

Cape Ann League Final Standings

**Cape Ann League - Kinney Division**

- North Reading (*Division 4*)
- Masconomet (*Division 2*)
- Newburyport
- Triton
- Pentucket

**Cape Ann League - Baker Division**

- Hamilton Wenham (*Division 6*)
- Lynnfield
- Ipswich (*Division 6*)
- Manchester-Essex (*Division 6*)
- Amesbury

**Division 5 North**

- Somerville High School
- Bedford High School
- Newburyport High School (**CAL KINNEY**)
- Weston High School
- Watertown High School
- Triton Regional High School (**CAL KINNEY**)
- Swampscott High School Swampscott
- Pentucket Reg. High School (**CAL KINNEY**)
- Amesbury High School
- Saugus High School Saugus
- Lynnfield High School

**Season Record**

Home: (4 - 1)  
Away: (2 - 3)  
League: (2 - 2)  
Overall: (6 - 4)

**Captains**

Senior Myles Maloof (RB / LB)  
Senior Connor Smith (OL / DL)  
Senior Matt Donlan (OL / LB)  
Senior Owen Bradbury (QB / LB)

**Schedule**

0	Newburyport	@	Lynnfield	32
7	Ipswich	@	Newburyport	10
0	Newburyport	@	Masconomet	35
19	Newburyport	@	Triton	13
13	Pentucket	@	Newburyport	21
32	North Reading	@	Newburyport	13

**MIAA Playoffs (5 seed in MIAA North Tournament)**

28	#5 Newburyport	@	#4 Weston	0	(Round 1)
7	#5 Newburyport	@	#1 Lynnfield	26	(Round 2)
0	#2 Somerville	@	#5 Newburyport	18	(Consolation bracket game)
0	Amesbury	@	Newburyport	27	

This past April, Newburyport lost a giant in the community and a legend in the local football family with the passing of Coach Tom Smolski. All of us have been disheartened with the loss and remember Tom with great fondness.

Tom dedicated years of service to Newburyport through his career with the Water Department and by volunteering thousands of hours to the Pioneer League, Senior League Baseball, Newburyport Youth Football, The NHS Boosters Club and NHS Athletics. He instilled Clipper values in every player he coached and taught us all about passion, pride, **tradition** and commitment.

This season there will be two additions honoring Coach Smolski's service. All Football players will have a custom helmet sticker reading "Coach Smolski", in remembrance of Tom. He will be in the hearts of us all as we take the field each week and button up the helmets for each practice.

In addition, there is a plaque just outside of the football locker room. On the top is a half-hull of an older style Clipper helmet, below is a quote, given by Coach at his Wall of Fame induction back in 2015. The plaque reads:

*In memory of Coach Tom Smolski*

*"It meant a lot to me to coach the kids and to be in Newburyport. I used to tell the kids, be proud! You wear the Crimson and Olde Gold. When you play Newburyport, you know you played a game because we would hit people, and when you left the stadium, you knew you played Newburyport"*

*-Coach Tom Smolski*

*WOF Induction Speech. 2015*

This plaque will stand in his memory and his words will continue to inspire future players before they take the field.

Coach, we know that you are up there with the Clippers of old, watching over us and rooting against Amesbury. Through those you inspired and taught, your legacy will continue on for years to come and the Clipper values you impressed upon us will be instilled on generations of Clippers to follow.

Thank you for everything Coach, we miss you.



## Roster

Name		#	Ht	Wt	Grade	Position
Snowdon	Ryan	5	5'10"	140	11	WR/DB
Webster	Seamus	6	5'9"	165	11	WR/DB
Mulvey	Eben	7	6'1"	175	12	WR/DL
Johnston	Robby	8	5'9"	175	11	RB/LB
Maloof	Myles	9	6'1"	190	12	RB/OLB
Murphy	Thomas	10	6'0"	160	11	QB/DB
Bradbury	Owen	12	6'1"	185	12	QB/OLB
Harmon	Donte	15	5'9"	180	12	RB/DB
Skane	Connor	19	5'10"	145	12	WR/DB
Van Schalkwyk	Noah	20	5'11"	160	12	WR/DB
MacDonald	Ryan	21	5'10"	140	12	QB/DB
Greene	Thomas	24	5'10"	160	11	RB/DB
Comeau	Colin	33	5'5"	145	12	R/OLB
Foley	Trevor	50	5'10"	180	10	OL/LB
Baraclough	Calvin	51	5'8"	175	10	OL/LB
Donlan	Matt	52	5'10"	185	12	OL/DL
LaGasse	Greg	53	6'0"	220	12	OL/DL
DeGloria	Kevin	55	6'3"	190	12	OL/DL
Cassidy	Tristan	56	6'1"	215	12	OL/DL
O'Malley	Myles	60	5'11"	180	11	OL/DL
Woekel	Ralph	62	6'0"	205	11	OL/DL
Bartkiewicz	Walker	63	6'1"	180	10	OL/DE/PK
Doyle	Thomas	66	5'9"	185	11	OL/DL
Donlan	Kyle	67	6'0"	190	10	OL/DL
Tran	Adrian	70	5'8"	160	10	OL/LB
Wellman	Andrew	72	6'0"	200	12	OL/DL
Smith	Connor	76	6'6"	250	12	OL/DL
Picciano	Jared	80	6'0"	160	11	WR/DB
White	Cameron	81	5'11"	175	12	WR/OLB
Smith	Will	82	6'0"	175	10	WR/ DE
Lane	Jake	83	6'1"	165	11	WR/DL
Young	Luke	86	6'1"	165	10	WR/DL

## Senior Career Statistics

### Myles Maloof

*Class of 2018*

Year	Rushing	Receiving	Passing	Misc.	Points
2015	22-134-1	2-41-1			12
2016	37-250	21-301-3			18
2017	*180-923-11	7-50	0-1	2 pt conv. INT (20)	68
<b>Totals</b>	<b>239-1,307-12</b>	<b>30-392-4</b>	<b>0-1</b>	<b>2 pt. Conv. INT (20)</b>	<b>98</b>

*\*Finished #1 in local rushing leaders 2017*

### Owen Bradbury

*Class of 2018*

Year	Rushing	Receiving	Passing	Points
2015	7-(-32)	11-97	2-6-15-0-1	0
2016		6-144-1		6
2017	*130-729-5		49-95-485-3-5	30
<b>Totals</b>	<b>137-697-5</b>	<b>17-241-1</b>	<b>51-101-500-3-6</b>	<b>36</b>

*\*Finished #3 in local rushing leaders 2017*

### Donte Harmon

*Class of 2018*

Year	Rushing	Receiving	Passing	Misc.	Points
2016	33-130-4	1-2			24
2017	24-85-1	3-36-1			12
<b>Totals</b>	<b>57-215-5</b>	<b>4-38-1</b>			<b>36</b>

### Noah VanSchalkwyk

*Class of 2018*

Year	Rushing	Receiving	Misc.	Points
2017	4-13	14-149-2	197 ret yards - 2 Int. (0) ret.	12
<b>Totals</b>	<b>4-13</b>	<b>14-149-2</b>	<b>197 ret yards - 2 Int. (0) ret.</b>	<b>12</b>

### Connor Skane

*Class of 2018 (transferred into NHS as a Senior)*

Year	Rushing	Receiving	Misc.	Points
2017	2-5-(2 pt.)		3-5 PAT	5
<b>Totals</b>	<b>2-5-(2 pt.)</b>		<b>3-5 PAT</b>	<b>5</b>

## Newburyport High School Football Stats: Class of 2019

**Seamus Webster**

*Class of 2019*

Year	Rushing	Receiving	Passing	Misc.	Points
2017	6 - 5	12 - 121		INT. (0)	0
2018					
Totals					

**Thomas Murphy**

*Class of 2019*

Year	Rushing	Receiving	Passing	Misc.	Points
2017	8 - 34	6 - 60	1 - 1 - 18 - 0 - 0	INT (0)	0
2018					
Totals					

**Thomas Green**

*Class of 2019*

Year	Rushing	Receiving	Passing	Misc.	Points
2017	9 - 15				0
2018					
Totals					

**Robby Johnston**

*Class of 2019*

Year	Rushing	Receiving	Passing	Misc.	Points
2017	3 - 0	5 - 51		INT. (30) -1	6
2018					
Totals					

## Newburyport High School Football Stats: Class of 2020

**Walker Bartkiewicz**

*Class of 2020*

Year	Rushing	FG	PAT	Misc.	Points
2017	1 - 1	1 - 4 (25yd)	7 - 12		10
2018					
2019					
Totals					

## 2017 Defensive Stats

Name	Tackles	Sack	FR	Int	other	TD
Bradbury	74	2	1		Blk pat	
Johnston	51		1	1		1
Maloof	48	2.5		1		
C. Smith	43		2			
Mulvey	40	3	1			
Walker	26	1	2			
Foley	21	1		1		
Murphy	21			1		
Van Schalkwyk	20			2		
Harmon	20					
Webster	16			1		
Donlan	15	.5				
Doyle	15	.5				
Skane	15					
Cassidy	13					
Lagasse	2					
Macdonald	9					
Greene	6					
LaGasse	5					
Degloria	5					
Lane	3					
Woekel	2					
Wellman	2					

## 2017 Senior Career Defensive Stats

Name	Tackles	Sack	FR	Int	other	TD
Maloof	113	2.5	1	4		
Bradbury	112	1	2	1	Blk pat	
C. Smith	102	3	2		Blk. punt	
Mulvey	40	3	1			
Donlan	25	.5				
Harmon	31			1		
Van Schalkwyk	20			2		
Skane	15					
Cassidy	13					
Macdonald	9					
LaGasse	12					
Degloria	5					
Wellman	2					

## Staff

Head Coach Ben Smolski (3rd consecutive year at NHS- First as Head Coach). Coached in Newburyport, Lawrence and Saugus before returning home. Ben is a 2002 graduate of NHS and along with his family, is a true Newburyporter.

Offensive Coordinator Anthony Callahan. (1st year at NHS). Coach Cal has been coaching for many years with Danvers, Ipswich and most recently with Triton. He is a teacher with the Saugus public schools and brings a great energy to the team and staff.

Head Freshman Coach and Varsity Assistant Jason Beauparlant. (22nd season with NHS). Jason has trained generations of Clippers, runs a high tempo strength and conditioning camp in the off season and designs the weight training programs for athletes. Also a graduate of NHS, Jason's roots run deep in Newburyport.

Assistant Coach John Webber. (9th season at NHS) A 2000 graduate of NHS and member of the 97-98 championship teams. John works primarily with the lineman, specifically as the D-line coach. A life-long Newburyporter and has managed stats, records and stories of NHS football past to present.

Assistant Coach Jim Smith. (2nd season with NHS). Jim is a Trinity alumni and former player who brings a terrific skill set and mind to the staff. Recently retired from corporate life, Jim has taken on the special teams role this year as well as working with receivers and defensive backs.

Assistant Coach Slade Williams. (2nd season with NHS). Slade has been a member of the staff in a prior stint under former coach Ed Gaudiano. He is a former college quarterback at San Jose State and UNLV, and works with our skill position players.

Freshman Coach and Varsity Assistant John Morris. (1st year with NHS). A former player at Hofstra, John raised his family in Newburyport and had kids go through the school system here. He brings a wealth of knowledge and has a great energy and working rapport with the players.

Freshman Coach and Varsity Assistant Dan Jerolowitz. (1st year with NHS). A former player at St. John's Prep on some of their dominant teams of the 90's / early 2000's, Dan brings a wealth of knowledge and background to the staff. His family has been rooted in Newburyport for years and knows the tradition and roots of NHS Football.

Assistant Coach Mike Smolski. (1st year back with NHS. Former NHS Coordinator). Mike has been a member of the staff in prior stints under former NHS Coach Ed Gaudiano. Mike was the Defensive Coordinator for the last NHS championship team (2011 D3 NEC/ CAL Champs). He is a former player at NHS (Class of 99') and player at St. Anselm College. Mike manages sidelines, equipment and helps with personnel and game planning as a part time member of the staff.



## Pride Night Dinners

New tradition of team eating dinner together Thursdays before games. Coach Smolski invites a new alumnus each week to speak. The 2017 speakers included:

- **Steve Lapham** (NHS 98') Gridiron Club President. Former Tuffs 2-sport athlete. CAL & Superbowl Champ
- **Jon Bugli** (NHS 05') D1 National Champion Starter w/ Villanova
- **Brent Salvatore** (NHS 80'?) Former youth coach and Newburyporter
- **Mike Smolski** (NHS 98') St. Anselm. CAL & Superbowl Champ. Coach at NHS and former Defensive Coordinator
- **Larry Russell** (NHS 67') ACC Champion Starter w/ Wake Forest. NEC and Superbowl champ. WOF 1990
- **Dan Sullivan** (NHS 67') Played at UMaine (rushing record holder in 69'). NEC & Super Bowl Champ. Assistant Coach NHS 1988-93. WOF 2001
- **Coach Jim Stehlin** (NHS Coach/ AD 64'-83') Legendary Hall of Fame (NHS & Mass Coaches) coach whose name is synonymous with Newburyport
- **Brett Bashaw** (NHS 96') WOF 2016, MVP at NHS, CAL and UNH. Two time All Conference LB, Top 10 all time in tackles for a season and career.
- **Jed Beuparlant** (NHS 97') WOF (17') Football MVP, Ryan Cup award winner and leader on the field. 3 sport athlete and SuperBowl Champion 1995 (Starter on the Seawall Defense)
- **Coach Ed Gaudiano** (NHS Coach / Teacher 1988-2016) Legendary future WOF Coach and mentor to many current coaches. Coached Lacrosse and Football at NHS. 8 CAL Titles and 2 SuperBowl wins (95' & 97'). 175 Career Coaching wins is #1 all time at NHS and a milestone for the MIAA. Coach G also coached the current seniors (as sophomores) in his final game, an OT victory at home on Thanksgiving 2015.

## NHS Wall of Fame. Class of 2017

November 2nd at the Elks Club in Newburyport. Inductees included:

- Kevin Doyle (Class of 1972)
- Gary Twombly (Class of 1975)
- Ron "Wolfman" Simmons (Class of 1977)
- Jim Roney (Class of 1987)
- Kevin Lamoureux (Class of 1992)
- Jed Beuparlant (Class of 1997)

## Award Winners: Annual NHS Football Banquet

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### **Team MVP : Myles Maloof**

Awarded to the player who is viewed by their teammates as essential to the success of the team. A player that the team could not effectively function without. The Team's Most Valuable Player.

### **The Palumbo / Price "Outstanding Lineman" Award: Connor Smith**

This award is named in honor of Eugene Palumbo & outstanding lineman Mike Price (NHS 67').

Mike Price was described as a force on the line and a player with grit and desire. A key member to the success of the super teams of the 1960's. He died aboard the SS Marine Electric on February 12, 1983 as it was lost at sea in a storm off of the Virginia coast. The award has carried his namesake since 1984. In a conversation with Coach Jim Stehlin, he called Mike, "...one of the most dedicated, toughest and hardest working players I ever coached."

Eugene Palumbo : Gene was a Newburyporter with strong community ties. Tommy Palumbo (NHS 68') (Gene's son) was a stellar WOF fullback on the NHS teams of the 1960's. During their years at and following NHS, they gave back to the community in many ways. One way to give back was sponsoring the 'Outstanding Lineman Award' each year at the annual awards banquet. The award is no longer sponsored by the family, however, our program continues the name as a way of honoring those who gave so much to NHS Football and the Newburyport community.

### **The Luther Reed "Toughness" Award: Robert Johnston**

Luther Reed (NHS 57') was an outstanding offensive lineman and linebacker. He was a starter on the 1955 Class C Championship team and Co-Captain of the 1956 Class C Championship team (winning back to back state titles). An All-Scholastic Athlete, he was named to the Boston Globe All Stars and a Class C All Star in 1956. His reputation as a 'Hard-Hitting' Linebacker spread throughout the league in the mid-1950's. He was described as a truly tough player who could play through anything and an aggressive force on the defensive side of the ball.

### **The Gridiron Award: Thomas Doyle**

Presented by the Newburyport Gridiron Club, this award exemplifies the player who comes ready to work each day. This player does not have to be the star performer, the statistical leader or get the recognition in the papers, but this player is a versatile grinder, a teammate and someone who carries himself like a true Clipper, bringing an intensity and passion for the game. (To put it another way... The year long 'Hard Hat' Award)

### **Coach Larry Smith Memorial "Coaches Award" : Owen Bradbury**

(plaque and scholarship money from the family)

Assistant Coach Larry Smith coached at NHS from 1999 until his untimely death in 2011. He was loved by the players he coached and by the people he interacted with. Coach Smith loved the game and his family continues to honor his legacy by presenting a graduating senior football player with a scholarship in his name each year. Chosen by the family, by those who knew Coach Smith and by the current staff, this recipient is a 'coachable', hard working player who gives his all and has a love for the game.

## River Rivals

The Clipper beat each of the four major “river rivals” this season; One of our team goals for generations. Last time we swept the rivals was 2011.

7	Ipswich	@	Newburyport	10
19	Newburyport	@	Triton	13
13	Pentucket	@	Newburyport	21
0	Amesbury	@	Newburyport	27

## Captain(s) Elect (2018 Season)

- Robert Johnston (Junior)
- Seamus Webster (Junior)
- Trevor Foley (Sophomore)

## Record Books

### Myles Maloof

- 1,000 yard career rushing club (*26th member*)
- #16 All Time Rushing Leader in NHS History
- Finished #1 in local area rushing leaders 2017 (923)

### Owen Bradbury

- Career Rushing as a Quarterback (500+) (*8th member*)
- #2 All Time Rushing Leader as a Quarterback in NHS History
- Finished #3 in local area rushing leaders 2017 (729)

## CAL All League Players

- Connor Smith - Offensive Line / Defensive Line
- Myles Maloof - Running back / Linebacker
- Owen Bradbury - Linebacker / Quarterback

## CAL Honorable Mention All League Players

- Thomas Doyle - Offensive Line / Defensive Line

## CAL Defensive Player of the Year

- Owen Bradbury  
(*74 tackles - 2 sacks - fumble recovery - blocked pat*)

# **NHS FOOTBALL ALL TIME RECORD BOOKS**

(Also available at [www.newburyportgridironclub.org](http://www.newburyportgridironclub.org))

## **Career Scoring All Time (The Century Club – Scored over 100 pts in a career)**

*\*= Prior to rule changes on points credited for a TD*

<b>Player</b>	<b>TD</b>	<b>PAT</b>	<b>2PT</b>	<b>FG</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Years</b>
Kyle Leblanc	29	42		7	255	2006-09
Bob McAniff	34	3			207	1951-53
Mike Bresnahan	34		1		206	1973-75
Eddie O'Bara	28	19	3		193	1965-67
Jack Foley	26	9			165	1953-56
Sean Sullivan	25		2		154	1997-00
Steve Lapham	18	34	2	2	152	1995-97
Gary Twombly	25		1		152	2000-02
Greg Twombly	25				150	1975-76
Howard "Howdy" Reed	20	3			123	1932-34
Larry Russell	13	39		2	123	1965-66
Eric Bashaw	19		2		118	1990-92
Matt Langis	14	27	2		115	1981-83
John Regan	16	15	1		113	2000-02
Bret Twombly	9	53	1	1	112	1974-76
Mickey Whitney	5	69		4	111	1973-75
Joe Pace	18				108	2003-05
Scott Sullivan	17		2		106	1991-93
Craig Weir	17		1		104	1971-73
Ken Ladd	16		4		104	1968-69
Mike Nyhan-Hall	15	9	1	1	104	1991-93
JJ Bajko	13	13		4	103	2013-14
Fred Carver	17	1			103	1919-20
Todd McAniff	17				102	1978-80
John Kamienski	17				102	1946-47
Brett Fontaine	17				102	2009-11
*Walter Brown	25				103	1896-98

### Points Scored in a Single Season (75+)

Player	Points	Season
Mike Bresnahan	140	1975
Bob McAniff	121	1953
Kyle Leblanc	120	2009
Kyle Leblanc	117	2008
Eddie O'Bara	115	1967
Matt Langis	105	1983
Larry Russell	103	1966
Greg Twombly	102	1976
Bret Twombly	99	1976
Gary Twombly	98	2001
Steve Lapham	97	1997
Todd McAniff	84	1980
JJ Bajko	83	2014
Sean Sullivan	80	2000
Brett Fontaine	78	2011
Denis Stevens	78	1976
Eric Bashaw	76	1992

### Touchdowns Scored in a Single Season (13+)

Player	TD	Season
Mike Bresnahan	23	1975
Bob McAniff	20	1953
Greg Twombly	17	1976
*Hugo Parton	17	1896
John Kamienski	16	1947
Gary Twombly	16	2001
Eddie O'Bara	15	1967
Kyle Leblanc	15	2008
Bob McAniff	14	1952
Ken Ladd	14	1969
Todd McAniff	14	1980
Brett Fontaine	14	2011
Sean Sullivan	13	1999
Denis Stevens	13	1976
Matt Langis	13	1983

*Many players tied at 12*

*\*Prior to point change credited for a touchdown*

**PAT made in a Career – Also indicates single season marks (records as well)**

Player	PAT	PAT Single Season	Season
Mickey Whitney	69	32, 22 - 1975, '74	1973-75
Brandon Trego	58	22- 2011, '13	2011-13
Bret Twombly	53	46 - 1976	1974-76
Kyle Leblanc	42	24 - 2008	2006-09
Mike Haberland	40	20 - 1990	1989-91
Larry Russell	39	37 - 1966	1965-66
Steve Lapham	34	28 – 1997	1995-97
Brian Beck	33		1985-87
Ralph Shepard	32	28 - 1896	1895-96
Alfred Marshall	32	29 - 1953	1951-53

**Field Goal Records (Some for FG made / some for distance - Not all distances noted in older articles)**

Player	FG – single game	FG- Season	FG- Career	Longest FG	Season
Kyle Leblanc		6	7	43	2006-09
Rob Theroux	2 (twice in '93)	6	6	31, 41	1993
Brandon Trego	2 (twice in '12)	6	7	32	2010-13
Mickey Whitney	3 (1975)	3	4	31, 36	1974-75
JJ Bajko	2	4	4	27	2013-14
Mike Haberland		3	4		1989-91
Herb Trumbull	2 (1924)	3	3	38	1923-24
Charles Colby				35	1898
Brett Twombly				34	1976
Peter Yates				34	1979
Jeff Twombly				32	1980
Joel Skaff		2	2	27, 31	2016

**Longest TD Run (80 + yards)**

Player	Yards	Season
Eddie O'Bara	93	1967
Warren Page	90	1939
Kevin Hale	89	1997
Dick Marshall	88	1948
Spud Pollard	86	1930
Larry Russell	81	1966
Billy Johnson	80	1962
Gordon Marshall	80	1956
Charlie Rundlett	80	1950
Frank Salvatore	80	1957

### Longest TD Pass/Reception (75+ yards)

Player(s)	Yards	Season
Connor Wile – Ian Michaels	85	2011
Joe Clancy – Kyle Leblanc	84	2006
Ryan McCarthy – Jeff Stone	83	1997
Peter Herzig – Ben Babcock	82	2000
Dennis Stevens – Kevin Lattime	81	1976
Rob Shay - <b>Myles Maloof</b>	79	2016

### Career Touchdown Passes – Single Season Stats also Records (14+ Career)

Player	Touchdowns	TD Passes Single Season	Season
Joe Clancy	42	22	2006-08
Larry Russell	27		1965-66
Mike Rymsha	27		1988-90
Peter Herzig	26	14	1999-01
Connor Wile	22	21	2010-12
Bobby Jean	21	18	1982-83
Michael Shay	18	12	2013-14
Ryan McCarthy	16	14	1996-97
Denis Stevens	16		1976
Kevin Sullivan Sr.	16		1974-75
Steve Ladd	14		1994-95
Kevin Sullivan Jr.	14	6	2003-05
Ryan O'Connor	14	9	2009-10
Rob Shay	14	9	2015-16

### Career Passing Leaders – The 1,000 Yard Club

Player	Comp.	Att.	Yards	Passing TD	Int.	Career Points	Season
Joe Clancy	240	446	3,512	42			2006-08
Peter Herzig	189	362	3,104	26			1999-01
Mike Rymsha	179	372	2,988	27	21	52	1988-90
Michael Shay	155	305	2,448	18		66	2012-14
Conner Wile	189	310	2,367	22		34	2011-12
Bobby Jean	151	264	2,316	21	15	14	1982-83
Kevin Sullivan	112	243	1,677	14	23	90	2003-05
Ryan O'Connor	126	259	1,666	14			2009-10
Rob Shay	119	281	1,648	14	14	58	2015-16
Steve Ladd	120	252	1,529	14	17		1994-95
Kevin Stehlin	101	219	1,434	13	?	54	1978-80
Denis Stevens	55	93	1,402	15	?	84	1976
Ryan McCarthy	99	197	1,237	16	15	54	1996-97
Louis Festo	76	165	1,221	11	?	46	1971-73
Kurt Laasko	93	230	1,167	7	19	12	1986-87
Kevin Sullivan	67	136	1,159	16	?	92	1974-75
*Larry Russell	39	74	992	28	3	123	1965-66

\* Passing stats were unavailable for 1965

### Career Rushing by a Quarterback (Ranked by Yards - Minimum 500 yards)

Player	Carries	Yards	Touchdowns	Season
Kevin Sullivan	?	839	14	1974-75
<b>Owen Bradbury</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>697</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2015-17</b>
Kevin Sullivan	166	688	15	2003-05
Michael Shay	135	663	11	2012-14
Denis Stevens	96	627	13	1976
Bobby Jean	161	615	2	1982-83
John Regan	84	527	10	2001-02
*Larry Russell	84	492	13	1965-66

\* Full QB stats not available for 1965 season

### Career Touchdown Receptions – Single Season Stats also Records

Player	Touchdowns	Single Season	Season
Kyle Leblanc	19	12 – 2008	2006-09
Brett Fontaine	17	<b>13</b> - 2011	2009-2011
Andrew Sokal	12	6 – (twice in 07/08)	2007-10
Marc Oulett	10	9 – 1997	1997-98
Kyle Kravchuk	9		1983-84
Bret Twombly	9		1975-76
Kevin Lattime	9		1975-76
Ray Griskiewicg	8		1968-69
Rick Williams	8		1964-65
J.J Bajko	8	7 - 2014	2013-14

### Single Season Receptions (30+ in a season)

Player	Receptions	Yards	Touchdowns	Season
Brett Fontaine	81	1,080	13	2011
Andrew Sokal	46	702	6	2008
J.J Bajko	44	831	7	2014
Matt Blomberg	42	741	6	1990
Kyle Leblanc	40	773	12	2008
Ben Babcock	36	573	3	2000
Derek Freeman	35	440	5	2008
Peter Arsonault	30	463	3	1983
Bruce Bridges	30	439	6	1983

### Career Receiving Leaders - (1,000 + Club)

Player	Yards	Season
Brett Fontaine	1,754	2010-11
Kyle Leblanc	1,309	2006-09
J.J Bajko	1,086	2013-14



### Career Pass Receptions (40+ in a career)

Player	Receptions	Yards	Touchdowns	Season
Brett Fontaine	121	1,754	17	2010-11
Andrew Sokal	73	993	12	2007-10
Kyle Leblanc	72	1,309	19	2006-09
J.J Bajko	58	1,086	8	2013-14
Ben Babcock	52	870	5	1999-00
Peter Arsonault	43	661	4	1983-84
Matt Blomberg	42	741	6	1990
Bruce Bridges	42	617	7	1982-83
Kyle Kravchuk	40	678	9	1983-84
Chris Hale	40	595	5	1994-95

### Career Rushing Leaders – (1,000 + Club)

Player	Yards	Season
Greg Twombly	1,941	1975-76
Todd McAniff	1,920	1978-80
Brett Bashaw	1,833	1994-95
*Scott Sullivan	1,824	1991-93
Sean Sullivan	1,733	1997-00
Mike Bresnahan	1,704	1974-75
Eddie O'Bara	1,663	1965-67
Craig Weir	1,584	1971-72
Steve Lapham	1,510	1995-97
Eric Bashaw	1,501	1990-92
Jimmie Farrell	1,492	1988-89
Joe Pace	1,440	2003-06
Kevin Hale	1,424	1996-99
Jeff Wecal	1,363	1997-98
Jamie Armstrong	1,308	1996-98
<b>Myles Maloof</b>	<b>1,307</b>	<b>2015-17</b>
Tyler Martin	1,235	2009-11
Gary Twombly	1,172	2000-02
Kenny Adams	1,147	2001-02
Connor Clancy	1,153	2003-04
Quin Stott	1,106	2014-15
Mike Noyes	1,101	1990-91
Bill Daniels	1,097	1987-88
Tyler Cussack	1,095	2011-13
Lyle Lunsden	1,027	1971-72
Justin Burl	1,021	2007

\*= Also holds record for most yards in a single season (1,365 on 222 carries – 1993)

## Game Log(s)

### Key:

**Rushing** #Carries - Yards - TD (other)  
**Passing** Completions - Attempts - Yards - TD - Int.  
**Receiving** Receptions - Yards - TD

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### Newburyport Clippers @ Lynnfield Pioneers

Friday September 8, 2017

Loss: 32-0

Box Score:

N: 0-0-0-0-0

L: 12-14-6-0-32

### Game Notes:

Opening night and first game for new NHS head coach Ben Smolski. Lynnfield dominated from the jump, moving the ball at will with over 400 yards of total offense. Newburyport couldn't capitalize on momentum and gave up big plays on 3rd and long all night. This was a JV contest by mid 3rd quarter. The Clippers also lost Junior DE/ WR Jake Lane to a fractured clavicle as a result of a tackle from behind after a 30 yard fumble return.

### Rushing

Maloof	12-66	
Bradbury	9-33	
Harmon	5- (-11)	*Knee down on punt attempt
Webster	1-3	
Murphy	3-10	
Green	4-11	

### Passing

Bradbury	7-15-25-0-1
Murphy	0-0

### Receiving

Maloof	3-8
Van Schalkwyk	1-5
Webster	2-6
Murphy	1-6
Team	7-25

## **Newburyport Clippers vs. Ipswich Tigers**

Friday, September 15, 2017. Stehlin Field.

Win 10-7

Box Score:

N: 0 - 0 - 7 - 3 - 10

I: 0 - 7 - 0 - 0 - 7

### **Game Notes:**

An absolute soaker prior to the game. Downpours drenched the area and mixed air brought in fog that thickened throughout the game. A little sloppy with mistakes made by both teams. It was halftime adjustments that sealed it for the Clipper as Ipswich only possessed the ball for 5:53 the entire second half (only 3 offensive plays in the 3rd quarter). A well executed 25 yard field goal by the Clipper was the difference in this one.

### **Rushing:**

Bradbury 12- 113 (*paper credited 2 losses to QB, we ruled on the snap & a loose ball fumble. Victory formation ruled as -5 yards rushing*)

Maloof 16 - 43

Harmon 6 - 57 - 1

Webster 2 - 4

### **Passing:**

Bradbury 3 - 6 - 43 - 0 - 1

### **Receiving:**

Maloof 1 - 33

Van Schalkwyk 2 - 10

### **Special Teams:**

Bartkiewicz FG 1 - 2 - 25 yds. (*Missed from 39 - wide left*)

Skane PAT 1 - 1

## **Newburyport Clippers @ Masconomet Chieftains**

Friday, September 22, 2017. 7pm

Loss: 35-0

Box Score:

N: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0 - 0

M: 6 - 22 - 0 - 7 - 35

### **Game Notes:**

For 6:00 in the second quarter, the wheels came off and that was the ballgame. Mistakes, interceptions, botched punts and poor defense allowed Masco to score 22 unanswered points in just over 5 minutes before halftime. Masco's huge size advantage and stronger athletes was evident. The size was an issue, but what became apparent was, that team lifts and trains together, the Clipper does not. Newburyport had its chances but needed to play flawlessly to pull this one out, which they did not. The Clipper also lost Senior Captain Matt Donlan to a concussion late in the 3rd quarter. The Clippers (1-2) go into a bye week before taking on rival Triton.

### **Rushing:**

Bradbury	7 - 16
Harmon	2 - 0
Maloof	11 - 29
Green	3 - 0
Murphy	2 - 5

### **Passing:**

Bradbury	3 - 6 - 19 - 0 - 1
Murphy	1 - 1 - 18 - 0 - 0

### **Receiving:**

Maloof	1 - 0
Harmon	1 - 7
Webster	1 - 12
Van Schalkwyk	1 - 18

Team:	4 - 37
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### **Special Teams:**

Bartkiewicz	0-1 FG
Bradbury	PAT Block

## **Newburyport Clippers @ Triton Vikings**

Friday, October 6, 2017

Win: 19 - 13

Box Score

N: 6 - 0 - 0 - 13 - 19

T: 0 - 0 - 6 - 7 - 13

### **Game Notes**

A classic Newburyport / Triton game with a back and forth feel of momentum all night. Big crowd was on hand, including a large alumnus contingent. It was the initial edition of the "Border Battle" and a new trophy added to the game with a clipper ship and viking ship on either side. Defense was swarming and the Clipper offense played best running hard downhill. Both teams had missed opportunities but in the end an interception by linebacker Trevor Foley sealed the victory for the Clips.

### **Rushing**

Bradbury 14 - 73 - 1

Maloof 14 - 73 - 2

Harmon 6 - 23

*\*3 Team knee (victory formation -15 yards credited to Bradbury)*

### **Passing**

Bradbury 4 - 8 - 44

### **Receiving**

Webster 1 - 10

Harmon 1 - 3

Murphy 2 - 31

### **Special Teams**

Bartkiewicz 0 - 1 PAT (*PAT was from 36 yds out due to penalty*)

Skane 1 - 2 PAT

Van Schalkwyk Punt / Kick Ret. 4 - 45

## The Border Battle Game

*Newburyport vs. Triton*

By: John Webber NHS Class of '00



Sport creates rivalry, and in football some of the greatest rivalries come to life. Tradition, pride, and bragging rights are always on the line. At the collegiate ranks, the rivalry names precede their reputation... The Iron Bowl, The Backyard Brawl, The Red River Rivalry and The Civil War to name a few. These traditional rivalries usually have geographic significance and teams spawn rivalries based on their proximity to one another or for any number of reasons depending on who you ask.

High School football tends to follow suit; with big games, tradition and pride are on the line in rivalry games. In Newburyport, we have traditional “river rivals”, games played against Ipswich and Pentucket, teams flanking Newburyport to the East and West. We have our oldest rivalry, dating back to 1892, played against Amesbury every Thanksgiving morning; With this rivalry comes the fanfare, the homecoming for many and the tradition of the Color Day pep rally and festivities.

One of the most overlooked rivalries, however, and one of the biggest is Triton. The two schools were once one, during the days of the Northeast Conference and a powerhouse NHS program. Once Triton was built in 1971, allegiances were formed and a classic rivalry began. This became the game that pitted family against family, friend against friend and former teammates against one another. To the players, this is one to circle on the calendar. It seems that from year to year, this is the game where emotions run high and teams play as if there’s more on the line than just wins and losses.

There are more memories than miles between these two teams. It’s a quick ride over the marsh and a simple four miles between the schools. The intangibles that can not be measured however, are the passion and the intensity that goes into a Triton - Newburyport week.

This is the game, second to Thanksgiving in terms of emotion and attendance. We've seen fans rush the field, huge crowds and car horns escorting teams back home from road wins.

Classic battles between the Triton squads of Coach Corcoran and Coach Gaudino's Clippers often held league implications throughout the 80's and 90's. The epic 1995 battle dubbed, 'the fog bowl' ended in a field goal through the mist and is considered by some to be one of the greatest CAL high school games ever played.

Triton names through the ages, from Foley and Corkum, to Bazirgan, Volpone, the Verrier brothers and Emerzian can all bear witness to the passion and the intensity of a Newburyport game under the Friday night lights or on the frozen tundra of a windy October Saturday morning.

Likewise, since the creation of the Cape Ann League in 74'; Clippers such as the Twombly's, Gannon, Bashaws, Ladds, Sullivans, Clancy and Guthro are only a few of the notable names from the hundreds who have felt the glory of victory and the agony of defeat in this rivalry game.

While some sport rivalries seem to come and go depending on records, personnel and time, the battle for superiority and competition between these local schools has endured for over 40 seasons. It's an exciting rivalry that some would love to see as a season opener or a homecoming game. To others, however, it is still that classic border battle game that pitted one brother against the other in the 1970's and a tradition that continues to grow.

### Epilougue:

It is our hope to establish a trophy for this rivalry game. The top being a old bronze football and the base having a front plaque which reads "The Border Battle Game" Awarded annually to the winner of the Newburyport - Triton football game. On one side of the trophy, an etching of a Viking Ship matted in blue and on the other, a Clipper Ship matted in Crimson. The winner would display, with their side facing out, in a trophy case until the next year, where the trophy would be displayed and again up for grabs and bragging rights for that year.

\*In years past we have had situations that caused the two teams to meet on more than one occasion in a season due to the new playoff format. If this were to occur, the initial meeting would determine the trophy until the following season.

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### Head to Head

1973 N: 34 - T: 0 (the first in the CAL)	1982 T: 22 - N: 0	1992 T: 19 - N: 0
1974 N: 46 - T: 0	1983 T: 23 - N: 7	1993 N: 19 - T: 16 (OT)
1975 N: 41 - T: 6	1984 T: 33 - N: 6	1994 N: 26 - T: 14
1976 N: 42 - T: 7	1985 T: 21 - N: 20	1995 N: 3 - T: 0 (The Fog Bowl)
1977 N: 7 - T: 6	1986 T: 12 - N: 0	1996 T: 14 - N: 7
1978 T: 19 - N: 8	1987 N: 6 - T: 0	1997 N: 27 - T: 0
1979 N: 34 - T: 0	1988 T: 12 - N: 0	1998 N: 27 - T: 6
1980 N: 28 - T: 12	1989 N: 7 - T: 0	1999 N: 14 - T: 0
1981: T: 7 - N: 6	1990 T: 28 - N: 13	2000
	1991 N: 14 - T: 13	

2001	2008 T: 6 - N: 0	2013 N: 19 - T: 13 (Played again in playoff consolation round N: 13 - T: 0 )
2002	2009 T: 14 - N: 7	2014 T: 33 - N: 15
2003	2010 N: 15 - T: 13	2015 T: 30 - N: 20
2004 T: 21 - N: 7	2011 N: 27 - T: 6	2016 T: 34 - N: 21
2005 T: 35 - N: 27	2012 N: 35 - T: 15	2017 N: 19 - T: 13
2006 T: 7 - N: 0		
2007 N: 26 - T: 0		

## **Newburyport Clippers vs. Pentucket Sachems**

Friday, October 13, 2017

Win: 21 - 13

Box Score

N: 0 - 7 - 0 - 14 - 21

P: 7 - 0 - 6 - 0 - 13

### **Game Notes**

Great back and forth Cape Ann League River Rival battle. The Clips had difficulty stopping the pass against a good QB/ WR combo for Pentucket. The Clips kept to their 'ball control / ground and pound' and wore down the Sachems in the end. A strong 4th quarter, led by senior captain Myles Maloof sealed the victory.

### **Rushing**

Bradbury 12 - 45  
Maloof 15 - 105 - 2 (2 pt. conv.)  
Harmon 2 - 3  
Bartkiewicz 1 - 1

### **Passing**

Bradbury 4 - 8 - 50 - 1 - 0

### **Receiving**

Maloof 1 - 5  
Harmon 2 - 33 - 1  
Mulvey 1 - 12

### **Special Teams**

Skane PAT 1 - 2

### **Defensive Notes**

Maloof Int. 20 yd return  
Murphy Int. 0 return



## **Newburyport Clippers vs. North Reading Hornets**

Friday, October 20, 2017

Loss: 32 - 13

Box Score

N: 7 - 0 - 6 - 0 - 13

NR: 8 - 7 - 10 - 7 - 32

### **Game Notes**

For a share of the Cape Ann League D5 Large Title. A bad night to go flat for the Clippers. Coming into the contest, the two teams were very similar. What it came down to was The Hornet ran around and played to the whistle and Newburyport did not. This team also knew what it took to play in a league title game and were prepared. Poor tackling and not finishing plays were the demise of the Clips tonight.

### **Rushing**

Bradbury	16 - 66
Malooof	10 - 59 - 1
Harmon	2 - 10

### **Passing**

Bradbury	8 - 15 - 61 - 1
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### **Receiving**

Webster	2 - 18
Murphy	2 - 10
Van Schalkwyk	4 - 33 - 1

### **Special Teams**

Bartkiewicz	PAT	1 - 2
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## #5 Newburyport Clippers vs. #4 Weston Wildcats

Saturday, October 28, 2017

First Round of the North Sectional Playoffs

Win 28 - 0

Box Score

N: 14 - 7 - 7 - 0 - 28

W: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0 - 0

### Game Notes

Game played at Wellesley High School due to construction on Weston field this year. A good old fashioned thrashing. The Clippers controlled the game from the jump, nearly doubling time of possession and running at will on this undisciplined Weston team. Weston turned the ball over three times and racked up 11 penalties (including 5 unsportsmanlike conduct) for 105 yards. The speed of the Clippers and the aggressive play was too much for the Wildcat. Newburyport moves on to a rematch from week 1 against a very talented Lynnfield team (#1 in the bracket).

### Rushing

Maloof	16 - 106 - 3
Bradbury	15 - 107 - 1
Webster	1 - 4
Greene	1 - 2
Murphy	1 - 3
Johnson	3 - 0
Van Schalkwyk	2 - 13
MacDonald	1 - 6
Skane	1 - 2

### Passing

Bradbury 4 - 7 - 71 - 0 - 0

### Receiving

Webster	1 - 7
Johnson	1 - 9
Van Schalkwyk	2 - 55

### Special Teams

Bartkiewicz	PAT 4 - 4	FG 0 - 1 (38 yard att)
Van Schalkwyk	50 return yards (punt and kickoff)	

### Other

Van Schalkwyk INT. ; Onsidess recovery

## #5 Newburyport Clippers @ # 1 Lynnfield Pioneers

D5 North Sectional Semifinals

Friday November 3rd. 2017

Loss: 26 - 7

Box Score

N: 0 - 7 - 0 - 0 - 7

L: 7 - 6 - 6 - 7 - 26

### Game Notes:

Tough loss for the Clippers, who played a good game tonight against an explosive Pioneer team. The Clippers played their game and controlled the first half with long drives and containing defense. A series of mistakes for the Clipper and big plays for the Pioneer, led to the uneven second half scoring. The Clipper is now in the consolation bracket for the final round of the sectional tournament before gearing up for Thanksgiving in the season finale.

### Rushing

Maloof	27 - 110
Bradbury	16 - 51 - 1
Harmon	1 - 3
Greene	1 - 2
Van Schalkwyk	2 - 0

### Passing

Bradbury	4 - 9 - 50 - 0 - 2
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### Receiving

Webster	2 - 28
Johnson	1 - 9
Murphy	1 - 13

### Special Teams / Defense

Bartkiewicz	PAT	1 - 1
Maloof	KOR	1 - 30
Webster	INT.	(0 on the return)

### Time of Pos.

N: 29:56 (57 plays - 225 yds.)

L: 14:04 (37 plays - 239 yds.)

## #5 Newburyport Clippers vs. #2 Somerville Highlanders

Friday November 10, 2017

North Sectional Consolation Game

Win 18 - 0

Box Score

N: 0 - 6 - 6 - 6 - 18

S: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0 - 0

### Game Notes

Bitter cold Senior Night at Stehlin Field; in the teens with windy conditions. The Clippers controlled this one from the jump, dominating on the line of scrimmage and holding the Highlanders to under 100 total yards of offense. The Clippers moved the ball at will, led by senior Captain Myles Maloof who rushed for over 200 yards on the ground and 2 touchdowns. Defensively the Clippers were smothering all night, led by a monster night from Robby Johnson who recorded over a dozen key tackles and an interception returned 30 yards for a touchdown.

Malooof's night was not only a personal best, it was a record setter as he joined the 1,000 yard career club. Malooof joined elite company, becoming only the 26th player in school history to reach this mark. With one game left in his career Malooof sits at #17 all time in NHS history and hopes to climb that list in the season finale against Amesbury.

### Rushing

Malooof	29 - 209 - 2
Bradbury	10 - 63
Harmon	1 - 0
Murphy	2 - 16
Comeau	1 - 0
Webster	2 - (-6)

### Passing

Bradbury	2 - 4 - 17 - 0 - 0
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### Receiving

Van Schalkwyk	2 - 17
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### Special Teams

Bartkiewicz	PAT 0 - 1
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### Defense

Johnson INT 30 yard return for a TD

## Newburyport Clippers vs. Amesbury Indians

Thursday November 23, 2017 (Thanksgiving) For the J. Walter Chase Memorial Trophy

Win: 27 - 0

### Box Score

N: 8 - 19 - 0 - 0 - 27

A: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0 - 0

### Game Notes

A dominant thrashing by the Clipper. This game was chippy and there was lots of physical play from both sides. Fueled by last years embarrassing loss and a gauntlet quote laid down by Captains Bradbury and Maloof to the Daily News:

*"Bradbury and Maloof said they don't have any special plans or rituals planned for Thanksgiving, saying they'll most likely try to get as good a night of sleep as possible and then just get ready for the game. As for the game itself, Maloof and Bradbury weren't particularly subtle or coy about their plan for Amesbury.*

*"Just show up and pound the ball down their throat all game long," Bradbury said, with Maloof repeating that sentiment before adding, "See if they can stop us."*

The Clipper moved the ball at will and stalled only a few times in the red zone, otherwise this one could have been significantly more lopsided. Great conditions for the game and good crowd on hand. Half time dedication to former longtime coach Ed Gaudiano and Captains honoring deceased coach Tom Smolski by carrying his number 64 jersey out for the coin toss.

### Rushing

Bradbury 21 - 162 - 2

Maloof 30 - 126 - 1

### Passing

Bradbury 10 - 17 - 106 - 1 - 0

### Receiving

Van Schalkwyk 2 - 11 - 1

Webster 3 - 40

Johnston 3 - 33

Picciano 1 - 18

Maloof 1 - 4

### Special Teams

Bartkiewicz PAT 1 - 3 (2 blocked PAT's)

Skane 2 pt. Conv. rush

### Defense

Van Schalkwyk INT (0 ret.)

## To the winner goes the trophy

By Richard Doyle (NHS '59)

'The Clipper Connection'

January 27, 2011



The winner of the National Football League Super Bowl gets the Vince Lombardi Trophy. Some colleges fight for a musket or old oaken bucket with their arch rival each year. Besides fighting for bragging rights each Thanksgiving Day, the Newburyport and Amesbury teams vie intently for the Chase Trophy. Not many know the history behind this award, which is named after one of the most loyal Newburyport fans to ever watch the game.

J. Walter Chase, along with his wife Reta, was one of the most faithful fans to follow Clipper football for many years, dating back to the 1950s. Along with his daughters Jean and Carol and their grandchildren, the family could be seen and heard cheering wildly on the Newburyport side of the field no matter where an athletic contest was held. They would drive for miles in all kinds of weather to support the Clipper teams and faithfully back the kids win or lose.

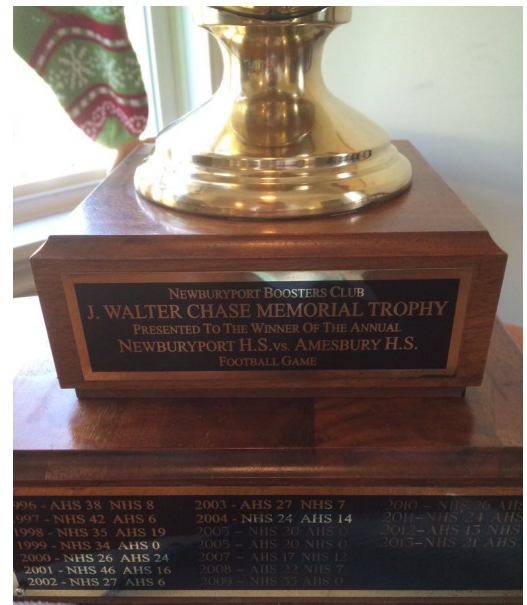
Walter Chase was an active member of the Boosters Club for decades, which promoted good sportsmanship in all Clipper teams and rewarded them with an annual banquet, regardless of their records.

He was a fixture at almost all Newburyport contests for years and years. When he died, his wife and daughters continued to attend the games and back the various athletic squads. Since there was no award given to the winning team on Thanksgiving, it was decided to establish a trophy in his name for this purpose.

The idea originally came from highly successful NHS football coach Jim Stehlin and the Boosters Club in 1975, who wanted new interest in the Thanksgiving game each year. Chase had died in 1974, so it seemed a natural fit for this award. The club paid for the trophy and the engraving each year, but now it is done by the Chase family.

The Chase Trophy is a big, beautiful, gold football mounted on a stand with a plaque that bears the name of the winning school and the year. It is housed in that school's trophy case for one year until the next Thanksgiving.

The school that won it previously brings it to the game. In the beginning, the president of the Boosters Club made the presentation to the winning coach and captain, but now the Chase grandchildren make the award on the field after the final whistle.



### A true Newburyport son

In addition to truly being a super fan, Walter Chase was a native Newburyporter, born in 1889 on the farm at Curzon Mill in the north end of Newburyport. He was one of nine children who grew up on the farm and was the last Chase descendant to leave the house, now known as Maudslay State Park Headquarters, in 1916. Walter served as an Alderman from Ward One in 1919 and as a councilor-at-large in 1920 and 1921.

For over 50 years, he was a very active member of the Baptist Church and late in life a member of the Central Congregational Church in Newburyport. In 1922, the first Boosters Club met, and Walter was a member. For several years this group didn't meet but started up again the 1940s. Walter was an involved member until his death in 1975.

After his retirement from the retail business world in 1955, he attended all the games at NHS, as well as out of town games. He loved young people.

His loquacious and likable daughter Jean says that presentation of the Chase Trophy makes the family very proud. Her father was a man of high moral character, and his grandchildren and great grandchildren are thrilled to be part of the yearly presentation. Jean goes on to say that it was an honor to have the trophy given in memory of a quiet, unassuming man who did not play sports himself but had a lot of respect for the young people who did, regardless of age or race. He was always one who never wanted any attention for himself. Each year that passes adds to the legacy of this prestigious award, which is highly coveted by Newburyport and Amesbury football teams every Thanksgiving Day.

*(Special thanks to Jean Chase for supplying much of the information used in this story.)*