



# Hawk Talk



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## Game Information:

Sunday October 4, 2009

Federal Way Memorial Field

Pee Wees: 8:00

Midgets: 10:00

89ers: 11:30

Sweet Peas: 1:00

Bantams: 2:30

## 89ers

### Federal Way 19, Benson 13 Overtime

Coming off two impressive victories the Federal Way Hawks returned home to play the Benson Bruins. The coaching staff looked at the game with both cautiousness and optimism. After all the Bruins were the defending 89er Super Bowl Champions.

The Hawk offense got off to a slow start and on third down threw and interception. After a strong defensive stand, Federal Way began to warm up and on the fourth play of the second drive #13 Michael Rogers swept left and ran 47 yards for the touchdown. The extra point was missed, leaving the score 6-0. The Bruins then answered scoring on a third down quarterback sneak play to tie the game. The game then turned very physical as great plays were turned in by both defenses. The 89ers did answer the Bruin score and led 13-6 at halftime. The Hawk offense then began to sputter and Benson showing guts and determination completed a 12-play drive with a touchdown and the extra point to tie the game. Benson had one more opportunity after a fumble, but the Hawks defense held on.

The Federal Way Hawks 89ers found themselves in overtime. Benson had the ball first and produced eight yards their first two plays. Fortunately, the Hawks defense would allow no more yards and would stop the Bruins cold thanks to a key blitz by Rogers on Benson's last play. The Hawk offense then took over. #30 Jaydion Laster would pick up seven big yards on the first two plays. The Hawks offense would suffer a little set back, as they lost two yards third down, setting up 4<sup>th</sup> down on the Bruin 5-yard line. The Hawks decided to run a lead. #13 Michael Rogers making two defenders miss did not disappoint and dashed in for the winning score. What a game. #13 Michael Rogers had an incredible day gaining 144 yards on 13 carries and scored three touchdowns. #30 Jaydion Laster finished with 14 yards on five carries.

Rogers also led the defense with 9 tackles. #39 Devon Murray had easily his best game of the year with 7 tackles. #47 Jayhlen Washington had 6 tackles, including a game saving tackle on the last play of regulation. #20 Jalen Womack had five tackles. #30 Jaydion Laster had four tackles. #7 Rudy Delatorre and #37 Matai Suitonu each had three tackles. #59 Daniel Shocks had two tackles. #21 Pehrlys Avington finished the day with one tackle.

The Federal Way Hawks 89ers are now 3-0 league and 3-0 overall. They will take on a tough Sumner Wolfpack team this Sunday. Good Luck Hawks!!!



Tough Hawk Defenders Jalen Womack, Pehrlys Avington, Matai Suitonu, Michael Rogers, Devon Murray and Jaydion Laster swarm to engulf a Benson Back.

Below: Lady Hawk Mascot Ainsley Anderson



## Barbeque

Join us every Wednesdays for our weekly barbeque and pick up some Hawk gear at the same time.



# Bantams



Quarterback Damaurius Clark takes a snap from center Bodan McGraw.

They Bantams suffered their first loss of the season to a good Bruin team, this past Saturday. They did have two great touchdowns by #25 Keyon Pickens.

They will now regroup to take on the Wolf Pack of Sumner this Sunday at home. GO HAWKS!!!

# Midgets

By: Jeff Lavoie  
Benson 21 v Hawks 32

**TEAM**: the word gets used in many ways with a variety of meanings. Many have said "you wouldn't have won if you didn't have #5 (Chico McClatcher) or #3 (Antonio Godfrey)" and Saturday was the day to prove those people wrong. With both players limited by injuries the Hawk midgets knew the time had come to prove their definition of the word 'team'. With QB Michael Cocke' at the controls and the O-line more than ready for battle, the Hawks executed a running game that could only be described as 'smash-mouth-football'. Running backs Curran, Young and Rainwater took advantage of huge gaps provided for them and it didn't take long to break Benson's defense. Cocke' kept the Bruins off-balance with some well executed passes but the main assault was the brutal straight ahead running attack that could only be described as punishing. As uncomfortable as the offense made Benson, it was the Orange Crush D that brought the pain! There were many cases of individuals 'stepping up' to fill the gaps but most notable were: Percy Godfrey (TWO 'swatted passes' and several tackles). Caleb Yarbrough with bone jarring tackles and a fumble recovery that he returned to the Bruin 2 yard line and special nod to Bo Rogers for being ready and stepping in when he was needed because he knew THAT is what it takes to make a TEAM. The Hawks scored four unanswered touchdowns in the first half to go to the locker room with a 26-0 lead at halftime. The Hawks elected to kick the ball away to start the second half and made sure that everybody got a chance to be in on the action. Benson never really did 'challenge' as Abdel, Bernard, Devonte Mount, Mitchell Owens, Taylor Fogel, William Roberson and Trey Driscoll all did their part to add to Benson's very long day.



When it was all said and done the Hawk midgets proved to everyone else what we had always believed: the other word for 'Team' is 'FAMILY'. And family will always pull together to take care of each other no matter what the challenge.

Montae Rainwater holds on as Bruin D. Green tries to strip the ball.

# Sweet Peas

By: Tom McGraw  
HAWKS 6, Benson 12 Overtime

With the Sweet Peas going into last weekend with a 2-0 record a tough battle was fought with an even tougher loss to Benson in an OT game Hawks 6 Benson 12. The teams were very well matched and just a few plays kept the Hawks from coming away with a victory.

Tyson Sonnenfeld was the only scoring run this game, but a lot of great plays were done by all.

Keep your heads up and let's go get the Wolfpack this week.

On Sept 28<sup>th</sup>, Monday, the Yellow Jackets from the Sweet Peas played a scrimmage game against the Kent Knights at Lakota fields. The game went well with all coaches walking away saying that the team has greatly improved and will continue to be a force to reckon with. Some highlights were touchdown runs from Collier, Novak, and Cressel. A great job by our yellow jackets.

Let's get ready for Sumner!!!



Sweet Pea QB Mason De La Cruz let's one fly.

# PeeWees

By: Breck Johnson  
This weekend the Hawk Pee Wees took on a very talented Bruin Team and fought a hard game all the way to the end. Great touchdown catch by Ron Lee and the gutsy touchdown running by injured Kaleb Swain made sure that the Benson Bruins never took their eye off the ball especially on defense where the blitz pressure from Johnny Miles (NuNu) and Sam Dowd force three miscues that lead to three fumbles by Benson and two recoveries by our hawks. The hawks did not prevail this week, but they never gave up and just like all the games this season they are in it all the way to the end even though the already small squad has been riddled by injuries including, three broken arms. But what this team lacks for in talent and numbers, they compensate with pure heart and determination as we have come to Expect.

Pee Wee Back Kaleb Swain, evades Bruin defender D. Jackson.



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