

# This Week In Brunswick Sports

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 12**

□Acme-Delco at South Brunswick, JV football, 7 p.m.

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13**

□South Brunswick at Acme-Delco, varsity football, 7:30 p.m.

□Dixon at North Brunswick, varsity football, 7:30 p.m.

□North Brunswick Athletic Boosters Club Men's and Women's Softball Tournament at Northwest Township Park, Leland, continues through Saturday

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14**

□Swing-A-Club For Scouting Golf Tournament at Ocean Isle Beach Golf Club

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15**

□Cyclone 1991 Golf Tournament for Charlotte Wheelchair Basketball League, Fox Squirrel Golf Club, Boiling Spring Lakes

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17**

□5th annual Brunswick County Seniors Open Golf Tournament at Oak Island Country Club, Yaupon Beach

 This week's listings include events reported to the *Beacon*. To list your sporting contest call or write the *Beacon* with schedules and details.


**TOUCHDOWN RECEPTION**--West Brunswick's Jim Grissett hauls in one of three pass receptions in West Brunswick's 34-7 rout of South Brunswick on Monday. Grissett scored three touchdowns on catches of 65, 31 and seven yards to highlight the Trojans' scoring.

## Open Date Comes At Perfect Time For West Gridders

BY JOHNNY CRAIG

With a pair of impressive non-conference football wins under their belts, the West Brunswick Trojans will enjoy an open date this Friday before returning to action Sept. 20 hosting Mullins, S.C.

The timing is perfect for the Trojans who defeated South Brunswick 34-7 on Monday after the game was postponed from last Friday due to rain.

West Brunswick (2-0) would actually have only three days to prepare for its next opponent under normal scheduling. However, Friday's open date will give the Trojans plenty of time to secure a game plan for their final nonconference tilt of the season before entering league play Sept. 27 at Whiteville.

"This is coming at a good time," said West Brunswick coach Marshall Seay on his team's open week. "Mullins has a fine football team and it will be good to have a little extra time to get ready. They lost to a very good Marion, S.C., team last week 10-6. Marion is right up there in the upper echelon of the 3-A ranks in South Carolina. We're just glad that we've got over a week to prepare."

Through the first two games the Trojan defense has been extraordinary, drawing praise from opposing coaches, fans and other media as well.

West Brunswick held North Myrtle Beach, S.C., to minus 32 yards rushing in its 38-0 blanking of the Chiefs in its season opener two weeks ago.

The Trojans were equally effective opposite the run in the second half Monday against South Brunswick in limiting the Cougars to minus 30 yards on the ground.

South Brunswick had the most success thus far of the Trojans two opponents at establishing a ground attack when the Cougars ran straight at West Brunswick in the opening half.

The Cougars managed 73 first-half rushing yards on 24 plays as they trailed by only 14-7 at intermission.

"We ran right at them in the first half and tried some pitch outs in the second half when West closed things off in the middle," said South Brunswick coach following Monday's game. The kids just couldn't make the blocks and we dropped the ball at least 10 times in the second half."

The Trojans, who have outscored their opponents 72-7 thus far, came close to getting their second straight shutout.

However, the Trojan stop unit yielded their first points of the season to South Brunswick late in the first half when Cougar quarterback connected with split end Keith Marlowe on a four-yard touchdown toss.

The seven-play, 72-yard scoring drive was aided by 50 yards in West Brunswick penalties including three consecutive, 15-yard personal fouls.

"We showed a lot of unsportsmanlike conduct tonight and a lack of discipline," said Seay following Monday's game. "It's just something that I'm going to have to get out of them."

Monday's win over South Brunswick gives West Brunswick the se-



**TROJANS ROMP**--Leading the West Brunswick running attack Monday in its 34-7 win over South Brunswick were Aaron Butler (35) and Aldwin Lane (with ball). Lance ran for 102 yards on 14 carries while Butler added 23 yards on four carries. Lance also scored on a 74-yard punt return.

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ries lead, 11-10. The teams have played 21 times since 1973 and will meet again on Nov. 8 to close out the regular season in a Waccamaw 2-A Conference contest.

### Scorps Return To Action

North Brunswick returns to non-conference play Friday hosting Dixon in its home opener.

The Scorpions (1-0) blanked Topsail 26-0 in their season opener two weeks ago.

North Brunswick leads the 12-game series with Dixon, 7-5. The two teams have been on opposite ends of shutouts the last two years. Dixon took a 13-0 win last year after the Scorpions recorded a 20-0 blanking in 1989.

Prior to the recent split, North Brunswick reeled off five straight wins during 1982-86. The Scorpions won 20-13 in 1986, 26-0 in 1985, 13-0 in 1984, 14-6 in 1983 and 22-14 in 1982.

The series began in 1973 with Dixon taking a 22-6 win in the initial meeting. Two years later the Bulldogs edged the Scorpions 15-14.

North Brunswick got its first win over Dixon in 1976 with a convincing 34-14 rout.

The Scorpions have outscored the Bulldogs in the series 199-161.

### South Entertains Acme-Delco

South Brunswick will see a little twist in its schedule Friday when the Cougars host Acme-Delco in continued nonconference play.

The Cougars (0-1) were supposed to visit Wallace-Rose Hill on Friday but the two games have been switched. South will travel to Wallace-Rose Hill next week in its final nonconference matchup.

South Brunswick leads the 15-game series against Acme-Delco 10-5. However, the Trojans are coming off a 28-20 overtime upset of the Cougars last year.

South Brunswick has recorded four straight wins over Acme-Delco twice during the series, 1976-79 and most recently between 1984 and 1989.

The Cougars walloped the Trojans 40-0 in 1978 for their biggest margin of victory in the rivalry but scored the most points of any meeting in 1984 in a 48-26 romp in former head coach Glenn Sasser's first year at South.

South Brunswick also blanked the Trojans twice in 1985 (39-0) and 1989 (28-0).

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In other action Friday involving Waccamaw Conference teams, Whiteville hosts Hallsboro, South Robeson entertains Purnell Swett, East Bladen visits Bladenboro and West Columbus goes to Tabor City. All games begin at 7:30 p.m.

Fairmont joins West Brunswick as league teams with an open date.

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## Whiteville Tops West Girls In League Volleyball Opener

Whiteville edged visiting West Brunswick 15-10, 15-8, 15-17, 14-16, 15-11, last week in the opening Waccamaw 2-A Conference volleyball match for both teams.

The win snapped a three-match losing streak for the Lady Wolfpack.

Nicole Norris scored 16 points for West Brunswick while Emily Gore and Amy Caison added 11 points each.

LaShanta Godfrey paced Whiteville with 15 points.

West Brunswick Scoring: Norris 16, Gore 11, Caison 11, King 9, P.Derie 8, Small 5, Hughes 1, Mintz 1.

Whiteville Scoring: Godfrey 15, McCray 14, Register 14, Slater 8,

Hinson 9, Russ 8, Miller 3, Lewis 3.

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In other league action last Tuesday, South Brunswick opened with a 16-14, 15-10, 15-7 sweep over host East Bladen.

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## A Teacher's Guide To Vision Problems

### You do more than teach

There's much more to teaching than meets the eye. You impart knowledge and strive to stimulate a desire to learn. When a student is having difficulty, you try to help him or her acquire skills needed for learning.

Many of those learning-related skills are vision skills. As a teacher, you are in a unique position to detect symptoms of learning-related vision problems in your students.

These problems are not detectable by a school eye chart test. They also can be overlooked during a quick eye examination used to tell whether or not a child needs glasses. Yet symptoms often appear when a child tries to use his or her vision in the classroom. This happens during at least 80 to 90 percent of the school day and you are the key observer.

### What you can do

Following is a checklist of symptoms of learning-related vision problems. Record your observations of a student on it and then discuss them with the school nurse and parents.

When recommending a comprehensive optometric examination for the child, ask parents to give the doctor of optometry your checklist. Your observations can be important in helping to diagnose a subtle learning-related vision problem.

Students who should be referred for a comprehensive optometric examination and vision analysis are:

- Those in whom one or more of the checklist symptoms appear frequently.
- Those in the lower third of the class and particularly those with ability to achieve above their percentile ranking.
- Those who, although achieving, are not performing within reasonable limits of individual capacity.

When referring students for vision care, ask parents to have the optometrist contact you to discuss test results. Often, he or she will suggest things you can do to help a student undergoing treatment for a learning-related vision problem.

If the child lacks visual maturity for his or her age, the optometrist may suggest placing him or her in a lower grade.

### The Checklist

Three areas of concern in detecting symptoms of learning-related vision problems are highlighted in this checklist. Use one check (✓) to indicate a symptom occurs occasionally and two checks (✓✓) to indicate frequent occurrence.

### Appearance of the Eyes

Eyes crossed or turning in, out or moving independently of each other ☐ ☐

Reddened, watering eyes, encrusted eyelids, frequent sties. ☐ ☐

### Behavioral Indications of Possible Vision Difficulty

Dislike or avoidance of close work ☐ ☐

Short attention span for the child's age or frequent daydreaming ☐ ☐

Turning or tilting head to use one eye only or closing or covering one eye ☐ ☐

Placing head close to book or desk when reading or writing. ☐ ☐

Excessive blinking or rubbing of eyes. ☐ ☐

Losing place while reading or using finger or marker to guide eyes ☐ ☐

Trouble finishing written timed assignments. ☐ ☐

Difficulty remembering what is read. ☐ ☐

Omitting, repeating and miscalling words or confusing similar words. ☐ ☐

Persistent reversals after second grade. ☐ ☐

Difficulty remembering, identifying and reproducing basic geometric forms. ☐ ☐

Difficulty with sequential concepts. ☐ ☐

Poor eye-hand coordination when copying from chalkboard, throwing or catching a ball, buttoning or unbuttoning clothing or tying shoes. ☐ ☐

Displaying evidence of developmental immaturity. ☐ ☐

### Complaints Associated With Using the Eyes:

Headaches, nausea and dizziness. ☐ ☐

Burning or itching eyes. ☐ ☐

Blurring or vision at any time. ☐ ☐

Double vision. ☐ ☐



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