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BOYS ON EDGE FOR THANKSGIVING DAY GRID BATTLES

Climaxing the 1941 Football season, N.B.C. will hold its annual Thanksgiving Day Football Program at Paul Revere Park, Thursday, November 22. Twelve games will be played throughout the morning, six teams taking the gridirons every hour starting at 9 o'clock. Each team plays a close rival, and in two leagues, the championship race will probably be decided on Thanksgiving Day. Two games in which championships will not depend on the outcome will be hard fought, too, because a victory on that day can make up for some bad luck earlier in the season. The teams will be in top shape for these games, and their plays should be clicking to perfection. Not only the plays, as well as scores and highlights of the various games will be announced over a public address system. In addition, college songs will be played before all games and between games.

TO ALL BOYS: To All the Boys: Your team should be ready to play at least one-half hour before the time scheduled for your game. Members of the various teams must bring their starting lineups by 8:30 and will be waiting at the rear door of the fieldhouse. Before each game the blue-jacketed referee will be played, and all boys are to stand at attention holding their numbers in one hand. Immediately afterwards, the opening whistle will start the game. As a special feature this year, hot chocolate will be served to your team either before or after your game -- you can choose either time. This added attraction will certainly be welcome if the day is as cold as it has been for the last few years.

Don't forget to bring your purgats and friends to see you play. And don't forget either --

CREDIT NO. 1

MONKEYSHINES VS RAIDERS: Every time these two teams play, it's a wide-open game with plenty of scoring. But until their last meeting, all the scoring was done by the first-place Raiders, who have just about clinched their fourth N.B.C. football title. Last time it was a different story, however, as the fast-improving Reveres scored two touchdowns in losing, 27 to 12. This was the first time in three seasons that the Raiders had been scored upon twice in the same game. The Raiders use the T-formation very successfully. Quarterback Ray Wrenald directs the offense, and Fullback John Adam and Cliff Farrell, shifty half-back, are two of the best runners in the league. With a hard-charging line led by Hob Schaeffer, Bob Simmons, Ralph Stall, and Dick Geschrey, he opens holes to the backfield; the Raiders have been undefeated this season. In Frank Schmalz, the Reveres have one of the best offensive and defensive ends and the best punter in the Junior League. Norm Wetzel, "Dutch" Deuschle, "Tex" Reith, John Scheible and Robert Schmitt are the Reveres best linemen. In their backfield, which runs off the single wing exclusively, the Reveres have four good runners in Rudy Klopitsch, Ray Kimbrel, Don Shoare and Ray Irchner. Kimbrel is also the Reveres' passing ace. This should be another wide-open contest and an interesting game to watch.

MONKEYSHINES VS BEARS: Second place in the Junior League will probably go to the winner of this game. Neither team has had a decided advantage over the other this year; so this should be one of the most evenly matched games of the day. The Seabees line is more outstanding than its backfield. All over the line, Andy Butler are two of the three best guards in the league, especially on defense. In addition, the Seabees have Jim Martin, Jack Cronin, and Bill Wedell to round out the best line in Junior League competition. Wedell's punting has also been outstanding this season. In the backfield, Bill Lindahl, "Tomato-face" Olson, and Jack Jensen form a strong defensive secondary, and Olson and Jensen have jugged the mail with some success this season off three formations -- the T, single wing, and short punt formation. On the Bears side of the fence, Louie Klauk is one of the best all-around backs in his league. The Bears' line, made up of standouts as Bob Humbille, Lee Davis, Don Woeters, and Andy Gartner. Gartner's punting has given the Bears added strength. Look for a hard-fought, close game with not much scoring.

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THANKSGIVING DAY FOOTBALL CLASSICS KICK-OFF at 9 A.M.



11:00 A.M. - NAVY VS GREMLINS: These two teams have been fighting for first place in the Frosh Division ever since the first day of the season. Although the Gremlins are on top at the present time, a Navy victory in this game would make it a two-way race to the finish. If the Gremlins should come out victorious it would practically clinch the championship for them. The Gremlins have an outstanding backfield led by the hard-driving Tommy Richards, Don Olberg, Fritz Harris and Bruce Lund. Their line, perhaps the best in the league, is sparked by Capt. Mel Bandanza, Semler, Durand and MacPhillamy; they're always making it easy for their backs to run through the wide open holes. The Navy line, although not as strong as the Gremlins' is always in there fighting hard with Eldon Wenstrom, Hein, Wessel and Jim Considine showing the way. Wenstrom is one of the finest ends in the league. The backfield of the "Middies" is composed of Ray Grund, George Loring, Dick Patelski, and the speedy little Fred Stoesser. This game should provide a great many thrills. The Navy can win the title by taking their next three games.

12:00 NOON - RANGERS VS OWLS: Although the Rangers have not yet won a football game this season, they will be pointing for a victory against the Owls on Thanksgiving Day. The Owls, of course, are just as determined to improve their record against the cellar-dwellers on the big day. The Rangers are led by Captain "Fritz" Hebecker, who is a good center or end. George Dreyer and Gene Herman have also done steady work for the Rangers in the forward wall this year. But the Rangers' backfield is not short on talent either. It's about time for Fred Strantz, Ken Cronberg, Chuck Considine, and Bob Baillie to start rolling. Captain Ben Marwitz leads the Owls into this game, vying for another four touchdown win like the one they had on Thanksgiving Day last year. Mick Shortgen, Herb Werner, Ron Schroeder, and "Maddy" Hou are the Owls' best linemen, and Jim Schorn and John Hermer have also turned in good jobs at times. With a good line in front of them, the Owls' backs, especially Marwitz and Dick Hoffman, should not have too much trouble on the ground. The Owls' passing is especially handled by Marwitz. This should be an interesting game even though the Owls feel it is a "setup".

WILDCATS NO. 2

1:00 P.M. - WILDCATS VS HAWKS: The opening game on this field finds the Hawks and Wildcats battling for third place in the Frosh Division. In their last meeting, the Wildcats lost third place to the Hawks, and they must win to regain that position for the final standing. Although their running attack has not been very successful this season, Bierman, Lang, Schuenke, and Zientek are always dangerous if their line gives them some support. This has not been true so far. Haag and Kaplan are the only two linemen who have done much up front this season. Their passing is much stronger. With Kaplan chucking aeriels to Bierman and Lang, the Wildcats are a constant threat. On the other hand, the Hawks have a fairly strong line led by Cody, Strantz, Pallister, and Both and in their backfield, Jim Taylor and Don Smith have done some fine running. Taylor, besides being one of the hardest driving backs in the Frosh League, is a good passer and an excellent defensive player. Strantz's punting also is better than any kicking the Wildcats have shown. This will be one of the best games of the day.

10:00 A.M. - WARRIORS VS CUBS: In this neighborhood rivalry the championship will be at stake. Last year these same two teams battled it out on Thanksgiving Day with the Cubs taking the honor by a 7 to 6 score. This year the Warriors hope to reverse that decision with their powerful backs of Hansen, Rodgers, Howard and Krumboltz carrying the ball through the Cubs' line. The stalwart line of the Cubs consisting of Roy Brown, Don Schoen, Ernie Hemmer and Henry Reitz will try to outcharge the Warrior forward wall of Ludwig, Penger, Kittler and Hickey. The backfield of the Cubs has Tony Reibel, Pete Klein, Chuck Gottmann, and the speedy Don Diedrich; these fellows are threats at all times and the Warriors know it. The outcome of the game will undoubtedly settle the Frosh League championship, and you can bet your last nickel that these two teams will be fighting their wits until the final whistle.

1:00 P.M. - DAGGERS VS WILDCATS: Since the Daggers had no team to play on Thanksgiving Day, the Wildcats volunteered to play twice on Thanksgiving Day. It couldn't be that you wanted two turns of that hot chocolate, could it fellow? Having told you about the Wildcats already, we had better tell you about the Daggers. The Daggers have won or tied only a few games this season, but since the addition of a few new players, they have improved. Soncek, Brink, and Hoskins are the Daggers' backfield standouts; "Andy" Anderson could not play this season because of an injury. Otherwise, the Daggers might have had a much more successful year. Jack Pittges and Joe McGovern are the Daggers' outstanding ends, but the rest of the line does not seem to be any stronger than the Wildcats' forwards. In a recent game between these two teams, the Wildcats tied the Daggers, 6 - 6, on the last play of the game. It should be a close one!

12:00 NOON - TROJANS VS LEATHERNECKS: Although this game will not decide any championship it should be one of the best. The Trojans have a great passing attack which is always a threat, and also have a fine running attack. The Leathernecks play their best game on the ground with Jessick, Paul, Nykol and Jarvis carrying the ball. When they change over to a passing game Jessick does all the throwing with Ray Donner and Norma Werner on the receiving end. The Trojans have a great

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...asser in Tompkins and an equally great receiver in Capt. Ralph Moeller. Their backfield consist-
ing of Al Barkow, Jack and Bob Walter, and Dick Freeman is very fast and tricky. The Trojans
line play is led by Hansen, Grace, Schalk, Francke, and Martin, and will be matched by such stars
as Bauer, Lauth, Rosen and Bishop. Not only is a neighborhood honor at stake in this game but
a school honor as well. The Leathernecks are from Henry School, while the Trojans will represent
... The outcome of this game will provide a lot of football discussion for the winter months

GRIDIRON NO. 5

1:00 P.M. - ACES VS WINGS: The first place wings will have the Aces to contend with and will
... the job very easy. The Aces, despite the fact that they have not won many games this
... will be all out to win this game to make up for some of the losses
... The Aces have a good backfield composed of
... and if their line led by Traudi, Kissinger
... will be
... have two very good backs in Everson
... is the strongest in the
... for the backs with their
... the Aces in this game will make the 1945 season a success despite

1:00 P.M. - COBRAS VS ROCKETS: The Rockets are going into this all important game undefeated,
... second football title. Jimmy Black and Dale Catarcare are the
... the hard punter in the league. The
... and might give the Rockets their first
... Their star backs are Lambert, Lund, Karpiaski and Martin, while Pecoraro
... This game will not have any bearing on the final
... from start to finish

1:00 P.M. - ROBINS VS SPARTANS: The Robins and Spartans have always been great rivals in every
... a victory on this big football day will really be something
... The Robins have improved steadily since acquiring the coaching services of
... Their backfield led by Chuck Verschoore along
... will check off some very clever plays to annoy the Spartans.
... from the finest of Nelson, Fudala, Bartsch and
... Their line is as good as any in the league with Reatka, Liesko, Jenisch and Sievert
... The outcome of this game is a toss-up.

1:00 P.M. - DEMONS VS COBRAS: The Cobras volunteered to play the Demons as they did not have
... and furthermore are anxious to be the first team in the H.B.C. to win
... Can they do it? The Demons have floundered all season and lack good
... if they get ... of their players up on Thanksgiving Day, they'll have a chance
... The stars of ... year are Gosmer, Hemes, Ward, Gleason, Kohlkrust,
... and Bosselli.

FOOTBALL STANDINGS
JUNIOR LEAGUE

	WON	LOST	TIED	SHORT	POINTS
DEMS	11	0	2	0	12
SEAS	8	4	5	0	9 1/2
RS	8	3	0	0	3
ERES	6	9	1	0	6 1/2
S	3	11	1	0	1 1/2
ERS	0	12	1	0	3

FOOTBALL STANDINGS
PREP LEAGUE

	WON	LOST	TIED	SHORT	POINTS
WARRIORS	10	1	3	1	11
CUBS	7	5	4	0	9
LEATHERNECKS	3	10	2	0	4
TROJANS	5	5	3	0	4 1/2
BLUEJAYS	1	5	0	0	1

H.S. LEAGUE

	WON	LOST	TIED	SHORT	POINTS
SEAS	10	1	3	0	11 1/2
Y	9	2	2	0	10
WANTS	6	7	3	0	5 1/2
RS	4	7	2	1	4 1/2
WFS	1	11	2	0	2

HAWK LEAGUE

	WON	LOST	TIED	SHORT	POINTS
WINGS	13	1	0	0	13
SPARTANS	7	5	2	0	0
ROBINS	4	10	1	0	4 1/2
ACES	3	11	1	1	3 1/2
ROCKETS	10	0	2	0	11
COBRAS	4	7	1	0	4 1/2
DEMONS	2	9	1	0	3

The standings include all games of Satur-
... in all divisions.



CHRISTMAS PLAY REHEARSALS

"YOU AND ME"

MONDAY & WEDNESDAY AT 7:15: M. Hoskins, L. Martin, R. Julian, H. Rietz, R. Olson, R. Barwitz, J. Gliniocki, J. Zeitler, R. Phelps, J. Lucarelli.

Tom Richards of the Gremlins scored 32 points when his team beat the Hawks 33 to 0. William Wedell punted 80 yards for the Seabees in their game against the Bears on Armistice Day. Actually the ball traveled about 100 yards. This no doubt is the longest kick on record in the N.P.C.

MONDAY AT 4 & WEDNESDAY AT 5: Y. Martin, D. Ford, H. Lund, F. Abram, R. Milanich, G. Ginsberg, C. Cacioppo, R. Wilson, and G. Bartsch.

The Robins were the first team to score on the Wings this season when Adams intercepted a pass and dashed across the goal line, however they lost the game 13 to 6.

WEDNESDAY AT 7:15: - J. Schorn, J. Adam, J. Baumhart, J. Martin, J. Anderson, B. Lund, A. Rachle, R. Fiala, J. Hau.

PING PONG TOURNAMENT RESULTS

FRIDAY AT 5:00: - E. Bark, B. Dwight, S. Lange, J. Henschenberger, R. Rossmann, R. Taylor, K. McDonnell.

In the tournament held last week Bob Klauck qualified in the 14 & over bracket, while Julian and Ray Donner placed in the 12 & 13 year group. Roberg qualified in the 11 & under division.

FOOTBALL GAMES FOR THIS WEEK

JUNIOR LEAGUE

Table with 4 columns: Date, Time, Home Team, Opponent. Rows include games from Nov 19 to 30 between teams like Bears, Owls, Seabees, Raiders, Reverses, Rangers.

FROSH LEAGUE

Table with 4 columns: Date, Time, Home Team, Opponent. Rows include games from Nov 22 to 24 between teams like Hawks, Wildcats, Navy, Gremlins, W.Cats, Daggers.

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PREP LEAGUE

Table with 4 columns: Date, Time, Home Team, Opponent. Rows include games from Nov 19 to 23 between teams like LeatherN, Cubs, Warriors, Trojans, LeatherN.

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PREP-ER LEAGUE

Table with 4 columns: Date, Time, Home Team, Opponent. Rows include games from Nov 20 to 27 between teams like Wings, Spartans, Aces, Robins, Trojans.

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BABY LEAGUE

Table with 4 columns: Date, Time, Home Team, Opponent. Rows include games from Nov 22 to 23 between teams like Cobras, Rockets, Demons.

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FOOTBALL ACHIEVEMENT TEST RESULTS

In the football achievement tests held last week the following boys earned medals by scoring the most points.

Table with 3 columns: Name, Team, Points. Rows include Don Erlandson (Seabees, 2465), William Wedell (Seabees, 2272), John Hemmer (Owls, 2231), Bob Schaeffer (Raiders, 2080), Jim Gliniocki (Owls, 2052).

Those who had the best mark in each event were:

Table with 3 columns: Event, Name, Points. Rows include Passing (Bill Wedell, 46 yards), Punting (Bill Wedell, 45), Drop-kick (Don Erlandson, 45), Place-Kick (Bob Schaeffer, 45).

Boys earning an honorable mention were: Joe Baumhart, Bob Minutillo, Don Goeters, Erha Deuschle, George Bartsch.

In all 60 boys competed in the meet.

MERIT POINT MEETING

On Friday at 3 o'clock a Merit Point Meeting will be held in the Clubhouse. If you are interested in earning your "For Better Merit" award you must attend this meeting.

PATRONS FOR OUR CHRISTMAS SHOW

During the past few weeks letters have been sent out to your parents informing them of our annual Christmas Play, and also requesting them for a contribution. If your parents are planning to attend the Football Games Thanksgiving Day remind them about being a patron for our Christmas Show. We'll accept their donations in the broadcasting room in the fieldhouse on that morning.

NOTE: BE SURE TO BE AT THE PARK AT LEAST ONE-HALF HOUR BEFORE YOUR GAME STARTS ON THURSDAY.

