Freshman Mark Kimball battles with Drury's Cody Reinberg for possession during the men's soccer team's 3-1 defeat Tuesday. The Bulldogs finished the season with a 10-7-2 record.

**Bulldogs improve on 2006 campaign**

"The team was a lot more mature and ready this year," senior striker Hyndman said. "We weren't so green and weren't making the same mistakes we did last year."

"We capitalized on early scoring opportunities," head coach Duke Cochran said. "It's the type of thing that you need to do to win in this league."

Hannibal outshot the Bulldogs 23-16 and was able to get eight shots on goal compared to Drury's three. Cochran said it is never a good feeling to give up a goal, but he was pleased with the way the Bulldogs played for 88 minutes.

"We had a lot of good chances," Cochran said. "But the score didn't reflect that way. ... It just came out 0-0.""