9th Grade
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Suburban Pony Central Division Champions in Baseball
Played catcher with Brandon Goughnour, J.C. Amore, Rich Thornton, Ronny Flex, Bill Haughey, Matt Wall, Jace Bonivich, George Slagle, Bob Supernovich, Glenn Schreiber, Jason Kalvesmaki, Brian Whalen

Freshman Football
Keystone Conference Section Champions

Started on Offense and Defense

September 12, 1996, Southmoreland --- … On Elizabeth Forward’s first possession Todd Scales scored on a seven yard touchdown run and 2 point conversion. After shutting down Southmoreland, Patrick Risha of EF ran it for both the touchdown and the 2 point conversion. Brian Hoover scored a touchdown at the beginning of the second quarter. He also added the 2 point conversion to make the score 24-0. EF recovered a Southmoreland fumble and Risha turned the opportunity into another 6 EF points. Justin McCaffery made the 2 point conversion. Risha intercepted an errant Southmoreland pass and ran it 60 yards for a touchdown, but a clipping penalty negated the score. At the beginning of the third, the quarterback, Glenn Schreiber made a goal line plunge. To begin the fourth quarter of play, Risha scored his third touchdown of the afternoon.

September 20, 1996, Mt. Pleasant…

September 27, 1996, Yough--- … Pat Risha rushed for 203 yards and one touchdown on 14 carries. Glenn Schreiber completed six of eight passes for 118 yards and two touchdowns, a 47-yarder to Justin McCaffery and a 33-yarder to Chuck Meehlieb. Other TD’s were scored by Todd Scales and Chris Lee.

October 5, 1996, Derry --- … Elizabeth Forward moved to 4-0 with its win. Pat Risha led the Warrior ground attack with 114 yards rushing, which included touchdown runs of 25 and 15 yards. Risha also scored on the defensive end taking an interception 51 yards for a score. Other EF scores came on a 35 yard pass from Glen Schreiber to Chuck Meehlieb, a 48 yard run from Todd Scales, and a 20 yard romp by Brian Hoover. Extra points were added by Chris Lee, three Risha runs and a pass from Schreiber to Justin McCaffery.

October 11, 1996, Brownsville --- Todd Scales and Pat Risha were the stars against the Falcons. Risha scored on three touchdowns (51-yard punt return, 8-yard run, and 5-yard run) and Scales scored twice (91-yard interception return, 35-yard run).

October 18, 1996, Bethel Park --- Pat Risha did the bulk of the ground work for EF, rushing 17 times for 175 yards and two scores (60, 2). Other Warrior touchdowns came from: Todd Scales (15-yard run), George Goethe (4 run), and Chuck Meehlieb (25 fumble return), and John Hobaugh (fumble recovery in end zone). Bryan Hoover booted two extra points and Glenn Schreiber passes to Meehlieb for a 2 point conversion.

PIAA AAA Track & Field Championships

400 Meter Relay