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Soccer notes: Title a new experience for this year's team

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In high school sports every team is different and every year is different.

That's especially true when comparing this season's Concord-Carlisle boys soccer team that won the MIAA Division 2 state title and the school's last state championship team in 2006.

"There were a few elite players on that team," said C-C coach Ray Pavlik. "On this team we had no superstars. In the last three games we had six goals scored by six different players. This is the deepest 11."

That group of elite players included Jean Fauchet, Theo Terris and Michael Burke, who are all playing Division I college soccer. Fauchet is at Fairfield University, Terris is at Boston University and Burke plays for George Washington University.

When the current group of seniors were freshmen in 2006, none of them were on the varsity.

"It's a totally different group," Pavlik said. "Our youth programs in town are so fantastic. They develop a lot of talented kids."

Drew Vanasse, one of this year's co-captains, played on the JV team in 2006.

"I was in the stands watching it," Vanasse said. "I definitely looked forward to getting on the varsity as a sophomore. I wanted us to get back here sometime within the next three years."

In 2007, with Theo Terris and Burke as seniors, C-C went through the regular season without a loss and won the North sectional title. In the state semifinals, Sharon defeated the Patriots, 2-1 in double overtime.

C-C also made it to the North finals in 2003 and 2005.

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C-C was one of two Dual County League teams to win state titles on Sunday. Weston captured the Division

3 state championship with a 2-0 victory against Douglas. Weston (15-2-6) shared the DCL Small School title with the Patriots and tied them twice, 1-1 both times, during the regular season.

DCL Large School winner, Lincoln-Sudbury made it to the Division 1 North finals before losing to Lexington on penalty kicks.

In the Division 1 state final, Catholic Memorial unseated defending champion Ludlow, 1-0.

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With its two ties against the Patriots, Weston was the only team C-C did not defeat this season. The Patriots split with Lincoln-Sudbury, winning 2-0 and losing 1-0. C-C also defeated Wayland 3-2 after losing to the Warriors, 2-1.

In the sectional quarterfinals, C-C avenged its regular-season 1-0 loss to Bedford with a 2-0 win over the Buccaneers. Bedford also tied C-C 1-1 in DCL Small play.

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C-C graduates 10 seniors: Dylan Benkley, Sam Terris, Sam Atwood, Johnny Moran, Alex Daniels, Alex Goulden, Jack Delehey, Zach Burns, Drew Vanasse, and Will McBride.

Vanasse, and juniors Cam McGrory, Aaron Nicklesberg and Alex Puchrik were named DCL all-stars.

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