2008 Game A Defensive Struggle Played In A Steady Driving Rain

by Gus Kapolka, All Star Chair

he 2008 MHSFCA All Star Game saw the East defeat the West 9-0 in a defensive struggle played in a steady driving rain. Other than the miserable weather conditions, the 28th MHSFCA All Star Game was an enjoyable experience for the coaches, players, and support staff who spent a week preparing.

I would like to congratulate both teams for a well played game, and congratulate the East All Stars for their victory. Both coaching staffs did a tremendous job preparing throughout the year for the game, and their conduct during the week was exemplary.

I would also like to thank all MHSFCA regional directors, and All Star Committee Members who donated their time to make the game possible: Troy Nezki, Ricco Meneghini, Tim Baker, Larry Rueger, Tim Parker, Fred Davis, Dick McGuines, Ed Greenman, Keith Froleich, Jim Buttson, Craig Healy, and Tom Barbieri. I would also like to thank MSU head coach Mark Dantonio, and High School Liason Dino Folino for their hospitality.



After 28 Years East Leads Series by 2 East 15 – West 13

1981	EAST	6	West	3
1982	WEST	25	East	22
1983	EAST	17	West	10
1984	EAST	24	West	10
1985	WEST	14	East	0
1986	EAST	24	West	14
1987	WEST	9	East	7
1988	WEST	17	East	10
1989	EAST	31	West	26
1990	EAST	7	West	6
1991	WEST	15	East	12
1992	WEST	20	East	0
1993	EAST	29	West	6
1994	WEST	20	East	0
1995	EAST	10	West	9
1996	EAST	20	West	12
1997	WEST	28	East	19
1998	EAST	20	West	15
1999	WEST	35	East	9
2000	WEST	28	East	17
2001	EAST	38	West	14
2002	EAST	28	West	7
2003	EAST	12	West	6
2004	WEST	45	East	14
2005	WEST	30	East	20

22

9

West

East

West

15

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EAST

WEST

EAST

2006

2007

2008

Box Score East vs West July 19, 2008 At Lansing Michigan

Score By Quarters	1	2	3	4	Score			
West	0	0	0	0	0			
East	3	3	3	6	9			
Series Record: East 15 West 13								

Scoring Summary:

1st 02:45 East - V. Sanders 32 Yd Field Goal, 7-27 2:26, West 0 - East 3 2nd 11:07 East - V. Sanders 42 Yd Field Goal, 4--18 1:53, West 0 - East 6 3rd 04:55 East - V. Sanders 32 Yd Field Goal, 10-41 4:05, West 0 - East 9

	WEST	EAST
First Downs	8	13
Rushes-Yards (Net)	21-5	61-185
Passing Yds (Net)	105	33
Passes Att-Comp-Int	24-8-1	9-5-0
Total Offense Plays-Yards	45-110	70-218
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-14	1-18
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-23	1-20
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	1-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	4-47.8	4-31.0
Fumbles-Lost	2-2	3-0
Penalties-Yards	3-37	2-24
Possession Time	14:28	33:32
Third-Down Conversions	1 of 10	9 of 20
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 4	0 of 3
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	0-1	3-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	2-10

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