

WHS Bulldogs Play Host To Raleigh

Williams High Basketeers Begin Practice

Prepare For 57-58 Season

Approximately 15 boys have begun pre-season practice for the 1957-58 basketball campaign at W. H. S., Athletic Director Fred Miller announced today.

Among those practicing are two lettermen of last year's varsity team, Tommy Truitt and George Oakley.

Four non-lettermen from last year's team are Gene Ward, Billy Stewart, Larry Frazier and Bill Harriss. Several boys who lettered in J. V. last year are Reid Rogers, Larry Coble, Jerry Allred, Barry Hodge, Ted Ray and Bill Grubbs. Newcomers out for practice are Doug Moss, Dean Coleman, and Mike McManus.

Several boys who at the present are on the football team will begin basketball practice at the end of football season. These include returning varsity lettermen Benny Bowes and J. V. letterman Phil Deaton.

Coach Alvin Hooks, who is the new head basketball coach this year, begins practicing with the team this week. He will practice with the varsity players two nights and one afternoon during the week.

Coach Hooks made no comment concerning the forthcoming basketball season. He stated that he does not know the boys, nor the potential ability of the boys out for the team.

Bullpups Spark Season Scoring 2-0 Record

"This year the Jr. High team which is composed of ninth graders has built up a fine record of two wins and no losses," Coach C. A. Fry reported today.

They captured their first victory from Durham with a 7 to 6 score. Next they encountered a team from Chapel Hill with a 34 to 0 score.

The J. V.'s of W. H. S. have a record of two wins, no losses, and one tie.

The Jr. Varsity team is composed for the most part of tenth graders and a few eleventh graders.

The team first played Greensboro at Greensboro and they played into a tie game. The next time they met the J. V.'s played host to Greensboro and defeated them 13 to 0. High Point was also another victim of the Burlington J. V.'s. High Point was defeated by a 7 to 0 score.

Highsteppers Appear During Half-Time

"One, two, three kick!" are familiar words to eight majorettes who add beauty and color to the Williams High School Marching Band.

Clad in snowy white uniforms trimmed with gold braid, they prance over the field twirling their batons.

Original routines by these highsteppers supplement the formations and musical arrangements. Marion Lorimer, Williams graduate, has also helped them with some routines.

They were taught their style of strutting by Janice Welsworth, Majorette of America of 1954 while in training at East Carolina College in Greenville, North Carolina.

The group has a new majorette this year, Gloria Christopher. The others are: Betty Jo Hooper, Nancy Lorimer, Shelby Strange, Diane Waisner, Peggy Lindley, Linda Clark and June Harris.



Tackle Jimmy Skidmore, left, and Halfback Jerry Hollifield are expected to star in tonight's Homecoming clash.

Caps In Contest Game Tonight

Friday night, October 18, Williams High School's Bulldogs play host to the Raleigh Caps in the Bulldogs' annual homecoming game at Memorial Stadium.

Going into the game the Bulldogs have a season's record of 1 win against 4 losses while the Caps rest with a comfortable record of 5 wins and 1 loss. Bruce Phillips of the News and Observer stated "The Raleigh Caps are ranked in some quarters as the top high school team in the state."

In the game with Goldsboro which the Caps won by a score of 21-14, the Caps had only four regulars in the starting lineup.

Raleigh Coach Clyde Walker said, "The team is in the worst condition it has been in since I have been coaching, but I think we have enough replacements to fill the spots."

"The Bulldogs, on the other hand, are ready, willing, and waiting to upset Raleigh," Coach Alvin Hooks commented. Led by Quarterback Sammy Hunt they will be giving Raleigh all they have got." Coach Bill England's pigskin snapper will be on the lookout for the Caps' star, Jerry Cordell in hopes of stopping him.

Scouts reports indicate that Raleigh moves the ball mostly on the ground and in the Goldsboro game had difficulty keeping possession of the ball, losing five fumbles to Goldsboro. The score of this game was 21-14 in favor of the Caps, however.

Bulldogs Suffer 6-0 Loss Under Myers Park Lights

Myers Park of Charlotte, ranked as the top team in the state AA play, was held to a 6-0 score by the Bulldogs of W. H. S. in a game October 4 at the new Myers Park stadium.

It was a scoreless game until the fourth quarter when Quarterback Ray Farris made contact with his right end, Duncan Mortan, for a 40-yard pass play. Mortan slipped behind a Burlington secondary man and went

on to score for the Mustangs. The extra point was blocked to make the score 6 to 0.

Bulldog defense was exceptionally good. Some of the Myers Park rooters said Burlington's defense was the toughest encountered by the Mustangs. Sparking the defense for the Bulldogs was Russell Cooper, freshman center and linebacker. Cooper led many tackles and intercepted a Mustang pass. He was assuming the duties of Mike Littlejohn who is out of play with a leg injury.

The Bulldogs seemed to lack the right offensive play to take them down into pay dirt. On the opening kickoff Jerry Hollifield almost broke away but was stopped by the last man in his path. He carried the ball to the Mustangs' 44-yard-line.

During the third quarter the Mustangs got a good look at ball handling from the Bulldogs. They had control of the ball in every play except for five plays which were run by Myers Park. However, the Bulldogs were not able to penetrate any further than the Mustangs' 35-yard-line in that period.

- Attendants -

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Sponsor for the Jr. Engineer's Club is Gretchen Gwen, who is a member of the Civinettes and the Booster's Club. Jimmy Long is her escort.

The Teen-Age Club will be represented by Caroline Barnwell, who belongs to the Sr. Tri-Hi-Y, the Booster's Club and the French Club. Escorting Caroline will be Sammy Pickard.

The Orchestra selected Edith Baker as its sponsor. Edith, escorted by Ranny Umberger, is in the Keyettes, the National Honor Society, and is Assistant Advertising Manager of the annual.

Sandra Sox was chosen by the D. O. Club to represent them during the homecoming festivities. Sandra will be escorted by Don Wright.

Class Sponsors

The Junior Class elected Nancy Lorimer to represent them at Homecoming. Nancy's activities include being assistant front page editor of The Barker and a majorette. She chose Bobby Keenan as her escort. Nancy dressed in a formal, will be an attendant to the queen during the homecoming halftime.

Betty James was elected Sophomore Class sponsor. A member of the Keyettes and the Booster's Club, Betty will be escorted by Billy Maness.

Freshman class representative will be Peggy Carroll, escorted by Jimmy Capes. Peggy was a cheerleader last year at Broad Street Junior High School.

WILLIAMS SCHEDULE

Oct. 25—Charlotte Central, here
Nov. 1—Salisbury, away
Nov. 8—Greensboro, home

WESTERN STANDINGS

TEAM	Con.		All		Pts.	Op.
	w	t	w	t		
Salisbury	3	0	4	1	134	32
Asheville	3	0	5	0	90	12
Gastonia	3	1	5	1	116	73
Reynolds	2	1	3	2	81	54
High Point	1	2	1	4	34	119
Greensboro	1	3	1	5	53	84
Charlotte	1	3	1	5	46	168
Burlington	0	4	1	5	43	79

GAMES THIS WEEK

Salisbury at Asheville; Raleigh at Burlington; High Point at Charlotte Central; W. S. Reynolds at Gastonia; Greenville, S. C. at Greensboro.

RESULTS LAST WEEK

Asheville 32, Charlotte Central 0; Gastonia 21, Burlington 2; W. S. Reynolds 22, Greensboro 0; Salisbury 27, High Point 0.

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TEAM	Con.		All		Pts.	Op.
	w	t	w	t		
Fayetteville	3	0	5	1	139	51
Raleigh	3	1	5	1	100	84
Wilson	2	1	5	1	107	25
Wilmington	1	1	3	2	107	70
Durham	1	2	4	2	125	54
Goldsboro	1	3	3	3	53	56
Rocky Mt.	0	3	2	3	38	72

GAMES THIS WEEK

Durham at Rocky Mount; Wilson at Fayetteville; Wilmington at Goldsboro; Raleigh at Burlington.

RESULTS LAST WEEK

Fayetteville 20, Durham 13; Raleigh 21, Goldsboro 14; Wilson 13, New Bern 0; Wilmington 26, Hargrove 0; Cary at Rocky Mount, cancelled.

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