



Hyacks Football Headlines

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News & Notes

NUMBER ONE RANKED TEAM IN BC VISITS MERCER

The WJ Mouat Hawks, ranked number one in BC, will open the home campaign at Mercer Stadium this Friday night at 7 pm. This will be the first game of the season for the Hawks, who have reached the past 2 Subway Bowl provincial championship games.

The two teams staged a classic battle last September with New West coming out on top 36-33. Torsten Jaccard set a school record passing for 261 yards in that game. Daniel English caught 9 passes for 161 yards, both also school records.

WJ Mouat will be led by an outstanding QB in Cam Bedore and a deep receiving corps featuring by John Watson. *Please note the new early 7 pm start times for all Hyack home games in September.*

DON'T FORGET HOMECOMING 2010 IS NEXT FRIDAY, SEPT 17TH AT 7 PM (Reception starts at 6pm)

HYACKS LOSE OPENER IN OREGON

The Hyacks opened the season with a 40-0 loss at the hands of Kennedy HS of Mt Angel, OR. The Trojans are ranked #3 in the state at the 3A classification and lost in last years State championship game. It was the first time the Hyacks have been shutout since the 2006 season. Turnovers were the Hyacks undoing as they fumbled the ball 5 times. Early penalties also nullified some long runs which could have changed the game in the first quarter.

The Hyacks rushed for 186 yards led by 68 from **David Ramirez**, who also finished with 7 tackles and was named the Prime Time Player of the week. **Ian Henderson** led New West with 10 tackles. **Jamie Wandell** made a number of crushing blocks, one of which was the Play of the Week that can be seen on hyackfootball.com.



The following day the Hyacks were in attendance for the U of Oregon vs. New Mexico game at Autzen Stadium. They got a tour of the magnificent football facilities at the U of O, regarded by many as the best in the NCAA. For a look at the pictures from this game, long onto Alan Wardle's outstanding photo album at: <http://hyackphoto.com/Hyacks/Oregon/index.htm>

CTV HIGHSCHOOL HEROES COMES TO MERCER FOR THE NEXT TWO WEEKS

The upcoming season will include a new feature with the launch of High School Heroes on CTV. Perry Solkowski and the CTV sports team will be hosting their show live on location at a different high school football game every Friday night and two of those games will be Hyack games at Mercer Stadium.

The games at New West will be Sept 17th vs Terry Fox and Sept 24th vs Vancouver College. Those games will also be broadcast live on bchighschoolfootball.com. Also check out a new commercial for High School Heroes on CTV featuring a few of the Hyacks and Mrs. Tracy Cave at http://nwss.hyackfootball.com/video/HS_Hirez.mov.

JV'S TO OPEN SEASON THIS THURSDAY AT MERCER

After 3 weeks of strong practices and improvement, the JV Hyacks will begin the season against Lord Tweedsmuir this Thursday. There have been many solid performances throughout training camp, most notably RB/DB **Tristan Sands** and QB/FS **Tommy Robertson**, who held their own as freshman playing in the varsity game in Oregon last Friday night.

Linemen **Casey Chin**, **Jonathan He** and **Yahia Gomaa** have been regulars with the varsity squad and should dominate at the JV level this fall. **Greg Johnson** has also looked good since moving to TE as has RB **Stewart Sommerfeld**. Lord Tweedsmuir is a very good up and coming program and should provide a good test for a Hyacks JV squad that big things are expected from.

CHIN LEADS SFU CLAN IN FIRST NCAA GAME

While the SFU Clan lost their first ever game in the NCAA last Saturday against Western Oregon, LB Casey Chin led the team in tackles with 8. Chin was a two-time provincial all-star with the Hyacks and the school's all-time leading tackler. That he is able to start at LB as a true freshman and make such an impact is a testament to his hard work and dedication. Casey and the Clan are back at home this Saturday at 3 pm against Southern Oregon. Congrats Casey!



FIELD RENAMED IN HONOR OF COACH CHIN

On Monday, Sept 6th the south field at Mackin Park in Coquitlam was officially renamed Kevin Chin Field. Coach Chin was a longtime football coach and teacher, who passed away in September 2007 at age 51. Chin coached 28 years at various levels throughout BC, the last 2 at NWSS, where his sons Casey and Jordan are players. Congratulations to the Chin family on this well deserved honor.

FOOTBALL 101 – FOR LADIES

Have you wondered what all the fuss is about on Friday Nights at Mercer Stadium? Come, learn and enjoy the great game of football – Hyack style. We will teach you the basic concepts, rules and strategies of the game. **Saturday, Sept 18 from 3 to 6 pm.** To RSVP please contact Lianne Gentile at lcows@telus.net

THIS WEEKENDS YOUTH FOOTBALL SCORES

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Royal City 14 Vancouver 14	Richmond 22 Royal City 0	Royal City 6 Vancouver 28	Royal City 40 Vancouver 24

HELP NEEDED FOR TAILGATE AUCTION

The seventh annual Hyack Football Tailgate Auction will be held on Saturday, October 23rd at the Inn at the Quay. 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 Janice at: Janice-moss@hotmail.com. Tickets are \$60 each (or 10 for \$500). For ticket information please contact Marilyn at: mdavis@sd40.bc.ca

WE NEED NEW PARENTS TO TAKE AN ACTIVE ROLE IN THIS EVENT. This auction has raised over \$100,000 in support of Hyack Football. As we are graduating so many players, our auction committee is in a transition phase and this is the perfect time for new parents to get involved. For more information on how you can help, please contact Mary at m_feldhaus@hotmail.com.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sept 9, 5:30 pm: JV season opener vs Lord Tweedsmuir, Mercer Stadium
 Sept 10, 7 pm: VARSITY HOME OPENER vs WJ Mouat, Mercer Stadium
 Sept 17, 7 pm: HOMECOMING 2010, Hyacks vs Terry Fox, Mercer Stadium (Reception at 6 pm)
 Sept 15, 3:30 pm: Grand opening of the New Westminster Youth Center at Moody Park
 Oct 23, 6pm: Annual Tailgate Auction, Inn at the Quay

YOUTH

Sept 12, 10 am: FLAG at North Surrey Firebirds, Bear Creek Park
 Sept 12, 11:45 am: ATOM at Cloverdale Panther, Cloverdale Athletic Park
 Sept 12, 11:45 am: PEE WEE at Langley Mavericks, McLeod Athletic Park
 Sept 12 1:30 pm: JR BANTAM at Langley Wranglers, McLeod Athletic Park

PLATINUM



Dave Sidoo

Ryan Beedie

GOLD



SILVER



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BRONZE

Stuart Crown @ Co.
 Big Kahuna
 Boston Pizza-Queensborough
 Enterprise Rent-a-Car
 Prime Time Sports
 Columbia Square Law

Chaunigan Lake Lodge
 Ritchie Bros.
 Mott Electric
 Kruger Products
 NW Imges
 Tim Hill/Royal LePage

Mick McLennan/ReMax Advantage
 Royal City Center
 Lions Club
 Rotary Club of New Westminster
 Burger Heaven
 Reo Rafting Resort
 Viva Orthodontics/Dr. Gallant