

Team Preview: W.T. Clarke - Rams

2016 In Review: The Rams finished with a 6-3 record in Conference IV losing in the 1st round of the playoffs

Departures: Corey Rosenbloom Hartwick Football

Offense: the Rams run a Wing T offense and have the following players returning; Kyle Kandel senior TE 6'4 260 is a good blocker, Austin Carman-Lyons junior RB 5'9 180 had 124 carries-1018 yards rushing-12 td's, Sean Russell junior QB 5'9 180 was 29/63-487 yards passing, Arton Dalipi junior WR 6'1 175 had 8 receptions-217 receiving yards-2 td's, Tyler Abbatiello senior RB 5'10 170 and Anthony LaRosa senior WR 6'2 185 had 3 receptions-56 yards receiving. Newcomers are Antonio Ianiello junior FB 5'8 190 very powerful runner and Ozzie Bouyer sophomore OL 6'0 220.

Defense: they play a 4-4-3 defense and have the following players returning; Kyle Kandel senior DL had 42 tackles-2 fumbles recovered, Austin Carman-Lyons junior OLB, Sean Russell junior LB, Arton Dalipi junior Safety, Tyler Abbatiello senior OLB had 34 tackles 1 sack and Anthony LaRosa senior Safety. Newcomers are Antonio Ianiello junior LB and Ozzie Bouyer sophomore DL.

Special Teams: To be decided in camp

Schedule:

Friday, 9/08, @ Malverne, 7PM
Saturday, 9/16, Seaford, 2PM
Saturday, 9/23, @ Carle Place/Wheatley, 2PM
Thursday, 9/28, @ East Rockaway, 4:30PM
Saturday, 10/07, North Shore, 3PM
Saturday, 10/14, Cold Spring Harbor, 2PM
Saturday, 10/21, West Hempstead, 2PM
Saturday, 10/28, @ Locust Valley, 2PM

Schedule is courtesy of nassauboces.org

Question Marks: Ranked 3rd in the Nassau County Pre-Season Conference IV. In my opinion conference IV is wide opened and all teams especially teams ranked 1-6 have the ability to beat each on any given week. As far as the Rams go they have the talent to win this conference however they have very low numbers so they must stay healthy.

Recruiting: Senior Kyle Kandel is a very good player and could play at DIAA level

Coach's Comments: The team's strength is its skill position players and very good linemen in Kyle Kandel. Our goal is to win a county championship. Coach John Boyle now in his 31st season