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Pats on the move

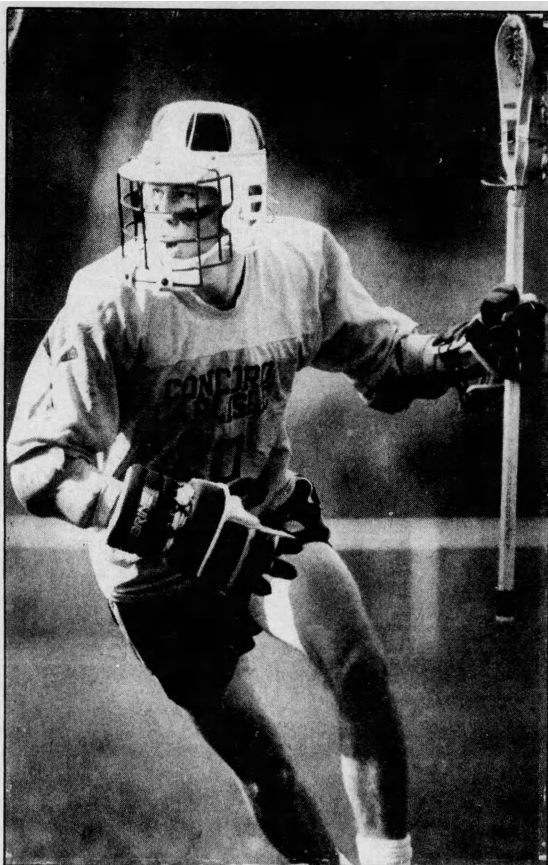
SUN BOB WHITAKER



John Birmingham of the defending state champion Concord-Carlisle High lacrosse team cradles the ball and moves downfield against de-

fender Jon Harris of rival Acton-Boxboro High during yesterday's game. The Patriots won, 12-4.

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Globe staff photo/John Tlumack

Concord-Carlisle's Mike Cain is on the prowl last week.

Mike raises Cain

Last of Concord-Carlisle lacrosse brothers 'the best'

By Ken Carty
Special to the Globe

His view has always been from behind the lacrosse net. As a 10-year old ballboy for Concord-Carlisle High, Mike Cain spent much of his time on the goal line, intensely studying the game which his three older brothers had mastered.

"Ever since I can remember I've had a lacrosse stick in my hands," said Cain, now a senior. "When my brothers played here, I was the ballboy, standing behind the nets. That's where I picked a lot up."

That exposure has made Cain one of the best lacrosse players in the state. "Well, the more you're around it, the better you become," said Cain. "When I was a freshman, a lot of the kids on the team were just learning how to use the stick, but that was something my brothers had taught me a few years earlier."

Mike's three older brothers - Barry, Patrick and Paul - played lacrosse at Concord-Carlisle and each had a profound effect on their younger brother.

"Barry's the oldest, so he was the first to play," said Cain, who has been a member of the school's basketball team the past two years. "When he was a senior, I went to all his games. I really enjoyed being around the team, with the atmosphere and the winning."

Barry, a 1980 Globe All-Scholastic, went on to the University of Massachusetts and is now a member of the Boston Militia of the American Lacrosse League. "If Barry hadn't started playing, I might not be where I am today," said Mike, who'll follow in his brother's footsteps and attend UMass. "Even now, we follow Barry with the Militia."

However, the one who has had the greatest impact on Mike was his brother Paul, who died in 1982 after a battle with cancer. "Paul died when I was in the sixth grade and it was at a time when I was just starting to get involved in lacrosse," said Cain. "I

had to decide what sport I wanted to play. It was then that I decided on lacrosse."

In his honor, the school established the Paul Cain Memorial Award for dedication and sportsmanship. "Even though he was sick, Paul still did more than the average kid," said Mike. "That what was really great about him; he didn't let it slow him down."

And then came brother Patrick. "When he started playing, I became the official ballboy," said Cain. "The nice thing about that was the team went to the state finals in Pat's junior and senior years."

Pat, who'll be graduating from UMass this month, has been a four-year varsity player at the school. "It's really interesting when you think about it," said Cain. "For the past eight years, there has been a Cain playing at UMass. Hopefully, I'll be extending it to 12 years."

When he was a sophomore, Mike led Concord-Carlisle in scoring with 60 points (35 goals and 25 assists). The 6-1, 170-pound Cain upped those totals to 54 goals and 43 assists in his junior year. And this season is no different. He has 72 points (24 goals and 48 assists).

"My sophomore year, the team went 14-5 and we lost in the state finals to Weymouth North," said Mike, who has finished in the top five scoring in the state each of the last two seasons. "But last year we finally won it." With a 19-1 record, Concord-Carlisle, downed Western Mass. power Longmeadow, 12-7, for the title.

"I'll be sad to see him go. I just wish that there were more Cains coming; they've meant so much to the program," said Concord-Carlisle coach Dick Kerr. "But there's no question that Mike is the most talented of the group. That's because of his knowledge of the game. He's at a different level. Sure there are other players who are more athletically dominating, but Mike has tremendous field abilities which place him in a different class."

Yes, and it's called first class.



SUN BOB WHITAKER

On the attack

Concord-Carlisle's John Birmingham (R) moves in on Weymouth South goalkeeper Bill Duffin

during action of yesterday's EMass. lacrosse tournament final, won by the Patriots.

In another quarterfinal, defending state champion Concord-Carlisle (16-0) got a six-goal performance from All-Scholastic Rob Shields as it downed Lexington, 15-12, at Concord.

Senior Mike Cain, the Globe's Player of the Year, added three goals and five assists for Concord-Carlisle.

Lexington (12-5) took a 5-3 lead after the first period, but Concord-Carlisle made it 8-8 at the half. Concord-Carlisle then went on a 7-2 run until Lexington scored twice in the last three minutes.

"They had a very fired-up team," said Concord-Carlisle coach Dick Kerr. "They were beating us one-on-one. But we finally got into our offense. They're a tough team and they matched up well with us. The only thing that I can say is that we did win."

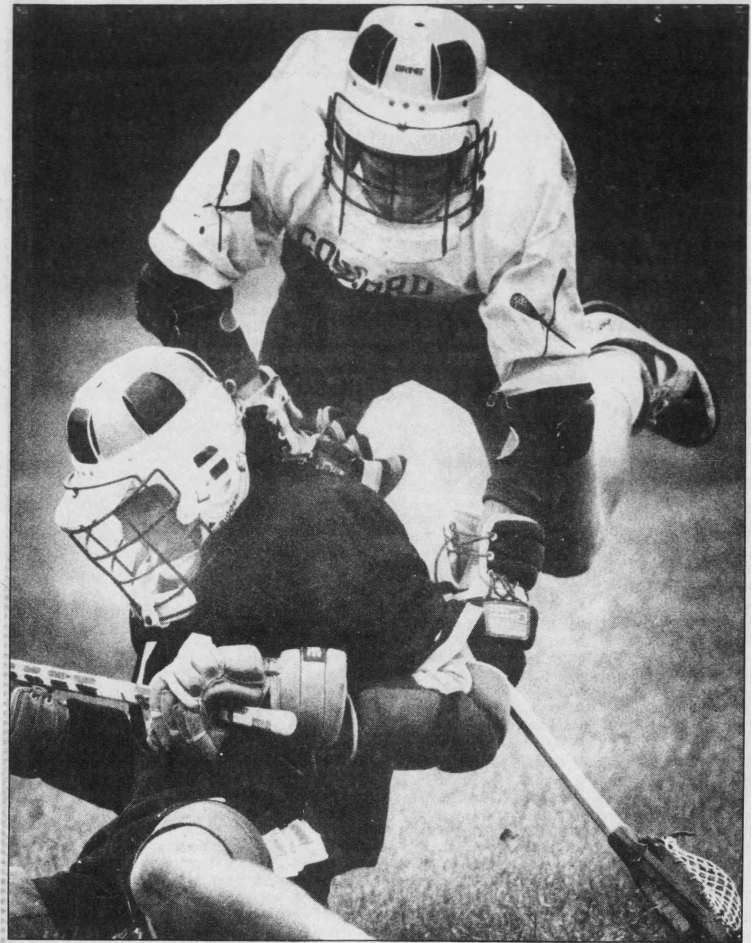
Concord-Carlisle kept alive its quest to repeat as state champion with an 11-7 semifinal win over Lincoln-Sudbury.

The defending titlist was paced by a trio of All-Scholastics. Player of the Year Mike Cain and senior Rob Shields tallied three goals each, while senior Eric Dehan contributed two goals and two assists.

The final will be tomorrow at Concord-Carlisle at 5 p.m.

May 24, 1988

Mike Cain of Concord-Carlisle lacrosse passed the 100-point mark with a goal and six assists in an 18-2 win over Burlington. Cain, who has 33 goals and 72 assists, is the second Concord-Carlisle player in two years to earn his way into the century club. Nick Boynton turned the trick last season.



Concord-Carlisle's Brian Kilfoyl hovers over a sliding Rob Huke of Weymouth South. Globe staff photo/Mark Wilson

C-C champion again, 16-7

EMASS BOYS' LACROSSE CHAMPIONSHIP

By Steve Richards
Contributing Reporter

CONCORD - The starting time of yesterday's EMass boys' lacrosse final? 5 p.m. Rush hour. Parents rushed through traffic to get to the game on time. Defending champ Concord-Carlisle rushed to a 5-0 lead and never looked back as it beat Weymouth South, 16-7, in front of the home crowd. What a rush.

The line of attackmen Mike Cain, Rob Shields and John Birmingham provided the punch, accounting for 11 goals, including Concord-Carlisle's first eight. Birmingham, who netted 34 regular-season goals, erupted for six. The senior had a hat trick seven minutes into the game.

"One of the keys to that line is how well John plays," said coach Dick Kerr, who won his second EMass title in as many years at Concord-Carlisle. "If (the opponents) have to worry about him, it frees the other guys up."

"Everything was just clicking for us today," said Birmingham. Shields, an 88-goal scorer, had three goals. Cain, who scored 102 points in the regular season and will play at the University of Massachusetts next year, added two goals and one assist.

"We wanted to come at them with a lot of fire and jump on them right away," said Birmingham.

The quick lead was a luxury for the champs. They were forced to come from behind in their previous two tourney wins.

"I thought we could beat them and I didn't want you to give them a chance by letting them dictate play early," Kerr said.

South made one attempt to get in the game (a Todd Willis goal made it 6-2), but goals by Eric Dehan, Shields, Cain and Phil Johnson to finish the second quarter chilled the threat. Five unanswered goals by C-C to start the second half put South in a deep freeze, 15-3.

Next for Concord-Carlisle is the state final and a rematch with Longmeadow, which lost to C-C, 13-7, in last year's title game.

"All year, we were hoping to repeat in EMass," said Birmingham. "But the big one is the next one."



Up close and personal

Concord-Carlisle's Rob Shields (L) runs into Longmeadow's John Dugan during first-half action of yesterday's state championship lacrosse game. The Patriots lost, 14-13. Photo by Mark Wilson



Longmeadow's Chris Sumtler grimaces as Concord-Carlisle players John Bermingham (23) and Rob Shields (24) celebrate an early goal. Globe staff photo/Mark Wilson

How Sweet it is for Longmeadow

STATE LACROSSE CHAMPIONSHIP

By Malcolm Lester
Contributing Reporter

CONCORD — Mike Sweet's goal with 1:52 remaining capped a furious comeback and lifted Longmeadow to a 14-13 victory over Concord-Carlisle yesterday in the state lacrosse championship at Memorial Field.

The goal was Sweet's sixth of the game and fourth of the second half — a half which saw Longmeadow climb back from a 13-6 deficit late in the third quarter.

"I just kept taking my man," Sweet (6 goals, 4 assists) said after the game. "If the guy overplayed me, I ran inside; if he didn't, I kept on running."

On the game-winning goal, Sweet ran around the left side of the cage, spun inside,

and rolled the ball past the C-C goalie to give Longmeadow its 13th state title in 19 years.

"For the team to come back and do that — get a goal and get another goal — that says something about the kids," said Longmeadow coach Dan Kane. "To come back and win under these conditions says something special about them."

Early on, it appeared the game was going to be a repeat of Concord's 13-7 victory in last year's championship game.

C-C broke a 3-3 first-quarter tie and jumped out to a 9-5 halftime lead behind the play of Globe Player-of-the-Year Mike Cain, who scored eight first-half points (3 goals, 5 assists).

Cain finished with 4 goals and 6 assists to give him 144 points on the season and 301 for his career. Cain's linemate, senior attackman Rob Shields, scored four goals to finish the season with 94 goals and 105 points.

The lead was increased to 13-6 at 5:07 of the third quarter when Concord's John Bermingham scored his third goal of the game off a feed from midfielder Eric Deehan.

The goal would be C-C's last.

Less than two minutes later, Sweet notched a goal and went on a torrid scoring run. The senior captain scored three goals and two assists in a span of eight minutes to bring Longmeadow within one with 8:10 to play.

Midfielder Craig Paczkowski (2 goals, 1 assist) scored on a blast from 15 yards out on a pass from Drew Collina (4 goals, 2 assists) to tie the game at 13 with 2:20 remaining.

Then, 28 seconds later, Sweet scored the game-winner, which put the Longmeadow fans in a frenzy and sent them back to Western Mass. with the state crown they had lost a year ago.

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No surprises here: Patriots reach final

By DAVID PEVEAR
Sun Staff

CONCORD — On Wednesday they practiced for Longmeadow. Pretty risky behavior, considering they still had to play Weymouth South on Thursday.

EMASS. LACROSSE

Concord-Carlisle lacrosse coach Dick Kerr was *that* sure his Patriots would win yesterday's Eastern Mass. championship game.

"Of course, nobody knew (we were practicing for Longmeadow) except me," smirked Kerr. "I didn't want the kids looking past anybody. But all our drills were designed for Longmeadow."

That was OK. Because Kerr's players have had Longmeadow on their minds all spring.

"We even thought about them all last winter while we played in the gym," said senior attack Mike Cain. "This is the day we've all been waiting for."

Tomorrow is the day 12-time state lacrosse champion Longmeadow visits defending champion Concord-Carlisle at 1 p.m. to decide the 1988 championship.

Concord-Carlisle's 16-7 rout of Weymouth South yesterday was a mere formality. Senior attack John Birmingham scored six goals, including three in the opening 6:19. Concord led 5-0 at 7:04 of the first quarter, 10-3 at halftime and 15-3 with 10:18 remaining in the game.

Now, folks, time to get serious.

"I knew from Day One that we were the best team in Eastern Mass.," said Kerr. "But now we have to beat a team that's just as good as we are. We haven't done that all year."

"We've had all these games, and you try not to look ahead ...

but the Longmeadow-Concord rivalry goes on," said Cain.

Concord defeated Longmeadow, 13-7, in last year's state championship game, snapping the Lancers' string of seven (with an asterisk) consecutive state titles.

That was Concord's first "official" state lacrosse championship. The Patriots defeated Longmeadow in what was technically the 1982 Eastern Mass. title game.

Because of Proposition 2½, there were no state tournaments in any sport in 1982. But in truth, Concord won the 1982 state lacrosse championship.

Longmeadow then defeated Concord 7-6 in five overtimes in the 1983 state title game, and the Lancers prevailed 12-7 in 1984.

"They're always strong," said Cain, who had 2 goals and 4 assists in last year's championship game. "We know what they have ... we know what to expect. I think both teams are pretty evenly matched."

The teams met in a scrimmage at Longmeadow earlier this spring, and Longmeadow won 11-7.

"But we had a few guys injured, and it was about five days after we started practice," said Birmingham. "We've improved a lot since then."

"That loss may work to our favor," suggested Kerr. "They might be thinking, 'Good, we beat Concord 11-8.' We're a much better team now."

Kerr admits he is wary about Longmeadow scouting Concord-Carlisle's easy victory yester-

day. Lexington and Lincoln-Sudbury's familiarity with Concord's attack enabled those teams to aggravate explosive C-C earlier in the tournament.

"What we don't have this year is a Nick Boynton," Kerr said about last year's Eastern Mass. Div. I Player of the Year. "Whenever he got the ball — forget it — you knew he was going right to the cage."

Boynton, now No. 6 attack at Syracuse University, had 6 goals and 4 assists in last year's championship game.

This year's Eastern Mass. Player of the Year, UMass-bound Cain (48 goals, 86 assists), is primarily a set-up guy. The guy whom Cain usually sets up is senior attack Rob Shields (90 goals, 11 assists).

"Shields was hurt today and he didn't really play that well," Kerr said yesterday. "That's nice, that (the Longmeadow scouts) didn't really get to see him."

CONC.-CARLISLE — Goals: 1 CC — John Birmingham, 1:17, 2 CC — Mike Cain, 1:48, 3 CC — Birmingham (Alex MacMaster), 4:50, 4 CC — Birmingham, 6:19, 5 CC — Rob Shields (Brian Driscoll), 7:04, 6 WS — Taylor Babineau (Jamie Murney), 8:27, 7 CC — Shields (Phil Johnson), 8:38, 8 WS — Todd Wells, 8:46

SECOND QUARTER — Goals: 9 CC — Eric Deehan, 4:08, 10 CC — Shields (Mike Cain), 7:24, 11 CC — Birmingham (Steve Murphy), 10:40, 12 CC — Johnson, 10:53, 13 WS — Babineau, 11:10

THIRD QUARTER — Goals: 14 CC — Johnson (Murphy), 1:52, 15 CC — Birmingham (Driscoll), 2:48, 16 CC — Birmingham, 10:15

FOURTH QUARTER — Goals: 17 CC — Deehan, 0:47, 18 CC — Cain, 1:42, 19 WS — Murney, 2:18, 20 WS — Babineau, 4:05, 21 WS — Keith Stark, 5:34, 22 WS — Murney, 6:44, 23 CC — Brian Cobler (Johnson)

Weymouth South.....2 1 0 4 - 7
Concord-Carlisle.....6 4 3 3 - 16

SHOTS: CC 37, WS 21
SAVES: Paul Garnett (CC) 4, Dennis Fuccone (CC) 4, Bill Duffin (WS) 12

FACEOFFS: CC 18, WS 7
Records: Concord-Carlisle 19-2, 18-0 in EMass.; Weymouth South 14-3

"ONE TIME" SALE
ON ALL BMX BIKES

Pats lose grip on state title

By DAVID PEVEAR
Sun Staff

CONCORD — Longmeadow High coach Dan Kane was embarrassed. He only hoped the rout would not intensify.

There were 17 minutes, 7 seconds to play, and Concord-Carlisle was humbling *The Dynasty* for

LONGMEADOW LACROSSE CHAMP

a second consecutive year. The Patriots led 13-6, and the Lancers were too busy trying to stay respectable to think seriously about winning their 13th state title.

Concord fans confidently wondered aloud whether Longmeadow was really any better than the Eastern Mass. crowd the Patriots beat up on all spring.

"I didn't think the game was over," said Concord-Carlisle senior attack Mike Cain, "but I was feeling pretty confident."

Cain, the Eastern Mass. Player of the Year, already had 4 goals, 6 assists, raising his season totals to 52 goals, 92 assists.

What was all this about a Longmeadow Mystique?...

Zap!
Cain never scored again, and neither did the Patriots.

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After the fall

A dejected group of Concord-Carlisle High School lacrosse players appear stunned after losing state cham-

ionship game to Longmeadow, 14-13, yesterday. C-C led 13-6 at one point.

SUN-ROSE MARSTON

Patriots lose grip on state title...

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Longmeadow shredded a weary Patriots defense for the game's final eight goals and reclaimed the state lacrosse championship in mystical style yesterday, 14-13.

"We had it," said Patriots coach Dick Kerr, whose team had interrupted Longmeadow's state title reign with a 13-7 victory last June. "It's too bad for the kids, because we had it."

Senior attack Mike Sweet's sixth goal of the game with 1:52 remaining gave the Lancers their first lead, and left stunned and tired Patriots asking, "What happened?"

"As we went into the last period, it seemed we had the edge in conditioning," said Kane. "We were getting the ground balls. Our faceoff guy (senior midfielder Bruce Linson) was winning all the faceoffs. He was not just winning them, but running after the ball and getting it. And he's not the fastest guy in the world."

In the final analysis, faceoffs were the Patriots' undoing.

Longmeadow's second-half faceoff advantage was 12-2, perpetuating the Lancers' comeback, and exhausting Concord's top defender, Alex MacMaster.

"When we started losing several faceoffs, we went back to running MacMaster in off the wing," said Kerr. "He was constantly running today, and was on the field a long time. Maybe it

was my fault. I probably should have brought in some other faceoff people. Our second midfielder was fresh at the end — I probably should have used them."

Just one goal by Concord-Carlisle in the fourth quarter might have cooled Longmeadow. The closest the Patriots came was senior attack John Birmingham ringing a shot off the top pipe with 5:30 to go, and C-C still leading 13-12.

"We didn't play with poise and patience, or keep the ball moving when we were up 13-6," lamented Kerr. "Even if we give them a couple, and we get one, it's still all over. The momentum would have shifted. (Birmingham's shot) might have changed things."

The Patriots had dominated since the start of the second quarter. They perhaps shifted to showtime too soon. They lost their edge, and were soon losing every ground ball.

"We had already scored 13 goals, so we didn't really think we were going to have any trouble scoring," said Cain. "But in the second half, they got all the ground balls, and when we had a couple of fastbreaks, we threw the ball away."

The score was tied 3-3 after one quarter, before Concord-Carlisle scored four consecutive goals in the opening 4:22 of the second quarter en route to a 9-5 halftime lead.

The Patriots seemed on the same course as last June when

they scored five unanswered second-quarter goals and led 10-4 at the half.

"At halftime I was telling the kids, 'This is not you... this is not a typical performance,'" said Kane. "I didn't think the score was indicative of the difference between the two teams."

But, 30 seconds into the second half, Cain poked the ball away from Longmeadow's top defender, Dennis Murphy, and scored on a breakaway.

Longmeadow's John Dugan retaliated 27 seconds later, but then Concord's Rob Shields stole the ball and scored on another breakaway at 3:10.

Goals by Shields, assisted by Cain at 6:19, and John Birmingham, assisted by Eric Deehan at 8:53, upped C-C's lead to 13-6.

Kane was embarrassed.

Sweet's third goal, assisted by junior attack Eben Hall at 8:17 of the third quarter, got the ball rolling for Longmeadow.

Junior midfielder Mark Lantz scored at 9:59 to pull the Lancers within 13-8.

The Lancers scored four goals in the opening 3:50 of the fourth quarter to pull within 13-12.

Senior midfielder Craig Puczkowski's goal with 2:20 remaining tied the score 13-13.

Sweet moved out from behind the net, beat a Concord defender one-on-one and bounced the game-winner past Patriots goalie Paul Garnett with 1:52 to go.

"I thought (Concord-Carlisle)

just ran out of steam," said Kane.

Longmeadow defeated Concord 7-6 in five overtimes to win the 1983 state title game, but yesterday was more special to Kane.

"In '83 we were undefeated and that was a power team," he said. "This is more of a finesse team, and we had already lost three times this year. When you get down by six or seven goals, and you've already experienced defeat, it's easy to pick up your tent and go home. For these kids to come back was something special."

LACROSSE SUMMARY

LONGMEADOW 14, CONCORD-CARLISLE 13

FIRST QUARTER — Goals: 1, CC — Moss Cain 3:05, P. L. — Drew Collins (Bruce Grant) 5:11, C. C. — Rob Sweet (Carl) 8:10, A. L. — Craig Puczkowski 7:53, C. C. — John Birmingham (Cain) 8:47, S. L. — Mike Sweet 10:25

SECOND QUARTER — Goals: 7, C-C 2:27, 8:02 — Cain 2:19, 9:00 — Sam Dennis (Cain) 3:45, 10:00 — Birmingham 4:22, 11:10 — Sweet (Cain) 5:47, 12:00 — Phil Johnson (Cain) 9:20, 12:00 — Shields (Cain) 10:40, 12:50, 14:10 — Collins (Sweet) 11:11

THIRD QUARTER — Goals: 10, C-C — Cain 1:11, 16:10 — John Dugan (Sweet) 0:59, 1:17, C. C. — Shields 3:10, 19:00 — Sweet (Cain) 6:19, 19:00 — Birmingham (Sweet) 8:53, 9:30, L — Sweet (Eben Hall) 8:17, 21 — Mark Lantz (Sweet) 9:59

FOURTH QUARTER — Goals: 3, L — Sweet 2:09, 25:10 — Collins (Sweet) 2:39, 25:10 — Sweet 2:10, 26:50 — Puczkowski (Cain) 4:34, 4:41, 27:10 — Sweet 12:08

Longmeadow 3 2 3 6 14
Concord-Carlisle 3 8 4 0 13
Shots: Concord 31, Longmeadow 40, Saves: Paul Garnett (CC) 15, Andy Frost 12, 8.
Faceoffs: CC 9, 1, 21. Rebounds: Longmeadow 16-3, Concord-Carlisle 19-3



Happier times

Concord-Carlisle's John Birmingham (L) celebrates Rob Shields' early goal during action of yesterday's state championship lacrosse game against Longmeadow.

DAVID PEVEAR

MIKE CAIN
PLAYER-OF-THE-YEAR
Concord-Carlisle

Cain is the complete high school lacrosse player, a two-time Eastern Mass. All-Scholastic who concluded his prolific career with 301 points, 144 of which he scored this spring.

Cain's unselfishness is revealed in the breakdown of those points - 52 goals and 92 assists this spring - including 4 goals and 6 assists during C-C's 14-13 loss to Longmeadow in the State title game. In that game, Cain was defended by Longmeadow's Dennis Murphy, perhaps the state's best player.

"He played his best game against the best player," said Patriots coach Dick Kerr, who gave Cain a long stick when C-C was a man-down. "Mike was also our best defensive player."



ROB SHIELDS
Concord-Carlisle

Shields was the beneficiary of most of teammate Cain's passes, scoring 94 goals and 11 assists in his first full varsity season.

"He spent two years on the bench behind other players, and he worked hard to make himself successful," said Kerr. "He's not the type to take it behind the net and beat somebody. Most of his goals come in the crease. But the Brown (University) coach told me (Shields) could play for him tomorrow."



ERIC DEEHAN
Concord-Carlisle

Deehan was generally regarded as the second-best midfielder in Eastern Mass. behind Weymouth North's David Donovan. Concord's senior tri-captain scored 28 goals and 17 assists this spring, and was the Patriots' top faceoff man. He played perhaps his best game during Concord's victory over arch-rival Lincoln-Sudbury in the Eastern Mass. semifinals.

Deehan will attend Babson College next fall.



STEVE MURPHY
Concord-Carlisle

Murphy scored 20 goals and 15 assists this spring, and was one of the Patriots' most tenacious pursuers of ground balls. The senior midfielder sometimes went unappreciated being surrounded by Concord's galaxy of stars.

"He's the kid who goes to get the ground ball and get into the attack," said Concord coach Dick Kerr. "He's the kid who stays every day after practice for extra work. If only they were all like that ..."



JOHN BERMINGHAM
Concord-Carlisle

Birmingham was the hard-working attack who punished opponents for paying too much attention to his more prolific teammates Mike Cain and Rob Shields.

"He's such a hard worker, and a very enthusiastic kid," said Patriots coach Dick Kerr. "He scored about 50 points last year and 50 points this year. His best games always seemed to be when Mike or Rob had an off game. John really complimented the other two."

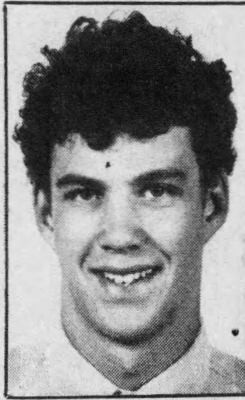
It was Birmingham who led the Patriots' attack during their rout of Weymouth South in this year's Eastern Mass. title game.



PLAYER OF THE YEAR

MICHAEL CAIN CONCORD-CARLISLE

Cain is more than able when it comes to scoring. He tallied a whopping 120 points this season — 40 goals and 80 assists — to give him a career total of 277 points (129 goals, 148 assists). The 6-1, 170-pound senior was named a lacrosse All-America this year and will compete in the upcoming North-South Hall of Fame Classic at Johns Hopkins University. Cain captained the Concord-Carlisle basketball and lacrosse teams. He was named to the lacrosse second team last year and is a two-time league all-star. His brother Barry was a lacrosse All-Scholastic in 1980. Cain's hobbies include golf, tennis and water skiing. He will attend the University of Massachusetts.



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ROB SHIELDS CONCORD-CARLISLE

The six-foot senior scored 78 goals and had 10 assists this season. Shields was a member of the 1987 state champion Concord-Carlisle lacrosse team. He was named a Dual County league all-star in soccer. A National Honor Society member, Shields plans to attend Andover Academy. He enjoys windsurfing, golf, tennis and skiing in his spare time.



ERIC DEEHAN CONCORD-CARLISLE

A member of last year's state champion lacrosse team, Deehan captained this year's squad, scoring 24 goals and 14 assists in the process. The senior also served as captain of the football team and was named a league all-star in the sport. Deehan's hobbies include water skiing, tennis and skiing. He plans to study management at Babson.



LACROSSE

COLONIAL		League		All	
W-L	All	W-L	W-L	W-L	W-L
Groton 10-1	12-2	Pingree 4-5	9-6		
Belmont Hill 10-1	12-3	Rivers 4-8	5-9		
St. Mark's 9-1	11-2	St. Sebastian's ... 3-7	3-11		
Middlesex 9-1	11-2	Nobles 2-6	3-12		
Gov. Dummer 6-3	6-7	Brooks 2-7	3-9		
Lawrence Acad. . 6-5	8-6	BB&N 1-10	2-10		
Roxbury Latin ... 5-5	7-7	Thayer 0-9	1-11		
EAST					
Beverly 12-0	17-0	Ipswich 3-9	5-10		
St. John's 9-2	10-4	Marblehead 2-10	2-12		
Peabody 7-3	10-4	Salem 0-12	0-13		
Winchester 6-6	7-8				
John Vitale, Beverly		34	44	78	
John Wojcik, Peabody		29	11	40	
Matt Ekstrom, Beverly		30	9	39	
Dana Peters, Beverly		24	12	36	
NORTH					
Concord-Carl. .. 11-0	14-2	Billerica 2-10	2-14		
Lexington 10-2	11-4	Burlington 1-10	1-13		
Acton-Boxboro .. 6-5	9-5	Medford 0-10	2-13		
Bedford 6-6	9-8				
Mike Cain, Concord-Carlisle		36	76	112	
Rob Shields, Concord-Carlisle		73	9	82	
Daryl Freni, Bedford		46	21	67	
Dave Carlson, Bedford		41	21	62	
John Sidman, Lexington		46	12	58	
PILGRIM					
Tabor 6-0	11-4	Moses Brown 3-4	11-4		
St. George's 5-2	9-3	Providence CD ... 2-3	5-7		
Pomfret 3-2	6-4	Portsmouth Ab. . 0-5	1-5		
Milton 2-2	9-5	LaSalle 0-6	0-6		
SOUTH					
Weymouth S. 8-1	12-2	Needham 4-5	6-8		
Weymouth N. 8-1	10-4	Brookline 1-9	5-10		
Falmouth 6-4	8-5	Hingham 1-8	3-12		
David Donovan, Weymouth North		44	44	88	
John Daly, Weymouth North		65	21	86	
Jamie Melronie, Weymouth South		63	13	76	
Taylor Babineault, Weymouth South		18	35	53	
Todd Willis, Weymouth South		32	20	52	
WEST					
Lin.-Sudbury 9-1	14-1	Framingham S. .. 4-7	5-11		
Newton South ... 9-2	11-2	Wayland 2-9	3-11		
Newton North 8-3	12-3	Waltham 0-11	0-17		
Framingham N. .. 5-9,	5-11				
Dave Blacker, Lincoln-Sudbury		58	10	68	
Oliver Churchill, Lin.-Sudbury		19	36	55	
David Quinn, Newton North		28	15	43	
Jed Cronin, Lincoln-Sudbury		34	75	41	