

Cavalier Football Weekly

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Week 1 Results

Arlington	00
Anna	52
Bradford	00
New Bremen	48
Celina	06
Versailles	36
Chaminade Julienne	00
Marion Local	35
Covington	07
St. Henry	37
Crestview	38
Parkway	26
East Clinton	00
Clinton-Massie	56
Ft. Loramie	00
Minster	20
Kenton	28
Coldwater	35
Lehman Catholic	21
Ft. Recovery	27
St. Johns	46
Woodward	06

Week 2 Schedule

Anna at Brookville Coldwater at Clinton-Massie Ft. Recovery at Valley View Kenton at Celina LCC at St. Johns Marion Local at Patrick Henry Minster at Covington New Bremen at Mississinawa Parkway at Spencerville St. Henry at Eaton Versailles at Jefferson

MAC Standings	MAC	OA
Anna	0-0	1-0
Coldwater	0-0	1-0
Ft. Recovery	0-0	1-0
Marion Local	0-0	1-0
Minster	0-0	1-0
New Bremen	0-0	1-0
St. Henry	0-0	1-0
St. Johns	0-0	1-0
Versailles	0-0	1-0
Parkway	0-0	0-1
Kenton (0-1), Clinton-Massie (1-0)		

The Coldwater Cavaliers jumped out to a three touchdown lead, but had to hold off a determined charge by the Kenton Wildcats to secure a 35-28 season opening victory.

Meanwhile the rest of the MAC was having one of the best opening nights in recent history as only Parkway suffered defeat and the MAC opened at 9-1.

Kenton was forced into a three and out after taking the opening kickoff, and though Coldwater gained a first down on their first possession they too had to punt the ball away.

Kenton took over on their own 32 and struck quickly as a half-back option turned into a 68 yard pass and score to give the Wildcats a 7-0 lead with 6:45 to play in the first quarter.

That seemed to wake up the Cavaliers as they went on a tear and scored 28 unanswered points to close out the first half.

Sam Broering concluded a 9 play 55 yard drive with a 20 yard pass to Jacob Wenning with 1:53 left in the first quarter. Blake Dippold converted the PAT and the score was tied at 7-7.

The second quarter saw Brad Giere score twice on a 1 yard run and three minutes later he picked up a fumble and sprinted 30 yards to pay dirt. Dippold's PATs made the score 21-7 with 5:31 left in the first half.

Cavaliers Hold Off Scrappy Kenton Squad

The Cavalier defense forced the Cats to punt and the offense put together a 70 yard, 12 play drive which ended when Broering sliced up the middle of the defense for a 19 yard score.

Coldwater led at half time 28-7.

Sometimes football games are won or lost at half time. On this night the Cavs may have relaxed a little to much while the Wildcats considered how a couple of misqueues put them down but not out. The Cats caught fire in the second half.

Kenton scored the only touchdown in the third as they drove 62 yards in 14 plays. The Cavs answered right back on their next possession when they drove 64 yards in 13 plays. Ben Wenning scored on a 3 yard run to set the score at 35-21 with 10:17 left to play.

Kenton wasted no time answering back as on their first play they scored on a 76 yard crossing pattern as the receiver outran the Cavalier secondary. Three minutes later they scored again on a 5 yard pass with 6:59 remain to pull within seven points.

Coldwater tried to run out the clock with a long drive but Dippold missed a 27 yard field goal attempt with 55 seconds left. Then Kenton drove to the Coldwater 38 but a final pass with time running out fell short and Coldwater escaped with a 35-28 victory.

Top performers for Coldwater were Sam Broering who in his QB debut was 15 of 22 for 155 yards and 1 TD. He added another 72 yards rushing.

Giere led all rushers with 75 yards on 16 carries and Ben Wenning added 61 yards on 11 totes.

Jacob Wenning had 5 catches for 52 yards and Ben Wenning had 36 yards on three catches.

As a team Coldwater rushed 44 times for 224 yards and 379 yards of total offense on 66 plays.

Kenton ran for 69 yards, passed for 267 for a total of 336 yards on 45 plays.

Both teams intercepted a pass and Kenton lost one fumble.

Blake Dippold was 5-5 on PAT attempts. Jacob Wenning had a tough night punting as he netted just 32 yards on 2 attempts.

Next up for Coldwater is a trip south to meet a tough Clinton Massie team who shut out East Clinton 58-0 last week. The teams last met in the 2007 regional final, a game won by Coldwater 63-14.