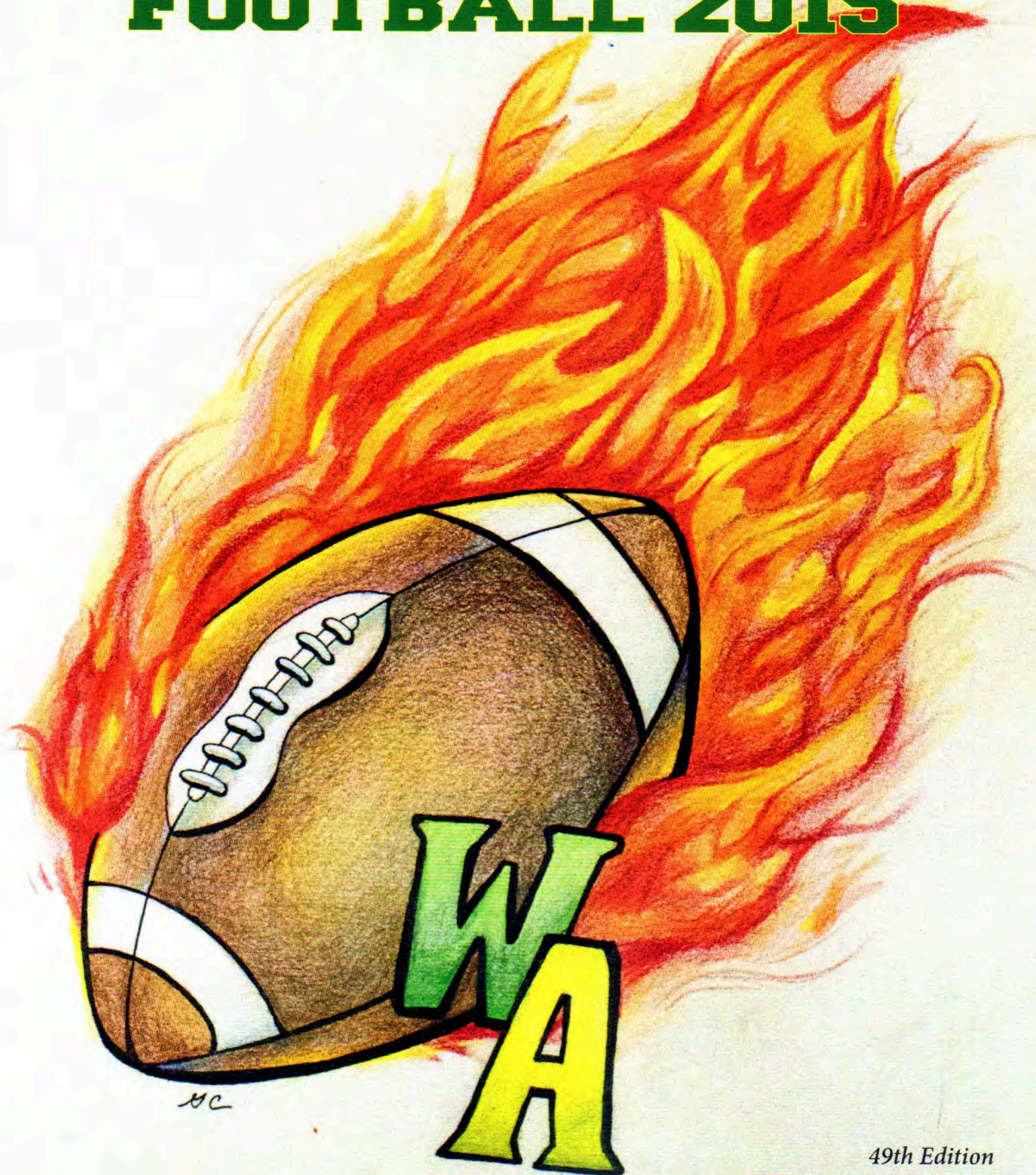


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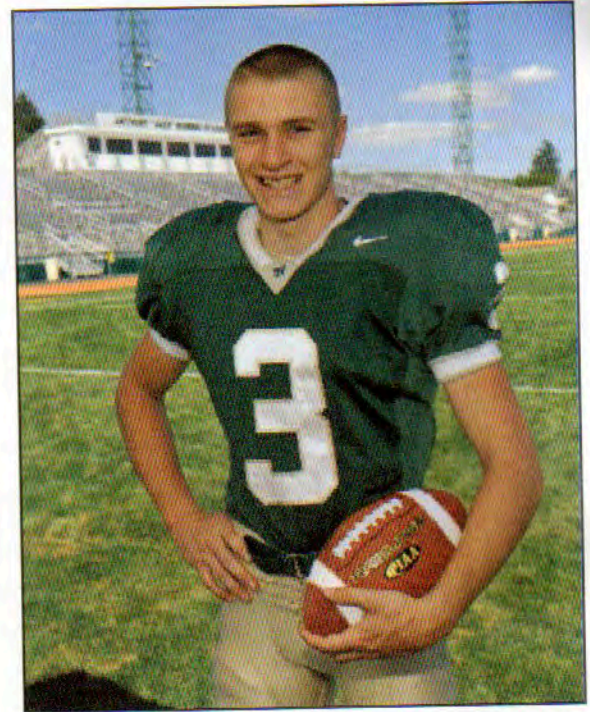
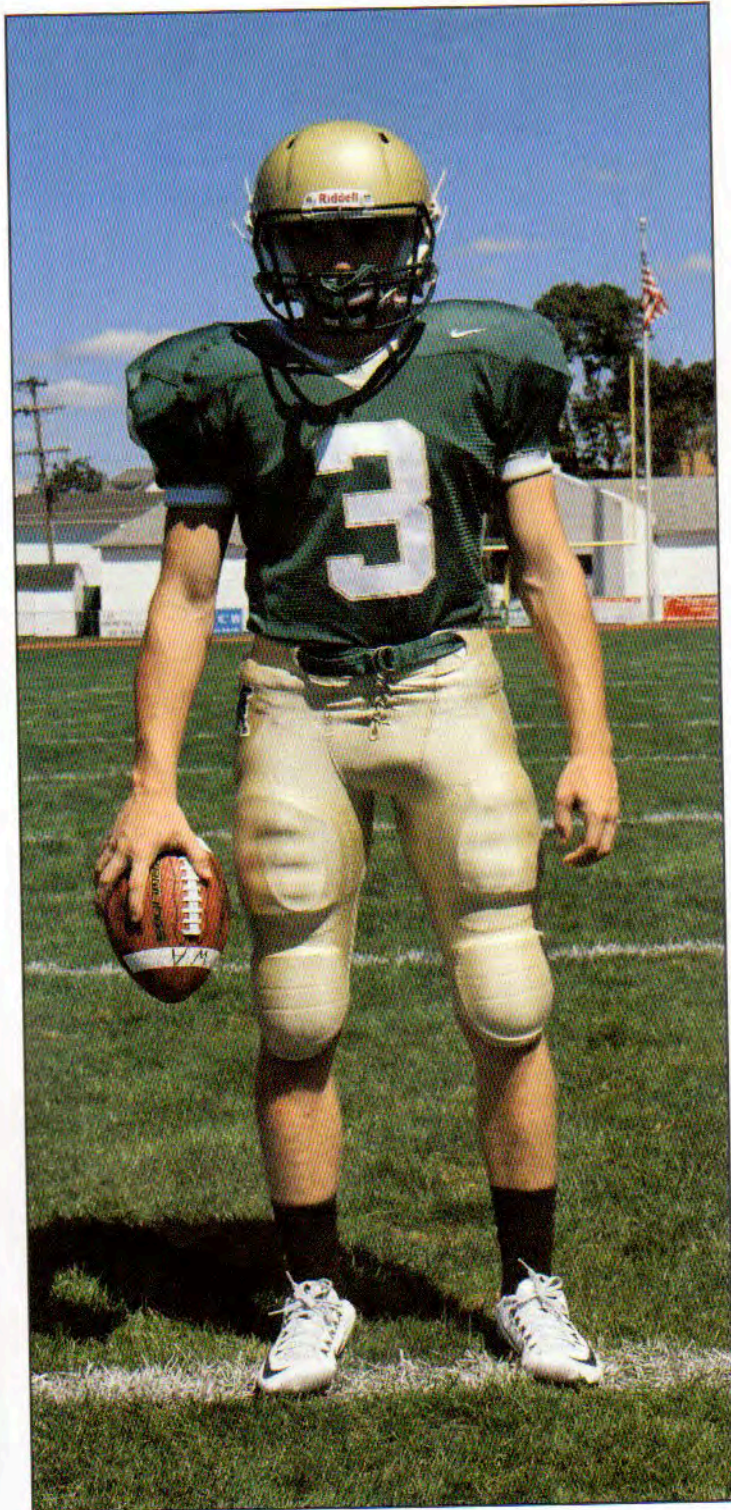


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WA Football Program

2015 Seniors

3 – Kyler Higgins – QB

The best thing Kyler's ever heard in the film room is the crumbling of chips between film clips. "That is Coach Fanti stealing food," he explains. And the most memorable thing he's heard a coach say? "You should be arrested for impersonating an athlete,"



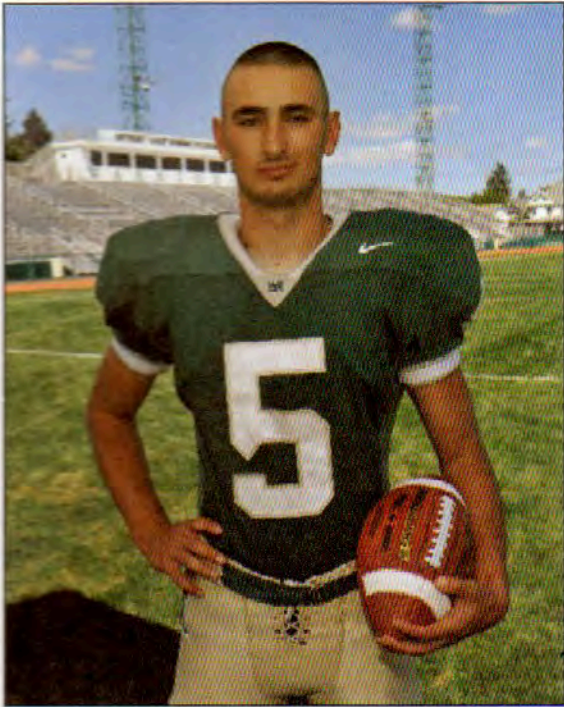
he responds with a smile. Kyler's favorite play is "blast right" because, he says, it is the only play that matters. And he doesn't have a least favorite drill. "I would never talk down on any of them." What he likes most about the Warrior football program is all the free clothing and food the players enjoy. And he doesn't have a favorite memory. "I plan on making it this year," he says.

After graduation, Kyler plans to attend college and study marine engineering and naval architecture.

Good luck, Kyler, and have a great 2015 season!

5 – Ryan Murray – WR

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When asked what he likes most about the Warrior football program, Ryan is quick to point out, “All the free stuff we get!” The best thing he’s heard in the film room? “You look like Coach Fanti out there!” His least favorite drill is “Kansas” because,

when the team runs it at practice, he knows he’s going to need to run it “about 30 times!”

The most memorable comment he’s ever heard from a coach? “Murray, you’re the worst football player on the planet!” And his best memory as a Warrior is the time Dave “passed out” when the team was getting smoked at practice. Ryan’s favorite play is “blast left” he explains, “Because when we run that, we don’t do ‘blast right.’”

After graduating, Ryan plans to attend Wilkes University where he will study engineering management and join the ROTC program.

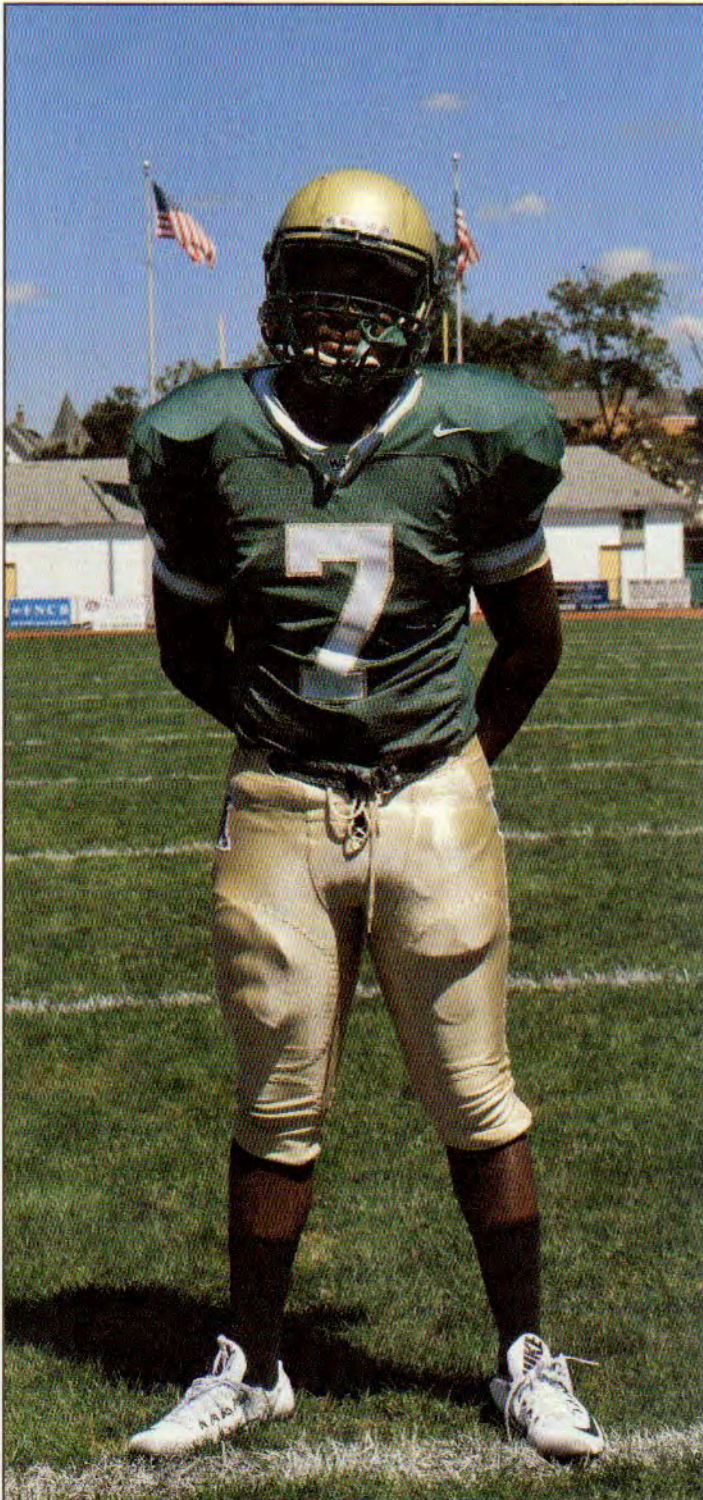
Good luck, Ryan!



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7 – Keith Pugh – RB

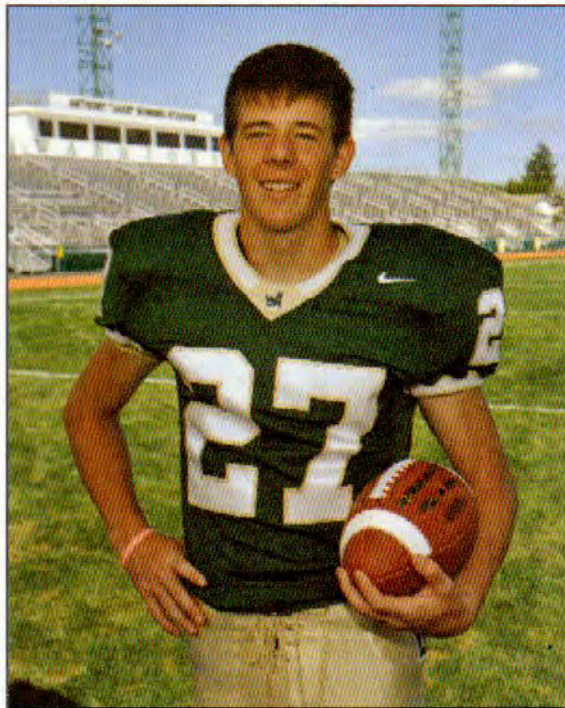
Keith's favorite play is "pitch" he says, "because there's no contact for about five yards." And he doesn't like the linebacker keys drill. "If you screw up and go the wrong way," he explains, "your life is over." And the most memorable comment he's



heard from a coach? "You look like MC Hammer going over those ropes!" What he likes most about the Warrior football program is how the team works with the community. And his fondest memory as a Warrior football player goes all the way back to his freshman year. "The announcer was calling me 'Poo' instead of 'Pugh,'" he says with a smile.

Keith agrees with his teammates when asked about the commentary in the film room. That comment about impersonating an athlete tops his list, he says.

After graduation, Keith plans to attend college. Good luck, Keith!



As the new guy on the team, David says he hasn't spent enough time in the film room to hear something memorable in the film room. He does expect, though, that when he does, it will probably come from either Coach Pizano or Coach Fanti.

David's favorite play, as you might guess, involve punts, kickoffs, extra points, and field goals. "The cheering of Warrior Nation after a good kick is awesome," he says.

David's best memory of the Warrior football program so far is kicking a 52-yard field goal at practice this year. "I can't wait to do that in a game!"

After graduation, David plans to attend college where he will major in nursing and play soccer.

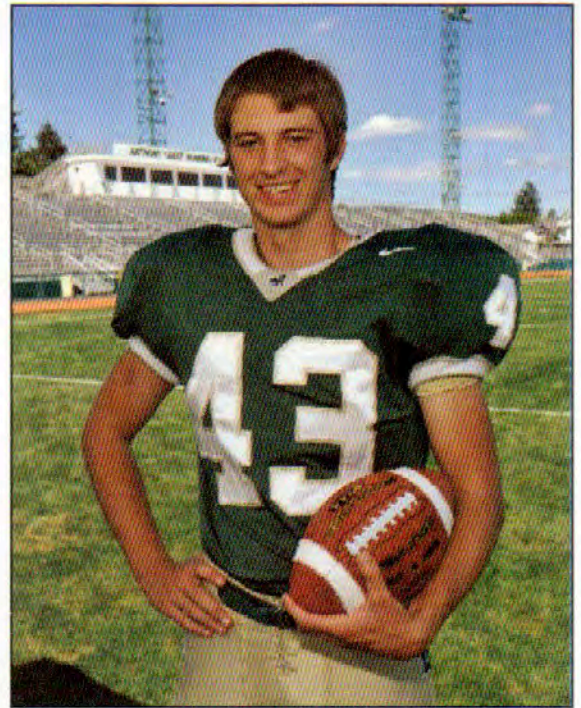
Good luck, David!



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43 – Blaise Erzar – TE

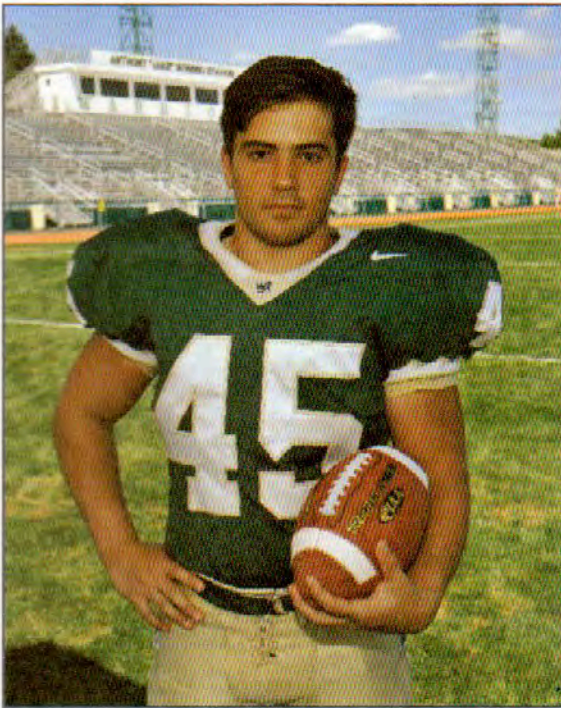
Blaise's favorite play is "blast," he says, "because it always seems to work." His least favorite practice drill is form tackling. "Everything has to be perfect when we do that," he explains. He enjoys being part of the Warrior football legacy and carrying on



the program. The most memorable comment he's heard from a coach? "The Sistine Chapel wasn't painted in a day." He doesn't have a single favorite memory as a Warrior football player but points out that he enjoys getting to know his teammates and having fun in the locker room. He says you can always tell how long practice will last because Coach Fanti's visor moves back on his head as practice progresses. And the best thing he's heard in the film room? "Great job!"

After graduation, Blaise plans to attend college.

Good luck, Blaise!



AJ says the most memorable thing he's heard in the film room is, "Your SAWFT son." His favorite play is "any play I'm in." To emphasize the point, he adds, "I don't like Kansas...because I'm not in it." His least favorite drill is blaster because, he

says, "I'm short and I get where I can't protect myself." AJ likes being part of the Warrior football tradition, and appreciates that the alumni and coaches continue traditions with the team.

AJ's favorite memory as a Warrior football player is the time he watched Coach Fanti run option. "I'll never forget that," he says with a laugh.

AJ's kind of quiet about his future plans, but he did say they include "getting big in the weight room."

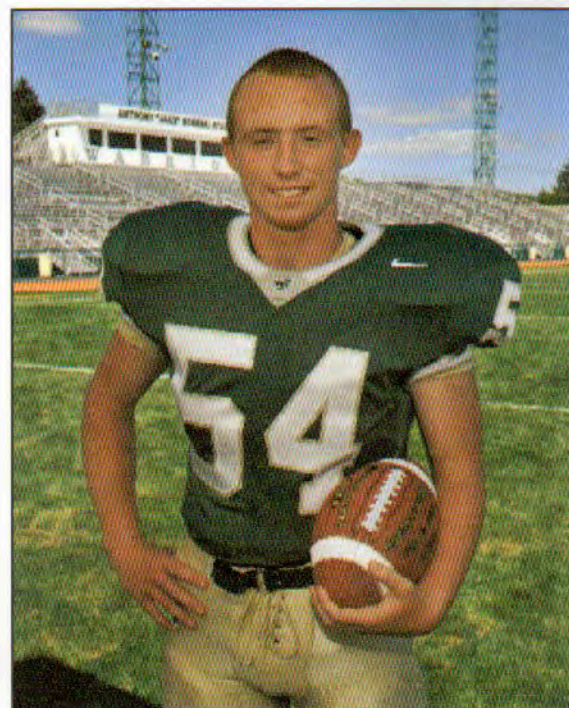
Good luck, AJ!



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54 – Paul Hager – G

Paul's favorite play is "pitch" to his side because, as he says, "I get to pull down the field and put a smack down on whoever gets in my way." He doesn't like the rake drill because he was doing that drill when he suffered his first concussion.

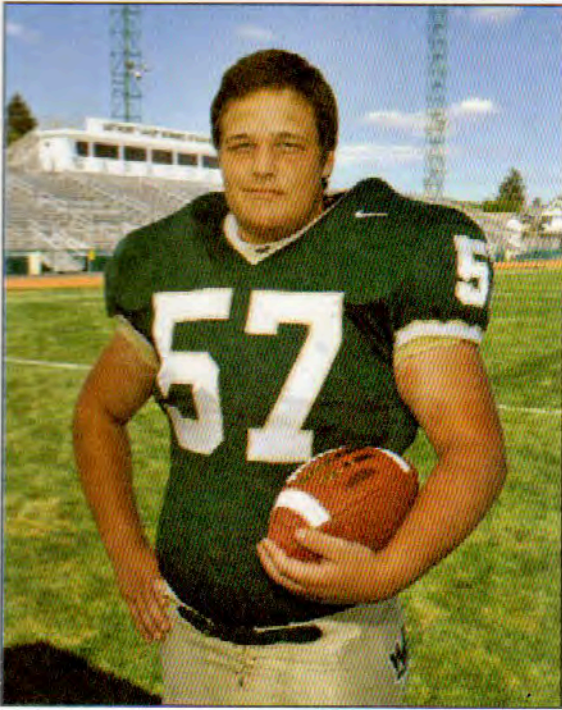


At the top of Paul's list of comments from coaches in the weight room? "You should be arrested for impersonating a football player." And the most memorable thing he's heard a coach say? "When Coach Spencer was jokingly opening for two chains as his whistle."

What Paul likes most about the Warrior football program is the opportunity to carry on the traditions and pride as a player. His best memory as a football player is suiting up in the locker room on Friday nights.

After graduation, Paul plans to enlist in the Army.

Good luck, Paul!



Mike doesn't think he'll forget about the coaches calling the team "SAWFT" anytime soon. His favorite play is "blast" because, "it's the only play we run," he says with a grin.

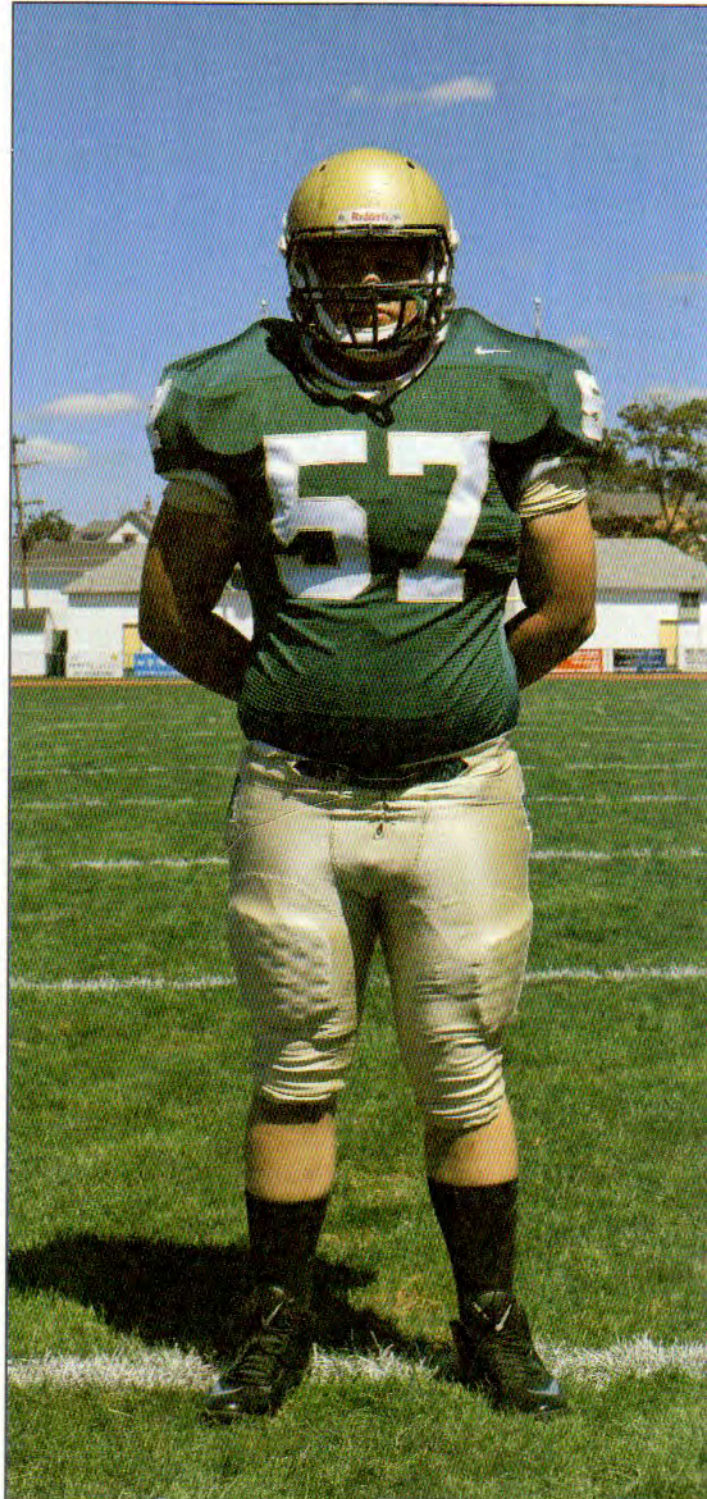
And his least favorite drill is the chutes because, he says, "they are long and annoying."

Mike says his best moments as a Warrior football player are just being in the games on Friday nights.

And his fondest memory goes back to last season when, he says, "We beat Dallas at the opening night for their new stadium."

After graduation, Mike's plans include training to become an underwater welder.

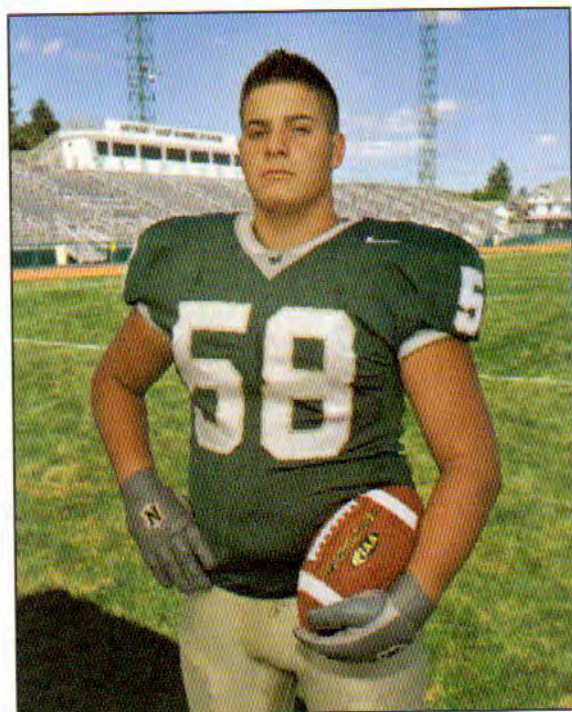
Good luck, Mike!



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58 – Frank Yurek – T

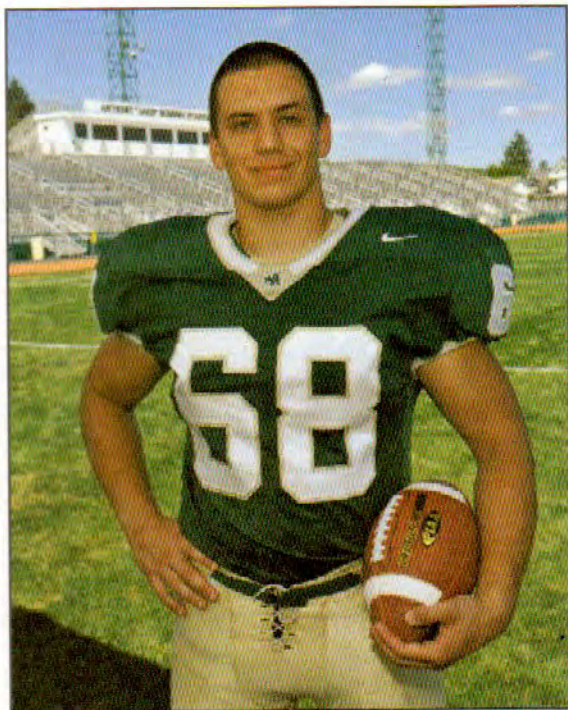
Frank's favorite play is when the team punts because, he says, "I'm not in it." He's heard a lot of stuff in the film room, and his favorite comment? "Our line can't block the sun on a cloudy day." His least favorite drill is the rake drill.



What Frank likes most about the Warrior football program is the pride that comes with being part of the football team.

His fondest memory as a Warrior player, he says, is winning the district title as a freshman in 2012. Frank says the the coaches say lots of memorable stuff, most especially Coach Fanti.

After graduation, Frank plans to attend college and continue his studies. Good luck, Frank!



Justin says his fondest memory as a Warrior football player goes back to his junior year when, as he says, “We smashed Pittston Area at the end of the season.” He likes to get physical on the field, he says. “The best games are those when we run

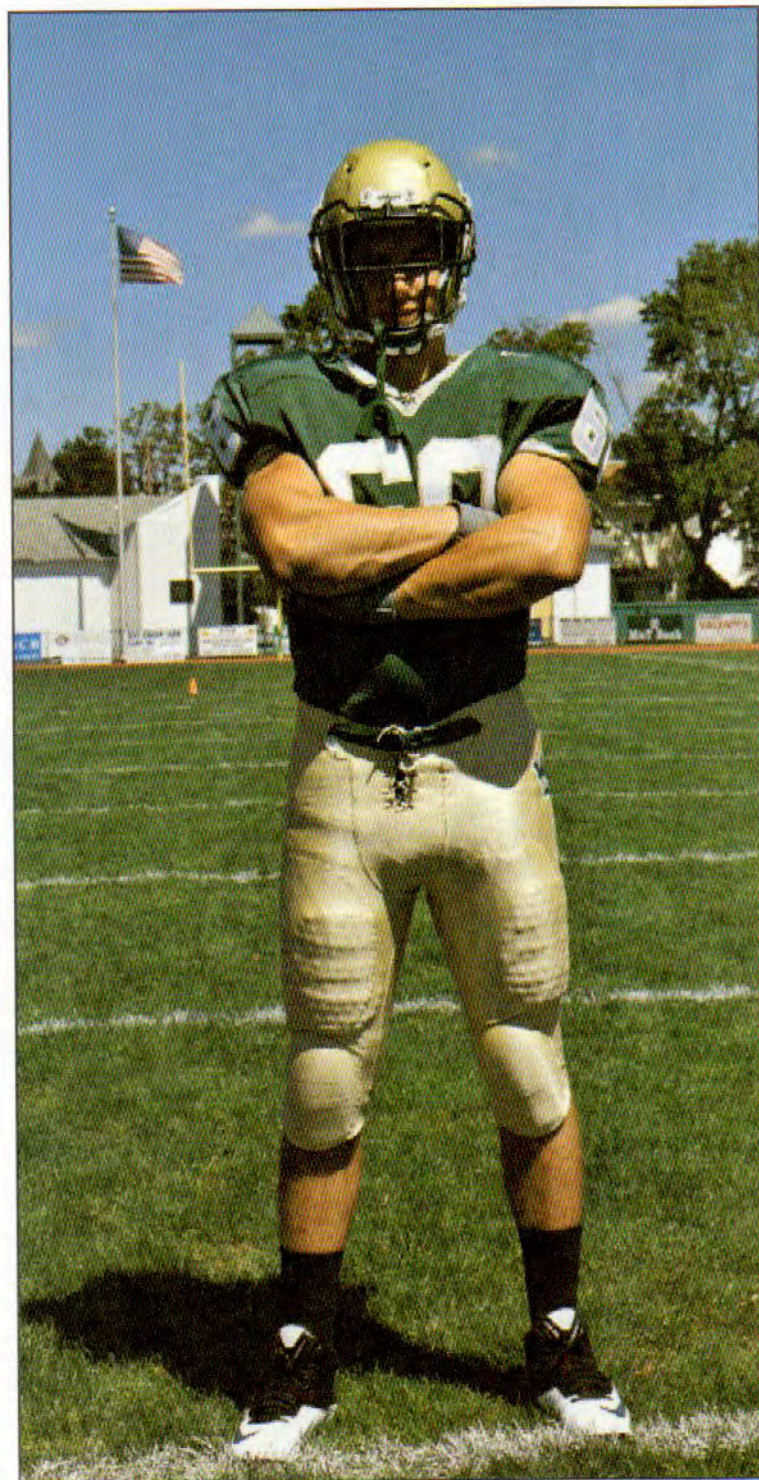
down the other team.”

The best thing Justin’s heard in the film room? “Are you legally blind son?!”

Justin’s favorite play is “dog left (bread and butter)” and his least favorite drill is the rake drill.

After graduation, Justin plans to “get big” so I guess he’ll be in the weight room lifting with AJ Ross.

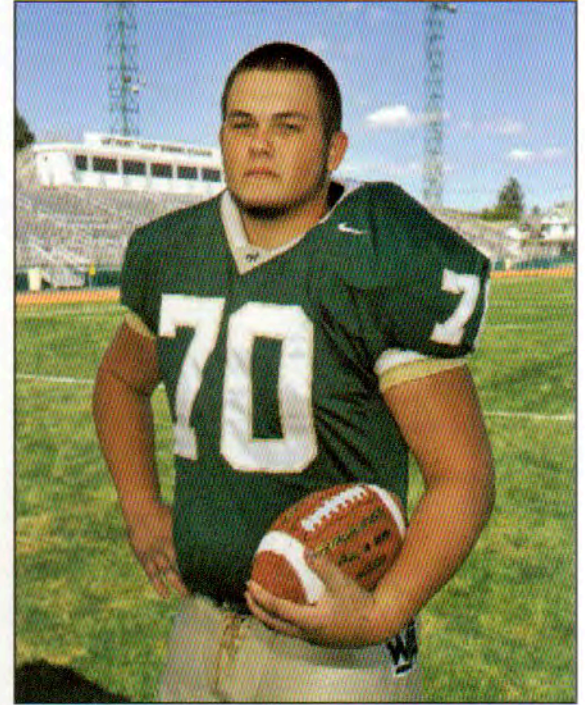
Good luck, Justin!



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70 – Dean Smith – T

Dean says the best thing he's heard in the locker room is, "Look at the circus elephants run down the field!" His favorite play is "blast" because it's Coach Fanti's favorite. And his least favorite drill is "up downs." Asked to elaborate, he simply



says, "It just isn't good. Up down's are rough."

The most memorable comment he's heard from a coach? Coach Fanti telling Jeff Hoover to get up after being wrecked during practice.

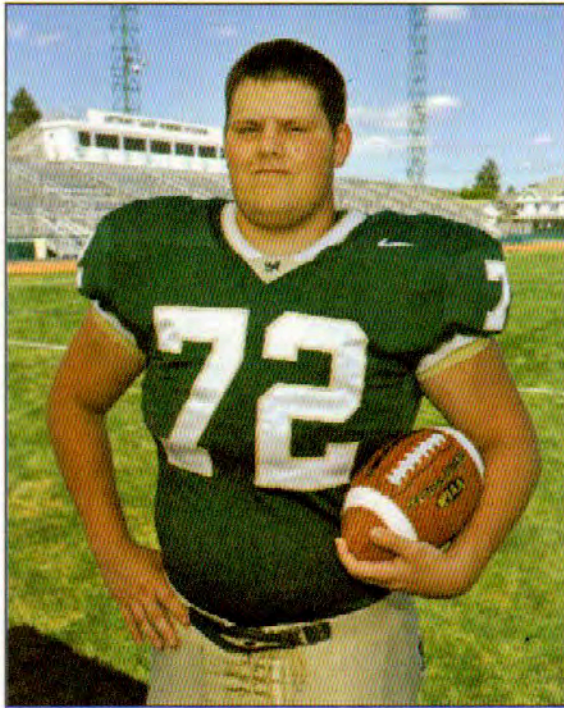
What Dean likes most about the Warrior football program is all the commentary provided by Coach Fanti during practices.

After graduation, Dean's plans include doing something great, being wildly successful, and winning.

Good luck, Dean!

72 – Joe Zaleppa – T

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Joe's favorite play is "blast right" because, he says half kidding, "It's a lineman's dream!" And the best thing he's heard in the film room? "Son, you need to move those tree trunk legs." When asked what he likes most about the Warrior football

Program, Joe says he likes the friendships and strong bonds he's made with his teammates. "It's like one big family." But like his teammates, he doesn't like the rake drill.

His fondest memories as a Warrior football player include beating Pittston Area last year at the end of the season. The most memorable comment from a coach? "We'll trick 'em with blast right," from Coach Fanti.

After graduation, Joe plans to have lots of good times.

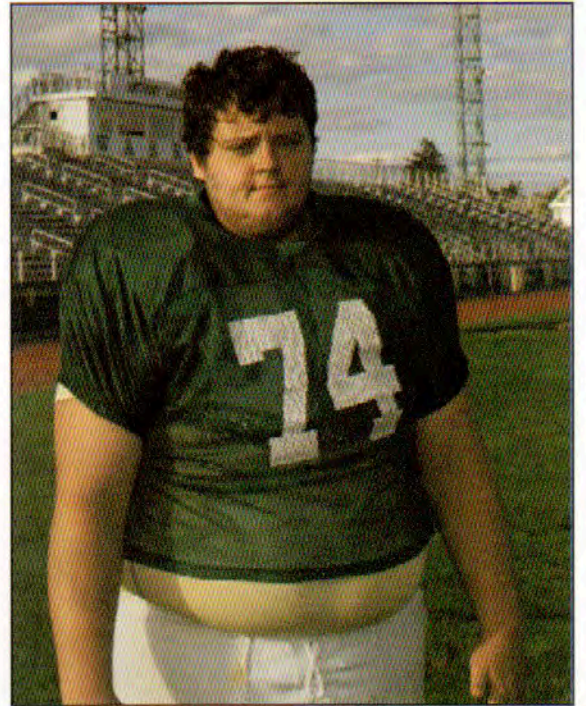
Good luck, Joe!



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Jeff says the best things he's heard from coaches in the film room are usually directed at him. "For example," he says, "Good block, Hoov." Jeff says his favorite play is blast, "because it's easy." He doesn't like the chutes, though, because

74 – Jeff Hoover – T

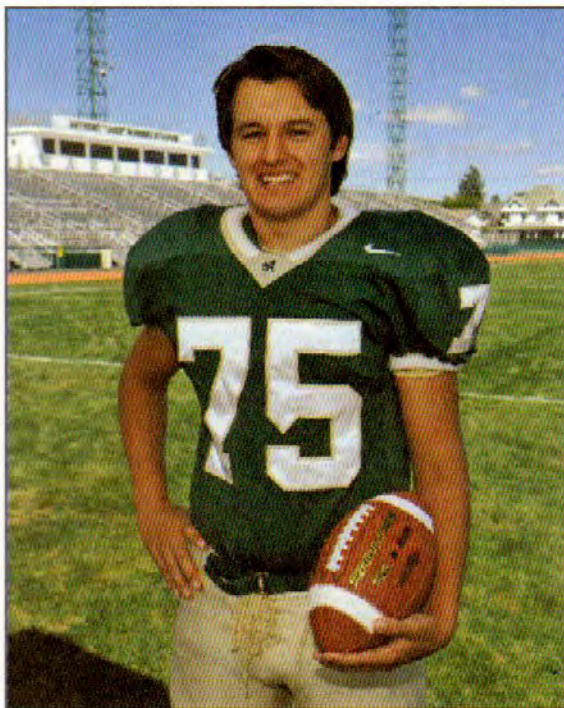


he ends up getting beat up.

When asked what he likes most about the Warrior football program, Jeff doesn't hesitate to point out all the free food the team enjoys. And his fondest memory as a Warrior football player is the 2012 district championship season.

After graduation, Jeff plans to begin a career as a construction worker.

Good luck, Jeff!



Jake says the best thing he's heard in the film room is, "Okay. Lights on. Bring it in." His favorite play, he says is dive right, "because I know what I'm doing on that one." However, his least favorite drill is "eye opener" because, "I'm too tired at

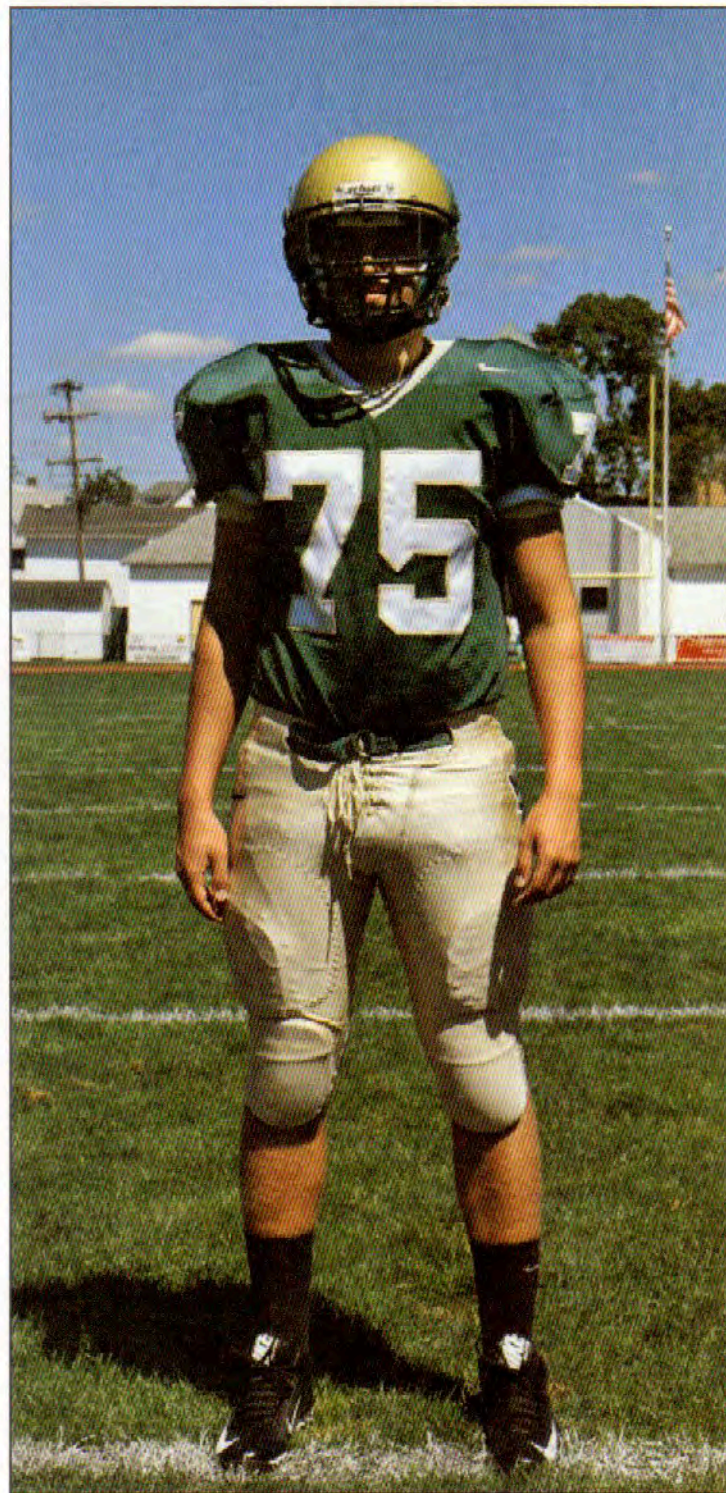
9:00 am to form tackle."

Jake's fondest memory as a Warrior football player is his first game. And when asked what he likes most about the Warrior football program, he responds without hesitation, "Everything."

Jake says the most memorable thing he's heard a coach say is, "Yarmey, you almost look like an athlete." And he adds jokingly, "Three up downs a day keep Coach away."

After graduation, Jake plans to attend college and continue his studies.

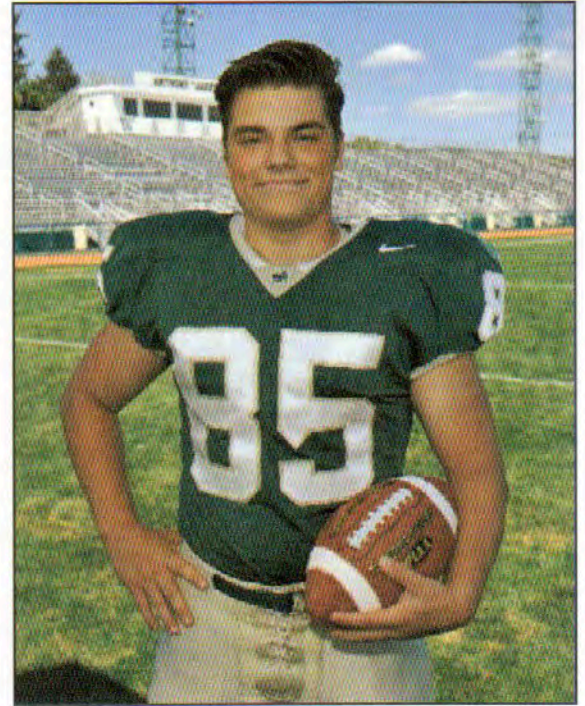
Good luck, Jake!



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85 – Mark Ostroski – WR

Mark's favorite play from the Warrior playbook is blast because, he says, "It always works." His least favorite drill is mesh, and he adds, "Gassers with Coach Loftus are the absolute worst."



Mark says the best thing he's heard in the film room is, "You should be arrested for impersonating an athlete!" Among the many quotes he's heard from coaches, his favorite is Coach Fanti calling him and his teammates "SAWFT."

Mark's fondest memory as a Warrior football player is the first day of summer conditioning in his senior year. And what he likes most about the Warrior football program is the comraderie among friends on the team.

After graduation, Mark says he's going to win and be successful.

Good luck, Mark!

2015 Varsity Warriors



Row 1: Dean Smith, Michael Ductor, Joe Zaleppa, Frank Yurek

Row 2: Blaise Erzar, Kyler Higgins, Jake Yarmey, Ryan Murray, Justin Steinberger, David Klaproth, Paul Hager

Row 3: Mark Ostroski, Keith Pugh, AJ Ross, Joe Mikolyczk, Robert Butwin, Dante DeLuca, Anthony Saitta

Row 4: Steve Homza, Tristan Sokach-Minnick, Kyle Carr, Ethan Crake, Justin Smith, Dylan Kostak, Antonio Koshinski, Jeff Urban

Row 5: Brandon Charney, Mitchell Higley, Tyler Demko, Andrew Bartoli, Adam Rivera, John Rubino, Brian Miles

Row 6: Noah Johnson, Matt Wycoski, Damon Barhight, PJ Angeli, Marc Minichello, Donovan O'Boyle, Justin Joseph, Blaise Ciampi

Row 7: Joe Pizano, Kim Pace, Ken Kopetchny, Randy Spencer, Mike Fanti, Tom Loftus, Fred Marianacci

Numeric Roster & Staff

#	Name	Pos	Ht	Wt	Gr
2	Steve Homza	QB	6'2"	165	11
3	Kyler Higgins	QB	6'0"	170	12
4	Mitchell Higley	WR	5'9"	155	11
5	Ryan Murray	WR	5'11"	165	12
7	Keith Pugh	RB	5'7"	175	12
10	Marc Minichello	RB	5'10"	165	10
11	Ethan Crake	WR	5'10"	150	11
12	PJ Angeli	QB	6'0"	180	10
14	Nick Heil	RB	5'9"	165	10
15	Shane Eslick	WR	5'9"	160	10
16	Anthony Saitta	WR	6'2"	175	11
19	Robert Trottni	WR	5'9"	155	10
21	Blaise Ciampi	WR	5'6"	135	10
22	Donovan O'Boyle	RB	5'8"	160	10
24	Brian Miles	RB	5'9"	195	11
27	David Klapproth	K	5'9"	170	12
30	Dante Deluca	TE	6'2"	200	11
33	Jeff Urban	WR	5'11"	160	11
38	Brandon Charney	RB	5'9"	160	11
41	Robert Butwin	WR	6'1"	170	11
43	Blaise Erzar	RB	6'0"	185	12
44	James Eslick	RB	5'9"	175	11
45	AJ Ross	RB	5'8"	175	12
47	Justin Joseph	RB	5'7"	185	10
52	John Rubino	G	5'9"	240	11
53	Joe Mikoliczuk	T	6'1"	225	11
54	Paul Hager	G	5'10"	180	12
56	Noah Johnson	T	6'1"	250	10
57	Michael Ductor	T	6'3"	285	12
58	Frank Yurek	T	6'0"	250	12
62	Andrew Bartoli	C	5'7"	185	11
63	Antonio Koshinski	G	5'9"	230	11
68	Justin Steinberger	C	6'0"	225	12
70	Dean Smith	T	6'3"	250	12
71	Adam Rivera	T	5'10"	265	11
72	Joe Zaleppa	T	6'1"	270	12
73	Damon Barhight	G	5'11"	235	10
74	Jeff Hoover	T	6'4"	330	12
75	Jake Yarmey	G	5'10"	180	12
76	Matt Wycoski	T	6'1"	210	9
80	Kyle Carr	TE	6'1"	200	11
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89	Dylan Kostak	TE	6'0"	210	11
99	Justin Smith	TE	5'11"	205	11

Head Coach

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Tom Campenni
Kim Pace
Joe Pizano
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WA	17	Valley West	42
WA	13	Scranton Prep	42
WA	21	North Pocono	26
WA	49	Tunkhannock Area	6
WA	32	Crestwood	7
WA	10	Berwick	22
WA	6	Dallas	17
WA	24	Coughlin	27
WA	16	Wallenpaupack	27
WA	42	Pittston Area	10
Totals	230		226
AVG	23.0		22.6