### Ohio all-stars

# humble W. Va., 42-0

#### Largest victory margin in grid series history

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To say that the Ohio gridders thorougly dominated Sunday night's 19th annual Rudy Mumley OVAC Charity All-Star Football Classic would be being way too kind.

Ohio piled up nearly nine times as many yards as overmatched West Virginia and the Buckeyes rolled to a 42-0 victory, the most lopsided margin in the history of the event which was played before more than 8,000 spectators at Wheeling Island Stadium.

During the last 10 years, there hadn't been a game decided by more than 16 points and most were much closer than that. After one quarter of Sunday's encounter, it looked as though another down to the wire battle use in the effort.

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That's before the Buckeyes ex-ploded for 21 second quarter points, including a pair of spectacular touchdown receptions by athletes who gained the reputation as "big play" receivers during their high school careers, to break the game open.

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"I would never have believed we'd win by that kind of score," commented Ohio coach Bob Morris, from East Liverpool High. "This was a great group of kids and they responded well. It's tough to learn a new system in nine days, but it's a real tribute to them that they did."

Morris pointed to his squad's ability to stop West Virginia's option game as key, "We felt we had to stop their option and our kids did a nice job of hitting out there," he said, "We knew if we could get up on them early, we'd force them out of their offense."

The victorious Buckeye mentor

The victorious Buckeye mentor did a commendable job of spreading the ball around on of fense as six different players scored touchdowns. "I was really salivating while I was picking them (to play in the game)." he commented "As an offensive coach, this was really a dream situation.

this was really a dream situation. On Ohio began its initial scoring drive late in the first quarter after Martins Ferry's Scott Joseph stopped Brooke's Larry Palmer short on a fake punt attempt.

The Buckeyes put together a 10-play, 73-yard march with the big gainers a 15-yard pass a from Shadyside's Brent Burkhart to Bellaire's Joey Galloway, a 17-yard

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It was fullback Maurice "Mo" Pearson, however, who tallied the six-pointer on a two-yard burst up

six-pointer on a two-yard burst up the middle. Steubenville Central's 102 yards while Toronto's Charlie Frank Marcino drilled the point after for a 7-0 Ohlo lead with 11:17 yards.

The Buckeye defense held on downs and it wasn't long until the offense found the endzone again, On third-and-seven from the Ohio 42, Burkhart went deep to Galloway and the Ohio State-bound speedster that the pass at the 15 and Marcino kick.

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Five plays later, it was the Buckeyes' other "money man". Steubenville's Hython, who stepped into the spotlight with a "jump ball" reception between two West Virginia defenders off a long toss from East Liverpool's Kevin Smith (are 55-yeard touchdown Marcino's for a 56-yard touchdown. Marcino's conversion gave the Bucks a 21-0 halftime advantage.

Ohio's defense, spearheaded throughout the game by Union Local's Doug Butts, St. Clairsville's Lance Sanders and Edison South's Dave Wukelic, picked up where it had left off by stopping the Mountaineers on their first series of the second half,

second half.

With Ohio taking over at the W.Va. 49, Pearson turned an off-tackle run into a 46-yard pickup to set up a three-yard scamper to paydirt by Cadiz speedster Damon Brooks. Marcino's fourth point after had Ohio in front by 28-6 with 7:15 remaining in the third round.

It was three plays and out for Coach Ron White's Mounties, with Ohio taking over at midfield. This time, it took seven snaps to score, with Beallsville's big Jim Brown carrying the final 19 yards through a gaping hole off the left side with 1:49 left in the third. Marcino made it five-for-five to turn out the lights at 35-0.

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Barnesville's Ty Leach picked off a pass by Weirton's Jim Keen on the final play of the third quarter, Ohio gaining possession on its 42-yard line.

River's Rose carried eight times

on the ensuing run-dominated drive, including the final two for the touchdown. Burkhart got the call on the point-after this time and was true to the mark to close out the

true to the mark to close out the scoring.

Ohio's domination is reflected in a 1418-48 edge in total yardage. The Buckeyes amassed 251 yards rushing behind an overpowering offensive line and had 189 passing with 22 yards in losses for its net while W Va. was limited to 571 rushing and 39 passing with 48 in losses.

The winners held a 20-6 edge in first downs and had six penalties for 60 yards compared to four for 26 yards for W. Va.

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Ohio QBs Smith and Burkhart
Combined for a 12-of-16 effort while
W. Va.'s Keen and Palmer were
just two-of-10 with one intercepted.
The Buckeyes' ground game included nine carries for a game-high
71' yards by Pearson, eight rushes
for 61 stripes for Brooks, 12 totes for
59 yards by Rose, and six tries for
38 yards for Brown, Galloway led
all receivers with five catches for all receivers with five catches for 102 yards while Toronto's Charlie Daniels grabbed three passes for 15

# Roster of OVAC All-Stars

6—Jack Creech, Mingo, 6-1, 195 (wr-lb)
7—Kevin Smith, E. Liverpool, 6-3, 189 (qb-db)
8—Mike Zapolnik, Steub. Cent., 6-3, 195 (qb-db)
9—Chuck Hython, Steubenville, 6-1, 205 (wr-db)
10—Brent Burkhart, Shadyside, 6-2, 210 (qb-db)
30—Terry Kinnan, M.Ferry, 5-10, 158 (wr-db)
31—Kyle Rose, River, 5-7, 165 (rb-db)
32—Charlie Daniels, Toronto, 5-10, 150 (wr-db)
33—Maurice Pearson, Steub., 5-11, 218 (fb-lb)
34—Jody Stoldt, Meadowbrook, 5-11, 180 (rb-db)
35—Scott Joseph, Martins Ferry, 6-1, 210 (fb-lb)
36—Shawn Hervey, Wintersville, 5-10, 180 (c-lb)
37—Jim Brown, Beallsville, 6-0, 225 (rb-de)
51—Steve Dimmerling, Shen., 6-0, 210 (c-ng)
54—Frank Marcino, Stb.Cent., 6-2, 240 (c-ng)
55—Dave Wukelic, Ed.South, 5-11, 207 (rb-lb)
62—Marcus Raine, Bellaire, 6-1, 215 (g-lb)
64—Jason Roscoe, St. Clairsville, 6-3, 225 (g-lb)
65—Sam Horvath, B.Southwest, 6-1, 200 (g-lb)
71—Lance Sander, St. Clairsville, 6-3, 225 (g-lb)
73—Matt Rose, Edison North, 6-6, 285, (1-1)
75—Vince Mays, Cadiz, 6-2, 240 (1-1)
76—Chad Smith, Beallsville, 6-7, 295 (1-1)
77—David Allen, East Liverpool, 6-1, 215 (g-ng)
80—Ty Leach, Barnesville, 5-10, 165 (wr-db)
81—Damon Brooks, Cadiz, 5-9, 155 (rb-db)
82—Creed Peters, Mingo, 6-2, 175 (wr-db)
84—Doug Butts, Union Local, 6-3, 190 (rb-de)
86—Jodle Harizell, Stb.Cent., 6-3, 211 (te-de)
88—Joey, Galloway, Bellaire, 5-11, 170 (wr-db)

WEST VIRGINIA (31)
6—Dick Scott, Cameron, 5-10, 168 (qb-db)
7—Larry Palmer, Brooke, 5-11, 160 (qb-db)
8—Scott Shreve, Magnolla, 6-1, 170 (wr-db)
10—Zach Abraham, Whg.Park, 6-0, 150 (wr-db)
13—Jim Keen, Weir, 6-3, 190 (qb-db)
32—Mike Petteway, Weirton, 5-9, 150 (rb-db)
33—Mike Carman, Linsly, 5-10, 180 (rb-lb)
34—Mike Sissini, Brooke, 5-11, 185 (rb-db)
35—Warren Judge, Tyler, 5-10, 185 (fb-lb)
37—Shawn Clausell, Weirton, 5-10, 150 (wr-db)
38—Mike Cooper, Sistersville, 5-10, 175 (rb-lb)
39—Albert Paczewski, Cameron, 5-8, 162 (fb-ng)
40—Bob Roksandich, Brooke, 6-1, 197 (rb)
44—Jim Shaffer, Linsly, 5-11, 185 (rb-lb)
47—Josh Kolanko, Madonna, 6-0, 175 (qb-db)
50—Eric Staley, Oak Glen, 5-11, 185 (g-ng)
51—Bill Dalrymple, Sistersville, 5-10, 170 (c-ng)
52—Chuck Connors, Madonna, 6-0, 205 (g-lb)
55—Tim Rowe, Weir, 6-3, 205 (f-de)
58—Doug Nelson, Wheeling Park, 5-11, 205 (g-lb)
60—Kevin Ash, Magnolia, 5-10, 188 (g-ng)
61—Jon Litman, Wheeling Park, 6-1, 235 (f-t)
71—Larry Ferrera, B.Donahue, 5-8, 245 (f-t)
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81—Tom Mazzone, Brooke, 5-9, 150 (wr-k)
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84—Bob Davis, John Marshall, 5-10, 170 (rb-lb)
87—Kevin Holmes, Tyler, 6-1, 170 (wr-db)
88—Brock McCracken, J.Marshall, 6-2, 175 (db)

## **Ohio Talent Too Much for W.Va. Stars**

By DON CLEGG
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Much of the 'pregame hype for
ndsy's 19th annual Rudy Mumley
'AC All-Star Charity Football
ime focused on Ohio's whopping te advantage and the problems a nall but quick West Virginia team puld have in countering that.

a curve in the first couple of

densive series when the Mountain aters, who were expected to be reing with their secondary most of e night in support of their under-ted defensive line, elected to take eir chances with the run while ying to shut down the pass.

ssession of the game, his powder-ag offense blew up in the Mountain laters' collective faces.

ind out what each of our kids did 1:49 mark. est and give them the opportunity to o that tonight. They really came brough for us."

It wasn't the size so much as the

alent level that gave Ohio its 42-point ictory — the largest by either side in he history of the OVAC Classic.

Bellaire's Joey Galloway, Steuben-ille's Chuck Hython and Cadiz' lamon Brooks gave Morris a trio of plendid sprinters to threaten the West Virginia secondary with while puarterbacks Brent Burkhart of inadyside and Kevin Smith of East iverpool were on target all night out I the pocket.

The game got off to a rather commolent start as Ohio's first possession was short-circulted when Wheeling Park's Darius Savage rashed through to dump Smith for a seven-yard sack.
A short completion to Galloway

moved the ball back out to the Ohio 48 before Smith punted a 52-yard spiral into the end zone for a touchback.

That would be the Buckeyes' only

punt of the night.

A pair of Mike Carman plunges

gave West Virginia the initial first down of the game at its own 30 but Weir's Mike Petteway was stuffed for no gain on a sweep and Brooke's Larry Palmer then tossed two straight incompletions to bring about fourth down.

gave those two guys a little change-of-pace wiggle and all of a sudden was five yards behind them while Kevin put the ball in the only place Chuckie could catch it and Chuckie West Virginia coach Ron White was the only player on the field who rew Ohio mentor Bob Morris a bit could have."

White also viewed the two plays as turning points.
"I felt we made them earn their

first touchdown by driving it down the field," said the West Virginia was the top ground-gainer with 69 mentor, "but when we gave the wast to ground-gainer with 69 mentor, but when those last two on defensive breakdowns, it really put us in a hole.

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That change-of-pace stifled Ohio
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The second quarter ended with his in the midst of its first touchous drive and the Buckeyes folginia to a net minus-17 yards on 16 wed with quick-strike TDs on their snaps in the final two quarters. The ext two possessions to grab a 21-0 Mountain Staters only first down of alftime lead en route to a 42-0 the second half came on a questionalowout before an excellent crowd ble illegal procedure call against stimated at over 8,000 Ohio Valley Ohio on the first possession of the

ridians.
"I thought we could win," said Morris shifted to the ground game forris, "but I never dreamed it in the final two periods with Pearould be a score like this. We had a son's 45-yard gallop setting up a reat group of kids who really three-year TD sweep by Damon esponded well all week in prepara- Brooks at the 7:15 mark of the third on That's a tribute to their coaches stanza and Beallsville's Jim Brown nd staffs at the schools they played. capping a 50-yard, seven-play drive "Our main goal this week was in with an 18-yard TD scamper at the

made the score 21-0 with 3:09 to go.
"Those two (TD) plays really got the advantage to 35-0 heading into the about athletic moves. Galloway just scoring with 7:54 remaining in the game when he hammered into the end zone from two yards out. Burkhart kicked the extra-point after the final touchdown.

Burkhart and Smith combined to

hit on 12-of-15 passes for 189 yards with no interceptions. Burkhart was a perfect 5-for-5 for 87 yards while Smith connected on 7-of-10 for 102.

Galloway led all receivers with five

six for West Virginia and dominated the total yardage figures by an impressive 418-57 figure.

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First downs		100	44	20		
Rushes-yards	4			45-227	77-14	
Passing yards				184	39	
Comp-Att-Int			- 1	7-16-0	2-19-1	
Secked yes lost				5-23	. 7-44	
Punts				1-52	± 26	
Fumbles Lost				.1:1	2-1	
Penalties Yards			4	8.40	7-44	