

# TROY HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL CHAMPIONS – 1994 CLASS AA



FRONT ROW: L to R — Kevin O'Meara, Aaron Ott, Dan McCarty, Jon McCall, Torey Adkins, Tarig Kozouz, Brad Dolensky, Matt Ziemke. SECOND ROW: Gregg Lanier, Jit Mookerjee, Matt Benedix, Brian Kretschmer, Jason Sims, Chuck Conner, Rafael Davila, Don McComb, Frank McCormick, Jason Dolezel, Scott Grebs. THIRD ROW: Marie Novara, Cassie Cooper, Brian Vanderbeek, Bryan Baines (Head Trainer), Tom Conley (Assistant Coach), Gary Griffith (Head Coach), Mark Vranesich (Assistant Coach), Scott Player (Assistant Coach), Brian Searing, Anorea Bennett, Angela Dryzga. FOURTH ROW: Neil Weghorst, Jim Quesenberry, Dan Kiple, Le'once Belton, Nadar Swayhat, Matt Skindzier, Nick Gjorkovski, Mike Kutlich, Dan Appledorn, Tarron Adams. FIFTH ROW: Jamey O'Brien, Corky McCarthy, Sebastian Atar, Jim Feeny, Scott Michael, Kurt Stranahan, Rob Benson, Drew Patrick, Steve Pushman, Jim Decker, Adam Kowalak. BACK ROW: Aaron Miles, Dave Fritz, Steve DeHorn, Mike Thompson, Kyle Rance, Gary Fralick, Adam Adkins, Peter Truza, Jamal Ksar, Jesse Silversteen. NOT PICTURED: Joe Conley, Jared Toffer.

## FOOTBALL FINALS CLASS AA Held at Pontiac-Silverdome November 26, 1994

### ROAD TO THE DOME

#### PRE-REGIONALS (November 4 or 5, 1994)

Grand Ledge 24, Kentwood-East Kentwood 22 (at Grand Ledge)  
 Bay City-Central 21, Muskegon 20 (at Bay City-Central)  
 Westland-John Glenn 14, Belleville 0 (at Belleville)  
 Livonia-Adlai E. Stevenson 7, Howell 3 (at Howell)  
 Troy 26, Southgate-Southgate Anderson 0 (at Troy)  
 Clarkston 33, Monroe 19 (at Clarkston)  
 Warren-DeLaSalle Collegiate 22, Detroit-Cass Technical 21 (at Detroit-Martin Luther King)  
 Sterling Heights-Utica Stevenson 13, Sterling Heights-Utica Ford II 6 (at Sterling Heights-Utica Ford II)

#### REGIONALS (November 11 or 12, 1994)

Bay City-Central 14, Grand Ledge 0 (at Grand Ledge)  
 Westland-John Glenn 21, Livonia-Adlai E. Stevenson 20 (at Livonia-Adlai E. Stevenson)  
 Troy 14, Clarkston 0 (at Troy)  
 Sterling Heights-Utica Stevenson 14, Warren-DeLaSalle Collegiate 10 (at Utica)

#### SEMI-FINALS (November 19, 1994)

Bay City-Central 13, Westland-John Glenn 12 (at Lansing-Everett)  
 Troy 37, Sterling Heights-Utica Stevenson 14 (at Rochester Hills-Rochester)

#### FINALS (November 26, 1994)

Troy 17, Bay City-Central 0 (at Pontiac-Silverdome)

#### FINAL GAME SUMMARY

Bay City-Central	0	0	0	0	—	0
Troy	0	3	0	14	—	17

#### Second Quarter

— Kevin O'Meara 20 field goal, 7:13 (4 plays-3 yards-1:52)

#### Fourth Quarter

— Tarron Adams 23 run (O'Meara kick), 8:43 (7 plays-49 yards-3:04)

— Adams 30 run (O'Meara Kick), 0:17 (12 plays-82 yards-5:55)

SESSION ATTENDANCE — 19,317

### TEAM STATISTICS

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First Downs	7	8
Rushes-Yards	32-68	41-219
Passing Yards	34	0
Passes Att.-Comp.-Int.	17-4-2	7-0-1
Total Offense Yards	102	219
Fumbles-Lost	5-2	0-0
Penalties-Yards	4-43	5-50
Punts-Avg.	7-42.0	6-36.7
Possession Time	21:56	26:04
Third Down Conversions	6-14	3-11

### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**RUSHING — Central:** C.J. Zanotti 6-35, Jake Tudor 11-19, Grant Melville 1-8, Dave Hopkins 3-7, Jason Sowinski 1-0; Jason Kokalay 10-(-1). **Troy:** Adams 8-64, Jared Toffer 11-62, Kyle Rance 8-52, Dan McCarty 12-40; Dan Appledorn 2-1.

**PASSING — Central:** Kokalay 17-4-2 34. **Troy:** Rance 7-0-1 0.

**RECEIVING — Central:** Eric Lee 2-22, Ken Chase 1-7, Marty Spencer 1-5. **Troy:** None.

**FINAL SEASON RECORDS — Central** 11-2, **Troy** 12-1.

**FINAL GAME NOTES —** Troy doubled Bay City Central's offensive yards, but this was a defensive battle throughout. Most possessions were three and out both ways. First half Troy field goal was set up by a fumble recovery by Adam Kowalak following a sack by Joe Conley of Central QB Kokalay at the Central 9. First Troy TD was set up by a Jamey O'Brien interception of a Kokalay pass which was returned to the Central 49. Five of Adams' rushing opportunities, including his TD runs of 23 and 30, came on the two fourth-quarter scoring drives. Troy won its first MHSAA grid crown in its second trip to the finals. Bay City Central was in the playoffs for the first time in 1994.