



Kings Mountain cheerleaders and fans are happy with the Mountaineers' first shutout of the season Friday at Burns. KM takes a perfect 5-0 record into their homecoming bout with Shelby Friday at Gamble Stadium. (Photo by KM Herald)

Mountaineers



Post Game

KMHS vs. BURNS
September 18, 2015

YARDSTICK	KM	BURNS
First downs	14	6
Yds. Rushing	89	81
Yds. Passing	165	65
Passes	11-23-1	9-15-1
Fumbles lost	0	0
Yds. Penalized	25	55

BY THE NUMBERS

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	T
KM	0	7	0	7	14
BURNS	0	0	0	0	0

KM RUSHING

J'Air McCluney 23-91, Kavin Mosely 1-2, Shaun Grier 1-0, Darren Burns (10--(-6).

KM PASSING

Burns 11-23-1-165.

KM RECEIVING

Chance Frederick 4-60, Madisyn Bolin 2-72, Jake Merchant 3-30, Kavin Mosely 2-3.

PLAYERS OF GAME

Offense - Chance Frederick, 4-60 receiving; Madisyn Bolin, 70-yd. touchdown on screen pass; J'Air McCluney, RB, 24-92 rushing. KM offensive line (Keenan Baker, Collen Franks, Nick Hayes, Gage Kornegay, Max Peterson), wore down Burns defensive line in second half as KM kept the ball for 32 plays compared to 16 for Burns. Of those 16 plays, seven were sacks or TFLs and one each for a pass interception and incomplection.

Defense - Chance Frederick, 3 sacks, 3 TFL; Dre Bell, 4 sacks, 2 TFL; Trevon Wilson, Bryan Sanders, Jerdon Pressley, Keenan Baker and Khal Welch either had or were in on sacks and TFL.

HOW THEY DID IT

SECOND QUARTER

5:12 - KM - Madisyn Bolin 70 pass from Darren Burns (Micah Randall kick). 73-yd., 4 play drive.

FOURTH QUARTER

10:06 - KM - Darren Burns 1 run (Randall kick). 69 yd., 12 play drive. McCluney 9-39 rushing and Frederick key 4th down catch and run of 22 yards for first down at Burns 4.

KM JVs rout Burns 38-6 for second SMAC victory

Kings Mountain scored on its first two possessions and went on to rout Burns 38-6 in JV football action Thursday night at John Gamble Stadium.

It was the second straight South Mountain Conference victory for the Mountaineers, who travel to Shelby tonight at 7 p.m. for another county battle.

The Mountaineers put up a strong passing attack, led by quarterbacks Kaylon Wade, John Harmon Melton and Chuckie Osborne. Wade threw two touchdown passes and Melton and Osborne threw one apiece.

Kings Mountain took the opening kickoff and drove 60 yards in just five plays to take a 6-0 lead on a 35-yard run around left end by Wade.

After a Burns punt was downed on the KM 31, it took the Mountaineers just four plays to go up 12-0 as tight end Holden Turner took a quick pass out in the flat from Wade and outran the Burns defense 54 yards for a touchdown.

The Mountaineers barely missed scoring on their third possession, but Burns recovered a fumble in the end zone for a touchback. The Mountaineers also lost a fumble on their next possession.

AJ Austin sacked the Burns quarterback on a fourth and seven attempt to set up KM's third scoring drive from the KM 48. A screen pass from Wade to Reese Reinhardt that resulted in a 24-yard gain got things going. Three plays later Quenten Zanders rambled 22 yards for a touchdown, and Chris Brittain



Kings Mountain's JT Cash runs after catching a pass in Kings Mountain JVs win over Burns Thursday at Gamble Stadium. (Photo by KM Herald)

caught a two-point conversion pass to put the Mountaineers up 20-0.

Brittain made an outstanding catch of a fade pass from Wade for an 11-yard touchdown with 17 seconds left in the half, putting the home team up 26-0 at the break.

Melton hit Tyler Osborne with a six-yard TD

pass to run the score to 32-0 with 4:40 left in the third period; and it was Chuckie Osborne to Tyler Osborne on a 53-yard hookup that ran the margin to 38-0 with 2:30 left in the quarter.

KM had two more drives in the fourth period that were halted by fumbles. Burns finally got on the board on a 13-yard touch-

down reception by Smith with 12 seconds left.

Kings Mountain got an outstanding defensive effort from numerous players, including Lannden Zanders (two interceptions), Austin, JT Cash, Jonathan Rickard, Nathan Lease and Ian Bishop.



JV cheerleaders encourage the Mountaineers in Thursday's game with Burns at KMHS. (Photo by KM Herald)