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Soccer exchange hosted at Stebner

Hermantown hosted the 12th annual Duluth Växjö Soccer Exchange over the July 4 weekend. Stebner Park was the host of local teams along with several from the Duluth Sister City. Opening ceremonies featured the national anthem from both countries, with Hermantown's Faith Brown (left) singing the National Anthem of the United States and several Swedish players singing their own anthem. Games wrapped up on Saturday, with the U16 championship games being the finale. Sweden defeated Ashland 2-1 in the girls' game and the boys Duluth area team defeated Sweden 2-1. See more photos and recaps in sports on B1.