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Flyers JV Cruise to an Easy Championship Victory

The Flyers JV came into the Championship Game riding a nine game winning streak. In each of those games the Flyers had been dominant. Their most recent victory, a defeat of the fourth seeded team from Lincoln Park ended in a thirty-three to zero shutout. On today the Flyers continued their winning ways with a crushing defeat of the Washtenaw Blue Wolverines. In the first game of the season the two teams meet at Washtenaw and the Flyers put on an incredible display of offense and defense. In that game the Flyers handed the Wolverines their first and only loss of the regular season. The Flyers dominated both sides of the ball in the 46 – 12 victory.

In today's game it was much the same as on the Flyers opening drive they took less than two minutes to punch in their first touchdown. After kicking off to Washtenaw the Flyers forced them to punt the ball and that punt was returned for another Flyers score. After forcing a Washtenaw turnover the Flyers again marched down the field for their third touchdown of the first quarter to take an early 18 – 0 lead. While still in the first quar-

ter the Flyers again found themselves closing in on another score when the Wolverines got a break as the Flyers fumbled the ball on about the Wolverine fifteen yard line. The Wolverines were unable to take advantage of their good fortune and turned the ball over on downs. The Flyers took their eighteen point lead into the second quarter where they continued to score at will. On the first drive of the second quarter the Flyers second team offense got into the scoring business as they march down the field to give the Flyers a 24 – 0 lead over the Wolverines.

The Wolverines pulled out all of the stops as they tried just about every type of play imaginable but they were unable to mount any type of serious drive against the Flyers Defense. The Flyers Defense played at the top of its game today as they forced turnover after turnover. They never gave the Wolverines a chance to threaten a score in the first half. The Flyers continued to dominate on both offense and defense through the second quarter as the Flyers took a 37 – 0 lead into the half.

Because the Flyers had a lead greater than thirty-five points at half time the second half started with a running clock. Because of the Downriver Junior Football

League rules on playing time the Flyers started their back up offense and defense in the second half. The Wolverines were unable to threaten a score until the fourth quarter when they found themselves with a first and goal from the one yard line midway through the fourth quarter. The Flyers Defense refused to break as they dug their heels in for a goal line stand. And what a goal line stand it was as the Wolverines found themselves with a fourth and goal from the three yard line. On the fourth down play the Flyers stuffed the attempt to get around the right end on the swing pass as the receiver was dropped for a one yard loss. The Flyers took over on downs and promptly marched ninety-six yards for a touchdown to end the game. The highlight of the drive was a fullback dive on fourth and one from the thirteen yard line that resulted in a sixty yard romp to the Wolverine thirty-one yard line. The Flyers eventually score the final touchdown of the season to take the 43 – 0 victory and the 2009 Downriver Junior Football League NFC Championship.

Equipment Turn In

Final Equipment Turn In is scheduled for 11/17 & 11/18 from 6 - 8 PM at the Equipment Room. There will be a limited number of banquet tickets on sale during equipment turn in.