

Winston-Salem teams go 3-0-1 in Sertoma Bowl '91

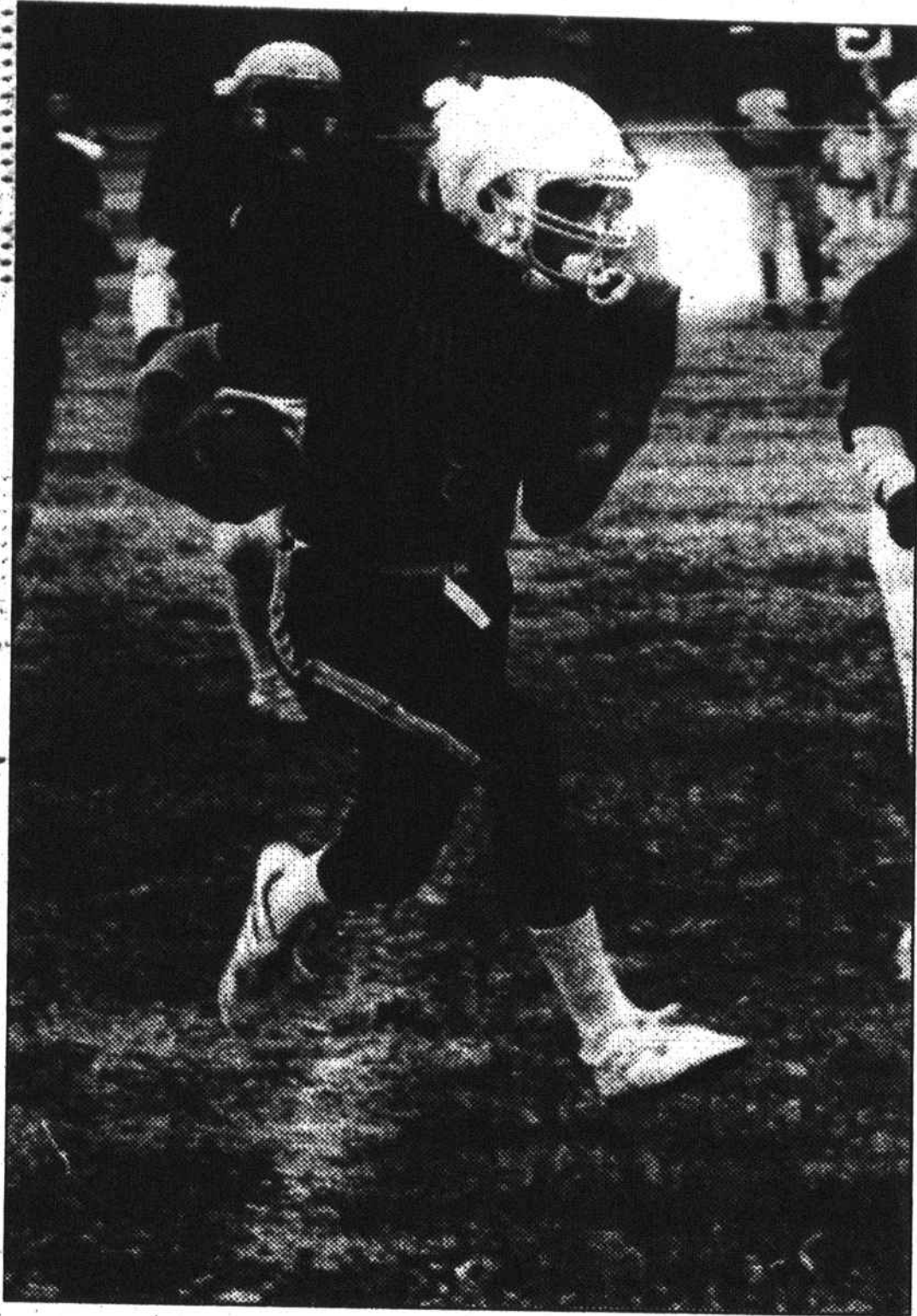


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Jamaine Biddle scoots down the sideline for the Vikings Junior Midgets team.



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Clindell McCullough of the Grayhounds Pee Wees eyes an opening downfield.

Winston-Salem teams won three games and tied one at the Sertoma Bowl last Saturday at Parkland/Reynolds Stadium.

The Grayhounds captured wins in the Junior Pee Wees and Pee Wees divisions. The Vikings won the Junior Midgets game and tied in Junior Bantams play.

This year's Sertoma Bowl took on a different look. In prior seasons, the Sertoma Bowl served as the league championship for the Northwest Midget Football League. But this year, the league championships were played the week before this event because of an extra Saturday in November.

As a result, this year's Sertoma Bowl became a series of post-season matchups involving Winston teams and out of town squads. The event was sanctioned by the national Pop Warner organization.

Here's a recap of last week's action in each age group.

Junior Pee Wees

The defending national champion Grayhounds showed no mercy in the first half, setting the tone for a resounding 43-0 victory over the Northwood Rams of Baltimore, Md.

From the Hounds' perspective, this game was never in doubt. Their domination was so complete that by half-time, the outcome was already determined. The Grayhounds led 31-0 at intermission.

During the second half, coach Gus Makas opted to play a lot of his back-up people, resting his starters for Satur-

day's regionals match-up against the undefeated Garner Trojans.

Shawn Williford paced the Hounds offense, running for two touchdowns. Four other runners also scored for the victors. Kory Witherspoon, Jake Pfaff, Chris Plott and Donald Hooper had one touchdown each.

Pee Wees

The Grayhounds did all of their damage in the first half and that was enough to earn a 19-0 victory over Northwood.

Dennis Evans ignited the Hounds when he grabbed a Rams punt and darted 45 yards for a touchdown. Clindell McCullough contributed another score right before the end of the first half, running 12 yards for the touchdown.

Defensively, coach Monty Leinbach's crew put the shackles on Northwood. The Rams were never able to mount any offensive consistency. As a result, they never got in scoring position for the entire game.

Tackle Chad Mitchell anchored the front line for the Grayhounds defense. Mitchell had sufficient help from linebackers Evans, Teddy Petree and Kevin Witherspoon.

Junior Midgets

The Vikings let it all hang out on both sides of the football. The end result was a 38-0 decision against Howard County.

Coach Eddie Beard's team put this game away early, thanks to a 19-point run in the first quarter. At the half, the Vikings had built a 25-0 cushion against

HC, a team that finished as the Junior Midgets runnerup at this year's state Pop Warner Championships in Maryland.

Jamaine Biddle scored the Vikings' first TD on a four-yard run in the first quarter. Dino Reynolds then fired a pass to LaShay Surratt for the PAT to give the Vikings a 7-0 lead. Biddle's touchdown was set up by Bobby Little's 45-yard run from scrimmage.

Biddle scored his second TD of the day later in that quarter on a trap play which set him free to sprint 50 yards to paydirt. Derrick Holland closed out the Vikes' first quarter scoring when he intercepted a pass and returned it 44 yards for a touchdown. Little tacked on the final score of the half when he slashed and dashed his way through the middle of Howard County's defense for a 42-yard touchdown.

In the second half, Sammy Tolliveer set up another touchdown with another interception. The Vikings defense proved to be too much for Howard County to handle. Tolliveer, along with David Thrans and Holland teamed up to frustrate the visitors for four quarters. For the game, the Vikes limited the HC offense to minus yardage and no first downs.

Junior Bantams

This age group produced what proved to be the day's most competitive matchup. When the final gun sounded, the Vikings and Northwood had battled to a 6-6 tie.

The Vikings came back to knot the score at 6-6 early in the fourth quar-

ter. Jimmy Gardner delivered the equalizing TD on an eight-yard run off tackle. Runs by Gardner and Brandon Cain set up the Vikes' lone TD.

Vikes coach Willie Ashford felt that the key for his team was that they didn't fold after falling behind by six points early in the game. The defense, he said, played a solid game overall. Jarrod Hardy, Michael Campbell and Mike Carter led the Vikings defensive effort.



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The Vikings Junior Bantams defense shut the door on the Rams in the second half. Brandon Cain (8), Jarrod Hardy (56), Gerald Hardy (67), Antonio Torrence (11) and Duane Bankhead (83) teamed up to keep Northwood out of the end zone after giving up a touchdown in the first half.

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8	Thunderbirds vs Erie	Annex
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18	Wake Forest vs GA Tech (Men)	Coliseum
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19	Thunderbirds vs Hampton	Annex
22	Thunderbirds vs Knoxville	Annex
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31	Thunderbirds vs Erie	Annex

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