



Week 2 Results

- Brookville 14 Anna 35
- Coldwater 20 Jefferson 6
- St. Johns 35 LCC 7
- Eaton 7 St. Henry 27
- Ft. Loramie 0 Ft. Recovery 32
- Holgate 20 New Bremen 45
- Kenton 35 Defiance 0
- Lehman Catholic 21 Minster 44
- McComb 0 Marion Local 36
- Spencerville 37 Parkway 0
- Valley View 35 Versailles 0

The MAC completed 'the pre-season' with a record of 15-5.

Week 3 Matchups

- Coldwater at Marion Local
- Minster at St. Johns
- New Bremen at St. Henry
- Parkway at Ft. Recovery
- Versailles at Anna
- Wapakoneta at Kenton
- Delphos Jefferson at Fairview

MAC Standings

	MAC	Overall
Anna	0-0	2-0
Coldwater	0-0	2-0
Ft. Recovery	0-0	2-0
Marion Local	0-0	2-0
Minster	0-0	2-0
New Bremen	0-0	2-0
St. Henry	0-0	1-1
St. Johns	0-0	1-1
Versailles	0-0	1-1
Parkway	0-0	0-2
Kenton (1-1), Jefferson (1-1)		

Cavaliers Defeat a Determine Delphos Jefferson Squad

For the second week in a row, Coldwater took to the road. This time the opponent was Delphos Jefferson. The Wildcats proved to be tough opponent but the young Cavaliers prevailed winning 20-6.

The two teams battled to a scoreless first quarter. Jefferson's Wing-T offense, which Coldwater normally handles pretty well, moved the ball very effectively early on but could not find pay dirt. Coldwater was a little sluggish offensively too. But late in the first quarter, both offenses got on track as both teams got on the score board.

Late in the first quarter Coldwater moved the ball into the Jeff-Cats red zone. Then, with just 30 seconds off the second quarter clock, Dylan Thobe scored from seven yards out. When Neal Muhlenkamp kicked the PAT, Coldwater had grabbed a 7-0 advantage.

That seemed to spark Jefferson and 3 minutes and 5 plays later they scored on a 50 yard pass, but the PAT was blocked and Coldwater maintained a 7-6 lead.

Coldwater began their next drive at their own 24 and used 9 plays, the last of which saw Brad Giere plunge in from the 3 to give Coldwater a 14-3 lead with 6:04 left in the first half.

That was a pretty action packed 6 plus minutes of football. But it was probably the next 6 minutes that decided the ball game.

The teams traded punts on their next possessions, but Dylan Thobe's punt was shanked into the Jefferson bench for just 11 yards and the

Cats took over at the Coldwater 36 with about under three minutes to play in the half. Five plays found them at the Coldwater 6 with 30 seconds on the clock. But a holding penalty moved the ball all the way back to the 26 and Jefferson was not able to score. The half ended with Coldwater leading 14-6.

Coldwater led on the scoreboard but statistically Jefferson was much better offensively. The Cats rushed for 111 and threw for 107 for a total of 218 yards. The Cavs tallied just 77 rushing yards and 60 passing for only 137 yards of total offense. The last time Coldwater was out performed in the first half was during a 20-0 setback to Marion Local in week 7 of the 2014 season.

But the Cavs pulled it together in the second half. The defense finally figure out how to stop the Wildcats offense. No longer did the Cats reel off long gains. The offense made a statement too as they took the second half kickoff and drove 63 yards in just three plays to score for the final time on the evening. Thobe completed a 53 yard pass to Zach Klosterman but Muhlenkamp missed is first PAT attempt of season. It was his first miss after 9 successful PATs, but Coldwater now lead 20-6

For the reset of the evening the Jefferson offense was stifled and the Cavaliers used ball control to secure the victory. Thobe let the play clock run past the five second mark on every play before calling for the snap.

In the second half Coldwater held the Jefferson squad to just 30 rushing yards and 24 yards

passing while the offense collected 123 yards rushing and 67 yards passing to finish with 327 total yards.

Thobe finished the night with 108 yards rushing on 24 carries and just 9 of 20 passing for 127 yards. Giere gained 46 yards on 9 carries. Klosterman caught 5 passes for 95 yards.

Jefferson, who is more of a rushing offense, did tally 141 yards on 39 carries but they were also 8-9 passing for 131 yards. They are now 1-1 but look for them to provide some a good measure of Harbin points for the Cavaliers this season.

So the Cavaliers finish the non-conference portion of the schedule at 2-0. The MAC conference finished the 'pre-season' at a sparking 15-5. That could translate into 5 or 6 conference teams making the playoffs according to some experts.

So the MAC season begins next Friday and for Coldwater their pursuit of another MAC title will be a real challenge. First up is their biggest rival, the Flyers of Marion Local who are 2-0 after big wins over Chaminade Julianne 24-14 and McComb 36-0.

Coldwater is riding a 25 game winning streak which started after that loss to Marion in 2014. Coldwater has won 6 of the last 10 meetings and Coach Otten is 3-3 versus the Flyers

Meanwhile, Marion Local has won 31 straight home games and Coldwater will travel to Maria Stein for the 3rd time in the last four year. Last years game was a classic as Coldwater won 17-14 on a last minute field goal.