

# CAUGHT IN THE HUSTLE

The varsity football team moved from the Eastern Metro League into a new league, the Greater Miami Conference. Here the Aves faced competitors that had been State Championship Title contenders. Undaunted by the reputation of their foes, they readily took on the challenge. As senior Josh DeWitt said, "It took a little while, but in the end the Aves proved their worthiness."

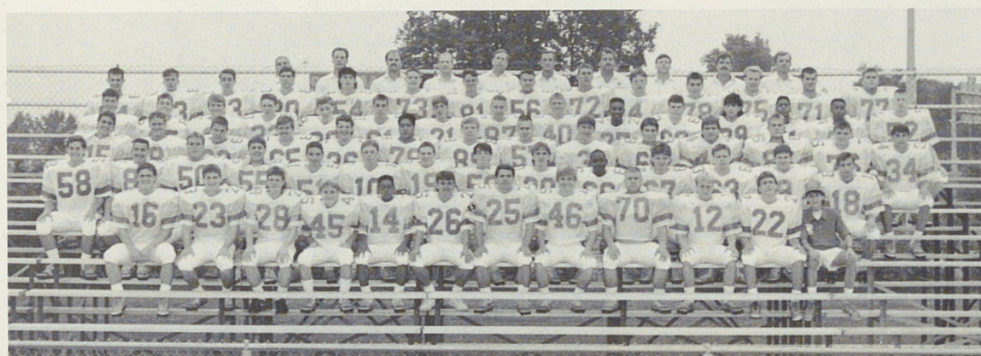
For the players and the coaches, the season started in early August with the beginning of two-a-days. Then after two weeks of intense practicing the regular season began. It got off to slow start. For the first few games the Aviators seemed to be flying nowhere but in a downward tailspin. The team lost two games by margins of 35 and 37 points.

Finally, by early November, the Aves

showed signs of improvement. Although the team was still losing games, Coach Corradini said, "Impressive amounts of points were scored against Lima and Princeton." Eventually, all their hard work and dedication paid off with a win.

For the Sycamore Aves, the victory came on a cold, snowy November night. This was the first time that season that the team experienced the "thrill of victory," says senior Rich Evans. They beat Milford, 21-6, to make Homecoming something to celebrate. "For the Sycamore players who endured criticism throughout the season, the win eased much of the pain in their hearts," says Coach Corradini. The team went on to earn another victory against Roger Bacon, 37-30, to end the season.

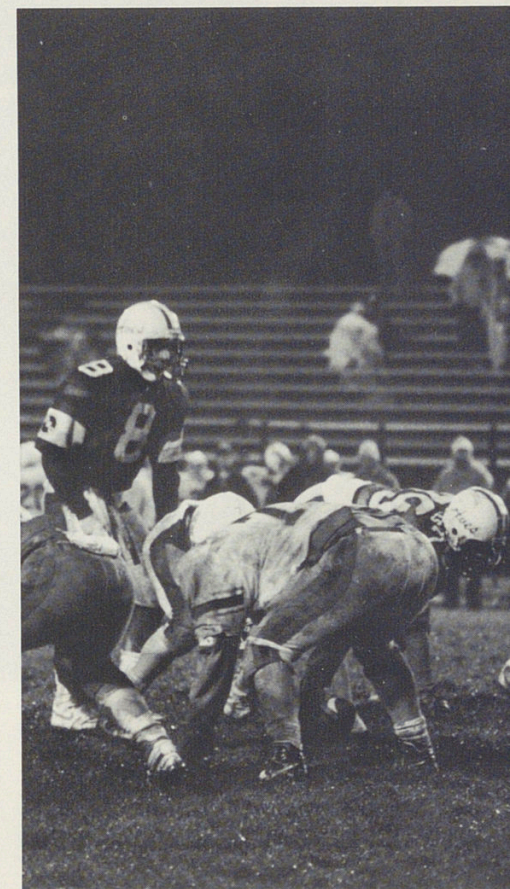
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**Row 1:** A. McMillan, C. Winfong, S. Kemmeter, R. Blackmore, A. Hayden, R. Reis, E. Balser, T. Bollman, D. Pittman, L. Whitehead, K. Mink, J. Schmidt. **Row 2:** J. Gunn, S. Ellis, W. Christian, M. Fields, B. Weaver, J. Brewer, J. Caccamo, D. Hellrung, D. Brock, L. Greggs, M. Butcher, L. Williams, A. Kulesza, G. Legeza. **Row 3:** M. Scarbrough, J. Gant, J. Smith, C. Uphus, B. Himes, J. Navales, T. Robinson, E. Lewis, G. Sears, J. Keam, R. Evans, D. Honerlaw, T. Eschmeyer, K. Kroenig. **Row 4:** K. Ross, M. Agricola, M. Harmon, A. Stephens, C. Wentland, B. Honerlaw, J. Agricola, S. Wentland, S. Fisher, C. Hargrove, T. LaPray, A. Hyams, H. Ray, D. Evans, T. Richardson. **Row 5:** D. Pulliam, T. Worth, T. Kiser, M. Harpold, D. Besso, B. Rice, M. Funk, D. Schwartz, D. Pilgrim, C. Jones, S. Galli, B. Parrish, J. DeWitt, T. Crusan. **Row 6:** Coaches Corradini, Warden, Allison, Testerman, McDaniel, Becker, Chacksfield, Drinnen, Jostworth.

Varsity Football		
	SHS	Opp
Moeller	0	35
Anderson	7	14
Lakota	7	45
Hamilton	0	12
Middletown	0	37
Fairfield	7	28
Lima	26	41
Princeton	21	57
Milford	21	6
Roger Bacon	37	33

Totals 2W — 8L



Jason Gant looks over his line at the Milford defense.