



Hyacks Football Headlines

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News & Notes

HYACKS WIN THRILLER IN HOME OPENER

It was billed as the first Clash of the Titans in BC High School Football circles, and the game lived up to the hype. **Vivie Bojilov** scored with 37 seconds left in the 4th quarter to lift the Hyacks past Centennial 35-33, in a battle of Top 3 teams in BC. **Torsten Jaccard** had a 2nd quarter to remember, with a TD run, an interception return for a major and a TD pass to **Warren Reece**. **Nigel Eberding** also scored for the Hyacks, who averaged 85 yards on each of their 4 scoring drives and finished with over 400 yards of offense. **Brent Fletcher** finished with 113 all-purpose yards and sealed the game with an interception. The Burger Haven Lineman of the Game was **Rama McMillen**



Defensively **Casey Chin** returned to his dominating form with 11 tackles, **Shiraz Chaudhary** finished with 8. Bojilov returned to the defense as a rush end and recorded 7 tackles, a pair of sacks, and a devastating block on Jaccard's interception return. He also led all Hyacks with 78 yards along the ground. New West now 2-0 and will move into the #2 spot in the provincial rankings, the highest ranking they've ever held.

ANOTHER BIG BATTLE THIS FRIDAY IN ABBOTSFORD

The Hyacks highly competitive pre-season schedule continues this Friday when they take on #4 ranked WJ Mouat. The Hawks are among the favorites in the AAA Eastern division after winning the provincial JV championship last season. They opened 2009 with an impressive 41-14 win over their cross-town rivals from Rick Hansen, who are the top ranked team in AA.

The Hawks are led by Allan Dicks who finished with 171 yards on just 8 carries on Friday and his backfield mate Drew Chung. Tyler Declare anchors a stout defense. Many of the players on both teams were varsity starters in grade 10 when the two teams last met in the 2007 AAA Playoffs at BC Place with the Hyacks coming from behind to win 28-20.



JV's DEFEAT TERRY FOX IN OPENER

It was as good a start to the season as the Hyacks could have hoped for: a 26-8 win over perennial power Terry Fox on Thursday at Mercer Stadium. The home team jumped out to a 14-0 lead after the first quarter, 21-0 at half-time. **Regan Eberding** threw a pair of TD passes, one to TE **Jeremy Wilson** and another to **Ryan Schucroft**. Eberding also scored on a QB sneak. FB **Lucas London** scored the final TD. Wilson was dominant on both sides of the ball. All 40+ players who dressed for the Hyacks were able to play in the game. Hyacks are 1-0 and host Mission next Thursday at 5:30 at Mercer Stadium.

For all the great shots of the Sr. Hyacks win over Centennial click [here](#) and for the JV's win click [here](#). All pictures are shot by Alan Wardle

YOUTH FOOTBALL UPDATE

It was not a winning weekend for the youth teams, as all six fell in their weekend games against tough opponents.

For the flag squad, **Armaan Sidhu** showed off his wheels en route to the lone Hyacks touchdown on the day against the Langley Stallions. **Keegan McLellan**, **Andros Dancey** and **Dylan Bath** also were big contributors on both offense and defense.

The atom team was defeated 20-0 by the host White Rock Titans in South Surrey. **Frank Wang** and **Pheonix Bourrier** ran the ball well, and **Ethan van Kalsbeek** was the leading tackler. The atom Hyacks will play their first-ever Friday night game this week, hosting the Coquitlam Lions at Mercer Stadium.

The peewee orange team was in Burnaby on Saturday night to face off against the Lions. Despite an outstanding defensive effort by **Sebastian Ochoa**, the Hyacks lost 12-0. **Jac Howe** and **Gurvir Ghuman** had the majority of the rushing behind the blocking of **Scott Hanson** and **Harman Sandhu**.

The peewee black team gave the Cloverdale Lynx a run for their money but eventually lost 28-6. **Taylor Jensen** and **Jamie Shiho** led the offense by the outstanding blocking of **Sarban Sidhu**.

The junior bantam orange team lost 33-13 to the Vancouver Trojans. **Tommy Robertson** was an outstanding leader on both offense and defense, with **Marc Massicotte** also having a strong game. **Ryan Walia**, **Gurshawn Bains** and **Gurveer Dhaliwal** were also strong defensively.

The junior bantam black could fare no better against the host Cloverdale Cougars, falling 32-0. **Mackenzie Ratcliffe** led the Hyacks offense on both the ground and through the air, completing passes to **Ryan Rickaby** and **Jonathan Cote**. Rickaby and **Tristan Clayton** also had interceptions for the Hyacks.



KICK OFF PEP RALLY A SUCCESS

Thanks to all of those who attended the first annual Hyack Football Pep Rally presented by Kins Farm Market. The event was held on Saturday, Sept 12th at Royal City Center Mall and was hosted by New Westminster's own Belle Puri of CBC Vancouver. Special guest, former Hyack Football alumnus, Graham Wardle of CBC's hit TV series Heartland was in attendance. The event included a pancake and continental breakfast courtesy of White Spot and plenty of contests and games for kids. The proceeds will benefit the Royal City Hyacks Youth Football Club, with a percentage going to Holbrook Shelter, thanks to VanCity.

KIN'S LOYALTY CARDS

By now all parents should have received their Kin's Loyalty Cards. Just show the card the next time you visit Kin's Farm Market at Royal City Center and ten percent of the proceeds from your sale will be donated back to the Hyack Football program. If you forgot your card, just say the word "Hyacks" and five percent will be donated to the program! Special thanks to Kin's for this program.

TAILGATE AUCTION LOOKING FOR ITEMS & GUESTS

The sixth annual Hyack Football Tailgate Auction will be held on Saturday, September 26th at the Justice Institute of BC. This has been a very entertaining and successful event in past years and is the biggest fundraiser of the year for the football program. We are looking for any potential auction items you or your associates might be willing to donate, please contact: hyacksauction@shaw.ca. Please join us for a great night of fun, friendship and entertainment. Tickets are \$50 each. For ticket information please contact Marilyn at: mdavis@sd40.bc.ca.

HOMECOMING SEPT 25th

All Hyack Football Alumni please mark your calendars. This year's Homecoming game will take place on Friday, Sept 25th when the Hyacks take on Kelowna at Mercer Stadium. Homecoming festivities will begin at 6 pm with the varsity game kicking off at 7:30. This year the JV's will also be playing in a prelim game at 4:30. The Parachutists will also be back to deliver the game ball. All grads should RSVP to Shelly at spittlers@shaw.ca

HYACK FOOTBALL SOUVENIRS and SEASON PASSES

The first response to the new Hyack Football souvenirs was outstanding. If you are interested in showing off your colors, you can buy hoodies, golf shirts, hats and much more at any youth or varsity home game. You can also find them at Prime Time Sports at Royal City Center Mall or by contacting Marilyn Davis at mdavis@sd40.bc.ca

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sept 17th, 5:30: JVs vs Mission, 5:30 at Mercer Stadium
Sept 18th, 7:30: Varsity at WJ Mouat, 7:30 at WJ Mouat Field
Sept 25th, 6 pm: Homecoming festivities begin. Game kicks off at 7:30
Sept 26th, 6pm: Tailgate Auction/Night of Entertainment, Justice Institute of BC

YOUTH

Sep 20 12:45 PM South Delta Rams Ryall Park - FLAG
Sep 18 6:30 PM Coquitlam Lions Mercer Stadium - ATOM
Sep 20 9:00 AM Hyacks Black Ryall Park - PEEWEE ORANGE
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Sep 20 10:45 AM Richmond Raiders Ryall Park - JB ORANGE
Sep 18 8:00 PM Vancouver Trojans Mercer Stadium - JB BLACK

PLATINUM



Dave Sidoo

Ryan Beedie

GOLD



SILVER

Brer Rabbit
Trailside Physio
Dave Vallee/ReMax Advantage
Save-On-Foods

Boathouse
Kin's Farm Market
Justice Institute of BC
FotoFun

Chilcotin Holidays
Aragon Developments
The Butler Did It Catering

BRONZE

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