

Hunterdon Huskies Game Recaps – September 4, 2016

Pee Wee - The Hunterdon Huskies season opener was held on Sunday as the Huskies Pee Wee team took on the Morgan-Parlin Panthers looking to go 2-0 on this young season. The Huskies would get out to a quick start, scoring on the 2nd play of the game. Week 1 scorers Marcus Williams and Simeon Reed would served as lead blockers for Javion Thompson as he ran 50 yards for the score. Alex Uryniak would make the kick putting the Huskies up 8-0. On the first defensive series, Stephen Malia, Max Latorre Williams, and Reed would make tackles and force the Panthers out on downs. It took one play for the Huskies to score as Uryniak would follow Ricky Skalaski and Reed up the middle for a 45 yd run. Uryniak would add to his TD with his second kick of the afternoon making it 16-0 Huskies. The Huskies would force a turnover on the next series setting up a 2yd plunge by JV Johnson. Uryniak would make his 3rd kick putting the Huskies up 24-0. The next defensive series would see tackles for losses by Firoz Davis, Sam Alparone, and Warren Scott. It would take one play for the Huskies to score as Bryce Billings would take the handoff from Cooper Balut and follow Johnathan Lake, Chris Chacon and Zach Grenache in for a 25 yard score. Billings would follow in Davis for the extra point making it 31-0 Huskies.

The second half would see a Huskies ball control offense led by QB Alex Grantham and with power running backs Jake Macce, Damien House, and Amaree Gilliam getting the bulk of the carries. Gilliam and Alparone would break long runs in the second half to help keep the Huskies offense on the field. On the defensive side Hunter Diederich, Joey Markey, and Vance Vanvolkenburgh would shut down the Panthers offense, forcing a couple of turnovers.

The Huskies completed the day with a 31-0 win and go to 2-0. Next week the Huskies will face St. Barts in East Brunswick.

Junior Pee Wee - The Hunterdon Huskies Junior PeeWees dominated their home opener against the Old Bridge Rebels 26-0. The Huskies came out and defended their home turf with key tackles made by Dante Regan, Bryce Margolis, Matthew Deliso, Akil Gilbert with a sack and Cody Blaine making a huge tackle in the backfield giving the Huskies possession of the ball with five minutes left in the first quarter. Huskies offense with Luke Martini at the helm, took control and put the ball in the hands of Matthew Deliso, who ran three plays for 69 yards for the first touchdown of the game. Under Kayden Ford's lead, the Defense came out again and held off the Rebels with tackles made by Cody Blain, Michael Maltz, Kente Edwards, Matthew Deliso, and Bryce Margolis.

The second quarter started out with a huge interception by Johnny Saucchelli at the Huskies 3 yard line. Kente Williams came out and lit the field on fire running for 35 and 53 yards back to back putting the Huskies up another touchdown. Cody Blaine forced a turnover with a fumble recovery putting the Huskies offense to work. Luke Martini put the ball on a 30 yard flight to connect with Johnny Saucchelli for a short run into the end zone for a touchdown with Matthew Deliso running the ball in for an extra point. Michael Maltz came through for the Huskies with another fumble recovery putting the Huskies back on the offense.

The second half started at the Huskies 49 with a Rebels onside kick attempt foiled by Colby Ganun. The third quarter was put the Huskies Defense to the test, keeping the rebels again from scoring and forcing a turnover. After setting up a few plays, and short runs, Logan Tiger busted out the 4th Huskies touchdown with Luke Martini scoring the extra point.

Undeniable Offensive support from Daniel Delusant, Jeff Bate, Eric Sokolowski, Anthony Matthews, Akil Gilbert, Alex Moore, Logan Whitesell, Michael Zocchi, Chadwick Bennet and Jordan Vuong kept the points adding up through out the game. Defensive protection of the home field by Dante Regan, Matthew Gill, Akil Gilbert, William Kovacs, Zayne Sears, Zaid Qumareldeen and Alec Collado kept the Rebels scoreless for 4 amazing quarters of Huskies football.

Mitey Mite 8/9's - The Hunterdon Huskies hosted the Matawan Huskies on a beautiful day at Union Forge Field.

The dog fight would start with Matawan kicking off to Hunterdon. After a key block by #32 Chris Paul, #10 Nick Ramaci accelerated into a pack of Huskies and delivered a bone rattling hit to pick up 15 yards and give Hunterdon the ball on the 50.

The Huskies spent the next quarter and a half power balling into Matawan's red zone. Quick snaps from center #27 Mac Rocha and great blocking from #26 Donte Stanley, #19 Daniel Figurski, #32 Chris Paul, #30 Luke VanVolkenburgh, #86 Justin Rojas, #87 Joseph Mupo, #31 Ethan Whitesell and #34 Jordan Lato helped the home team eat up the clock while picking up first downs.

Facing a 3rd and long, #89 Hunter Brown took a handoff and cut his way through traffic to pick up 7 yards and a first down. With Matawan's defense winded, #47 Ryan Appicelli drove an off tackle dive 6 yards upfield setting up a counter ran by #24 Dominick Desire, which gave the Huskies another first down.

On Matawan's 19, the Huskies were looking at 3rd down and 16. #6 Andrew Eisenhart took a sweep to the left 8 yards deeper, leaving the Huskies with 4th and 8. Unable to convert, Matawan took over on their own 11 yard line.

Under pressure from a hungry Huskive defensive charge lead by #9 Antonio Sauchelli, Matawan's QB mishandled the ball leading to a safety, and the first score of the game.

On defense, the speedy Matawan offense was quick to answer with scores of their own.

Mitey Mite 7's - A touch of football weather leads to a taste of victory as the Mitey Mite 7 team walks away with a win over the Hazlet Hawks at Union Forge Field this past Sunday. The Huskies were extremely strong on both sides of the ball, rushing for 334 total combined yards on offense and recording 5 sacks on defense.

Winning the coin toss, the offense took the field starting with a 22 yard run by tailback Jack Schlaudecker. After a 6 yard sweep by wide receiver Sam Hanson, QB Jaxon Garner took advantage of strong blocking on the right side of the line from Jack Hornby, Chris Schneider, and Ryan White as Garner raced 25 yards bringing the Huskies inside the 10 yard line. On the next play, Schlaudecker powered through the Hawk defense for a 5 yard touchdown.

As the Husky defense took the field, the capacity crowd at Union Forge Field watched the Hawks race 65 yards for a touchdown on the first play from scrimmage. But, the young dogs came back out on offense barking with a Rocco Palestina 44 yard run cutting through the left side of the field with big blocks from offensive lineman Owen Tateossian, Leo Ramos and Owen Akers. As the offense pushed into Hawk territory, wide receiver Sam Hanson's number was called as Hanson swept left for a 15 yard Husky touchdown.

Back to defense, the Hawks attempted to sweep but were stopped for a 10 yard loss by hard hitting linebacker Ben Delusant. Losing momentum, the Hawks tried to pass but were met by defensive lineman Chris Schneider who sacked the quarterback 7 yards behind the line of scrimmage. And the sacks just kept on coming before the end of the first half from Jack Hornby, Jaxon Garner, and Jack Schlaudecker.

With the start of the 2nd half, the Husky offense set the tone with wide receiver Mason Tettambel powering through the Hawk secondary leading to a 70 yard Husky touchdown. Taking over on defense, Husky linebacker Hart Callanan chased down running backs the entire second half. The defense would not allow another Hawk touchdown the rest of the game and stopped the Hawk's on a goal line stance.

In the final offensive drive of the game, the Husky fans rose to their feet as they watched full back Luke Charbonneau lead block for a 20 yard Schlaudecker run. On the next play, Palestina took off out of the wishbone for 19 yards. With the Husky fans now screaming, Charbonneau took a handoff from Garner, who handed off to running back Nic Alparone who scurried 34 yards on a reverse. Alparone's quick feet impressed the crowd with 61 yards rushing for the day. The Huskies are away next Sunday on against Plainfield at 10:30.

Flag - Huskies Flag hosted Old Bridge and Marlboro for a double-header on Saturday, September 3rd at Union Forge Field in High Bridge.

Old Bridge bested the Huskies 12-6 in the first match. Amir Gilliam scored the sole Huskies touchdown in the third quarter with a hard 25-yard run. Luke Matteo, Jadon Roznowski, and Adrian Friedman all contributed large runs.

The Huskies defense played a solid game and held Old Bridge in check for most of the game. Alexander Nabozny made several stops from his defensive end position. Daniel Melick and Adrian Friedman both made separate touchdown-saving tackles. Charlie Warrington made key tackles from his linebacker position. The stingy Huskies defense was eventually undone by a well-executed reverse that went for a touchdown.

The Huskies were victorious in their second game of the day behind a swift running attack and stout defense. Daniel Melick started off the scoring with a 40-yard scamper down the left sideline. Charlie Warrington dodged defenders on his way to a 35-yard touchdown off a busted play. Luke Matteo had the third score of the day as he beat defenders to the outside and ran 30 yards to the end zone.

Marlboro was held to two scores behind a stingy defense anchored by several players. Logan Doscher led the line with several backfield tackles. Jadon Roznowski, Charlie Warrington and Daniel Melick all had separate tackles for loss.

