

# Vikings invade 'The Ralph'



Vikings supporters at Ralph Wilson Stadium last Friday include, Kristen Wegrzyn (V), Mike Giambra (I), Brooke DeMarco (K), Ben Soos (I), Zach Wojnar (N), Ben Bakula (G), and Tyler Wunsch (S).



Grand Island's Pat Gallagher, left, and Chris Gibney celebrate Gallagher's touchdown reception against Sweet Home that put the Vikings ahead 13-6 in the Class A championship at Ralph Wilson Stadium. The Panthers scored two TDs in the second half, however, to win, 20-13. (photos by Larry Austin)

## Spotlighters go to Wonderland

Alissa Bailey, below, is Alice in the Spotlighters Drama Club presentation of "Alice in Wonderland."



The Mad Hatter, played by Noah Rothberg, second from left, holds a tea party in the Spotlighters Drama Club presentation of "Alice in Wonderland," which takes the Grand Island High School auditorium stage Friday and Saturday. Show times are 7 p.m. both nights. Alissa Bailey, far right, is in the lead role as Alice. See page 11 for a story on the production. (photos by Larry Austin)



The Red Queen, played by Molly Wynne, shouts "Off with their heads!" as the Red King, played by Luke Burkhart, looks on.



Tweedledum (Kara Dudley), left, and Tweedledee (Alyssa Accardo) are just two of the peculiar characters Alice meets after she enters Wonderland. Find more photos of the Spotlighters' adaptation of "Alice in Wonderland" by logging on to [www.wnypapers.com](http://www.wnypapers.com), selecting the Island Dispatch tab, and clicking the big, blue photo button.



## Vikings come close

Grand Island's Jeannie Taylor walks away as Williamsville East soccer players celebrate winning a penalty kick shootout against Grand Island Saturday during the Section VI Class A soccer championship. The Flames and Vikings tied 0-0 after regulation time and four overtime periods in the title game, held at Amherst High School. Jordan Dudish, Sara Wilczek and Taylor all failed to score in the shootout, while the Flames scored on each of their three shots. The Vikings earned a share of the Section VI Class A title, while the shootout win advanced the Flames to the Far West Regionals. (photo by Larry Austin)