



Last Game: (G8) St. Joseph's W 27-25

Next Game: (G9) NJSIAA Playoff – RD 1
Opponent, Date and Time TBA

Players of the Game – (G7) South Plainfield
As selected by WoodbridgeFootball.com



OVERALL Player of the Game

Nathan Lanier - 7 Carries for 36 Yards, with a Long of 19 Yards. 4 Receptions for 37 Yards, with a Long of 13 Yards. 2 Kick Off Returns for 26 Yards with a Long of 16 Yards. 3 Tackles, 3 Assisted Tackles with 1 Tackle for a Loss, and .5 Sack for -3 Yards.

OFFENSIVE Players of the Game

Nathan Lanier - 7 Carries for 36 Yards, with a Long of 19 Yards. 4 Receptions for 37 Yards, with a Long of 13 Yards.

Tracy Fudge - 16 Completions for 156 Yards with a Long of 39 Yards.

DEFENSIVE Players of the Game

Marquan Payne - 9 Assisted Tackles with 1 Tackle for a Loss, and 1 Hurried.

James Modica - 3 Tackles, 6 Assisted Tackles with 1 Tackle for a Loss, .5 Sack for -8 Yards, and 1 Pass Defended.

Dylan Leone - 8 Assisted Tackles.

Nick Nyers - 7 Assisted Tackles, and .5 Sack for -8 Yards.

SPECIAL TEAMS Player of the Game

Harry Rutkowski - 1 Field Goal made from 29 Yards. 1 Kick Off for 60 Yards and a Touchback.

Gameday Predictions

By WoodbridgeFootball.com: October 25, 2015 Heart, and the Will to Win!

The Friday night loss to South Plainfield 12-3, dropped the Woodbridge Barrons from a 5th place berth in the NJSIAA, NJ2-G4, to 7th place. The opportunity to establish a 4th, 5th or 6th place berth is out the window. The question now is, can you hold onto the 7th place? Short of the 3rd through 6th place teams imploding, there is no up room available.

Middletown South will finish with a 1st place berth followed by Phillipsburg in 2nd. Neither team is going to change.

Colonia in 3rd place, at home, has a great shot at defeating New Brunswick, and Sayreville in 4th place, at home as well, will soundly defeat East Brunswick to remain in the mix.



Summit in 5th place will defeat Rahway and should solidify their berth. But Middletown North in 6th place has two games remaining and should run the table. If so, they may jump up two or three slots.

North Hunterdon, in 8th place, will be defeated by 7-0 Bridgewater-Raritan at home.

A win on Saturday at St Joseph (Metuchen) will lock in a playoff berth for Woodbridge. The Falcons are coming off of a 14-10 loss to Colonia, but still possess an overall record of 3-3. Their wins and losses, came against the same teams as the Barrons.

Common ground indicates both teams are equally comparable. So what will push one team over the other? The simple answer is, heart and the will to win! Understanding the fact that Woodbridge has some injury issues, Saturday will require just such an exhibition. Often a huge heart combined with the will to win is more powerful than the talent on the field.

One last thought. A win by 9th place West Windsor-Plainsboro North over Ewing, combined with a Woodbridge loss to St Joseph will more than likely eliminate or drop the Barrons into 8th place.

With that said...

Woodbridge 17 – St Joseph 14

By Greg Tufaro - MyCentralJersey.com
 October 29, 2015

No. 8 Woodbridge (4-3) at No. 9 St. Joseph (3-3), 1 p.m.: The Falcons currently sit in the 10th position in Non-Public Group IV with 45 power points, 43 fewer than eighth-place Paramus Catholic. A loss to Woodbridge will eliminate St. Joseph from the playoff picture. Even with wins over Woodbridge and New Brunswick next weekend, St. Joseph may still need some outside help to qualify. Despite dropping its last three games, Woodbridge currently has the seventh most power points in North 2 Group IV. The Barrons will solidify but not necessarily secure a playoff berth with a victory over St. Joseph.

St. Joseph 23-22.

By Chris Ryan | NJ Advance Media for NJ.com on
 October 29, 2015

(winning team in bold)

Woodbridge at St Joseph

Coach Borden's Week Four Predictions
 October 28, 2015

(winning team in bold)

Woodbridge at **St Joseph**

WHS Administration's Game Day Predictions
 October 29, 2015

Principal - Mr. Lottmann

Woodbridge 20 – St Joseph 14

Vice Principal - Mr. Hasan

Woodbridge over St Joseph

Vice Principal - Mr. Connelly

Woodbridge over St Joseph

GMC FOOTBALL TOP 10

Greg Tufaro, @GregTufaro October 25, 2015

GMC TOP 10

1. South Brunswick (6-1): Phil Campbell rushed for 105 yards and scored three first-half touchdowns as the Vikings defeated Edison 43-14 for their sixth straight victory since opening the season with a loss to undefeated Middletown South. South Brunswick can win the Red Division with a victory over Piscataway. Next: Piscataway, Friday, 7 p.m.

2. New Brunswick (7-0): Maurice Ffrench rushed 19 times for 164 yards and backfield mate Samad Davila had 145 rushing yards on 20 carries as the Zebras rolled to a 38-28 win over Freehold Township. New Brunswick can win the White Division with a victory over Colonia. Next: at Colonia, Friday, 7 p.m.



3. Old Bridge (4-2): With its only losses to South Brunswick and Brick Memorial, the Knights were idle after rallying for a 28-21 win over Sayreville. Next: Monroe, Friday, 7 p.m.

4. Sayreville (4-3): Brandon Cenci's first career field goal – a 20-yarder with eight seconds left – lifted the Bombers, who received 228 passing yards from Jayson DeMild, to a thrilling 23-21 victory over Piscataway. Sayreville's losses are to South Brunswick, Old Bridge and defending Central Group 5 champion Manalapan. Next: East Brunswick, 7 p.m.

5. Piscataway (5-1): Elijah Barnwell rushed 21 times for 172 yards and three touchdowns in a heartbreaking 23-21 loss to Sayreville. Piscataway, whose wins have been against foes with a combined 9-24 record, will face the No. 2 and No. 3 ranked teams in consecutive weeks. Next: at South Brunswick, Friday, 7 p.m.

6. Colonia (5-2): Chase Barneys, completed 7 of 19 passes for 73 yards, including the game-winner to Tyler Santos in the fourth quarter, and also rushed 20 times for 107 yards in a 14-10 comeback win over St. Joseph. The Patriots can win the White Division title with victories over New Brunswick and South Plainfield. Next: New Brunswick, 7 p.m.

7. South Plainfield (5-1): Jason Lee scored on an 84-yard reception and a 36-yard run to finish with 231 yards of total offense as the Tigers erased a three-point fourth-quarter deficit en route to a 12-3 win over Woodbridge. The Tigers remain in the race for the White Division title, but they need to defeat Perth Amboy and Colonia and need Colonia and St. Joseph to defeat New Brunswick. Next: at Perth Amboy, Friday, 7 p.m.

8. Woodbridge (4-3): The injury-plagued Barrons, who were limited to 13 rushing yards but did muster 167 more through the air as Tracy Fudge completed 17 of 30 passes, endured their third consecutive defeat. Next: at St. Joseph, 1 p.m.



9. St. Joseph (3-3): A tremendous defensive effort, including a goal-line stand, was not enough, as St. Joseph's offense sputtered in a 14-10 loss to Colonia. Next: Woodbridge, 1 p.m.

10. Metuchen (6-1): Fabian Maragh recorded 2.5 sacks, a quarterback knockdown that resulted in a Shamar Serieux interception and a pair of tipped passes, the second of which led to a Jarret Sims interception, in Metuchen's 36-0 blanking of Mater Dei. The Bulldogs can clinch the Blue Division title with a win over defending champion Spotswood on Nov. 7. Next: Bye.

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GMC RANKINGS

Week 8

1-South Brunswick (6-1)

2-New Brunswick (7-0)

3-Old Bridge (5-2)

4-Sayreville (4-3)

5-Piscataway (5-1)

6-South Plainfield (5-1)

7-Colonia (5-2)

8-Woodbridge (4-3)



9-St. Joseph (4-3)

10-Metuchen (6-1)

Injury-plagued Woodbridge football holds off St. Joseph

Anthony Colucci, CORRESPONDENT 10 p.m. EDT
October 31, 2015

METUCHEN - Playing without four starters, Woodbridge had a tough task for themselves Saturday versus St. Joseph at The Brenner Family Field. But the Barrons (5-3) overcame the injury bug and some late game heroics by the Falcons to come away with a 27-25 win and to keep their playoff hopes alive.

“The kids didn’t quit. They had a lot of heart and picked each other up every time someone was down. We all kept our cool and that’s something you need to do heading into the postseason. We needed this one to get into the playoffs.”



With 2:16 to play and Woodbridge leading 20-18, St. Joseph defensive back Mitchel Epstein picked off Barrons quarterback Tracy Fudge around midfield to give the Falcons another chance at taking the lead. On the first play of the ensuing drive, the Falcons executed a hook-and-ladder play to perfection with quarterback Paul Coccoziello throwing a 15-yard pass to Epstein, who lateraled the ball to sophomore running back Emmanuele Resto, who ran in the touchdown from 35 yards downfield.

The Barrons then took over at their own 27-yard line with 1:59 to play. With the help of some favorable penalties, Fudge marched the Woodbridge offense down the field inside the St. Joseph ten-yard line. After three defensive stands by the Falcons, including a near interception by Alister Murray, Fudge found a tightly covered Quasim Glover, who juggled the ball in the endzone for a four-yard touchdown with only eight seconds left in the game.

“I was just trying to lead my team to a win, Fudge said. “My coaches trust me to throw the ball and going up against that defense, it was hard. We just took care of what we needed to do to get the win.”



“In big time moments, you need to make big time plays, Glover said. “The ball was in my area and I’m taught to go up and get it.

“We belong in those situations and if we want to be in those situations, we can’t let pressure be a factor for us. When we went down, we didn’t let that affect us. We knew what the goal was and we responded.”

Fudge was 17-of-28 for 173 yards and two touchdowns. Glover finished with six receptions for 58 yards.

Without junior running back Keshawn Henry, the Barrons had to turn to seniors Ian Maina and Nathan Lanier to carry the load running the ball. Maina collected 93 yards on 11 carries, including a 55-yard touchdown in the third quarter. Lanier ran for 31 yards on eight carries.

“All week in practice we knew that we had to step up but we prepared for this,” said Fudge. “It was next man up and we just took care of business.”



Senior James Modica also added five receptions for 58 yards and senior Nathan Lanier chipped in three for 42 yards for a Woodbridge offense that amassed 323 net yards.



Early in the fourth quarter, after Modica returned an interception 56 yards for a touchdown, Woodbridge held a seemingly commanding 21-10 lead. The Falcons however responded with two game-changing touchdowns, one being a 35-yard pass from Coccoziello to sophomore Jonathan Sot and the other the hook-ladder.

Coccoziello finished the day 5-of-14 for 189 yards; all of his completions were for more than ten yards and two of them were for 50+ yards. Coccoziello also ran for a touchdown and a two-point conversion. Sot caught two passes for 67 yards and kicked a 35-yard field goal in the second quarter.

“St. Joe’s did a phenomenal job. That was a great football team and a great staff. We were two good teams playing for a lot of pride out here. What an outstanding football game.”

WOODBIDGE 0-7-7-13—27

ST. JOSEPH 0-10-0-15—25

W - Lanier 26 pass from Fudge (Rutkowski kick)

SJ – Coccoziello 1 run (Sot kick)

W – Maina 55 run (Rutkowski kick)

W – Modica 65 interception (Rutkowski kick)

SJ – Sot 35 pass from Coccoziello (Coccoziello run)

W – Glover 4 pass from Fudge (Rutkowski kick)
 INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Rushing – W: Maina 11-93, Lanier 8-31, Daniels 4-12, Payne 2-2, Glover 1-2, Fudge 5-minus 19; SJ: Yakely 14-63, Resto 4-42, Papa 9-26, Coccoziello 4-minus 13

Passing – W: Fudge 17-28-1-173; SJ: Coccoziello 5-14-0-189

Receiving – W: Glover 6-58, Modica 5-58, Lanier 3-42, Bork 2-18, Daniels 1-minus 3; SJ: Sot 2-67, Epstein 2-20, McDuffie 1-51

Woodbridge (27) at St. Joseph (Met.) (25) – Football

By The Star Ledger on October 31, 2015 10:22 PM

Final:

Woodbridge 27

St. Joseph (Met.) 25

With eight seconds remaining, Woodbridge’s Tracy Fudge connected on a four-yard touchdown pass to Quassim Glover to lift Woodbridge past St. Joseph (Met.), 27-25, in Metuchen.



Woodbridge drove 73 yards down the field in 1:51 on the last drive. St. Joseph kicker Jonny Sot knocked down a 35-yard field goal to cut Woodbridge’s lead to 7-3 in the



second quarter. Then with 29 seconds remaining in the half, QB Paul Coccozziello punched in a score from inside the one-yard line to give St. Joseph a 10-7 lead at the half.

With 52 seconds remaining in the third quarter, Woodbridge capped off a 98-yard drive with a 55-yard score from Ian Maina. Woodbridge left 14-10 after three quarters.



Woodbridge took a 21-10 lead with 10:59 remaining after James Modica intercepted Coccozziello for a pick-six. St. Joseph cut the deficit to 21-18 after Coccozziello completed a 35-yard TD pass to Sot.

After back and forth action, St. Joseph's took a 25-21 lead after Coccozziello threw a 15-yard pass to Mitch Epstein before Epstein lateraled to Manny Resto who took it into the end zone for a 36-yard score.

Fudge finished 17 of 28 for 173 yards and two touchdowns. Glover finished with six receptions for 58 yards. Modica had five receptions for 58 yards and a 65-yard interception return.

For St. Joseph, Maina collected 93 yards on 11 carries and Coccozziello finished 5 of 14 for 189 yards - with all of his completions totaling more than 10 yards - and two of them for 50+ yards.

Power Points! It isn't over yet!

By WoodbridgeFootball.com November 1, 2015

First and foremost, the good news is Woodbridge has secured a NJSIAA, NJ2-G4 Playoff berth! Regardless of the games next week, the Woodbridge Barrons are in and no teams behind them have the potential to surpass their PP total and push them out.

The less than good news is, the Barrons will have to travel. More than likely, it's going to be to Phillipsburg for a rematch of last season Playoff game.

There is the potential for as many as 7 Residual PPs being credited to Woodbridge at the conclusion of next weeks games, however, those PP wouldn't be enough to change their position for the Playoffs.

Bishop Ahr and Perth Amboy face off on November 6 in PA. Since the Barrons defeated both teams during the regular season, they will harvest 3 PPs from the winner, and 0 from the loser of this game. Plus 3 guaranteed!

South Plainfield offers 1 PP if they defeat the Patriots in Colonia. We get no residual PP from Colonia because this is their 9th game, and PP are calculated on the first 8 games played. It's either 1 or 0 PPs here.

Last is St Joseph. If the Falcons defeat New Brunswick (7-1), the Barrons gather 3 PPs. There will be no PPs from the Zebras as per the same rule as Colonia. Here, it's either 3 or 0 PPs.

So count them up! There are 3 guaranteed, and 4 in limbo!

GAMES	WOODBIDGE RESULT	WIN POINTS	GROUP POINTS	OPPONENT	GROUP	G1	G2	G3	G4	G5	G6	G7	G8	RESIDUAL POINTS FOR LOSS	RESIDUAL POINTS FOR WIN	TOTAL FOR OPPONENT		
G1	W 26-6	6	3	CARTERET	3	L	L	L	W	L	L	L	L	1	3	12		
G2	W 36-7	6	3	BISHOP AHR	3	L	L	L	W	L	W	W	W	2	9	14		
G3	W 41-13	6	4	COLTS NECK	4	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	W	1	9	13		
G4	W 33-0	6	5	PERTH AMBOY	5	L	L	L	L	L	W	L	W	1	9	14		
G5	L 12-20	6	5	NEW BRUNSWICK	5	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	L	5	18	6		
G6	L 27-26	6	4	COLONIA	4	W	W	W	L	L	W	W	W	5	15	5		
G7	L 12-3	6	3	SOUTH PLAINFIELD	3	W	L	W	W	W	W	W	W	5	15	5		
G8	W 30-15	6	4	ST JOSEPH	4	L	L	W	W	W	L	L	W	3	9	19		
																TOTAL	88	
																COLONIA PATRIOTS - (G6)	MINUS	-5
																BEST SEVEN	83	



Here is the way I see the final positions panning out.

- 1 – Middletown South, 142 PPs, with one game left to earn 28+ PPs.
- 2 – Phillipsburg, 120 PPs, with one game left to earn 10+ PPs, not enough to surpass MS.
- 3 – Colonia, 121 PPs, with a handful of residuals, not enough to surpass P’burg.
- 4 – Sayreville, 104 PPs, with a handful of residuals, not enough to surpass Colonia.
- 5 – Middletown North, 90 PPs, with one game to add 23+ PPs. Surpasses Summit.
- 6 – Summit, 96 PPs, with a handful of residuals, falls behind MN.
- 7 – Woodbridge, 83PPs, with 3 to 7 potential PPs on the table. Remains the same.
- 8 – West Windsor – Plainsboro South, 80 PPs, with a handful of residuals, not enough to jump up.

Bracket B:
 Woodbridge (7) will travel to Phillipsburg (2)
 Summit (6) will travel to Colonia (3)

**Power Point Standings
 North 2, Group 4**

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Please note: as per the NJSIAA's official power points formula, "The power ranking system will be the sum total of the best seven (7) of their eight (8) completed games played up to and including the cut-off date."

Each team's points total listed below will link to its power points calculations page.

Team	W	L	T	Power Points
Middletown South	7	0	0	142.0
Colonia	6	2	0	121.0
Phillipsburg	6	1	0	120.0
Sayreville	5	3	0	104.0
Summit	5	3	0	96.0
Middletown North	5	2	0	90.0
Woodbridge	5	3	0	83.0
West Windsor-Plainsboro North	4	4	0	80.0
North Hunterdon	3	5	0	69.0
Princeton	4	4	0	67.0
Irvington	3	5	0	63.0
Millburn	4	3	0	60.0
Long Branch	2	6	0	45.0
JFK (Iselin)	1	7	0	33.0
Scotch Plains-Fanwood	0	8	0	25.0
West Windsor-Plainsboro South	0	8	0	21.0

Bracket A:
 West Windsor – Plainsboro (8) will travel to Middletown South (1)
 Middletown North (5) will travel to Sayreville (4)