

GAMES OF THE WEEK REVIEWS THURSDAY, JUNE 1, 2023

McMahon Stadium

DIVISION 1 CHAMPIONSHIP



vs



A good crowd was on hand at McMahon Stadium to watch the Wildcats and Cowboys battle for the 2023 CSFA Division 1 Championship. A muffed punt by the Cowboys set up a first down for the Wildcats at the Cowboys 30, #49 LB Everett M. made a touchdown saving tackle, but on the next play a 5-yard pass to Wildcats #1 Damien C. and the conversion by #26 Joey S. made it 7-0 Wildcats. On the next Cowboys series, a 15-yard pass to #11 WR Hayarden L. set up a 35-yard FG try by #85 Lucas H. but the kick was short.

After another short punt by the Cowboys, the Wildcats took advantage of good field position and a 20-yard pass from #7 QB Cohen W. to WR #10 Mark S. made it 13-0 Wildcats. The convert was no good. The ensuing kickoff by the Wildcats was fumbled by the Cowboys and the Cats recovered by #2 DB Kaysar M. giving the Wildcats a 1st down at the Cowboys 40. Following a 20-yard pass completion to #80 WR Aedan W., #7 QB Cohen W. found #80 Aedan W. in the EZ for the Cats TD. Convert made it 20-0 Wildcats. On the next series, a spectacular 50-yard run from scrimmage by Cats RB #1 Damien C. gave him his second TD of the game. Convert by #26 Joey S. made it 27-0 Wildcats at the half.

After an intercepted pass by Wildcats DB #77 Callum S., a drive to the red zone with runs of 25 and 10 yards By Cats RB #1 Damien C. ended with a 1-yard TD also by Cats #1 Damien C. for his 3rd TD of the game made it 34-0 after the convert. After a Wildcats punt was blocked by Cowboys LB #25 Jesse G., the Cowboys got on the board with a 40-yard TD pass from #15 QB Finn G. to WR #6 Lane C. Convert by #85 Lucas H. made it 34-7 Wildcats.

The 4th quarter featured several good defensive plays including a tipped Wildcats punt by Cowboys LB #25 Jesse Groot and an interception by Wildcats DB #2 Kaysar M., but the only remaining scoring was a punt single into the EZ by Wildcats punter #26 Joey S. The final score was Wildcats 35 Cowboys 7, allowing the Wildcats the victory and the Championship.

Wildcats' offensive standouts were #1 RB Damien C, with 3 touchdowns and over 100 yards rushing. Cats QB #7 Cohen W. finished with 120 yards passing. The Cats' defense was stellar all evening with LB #51 Matt S. recording 5 tackles, DL #98 Abdul H. with 4, a QB sack by DL #89 Caleb W., and interceptions by DB #2 Kaysar M. and DB #17 Kyle M.

The Cowboys defense gave it their best shot at controlling a potent Wildcats' offense. They were led by LB #49 Everett M. with 6 tackles and a QB sack, and LB #25 Jesse G. with 5 tackles and a sack.

Congratulations to both teams on a great season and especially to the Champion Wildcats on a convincing victory.

Games of the Week Reviews by: CSFA Volunteer – Robert M

Robert (Bob) MacDonald, retired Pharmacist and CFOA Official, has 18 years of experience in the football community as Official # 24 and has served as President of the CFOA. He officiated Peewee, Bantam and High School football and was on the CFL chain crew for 13 years. He is carrying on his love of the game by volunteering his time within the amateur football community. With the Calgary Spring Football Association, Bob spends time up in the Announcer's booth watching and reviewing our games of the week. The reviews have taken the games from the field to pages on our website.