

Pumpkin Math Family Fun Night At Estill Middle School

The Estill County Middle School Youth Services Center sponsored a Pumpkin Math Family Fun Night on October 20, 2014. During the evening families worked together to create geometrical shapes, while carving pumpkins for Halloween.



Estill Youth Football League At Breathitt County



District Title Is In Hands of Defeated Opponents

The Estill County Engineers have a good shot at winning District 5 in 3A after their big win over Garrard County, Friday night in Lancaster.

Estill, Bourbon and Garrard County are now tied for first place in the district, each with a 4-1 record, but neither team has beaten both other teams so the KHSAA points system comes into play with the outcome depending entirely upon their defeated opponents' final record.

KHSAA's tiebreaker system says that "each team tied for the position shall receive one point for each game won by any four of their defeated opponents in all games, except for the games played between any two of the tied teams."

Using that system, Estill County currently has 14 points (using Morgan, Magoffin, Powell and Western Hills) and is assured of at least 15 points because two of their four defeated opponents (Powell and Morgan) play each other. Estill can get a maximum of 17 points. The Engineers need Magoffin County to win over Lewis County to get the additional point.

Bourbon's top four are presently Montgomery, Breathitt, Western Hills

and Morgan County which gives them currently 12 points. Each of those teams must win for Bourbon to get 16 total; however, the Colonels can get 17 points if they defeat George Rogers Clark on Friday and replace one of the other defeated teams (Montgomery or Morgan) with GRC.

Garrard currently has 14 points but to get additional points, Casey (over 8-1 Adair) and Wayne County (over 6-3 Rockcastle) must win on Friday night. Another defeated team, Lincoln County, does not play on Friday night and has finished their regular season.

Western Hills' game with Shelby County is not a factor in the determination since they are a defeated team for Bourbon, Estill and Garrard and would affect the points for all in the same way.

The Engineers appear to have the best shot of getting the most points, but if they tie with either team the win over Garrard or the loss to Bourbon County would be the determining factor.

What's at stake here? If Estill comes out first in the district they would play at home for not just the first game of playoffs but the first two games of playoffs.

Second place would play at home only in the first

game of the playoffs.

Who would Estill play? District 5 teams face the sister district (#6) in the playoffs with 1-4, 2-3 matchups.

Russell has won the District #6 championship outright with a 5-0 record. Fleming County finished 2nd with a 4-1 record. Mason County is 3rd with 3-2, and West Carter is 2-3 and finishes 4th.

If Estill is champion of the district, they play West Carter here. If the Engineers finish second, they play Mason County here. The third place team in District 5 will play Fleming County in Flemingsburg, and 4th place (Western Hills) will play Russell at Russell (as Estill did last year).

Powell County and Bath County are shut out of playoffs.

Who's the winner of the district? Will we have co-champions? No.

KHSAA says "a trophy labeled District Champion will be sent to the manager of the top seed in the district prior to the first round game" of playoffs. That means only one champion, and it will likely be Estill.

Good luck, Engineers! But we believe you will be champion of District 5. Go, Magoffin!

District #5 Points Standing For Champion

Estill Co. 4-1 District

*Morgan Co. (W) (2-7)	2	Powell Co. (2-7)	2
Lexington Chr. (L)			
Jackson Co. (1-8)			
*Magoffin Co. (W) (6-3)	6	Lewis Co. (7-3)	7
Bath Co. (W) (1-8)			
*Powell Co. (W) (2-7)	2	Morgan Co. (3-7)	3
Bourbon Co. (L)			
*Western Hills (W)(4-5)	4	Shelby Co. (5-5)	5
Garrard Co. (W)			
McCreary Central			
Estill current total - 14		Maximum possible - 17	

Bourbon Co. 4-1 District

*Montgomery (2-7)	2	Rowan Co. (3-7)	3
Warren Central (L)			
*Breathitt Co. (W) (4-5)	4	Letcher (5-5)	5
Harrison Co. (W) (0-9)			
*Western Hills (W)(4-5)	4	Shelby Co. (5-5)	5
Estill Co. (W)			
Garrard Co. (L)			
*Powell Co. (W) (2-7)	2	Morgan Co. (3-7)	3
Bath Co. (W) (1-8)			or
*George R. Clark (4-5)		Bourbon (4-5)	4
Bourbon current total - 12		Maximum possible - 17	

Garrard Co. 4-1 District

*Casey Co. (W) (4-5)	4	Adair Co. (5-5)	5
Danville (L)			
*Wayne Co. (W) (3-6)	3	Rockcastle (4-6)	4
*Lincoln Co. (W) (3-7)	3	(Open) (3-7)	3
Bath Co. (W) (1-8)			
Powell Co. (W) (2-7)			
Bourbon Co. (W)			
*Western Hills (W)(4-5)	4	Shelby Co. (5-5)	5
Estill Co. (L)			
West Jessamine			
Garrard current total - 14		Maximum possible - 17	
*Indicates A Team's "Top 4" Winner			

Out on a Limb



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