

# Ross continues impressive season

News-Messenger reports

Fremont Ross continued a season of firsts in high school volleyball Saturday.

The Little Giants, already with their first-ever league championship and their first winning record since 1981, advanced to district competition for the first time in 10 years with a 15-4, 15-9 Division I sectional championship win over Ashland.

In the Division IV sectional at Old Fort, Fremont St. Joseph Central Catholic beat Fostoria St. Wendelin 15-5, 15-4 but lost to New Riegel 15-7, 15-6 in the title match.

In the Division II sectional at Oak Harbor, Clyde beat Perkins 15-2, 15-2 to win the upper bracket and Rossford defeated Bellevue 15-8, 15-13 in the lower bracket finals after defeating Oak Harbor 15-13, 12-15, 15-5 in the first game. Clyde and Rossford advance to the district tournament at Lexington.

In Division III at Eastwood, Lakota advanced to the district for the first time.

At the Division IV tourney at Woodmore, the host Wildcats lost

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## Sectional Volleyball

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to Toledo Christian 15-9, 6-15, 15-6.

Ross, 15-6, will play Celina in the district tournament at Cory-Rawson high school Saturday.

"To beat Celina, they have one girl, Kim Pottkotter, that we have to shut down," Ross coach Beth Kidwell said. "If we serve-receive well, block and hit, we should do OK."

Angie Roosen, who finished with 15 service points, served 10 straight to open the match against Ashland.

Kasey Mangette had seven kills, three blocks and seven points for the Little Giants, and Katie Rhodes was 17-for-17 setting with six assists to kills.

### Division IV

At Old Fort, St. Joe, 8-12, beat St. Wendelin behind 93 percent serving. Jolie Camella had 10 points, with three aces, three kills and six blocks. Tiffany Druckenmiller had six points and four digs.

Amy Andecover served five points, Emily Wilhelm had four

kills, Pam Spader was 14-of-14 setting and Brandi Whittaker had four assists to kill and went 23-of-25 setting.

"Against St. Wendelin, we couldn't do anything wrong and against New Riegel we couldn't do anything right," St. Joe coach Cheryl Swint said.

### Division II

At Oak Harbor, Clyde got 11 points from Charity Newsom in its match. The Fliers had a first-round bye. Sandy Musser added four points and 11 assists for the Fliers, 20-1.

Oak Harbor, 10-11, was led by Cortney Holman with 17-for-21 serving with 14 points and four aces.

### Division III

At Eastwood, Lakota defeated Northwood 15-3, 15-6 in the first match before defeated Elmwood in three games to win its bracket and advance to the district tournament at Napoleon Saturday.

In the 4-15, 15-12, 15-13 win over Elmwood in the finals, Sandy Schumm had 16 points and assists for the Raiders, 11-11. Cori Bond added 16 points.