



AXTELL LONGHORNS **vs** **FROST POLAR BEARS**



Game 6 — October 3, 2008

We had them on the ropes and let them off!!!. You cannot have multiple turnovers in a row and expect to beat an average team, must less a team like Itasca. I just hope our guys realize how good they really could be. We are so close. We need to get healthy and stay focused on the task at hand which is finishing the regular season 7- 3. In life and football you are going to hit highs and lows, in either case it is how you respond.

Losing hurts, but I hope our guys feel that pain- because you know then that you are truly in the fire. Now it is time for us to come closer together as a team, for our leaders to lead, to correct our mistakes and recycle this game as we focus on beating Frost. Thanks for your support.

To your success,
Reaching Higher <><
Coach Cadell

We played Bosqueville JV again last week, but we had both quarterbacks out, Keith Lindsay broke is collar bone against Bosqueville, and Josh Reynolds was in the hospital, so we had three days to find a new quarterback. We used Ryan Uptmore and Mathew Martinez, and with little practice time, I thought they did great job. We scored three touchdowns, Josh Stone scored on a 12 yd TD pass from Ryan uptmore. Mathew Martinez scored from 6 yards out. Greg Clark ran a 17 yd TD run. All three conversions failed. Problem was that Bosqueville scored 30 points, defense had a definite let down.

We don't have a game this week, but play Italy at home next week.

Coach Snelling

2008 Longhorn

2008 Jr. Varsity Schedule 2008 Varsity Schedule

Axtell Longhorns Football 2008

8/29/2008	A	MERIDIAN	26	27
9/5/2008	H	CLIFTON	14	6
9/12/2008	H	HOLLAND	31	0
9/19/2008	A	BOSQUEVILLE	28	36
9/26/2008	A	ITASCA	12	38
10/3/2008	H	FROST		
10/10/2008	A	ITALY		
10/24/2008	H	HUBBARD		
10/31/2008	A	WORTHAM		
11/7/2008	H	DAWSON		
	2	3	0	

Axtell Longhorns JV Football 2008

8/28/2008	H	Meridian	29	8
9/4/2008	A	Clifton	0	27
9/11/2008	A	Holland	22	6
9/18/2008	H	Bosqueville	30	8
9/25/2008	A	Bosqueville	18	30
10/2/2008	A	No Game		
10/9/2008	H	Italy		
10/16/2008	A	Italy		
10/23/2008	A	Hubbard		
10/30/2008	H	Wortham		
	3	2	0	

Gridiron News

CLASS A DISTRICT 21

District Standings

ITASCA	5-0	1-0
DAWSON	2-3	1-0
ITALY	2-3	1-0
WORTHAM	0-4	0-0
AXTELL	2-3	0-1
FROST	0-5	0-1
HUBBARD	0-5	0-1

Scoreboard and Schedule

Scoreboard

Itasca	38	Axtell	12
Dawson	46	Hubbard	21
Italy	40	Frost	7

This Week's Schedule

Frost at Axtell
Itasca at Hubbard
Dawson at Wortham
Italy Open

Bosqueville 30, Axtell 18

(Bosqueville) – The hobbled Longhorns limped into Bosqueville for a rematch of last week’s game. With both quarterbacks (Keith Lindsay and Josh Reynolds) out of action, the Horns knew that they faced a huge task to repeat last’s weeks victory. This week the Bulldogs were able to get their offense going and hung 30 on the Longhorns who managed 18 of their own and dropped to 3-2 for the season.

Ryan Uptmore and Mathew Martinez got the nod as signal-callers for the Horns. Uptmore hit Josh Stone for a score from 12 yards out. Martinez rushed for a 6-yarder and Greg Clark legged one in from the seventeen.

Itasca 38, Axtell 12

(Itasca) – It seems that Christmas came early to Itasca, Texas this year and the sleigh was drawn by Longhorns, not reindeer. Axtell gave Itasca the ball deep in their own territory three times in the third quarter, resulting in 22 Wampus Cats points. Itasca added eight of their own and never looked back as they defeated Axtell 38-12 in the District 21 opener for both teams.

Axtell owned the first half, taking a 12-0 into the locker room against the #3 ranked Cats and almost adding another score for good measure as time wound down, Weston Popham hit Taylor Dunlap who was dragged down at the 2-yard line as the clock expired. Desmond Guy, the Wampus Cat rushing phenom was held in check the first half, largely due to the ball control of the Longhorns.

Popham got the scoring started with a 35 yard run midway through the second quarter. Porter Miles added to it with an 11-yard run with less than a minute left in the half. Both two point conversion attempts failed. Axtell got the ball back on the kick-off and Dunlap's attempt was stopped as time expired in the first half.

Guy came to life on the first play from scrimmage in the second half, breaking loose for 80 yards. His 2-pointer cut Axtell's lead to four. When Popham had trouble hanging onto the ball on the Horns first play from scrimmage, Itasca was set up well into Longhorn territory. Mikey Marshall put Itasca up with a six yarder and added to the lead with a 2-point run. Itasca's next score was set up on the kick-off when the ball landed in 'no man's land' and could not be handled by Chrlie Groce. Again, it was Marshall and Guy hurting the Longhorns. Marshall on a 21-yard touchdown run and Guy adding the extra points. Less than 4 minutes into the half, Itasca led 24-12. When it looked like Axtell had settled down and would move the ball down the field, another fumble hurt them. Itasca was able to gobble up the loose ball and return it to the Longhorn five where Guy padded the lead with a five yard run. This time the conversion failed and Itasca went into the final period trailing 30-12.

Greg Mason rounded out the scoring late in the contest with a 2-yard run. His conversion run made the final score Itasca 38, Axtell 12. Desmond Guy finished the night with 186 yards rushing, putting him over the 1,000 yard mark for the season. Itasca is now 5-0 for the year and 1-0 in district play. Axtell falls to 2-3 and 0-1.

Bosqueville 36, Axtell 28

Axtell	0	12	0	0	12
Itasca	0	0	30	8	38

2-Axtell Weston Popham 35 Run (Run Failed) 8:44

2-Axtell Porter Miles 11 Run (Run Failed) 0:54

3-Itasca Desmond Guy 80 Run (Guy Run) 11:34

3-Itasca Mikey Marshall 6 Run (Marshall Run) 9:20

3-Itasca Marshall 21 Run (Guy Run)

3-Itasca Guy 5 Run (Run Failed)

4-Itasca Greg Mason 2 Run (Mason Run) 3:12

Bosqueville 30, Axtell 18

Axtell	18
Bosqueville	30

Could not make it to the game and no video was available.

Game 5 vs itasca

Waco Tribune-Herald

OFFENSIVE HONOR ROLL

QB Weston Popham, Axtell: 4-8-0, 80 yards; 20-116 rushing yards, TD

RB Porter Miles, Axtell: 11-59, TD

Honorable Mention

Offense: Nick Farias

Defense: Bobby Dillard
Porter Miles
Cody Stevens

Longhorn Awards

Scout Team Player of the Week:

Coaches Player of The Week:

Game 5 vs Bosqueville

Series History– Frost

Game Number	15
First Meeting	1956 0-19 in Frost
Last Meeting	1999 6-17 in Frost
Last Victory	1997 33-28 in Frost
Last Defeat	1999 6-17 in Frost
Largest Victory	1993 40-0 in Axtell
Largest Defeat	1998 6-28 in Axtell
Closest Game wo Tie	1972 22-24 in Frost
Scoring All-Time	248-226
Average Score	18-16
Record All-Time	6-8-0
Record Last 10	5-5-0
Current Win Streak	2 Frost
Longest Streak (Axtell)	3 1973-1979
Longest Streak (Opp)	3 1956-1972

FOR THE RECORD	
Game 6 Record	
All-time Record Coach Cadell Record	27-34-0 6-5-0
All-time Points Coach Cadell Points	1,048-1,217 264-269
All-time Av Score Coach Cadell Av Score	17-20 24-25
October 3rd Record	
All-time Record Coach Cadell Record	5-4-0 1-1-0
All-time Points Coach Cadell Points	180-125 28-28
All-time Av Score Coach Cadell Av Score	20-14 14-44

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Use

This game will move Frost into a temporary tie with Hubbard for 12th in most games played against a single opponent.

There have been 6 shutouts in this rivalry. Axtell has 4 and Frost 2. Frost won the first two games of the series by shutout.

The Longhorns 28-36 loss to Bosqueville marked the 300th loss in Axtell Longhorn history (according to my records). It came in Axtell's 601st game.

The Axtell Longhorns were penalized for 185 yards in the 1973 game against Frost.

Looking Back at Longhorn History

Game 6

October 24, 1970

Axtell 16, Coolidge 8

Game Number

Axtell Wins Homecoming, Nips Coolidge

October 24, 1970 – Game 6

Waco Newspaper

Axtell (SPL)-The Axtell Longhorns showed their exes that they could win Saturday night with a 16-8 victory over the Coolidge Yellow Jackets before a homecoming crowd of 1,000.

The first half provided few thrills as the two teams battled to a scoreless tie. Then the game exploded with Axtell winning its first game of the season with two second half TDs.

Coolidge jumped out in the third quarter to a 8-0 lead when Howard Owens intercepted a pass and raced 42 yards for the touchdown. Quarterback Mark Hancock threw to Dean Henderson for the two point conversion.

Axtell bounced right back and drove 72 yards for a touchdown which was capped by a 25-yard run by Wilbert Rattiff. David Snider plunged one yard for the first touchdown. Ronald Smith ran for the two-point conversion.

The Longhorns then recovered a Coolidge fumble on the 25, drove to the five but ran out of downs. Terry Tierche blasted through the Yellow Jacket line to tackle the Coolidge quarterback for a safety.

Axtell then proceeded to score another touchdown on a five yard drive by David Calloway.

Bryan Freeman and Alan Copley was credited with a good defensive game for the Yellow Jackets while Terry and Brad Teirche starred for Axtell.

At the halftime, Patsy Plemons was named homecoming queen for the Longhorns.

Coolidge	0	0	8	0	8
Axtell	0	0	8	8	16

3-Coolidge Howard Owens intercepted pass 42 yards (Hancock pass to Dean Henderson)

3-Axtell David Snider one-yard plunge (Smith run)

4-Axtell Safety Hancock tackled in end zone by Jim Plemons

4-Axtell David Calloway five-yard run (pass failed)

AXTELL LONGHORN FOOTBALL
2008 Varsity Roster

#	NAME	POSTION	CLASS
2	Kyle Voss	1WR / DB	12
3	Brandon Graff	WR / DB	11
5	Hunter Cadell	FB / DE	12
7	Greg Garrett	WR / OLB	12
8	Weston Popham	QB / DB	12
10	Seth Keene	FB / ILB	11
11	Jake Brock	WR / DB	12
13	Charlie Groce	QB / DB	12
17	Robert Bordovsky	RB / DB	11
20	Brandon Bordovsky	RB / OLB	10
21	Porter Miles	RB / DB	12
22	Jacob Kubitza	FB / ILB	9
24	Ryan Lee	RB / ILB	12
27	Jonathan Smart	TE / OLB	11
35	Taylor Dunlap	TE / ILB	12
51	Brandon Trent	OL / DE	11
54	Kalyn Yose	OL / DL	12
56	Nick Farias	OL / DL	12
67	Chris Krolczyk	OL / DL	10
68	Jeff Armstrong	OL / DL	12
70	David Hall	OL / DE	12
72	Cody Stevens	OL / DL	11
75	Ryan Clark	OL / DL	12
77	Bobby Dillard	OL / DL	12
80	Jay Helleck	WR / OLB	10

Coaches: Rusty Reynolds, Brandon Dieterich, Dale Snelling, Andy Thorne, Scott Richardson, Mark Vardeman

AD / Head Football: Mike Cadell

Trainer: Taylor Gomez

Cheerleader Sponsors: Debbie Headley, Debra Hawthorne

Manager: Eric Montgomery

Student Managers: Myranda Shiner, Travis Martinez, Peyton Downs, Cameron Garland, Randi Bomnskie, Braxton Stefka, Jesse Rutledge.

Band Director: Susan Young Asst. Eric Patterson

Superintendent: Stanley Harris

Principal: Dale Monsey

Asst. Danette Stranacher

**AXTELL LONGHORN FOOTBALL
2008 Junior Varsity Roster**

No	Name	Position
1	Mykel King	HB / Sec.
2	Keith Lindsay	TE / Sec.
3	Bubba Brunson	HB / Sec.
5	Greg Clark	FB / DE
8	Randal Outlaw	WR / Sec.
9	J. Pat Martin	TE / LB
11	Ryan Linkous	WR / Sec
12	Colby Tennison	WR / LB
13	Josh Reynolds	QB / Sec
20	Mathew Martinez	HB / LB
32	Randy Smith	FB / LB
40	Mark Lindstrom	TE / LB
48	J. J. Galvan	WR / LB
51	Jonathan Bartley	G / LB
52	Kris Brooks	G / DE
53	Cody Chisholm	G / LB
54	Brady Skinner	C / LB
55	Andrew Chapman	T / DT
58	Alex Markley	T / DT
60	James Saulters	G / LB
64	Greg Alders	T / DE
66	Brandon Lee	T / DT
67	Austin Stecher	G / T / DT
68	Ethan Keenan	G / DT
70	Darius Marton	G / DT
72	Jeremy Riser	T / DE
75	Casey Fedro	T / DT
77	Jordan Alders	T / DT
80	Moses Arias	WR / Sec
83	Josh Stone	TE / DE

Coach Dale Snelling