



Winter 2017

2016 Provincial Champions

Bantam

- Tier I—**Sherwood Park Rams**
Tier II—**Calgary Bulldogs**
Tier III—**Lloydminster Mustangs**

Pee-Wee

- Tier I—Leduc Wildcats
Tier II—Airdrie Storm
Tier III—Bonnyville Renegades



St. Francis Browns Jacob Izquierdo dives over the Bev Facey Falcons defenders for the winning touchdown in the Alberta Bowl final.—photo credit Calgary Sun



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Provincial Team Coaching Staffs for 2017

The following coaching staffs are working with Team Alberta in 2017. Team Alberta U16 won their International Bowl Game in Arlington, Texas on January 17. Team Alberta U18 will be heading to the Football Canada Cup in Wolfville, Nova Scotia from July 9-15. Team Alberta U17 will be participating in the Pacific Challenge in Maui August 5-13.

Team Alberta U18

Head Coach:

Chris Morris (U of Alberta Golden Bears - CIS)

Assistants:

Tim Burris (Calgary Colts - CJFL)

Curtis Martin (Bev Facey Falcons H.S. - Sherwood Park)

John Price (Foothills Falcons H.S. - Okotoks)

Trevor Prichard (St. Josephs Celtics H.S. - Grande Prairie)

Mike Schwieder (U of Calgary Dinos - CIS)

Jason Sulz (U of Alberta Golden Bears - CIS)

General Manager:

Gino Castellan (Notre Dame - Red Deer)



Team Alberta U16

Head Coach:

Darcy Park (Edmonton Wildcats - CJFL)

Assistants:

Wayne Head (Calgary Bulldogs Bantam)

Irv Loucraft (Sherwood Park Wolverines Bantam)

Kyle Sedgwick (Hunting Hills H.S. - Red Deer)

Donavin Obenauer (Bev Facey H.S. - Sherwood Park)

Garth Melrose (Centennial H.S. - Calgary)

Cody Ehrmann (Henry Wise Wood H.S. - Calgary)

Tyler Greenslade (Harry Ainlay H.S. - Edmonton)

Team Alberta U17

Head Coach:

Tim Enger (Football Alberta)

Assistants:

Cam Fraser (Salisbury H.S. - Sherwood Park)

Dan Aloisio (Archbishop Jordan - Sherwood Park)

Quinn Skelton (Medicine Hat H.S. - Medicine Hat)

Mike Wilson (Crescent Heights H.S. - Calgary)

Cody Ehrmann (Henry Wise Wood H.S. - Calgary)

Mackenzie Enger (Paul Kane H.S. - St. Albert)

Bill McConkey (St. Mary's H.S. - Calgary)

Rick Gilson (Westwind School District)

Team Alberta Staff

Athletic Therapy

Nicole Lemke - Head Therapist

Melissa Petryna

Melissa Roth

Equipment Management

Allan Naylor - Head Equipment
Manager

David Fritsen

Team Alberta U16 Dominate in the International Bowl

www.

Arlington, Texas - January 17, 2017

Playing just 38 miles from his hometown of Rowlett, Texas, Myles Nash wasted no time making his presence felt for the United States U-16 Select team at International Bowl VIII against Team Alberta at AT&T Stadium in Arlington.

The Sachse High School freshman provided one of the few explosive plays for the U-16 Select, returning the opening kickoff 95-yards for a touchdown to give the US a quick 7-0 lead. "It was a blessing," Nash said. "People dream of this, so just being able to live it is a great opportunity."

That lead was short-lived, however, as Team Alberta quickly recovered both offensively and defensively and cruised to a 37-19 win. Team Alberta accounted for almost 400 yards of offense while possessing the ball for more than 31 minutes of the game. The Alberta offense scored on four of its five red-zone opportunities in the win. "It really means everything," Team Alberta MVP Payton Burbank said after the game. "We came out here and expected them to play, and they did. We pulled out a win in the end, because we just wanted it more."



After going three-and-out on its opening possession, Team Alberta forced a fumble on the ensuing U.S. possession before quickly capitalizing on a 10-yard pass from Kristian Stembridge to Burbank (Okotoks, Alberta). That drive set the tone for the remainder of the first half, as the well-oiled Alberta offensive attack moved the ball down the field against the U.S. defense. Alberta took the lead on a four-yard touchdown run from Stembridge (Calgary, Alberta) later in the first quarter. But the U.S. finally got going towards the end of the first quarter. Blaine McAllister took in a 25-yard touchdown run to cap off a four-play, 62-yard touchdown drive that tied the game at 13-13 with 3:19 left in the quarter.

Alberta continued to roll though, as Stembridge connected with Burbank again, this time on a 28-yard touchdown in the second quarter. After forcing a U.S. punt, Alberta's punishing run game - led by Matthew Peterson - took more than six minutes off the clock before closing out the half with a 25-yard field goal from Jonathan Guistini to make the score 23-13. "This is all like a dream," Burbank said. "I wasn't really expecting it, but it blows my mind. Being in AT&T Stadium, playing against Team USA - it was awesome."

In the second half, the U.S. defense buckled down. Ryker Matthews forced a fumble on the opening possession of the third quarter that was recovered by Cameron Kinnie. Artia Taylor later followed up with an interception. The defense went on to force a three-and-out on the next Alberta possession, but the offensive attack was unable to find a groove as the half went along. McCallister (Milton, Ga.) connected with Odahri Hibberts for a 36-yard gain to close out the third quarter, but that was one of only two big plays for the U.S. in the second half.

Alberta essentially put the game out of reach with two touchdowns - a 65-yard pass from Stembridge to Ajou Ajou and a 4-yard pass from Russell Dixon to Lucas Robertson - in the fourth quarter. Defensively, Adrian Cabrera led the way for the U.S., finishing with a game-high nine tackles (1.5 for loss). The team struggled offensively against the Alberta defensive front. Nash led the way with 26 yards rushing while McAllister added 93 yards through the air, 24 yards on the ground, and two total touchdowns.

The U-16 accounted for just 154 total yards in the game but finished on the right note with a four-yard touchdown pass from McAllister to Marcellus Scott just before time expired. "We executed as best we could, but it didn't come out our way," Nash said. "We played a hard game, and they did too."



Transition Time—Executive Director's Message, Brian Fryer

I hope everyone is wintering well. There will be a few changes in the office over the next year. We hired a new Technical Director, Taylor Stiles, who will be taking over programs like the NCCP, Minor Provincials, Bantam Bowl, Alberta Summer Games and the Youth Flag programs. Taylor brings an extensive track record in coordinating and managing sporting events. He was the Alberta Summer Games manager recently held in Leduc, while employed with the City of Leduc. Taylor has played football for a decade in his earlier years, so is very comfortable taking over some of the Technical Director duties throughout the year.

Tim Enger will transition as the Associate Executive Director this year and will go to the Executive Director role starting January of next year. He will continue to handle the Provincial teams (U18, Football Canada Cup, International games). Both Taylor and Tim will handle the Senior Bowl. Other programs under Tim's belt are the Alberta Bowl High School liaison, High School Rankings and Hawaii program.

I will stay on as Executive Director this year and at the start of next year will be going half-time as the Chief Financial Officer, handling all of the finances and business decisions.

Tribute to Amateur Football's Super Volunteer, Susan Morgan (1954-2016)



Alberta lost one of amateur football's greatest volunteers and supporters, Susan Morgan, on June 9th, 2016. Susan Morgan was a member of the Edmonton football community dating back to the mid-80's. Starting as a parent signing up her son James to play bantam football for the Edmonton Chargers, she quickly moved into a volunteer administrative role with the team and one she would hold for over 30 years. Minor football was suffering in Edmonton during the 1980's. The old Edmonton Bantam Football Association only featured seven teams when Susan joined the Chargers down from 20 teams in the 1960's, but through her efforts and those of her future husband Dale Manko, the league was stabilized which kicked off an unprecedented period of growth that now features over 70 teams at five different levels of play in the renamed Capital District Minor Football Association.

Susan's fingerprints were all over any new development that benefitted the game of football at the minor level including being in on the ground floor of the creation of Minor Provincials, Bantam Bowl, football's participation in the Alberta Summer Games, Eskimo's Novice Flag and Atom League, and Team Alberta U16 for which she served as General Manager. However it is the thing that was dearest to her heart, the Edmonton Chargers Minor Football Association,

that brought her the most joy. Building it into a model for all others to emulate the Chargers feature one of the few permanent bases for minor football with a clubhouse that has all the amenities to host all of their teams, and it's fitting that they last game she presided over on their behalf saw the Bantam Chargers win the Tier I Provincial Championship last November. Her son James, who got her into football in the first place, is now the head coach of that team and won the Football Alberta Bantam Coach of the Year for 2015.

Susan was admitted to hospital on May 4 with septic shock and never recovered. She passed away on June 9 and was 61 years old. Originally from Regina and an unabashed Roughrider fan, she will always be remembered as a tough, no nonsense advocate for the game of football with a heart of gold. No child was ever denied a chance to play the game regardless of their economic standing on her watch and she will be missed.

Tribute to Lloydminster Minor Football President, Rod Kirby (1967-2016)



Rod dedicated a large part of his life to the Lloydminster Minor Football Association. When he first joined the LMFA, the organization only had 1 bantam team. Within two years, under Rod's guidance, the LMFA expanded to 4 pee-wee and 2 bantam teams. Rod spent a large part of his time coaching, managing and being the president of the league for many years. His success has come in the form of numerous championships from the pee-wee, bantam, midget and high school levels. Sadly Rod passed away in the spring of 2016, leaving behind a loving family and the memories of hundreds of players to ever play for Rod.

Rod was the Head Coach of the Lloydminster Red Dogs for many years. During the 2016 campaign, the Lloydminster Red Dogs took home the tier 1 midget championship. Rod had won many championships during his long career as a coach and mentor, but this was one he was definitely the most proud of. Behind the scenes, Rod was the president of the Lloydminster Minor Football Association. A demanding task, which he took on openly. Rod will be remember throughout our community one of the greatest coaches, if not, the greatest in

2017 Football AB Calendar of Events

Date	Event	Location			
Jan 11-18	Team AB U16 Camp and Game	Arlington TX	Jul 1-9	Western Canada U16 Regional Championship	
Jan 13-15	Team AB U18/U17 SUPERWEEKEND	Edmonton		Lethbridge	
Jan 20-21	Football Alberta AGM	Edmonton	Jul 5-7	Team AB U18 Main Training Camp	Edmonton
Feb 5	Super Bowl	Houston	Jul 8-14	Football Canada Cup	Wolfville NS
Feb 24-26	Team Ab U18/U17 Mini-Camp	Edmonton	Jul TBA	Women's World Championship	BC
Mar TBA	Football Alberta Coaches Clinic	TBA	Aug 1	First day of Minor Football Practices	
Mar 17-19	Team AB U18/U17 Mini-Camp	Edmonton	Aug 11	Opening of C IB Training Camps	
Mar 31-			Aug 5-13	Team AB U17 Camp and Game	Maui, HI
Apr 2	6-Man All-Star Selection Camp	Edmonton	Aug 16	First day of High School Practices	
Apr 7-9	Bantam Bowl South Camp	Calgary	Sep 20	Football AB Fall Conference Call	Alberta
Apr 13-15	Senior Bowl North Camp	Edmonton	Nov 4	Finals: Atom Provincial and all H.S. and Minor	
Apr 21-23	Team AB U18/U17 Final Selection Camp	Calgary	Leagues		
Apr 21-23	Senior Bowl South Camp	Calgary	Nov 4	Canadian Bowl—PFC Hosts	TBA
Apr 21-23	Bantam Bowl North Camp	Edmonton	Nov 11	First week of H.S. and Minor Provincials	
Apr 27-30	U of C Spring Camp	Calgary	Nov 18	Second week of H.S. Provincials and	
Apr 28-30	U of A Spring Camp	Edmonton		Finals for Minor Provincials	
May 5-7	Calgary Colts Spring Camp	Calgary	Nov 25	Vanier Cup	Hamilton
May TBA	Edm. Wildcats/ Huskies Spring Camps	Edmonton	Nov 24-25	Alberta Bowl High School Finals	Calgary
May 19-22	Senior Bowl Main Camp/Game	Calgary	Nov 26	Grey Cup	Ottawa
May 19-22	6-Man All-Star Main Camp/Game	Edmonton			
May 19-22	Bantam Bowl Main Camp/Game	Edmonton	Dec 1-2	Football AB Planning Meeting	Edmonton
Jun 9-11	Team AB U18 Final Roster Mini-Camp	Red Deer	Check our website for more details and the most up-to-date Calendar of Events.		
Jun 10	Football Alberta Board Meeting	Red Deer			
Jun TBA	Football Canada AGM	TBA			

Football Alberta 2017 Membership & Insurance

Football Alberta Membership consists of 2 plans: Plan #1 provides annual team membership and insurance for all players and team personnel. Plan #2 is available for teams that do not require insurance. Please note that all minor teams; Bantam, PeeWee and Atom are required to obtain Football Alberta insurance to be eligible for Minor Provincials.

PLAN #1 - TEAM AND PLAYER INSURANCE

Includes \$5 Million Liability & Accident Insurance for the following rates:

(Team Fee + Mandatory Insurance for all Minor teams)

These fees are in effect when payment is made on time.

- After the fee deadline, Late Fees will apply.

	FEES (Includes GST)	LATE FEES
Atom, PeeWee, Midget	Team fee of \$157.50 + \$28.00 per person	\$125.00 per team
Bantam	Team fee of \$236.25 + \$28.00 per person	\$125.00 per team
Minor: (6-man tackle)	Team fee of \$ 78.75 + \$28.00 per person	\$ 65.00 per team
High School: 9 & 12-man	Team fee of \$262.50 + \$28.00 per person	\$125.00 per team
High School: 6-man	Team fee of \$ 78.75 + \$28.00 per person	\$ 65.00 per team
Junior/University	Team fee of \$262.50 + \$28.00 per person	\$125.00 per team
Senior Men/Female	\$28.00 per person	\$ 65.00 per team
Flag/Touch	\$ 9.00 per person	

Minor Late Fees: After Sept. 30th, add \$125 (12-man, 10-man) and \$65 (6-man)

⇒ High School/Other Late Fees: After Oct. 7th, Add \$125 (12-man & 9-man) and \$65 (6-man)

	FEES (Includes GST)	LATE FEES: After Oct. 7
High School: 9 & 12-man	Team fee of \$262.50	\$125.00
High School: 6-man	Team fee of \$ 78.75	\$ 65.00
Junior/University	Team fee of \$262.50	\$125.00

PLAN #2 - TEAM MEMBERSHIP ONLY - NO INSURANCE

(Team Fee + Optional Insurance if required)

High School, Six Man High School, Junior, University

League Coordinators & Team Managers:

Membership and insurance runs on the calendar year (January 1 to December 31). It is easiest for league/team administrators to register players at the start of the year for gym nights in January & February and then continue to register players as they join the team thru spring camp and summer and fall. It is extremely important for the welfare of players and team personnel that insurance is valid (and thus paid for) as soon as you start registration. Please note that the insurance policy provides both accident and liability coverage and is valid regardless of how long players are with your team (one day, one week or all season).

For more details, see our website... <http://footballalberta.ab.ca/web/membership/>



Dinos 5th Quarter Association presents

Elite Coaching Clinic 2017

FRIDAY, MARCH 3 | 6:00 P.M. - 9:00 P.M. & coaches' social
SATURDAY, MARCH 4 | 9:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.

University of Calgary

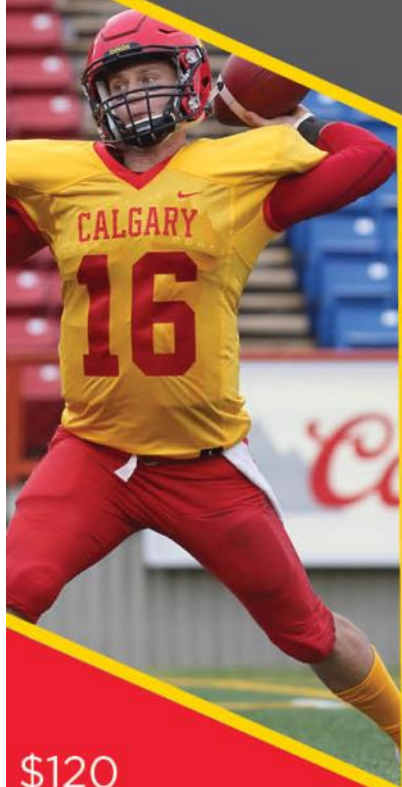
2500 University Drive NW
Kinesiology B, rooms 132 & 136

PRE-REGISTER ONLINE

www.elitecoachingclinic.com

REGISTER ON SITE

4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
March 3 (KNES Atrium)



\$120

INVESTMENT

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Pat Sheahan - Queens University
Don Sweet - CFL Kicking Coach
Mark Nelson - Ottawa Redblacks
Tom Higgins - CFL Head Coach
Taylor Altilio - The ALFA Project
Dan Dorazio - BC Lions O-Line Coach

TOPICS

- Offensive line play
- Strength & conditioning development
- Coaching Kickers & Punters
- Pass rush
- Less is more, practicing smart



NCCP SAFE CONTACT COURSE Become safe contact certified

SATURDAY, MARCH 4 | 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. | Gold Gym

\$90 ADDITIONAL INVESTMENT or \$150 FOR COURSE & CLINIC

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2017 COACHING CLINIC

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About This Clinic

Football Alberta and the University of Alberta Golden Bears are dedicated to the development of all football coaches in Alberta.

It is our hope to provide the best experience possible for the participants of this clinic so they can apply the concepts learned to their teaching and football program.

Clinic Information

Dates: Friday, March 24th & Saturday, March 25th, 2017

Cost: Clinic Fee: \$120 - GST not included (at the door is \$130).

To register for Clinic visit the Website at www.activityreg.ualberta.ca or call (780) 492-2231.

NOTE: All those requiring NCCP "Competition Introduction at Position", must register for both the Clinic (\$120) and then register with Football Alberta for the NCCP (\$110). NCCP Coaches must attend specific sessions both days and will be notified by Football Alberta.

To register for NCCP with Football Alberta visit the Website at footballalberta.ab.ca or call (780) 427-8108.

Where: Fri, Mar 24th - University of Alberta Main Campus—ECHA (Edmonton Clinic Health Academy—11405 87 Avenue).
Sat, Mar 25th - Foote Field Dome (11601 68th Avenue).

Sessions: Varied sessions offered to all levels. Multiple topics for offense and defense.



NOEL THORPE KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Assistant Head Coach, Defensive
Coordinator and Defensive Backs
Coach, Montreal Alouettes.



Registration Information

Call the U of A
Activity Registration Zone (ARZ)
at **780-492-2231** or visit:
www.activityreg.ualberta.ca

Questions?

Call the Golden Bears
Football Office at
780-492-8468
OR Football Alberta at
780-427-8108



Schedule:

Fri, Mar 24th - U of A Main Campus

5:00 pm: Registration Begins
6:00 pm: Chris Morris - U of A Golden Bears HC
6:15 pm: Keynote Speaker: Noel Thorpe - Montreal Alouettes
7:00 pm: Breakout Sessions Begin
10:00 pm: Coaches Social

Sat, Mar 25th - Foote Field Dome

9:00 am: On-Field Sessions #1, 2, 3 and 4
10:00 am: On-Field Sessions #5, 6, 7, and 8
11:30 to 5:30 pm: NCCP - Competition Introduction at Position (Foote Field Multipurpose Room).

2016 Yearbook of Results

SENIOR MEN'S

<u>ALBERTA LEAGUE (AFL)</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>T</u>	<u>PF</u>	<u>PA</u>	<u>PTS</u>
Central Alberta Buccaneers	8	0	0			16
Fort McMurray Monarchs	7	1	0			14
Calgary Gators	6	2	0			12
St. Albert Stars	5	3	0			10
Edmonton Stallions	4	4	0			8
Grande Prairie Drillers	3	5	0			6
Lloydminster Vandals	2	6	0			4
Airdrie Irish	1	7	0			2
Calgary Wolfpack	0	8	0			0

FINAL: Monarchs 32 Buccaneers 23
National Championship: Monarchs 59 GTA All-Stars 45

JUNIOR

<u>PRAIRIE FOOTBALL CONF.</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>T</u>	<u>PF</u>	<u>PA</u>	<u>PTS</u>
Saskatoon Hilltops	8	1	0	344	154	16
Calgary Colts	7	2	1	330	162	14
Edmonton Huskies	6	3	0	330	210	12
Regina Thunder	5	4	0	288	183	10
Winnipeg Rifles	2	7	0	178	374	4
Edmonton Wildcats	0	9	0	141	437	0

PFC FINAL: Saskatoon 37 Calgary 31
CANADIAN BOWL: Saskatoon 37 Westshore Rebels 25

UNIVERSITY

<u>CANADA WEST LEAGUE</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>T</u>	<u>PF</u>	<u>PA</u>	<u>PTS</u>
U of Regina Rams	6	2	0	277	218	12
U of Calgary Dinosaurs	6	2	0	294	167	12
U of Saskatchewan Huskies	5	3	0	261	205	10
U of BC Thunderbirds	3	5	0	250	245	6
U of Manitoba Bisons	3	5	0	276	323	6
U of Alberta Golden Bears	1	7	0	155	355	2

HARDY CUP: Calgary 46 UBC 43
MITCHELL BOWL: Calgary 50 St. FX 24
UTECK BOWL: Laval 36 Laurier 6
VANIER CUP: Laval 31 Calgary 26

Upcoming Coaches Clinics

February 23 – Calgary
NCCP Safe Contact

March 3rd and 4th – U of Calgary
Elite Coaching Clinic
NCCP Safe Contact

March 24th and 25th—U of Alberta
Golden Bears/FB AB Coaching Clinic
NCCP Comp Intro at Position option

INFORMATION ON THESE AND OTHER UPCOMING CLINICS THROUGHOUT ALBERTA

MIDGET (Spring)

<u>CAPITAL DISTRICT MIDGET</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>T</u>	<u>PF</u>	<u>PA</u>	<u>PTS</u>
Lloydminster Red Dogs	5	0	0	233	61	10
Edmonton Seahawks	4	1	0	97	117	8
Edmonton Chargers	4	2	0	199	115	8
Edmonton Mustangs	3	2	0	76	54	6
Battle River Shock	3	3	0	101	93	6
Parkland Predators	2	3	0	103	117	4
Millwoods Grizzlies	2	3	0	60	139	4
Edmonton Raiders	1	4	0	49	75	2
St. Albert Storm	0	6	0	37	184	0

CALGARY MIDGET LEAGUE

<u>BOULTON DIVISION</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>T</u>	<u>PF</u>	<u>PA</u>	<u>PTS</u>
Cowboys	5	0	1	202	43	11
Mavericks	5	0	1	195	77	11
Raiders	3	3	0	104	145	6
Prairie Fire	2	3	1	123	92	5
Hilltoppers	1	4	1	64	129	3
Broncos	0	6	0	20	214	0

<u>PARKINSON DIVISION</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>T</u>	<u>PF</u>	<u>PA</u>	<u>PTS</u>
Wildcats	6	0	0	165	40	12
Colts	3	3	0	140	103	6
Big Rock Bengals	3	3	0	96	133	6
Falcons	3	3	0	103	90	6
Bulldogs	2	4	0	80	107	6
Stampeders	1	5	0	51	170	2

WWCFL

<u>Prairie Conference</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>T</u>	<u>PF</u>	<u>PA</u>	<u>PTS</u>
Saskatoon Valkyries	3	1	0			6
Regina Riot	3	1	0			6
Winnipeg Nomads Wolf Pack	1	3	0			2
Manitoba Fearless	1	3	0			2

Western Conference

Edmonton Storm	4	0	0			8
Calgary Rage	3	1	0			6
Lethbridge Steel	1	3	0			2
Grande Prairie Anarchy	0	4	0			0

WESTERN CONF FINAL: Storm 14 Steel 4
PRAIRIE CONF FINAL: Saskatoon Valkyries 29 Regina Riot 17
WWCFL FINAL: Saskatoon Valkyries 81 Edm. Storm 6

HIGH SCHOOL

MIGHTY PEACE LEAGUE

	W	L	T	PF	PA	PTS
St Joe's Celtics	8	0	0	405	37	16
Sexsmith Sabres	7	1	0	393	64	14
Valleyview Cougars	6	2	0	265	128	12
Peace Wapiti Titans	5	3	0	229	108	10
Peace River Pioneers	4	4	0	202	137	8
Whitecourt Cats	3	5	0	134	186	6
Charles Spencer Mavericks	2	6	0	130	286	4
Grande Prairie Warriors	1	7	0	27	401	2
High Prairie Renegades	0	8	0	99	523	0

PEACE BOWL: St. Joe's 31 Sexsmith 0

EDMONTON METRO (SR) continued

GILFILLAN DIVISION	W	L	T	PF	PA	PTS
Archbishop Jordan Scots	7	1	0	241	72	14
Fort Saskatchewan Sting	6	1	0	210	101	12
Holy Trinity Trojans	6	2	0	226	94	12
Eastglen Blue Devils	6	2	0	204	120	12
M.E. Lazerte Voyageurs	4	4	0	142	106	8
Beaumont Bandits	3	5	0	142	163	6
J. Percy Page Panthers	2	5	0	57	159	4
W.P. Wagner Warriors	1	7	0	103	254	2
Queen Elizabeth Knights	0	8	0	6	262	0

FINAL: Archbishop Jordan 28 Holy Trinity 14

Wheatland Football League

	W	L	T	PF	PA	PTS
Holy Rosary Raiders	5	0	0	174	31	10
Lloydminster Barons	4	1	0	166	65	8
Bonnyville Voyageurs	4	1	0	240	63	8
St. Paul Lions	3	2	0	126	111	6
Cold Lake Royals	3	2	0	110	119	6
Vermillion Marauders	2	3	0	115	161	4
Wainwright Commandos	2	3	0	97	106	4
Westlock Thunderbirds	2	3	0	82	145	2
Vegreville Vortex	1	4	0	48	168	2
Athabasca Pacers	0	5	0	40	223	0

FINAL: Holy Rosary Raiders 27 Lloydminster Barons 0

EDMONTON METRO (JR)

POOL A	W	L	T	PF	PA	PTS
Bev Facey Falcons	4	0	0	106	28	8
Jasper Place Rebels	3	1	0	115	47	6
Salisbury Sabres	2	2	0	44	73	4
Harry Ainlay	1	3	0	45	75	2
Austin O'Brien Crusaders	0	4	0	21	108	0
POOL B	W	L	T	PF	PA	PTS
Bellerose Bulldogs	5	0	0	202	81	10
Memorial Marauders	4	1	0	208	110	8
Paul Kane Blues	3	2	0	183	110	6
Ross Sheppard Thunderbirds	2	3	0	103	165	4
St. Joseph Saints	1	4	0	110	175	2
Archbishop O'Leary Spartans	0	5	0	41	206	0

FINAL: Jasper Place 41 Bev Facey 0

EDMONTON METRO (SR)

CARR DIVISION	W	L	T	PF	PA	PTS
Bev Facey Falcons	8	0	0	300	46	16
Harry Ainlay Titans	7	1	0	216	85	14
Spruce Grove Predators	5	2	1	148	136	11
Austin O'Brien Crusaders	4	3	1	184	156	9
Bellerose Bulldogs	4	4	0	130	148	8
Jasper Place Rebels	4	4	0	174	179	8
Paul Kane Blues	1	6	1	101	178	3
Salisbury Sabres	0	6	2	102	225	2
Ross Sheppard Thunderbirds	0	7	1	57	259	1

MILES DIVISION

Ardrossan Bisons	4	1	1	127	56	9
Strathcona Lords	4	2	0	105	60	8
Leduc Tigers	4	2	0	80	101	8
McNally Tigers	3	3	0	104	93	6
Archbishop O'Leary Spartans	3	3	0	107	80	6
St. Albert Skyhawks	2	4	0	77	115	4
St. Francis Xavier Rams	0	5	1	37	132	1

MILES FINAL: Strathcona 15 Ardrossan 14

MOUNTAIN VIEW 9-MAN

	W	L	T	PF	PA	PTS
Innisfail Cyclones	7	0	1			15
Strathmore Badgers	6	1	1			13
Didbury Dragons	4	3	0			8
Bowden Blazers	2	5	0			4
Carstairs Tigers	1	5	0			2
Sundre Bisons	1	5	0			2

FINAL: Innisfail 67 Strathmore 6

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CALGARY DIV. 1/2 (SR) POOL A

	W	L	T	PF	PA	PTS
St Francis Browns	5	1	0	219	41	10
Notre Dame Pride	4	2	0	136	79	8
Ernest Manning Griffins	4	2	0	133	115	8
William Aberhart/Queen E	3	3	0	121	136	6
Crescent Heights Cowboys	2	4	0	106	190	4
Bishop Carroll Cardinals	1	4	1	34	101	3
Bishop Grandin Ghosts	0	5	1	41	181	1

CALGARY DIV. 1/II (SR) POOL B

	W	L	T	PF	PA	PTS
Henry Wide Wood Warriors	7	0	0	247	74	14
Centennial Coyotes	6	1	0	208	86	12
Bishop O'Byrne Trailblazers	5	2	0	196	99	10
St. Mary's Saints	4	3	0	164	148	8
Robert Thirsk Comets	3	4	0	53	133	6
Churchill/Bowness	2	5	0	98	121	4
McNally/Lacombe Laser Wolves	1	6	0	29	136	2

DIV 1 FINAL: St. Francis 20 Notre Dame 10

DIV 2 FINAL: St. Mary's 32 Robert Thirsk 26

CALGARY DIV 3 (SR)

John G. Diefenbaker Chiefs	5	0	0	121	73	10
Lord Beaverbrook Lords	4	1	0	121	22	8
Scarlett/Central	3	2	0	87	61	6
Western Canada Redmen	2	3	0	60	80	4
Forest Lawn	1	4	0	52	149	4
Lester B. Pearson	0	5	0	46	102	0

DIV 3 FINAL: John G. Diefenbaker 49 Lester B. Pearson 14

CALGARY DIV. 1 (JR)

	W	L	T	PF	PA	PTS
Henry Wise Wood Warriors	6	0	0	262	48	12
St. Francis Browns	5	1	0	172	72	10
Notre Dame Pride	4	2	0	191	25	8
Bishop O'Byrne Bobcats	3	3	0	67	113	6
William Aberhart Trojans	2	4	0	51	82	4
Centennial Coyotes	1	5	0	77	180	2
Ernest Manning Griffins	0	6	0	20	202	0

DIV 1 FINAL: Henry Wise Wood 38 St. Francis 0

CALGARY DIV. 2 (JR)

	W	L	T	PF	PA	PTS
St. Mary's Saints	6	0	0	196	19	12
Bowness/Churchill	5	1	0	253	70	10
McNally/Lacombe Laser Wolves	2	4	0	109	210	4
Crescent Heights	1	5	0	107	224	2
Western Canada	1	5	0	42	184	2
John G. Diefenbaker	0	0	0	0	0	0
Forest Lawn Titans						
Scarlett/Central						
Lord Beaverbrook Lords	0	0	0	0	0	0

DIV 2 FINAL: St. Mary's 47 Bowness/Churchill 8

CENTRAL ALBERTA

CITY CONFERENCE

Notre Dame Cougars	1st
Hunting Hills Lighting	2nd
Lacombe Rams	3rd
Lindsay Thurber Raiders	4th

RURAL CONFERENCE

Sylvan Lake Lakers	1st
Stettler Wildcats	2nd
Wetaskiwin Sabres	3rd
Camrose Trojans	4th
West Central Rebels (Rocky Mt)	5th
Drayton Valley Warriors	6th
Ponoka Broncos	7th

WESTERN AB 6-MAN LEAGUE

NORTH

	W	L	T	PF	PA	PTS
Buck Mountain Mustangs	8	0	0	326	128	16
Millwoods Christian Royals	7	1	0	252	102	14
Edson—Holy Redeemer Rebels	6	2	0	256	136	12
Breton Cougars	5	3	0	400	268	10
Redwater	3	5	0	257	319	6
Assumption	3	5	0	242	319	6
Oscar Romero	2	5	0	147	284	4
Harry Collinge	1	7	0	58	233	2
Ecole Desrochers Jasper Glacier	0	7	0	101	250	0

SOUTH

St. Joseph's Crusaders	8	0	0	282	54	16
Rimbey Spartans	7	1	0	271	79	14
J.C. Charyk Hawks	6	2	0	226	150	12
Sedgewick Rams	5	3	0	225	163	10
Caroline Cougars	4	4	0	193	184	8
Holy Cross Hawks	3	5	0	171	261	6
Our Lady of Mount Pleasant	2	6	0	196	305	4
Heritage Christian Academy	1	7	0	112	279	2
Provost Panthers	0	8	0	155	356	0

TIER 1: St. Josephs 76 Rimbey 12

TIER 2: Caroline 48 Assumption 28

TIER 3: Oscar Romero 46 Harry Collinge

ROCKYVIEW LEAGUE

	W	L	T	PF	PA	PTS
Springbank Phoenix	5	1	0	194	100	10
Cochrane Cobras	4	0	0	252	28	8
Cheternere	3	3	0	101	132	6
WH Croxford	2	2	0	36	72	4
Bow Valley Bobcats	2	2	0	95	70	2
George McDougall	1	3	0	72	115	2
Bert Church	0	6	0	65	257	0

FINAL: Cochrane 43 Springback 0



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SOUTHERN AB LEAGUE

Division A	W	L	T	PF	PA	PTS
LCI Rams	4	0	0			8
Raymond Comets	3	1	0			6
Cardston Cougars	2	2	0			4
Catholic Central Cougars	1	3	0			2
Winston Churchill Bulldogs	0	4	0			0
Division B						
W.R. Myers Rebels	3	0	0			6
Willow Creek Cobras	2	1	0			4
Chinook Coyotes	1	2	0			2
Pincher Creek Mustangs	0	3	0			0

TIER I FINAL: Raymond Comets 21 LCI Rams 7

TIER II FINAL: Catholic Central Cougars 20 Chinook Coyotes 0

TIER IV FINAL: Willow Creek Cobras 27 Pincher Creek Mustangs 6

RANGELAND LEAGUE

	W	L	T	PF	PA	PTS
Medicine Hat Mohawks	4	0	0			8
Crescent Heights Vikings	3	1	0			6
Strathmore Spartans	2	2	0			4
Brooks Buffaloes	1	3	0			2
McCoy Colts	0	4	0			0

FINAL: Medicine Hat 29 Strathmore 5

U18/U17 Team Alberta

Football Alberta has begun the selection process of selecting our Team Alberta U18, which will represent the province at the 2017 Football Canada Cup in Nova Scotia next July, and our new Team Alberta U17 which will represent the province at the Pacific U17 Challenge in Hawaii next August.

365 players registered for the inaugural U18/U17 Superweek-end Selection Camp in Edmonton on January 13-15. The Top 100 players have been identified and will be attending further selection camps in February, March and April.

The **U18 team** will be going to the **Football Canada Cup** in Wolfville, Nova Scotia July 5 - 15.

The **U17 team** that will be going to the **Pacific Challenge** in Maui, Hawaii August 5 - 13.

[U18/U17 Team Alberta Top 100](#)

NEED RESOURCE MATERIALS FOR THE COACHING SEASON?

If you missed out on coaching clinics or if want to better your skills, visit the Resource Materials section on the Football Alberta website <http://footballalberta.ab.ca/web/resources/> for a complete list of materials available through the office.

BANTAM

PEACE COUNTRY BANTAM

	W	L	T	PF	PA	PTS
Sexsmith Shamrocks	6	0	0	242	61	12
Grande Prairie Raiders	5	1	0	264	76	10
Grande Prairie Broncos	4	2	0	185	155	8
Wembley Bulldogs	3	3	0	130	138	6
Grande Prairie Norsemen	2	4	0	165	155	4
Peace River Prospectors	1	5	0	85	205	2
High Prairie Outlaws	0	6	0	42	321	0

FINAL: Grande Prairie Raiders 35 Sexsmith Shamrocks 16

CENTRAL AB BANTAM (CFL)

	W	L	T	PF	PA	PTS
NORTH						
Red Deer Hunting Hills	6	0	0	321	26	12
Lacombe Jr Raiders	5	1	0	256	74	10
Sylvan Lake Lions	4	2	0	130	110	8
Stettler Cougars	3	3	0	144	164	6
Lindsay Thurber Jr. Raiders	2	4	0	114	203	4
Red Deer Notre Dame Cougars	1	5	0	93	234	2
Ponoka Jr Broncos	0	6	0	32	279	0
SOUTH						
Rocky Mtn. House Jr. Rebels	4	0	0	141	38	8
SCFA Badgers	3	1	0	108	76	6
Drumheller Titans	2	2	0	68	29	4
Olds Bulldogs	1	3	0	54	60	2
Springbank Phoenix	0	4	0	0	168	0

TIER 2 FINAL: Lacombe Raiders 36 Sylvan Lake Lions 8

TIER 3 FINAL: Stettler Cougars 48 Lindsay Thurber Raiders 24

CAPITAL DISTRICT BANTAM

	W	L	T	PF	PA	PTS
BRIGHT DIVISION						
Sherwood Park Rams	7	0	0	424	70	14
St. Alber 49ers	6	1	0	273	128	12
Millwoods Grizzlies	4	3	0	304	181	8
Edmonton Mustangs	3	4	0	254	245	6
Edmonton Raiders (Black)	1	6	0	54	346	2
Leduc Ticats	0	7	0	65	360	0
FRYER DIVISION						
Edmonton Seahawks	5	1	0	137	78	10
Fort Saskatchewan Falcons	4	2	0	161	48	0
Camrose Bulldogs	2	3	0	94	125	4
Wetaskiwin Warriors	0	5	0	45	186	0

PARKER DIVISION

	W	L	T	PF	PA	PTS
Spruce Grove Cougars	5	1	1	232	133	11
Stony Plain Bombers	5	1	1	338	186	11
Edmonton Chargers	5	2	0	128	193	10
Sherwood Park Northstars	3	4	0	244	263	6
Sherwood Park Wolverines	2	5	0	137	319	4
St. Albert Fury	0	7	0	136	423	0

FINAL TIER 1: Sherwood Park Rams 56 Stony Plain Bombers 0

FINAL TIER 2: Edm. Mustangs 38 Spruce Grove Cougars 13

WHEATLAND BANTAM	W	L	T	PF	PA	PTS
Lloydminster Mustangs	4	0	1	183	41	9
St. Paul Bengals	4	1	0	191	75	8
Bonnyville Bandits	3	2	0	152	88	6
Lloydminster Chargers	2	2	1	138	69	5
Cold Lake Royals	1	4	0	2	42	213
Wainwright Commandos	0	5	0	40	260	0

FINAL: Lloydminster Mustangs 13 St. Paul Bengals 0

CALGARY BANTAM LEAGUE	W	L	T	PF	PA	PTS
KEN TOONE DIVISION						
Hilltoppers	8	0	0	310	26	16
Cowboys—Navy	6	2	0	218	138	12
Mavericks	4	3	0	99	144	8
Cochrane Lions	2	5	0	164	238	4
Wildcats	2	6	0	176	241	4
Cyclones	0	7	1	41	224	1

BROCK JACOBS DIVISION						
Stampeders	6	2	0	237	101	12
Cowboys—Grey	5	3	0	178	127	10
Bulldogs	5	3	0	205	114	10
Colts	3	5	0	145	274	6
Okotoks Eagles	1	6	1	91	237	3

WILF KAISER DIVISION						
Falcons	5	2	0	115	132	10
Airdrie Raiders	4	3	0	122	107	8
Bears	0	7	0	64	182	0

FINALS Tier I: Hilltoppers 22 Cowboys (Navy) 0
FINALS Tier II: Bulldogs 40 Mavericks 24

Mayo Clinic Neurodegeneration Study

The Mayo Clinic completed a community based study on High School Football players and the risk of development of neurodegenerative diseases later in life. The study involved 438 football players and 140 non-football playing classmates.

According to the findings the results found no increased risk of dementia, PD or ALS despite poorer equipment and less regard for concussions compared with today and no rules prohibiting head-first tackling.

[Read the complete study online](#)

PEEWEE

CAPITAL DISTRICT PEEWEE	W	L	T	PF	PA	PTS
BRIGHT DIVISION						
Edmonton Chargers	7	0	0	202	46	14
Leduc Wildcats	5	2	0	191	40	10
St. Albert Riders	4	3	0	99	85	8
Millwoods Grizzlies	4	3	0	129	121	8
Sherwood Park Jr. Rams	1	6	0	67	245	2
Edmonton Raiders	1	6	0	27	215	2

FRYER DIVISION						
Camrose Buffaloes	6	0	0	259	20	12
Wetaskiwin Warriors	3	3	0	134	146	6
Sherwood Park Cats	2	4	0	68	145	4
Sherwood Park Colts	1	5	0	26	176	2

PARKER DIVISION						
Sherwood Park Bulldogs	6	0	1	248	34	13
Stony Plain Bombers	4	2	1	176	71	9
Spruce Grove Cougars	4	3	0	108	55	8
Edmonton Chargers	3	4	0	78	21	6
Edmonton Seahawks	1	5	1	31	211	2
Fort Saskatchewan Falcons	0	6	1	12	261	1

FINAL Tier I: Leduc Wildcats 42 Edmonton Mustangs 6
FINAL Tier II: Edmonton Chargers 27 Spruce Grove Cougars 20

CENTRAL AB PEEWEE	W	L	T	PF	PA	PTS
Strathmore Badgers	6	0	0	161	18	12
Sylvan Lake Bears	5	1	0	177	26	10
Rocky Rebels	4	2	0	63	59	8
Red Deer Hornets	4	2	0	103	64	8
Innifail Cyclones	3	3	0	111	88	6
Red Deer Steelers	3	3	0	90	93	6
Stettler Panthers	3	3	0	90	93	6
Lacombe Explosion	1	5	0	30	125	2
Olds Huskies	1	5	0	43	148	2
Drumheller Terrapins	0	6	0	42	150	0

FINALS: Strathmore Badgers 12 Red Deer Hornets 6 (OT)

GRANDE PRAIRIE PEEWEE	W	L	T	PF	PA	PTS
POOL A						
Peace River Green Panthers	9	1	0	238	84	18
Sexsmith Stingers	6	4	0	217	98	12
Peace River Black Panthers	4	6	0	142	224	8
Grande Prairie Bears	3	7	0	205	238	6
Wembley Lighting	0	9	1	49	289	1

POOL B						
Grande Prairie Rams	8	0	1	189	49	17
Grande Prairie Silver	2	8	0	84	266	4
Sexsmith Little Rocks	8	2	0	259	70	16
Grande Prairie Colts	2	7	1	91	259	5

1st: Grande Prairie Rams
2nd: Peace River Green Panthers

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<u>CALGARY & AREA PEEWEE</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>T</u>	<u>PF</u>	<u>PA</u>	<u>PTS</u>
Cowboys-Grey	7	0	0	253	13	14
Bulldogs	7	0	0	319	64	14
Stampeders	5	2	0	167	129	10
Wildcats	5	2	0	117	40	10
Cowboys-Navy	4	2	1	128	146	9
Storm	4	3	0	148	78	8
Mavericks	4	3	0	173	103	8
Hilltoppers	4	3	0	157	134	8
Falcons	3	3	1	195	148	7
Eagles	3	4	0	165	212	6
Lions	1	6	0	100	234	2
Colts	1	6	0	65	238	2
Chiefs	0	7	0	40	170	0
Broncos	0	7	0	0	298	0

FINAL TIER 1: Stampeders 24 Cowboys (Grey) 10
 FINAL TIER 2: Airdrie Storm 24 Cowboys (Navy) 22
 FINAL TIER 3: Colts 18 Lions 13

MINOR PROVINCIALS

BANTAM

TIER 1

SEMIS: Sherwood Park Rams 35 Raymond Jr. Comets 14
 Calgary Hilltoppers 34 Stony Plain Bombers 8

FINAL: Sherwood Park Rams 36 Calgary Hilltoppers 22

TIER 2

SEMIS: Edmonton Mustangs 34 Lacombe Raiders 25
 Calgary Bulldogs 28 Brooks Roadrunners 23

FINAL: Calgary Bulldogs 14 Edmonton Mustangs 7

TIER 3

SEMIS: Lloydminster Mustangs 51 Grande Prairie Raiders 32
 Lethbridge Jr. Coyotes 9 Stettler Cougars 7

FINAL: Lloydminster Mustangs 18 Lethbridge Jr. Coyotes 0

PEEWEE

TIER 1

FINAL: Leduc Wildcats 54 Calgary Stampeders 16

TIER 2

FINAL: Airdrie Storm 54 Edmonton Chargers 22

TIER 3

FINAL: Bonnyville Renegades 72 Strathmore Badgers 8

A.S.A.A. High School Provincials

Tier I (School Population 1250+)

Regional Semi-finals, November 12th

#1 Bev Facey Falcons 38 #9 Bellerose Bulldogs 6
 #8 Notre Dame Cougars 27 #4 Harry Ainlay 8
 #3 St. Francis Browns 20 #7 Notre Dame Pride 10
 #6 Raymond Comets 26 #2 Henry Wise Wood 16

Regional Finals, November 19th

NORTH - #1 Bev Facey 32 #8 Notre Dame Cougars 13
 SOUTH - #3 St. Francis 29 #6 Raymond Comets 18

Alberta Bowl Provincial Final: Saturday, November 26th

#3 St. Francis Browns 16 #1 Bev Facey 11

Tier II (School Population 750-1249)

Regional Semi-finals, November 12th

#1 St. Joseph's 13 #5 Austin O'Brien Crusaders 7
 #7 Lloydminster Barons 22 #10 Paul Kane Blues 15
 #4 Hunting Hills Lightning 28 #6 Robert Thirsk Comets 25
 #2 Foothills Falcons 42 #3 Medicine Hat Mohawks 11

Regional Finals, November 19th

NORTH - #1 St. Joseph's Celtics 20 #7 Lloydminster Barons 3
 SOUTH - #2 Foothills Falcons 35 #4 Hunting Hills Lightning 14

Alberta Bowl Provincial Final: Saturday, November 28th

#2 Foothills Falcons 37 #1 St. Joseph's Celtics 4

Tier III (School Population 450-749)

Regional Semi-finals, November 12th

#7 St. Albert Skyhawks 22 #6 Peace Wapiti 7
 #2 Holy Rosary Raiders 24 #3 Sylvan Lake Lakers 16
 #4 Cardston Cougars 69 Rundle College Cobras 14
 #1 Cochrane Cobras 71 #5 Strathmore Spartans 14

Regional Finals, November 19th

NORTH - #2 Holy Rosary 61 #7 St. Albert Skyhawks 0
 SOUTH - #1 Cochrane Cobras 49 #4 Cardston Cougars 42

Alberta Bowl Provincial Final: Saturday, November 26th

#1 Cochrane Cobras 29 #2 Holy Rosary Raiders 20

Tier IV (School Population 449 or less)

Regional Semi-finals, November 12th

#4 Sexsmith Sabres 37 #8 St. Paul Lions 13
 #5 Stettler Wildcats 36 #1 Ardrossan Bisons 19
 #6 Bow Valley Bobcats 17 #2 Willow Creek Cobras 1
 #3 W.R. Myers Rebels 36 Drumheller Titans 7

Regional Finals, November 19th

NORTH - #5 Stettler Wildcats 27 #4 Sexsmith Sabres 14
 SOUTH - #6 Bow Valley Bobcats 41 #3 W.R. Myers Rebels 14

Alberta Bowl Provincial Final: Friday, November 26th

#6 Bow Valley Bobcats 22 #5 Stettler Wildcats 13

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Regional Semi-Finals, November 14th

#2 Buck Mountain Mustangs 72 #8 Sedgewick Rams 40
 #4 Rimbey Spartans 56 #5 Holy Redeemer Rebels 24
 #3 Millwoods Christian 87 #6 J.C. Charyk Hawks 6
 #1 St. Josephs Crusaders 63 #6 Holy Redeemer Rebels 46

Regional Finals, November 21st

#4 Rimbey Spartans 54 #2 Buck Mountain Mustangs 44
 #1 St. Josephs Crusaders 64 #3 Millwoods Christian 18

Alberta Bowl Provincial Final: Friday, November 27th

#1 St. Joseph's Crusaders 64 #3 Millwoods Christian 18

