

East Paulding Raiders News

Game of the Week: East Paulding K1 v Wheeler K1

East Paulding Raiders faced off with Wheeler Wild Cats this Saturday afternoon in Game 3 of the season. Both teams were ready to go as they set up for the first play of the



season. East Paulding quickly put the first score on the board, but was not to be out down, as Wheeler followed after with their own touchdown.

As the game progressed, the determination was seen on the field as East Paulding and Wheeler went back and forth with touchdowns. As halftime came upon the teams, the score was 26-19. Too close for either coach to be comfortable. With a little rest from the heat and humidity, the K1 players were ready for game time again.

The start of the second half brought Wheeler tying the score 26-26. To not be outdone, East Paulding answered with a touchdown and extra point to move the game 33-26. Moving into the fourth quarter, Wheeler answered with another touch down, but missed the extra point moving the score 33-32. Oh, it was a nail-biter as the crowds cheered loudly for their teams.



East Paulding was able to stop Wheeler from scoring further and brought in one more touchdown and

extra point to bring the score 40-32. With 0:45 left on the clock, East Paulding kicked off to Wheeler for the final plays of the game. The ball bounced off Wheeler's players and East Paulding recovered to stay on offense for the remainder of the game, running down the clock to finalize the score 40-32. East Paulding has a 3-0 record this season and moves on to play Pope next week.



Shout out to Isaiah Chappell winning the Raiders Belt for this week's game performance and Josiah Holliday for being co-Belt winner for his running touchdowns. Both boys contributed largely to the East Paulding Raiders win this week!