

# Haight's 29 lead way for Scotch Plains

# Haight reaches 1000 pt. plateau

Haight sparks Scotch Plains girls

Raider girl sweep pair; Haight is hot

Colleen Haight scored 22 points and Christine McGriff 21 for Scotch Plains during a 57-43 girls' basketball victory over Roselle Park yesterday in Roselle Park.

Haight and McGriff put in eight points apiece in the first quarter when Scotch Plains (5-3) jumped to an 18-10 lead. Jessica DeLuca and D.J. Farwell

Colleen Haight poured in 29 points and Scotch Plains to a 54-35 girls' basketball victory over Roselle Catholic yesterday in Roselle.

Haight popped in 10 points in the first quarter when she teamed together a 16-5

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COLLEEN HAIGHT  
SCOTCH PLAINS

Colleen, a senior at Scotch Plains-Fanwood High School, is a center on the girls basketball team. Haight helped the Raiders to two straight victories last week, scoring 25 points in the 36-35 upset over Union Catholic and 22 points in a 57-43 win over Roselle Park.

# Scotch Plains-Fanwood uses its 'Haight' to

no. 14 Union C falls

to Scotch Plains, 36-31

# Scotch Plains win

Scotch Plains, paced by Colleen Haight's 25 points, survived a fourth-quarter rally and handed cross-town Union Catholic, No. 14 in The Ledger Girls' Basketball Top 20, its first defeat, 36-35, yesterday at Scotch Plains High.

Haight scored 10 points in the first period when Scotch Plains (6-2) hit a 14-4 burst, took a 21-16 lead. Haight's jumper gave Scotch Plains a lead with two minutes left. Can-Hill hit a three-point basket for Scotch Plains (7-1) with 39 seconds left. Chantel Leonard led Union Catholic with 10 points.

Scotch Plains 54, Newark East Side 41; Ahead, 30-27, Scotch Plains (9-4) pulled away in the fourth quarter with Colleen Haight firing in 11 of her 22 points in Newark. Teammate Chris McGriff contributed 17 points. Newark East Side is 5-7.

by David Sallnard

The girls basketball team is off to a strong start this season. They are sporting a 6-4 record and are 4-2 in the difficult Watching Conference. The Raiders beat Rahway, Kearny, Dayton, Summit, Roselle Park and a big win over Union Catholic.

The Union Catholic victory was a huge win for the Raiders. U.C. is the defending county champions and one of the toughest teams the Raiders face this season was ahead at the end of the first quarter by a score of 14-7. Then in the second quarter the Raider exploded and took an 23-17 lead into the lockerroom. Haight led the Raider attack with 10 points in the second quarter. The game was close throughout the second half then the Raiders pulled ahead 36-32. With 36

seconds left UC hit a three pointer to cut the lead to one. UC had one final opportunity for the win but they came up empty and the Raiders escaped with a one point victory.

The Raiders have been getting excellent play from senior Faith McGriff. She scored 29 points in the game versus Shabazz and has been a consistent scorer all year.

Colleen Haight reached the 1000 point mark for the Lady Raiders. She has been a varsity player since freshman year and has been a good scorer throughout her whole high school career. This is an outstanding achievement for a high school player and congratulations are in order.