

# Hang In There 'Dogs

On September 18 the Albemarle Bulldogs played the Mount Pleasant Tigers for the first time. The contest was close to the very end and extremely hard-hitting. It may have begun a lasting rivalry between Albemarle and Mount Pleasant. The Bulldogs scored first after a long drive with a 14 yard run by Boyce Brown. Jimmy Wentz kicked the extra point to put Albemarle in the lead. Several plays later Mount Pleasant scored and succeeded on a two point conversion which determined the winner of the game. The final score was Albemarle 7, Mount Pleasant 8. The players of the week were Boyce Brown and David Livingston.

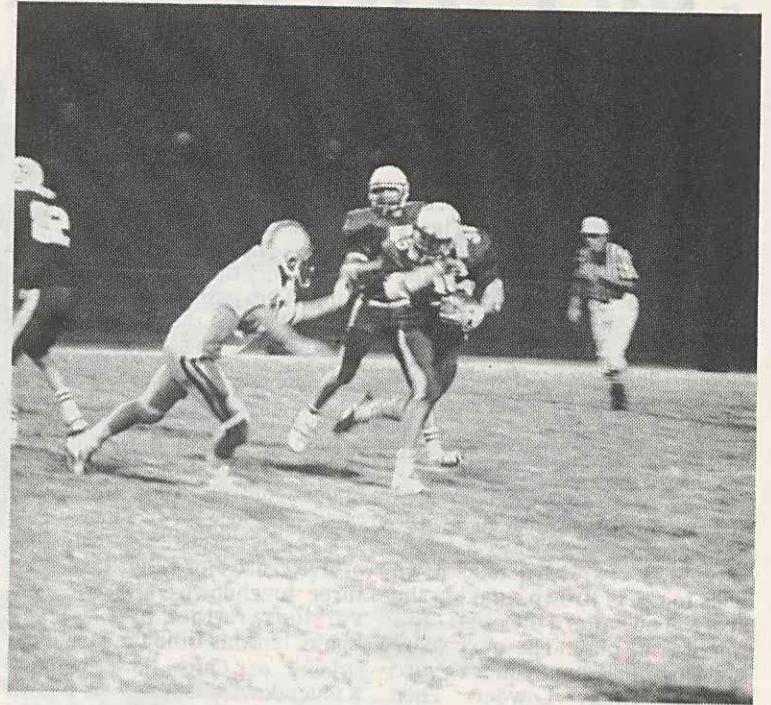
On September 25, Albemarle hosted Parkwood for an 8:00 p.m. Homecoming game. The game

opened with Parkwood scoring first, but the Bulldogs soon followed with their touchdown. Parkwood duplicated each of the Bulldogs' touchdowns to end the game in a tie. The tie, however, had to be broken, and the breaker left the score Albemarle 20, Parkwood 28. Scoring for the Bulldogs were: Clarence Lynch, Patrick Eaton, and David Livingston. The players of the week were Clarence Lynch and Jimmy Wentz.

The following week Albemarle traveled to Forest Hills to battle the Yellow Jackets who were ranked second in the state. Forest Hills started off the tough game making three touchdowns before the second quarter. However, the Bulldogs did not let this discourage them. They made two

touchdowns in the short time remaining before halftime. After the half Albemarle continued to give this "big-shot" team a rough time and ended the game behind by a few points. The final score was Albemarle 18 and Forest Hills 36. The players of the week were David Burris and David Livingston. Scoring for the Bulldogs were David Livingston, with two touchdowns, and Tony Underwood. Coach Holcomb commented that the team showed character in this game and Coach Klutz said "... there again, Hughes."

On October 9, Albemarle played the West Stanly Colts and was defeated by a score of 34 to 0.



## Powder Puff Stuff

By KELLY WATSON

Contrary to the belief that the football season will soon be over, one of the most competitive games lies ahead. That is the Junior-Senior Powder Puff game on Thursday, November 5. The junior and senior girls will be going at it to prove whose class has the most talent.

Last year's game was an extremely exciting one. The juniors topped the seniors with a 20-6 victory. The girls were very happy and enjoyed themselves at their victory party, where they planned with great anticipation their next year's strategy.

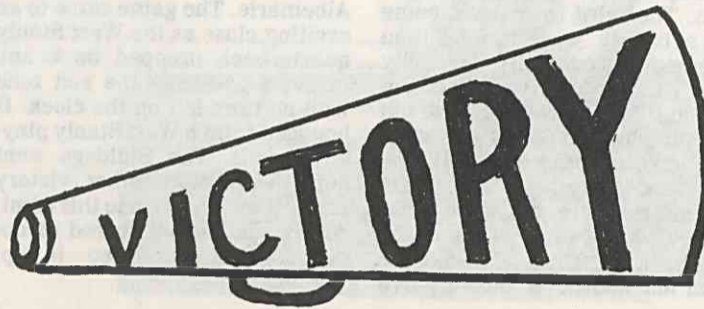
It is nearing game time and all the girls are psyched up for the big contest of 1981. Both juniors and seniors have been working extremely hard to make this a very good game. The seniors are highly favored in this game, but no one knows what may happen. When asked for comment, Joe Thompson (Sweet T.), senior coach, replied, "I am very pleas-

ed with last year's victory and we plan on having a repeat this year. I have a very talented team and they are working very hard." Mack Morgan, junior coach, also feels that this will be a very competitive game.

As the time for the competition draws nearer, both spirit and emotions flare. However, these emotions will not subside until the final buzzer sounds and the best team leaves victorious!



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