



THE J.V. TEAM MARCHES DOWN THE STAIRS BEFORE A BIG GAME, WITH THEIR FANS LOOKING ON. THE TEAM IS LED DOWN BY THEIR CAPTAINS OF THE WEEK.

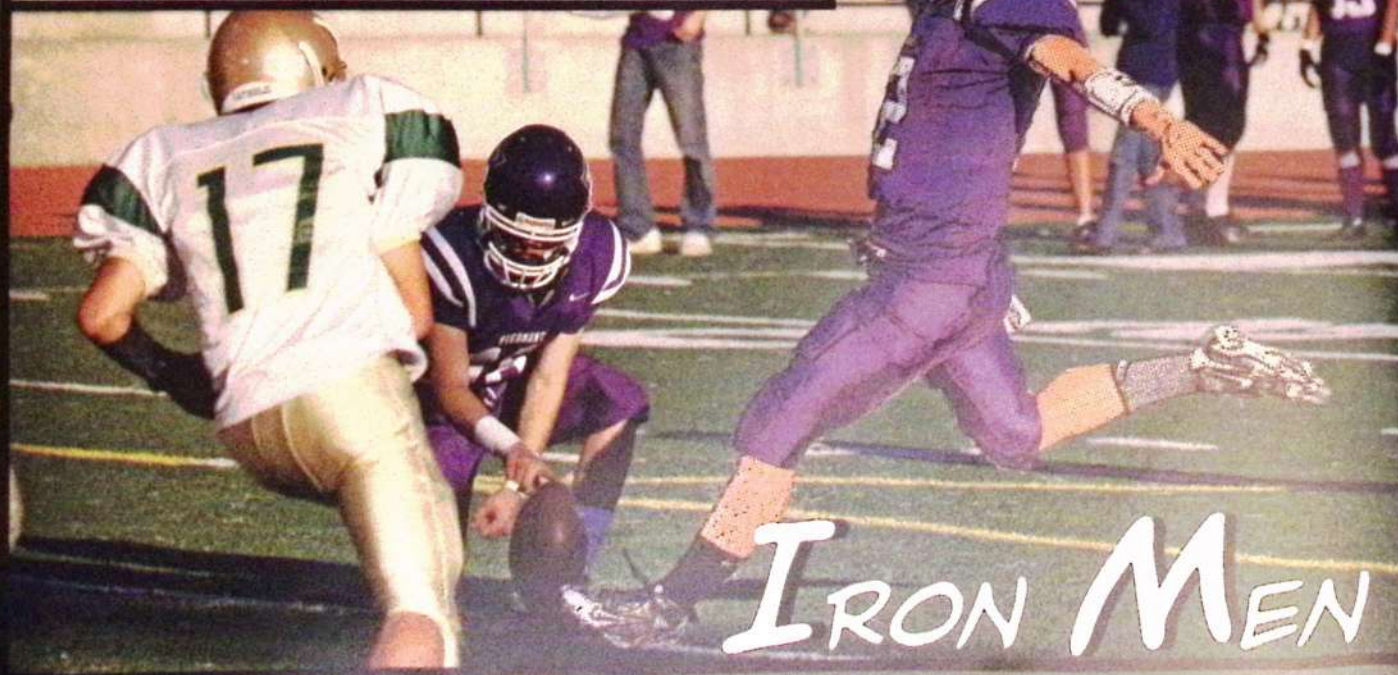
MILO DAVIS (9) TRUCKS THROUGH TWO DEFENDERS AS HE PICKS UP A MASSIVE GAIN. THESE KIDS WERE DRAGGED ON THEIR BACKS FOR 20 YARDS.



RYAN SULLIVAN (9) SCANS FOR AN OPEN RECEIVER AS HE DARTS OUT OF THE POCKET TO ESCAPE THE OPPOSING DEFENSE. GOOD FIELD VISION IS IMPORTANT FOR A QB.



AS THE FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL APPROACHES, IT MEANS ONE THING FOR FRESHMEN AND J.V. FOOTBALL TEAMS: INTENSE CONDITIONING AS DOUBLE DAYS. DURING THE FIRST FEW WEEKS OF THE SEASON, PLAYERS WORK HARD TO LEARN THE A-11 AND THE FRESHMEN THE BASICS. BEFORE GAMES, THE TEAMS GET PUMPED UP AND TEAM DINNER AFTER. WITH LOTS OF GOOD FOOD AND GREAT TIMES, THE FRESHMAN AND J.V. FOOTBALL SEASONS ARE UNFORGETTABLE.



IRON MEN

HENRY HOWARD (11) AND JOHN MCAVOY (10) SACK THE QUARTERBACK FOR A LOSS OF YARDS.



"FRESHMAN FOOTBALL WAS AN EXCELLENT FIRST YEAR OF FOOTBALL, THANKS TO ALL THE GREAT COACHING" AARON FAHEY

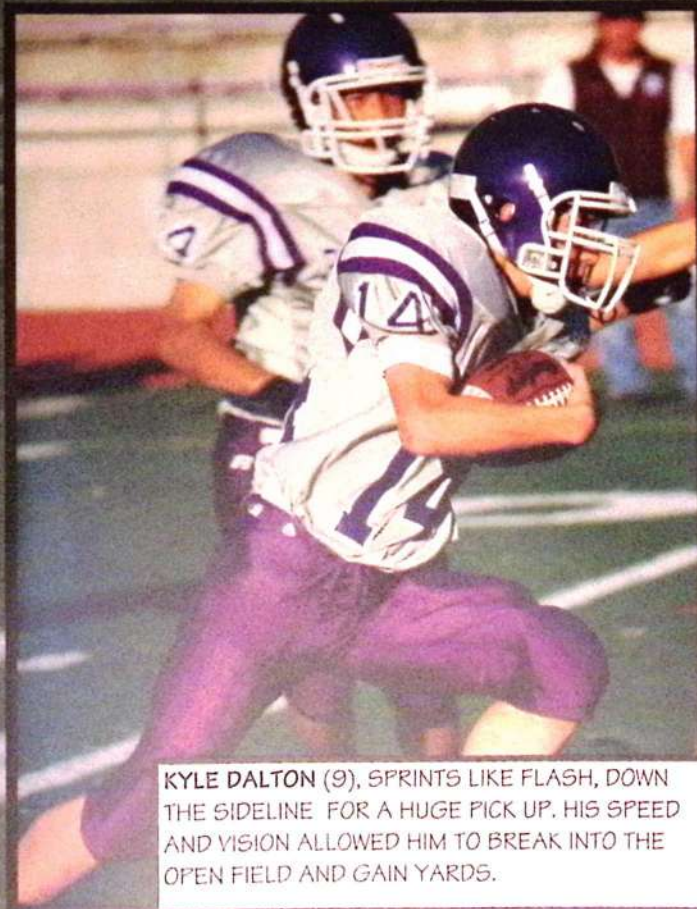
AARON FAHEY (9) CHARGES DOWN THE FIELD IN HOPES OF SCORING A TOUCHDOWN. HE IS LIGHTNING FAST,



ERIC HUPPERT (10) RIPS OFF A GORGEOUS TOUCHDOWN PASS, LOOKING LIKE PEYTON MANNING ON THE FIELD.



THE J.V. FOOTBALL TEAM CIRCLES UP TO CELEBRATE A GLORIOUS GRIDIRON VICTORY.



KYLE DALTON (9), SPRINTS LIKE FLASH, DOWN THE SIDELINE FOR A HUGE PICK UP. HIS SPEED AND VISION ALLOWED HIM TO BREAK INTO THE OPEN FIELD AND GAIN YARDS.

LED BY INSPIRATIONAL LINEMAN DAVEY DICKLER, (10) THE J.V. TEAM RUNS THROUGH A HALF-TIME SIGN MADE BY THE CHEERLEADERS.



STEVEY ROWE (10) ESCAPES FROM THE GRASP OF A DRAKE PLAYER. STEVEY'S SPEED MAKES HIM AN EFFECTIVE PLAYER.



CENTER JAMES MEAGHER (11) AND THE REST OF THE LINEMEN GET DOWN AND DIRTY PRE-SNAP AGAINST DRAKE.



I LOVE PLAYING LINEMAN BECAUSE I GET TO SHOW OFF MY BRUTE STRENGTH ON EVERY PLAY.
- JAMES MEAGHER (11)

SEAN WONG (12) COMES IN TIGHT ON THE LINE MOMENTS BEFORE LAYING A BLINDSIDE BLOCK ON A LINEBACKER.



WINTERS HEAFEY (12) CLOBBERS THE MOREAU CATHOLIC QB AT THE HOMECOMING GAME.

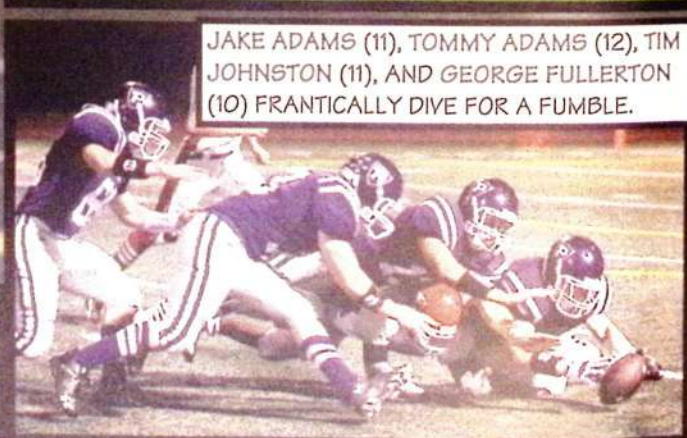


THREE TIME ALL LEAGUE BSAL RECEIVER JOEY ANDRADA (12) HAULS IN A PASS FOR A BIG GAIN. THIS IS WHY HE IS KNOWN AS "THE 1."

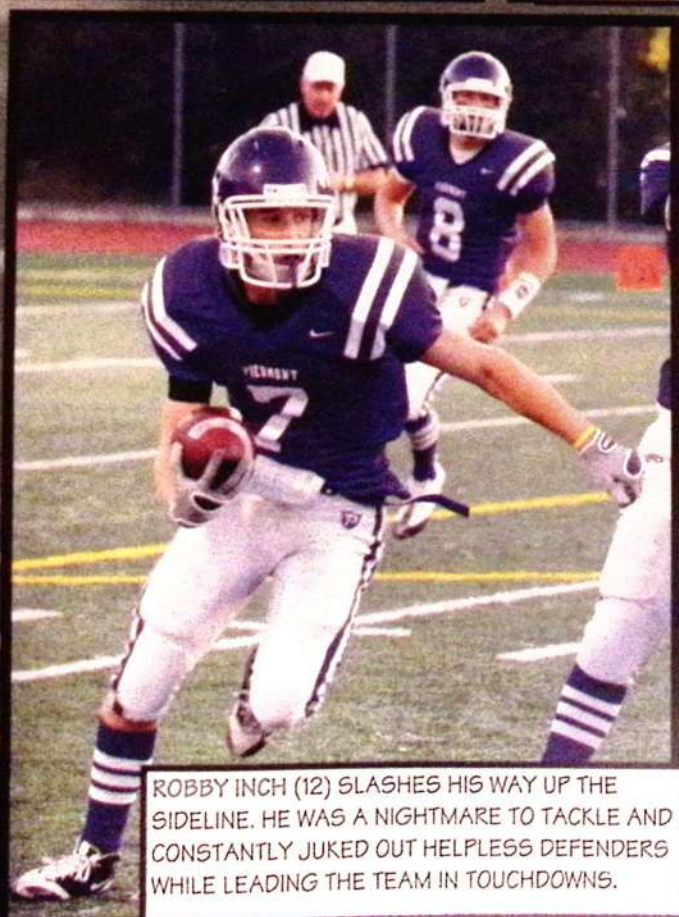
THE TEAM GETS PUMPED BY DOING THE HIGHLANDER SHUFFLE MOMENTS BEFORE GOING TO BATTLE AGAINST THE ENCINAL JETS OF ALAMEDA.



JAKE ADAMS (11), TOMMY ADAMS (12), TIM JOHNSTON (11), AND GEORGE FULLERTON (10) FRANTICALLY DIVE FOR A FUMBLE.



ROBBY INCH (12) SLASHES HIS WAY UP THE SIDELINE. HE WAS A NIGHTMARE TO TACKLE AND CONSTANTLY JUKED OUT HELPLESS DEFENDERS WHILE LEADING THE TEAM IN TOUCHDOWNS.





MATT DOBBS AND CARL HENDRICKSON (12) CAP OFF A TOUCHDOWN WITH AN IMPRESSIVE CHEST BUMP. THE HIGHLANDERS DEFENSE NEVER MISSES AN OPPORTUNITY TO CELEBRATE.

JESSE MILNE (11) SLASHES DOWN THE SIDELINE ON HIS WAY TO THE ENDZONE, WHILE WINTERS HEAFEY (12) SEALS OFF THE BACKSIDE OF THE PLAY FROM ANY DEFENDERS.



TRAVIS MOSCONE (12) LAYS THE WOOD ON AN OPPOSING PLAYER. TRAVIS FLEW AROUND THE FIELD ALL YEAR LONG, TAKING DOWN ANYONE BRAVE ENOUGH TO CHALLENGE HIM.



MEN of STEEL



WITH THE POWER OF A THOUSAND MEN AND THE SPEED OF A STEALTH BomBER, THE PIEDMONT HIGHLANDERS VARSITY FOOTBALL TEAM WORKED WONDERS ON THE FIELD THIS YEAR. THEY MADE OPPONENTS LOOK FOOLISH NEARLY EVERY WEEK AND LEFT MANY SHAKING THEIR HEADS OVER WHAT THEY HAD JUST WITNESSED. IT MAY HAVE SEEMED LIKE THEY JUST WENT OUT AND HANDLED BUSINESS EVERY WEEK WITH EASE, BUT IN REALITY THEY ACHIEVED WHAT THEY DID BECAUSE OF THE HARD WORK THEY PUT IN ALL YEAR. STARTING WITH THE PRESEASON CONDITIONING ALL THE WAY UNTIL THE PLAYOFFS, THE TEAM WAS FULLY COMMITTED AND SHARED A COMMON GOAL. "THIS YEAR WE CAME INTO THE SEASON WITH THE MENTALITY THAT WE WERE BETTER THEN EVERYONE ELSE, WE WEREN'T JUST GOING THROUGH THE MOTIONS OUT THERE. WE WANTED TO MAKE AN EARLY STATEMENT AND SHOW THE REST OF THE LEAGUE WE WERE COMING FOR THEM," SAID STEVEN YAO (12). WITH THE A-11 OFFENSE BACK FOR A THIRD YEAR, THE HIGHLANDERS WERE CONFIDENT THAT THIS WAS THEIR YEAR TO SHINE.

VARSITY FOOTBALL