

Cavalier Football Weekly

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Week 4 Results

Coldwater	33
Ft. Recovery	07
Minster	07
Marion Local	21
New Bremen	20
Anna	28
Parkway	08
St. Henry	41
Versailles	21
St. Johns	24
Clinton-Massie	55
Miami Trace	06
Kenton	35
Wapakoneta	49

Week 5 Schedule

Ft. Recovery at Minster Marion Local at Versailles Parkway at New Bremen St. Henry at Coldwater St. Johns at Anna Massie at Northwest St Marys at Kenton MAC Standings MAC Overall

Anna	2-0	4-0
Marion Local	2-0	4-0
St. Henry	2-0	4-0
Minster	1-1	3-1
St. Johns	1-1	3-1
Coldwater	1-1	2-2
Ft. Recovery	1-1	2-2
New Bremen	0-2	2-2
Parkway	0-2	1-3
Versailles	0-2	1-3

History vs St Henry

Series Record:	34-10-1
Last 10 Seasons:	10-0
Otten's Record:	7-0
Last Year:	21-14 W
Current Streak:	21 W
Largest Victory:	56-0 '01
Largest Defeat:	60-20 '89

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Cavaliers Capitalize on Indians Misqueues

Last week Coldwater fumbled away an opportunity to defeat Marion Local. This week they turned the tables on the Ft. Recovery Indians and converted two third quarter fumbles into touchdowns and went on to a 33-7 victory.

It might have been called the Ben and Jacob Show as Ben Wenning and Jacob Wenning provide big plays all night long to lead the Cavaliers.

The Indians brought a strong running game and had success early but the Cavs did not allow them to score. Late in the first quarter Coldwater forced a punt deep in Indians territory which Ben returned 27 yards to the Indians 44. Two plays later Sam Broering found Jacob on a post pattern for a 41 yard touchdown and after the Blake Dippold PAT the Cavaliers led 7 -0 just 56 seconds into quarter number two.

Ft. Recovery moved the ball over the next two series but penalties killed those drives.

Late in the second an Indians punt pinned the Cavaliers inside their 15 and after a shanked punt Fort took over at the Coldwater 37. Fort only needed one play to score on a 37 yard run and with the PAT they tied the game.

Coldwater took over with 2:04 left in the half and the ball at their own 41 yard line. A swing pass to Brad Giere for seven yards and another post pattern to Jacob Wenning for 45 yards put the ball at the Indians 7 yard line. Broering threw to Wenning again and Jacob dove just inside the pylon to move the score to 13-7 at the 1:24 mark. Dippold missed his first PAT of the season and that was the score at halftime.

Coming into the game Fort had committed 9 turnovers including 6 fumbles. Midway through the third quarter the turnover bug bit the Indians as they fumbled the ball at the Coldwater 46 and Derek Albers scooped in up and ran it 24 yards to the Indians 22.

Moving the ball only 2 yards in three plays the Cavs faced a 4th and eight. Broering then found Ben Wenning at the one and he crossed the goal line to give Coldwater a 19 to 7 advantage. The PAT pass attempt failed.

On the ensuring kickoff a jarring tackled again loosened the football and Coldwater recovered it at the Indians 24 yard line. Three more Cavalier plays netted just 5 yards. Broering calmly found Jacob Wenning down the right sideline and laid in a touch pass to complete a 19 yard scoring strike and the score moved to 26-7 with 3:33 in the third.

Coldwater controlled the tempo and the line of scrimmage for the rest of the night. Those big plays took the wind out of Forts sails but the biggest play was yet to come.

The Indians final drive moved deep into Coldwater territory, Following a holding call, Fort had the ball 1st and 20 at the Coldwater 25 when Ben Wenning intercepted a pass at the Coldwater one.

But Ben wasn't done. On the first offensive play he took a hand-off and ran off left tackle. He advanced thru the line and into the secondary untouched.

Ninety-nine yards later Ben put his name at the top of the

Coldwater record book for the longest touchdown run from scrimmage in Cavalier history. The PAT kick was good and the final score was set at 33-7.

Ben's name will forever be there as his record can only be tied and never broken. The previous record was 95 yards by Justin Bruns in 2005 against the same Ft. Recovery Indians.

On the night Ben ran the ball 7 times for 149 yards and a touchdown, caught 4 passes for 40 yards and another score. He ran two punts back for 32 yards and had that one interception.

Jacob Wenning had six rushing yards plus 112 yards on four receptions for three touchdowns. He also punted the ball 6 times for a 39.2 average including one for 50 yards.

Broering completed 14 of his 19 passes for 187 yard and four touchdowns.

The offense tallied 366 yards on 41 plays while the defense yielded 237 rushing and 63 passing yards for 300 total yards on 59 offensive plays.

Next week the 2-2 Cavaliers return home to host the St. Henry Redskins in the annual renewal of the Backyard Battle.

The Redskins enter the game at 4-0 and will be favored, a position they have not been in for a long time.

The Cavaliers will have to continue to play mistake free football on the offensive side and on defense control a team that will be have a more balanced attacked.