

## Reports for games of Nov. 6:

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### **Tigard Varsity White 24, Southridge Black 0**

The 8-0 Tigard Varsity White took on the Southridge Varsity Black for their first playoff game of the post season. The teams met in the pouring rain at Aloha High School.

Kick off commenced at 8:15 pm in the rain that never let up and pounded harder throughout the game. Tigard received the ball from an onside kick and David Johnson recovered the ball on the Tigers 40 yard line. Sam Inos got the first eight carries moving the ball steady down the field, averaging 8 yards a carry, to the Skyhawks 12-yard line.

On a quarterback keeper Brady McGetrick moved the ball to the half yard line. Inos got the ball and on a sweep to the right ran in for the Tigers first TD of the game. With 5:28 left in the quarter the PAT was good with McGetrick knocking the ball straight up through the uprights for an early 8-0 lead. Tigard defense was fierce with Brandon Baker, Bryan Baker and McGetrick all making key tackles in the first quarter.

Brett Jackson got in on tough Tigard team tackle which left him injured with a broken collar bone and out of the game for the remainder of the season. More great defensive play was done by Cary Watts, Bradon Dodak, Kevin Henderson and Sam Averette.

Second quarter saw Inos making more positive yardage runs up the middle and out to the flat. Behind great offensive blocking by Marcos Vermelho and the whole O-line, Inos continued to move the ball down the field to the Skyhawks 8 yard line. Averette got the hand off and ran to the right and into the end zone for another Tigard touchdown. With 5:34 left in the half McGetrick's PAT kick was perfect, as usual, and good for a 14-0 score. On the kick off Brandon Long and Averette stopped Southridge on their 30 yard line.

Dorian Grimes and Johnson along with the rest of the defense continued to make great tackling plays. Tigard took over on downs and Brady connected with Gogal on a nice pass moving the ball to the Skyhawks 46 yard line. After several plays Tigard had a rare punt to the Skyhawks 15 yard line. Vermelho, the Baker brothers and Jake Sanders put in stellar defensive plays to force Southridge to punt once again. McGetrick recovered the ball and moved it to the Skyhawks 41. McGetrick connected Kevin Henneman on first down moving the ball to the 37.

Inos got the handoff and ran up the middle to the 20. With .07 seconds left in the half McGetrick connected with Gogal on a 20 yard pass down the sideline into the end zone for another Tigard touchdown. McGetrick's third PAT for the game was straight through the uprights and Tigers ended the half 24-0.

The second half of the game saw Inos out on an injury. Watts, Averette and Dylan Osborne all stepped up putting in great offensive plays. The Skyhawks never backed down and the Tigers continued strong defensive plays by Johnson, the Bakers, Grimes, Vermelho and the rest of the team. Fourth quarter saw Coach Hanson working the clock to his favor running on every down.

Watts and Averette continued to rack up positive yardage to keep the ball and clock moving. The end of the game saw McGetrick with an interception and the Tigers running the clock out. After the game Coach Hanson stated, "This is awesome, the team played awesome and I'm proud of what our players have accomplished." After clipping the wings of the Skyhawks 24-0 the Tigers take on the Sherwood Knights at Tigard High, on Saturday, kick time is still to be determined.