

Harrodsburg downs Nicholas County 27-8

By Jack Sheppard
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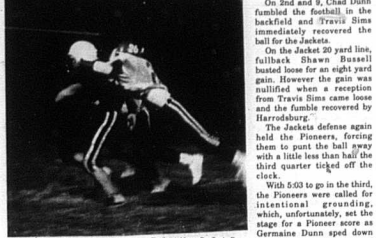
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Fairview preview

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CARLISLE — The Bluejackets will face their first district game this Friday at 8:00 p.m. against the Fairview Eagles.

Nicholas County Bluejackets Head Coach Greg Letcher said he hadn't yet had the chance to look over the scouting reports on Fairview, but expects a challenge.

"We should never underestimate the ability of another team, especially in the district. They are going looking for win and it will be a big game for them," Letcher said.

"Fairview, who have a straight back into the end zone, has been described by their head coach Ken Cockay as a more experienced but, basically, a young team. They're strong and I can say they're in good physical shape. Experience is a big factor in our game, but it is still our biggest weakness," Cockay said.

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JV and Fresh begin season

CARLISLE — The Nicholas County Bluejackets Freshman and Junior JV Football team played their first game of the season on September 3 against Lewis County.

The Bluejacket Freshman Team defeated Lewis County 20-12 in double sudden death.

All three touchdowns were made by quarterback Mike French and the two point conversion made by Brian Simpson.

At the end of the fourth quarter the game was tied 6-6.

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Limestone league begins season

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CARLISLE — The Nicholas County Academic Team, Limestone League, is hard at work getting prepared for this year's competitions.

During the regular season, the team will compete with other schools who are also in the Limestone League.

Last year the academic team had a perfect season, they were undefeated.

Kathy Green, Nicholas County Academic Team Coach, said, "We had a great season last year and I feel with the new people and the veterans from last year we will do well again."

The team is composed of 18 members, both high school and elementary school students.

In competition, the high school team and the elementary school team compete separately.

"We had 18 students from the team we had last year, but we have a good group of freshmen this year," said Green.

The students have to try out for the academic team as they would for any other team competition, she said.

They compete in five different categories: language arts, math, science, social studies, and humanities, which include art and music.

The travel requirements involve a series of testing. For each category there are three tests that have to be taken.

The students decide which categories they are interested in and test only for those," she explained.

"If a student decides that they want to try out for all five areas, they would end up taking 15 different tests."

Based on the scores of the tests, students are then placed in categories.

Each category has eight team members, but a person can only participate in two of the different teams.

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Varsity Head Coach Chip Miller, "The junior varsity team scored two more touchdowns that were called back by officials."

French ran the ball all of the way in, but was no good because of a penalty.

French also tried a two-yard quarterback sneak, but officials ruled that he didn't cross the line."

At the teams second game, played Monday September 9, against Bath County the Bluejackets lost 22-20 in sudden death.

In the game against Bath County, Monday night, three French led the team in offensive rushing with 30 yards wasn't a freshman game."

PROFICIENCY APPOINTMENTS

The following personal representatives have been appointed and qualified in the Nicholas District Court in the following manner:

Thom Mitchell, Executor, Route 4, Soney Creek Road, Carlisle, Kentucky 40311. Obed Mitchell, deceased, 608 Myers Road, Carlisle, Kentucky 40311. Billy G. Hopkins, Attorney, 40011 Billy G. Hopkins, Attorney, 40011 Rogers, Carlisle, Kentucky 40311.

Roger H. Snapp, Executor, 645 Upper Johnson Road, Carlisle, Kentucky 40311. Edna M. Matine, deceased, 212 Eastern Avenue, Carlisle, Kentucky 40311. Joseph H. Conley, Attorney, 125 East Main Street, Carlisle, Kentucky 40311. Appointment dates 8-7-91.

Kenneth Johnson, 222 Brynmore Street, Carlisle, Kentucky 40311 and Steven J. Howerton, 1307 Byram Street, Carlisle, Kentucky 40311. Co-Executors of the estate of Herman Harrison Johnson, deceased, 222 Brynmore Street, Carlisle, Kentucky 40311. September 12, 1991.

Billy Watkins, Clerk Nicholas Circuit Court

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