



# PAW PRINTS

The Official Newsletter of the YMCA  
Jaguar Football & Cheerleading Program

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**Program Message:** It's hard to believe that this week will mark week #5 in the regular season and the half-way point. Our teams continue to show improvement each week and our players/cheerleaders are showing that they can work together as a team. It will be nice to be back home after two weeks away but remember with home games comes work. Please check with your team parent regarding your scheduled time in the concession stand and thank you for the donations of soda and baked goods for the concession stand—keep them coming!! A special thank you to Kim Spratt and Christine Lovett for improving our options in the concession stand and for doing the shopping—you're the BEST!!! Our families and guests really enjoyed the variety of food items for sale during our last home game and we sold out of almost everything. We also want to thank all of our families for your support—we couldn't continue to run this program without you. Have a great week and we look forward to seeing what our players/cheerleaders have planned for Saturday. GO JAGUARS!!

### Equipment/Repairs

If a player is having problems with their equipment they should see the head coach and/or Jim Trice before or after practice.

The Equipment room upstairs in the garage is OFF LIMITS to parents and players. **Only Jaguar staff and coaches are permitted access to the equipment room.**

### 10-12 Football

The 10 – 12 Jags had a dominate performance against Dundalk in a 21 – 0 win.

The Defense allowed only a handful of First Downs and gave up no points to the home team. Danny Willert led the D with seven tackles and a forced fumble. Wyatt Griffith had a forced fumble and two recovered fumbles. The entire Defense played hard and dominated the field.

The Offense came to life in the second half, scoring two of its three touchdowns. Dylan Jackson had 120 rushing yards and two touchdowns. Jon Eldreth scored the other Jag TD. The Offense moved the ball against a determined Dundalk Defense.

### 7-9 Football

The 7 - 9 Jags finally got on track this week at Dundalk. We had five different players score points for us. Taylor, Silas, Tyeler, Jerome and Ryan Manning all had great scoring runs. The offensive line was awesome. Tyler, Marshall, Joseph, Wyatt, Will and Ryan Speed all had great blocks all day long. On defense, although they scored 25 points, they could not move the ball on us. All of Dundalk's points were on big plays to the outside with missed tackles. The line was really good. Conlan, Pat, Connor, Mason, Marques, Tommy and Matt all had a great game. We are very proud of them. They never gave up. They play with heart and there are good things to come.

### 8-10 Lady Jaguars

Great day and a great game! We had a good time cheering on our team! Captains were Jenna White and Sierra Burkey. These girls did a fantastic job calling cheers and leading the squad by example!!

We took the field at halftime and dazzled our spectators! Many well-deserved compliments were handed to the girls...without a doubt, our cheerleading squad earned bragging rights for the best game so far this season!!!

### 9-11 Football

The 9-11 Jags played the Dundalk Knights this past Saturday, and our boys came to win! The final score was 19-0 in favor of the Jags. The Offensive line did a fantastic job staying on their blocks and opening up holes. The running backs ran like they were on a mission and our passing game just keeps getting better. Our defense was staggering, denying the Knights the end zone all day long. As coaches we could not have been more proud of the progress our team has made! This weekend, Randallstown comes to our house and the Jags will be ready!!!

#### Concession Stand Schedule

Time	Squad Working	Who's Playing
9:00 - 10:00	6-8 FB	Set-up
10:00 - 11:00	6-8 CL	6-8 Game
11:00 - 12:00	5-6 FB	6-8 Game
12:00 - 1:00	8-10 FB	5-6 & 7-9 Game
1:00 - 2:00	8-10 FB	5-6 & 7-9 Game
2:00 - 3:00	7-9 FB	5-7 & 8-10 Game
3:00 - 4:00	9-11FB	5-7 & 8-10 Game
4:00 - 5:00	8-10 CL	9-11 Game
5:00 -6:00	All Teams*	9-11 Game
6:00 - 7:00	11-13 FB	10-12 Game
7:00 - 8:-00	11-13 CL	10-12 Game
8:00 - 9:30	10-12 FB	11-13 Game Closes after ½ time

\* We need 3 volunteers from 5-6:00 PM

#### Help Needed

- We need 3 volunteers for the concession stand on Saturday from 5:00 -6:00 PM.
- If anyone is interested in putting together the Paw Prints please contact Kellee Trice @ [ccjaguars@comcast.net](mailto:ccjaguars@comcast.net)
- Planning committee needed for Homecoming

#### Homecoming

Our Homecoming game and festivities will be held on Saturday October 17<sup>th</sup>, our last official home game of the season. If you are interested in helping or planning activities see Jim Trice during practice.

#### Donations for Saturday

The concession stand is open as a service to our families and guests and helps to off-set the costs of the referees. We are asking each **FAMILY** to donate one (1) 12-pack of soda, water or baked goods to the concession stand for each home game.

Water  
Pepsi/Coke  
Sprite/7-up  
Mountain Dew  
Diet Coke/Pepsi  
Iced Tea

If we do not receive your donations we will not be selling these items in the concession stand.

We appreciate your contributions and support of the program..

Go Jaguars!!!

### 8-10 Football

The 8-10 Jags pulled together on Saturday with a total team effort. The boys trailed Dundalk 8-6 at halftime. After a few adjustments at the half the boys turned on the offense in the second half. The offensive line was outstanding on this day. Zach Esbin, Will Newman, Logan Wilson, Travis Heitz, Joe Jones, Tim Sarac and Hunter Carr all did an excellent job opening holes allowing the offense to chew up large chunks of yardage. Both Nate McCullough and Jackson Argoe did a nice job leading the offense at QB. Michael Reed scored on a sweep around right end midway through the third quarter. Michael was outstanding on this day moving the chains with big first down runs on several occasions.

The story of the second half was the defense. Zach Allen and Chris Cropper were monsters at defensive ends making many tackles in the backfield. Joe Jones, Logan Wilson, Zach Esbin, Travis Heitz and Jonah Hanlon created a wall up front and stopped everything at the line of scrimmage. On the few plays that did make positive yardage, Bayley McRoberts, Nick Harward, Deondre Boyd, Mark Whattenbarger and Keith Johnson were there to pick up the pieces at the second level. Dundalk was unable to move the ball in the second half.

With 4 minutes to go in the fourth quarter the defense got a stop and we took over on our own 30 yard line needing a touchdown to win. The boys moved the ball down the field and after a quick timeout with just over a minute to go in the game Randy Fields took a quick pitch around right end for a touchdown. The defense once again stepped up forcing Dundalk to go 4 and out, turning the ball over on downs with 28 seconds to go and sealing our first victory of the year.

Great Job boys! With a tough start to the season, you never quit and have worked extremely hard in practice. There are plenty more games like this past Saturday in our future!

### 6-8 Football

The Jags had an **AWESOME** game this past weekend. We started off slow but gained momentum throughout the day. Our defense had tackles from Dustin Flowers, Andrew Goudeaux, Jaegar Wesley, Ronald Steele, Dow Jones, Jacob Porte, Stephen Tristani, Joshua Jones, Kaemyn McAnulty, Jalen Giles, & Carter Malamphy. Thomas Zatalava was able to get in for a sack during one of the plays. Austin Goudeaux fell on the ball during one of our kick returns giving us good field position. On our offense we had carries from Alex Newman, Dymear Boyd, Jaegar, & Jalen. Alex scored our only TD and Cooper Reynolds recovered a fumbled ball from the Knights in the 1<sup>st</sup> half leaving the half time score at Jags 6 – Knights 7.

During half time our Jags did some serious soul searching and came out fighting. Our defense had tackles from Dustin, Jalen, Thomas, Jaegar, Carter, Ronald, Baby-D, & Dow. Our offense was on target. Our entire offensive line (Kaemyn, Thomas, Noah Dunn, Mason Kist, Andrew, Carter, Dustin, Alex, Jalen, Jaegar, Cooper, & Baby-D) blocked very well giving us the momentum we needed to score. We had carries from Jaegar, Jalen, Alex, & Kaemyn. Dominic Frontera fell on the ball during one of the kick returns giving the Jags good field position. Jalen caught a punt from the Knights returning it 25 yards for a TD. Jalen also ran in 2 more TD's during the 2<sup>nd</sup> half. Kaemyn caught a pass from Alex running it in for an extra 2 points. Jaegar ran in the ball for an extra point during the game and we ended the game with a score of Jags 27 – Knights 13. **WAY TO GO JAGS!!!** You really showed us what you are capable of. *You wanted the win and you got it.* Let's keep up our progress this week in practice and show Randallstown whose house they are in this weekend.

#### 6-8 Lady Jaguars

Captains, Abigail Bursler and Jaelyn Briney helped their squad bring plenty of spirit to Dundalk's game. The girls did a great job! Go Jaguars!!

#### Jaguar Merchandise

Jaguar merchandise and "fan wear" can be purchased through our website. A few samples are on display in the concession stand.

#### Extra Jersey's

There are a few extra jerseys available for purchase. Cost is \$50. Mostly youth sizes. These can be customized with your players name and number.

If you are interested please see Stacy Argo or Ros-Lyn Vicari at the garage before or after practice.

### PLEASE OBEY THE PARKING AND DROP OFF RULES

Parking, Stopping and Dropping Off continues to be a problem for a **FEW** of our families. The YMCA provides ample parking so you do not need to park in the street and parking is not permitted in the driveway next to the garage door.

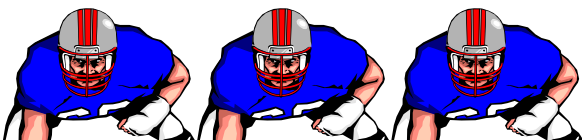
The safety of the children in our program is our top priority. In order to insure their safety we request that you **DO NOT Park, Stop, Drop off or Pick-up** your child(ren) in the street in front of the field **or in the circle**. Please park and walk your child to practice **or** loop around in front of the main building and drop off at the end of the building. **PLEASE DO DRIVE SLOWLY AND KEEP AN EYE OUT FOR OUR CHILDREN.** This is in affect during all practices and HOME games.

If this continues to be an issue we will have to resort to sitting players/cheerleaders during games. This is **NOT** the route we want to take but PARENTS you leave us few options if you continue to **IGNORE** the rules.

#### Football Players/Parents

It's mid-way through the season so take a few extra minutes to check your equipment. Shoulder pad straps should be taped so the ends don't fall off.

Screws/rivets tightened as needed and general cleaning of equipment should be done routinely. If you have any questions please see your coach or Jim Trice before or after practice.



### KEEP OUR CHILDREN SAFE