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Women's Soccer State Championship Final (Dec. 11, 2005)

S2 Long Beach 2

S1 Cypress 0

State Tournament MVP: Brittany Jensen, Long Beach

Sophomore forward Brittany Jensen scored both of Long Beach City College's goals to lead the Vikings to a 2-0 win over Cypress College in the championship game of the 2005 California Community Colleges Commission on Athletics Women's Soccer Championship presented by U.S. Bank in Fresno.

Jensen was named the state tournament most valuable player after leading Long Beach to its sixth overall California Community College championship.

Long Beach controlled the tempo of the game throughout and denied defending state champion Cypress' limited scoring attempts. LBCC, the South's No. 2 seed, outshot South No. 1 Cypress by a 16-4 margin.

"I'm really proud of my team," said LBCC co-head coach Alex Camargo. "They played with a lot of heart this weekend. After last year, I know the sophomores really wanted to go out with a title. Brittany (Jensen) played an amazing game. She's been a leader all season for us and she stepped it at exactly the right time."

Jensen gave Long Beach a 1-0 lead in the 22nd minute. Freshman defender Catherine Gray's free kick from 35 yards out found Jensen in front of the net. She emerged from a group and headed the ball past Cypress goalie Sarah Balderas for the early advantage.

The score remained the same until the 76th minute. Freshman forward Shaneka Gordon broke away down the right sideline. She fed Jensen with a low pass near the goal that she nailed in to seal the win.

Freshman Sarah Phillips had an easy time in goal for LBCC. She made two saves to post her 20th shutout of the season.

Balderas totaled two saves in goal for Cypress, who finishes its season with an overall record of 22-2-2.

Long Beach has won five of the last six state championships, capturing the title in 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, and 2005, including wins over Cypress in 2001 and 2002. LBCC won its first title in 1997. The Vikings close the 2005 season with 25-1-3 overall record.

Men's Soccer State Championship Final (Dec. 11, 2005)

S1 Santa Ana 3

N1 Santa Rosa 1

State Tournament MVP: Abraham Cruz, Santa Ana

Santa Ana College won its second consecutive men's soccer title and record seventh overall as the Dons (24-2-1) downed Santa Rosa Junior College (23-1), 3-1, in the championship game of 2005 California Community College Commission on Athletics Soccer Championship held at Fresno Pacific University in Fresno, CA.

Hugo Ramos scored a goal and assisted on another to lead the Dons. Abraham Cruz put Santa Ana up 1-0 on a penalty kick in the 41st minute. The Dons were awarded the penalty kick on a handball inside the penalty box. Cruz ricocheted a shot off the right post that hit the back of Bear Cubs' goalkeeper Tebias Mason before crossing the endline.

Santa Rosa played shorthanded for the final 47 minutes after Marcos Shields was whistled for his second yellow card on a tripping call.

The Dons took advantage of the extra man and made it 2-0 when Omar Ramos scored off of Hugo Ramo's pass on a breakaway goal.

The Bear Cubs were forced to play two men down when Brady Nunes was dismissed after receiving his second yellow card in the 72nd minute. Hugo Ramos gave the Dons a 3-0 advantage eight minutes later when he collected a double pass from Richardo Juarez and Omar Ramos on the left side to beat Mason.

Despite being shorthanded Santa Rosa made it 3-1 when Britt Travis' header off Antonio Gudino's corner kick in the 82nd minute.

Cesar Aceves gave up just one goal for the Dons while stopping five Bear Cubs' shots while Mason recorded two saves in goal for Santa Rosa.