

Ninth straight win for the ROCK

Cawood no match for undefeated Rockets

The Cawood Trojans would have been better off to forfeit on Friday night and save the expense money for the long trip from Harlan - after they were thumped 56-0.

The Rockets had a 35-0 lead at the end of the first quarter and added two more scores in the second period for a 49-0 lead at half-time.

In the third period Rockcastle added one more score to make the final 56-0 and give the Rockets their ninth straight victory of the season.

The Rockets are ranked fifth in

the state in the Courier-Journal and eighth in the state in the Herald-Leader.

The Rockets are also ranked number one in their region and their opponent this week Bell County is ranked tenth.

Friday night, Marty Reagan ran the opening kick-off back 55 yards for the score, after the Trojans tried an onside kick.

Reagan did the same thing a year ago when the Rockets played Cawood.

The Rockets second score came on a four yard run by quarterback Aaron Anderkin.

Reagan's second score in the first quarter came on a 24 yard run and his third score was a four yard run. Clay Dooley finished the scoring in the first with a 26 yard touchdown run.

The second quarter belonged to Josh Taylor who scored on runs of four and eight.

Anderkin and Coty Reams ended the scoring on a 14 yard pass.

Offensively, Rockcastle racked up 376 yard of total offense, 171 in the air and 205 on the ground.

Anderkin was 14 for 16 for 158 yards and one touchdown. He also had one touchdown run of four yards.

Backup Devin Taylor had 47 yards passing on one completion and also caught one pass for seven yards.

Josh Hale caught four passes for 34 yards.

Reagan had 44 yards rushing on five carries and he caught one pass for seven yards.

Dooley had 26 yards on two runs and he caught one pass for 17 yards.

Clell Swinney had 26 yards on three carries and Josh Taylor had 46 yards on seven carries.

Stephen Boring had forty yards on three catches.

Brandon Campbell had 12 yards on one carry, Michael Hayes had two yards on one carry and Nathan Brummett had five yards on three carries.

Max Saylor had six yards on two carries and placekicker Jens Strietzel was a perfect eight for eight in extra point kicks.

Senior outside linebacker P.J. Rowe broke a school record for sacks on Friday night when he got to number 14. The record had been held by Travis Ingram.

Rowe also had four tackles and assists and blocked a punt.

Big Jason Leger had seven tackles and assists to lead the Rockets, while Tanner Abney had four and a sack.

Adam Childress had three tackles and assists and recovered a fumble.

Steve Blair had six tackles and assists and also recovered a fumble.

Boring had six tackles, William Blair had 3, Hale, 1, Dooley, 1, Reagan, six, James Michael Bussell 2, Swinney, 2, Taylor, 1, Matt McClure, 1, Nick Thomas, 1, Brummett, 1, Reams, 1 and Tyler Strunk 1.

All total Cawood picked up 56 yards of total offense against the Rocket defense.

The Rockets travel to Bell County on Friday night to take on the Bobcats in a game that will determine the district championship.

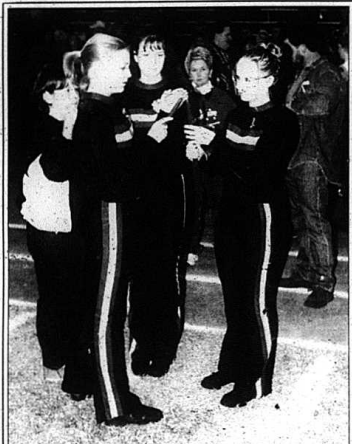
The Bobcats are 7-2 and have losses in the district.

The winner of the game will have homefield advantage throughout the regional play-offs.

Game time is 7:30 p.m.

Rocket head coach Tom Larkey and head assistant Tony Saylor are encouraging fans to turn out for the contest to try to eliminate each home field advantage as possible.

Larkey who has never won on that field, has promised the variety four quarters of football.



Jennifer Horn, Kelly Frederick, Tab White and Tiffany Hopkins participate in the candlelight ceremony before last Friday's game against Cawood.



Rockcastle County High School's Color Guard participated in pregame ceremonies last Friday night. Members of the Guard were Josh Robbins, Rebecca Steele, Derrick Hensley and Eric Stallworth.



2001 Little League Wildcat Cheerleaders

Front row: Courtney Campbell, Heather Bullock, Abbey McClure, Allyson Washburn and Tracie Jones. Middle row: Morgan Campbell (captain), Megan Hood, Becky Alcorn (co-captain), Samantha Smith (co-captain), Brooke Martinez and Elizabeth Dooley. Back row: Ellie Bryant, Assistant Coach Serra Mills, Coach Melanie Campbell, Courtney Thomas (captain). Not pictured: Jennifer Cox and Vanessa Price.

Girls: Thank you for a terrific season and your hard work, you have been my best squad yet! To all my 5th graders - good luck next year - I will truly miss you.

Always here for you - Your Coach, Melanie Campbell



A large gathering of fans surrounded the track during the candlelight ceremony held last Friday night at RCHS.



Les Scaif, Charles "Tuck" Baker and Dale Bradley were among the Veterans honored Friday night.



Head Coach Tom Larkey talks with Sergeant First Class Debbie Bugg and Senior Chief Petty Officer Catherine Wilkey during ceremonies honoring Veterans last Friday night. The festivities were held in conjunction with Senior Night.

PUBLIC FORUM

The Rockcastle County Local Planning Committee will conduct a PUBLIC FORUM on Thursday, November 8, 2001 at the Mt. Vernon Elementary School Library at 6:00 p.m. This meeting is an informal gathering to encourage local participation through community suggestions relative to future utilization of existing school facilities and construction of new school centers. These community suggestions or recommendations will be closely monitored by the Local Planning Committee in the development of a proposed Master Educational Facility Plan and District Facility Plan for Rockcastle County Schools.