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Powder Puff Practice for Derry Demons !!

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The Lady WildCats have been in full practice mode the last few weeks sneaking off to the upper plateau field for some stretching, coaching and practice.



They will be facing the Lady Demons on Friday October 17th under the lights at Humphrey Field in Derry. On the line is bragging rights and an annual plaque to be awarded to the winner. Londonderry will host this game next year.

Admission to the game is free but donations will be accepted in support of the Kelly family.

Grade 3 – Good Knight Keene !

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They just wouldn't give up the ball. Londonderry started the game kicking off to the Keene Knights and from their own 40 yard line they just kept pushing and pushing. Running the ball keeps the clock running, and churning out 3 or 4 yards a carry keeps the drive going. Using nearly nine minutes of the opening quarter the Keene QB would push it in the final 5 yards powering off left tackle.

The WildCats would get the ball but give it over on downs after advancing the ball all the way down to the Keene 30 yard line early in the 2nd quarter. One play, 70 yards on a reverse, and Keene would pull ahead 12 to 0 with seven minutes left in the half.

The Wildcat defense rose up and was able to stop the Keene running game. #38 Owen Romanek, #60 Matthew Carroll, and #62 Quinton Delorey each had 5 solo tackles. #70 Michael Thistle, #88 Conor Williams, #36 Riley Maki and #22 Camden Brutus rounded out the defensive effort holding off Keene.

The Wildcat offense took control of the ball early in the 2nd quarter and put together a long drive with runs by Owen Romanek and Quinton Delorey that set up a 35 yard run to the Keene 4 yard line by #84 Jaydon Navarro. Pounding it home the rest of the way #22 Camden Brutus scored (right) with three minutes left in the half to make it Keene 12 Londonderry 6.



*Don't give up at half time. Concentrate on winning the second half.
- Alabama Great - Paul Bear Bryant*

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Taking the 2nd half kick-off 44 yards to the Keene 24 Quinton Delorey would set up the cats with good field position to start the 2nd half. Londonderry could not get beyond the 24 and gave the ball to Keene who likewise could not move the ball giving back to Londonderry on downs on the 36 yard line.

Now the Cats offense started to grind out the yards. Taking the ball 21 yards to the Keene 15 yard line #60 Matthew Carroll would set up the Cats offense. Moving the ball to the 5 yard line. Londonderry faced a 4th and 2. Jaydon Navarro would get 3 yards and the 1st down to the 3. Matthew Carroll would take it from there tying the score at 12. Getting the critical EP Camden Brutus would put the cats ahead 13 to 12 half way through the final quarter.

The teams would trade possessions again with Keene getting field position over the Cats. Having moved the ball down to the Londonderry 38 yard line Matthew Carroll would intercept a Keene pass and with under a minute in the game secure the come from behind victory for Londonderry. On the final running play of the game to keep possession Jaydon Navarro scored the final Londonderry TD for the 20 to 12 come from behind victory.

Grade 4 – Clips the Bears “Wing”

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The Hudson Bears run a single-wing offense. The ball is directly snapped to the back and the play progresses from there. Hitting the line fast this offensive set takes a bit for a defense to adjust to. The WildCats kicked off to Hudson and one play, a 40 yard power off right tackle power run, the Bears were up 6 to nothing. Don't worry the defense adjusted quickly and the Bears single-wing was soon grounded.

Having to stop the Bears who recovered their own-side kick the Cats offense had its turn to run, and run, and run and run they did. First play from scrimmage and #40 Nathan Pedrick 50 yards and a TD.



The defense held strong stopping Hudson again on their next series. Keying on the wing-back is essential to stopping the running game the Bears employed. #53 Drew Heenan was a one-man tackling gang recording 10 solo tackles. #26 Brandon Robins, #42 Andrew Kullman and #79 Hunter Rheaume each recorded 4 solo tackles. Clogging the middle of the line #60 Tyler Miles had 3 solo tackles while #11Dane Duarte, #56 Dylan Wilson, #48 Dylan Wilson and #89 rounded out the defensive effort.

*“To someone who’s never seen the single wing, believe me, it can be a thing of beauty...”
NFL Great – Bill Walsh*



When the Cats got the ball back they powered their way down field. Nothing “pretty” but simple power behind the running of Brandon Robbins, Dylan Wrisley and Andrew Heenan the Cats pushed the Bears back scoring again early in the 2nd quarter (EP by Andrew Kullman) pulling Londonderry ahead 13 to 6.

Londonderry would continue to hold the wingless Bears back on offense with the Cats pounding the ball with Nathan Palmer (36 yard TD run) and Drew Kullman (13 yard TD run) would pull the Cats ahead 26 to 6.

The Bears may have been done.....but don't poke the Bear !! With no time left on the clock the Bears scored on a 55 yard reverse play to

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make it Londonderry 26 Hudson 13 at the half. Quickly finding gaping holes in the hibernating Bear defense #42 Andrew Kullman and #53 Drew Heenan would score on long running plays to put Londonderry ahead 38 to 13 at the end of the 3rd.

Coasting the final quarter keeping control of the ball Kullman, Heenan, and Robbins ground out yards keeping the Bears winged offense grounded with Dylan Wrisley scoring the final time for the Cats 44 to 13 final score.

Left #53 Drew Heenan gets the tackle with #38 Nicholas Kotsakis, #8 Michael Palma, #34 Liam Stott, #11 Dane Duarte and #60 Tyler Miles for the Cats.

Wildcat Bake Sale.....

By *Jacque Pepin – Wildcat Master Chef* - e-mail: info@lyfs.org



diagnosis. As our regular season nears completion we thought it would a wonderful idea to have a bake sale. The theme will be Helping one of our Own. The proceeds from the bake sale will go to a Wildcat Family who is presently dealing with Breast Cancer.

Welcome to October and National Breast Cancer Awareness Month. Breast Cancer like all cancers is devastating news and puts a strain on families both financially and emotionally. A few parents have come forward and have asked if there is something we can do as an organization to help one of our families who might be affected by this

We have chosen October 19th our last home game of the regular season to be the most appropriate day.

PLEASE BAKERS & DONATIONS NEEDED – e-mail - bakesale@lyfs.org to let us know when you can do !!

Fundraising Pieces.....

By *Jennifer Doucette – LYFS Fundraising Director* - e-mail: jennifer.doucette@lyfs.org



Golf Tournament

I want to thank all of the Wildcats who participated and volunteered for our 7th annual golf tournament. A good time was had by all! It was a great time and I know that I enjoyed meeting everyone. The day started out a little overcast but once we got going the sun was shining on our special day. We had 41 wonderful golfers and our own Sonya Martineau played for the first time EVER and did wonderful! Thank you all for making it a great day!



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Dunkin Donuts Coupons

We are currently selling Dunkin Donuts coupon books, they are \$10 each with \$25 worth of coupons in them. They are good through August 2015 and you can use them at any Dunkin Donuts in New Hampshire. We have 81 left so if you have not already gotten yours, contact Jennifer.doucette@lyfs.org to make sure that you don't miss out on this great opportunity. They make great stocking stuffers!

Monarchs

On Sunday November 2, 2014 the Monarchs are hosting the Wildcats. The youth tickets are \$15 and adults are \$20. The Monarchs are playing the Hershey Bears at 3:00 pm. Come join the Wildcats for a great end to our season so we can all celebrate together. We are working on getting the kids onto the ice. Team parents were provided ticket order forms. Please fill out and provide back to them or contact me directly. This will be a great way to end the season. We will update you with more information as it becomes available. We look forward to seeing all of you there.

Grade 5 – Gripping Game Against the Bears

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It was pretty, it was long and no one could catch that WildCat. The constantly improving team defense of the Cats stopped the Hudson Bears litterly on the goal-line. Taking over early in the 1st quarter the offense needed to dig out of a hole and dig they did. Taking the snap #26 Matthew Perron at first “stumbled” near the end zone, quickly got his bearing, twisted left, hit the side line and ran untouched 96 yards for the WildCat score to tie the game. Unfortunately, away from the play the Cats were called for a block in the back. This brought the ball back to the 26 yard line and negated the nifty TD run.

*Individual commitment to a group effort - that is what makes a team work
NFL Legend – Vince Lombardi*

Swarming, that's the word to use to describe the team defensive effort and #33 Jesse Morin was one “stinging” Cat. Leading the effort Jesse would get two fumble recoveries and 5 solo tackles. The Cats just kept knocking the ball out of the Bears hands. #26 Matthew Perron, #80 Riley Boles, and #42 Evan Iannazzo would each record a fumble. #44 Devin Ortiz, #11 Luke Longua, #55 Nathan DeFazio, #72 Mark Schofield and #88 Colby Ramshaw would lead the swarming defense frustrating the Bears for most of the game

On a critical 4th down play late in the 3rd quarter #51 Jacob Jolly would stop the Bear back short giving the ball over to Londonderry. The offense would take over and from there begin to find success pushing the ball up the middle. Following the blocks of his O-line #33 Jesse Morin would get a critical first down setting up a TD run by #26 Matthew Perron to put Londonderry on the board.

It was only a few long runs that got around the Cats swarming defense with Hudson holding on for the 27 to 6 win.



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WildCats of the Week !!!

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Each week at random our crack reporting staff will interview a Wildcat football player and cheerleader asking them a set of questions. Enjoy !!

WildCat of the Week – Angelina J.

How old are you – 9

What school do you go to – South School – Mrs. Poulins class

What grade – 4

Favorite subject – Art - I like to draw, we were outside at school drawing

Favorite TV show – Me and my mom watch “19 Kids and Counting”

Favorite food – Chicken Pot Pie

Least favorite food – Pickles

How long a Wildcat – 2 years

What team are you on – Division 8 – I’m a base or a spotter

Favorite sports team – Wildcats !!

Favorite movie – Matilda

Favorite song – Really Don’t Care – Demi Lovato

What do you want to be when you grow up:

I want to be a doctor

WildCat of the Week – Ian B.

How old are you – 10

What school do you go to – South School, Mrs. Gomez

What grade – 5

Favorite subject – Math

Favorite TV show – I watch ESPN all the time

Favorite food – Pizza

Least favorite food – Hot dogs

How long a Wildcat – 2 years

What team are you on – Grade 5 football – full back on the offense.

Favorite sports team – New England Patriots

Favorite movie – Remember the Titans, our whole team watched it together

Favorite song – None really, don’t listen to a lot of music

What do you want to be when you grow up

I am not sure vet



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Grade 7 – Battle of the “Big Boys”

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In NH AYF the 7th grade division is one of the most competitive with Hudson, Salem, Pelham and Londonderry each having winning records and just one loss. For any team in G7 they circle the Londonderry game as the one to concentrate on. If you can beat Londonderry that puts you in a good position for the playoffs and puts other towns on notice. Wanting to take down the Cats is one thing.....actually doing it is another. This past Sunday was Hudson's turn to try.

The first half was a pound-it-out push-them-back kind of game. Hudson and Londonderry would trade possessions wearing each other out as the big-boys up front for both the offenses and defenses set this game up as a defensive struggle. The half ended as a 0 to 0 tie.

The Wildcats will run the ball. Simple, stop the run and you will beat them. Just don't tell that to the big guys up front. Many towns make the mistake of keying in on one Londonderry back, Jeffrey Wiedenfeld who is known as an exciting runner able to churn out yards and TD's almost at will. Hudson would key on Jeffrey every time he was on the field spying him with 2 or 3 defenders. Able to shut down Jeffrey.....they forgot about the other WildCat backs.



The true competitors, though, are the ones who always play to win. NE QB – Tom Brady

#17 Alex Tsetsilas (left with #33 Matt Jones and #21 Dylan Fabiano), #33 Matt Jones, #24 Jake McEachern would ground out yards up the middle with Jake slashing through on the occasional end-a-round and counter play. However, #8 Tyler Kayo would lead all rushers gaining nearly 150 yards in the game. Most of those yards were gained on a 70 yard TD run mid-way through the 3rd quarter. Taking the hand-off from #79 Devin Rheame Tyler ran through

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a gaping hole and with a burst of speed ran right through the secondary for the Londonderry score and 6 to 0 lead.



Left #8 Tyler Kayo avoids the tackle on his TD run !!

In AYF youth football they award a point-after-kick 2 points. It's really NOT as easy to kick extra points as players in the NFL do it all the time. At the youth level there is so much to go wrong that makes this hard but not un-common. With the perfect snap and placement #79 Devin Rheame put the ball squarely through the up-rights for the 8 to 0 lead. This would require most likely two Hudson scores to pull ahead.

The WildCat defense would not allow Hudson the chance. They may have stopped him on offense, there was no stopping him on defense. #12 Jeffrey Wiedenfeld (right) had 14 solo tackles with #53 Koby Cronin adding 5 solo tackles and with #70 Cam Babine record a

Hudson sack in the 4th quarter. Blaine Hopkins would get a fumble recovery stopping yet another Hudson advance and a WildCat blocked punt on the 7 yard line early in the 4th quarter would set up another Tyler Kayo TD run of 4 yards to put Londonderry up 14 to 0.

Hudson had a few more chances but with the sack by Cam Babine and Koby Cronin Hudson was stuck. The final series had Londonderry behind Wiedenfeld and Kayo grinding out first downs to keep the ball away from the Bears and the Wildcat victory.



October Calendar Raffle Winners

October 2014

Drawing Date	Amount	Winner
10/1/12	\$50 Dick Gift Card	Kelly Wilcox Londonderry
10/2/12	\$35	Adam Landry Lowell MA
10/3/12	\$40	Amy DedRich Londonderry
10/4/12	\$75	Killian Cook Londonderry
10/5/12	\$125	Erin Murray Londonderry
10/6/12	\$75	Fabiano Londonderry
10/7/12	\$40	Jackie Macaulay Londonderry
10/8/12	\$50	Chimene Lantz Londonderry
10/9/12	\$40	Erin Murray Londonderry
10/10/12		



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