

Ross defense falters in tournament

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MAUMEE — Toledo Central Catholic avenged an earlier loss to Fremont Ross, defeating the Little Giants 4-2 in the Division I District Soccer Tournament at the Lucas County Recreation Center Monday.

Ross led 2-1 late in the first half, but TCC scored two goals in the final three minutes of the period.

"We had breakdowns on defense at the end of the first half," Ross coach Jon Detwiler said. "We had guys out of position. We got sucked to one side, and allowed their forwards to be open."

"(The Little Giants) weren't relying on their other defenders. They should have stayed home."

Ross, which finishes the season 8-9, didn't score in the second half.

Jason Strayer assisted on both Ross goals by Mike Straube and Andrew Humberger.

"I'm surprised at how many goals that were scored compared to our first contest," Detwiler said.

Ross edged TCC 1-0 in the earlier meeting.

Toledo Central Catholic meets Perrysburg Thursday.