

Game Reports for Playoff Round 1

SLW Black

SLW Black was unstoppable during their first playoff game beating Manhattan 25-13. Manhattan scored on their first drive, but Malito returned the favor immediately after scoring Black's first touchdown, a 45-yard kickoff return! Geijer, on fire, scored Black's second touchdown and had huge tackles all day! Malito and Schipiour scored Black's next two touchdowns. Collectively, the offensive line, Wilkes, Vidovic, Lamonto, Zajac, Slager, Johnson and Wassall, had their best game of the season allowing Geijer, Mergenthaler, Schipiour and Malito strong runs. Black's defense smothered Manhattan! Leading in tackles, Wilkes and Geijer, each with 6! Contributing key tackles by Mergenthaler, Marchert, Wassall, Zajac, Rojas, Johnson and Schletz. SLW's 5th quarter team defeated Manhattan 14-0. Touchdowns were scored by Bruns after a 40-yard run and by McKinney, following an interception by Bouck and carries by Brown, Majcina, Rojas and Arndt. Black's defense was solid with strong tackles by Marchert, Schletz and Flaherty.

SLW Blue

SLW Blue opened up their quest for the Super Bowl on Saturday 10/16. They traveled to Bourbonnais to take on the Eagles from Ottawa. From the onset, Defense set the tone for the game. Blue was finally able to break the scoreless tie with Fitzpatrick running in from 9 yards out just before halftime, adding the extra point to make it 7-0. 4 plays into the 3rd quarter, Fitzpatrick scampered 44 yards for another score, and after a failed extra point attempt, Blue led 13-0. Ottawa's 1st possession in the 2nd half also resulted in a touchdown with an extra point to cut the lead to 13-7. Blue's offense began to eat up time from the clock and Blue's defense came up big when needed. Great running by Beltz, Page, Teodoro and Fitzpatrick was made possible by the blocking of Wiechers, DeJulius, Bragiel, Beverly, Stilp, Jaber and Michaels. Outstanding Defensive efforts were added by Villa, Franklin and Robinson.

Ottawa topped Blue in the 5th Quarter action 14-0.

SLW White

The SLW White gave it their all Saturday against the Orland Hills Wolves. It was a battle from the beginning with both teams giving it their all. The Wolves opened up the scoring with a long run that resulted in a touchdown in 1st quarter. The Falcons answered with an impressive drive getting the touchdown and conversion for the extra point to take the lead. It was back and forth the whole game with the Falcons leading 13-12 with less then four minutes left in the game. However, the Wolves' answered with a touchdown of their own to take a 18-12 lead with two minutes left. The Falcons Fought hard and drove the ball all the way down to the ten yard line when time expired ending the Frankfort Super Light Weight White inaugural season. Congratulations to all the kids, they played hard and never gave up.

LW Black

The LW Black Falcons secured a playoff win against the Manhattan Patriots 33 to 0. The Patriot's lost momentum early during the 1st half as the Falcons devoured their opponent securing a 20 point lead. Maloney, Stewart and N. Wise scored the touchdowns during the 1st quarter and D. Stewart, N. Wise and Shafer scored the extra points. Falcons fans witnessed huge gains against the Patriots where Selvaggio ran the ball for 55 yards. After the half, Selvaggio rattled the Patriot's defense as he ran the ball for 45 yards securing a touchdown as Clarke followed with a pass play to Figus for the extra point. During the 4th quarter, Welker ran for a 70 yard touchdown.

The B team was just as effective. Bullington threw a pass play to Passarelli securing a 6 to 0 Falcon win against the Patriots.

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<u>JV Black</u> The JV Black Falcons dominated the Manhattan Patriots with a score of 35-12 in the opening round of the playoffs to advance to the second round.

The Falcons came out strong recovering the first two kickoffs that resulted in touchdowns. The first TD ran in by McCaslin and the second TD by Cook. Figus and Werniak both had touchdowns of their own before halftime. Leading 29-6 at halftime, the Falcons were not done yet. McCaslin added another rushing touchdown in the third quarter. The offensive line was right on with the great blocking of Zajac, Witczak, Sanders, J Tencza, Maloney and Smolinski.

The defense held strong throughout the game with tackles by Thacker, Ducay, Townsend, Burns, Schipiour, Warren, Cork and the Ruiz brothers.

The Falcons tied the Patriots in the fifth quarter. The offense had some big plays by Werniak, Johnson, Keeling, Houle, and O'Conner. Defense did a great job holding down the patriots with tackles by Sciarini and Z Tencza.

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The 5th quarter performance, with Q. Provost scoring 2 TD's for a 12-0 victory over the Jr. Knights, set the tone for the ensuing playoff game.

The Falcons played like a team that has totally come together...as ONE. The offensive performance was a display of extreme second effort and of never giving up, with a huge win 33 - 0.

Exemplifying this was Troike, Dvorak, Kaminski, Panfil, McDermed, and Hawkinson. Passes, receptions, and runs were spectacular, especially a perfectly executed option play by QB Panfil and Troike that resulted in a Falcon TD. The fans went wild when Melby successfully kicked a field goal for 2 pts. The hard hitting defensive unit caused numerous turnovers, upon which the Falcons were able to capitalize. Chalk up exciting interceptions to Troike and Criscione. Straka and Ragen had 1 and 2 fumble recoveries, respectively. Bring on the Bourbonnais Bears!!!

THE JV WHITE FALCONS ARE READY!!!!!!

V Black Round 1 Bye.

V Blue

Varsity Blue was working on ALL cylinders Sunday afternoon. During the first round of the playoffs vs. Ottawa Eagles. The offense was lead by center (Lurgio) and guards (Worker & Rauch), tackles (Harper, Horak, & Bean) and tight ends (Trento and Horneij.) Backfield consisted of touchdown runs by Kraft(4) and Beecher(1+ extra points). QB Culpepper, tossed in an extra point to Keuch. Blues' Defense was pretty much LIGHTS OUT and allowed Ottawa to score twice. Defense line caused havoc with Jones, Rauch & Goar up front. Great tackling by linebacker core Beecher, Worker, Kraft, and Mahoney. Mahoney pulled down an awesome interception in the fourth quarter. Ford and Keuch shut down the corners and didn't allow any long passes. Culpepper had a nice convergence on a long pass attempt which fell incomplete on the 4th to solidify the win for Varsity Blue 33-12. Second round in Bourbonnais Sunday. GO VARSITY BLUE!!!

V White

No Submission. Lost to Joliet 40-6.