



MOREHEAD, Ky. – Two Morehead State soccer players were honored with Ohio Valley Conference weekly awards after helping the Eagles defeat Austin Peay and Jacksonville State over the weekend. Giuleana Lopez was named Offensive Player of the Week while Lily Meisner was named Goalkeeper of the Week, the league office announced today.

Meisner pitched her fourth straight shutout in Friday night's 1-0 victory over Austin Peay. The senior goalkeeper recorded three saves in the effort and picked up her eighth win of the season. The Taos, New Mexico native picked up her fifth straight shutout and her seventh of the season, shutting down Jacksonville State 1-0 on Sunday. Meisner has now tied the MSU school record for wins in a season with nine, a feat that was last done by Holly Beach in 2000.

Lopez was instrumental in Friday night's win 2-1 over Austin Peay. The senior forward scored the game winner in the 62nd minute when she capitalized on a penalty kick opportunity and scored her fifth goal of the season. The Beach Park, Illinois native dished out the game winning assist on Sunday in a 1-0 victory over Jacksonville State, which was also her fifth of the season.

The two victories over the weekend helped MSU clinch their second consecutive OVC regular season championship and the right to host the post season tournament at home in Jayne Stadium on Nov. 4-5, 7.

The Eagles are now unbeaten in nine of their last ten games and dating back to the last regular season match in 2008, the Eagles are unbeaten in 19 of their last 20 OVC matches. MSU coach Warren Lipka is now just one win away from a milestone 200 in his career, Lipka is 199-152-35. In his second season with Morehead State Lipka is 11-0-4 in regular season OVC matches.

The Eagles will travel to Richmond, Ky., to battle in-state OVC rival ECU on Sunday Oct. 24, match time is slated for 1 p.m.