

Chiefs Ground Bombers

The Chiefs 8-year-olds continued to roll as they went on the road to Baldwin and grounded the Bombers 13-6. Staying undefeated, this brings the Chiefs winning record to 2-0.

The Chiefs Offense led by Quarterback Michael O'Connell was able to control the tempo of the game behind sound blocking by the offensive line of Michael LaGinestra, Patrick McTiernan, Matty O'Connell, Anthony Giunta, Philip Arnold, Dylan Vincenti and Spenser Warantz. Strong runs by running backs Matthew Sluka, Lance Costa, Thomas Albig, Jason Eccher and Jack Duff helped the Chiefs control the ball. In the first half of play Sluka muscled his way for two touchdowns and on an exciting extra point conversion play, Eccher made an acrobatic catch on a pass from O'Connell.

The Chiefs Defensive line of Aidan Hornberger, Joe Martello, Kevin Parente, Michael Sinisi, Chris Marshiano and Andrew Cho kept the heat on Baldwin's offense the whole day. The linebackers O'Connell and Sluka fearlessly attacked the ball and finished them off. Cornerbacks and Safeties were lead by Andrew Casoria, Matt Grimm and Jeremy Samuel. In the first half of action Albig had a game changing open field tackle and Casoria on third and long intercepted a Bombers' pass play.

It takes teamwork and once again all the boys played and contributed to the victory. Scoring is summarized below:

- Matt Sluka 11 yard Touchdown Run (xpoint failed)
- Matt Sluka 23 yard Touchdown Run (Michael O'Connell xpoint Pass to Jason Eccher)