



Hyacks Football Headlines

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Varsity News & Notes

HYACKS WIN BIG

The Varsity team highlighted a perfect 4-0 weekend for the Hyack organization with a 33-7 win over Pinetree in the annual Homecoming game. NWSS used 9 different ball carriers and rushed for 331 yards, led by **Blain Cawkell's** 104 yards and 1 TD on 12 carries.

RBs **John Drury**, **Enoch Osei** and QB **Matt MacGrotty** also scored rushing TDs for the Hyacks. MacGrotty also completed 4 of 6 passes for 114 yards, his favorite target was grade 10 receiver **Daniel English** (pictured at right) who caught 3 passes for 86 yards. In all, the Hyacks racked up 471 yards of offense. **Dylan Myers** kicked a pair of 37 yd FGs in the first half for the Hyacks who led 20-0 at halftime. Myers is now 5 for 5 on FGs in 2 games this season.

Defensively **Aaron Purdey** played a solid all-around game with 7 tackles including 1 sack and added an interception. **Glenn Boyce** finished with 6 tackles while **Darnell Sikorski** chipped in with 5. **Francis Domingo** came up with his first varsity interception as the Hyacks improved their record to 1-1. Next up, their toughest test of the season to date: a trip to Tacoma, WA to play Charles Wright Academy, who are 2-0 so far this season and have outscored their opponents 82-14.



HOMECOMING ANOTHER HUGE SUCCESS



Over 1500 fans turned out for another fantastic Homecoming celebration Friday night. Hyack Football alums from the 50's, 60's and 70's shared the night with recent NWSS grads. Original coach **Bill Kushnir** was again on hand along with the likes of **Ken MacDonald** and many others. They were treated to a solid performance by the Hyacks, who have now outscored their opponents 122-7 in three Homecoming games.

It was a night the current Hyack players will never forget - they all felt privileged to play in front of such a supportive crowd. The orange

Thundersticks, courtesy of Louise Perry at G & F Financial, were also a great touch. Special thanks to all of the volunteers and sponsors who made this a special night.

CELEBRATION OF LIFE FOR COACH KEVIN CHIN

Prior to the game on Friday there was a moment of silence and tribute to the late Kevin Chin who passed away suddenly last Sunday at the age of 51. Chin had been assistant coach at New West for the past 18 months, part of a 28 year coaching and teaching career in BC. All NWSS players will wear a decal with the letters "WWC" (Win With Chin) on their helmets for the rest of the season.

This Saturday, Sept 15th at 2 pm at Centennial HS there will be a Celebration of Life honoring Coach Chin. Please arrive early as a crowd of 800-1000 is expected. Donations to the BCSSFA on behalf of a newly established Kevin Chin Scholarship will be accepted.

Kevin's sons Jordan (right, in white) and Casey were honorary captains for the game against Pinetree



Junior Varsity News & Notes

JV HYACKS WIN FIRST GAME

The JV Hyacks defeated Centennial 18-6 in their season opener last Thursday. **Andrew Lee** scored the opening TD as New West took a 6-0 lead into half-time. Then a tremendous goal-line stand on 4 plays from the one yard line in the 3rd quarter kept the Hyacks on top. Later, **Shiraz Chaudhary** took a fumble 70 yards for a TD. **Sean Ewart** added some insurance with a 10 yard TD reception from **Jeremy Davis**.

Defensively, **Vivie Bojilov**, **Alex Saavedra**, **Ian Henderson** and **Nigel Eberding** made plenty of big plays, while **Jesse Stamberg** rose to the challenge in the 2nd half against a very good Centennial receiver. Next up for the JVs: a match up with the defending provincial champions, the Terry Fox Ravens, on Thursday at 5:30 at Mercer Stadium.

Junior Bantam News & Notes

The junior bantam team earned its first win of the season on a sunny Sunday afternoon in Vancouver, defeating the Westside Warriors 36-7. **Daizon Earl** scored two touchdowns on long runs, and **Ryan Schucroft** added a third on a pass from quarterback **Thomas Tse** to give the Hyacks a 22-0 first-quarter lead. In the second half, **Connor**

Brady scored on an interception return, with **Dallas Petterson** scoring on a 2-yard QB dive to close out the game. **Lucas London**, **Harshdeep Bains** and **Tyler Barrett** all had strong games on the defensive side of the ball. Next up for the junior bantams is a home game Friday night against a tough Coquitlam Raiders team (8:00 pm kickoff).

Peewee News & Notes

On Sunday morning in Langley, the peewee team evened its record at 1-1 with a huge 24-6 win over an experienced Langley side. The smaller but faster Hyacks were led by the strong arm of QB **Aaron Holloway**, who connected with RB **Dezmond Earl** for three long passing touchdowns. Earl scored a fourth touchdown on a 45-yard rumble. **Danny Hrybyk** and **Jonathon Cote** also

had strong games in the backfield, while Matthew Lattimer and Enzo Gentile were standouts as receivers. Defensively, the Hyacks were led by **Dylan Sharpe**, **Nolan Duncan**, **James Nicolas**, Earl and Cote. This upcoming Friday the peewees will look to earn their first home win against the visiting Coquitlam Cougars (6:00 pm kickoff at Mercer Stadium).

Upcoming Events

Junior Varsity vs. Terry Fox

Thursday, September 13 5:30 PM Mercer Stadium

The Hyacks will host a tough Port Coquitlam side, as the Terry Fox Ravens are the defending BC Champions.

Peewee & Junior Bantams take on Coquitlam

Friday, September 4 6:00/8:00 PM Mercer Stadium

Both teams are coming off a strong weekend and looking for their first home wins of the year.

Varsity League Opener vs. Notre Dame

Friday, September 21 7:30 PM Mercer Stadium

The Hyacks will look to get their 2007 league schedule started on a winning note against the perennially tough Notre Dame Jugglers.

Tailgate Auction/Night of Entertainment

Saturday, September 22 6:30 PM Justice Institute of BC

The Hyacks host our 5th annual Tailgate Auction, this time with a twist – Along with great food and auction items, the night will be highlighted by plenty of music and comedy from some top local acts. This is the Hyacks biggest fundraiser of the year and a great time is guaranteed. For tickets please contact: mddavis.family@gmail.com

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