

# Team Preview: Eastport-South Manor – Sharks

2016 In Review: The Sharks finished with a 1-7 record in Division III as they didn't play well look for a turn around this year.

Departures: Joe Bowker New England Football and Andrew Miller Plymouth State Football

Offense: The Sharks run a Spread offense and have the following players returning; Mark Pace senior WR 6'1 200 had 23 receptions-247 yards receiving-3 carries-19 yards, Michael Kane senior QB 5'11 180 8 carries-53 yards rushing-4 receptions-83 yards receiving-2 td's, Brenden Scott junior HB 6'0 215, Julien McIntosh senior OL 6'4 310, Matt Goncalves junior TE 6'6 270 started at OT as a sophomore, Anthony Gambino junior WR 6'2 190 had 4 receptions-38 yards-receiving and Anthony Zarcone senior WR 6'2 190 had 8 receptions-41 yards receiving. A newcomer is Nick Capazzola sophomore OL 6'1 240.

Defense: they play a 3-5-3 defense and have the following players returning; Mark Pace senior LB had 47 tackles-2 interceptions, Brenden Scott junior LB had 53 tackles, Julien McIntosh senior DL, Matt Goncalves junior DE, Anthony Gambino junior DB had 11 tackles-1 fumble recovered and Anthony Zarcone senior DB. A newcomer is Nick Capazzola sophomore DL.

Special Teams: Mark Pace senior Punter averaged 35 yards per punt last season the rest will be decided in camp

Schedule:

Friday, 9/08, @ Islip, 7PM

Friday, 9/15, Comsewogue, 6PM

Saturday, 9/23, @ Westhampton, 2PM

Wednesday, 9/27, @ Kings Park, 4PM

Friday, 10/06, Hauppauge, 6PM

Friday, 10/13, @ Rocky Point, 7PM

Saturday, 10/21, Harborfields, 2PM

Friday, 10/27, East Hampton, 6PM

Schedule is courtesy of [nassauboces.org](http://nassauboces.org)

Question Marks: Ranked 11th in the Suffolk County Pre-Season Division III. The Sharks have some very good players returning however they are in a tough Division. If their big OL/DL gels early on they could go deep into the playoffs.

Recruiting: Senior Mark Pace is a 3 position athlete who might get a shot at a DIIA college and senior Julian McIntosh concentrated on Track & Field over the summer but he also could be a DIIA recruit. Junior Matt Goncalves keeps getting better and could end up as a DI recruit.

Coach's Comments: WE have a good young core that is getting better every day. Coach Bill Ashton now in his 4<sup>th</sup> season