

Week 6

Games of the Week

Father Judge at LaSalle (Springfield Montco), Friday 7:00pm – This should be the best game in the city this weekend. Father Judge, a team loaded with talent, travels to Springfield (Montco) to take on defending PCL Red Champ, LaSalle. The only thing that makes this game interesting is the fact that Father Judge's starting QB (Paul Volpe) may miss a second game due to a severe cut (9 stitches) on the palm of his throwing hand. Judge's backup QB is also their Number 1 running back. So, this injury hurts Judge in two important offensive positions. With Volpe in the game, Judge has a field day against LaSalle. But, with this injury, it levels the playing field (sort of) for LaSalle.

Frankford at Washington (Northeast), Saturday 7:00pm – This is the premiere game in the Philadelphia Public League every year. One of these teams is the odds on favorite every year to win the division and the league championship. This game usually gives a good idea who that team will be. The 2007 season is no different. There is Frankford, there is Washington, and then there's the rest of the league. If you only see one regular season Philadelphia Public League game this year, this is the one to see.

Other Games to See

Roman at O'Hara (Widener), Friday 7:30pm – Roman, in my humble opinion, is the team to beat in the PCL Red. They are 5 – 0, averaging almost 34 points per game and only yielding less than 8. They are a team with a high powered offensive ground game (Bilial Lewis-Sloan EL (24-1,068yds, 11 rush TDs) and a defense that, once they have a lead, will stifle the best teams around. O'Hara, a team that some have ranked as high as the top 5 in SE PA, can beat anyone on the right day. I just don't think Friday night will be that day.

Bok at Comm Tech, (Bartram) Thursday, 2:00pm – There's not usually much to see in the Philadelphia Public League from week to week, but this game pits the top team in the AAA division (Bok, 4-0) against a team that is right on their heels (Comm Tech, 3-1). The winner will be no lower than second place in the division and the loser will be in third at the end of the weekend.

The Other Games in the City

Catholic Red

N. Catholic at Bonner (U. Darby), Friday 7:00pm
Ryan at SJ Prep (Ply.-Whitemarsh), Friday 7:00pm

Catholic Blue

Wood at Dougherty (Northeast), Saturday 1:00pm
Kennedy-Kenrick at McDevitt (Germantown), Saturday 6:00pm
Conwell-Egan at W. Catholic (La Salle Univ.), Saturday 7:00pm
Carroll at Neumann-Goretti (Penn Wood), Sunday 1:00pm

Public Red

Dobbins at Central, Friday 3:00pm
Germantown at Northeast, Friday 6:00pm

Public White

Roxborough at Bartram, Friday 3:00pm
Mastbaum at Olney (Gratz), Friday 3:00pm
Overbrook at Gratz, Friday 6:00pm

Public Blue

Fels at West Phila., Friday 3:00pm
Univ. City at King (Germantown), Friday 3:00pm
Southern at Lincoln, Friday 3:00pm

Public AAA

Penn at Franklin, Thurs 3:00pm
Prep Charter at FitzSimons (Gratz), Thurs 3:00pm
Imhotep at Freire (Northeast), Friday 3:00pm