemunidad logo, courtesy of Nuestra Coemunidad

about the games that would be played.

There were chairs set up to create a space in the field in front of Stewart Memorial Library and the games included different types of tag; like Gallinita Ciega, where you are blindfolded, and other fun running games.

Everyone gave their all throughout the games with delighted yelling and exclamations being heard throughout campus. The event continued through the night with different types of soda and the remainder of the pan dulce being eaten by even more students that dropped by throughout the evening.

After everyone was

tired of running, the night ended with a piñata. The taco shaped piñata was full of different Mexican candy that some people (like me) ate way too much of.

Others got to try the treats for their very first time and there were plenty of mixed reviews about if the candy was good or not. (I'm telling you though, it was the best).

NCC's amazing event ended with people's pockets full of candy and smiles on their faces and we cannot wait to see more from our friends in Nuestra Coemunidad.

Nuestra Coemunidad event advertisement, courtesy of Nuestra Coemunidad Instagram (@nuestra_coemunidad)

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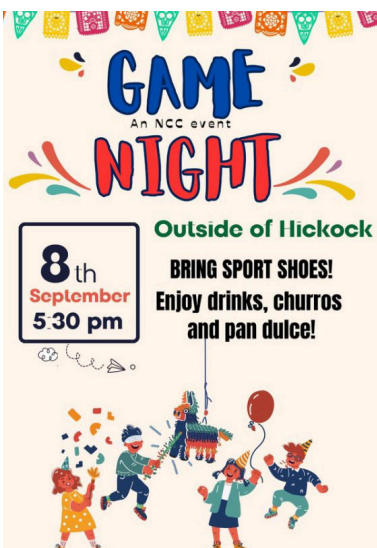
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Coe Alliance Bonfire

by: Kayla Staley
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Coe Alliance held its first event of the semester: a smore's night at the fire pit this past Thursday, September 7th.

Just as the sun began to go down, club members gathered around Coe's fire pit, where the club had laid out an assortment of marshmallows, chocolate, and graham crackers. Roasting sticks, of course, were also provided by the club, allowing students to show off their

marshmallow-toasting or -burning skills.

Within a few minutes, students from across campus, whether part of the club or not, stopped by to have a tasty treat with their friends. Soon, people were crowded around the fire pit and spilling onto the sidewalk and surrounding areas. The conversation was lively, and the bags of marshmallows dwindled quickly.

However, this wasn't a problem for Coe Alliance President Logan Mathis, who said, "It was nice to see so many

people come hang out with us. After going through COVID, it feels special to have so many people together."

Mathis used this event as a chance to introduce the club and its executive members to new students and give them a chance to sit back and have a snack with friends.

The night eventually came to an end, as all good things do. With only a few embers left in the fire and empty bags of marshmallows,




CoeAlliance logo courtesy of Coe Alliance's Instagram page (@coe.alliance)

club members began to pack up, celebrating their successful return to campus.

If the turnout of this event is any indication of what is to come, Coe Alliance is looking forward to a prosperous year.

C3's Upcoming Career Fair




CREATIVITY CAREERS COMMUNITY 3

INTERNSHIP & CAREER FAIR

Thursday, October 5, 2023
11:00 - 1:00 | Kohawk Arena

REGISTER TODAY!
joinhandshake.com



Questions? Contact C3 at o-career@coe.edu

General tips for a successful and productive career fair:

- Dress for success- wear clothes that make you look nice and feel confident.
- Research the attendees- C3 will release a list of employers closer to the fair, look through it and make a plan of which employers you want to talk to.
- Bring information- Print out copies of your resume or find a creative way to give your resume to employers.

This Week in Photos

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Photos from the 9/9 Football game against University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire, Photos by Arturo Balbuena



Photos from the African Culture Club Reception on 9/12, Photos courtesy of Pastor Jayne Thompson



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