

SPORTS

BMS plays for district title Thursday at Panther stadium

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CHAPEL HILL - The Panthers eighth grade 'A' team will play for the district title and put their undefeated (8-0), record on the line at home on Thursday as they close out the season against Spring Hill. A win would complete the first-ever, undefeated middle school football season for Bullard.

The Bullard eighth grade 'A' team kept their undefeated sea-

son intact on Thursday night, scoring in every quarter to take a 33-0 win over the Chapel Hill at Bulldog Stadium.

Houston Alexander scored two touchdowns and accounted for 62-yards rushing. Alexander also completed a halfback pass for another TD of 55 yards to Sal Guiliano.

Starting quarterback, Clint Taylor chipped in wit 53-yards on the ground and one score, and his backup, Colton Mebane scored his first touchdown of the

season on a quarterback sneak.

Adding into the mix on both sides of the ball was J.P Hendrix with another 33-yards on the ground and scored a two-point conversion.

Bullard placekicker, Weston Gray kicked his first extra point of the year in the fourth quarter.

Defensively, Trevor Rumbelow, Alexander, Hendrix, and Guiliano made key plays and held the Bulldogs scoreless for the win.

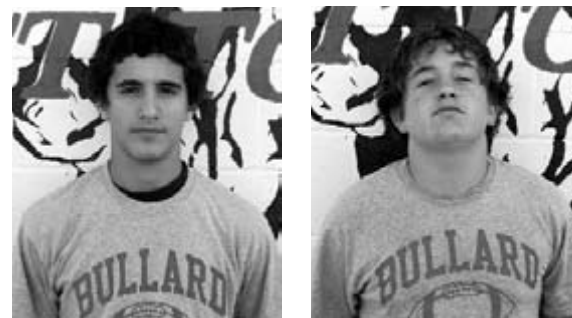
The Chapel Hill eighth

grade 'B' team won handing a 6-0 setback to the Panthers.

Chapel Hill also swept the two seventh grade contests. The 'A' game went to the Bulldogs, 30-0, and the 'B' team dropped by a count of 16-0.

PANTHER NOTE: To the best of the Bullard News Banner Sports knowledge, researching past records from available newspapers, the win would be a first undefeated season. If you know differently, please e-mail or give us a call to correct so we can give proper kudos.

Middle School Spotlight



Sal Guiliano - WR/LB - Guiliano has 206 yards receiving on the season, converting four into touchdowns. Sal had a 60-yard interception for a TD in the Gladewater win. Sal also had a 55-yard touchdown catch against Chapel Hill.

Britt Thomas - TE/DL - Thomas has caught one touchdown, and four two-point conversions while rolling up 45 yards in receptions yards. Thomas also recorded double figure tackles at defensive end for the undefeated eighth grade 'A' team

Guard takes third straight district title

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BULLARD - Luke Molidor was determined to make his last home game as a senior to be a special game. The transfer from T.K. Gorman held up his end and Brook Hill took the win.

Dallas Lutheran appeared to be ready to hand Brook Hill their first district loss in the three-year programs existence in district play.

The Guard, two-way star, Luke Molidor had other ideas however as The Guard came back to take a 19-13, TAPPS Division III, District 2 win on Friday night at Herrington Field.

The Lions (3-6; 3-1),

jumped to a 13-0, halftime lead as the Lions offensive line controlled play early on.

Dallas Lutheran had a 165-68 advantage in total yards at the intermission break

Even the fly on the wall got fired-up after the inspirational halftime speech from head coach Jim Klaczak. It must have worked as The Guard scored 19 unanswered points to take the win.

Guard quarterback, Tyler Baker got his team out of terrible field position with an 79-yard run down to the Lutheran 20-yardline. A penalty against Brook Hill nullified the 99-yard TD run from scrimmage for the sophomore speedy signal-caller.

Two plays later, Baker lofted an eight-yard, fade pass to a leaping Jeremy Chappelle to put The Guard on the board, trailing 13-7.

Molidor continued the turnaround for The Guard on defense as he stripped the ball and rumbled to the Lions 39-yardline.

One play later, Molidor at fullback countered off the left side and outran the Lions 61-yards for the game-tying score at 13-13 after the PAT kick was blocked.

Molidor was not done however as the senior fullback, ran the same play with 7:24 left in the game for the game-winner from 33-yards away.

Molidor finished the game

with 133-yards on only seven carries.

The win clinches first-place for The Guard, for the third straight year, and doing so without a loss in a district game in the program's history.

Tallen Harris also made seven tackles and a key fumble recovery for Brook Hill during the comeback, as The Guard improves to 7-1 on the year and 4-0, in league play.

Austin Pile led The Guard with 11 tackles and two sacks, while Chappelle added in eight tackles and a couple of pas break-ups.

Brook Hill closes out the regular season next Friday on the road against Flower Mound-Coram Deo Academy.

Hardwood hoops, Hargraves style



Photo by Doc Smith

The Panthers take some instruction from new head coach, Hank Hargraves at a recent practice session. Working around other athletic and scholastic schedules, Hargraves and his crew began official workouts with 6 a.m. workouts. Still waiting for several players coming over from football, the Panthers will scrimmage at Henderson on Tuesday Nov. 11 before Martin's Mill comes to Panther gymnasium for a scrimmage on Nov. 15. Bullard opens the regular season at home against Fairfield, Tuesday, Nov. 18.

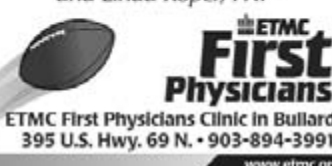
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Youth Basketball registration deadline nears

The Panther Basketball Youth League for boys and girls in grades 1st through 6th will hold their draft on Saturday, Nov. 22 at the Bullard High School Gym. The draft times will be as follows: 9 a.m. until 10 a.m. - 1st and 2nd grade boys and girls; 10 a.m. until 11 a.m. - 3rd and 4th grade boys and girls; 11 a.m. until 12 p.m. - 5th and 6th grade boys and girls.

Cost: \$60 for the first child, \$45 for each additional child. Due at draft.

Forms: May be picked up at any B.I.S.D. campus. They will also be sent home with each child.

Game Dates: January 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, and February 7.

Coaches: Anyone interested in coaching a team will need to contact Greg Gay (Girls) at: 903-894-3272 School, 903-871-2210 Home, or 903-920-1516 Cell. Hank Hargraves (Boys) at: 903-894-6533 School or 409-466-8898 Cell or 903-894-7042. If you are unable to attend the draft, you will need to turn in a form to Coach Gay or Coach Hargraves prior to November 22.

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BROOK HILL PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Luke Molidor
Senior fullback/linebacker



Molidor played a key role in The Guard comeback win over Dallas Lutheran. The senior ran for two touchdowns of 61 and 33 yards while making several tackles and snatched the ball from the arms of a runningback to start the turnaround.

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