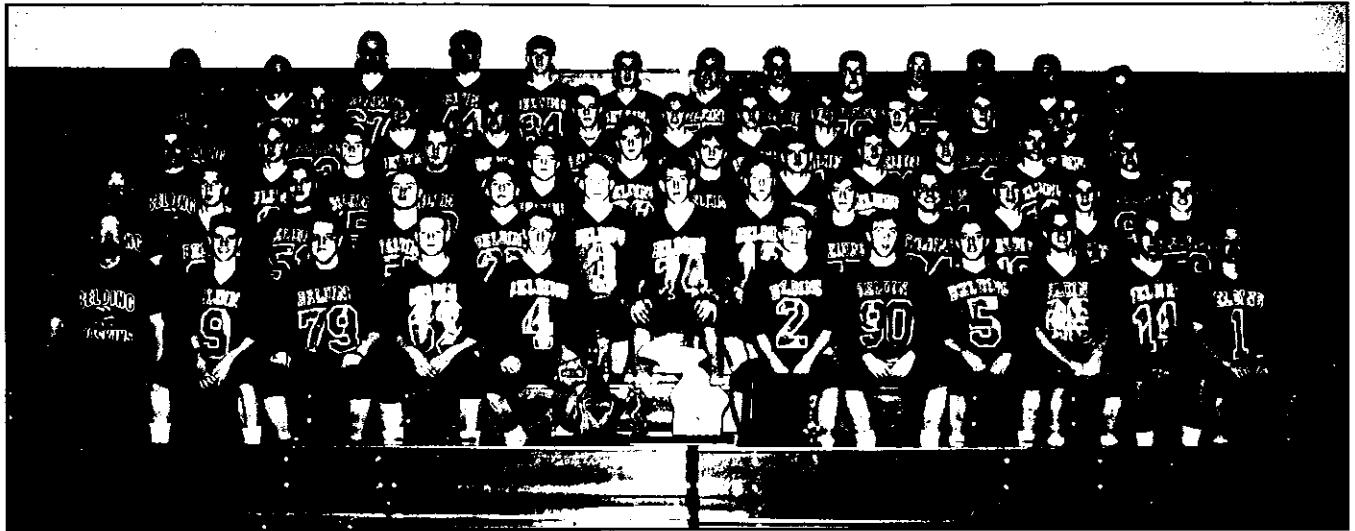


BELDING – BELDING AREA HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL CHAMPIONS – 1994 CLASS B



FRONT ROW: L to R — Ed Albert (Assistant Coach), Jason Hamp, Mike Rockburn, Brad Derosia, Mark Youngs, Rudy Webb, Mike Feuerstein, Matt Hansen, Joh Kohn, Brian Cummings, Cliff Campbell. **SECOND ROW:** Irv Sigler (Head Coach), Troy Breimayer, Jacob Boroff, Derek Jenks, Chad Herrick, Joe Hulliberger, Dave Ross, Brian Grant, Kameron Tomac, Chris Conrad, Dan Dixon, Nick Drye, Chris German. **THIRD ROW:** Pat Fox (Assistant Coach), Jeremy Gasper, Ivan Larsen, Ryan Casey, Jason Kazmerski, Jeremy Boyd, Dave Riches, Chad Rich, Jason Patten, Brendan Albert, Joe Napieralski, Pete Kropf. **FOURTH ROW:** Tom Morse (Assistant Coach), Jay Mutch, Shane Robach, Chad Antcliff, Joel Noe, John Greenop, Eric Rockburn, Travis Johnson, Dale Schnicke, Vaughn Force, Jim Hickman. **BACK ROW:** Doug Whiting (Assistant Coach), Matt Schenden, Mike Deters, Tom Smith, Mark VanDrie, Joe VanBennekorn, Tony Smith, Jamison Rike, Dave Hansen, Jason Alman, Jerry Cotter, Dave Emmons, Joe Gavitt.

FOOTBALL FINALS CLASS B Held at Pontiac-Silverdome November 25, 1994

ROAD TO THE DOME

PRE-REGIONALS (November 4 or 5, 1994)

Kingsford 25, Negaunee 3 (at Kingsford)
 Houghton Lake 14, Roscommon 6 (at Houghton Lake)
Belding-Belding Area 34, Muskegon-Orchard View 6 (at Belding-Belding Area)
 Hamilton 12, Grand Rapids-South Christian 8 (at Hamilton)
 Millington 16, DeWitt 14 (at DeWitt)
 Corunna 49, Frankenmuth 26 (at Corunna)
 Dearborn Heights-Robichaud 20, Marysville 14 (at Marysville)
 Beverly Hills-Detroit Country Day 34, Center Line 13 (at Beverly Hills-Detroit Country Day)

REGIONALS (November 11 or 12, 1994)

Kingsford 35, Houghton Lake 14 (at Marquette-NMU)
Belding-Belding Area 38, Hamilton 8 (at Belding-Belding Area)
 Millington 21, Corunna 9 (at Corunna)
 Beverly Hills-Detroit Country Day 43, Dearborn Heights-Robichaud 14 (at Beverly Hills-Detroit Country Day)

SEMI-FINALS (November 19, 1994)

Belding-Belding Area 32, Kingsford 26 (at Marquette-NMU)
 Beverly Hills-Detroit Country Day 26, Millington 8 (at Port Huron)

FINALS (November 25, 1994)

Belding-Belding Area 50, Beverly Hills-Detroit Country Day 41 (at Pontiac-Silverdome)

FINAL GAME SUMMARY

Belding	0	14	24	—	50
Beverly Hills-Detroit Country Day	2	31	0	8	41

First Quarter

DCD - Safety-_____ ran out of end zone, 4:00

Second Quarter

DCD - Matt Kives 6 run (Gerald Conway run), 11:53 (9 plays-50 yards-4:07)
 DCD - Brian Rubin 46 pass from Kives (James Kogut kick), 11:27 (1 play-46 yards-0:27)
 B - Matt Hansen 4 run (Pass failed), 10:05 (4 plays-39 yards-1:21)
 DCD - Rubin 13 run (Kives run), 6:14 (7 plays-67 yards-3:51)
 B - Thomas Smith 13 run (Chad Rich pass from Mark Youngs), 2:19 (11 plays-65 yards-3:55)
 DCD - Joe Cassise 1 pass from Kives (Dan Russo pass from Kives), 0:12 (7 plays-52 yards-2:07)

Third Quarter

B - Th. Smith 12 run (Mike Feuerstein pass from Youngs), 10:33 (3 plays-83 yards-1:27)
 B - Th. Smith 10 run (M. Hansen run), 4:55 (7 plays-45 yards-3:04)
 B - Th. Smith 3 run (Joe Hulliberger run), 0:05 (7 plays-54 yards-3:28)

Fourth Quarter

B - M. Hansen 23 run (Pass failed), 8:49 (3 plays-33 yards-1:23)
 DCD - Rubin 1 run (Russo pass from Kives), 4:02 (14 plays-60 yards-4:47)
 B - Feuerstein 18 pass from Youngs (Run failed), 0:40 (9 plays-47 yards-3:22)
SESSION ATTENDANCE — 20,348

TEAM STATISTICS

	B	DCD
First Downs	21	20
Rushes-Yards	48-333	36-153
Passing Yards	18	182
Passes Att.-Comp.-Int.	1-1-0	26-16-2
Total Offense Yards	351	335
Fumbles-Lost	2-0	5-0
Penalties-Yards	5-36	6-50
Punts-Avg.	0-0	1-28.0
Possession Time	22:52	25:08
Third Down Conversions	3-6	3-8

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING — Belding: Th. Smith 22-129, M. Hansen 17-116, Joe Gavitt 4-101, Youngs 4-2, TEAM 1-15). **Country Day:** Rubin 10-57, Kives 6-36, Brett Gasper 6-31, Conway 13-30, Nick Gorga 1-(-1).

PASSING — Belding: Youngs 1-1-0 18. **Country Day:** Kives 25-16-2 182, Josh Collins 1-0-0.

RECEIVING — Belding: Feuerstein 1-18. **Country Day:** Gorga 5-71, Conway 3-22, Rubin 3-60, Russo 2-8, Cassise 2-7, Gasper 1-14.1

FINAL SEASON RECORDS — Belding 12-1, Country Day 12-1.

FINAL GAME NOTES — The highest combined score for two teams, a tie for the highest score by a winning team, the biggest comeback in finals game history and the most points ever scored in a single quarter in a finale highlighted this contest. Belding's Th. Smith also tied a final game record with his four rushing touchdowns. The game's lone punt didn't occur until late in the third quarter. Belding did not attempt a pass until its final scoring drive of the game. Following first-quarter safety, Country Day scored on next four possessions, with an onside kick and a fumble recovery setting up two scores. In 24-point Belding third quarter, Gavitt's 70-yard run highlighted first scoring drive; and Country Day incomplete pass out of punt formation set up the second drive. An interception by Shane Robach set up the first of two fourth-quarter Belding scores. The only other time 50 points were scored by a winning team in a title game was in Crystal Falls-Forest Park's 50-0 win over Flint-Holy Rosary in first Class D finale in 1975.