# Estill Rushes For Over 500 Yards, Beats Gallatin County, 43-22

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The Engineers rushed for half. over 500 yards, beating Gallatin County on Friday, 43-22.

Estill County would use a 9 minute opening drive to take complete control of this game.

A Dawson Bingham 3 yard TD run would punctuate the drive and give the Gallatin homecoming crowd a sneek peek of things to come.

After the Engineer defense held the Wildcats on fourth down, another long drive by Estill would end with Blake Francisco scoring on a 6 yard TD run.

An onside kick recovery by freshman Ethan Casada would give Estill possession again.

On 4th and 1, Bingham would use a hard nosed run to gain a first down and Dylan with a 1 yard TD run.

Gallatin County would cash in on their next possession after connecting on a 42 yard pass to the 2 yard line. A touchdown and 2 point conversion would keep them within 2 touchdowns at the half.

much of the same as the Engineer "D" would hold Gallatin fans. County on fourth down inside the Estill 30 yard line.

Bingham would rip off a 46 yard run then 14 more to pay dirt and Estill would see their lead grow, 29-8.

and after a failed onside kick, Kordel Day would "make 'em pay" with a 65 yard dash to the endzone and Estill would keep injury. Get well soon, we need their lead by 20.

The Estill defense would come up big again as they held att 222 yds 3 TD, Day 11-116 Gallatin on another 4th down 1 TD, Abner 12-72, Spivey 9play.

Michael Abner would gash the defense for 26 yards and Estill would look to put this Spivey would cap the drive one away, but a mistimed Chaney 5 tkls, Franscisco 5 handoff would be fumbled and Gallatin would recover inside their 20. A 50 yard pass play and a 1 yard TD run would give Gallatin hope as they closed the score to 35-22.

A successful onside kick your ESTILL PRIDE. would give the Wildcats the

Gallatin's offense would ball and make the Estill fans Estill Tribune Sportswriter run only nine plays in the first a little nervous. But Estill's defense would come through The second half would be again and cause a turnover on downs and a little relief for the

> Bingham would use a 61 yard burst up the middle to put this one away and Estill would see their record creep above the .500 mark at 3-2.

The Estill squad was glad to Gallatin would score again have senior leader Abner back in action this week only to see him go down midway through the 4th quarter with an ankle you!

> Offensive stats: Bingham 17 64 1 TD, Francisco 7-34 1 TD. Defensive stats: Day 12 tkls, Spivey 8 tkls, River Kelley 6 tkls, Bingham 6 tkls, Colton tkls.

Estill will host rival Powell County on Friday night @ Hoover Niece Field. Action starts at 7:30. Come out and support this team and show Go Big Blue!!!!!!

Estill Engineers senior Michael Abner returned from an injury and got 72 yards rushing on Friday night in Estill's 43-22 win over the Gallatin County Wildcats.

## Marching Engineers Are 2nd Overall At Campbell County

Engineers traveled to Campbell County this second performance. The band once again had past weekend for their second competition of the season.

The Estill County High School Marching last week, the expectations were high for this a good run in preliminary competition, dominating class 2A by winning best music, best After a very successful debut performance visual, best effect, and 1st place in the class.

in finals competition later that evening. Af- of the entire contest! ter an even better showing during finals, the place prize out of twelve bands and were held at Mason County High School.

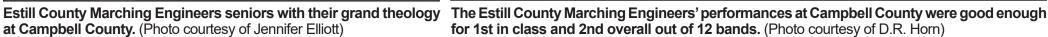
This finish once again earned them a spot named RESERVE GRAND CHAMPIONS

The band looks to carry this momentum Marching Engineers took the overall 2nd into next week's competition which will be





at Campbell County. (Photo courtesy of Jennifer Elliott)



#### Saturday, October 3rd

## **SAL Bass Tournament**

The Sons of American Le- 7:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. gion, Post 79 will be having their Fall Bass Tournament is available for \$5. on Saturday, October 3rd,

An all you can eat breakfast Everyone is welcome.



**TWIN CITY CRUZERS - schedule of events** 

- Oct 5 7pm meeting
- Oct 10 5-9pm Toys for Tots

Cruise In

(downtown Irvine)

• Oct 12 – 9am – leaving from Main St. to Natural Bridge for cookout and pot luck

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