17-9 Victory

Conestoga Gridders beat Great Valley

By BOB WEISER (Local News Sports Staff) September 14, 1986

Conestoga running back Paul Jones may not have planned it, but his new hairdo exemplifies the way he and his Pioneer teammates strike -quick as lightning.



"I was just getting weird; something different for the start of the season," the 5-foot-10, 175-pound senior said of his head, which is implanted with lightning bolts on each side and a No. 10 on the back.

There was nothing weird about the way Conestoga started its season last night. The Pioneers rolled up 280

yards rushing in the first half en route to a 17-9 non-league win over host Great Valley.

JONES GOT the Pioneers off to a lightning quick start, going 60 yards on the second play from scrimmage to give his team a 7-0 lead after just 45 seconds of play.

"It was supposed to be a belly, off tackle," said Jones. "I was reading my blocks, and everybody was closing inside. I decided to cut outside, and there was all daylight there."

Jones' second touchdown was even better. Junior quarterback Matt Gibson, who ran the option extremely well, cut up field for two yards before pitching the ball to Jones at about midfield.



Pioneer Backfield



"Matt made a nice read," said Conestoga coach Harry Gicking. "I think the kid was even tackling him. Paul kept his relation. When you design a play that's how it's supposed to go."

"They pitched it well," said Great Valley coach Ben Crisi. "On that one, their quarterback had two

or three guys on him and still made the pitch."

But the pitch only set up the play Jones still had 50 yards and a few white jerseys between him and the goal line. It took quite a run to get there.

He stayed down the right sideline, then broke back across field away from the defense and went into the end zone untouched.

So, Conestoga had a 17-0 lead with 4:53 left in the half and the rout appeared to be on.

Great Valley thought otherwise. Chris Pinto hit a 30-yard field goal with 1:51 left in the half to bring the Patriots within a pair of touchdowns and set up a tough second half.

"They put two guys on me," said Jones who picked up 126 yards in the first half and just nine in the second half."

"I wish we could have been more productive in the second half," said Gicking. "I kept thinking the first win was going to fade."

44 JOHN LEVENSON

Senior 5-7, 150 Fullback/ Linebacker

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Junior 5-11, 185 Quarterback/ Safety

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Junior 5-10, 195 Fullback/ Defensive End

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Senior 5-10, 175 Halfback/ Safety

Pioneers comeback attempt fails

East holds on 28-21 against Conestoga

By STEVE PILONI (Local News Sports Staff) September 21, 1986

With a 28-point lead at halftime, West Chester East apparently decided all it had to do was show up for the second half against Conestoga.

Conestoga took advantage of the Vikings' secondhalf lethargy and roared back to within a touchdown yesterday in their non-league game at East. But the Pioneers' last-ditch effort ended when Mike Stofflet intercepted a pass near midfield to preserve the

Vikings' 28-21 win.

Conestoga's Wishbone offense was almost completely shut down by the Vikings' defense as the Pioneers only gained 8 net yards the entire game. Quarterback Matt Gibson was thrown for minus 52 yards on 11

carries, and running back Paul Jones managed just 9 yards on four carries.

But one thing the Pioneers did do was take advantage of East's breakdowns in the second half. Conestoga's Glenn Mahoney intercepted a tipped Stofflet pass leading to Jones' 3-yard TD run making it 28-7.

Jones then raced in to block a Stofflet punt setting up John Levenson's 1-yard TD run making it 28-14. And Gibson connected with David Farling on a 52-yard scoring strike to pull Conestoga to within 28-21.



JOHN LEVENSON

"In the second half they wanted it more. Their hearts were in it in the second half. It had nothing to do with coaching. The kids made the decision they wanted to play."



Offensive Line

72 ROB NORTON

GLENN MAHONEY

Junior 6-2, 210 Offensive Tackle Defensive Tackle

56 GLENN MAHONEY

Senior 5-8, 180 Offensive Guard Linebacker *Co-captain*

74 SCOTT BAKER

Sophomore 6-1, 190 Center Defensive Tackle

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Senior 6-0, 180 Offensive Guard Defensive End

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Senior 6-3, 200 Offensive Tackle Defensive Tackle

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Senior 5-10, 185 Offensive Guard Defensive End

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Senior 6-2, 275 Offensive Tackle Noseguard *Co-captain*

14-11 Victory

Danczewski Leads Conestoga Past Haverford

By TED TORRANCE (Local News Correspondent) September 28, 1986

Half a loaf may well be better than none, but half a football game, no way.

Thus when Friday night's Central League opener between Conestoga and Haverford fell victim to a violent halftime thunderstorm with the Pioneers leading 7-3, the teams lost little time in deciding to renew the game last night at Teamer Field.

The result was 24 minutes of high speed football with each team scoring once and Conestoga emerging with a 14-11 victory.



PETER DANCZEWSKI

STICKING EXCLUSIVELY to

a ground attack, the Pioneers converted their third possession of the third quarter into a touchdown as they marched 39 yards, sending Pete Danczewski over from the five at 4:05 of the period.

It was Danczewski's second touchdown. The 5-foot-7, 150-pound

senior running back scored Conestoga's first touchdown when he took a pitch from quarterback Matt Gibson and scored from 17 yards out.

Finding it tough to move the ball on the ground against the Pioneer defense, Ford quarterback Kevin Magee threw the ball 19 times in the second half alone. The air show produced one touchdown when Magee found Paul McKelvey in the end zone at 5:42 of the fourth quarter.

"ANY WIN IS a good win and this was our first win at home and also we start the Central League with a win," said Conestoga coach Harry Gicking. "This was a strange situation tonight. In all my history as a coach it never occurred. I couldn't read the kids in the locker room, but I felt that they responded well in the game."



GREAME WILDMAN

"We had some problems, some kids were missing, some hurt and one disciplined, but we did what we had to in order to win. I felt that John Levenson and Danczewski played very well. Graeme Wildman did double duty and our co-captains Craig Downey and Glenn Mahoney had their hearts in the game."

PETE DANCZEWSKI, Senior 5-7, 150 Halfback/ Cornerback GRAEME WILDMAN, Senior 5-9, 180 Fullback/ Linebacker



Pioneer Backfield

42 **STEVE TILY** Junior 5-11, 165 Halfback/ Safety

9 MATT GIBSON

34 MIKE SCOTT

21 **JOE HENDREN** Senior 5-11, 170 Halfback/ Cornerback



36 ROB NUDY

Senior 6-0, 170 Halfback/ Cornerback

Linebackers / Defensive Backs

55 ASH MCDOWELL 10 PAUL JONES

Senior 5-11, 165 Senior 5-10, 175 Center/ Linebacker Halfback/ Safety

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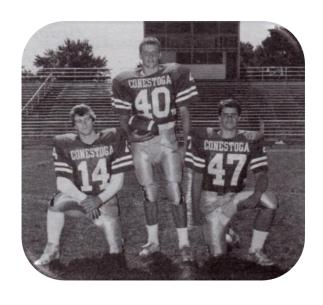
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Senior 5-11, 170 Halfback/ Cornerback



Kickers

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Senior 5-8, 165 Quarterback/ Cornerback

40 KENT PERRY

Senior 6-2, 185 Tight End/ Defensive Tackle

47 SCOTT SWORDS

Sophomore 5-10, 170 Halfback/ Defensive Tackle

Ridley shuts out Conestoga 28-0

By DENNY DYROFF (Local News Correspondent) October 5, 1986

Friday afternoon, Conestoga was faced with the task of trying to contain the powerful Green Raiders. The Pioneers did not succeed. Ridley chalked up a 28-0 Central League win.

Actually, the game was not as lopsided as the final score might indicate. Midway through the fourth quarter, the Pioneers trailed by just two TDs. The Green Raiders scored their third touchdown with 3:04 remaining in the game and then moved out to a 28-0 advantage with just 18 seconds left.

"THOSE LAST TWO scores were a shame because it makes the game look like a blowout, and I don't think it was a blowout," said Conestoga coach Harry Gicking. "Even in the fourth quarter we were still

in a position to get back in the game with a good scoring drive."

The Pioneers were provided a golden opportunity to score early in the first quarter when Ridley's Rich Kingsborough fumbled the ball away on the second play of the game. The Pioneers took over on the Green Raiders' 24-yard line but were unable to get even a first down, let alone a touchdown.

The Pioneers made their most serious threat to score late in the second quarter. They moved the ball all the way to the Ridley 24 and then lost the ball on a bad pitch.

"If we could have pushed one in early, it could have been a different game," said Gicking. "If we took the lead first, it would have forced them to make some changes."



83 JOHN
O'DEA
Senior 5-11, 165
Split End
Defensive End

1 **JOHN DURRELL**Senior 5-10, 150
Split End
Safety

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PERRY
Senior 6-2, 185
Tight End
Defensive Tackle

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GITTINGER
Senior 5-8, 140
Split End
Safety

5 ANDY
LOWE
Junior 5-8, 150
Quarterback
Safety

81 **DAVE FARLING**Senior 6-4, 180
Tight End
Defensive End

Field goal kicks Penncrest by Conestoga 10-7

By DENNY DYROFF (Local News Correspondent) October 12, 1986

With just three seconds showing on the scoreboard at Penncrest's field Saturday morning, a 28-yard field goal attempt by Lion placekicker Kevin Pechin sailed through the goalposts and enabled host Penncrest to escape with a 10-7 Central League win over a stubborn Conestoga team.

CONESTOGA MEANWHILE was never able to get its offense into gear in the first half. However, after intermission, the Pioneers looked like a different team. They started moving the ball well with rushes up the middle, and they put together two long drives.

"At halftime, we reviewed things and thought that we'd be able to run the ball inside on them," said Conestoga coach Harry Gicking.

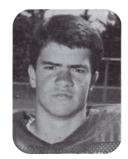


On their second series of the second half, the Pioneers moved from their own 19 into the Penncrest end zone. On the drive, Conestoga quarterback Matt Gibson had 4 carries for 24 yards and threw 31-yard completion to David Farling. The touchdown was scored on a 7-yard sprint wide right by Paul Jones.

Early in the fourth quarter, the Conestoga offense mounted another good drive. However, the drive ended after 14 plays and 40-plus yards when Penncrest's Daryl Scott picked off one of Gibson's passes.



ANDY O'BRIEN Senior 5-8, 160 Halfback Cornerback



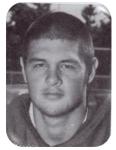
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DAN JENNINGS Senior 5-11, 170 Halfback Cornerback



JOHN BURRUSS Senior 6-0, 180 Split End Safety

Strath Haven's Hull too much for Conestoga to Handle

By DENNY DYROFF (Local News Correspondent) October 19, 1986

For a football team to stand any chance of sinking Strath Haven this year, it must batter the Panthers' Hull.

Friday night, the Conestoga Pioneers failed to do so, and they got scuttled 42-21 in a Central League game played under the lights at Conestoga's Teamer Field.

Actually, the Pioneers gave Hull a lot of problems in the early stages of the game. The first 11 times he attempted to pass, he was intercepted once and sacked four times and was only able to make 4 completions.

Additionally, the interception he threw was returned 40 yards for a touchdown by Conestoga's Paul Jones and gave the Pioneers a 6-0 lead.

EARLY IN THE second quarter, the Panthers took over the lead when Hull connected with Tim Yenawine for a 66-vard TD strike and Pat Evans converted the PAT kick.

The Pioneers countered with a solid drive late in the first half, when they moved from their own 24 into the Panthers' end zone in 9 plays. Big plays in the drive were passes of 12 and 17 yards from Matt Gibson to David Farling, both of which were tipped initially. The scoring play was a 46-yard pass from Gibson to Paul Jones and was followed by a 2-point run conversion by Jones.

The score at half was 14-14.

"They (Conestoga) kept bringing their linebackers in through the middle in the first half and it was throwing us off," said Strath Haven's all area receiver/defensive lineman/punter Patt Evans.



DAVE MARSHALL

IRONICALLY, THE Panthers only score of the third period came on a 68-yard drive which featured only one completion.

The Pioneers got a break just before the quarter ended when a bad snap on a punt attempt by Strath Haven allowed the Pioneers to take

over possession at the Strath Haven 21-yard line. Three plays later, Gibson and Jones combined on a 23-yard scoring pass and Dave Marshall made the kick to knot the score at 21.

The fourth quarter belonged to Strath Haven. Once the Pioneers started to come apart, they unraveled very quickly.

"We played them tough for three quarters," said Conestoga coach Harry Gicking. "Then, we made a couple of mistakes. They got good



HARRY GICKING Head Coach

field position, took advantage and scored."



GARY MEYERS Junior 5-11, 160 Halfback Linebacker



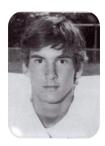
TIM BRADFORD Junior 5-8, 165 Fullback Linebacker



BRANDON SPEERS Junior 5-10, 170 Offensive Guard Linebacker



STEVE DUKE Junior 5-10 170 Offensive Guard Linebacker



MARK HEINZ Junior 5-9 155 Split End Safety

7-6 Victory

Conestoga stops two-point play to defeat Upper Darby

By DENNY DYROFF (Local News Correspondent) October 26, 1986

Conestoga's football team would do better not playing the fourth quarter of its games. Two weeks ago the Pioneers lost to Penncrest on a field goal in the game's closing seconds. Last week, the Conestoga boys' were tied with Strath Haven entering the final quarter and ended up losing the game by 21 points. Yesterday, only a strong defensive play on a two-point conversion attempt in the game's final minutes allowed the Pioneers to escape with a 7-6 win over Upper Darby.

With just under four minutes left to play in yesterday morning's Central League game against the Royals, Conestoga took possession at its own 13-yard line and, holding a one point lead, needed just one decent drive to seal a win. Instead, the Pioneers coughed the ball up in just two plays and gave the host Royals a first down just 16 yards away from the Conestoga end zone.

Four plays later, the Royals facing a fourth-and-two at the seven, became beneficiaries of a free first down when Conestoga jumped offsides. With a first and goal at the four, Upper Darby got on the scoreboard for the first time all day when John Corbett bolted in for the touchdown. A two-point conversion attempt was the obvious course of action for Upper Darby.

"I KNEW THAT they would go for the two points," said Conestoga coach Harry Gicking. "I was thinking to myself - God forbid, don't let it happen again. We figured they go for the run, so we lined up in our goal-line defense."

The Royals did attempt to take over the lead by running for the two-point conversion. Corbett, the same back who had just scored the touchdown, got the call and he headed wide to the right side, only to be met and stopped by Conestoga's Matt Gibson.



The Royals had one more possession before the game ended and they were able to move the ball from their own 36-yard line into Conestoga territory. On fourth down, Upper Darby's second-string quarterback Gordy Anderson, who had just been brought into replace injured starter John Crawford, dropped back to pass

and was smothered by Conestoga's Mike DeHaven and Mike Scott.

"Our defense did a great job today," said Gicking. "They made a lot of outstanding plays. Rob Nudy played very well at cornerback and Mike DeHaven had some crucial sacks."



ROB NUDY



JOE CORTEZ Junior 6-5, 175 Tight End Defensive End



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Conestoga Coaching Staff

KNEELING: Head Coach Harry Gicking

LEFT TO RIGHT: Steve Hare, Scott Allison, John Vogan, Sam Young

Hendren keys Conestoga win

By DAVE SPADARO (Local News Sports Staff) November 2, 1986

Joe Hendren had never played running back until this season. His first three years in high school were spent in the defensive backfield.

After transferring from Upper Merion to Conestoga, Hendren is not only playing the part of running back now, he's excelling.

Hendren sparked an otherwise dormant Conestoga offense with two touchdowns and 152 yards rushing as the Pioneers dominated host Radnor 12-7 yesterday in a Central League game.



IOE HENDREN

YESTERDAY WAS Hendren's day in the sun. His most important effort came at the most opportune of times, one play after Radnor (3-4, 3-6) took a 7-0 lead in the third quarter with an 11-play 71-yard drive that chewed up 6:30.

The 5-foot-11, 170-pound senior took a handoff from quarterback Matt Gibson and high-stepped away from the Radnor defense for a 78-yard touchdown. The extra point failed but Conestoga had closed to within one point and regained some momentum.

"Joe's run was kind of the turning point for us," Gicking said. "It made the kids believe that they could come back and win the football game."

"It gave us a little extra spurt. We needed it."

Conestoga forced a fumble on Radnor's next offensive series, and Jon Swaney pounced on the loose ball at Radnor's 26-yard line. From there, Mike Scott gained seven yards and Mark Heinz nine. A facemask penalty plus two Hendren runs put the ball in the end zone.

In 3:31, Conestoga had gone from a lifeless offensive form to a spunky bunch, blowing Radnor off the line of scrimmage.

"We were fired up after the first half," Hendren said of the two quarters in which Conestoga scored no points, managed five first downs and botched a firstand-10 opportunity at the Radnor 21.

"The offensive line started blocking in the second half. That's where the credit goes."

WHILE THAT MAY BE true, much of it also belongs in Hendren's court. He went both ways for Conestoga-playing in the defensive secondary as well-despite a sore wrist which required heavy taping.

"Of course I get tired at times, but then the adrenaline gets going, and I really don't feel anything," he said.



BOB STEPPACHER Sophomore 6-1, 185 Center Defensive Tackle



TODD BEATTY Sophomore 6-2, 180 Tight End Defensive Tackle



CRAIG DRIVER Sophomore 5-11, 150 Split End Safety



JEFF ENGEL Sophomore 5-7, 155 Halfback Defensive End

Lower Merion thumps Conestoga 34-0

By RICH AMBROSINO (Local News Correspondent) November 9, 1986

The numbers don't lie and there is no way for Conestoga coach Harry Gicking and his football team to avoid the facts.

The facts are that Conestoga was thumped-hard-on Friday night by the visiting Lower Merion Aces 34-0.

One look at the box score on this one will show you just what happened.

The Pioneers were simply outplayed, outmaneuvered and out-hustled on rain-drenched Teamer Field. Conestoga snared only 57 total offensive yards from the swarming Aces' defense.

"There's not much to say," said Gicking. "They have a good team. We did our best to try and stop them and to try to move the ball."



SEAN HORTON Junior 5-9 135 Split End Safety



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DAVID MARTINEAU Sophomore 6-1, 230 Offensive Tackle Defensive Tackle

Errors costly

Conestoga tough loss to Springfield

By RICH AMBROSINO (Local News Correspondent) November 16, 1986

On the football field, Conestoga continues to be its own worst enemy. The Pioneers fell victim to their own mistakes for the second time in as many weeks in front of the home crowd at Teamer Field.

Last week, it was an abundance of penalties that cost Conestoga a 34-0 loss to Lower Merion. Friday night, it was five turnovers that enabled Springfield (Delco) to snare a come from behind 19-7 Central League win.

enough,

recorded the first miscue of the

contest when it fumbled the ball away

on its first possession of the game.

The Pioneers were unable to turn

Springfield

Oddly



John Porter's recovery into anything and subsequently coughed the ball up on their second possession as the first

quarter ended.



CRAIG DOWNEY

Conestoga finally put some offense together and ended a 70 yard drive with a 4-yard TD run by Craig Downey, the 275-pound tackleturned-running back.

And so, the Pioneers took to the locker room with a slim 7-6 lead. That lead was all too brief for Gicking.

"WE PLAYED WELL in the

first half," said Gicking. "But after a few turnovers and a couple of breakouts on their part, we lost it. That's been the story of our season-playing well for three quarters but not doing what's needed to finish it off."

Despite the loss, which puts Conestoga 4-6 on the year with one game remaining, it wasn't all bad for the Pioneers. Joe Hendren, Conestoga's 5-11, 170-pound halfback, took 11 carries upfield for 97 yards. Mike Scott and Mark Heinz added another 86 yards between them.

Defensively, Mike DeHaven led the Pioneers with three key sacks, all coming at times when Springfield threatened. Downey, the Pioneers' version of the "Refrigerator," also played a fine game at nose guard.



ERIC KLEIN
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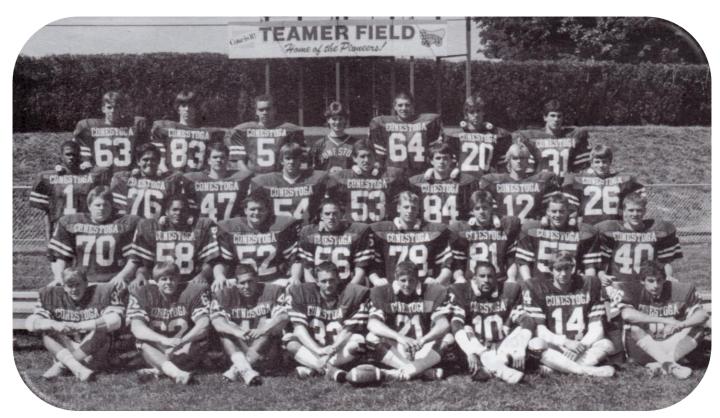
Conestoga is shut out against rival Tigers

By BARRY EMAS (Local News Correspondent) November 28, 1986

Thursday was Thanksgiving, a day for everyone to be thankful for what they have. Marple Newtown coach Bob Kenig was thankful to have quarterback Joe Barr running the offense yesterday, in the Tigers 19-0 win over Conestoga.

AFTER A three-yard touchdown run by Garvey had staked the Tigers to a 6-0 lead, the defense went to work, stopping the Pioneers dead in their tracks.

Pioneer coach Harry Gicking gave a lot of credit to the Marple defense. "They have a good aggressive defense," he said. "Along with Barr running a solid offense, they are a difficult team to beat."



'Stoga Seniors

1986 CONESTOGA PIONEERS

Coach Harry Gicking

NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	WT.	YR.
1	JOHN DURRELL	SE/S	5'10"	150	12
5	ANDY LOWE	QB/S	5'8"	150	11
9	MATT GIBSON	QB/S	5'11"	185	11
10	PAUL JONES	HB/S	5′10″	175	12
12	LANZ GITTINGER	SE/S	5'8"	140	12
14 20	DAVID MARSHALL JIM FROEHLICH	QB/CB	5'8"	165	12
21	JOE HENDREN	HB/CB HB/CB	5'10" 5'11"	155 170	12 12
25	ANDY O'BRIEN	HB/CB	5'8"	160	12
26	GRAEME WILDMAN	FB/LB	5'9"	180	12
31	JOHN PORTER	FB/NG	5'9"	160	12
32	GARY MEYERS	HB/LB	5'11"	160	11
33	PETER DANCZEWSKI	HB/CB	5'7"	150	12
34	MIKE SCOTT	FB/DE	5′10″	195	11
36 40	ROB NUDY KENT PERRY	HB/CB TE/DT	6'0"	170 185	12 12
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70	GAVIN REYNOLDS	OT/DT	6'4"	260	12
71	BOB STEPPACHER	C/DT	6'1"	185	10
72	ROB NORTON	OT/DT	6'2"	210	11
74	SCOTT BAKER	C/DT	6'1"	190	10
75	TODD BEATTY	TE/DT	6'2"	180	10
76 77	ROB KNEWSTUB JAY SHELTON	OT/DT OT/DT	5'9" 6'4"	195 230	12 12
78	JON SWANEY	OT/DT	6' 3"	200	12
80	CRAIG DRIVER	SE/S	5'11"	150	10
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84	DAN JENNINGS	HB/CB	5'11"	170	12
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89	JOHN BURRUSS	SE/S	6'0"	180	12
96	JOE CORTEZ	TE/DE	6'5"	175	11
99	CAMERON CLARK	HB/S	5'10"	150	11
	SEAN HORTON	SE/S	5'9"	135	11
	ROBERT KIRK	TE/DT	6'0"	125	11
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	SCOTT SIMMINGTON	SE/CB	5′5″	140	10
	ANDREW CHAMPION	TE/DE	6'4"	170	10
	DAVID MARTINEAU ERIC KLEIN	OT/DT OT/DT	6'1" 5'11"	230 275	10 10
	BRAD PHINNEY	OT/DT	6'3"	205	10
	MARK SCHLEGEL	SE/S	5'7"	125	10
	CHRIS SWENSON	OT/DT	6'2"	200	10
	DON PURCELL	QB/S	6'1"	145	10
	ANDY FROY	OT/DT	5'9"	265	10
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^{*}Co-Captains

Glenn Mahoney and Craig Downey were co-captains of the 1986 Pioneer Football team. Harry Gicking was the head coach. The Pioneers collected four wins vs. Great Valley, Haverford, Upper Darby and Radnor. Outstanding on offense were quarterback Matt Gibson; halfbacks Paul Jones, John Levenson, Peter Danczewski and Bill Hedren; fullbacks Graeme Wildman and Mike Scott; tight end Dave Farling, split end Mark Heinz and offensive tackle Craig Downey. Defensive standouts were linebackers Glenn Mahoney and Graeme Wildman; cornerback Rob Nudy and nose guard John Porter; tackle Jon Swaney and defensive end Mike DeHaven.