

'Dads' Night' features Home Game

Friday with Lakota

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Preparations are being made to organize a special occasion in connection with the Lincoln High School football game Friday night on the home field. It will be the first home game since the opener on Sept. 4.

"Dads' Night" has been proclaimed for the event. A program in recognition of dads is scheduled for the halftime and the dads will be served refreshments by selected hostesses. All boys who are now practicing on the high school team will dress for the game.

Visiting opponent for the Oct. 2 game, beginning at 7:30 p.m., will be the Lakota high school team of Westchester, Ohio.

Use New Bleachers

Other preparations include the first use of an additional three sections of bleachers seating I nearly 600 people. - The steel for the bleachers came from the roll away bleachers that were rebuilt during the summer, with David Wickes in charge of the construction.

Yell leaders have been painting the boards and the steel framework.

A special halftime show will also consist of a show by the combined bands of Milton and Lincoln high schools with 85 musicians performing. It represents the first attempt by the two schools to present a combined show at a football game.

The junior class will handle the concession on the football field.

The Wampus Cats take a 3 – 1 record into the Lakota game. They emerged with their third win of the season Friday night after coming from behind to trim Greensburg 15 - 12.

Greensburg Gets Jump

Greensburg had scored once in the first half and again shortly after the third period started to put the Cats behind 12-0.

The Wampus Cats started their move early in the third quarter when senior Charles Carlson hurled a pass 35 yards to Brent Bundy and Bundy ran another 20 yards for a 55-yard touchdown. That cut the score to 12-6.

Late in the same quarter, Jerry Thompson grabbed a Bundy pass that went for a 56-yard touchdown play. That tied the score at 12-12 and Carlson swept around the end for the extra point to put the Wampus Cats ahead, 13-12.

Pick Up Safety

In the fourth quarter, Bill Swigart and Larry Stanley tackled a Greensburg player in the end zone for a two-point safety to increase Cambridge City's lead to 15-12 and the game ended with that score.

Ewing scored Greensburg's first touchdown when he went around left end from the four-yard line in the second period.

Then with three minutes gone in the second half, Lay swept around right end from the two-yard line for another Greensburg touchdown.

Dick Craig was Cambridge City's top yard gainer with a total of 67 yards.

Jim Raby, Stanley and Paul Schneider were outstanding on the defense for Cambridge City.

Score by periods:

Cambridge City	0	0	13	2	15
Greensburg	0	6	6	0	12

Touchdowns:

Cambridge City – Bundy and Thompson.

Greensburg – Lay and Ewing

Point-after-touchdowns:

Cambridge City – Carlson

seffrin says:

Paul Schneider is due to get a touchdown that will count one of, these nights. The Cats halfback had an 80 yard TD run again Brookville nullified by penalty and last Friday a four yard touchdown drive against Greensburg was also nixed by a penalty . . . It took a heap of good

football for the Wampus Cats to defeat Greensburg - smart quarterback, fine passing, and running, crisp blocking, 'for keeps' tackling, desire and just plain 'guts' . . . It's 'Dads' Night' Friday at Lincoln Memorial Field. Dads' of Wampus Cats gridders will be honored. Also

the combined bands of Lincoln and Milton high school, 85 pieces strong will provide extra special halftime ceremonies . . . Friday's game will be the Cats second at home, and with the added seating recently erected, a large crowd is expected to see their team with a 3-1 record in action - and we still believe had Brent Bundy been available against Brookville the Cats would have a better record. We don't mean Brent necessarily would have scored 19 or 20 points for a tie or one point win, (26-7 was the score), but, his ankle injury three days before the game upset the squad's morale very noticeably. When team morale is high anything is possible it's a great equalizer. Bundy, a great 'pep'er-

upper', backs it up with good football. His limited action performance at Greensburg helped 'fire' the Cats to a 15-12 victory and those who saw it will vouch all the Cats showed a 'lot of guts,' too . . . Coach Lee Felton's Wampus Kitten eleven sport a 3-0 record with a promising bunch of freshmen and sophomores carrying the load with considerable savvy . . . Floyd Lacy, Hagerstown Exponent sports scribe comments on the Hagerstown 44-12 loss to Connersville with this note to us: "Connersville coach built up 44-6 lead, took his horses out for two minutes and then put them back in with minute to go when Tigers scored."

The following was mimeographed and sent home with the football players to give to their dads. Use your imagination and you can smell the spirits from the mimeograph. 😊

Dear Dads:

You cordially invited to the Dad's day football game at Lincoln High School, October 2 at Lincoln. The boys will be playing Lakota, Ohio.

Your admission will be free and refreshments will be served after the halftime ceremonies, in your honor.

Game time is 7:30 EST. We hope to see you there to cheer the boys on to victory.



Sincerely,
Calvin Duff
Calvin Duff.
Coach.

Cats Defeat Lakota & Winchester; Go To Lawrenceburg for EIAC Battle

Results of Dad's Night

By Paul Seffrin

Cambridge City Lincoln defeated Lakota, Ohio, 26-0, before a large Dad's Night crowd here last Friday, and Tuesday night downed Winchester Driver at that place 14-12 - proof again that those points-after-touchdown can mean the difference between a tie game, loss or victory. The Cats eleven made theirs, the Golden Falcons didn't.

End Larry Stanley got into the scoring column with two TDs against Lakota and played a good defensive game. At Winchester his defensive effort was good also. A 78 yard pass and run quarter-back Brent Bundy to end

Jerry Thompson for the first touch-down and freshman fullback Dick Craig's 59 yard run to the one yard line set up the Cats second TD. Both, Winchester scores came on pass plays. The Lincolns now have a 5-1 season going.

Facing the Cats this Friday night is the Eastern Indiana Athletic Conference battle with the Tigers of Lawrenceburg at that place. Lawrenceburg held strong Brookville to a 21-21 tie last Friday. The Cats with a 1-1 mark in loop play, need this one if they hope to stay in contention for league honors. Brookville needs only a win of Batesville to clinch the title or a share of it

depending upon how Lawrenceburg fares with Cambridge, Hagerstown, Batesville and Aurora. The Lincolns needs wins over Lawrenceburg, Aurora and Hagerstown to capture second place.

The game, but outmanned Lakota Thunderbirds, their first year at football had broken even in two games before coming to Cambridge City, and Friday nights visit was their first under lights. After some first quarter jitters they turned in some good football before the evening was over.

The Wampus Cats scored early in the first period when senior end Larry Stanley blocked a Lakota punt on the 22 yard line. Two plays later Stanley who on offense often doubles as a fullback raced 13 yards around left end for a touchdown. Senior halfback Paul Close added the extra point on a plunge.

Coach Duff substituted freely throughout the contest with 47 lads seeing action. In the second period a Cambridge punt was fumbled by a Lakota player with the Cats recovering on Lakota's 46 yard marker. Freshman fullback Dick Craig got nine; senior quarterback Chuck Carlson hit sophomore end Eddie Hauk with a 12 yard pass, then carries by sophomore fullback Charley Pete Irvin, halfback Paul Close and Carlson got to the 13, but a 15 yard penalty set the Cats back. Junior back Schneider got it all back on the next

play then on a roll out option play Carlson passed to Stanley in the end zone for the TD. Stanley's kick for extra point was wide.

The winners scored early in the third period climaxing a 62 yard sustained drive. Stanley rammed 25 yards on a key play before Carlson swept nine yards around left end for the touchdown. Schneider's plunge for extra point made it 20-0.

Midway of the last period Craig grabbed a Lakota punt on the 50 yard line and dashed all the way into the end zone for the final score of the game. Irvin's plunge for point-after-touchdown was short.

GAME STATISTICS:

	Lakota	Cambridge City
First Downs	4	7
<i>By Rushing</i>	4	6
<i>By Passing</i>	0	1
Net Yards Rushing	67	161
Net Yards Passing	0	38
Passes attempted	7	5
Passes Completed	0	3
Passes intercepted by	0	0
Punts	5	3