

Saints roll into substate soccer finals

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The Xavier boys soccer team is seeking its 15th trip to the state soccer tournament in the last 16 years.

One more victory will make it happen.

The fourth-ranked Saints defeated Mid-Prairie, 8-1, in the Class 2A substate semifinals Wednesday with a dominating performance at Heco Field.

Xavier (11-4) will face Mount Pleasant (11-7) in the substate finals Saturday at noon at Xavier, with the winner advancing to the state tournament.

Luke Duball and Thomas Bean had two goals for the Saints Wednesday. Tyler Steffensmeier, Nick Koechner, Will Hanigan and Brennan Lloyd also scored for Xavier.

Duball collected three assists in the match. Bean and Hanigan had two assists. Michael Glaven also had an assist.