

George Walton Academy "Bulldogs"

1979 FOOTBALL SEASON



STATE CLASS A CHAMPIONS

REGION 3A CHAMPIONS

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1979 RESULTS

Won 11

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STATE CLASS A CHAMPIONS

REGION 3A CHAMPIONS

GWA	22	Rutledge Academy	6
GWA	14	McDonough Christian	14
GWA	32	Nathanael Greene Academy	0
GWA	14	Samuel Elbert Academy	0
GWA	16	Gatewood Academy	6
GWA	22	John Hancock Academy	0
GWA	28	Briarwood Academy	6
GWA	35	Wilkes Academy	0
GWA	6	Thomas Jefferson	0
GWA	46	Gordon Ivey	0

North Georgia Championship Game

GWA	22	Barnesville Academy	21
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State Class A Championship Game

GWA	12	Westbrook	7
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FINAL RUSHING STATISTICS

Name	Rushing Attempts	Net Yardage	Average	TDs	PATs
Kent Duncan	138	790	5.7	8	8
Mike Toms	162	648	4.0	3	5
Art Williams	106	364	3.4	12	2
Skipper Seabolt	20	166	8.3	1	1
Buddy Hearn	11	39	3.5		
Craig Bryant	5	18	3.6	2	
Stan Edwards	5	17	3.4		
Ty Seidule	7	13	1.8		

FINAL PASSING STATISTICS

	Attempts	Comple-tions	Inter-cepted	Net Yds	Avg Yds Per Com	Tds	2 pt. PAT
Art Williams	140	54	9	781	14.5	10	7
Ty Seidule	4	1	1	15	15		
Hugh White	1	1		9	9		
Bill Bradley	2						
Mike Toms	1						

FINAL PASS RECEIVING STATISTICS

	Recep-tions	Net Yards	Avg Yds Per Catch	TDs	PATs
Bill Bradley	35	602	17.2	7	5
Rob Dally	7	92	13.1		1
Bruce Cole	5	83	16.6	2	
Don Holder	2	22	11	1	1
Craig Bryant	1	15	15		
Kent Duncan	1	9	9		
Stacy Cotton	1	9	9		
Stan Harrison	1	5	5		

SCORING

	Touchdowns	2 Pt. PATs	Field Goal	Total Points
Art Williams	12	2		76
Kent Duncan	8	8		64
Bill Bradley	7	5		52
Mike Toms	3	5		28
Bruce Cole	2			12
Craig Bryant	2			12
Don Holder	1	1	1	11
Skipper Seabolt	1	1		8
Rob Dally		1		2
Hugh White		1		2

TACKLES

Name	Tackles	Assists	Total	Average Per Game
Don Holder	57	131	188	15.7
Bob Bradley	53	104	157	13.1
Larry Sheridan	20	75	95	7.9
Art Williams	27	65	92	7.7
Bruce Cole	25	64	89	7.4
Allen VanBrocklin	13	74	87	7.3
Kent Duncan	20	57	77	6.4
Rob Dally	18	55	73	6.1
Ty Seidule	15	38	53	4.4
Hank Holder	13	39	52	4.4
Skipper Seabolt	16	18	34	2.8
Buddy Hearn	14	18	32	2.7
Mike Toms	17	16	33	3
Mike Dwyer	7	22	29	2.4
Mark Duncan	5	20	25	2.1
Bill Bradley	10	9	19	1.6
Stan Edwards	3	11	14	1.2
Hugh White	1	10	11	1.1
David Pickering	3	8	11	.9
Craig Bryant	1	8	9	.8
Allen Kilgore	1	6	7	1.8
Stacy Cotton	2	4	6	1.2
John Lawrence	1	3	4	1
Neil Stanford	1	2	3	.4
Joe Healy	1	2	3	.8
Jud Connell	1	2	3	.8
Dennis Geiger	0	1	1	.3
Kyle Chandler	0	1	1	.3
Stan Harrison	0	1	1	.1

Fumble Recoveries

Pass Interceptions

Bruce Cole	3
Don Holder	2
Buddy Hearn	2
Skipper Seabolt	2
Hank Holder	2
Ty Seidule	1
Bob Bradley	1
Mark Duncan	1
Stacy Cotton	1
Bill Bradley	
Mike Toms	
Art Williams	

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G W A TEAM RECORDS (single game)

Total Offense	471 yards vs. Rutledge Academy	1978
Total Defense	25 yards vs. Samuel Elbert Academy	1976
Rushing Offense	444 yards vs. Rutledge Academy	1978
Rushing Defense	8 yards vs Samuel Elbert Academy	1976
Passing Offense	210 yards vs Wilkes Academy	1979
Passing Defense	-5 yards vs Samuel Elbert	1979
Fumble Recoveries	5 vs Wilkes Academy	1978
	5 vs Rutledge Academy	1975
Passes Intercepted	5 vs. Barnesville Academy	1975, 1979
Most Points	48 vs Flint River Academy	1976
Most Touchdowns	7 vs. Flint River Academy	1976
Most PATs	5 vs. Gordon Ivey	1979
Blocked Punts	2 vs. Piedmont Academy	1977

G W A INDIVIDUAL RECORDS (Single game)

Total Offense	216 yards by Jim Evans vs. Samuel Elbert	1976
Rushing Yardage	213 by Huie McMichael vs. Rutledge Academy	1978
Most TDs Rushing	4 by Huie McMichael vs. Gordon-Ivey	1978
Passing Yardage	164 by Art Williams vs Wilkes Academy	1979
Pass Attempts	22 by Art Williams vs. Wilkes Academy	1979
Pass Completions	11 by Art Williams vs Wilkes Academy	1979
Most PATs	7 players tied with 2 each	
Most Pass Receptions	7 by Bill Bradley vs. Wilkes Academy and Westbrook	1979
Most Yards by Pass Receptions	143 by Bill Bradley vs Westbrook	1979
Most TD receptions	3 by Bill Bradley vs. Wilkes Academy	1978
Most Touchdowns	4 by Huie McMichael vs. Gordon-Ivey	1978
Most Points	26 by Huie McMichael vs Gordon-Ivey	1978
Most Interceptions	3 by Randy Henderson vs. Barnesville	1975
Most Fumble Recoveries	3 by Todd Whitsitt vs. Rutledge	1975
Most Individual Tackles	12 by Don Holder vs. Wilkes Academy	1979
Most Tackle Assists	23 by David McKissick vs. Beechwood	1976
Most Tackles	28 by David McKissick vs. John Hancock	1975
Most Touchdown Passes	4 by Art Williams vs. Wilkes Academy	1978

MISCELLANEOUS INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

Longest Punt	58 yards by Don Holder vs. Gordon Ivey	1979
Longest Punt Return	77 yards by Huie McMichael vs. Rutledge Academy	1978
Longest Kick-Off Return	83 yards by Jim Evans vs. Gordon Ivey	1975
Longest Run	84 yards by Huie McMichael vs. Rutledge Academy	1978
	84 yards by Art Williams vs. Nathanael Greene	1979
Longest Pass Reception	78 yards from Brad Bradley to Todd Whitsitt vs. Barnesville Academy	1975
Longest Return of Pass Interception	98 yards by Todd Whitsitt vs. Flint River Academy	1975
Longest Return of Blocked Punt	63 yards by Todd Whitsitt vs. Beechwood	1975
Longest Return of Fumble Recovery	21 yards by David McKissick vs Flint River Academy	1976

G W A ' S LONGEST SCORING PLAYS

RUSHING

Yards	Name	Game	Year
84	Huie McMichael	Rutledge	1978
84	Art Williams	Nathanael Greene	1979
76	Jim Evans	Brentwood	1975
73	Huie McMichael	Piedmont	1977
65	Jim Evans	John Hancock	1975
65	Kent Duncan	Briarwood	1979

PASSING

Yards		
78	Brad Bradley to Todd Whitsitt vs Barnesville	1975
61	Art Williams to Bill Bradley vs Piedmont	1978
55	Brad Bradley to Jim Evans vs Rutledge Academy	1976
45	Art Williams to Bill Bradley vs Wilkes Academy	1978
45	Art Williams to Bill Bradley vs Wilkes Academy	1979

ALL REGION PLAYERS

1979	1978	1977	1976
Bill Bradley	Bill Bradley	Jim Evans	Brad Bradley
Bob Bradley	Bob Bradley	Don Holder	David McKissick
Kent Duncan	Bruce Cole	Zelmo Peters	
Don Holder	Don Holder		
Hank Holder	Huie McMichael		
Larry Sheridan	Zelmo Peters		
Mike Toms	Art Williams		
Art Williams			

1979 ALL-STATE PLAYERS

Bill Bradley
 Bob Bradley
 Don Holder
 Art Williams

1977 ALL-STATE PLAYER

Don Holder

ANNUAL AWARD WINNERS

MOST VALUABLE PLAYER

1979	Don Holder
1978	Huie McMichael
1977	Jim Evans
1976	David McKissick
1975	Todd Whitsitt

BEST OFFENSIVE BACK

1979	Art Williams
1978	Art Williams
1977	Huie McMichael
1976	Jim Evans
1975	Jim Evans

BEST OFFENSIVE LINEMAN

1979	Hank Holder
1978	Zelmo Peters
1977	Connor Gray
1976	Connor Gray

BEST DEFENSIVE BACK

1979	Bob Bradley
1978	Don Holder
1977	Don Holder
1976	Brad Bradley
1975	David McKissick

BEST DEFENSIVE LINEMAN

1979	Larry Sheridan
1978	Bob Bradley
1977	Zelmo Peters
1976	Keith Henderson
1975	Keith Henderson

GOLDEN HELMET AWARD

1979	Bruce Cole
1978	Huie McMichael
1977	Huie McMichael
1976	Huie McMichael
1975	Randy Henderson

BEST EFFORT AWARD

1979
1978
1977
1976
1975

Bill Bradley
Bruce Cole
Ricky Bryan
Zelmo Peters
Zelmo Peters

MOST IMPROVED AWARD

1979
1978
1977
1976
1975

Kent Duncan
Bill Bradley
Bob Bradley
Don Holder
Connor Gray

SPORTSMANSHIP AWARD

1979
1978
1977
1976
1975

Ty Seidule
Ty Seidule
Keith Henderson
Tony Groves
Randy Henderson

HISTORY OF GWA FOOTBALL

1979

Won 11

Lost 0

Tied 1

State Class A Champions

Region 3A Champions

1978

Won 8

Lost 2

Region 3A Runner Up

1977

Won 5

Lost 4

Tied 1

1976

Won 7

Lost 3

1975

Won 6

Lost 3

Tied 1