

Southern Chester County Sports

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Blue Demons win, Hornets, Indians, and Red Devils lose

Week Seven wasn't kind to local teams

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field and maintain a lead that it gained early in the contest.

Unionville and Oxford will take on each other on Friday night at 7 p.m. in Oxford.

Kennett will look to stretch its winning streak to four games on Saturday when they battle the Bayard Rustin squad at 1 p.m. Rustin enters the game with just one loss.

Avon Grove tackles Great Valley, which is a home game at 7 p.m. on Friday night.

The Kennett Blue Demons won a third straight game, but Week Seven of the football season was a tough one on the gridiron for the other schools in southern Chester County.

The Oxford Hornets fell to Great Valley, 43-12 on Friday night in a game where the Patriots stormed out to an early lead and never looked back. Turnovers, as they often do, played a part as the Hornets fell to 0-7 on the season.

On Saturday, Kennett defeated Sun Valley, 22-7. Ben Petrik continued to function as the Blue Demons' utility man, passing, receiving, and mostly rushing the ball. He ran for one TD and threw for two others, while Kennett's defense took care of the rest—totally shutting down Sun Valley's running attack. Coming on the heels of wins over St. Georges Tech and Oxford, the Blue Demons are on an official roll.

Also on Saturday, the Avon Grove Red Devils battled hard, but fell to one of the Ches-Mont League's leading teams, Downingtown West, by a 28-14 margin. Downingtown scored twice early on and rode that advantage to victory. Jordan Harris continued to be an offensive force, accounting for both of Avon Grove's touchdowns.

In non-league action, Unionville continued its up-and-down season by falling to Salesianum, 17-6. The loss dropped the Indians' record to 3-4. The always-stingy Unionville defense did what it could to keep the game close, but Salesianum's defense came up with the turnovers to shorten the



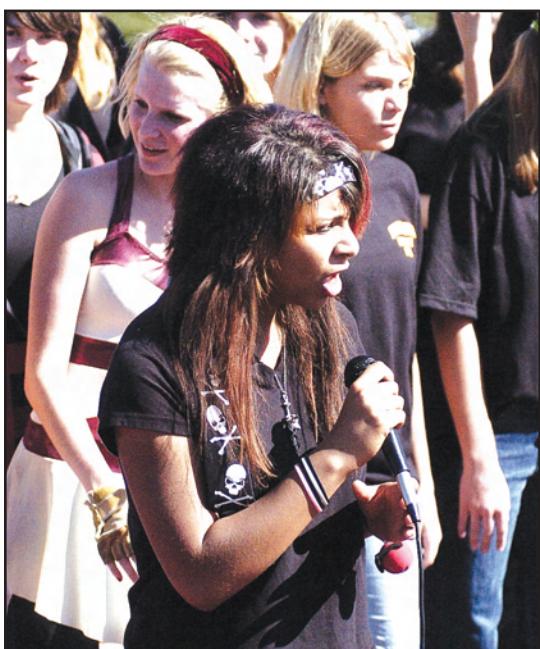
Brandon Monk goes after the ball.

Ren Hoilman picks up yardage while a defender pursues.

Face mask penalty?



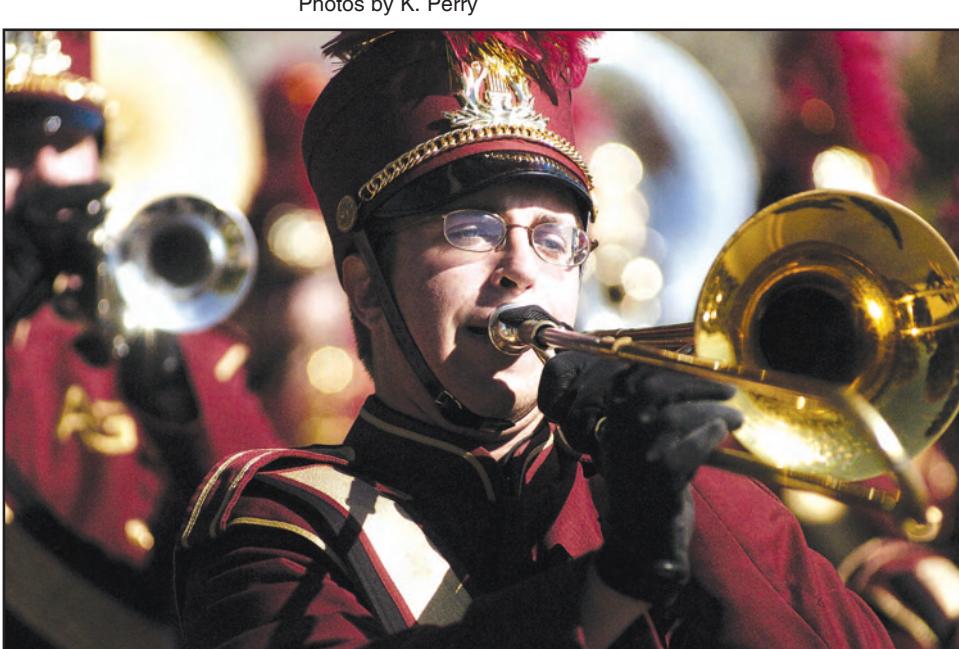
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John Tremble participates in the Homecoming festivities.



One of the students earns "Respect" singing.



Brennan Pankiw's version of "I heard it thru a grapevine."

