

BLAIR

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Coach: Jeff Seals**2007:** 0-10, 0-5**Starters:** 7/7

Senior RB Jonathan Houghton is one of 23 players back from last season.

S 5	at Blake	6:30
S 12	Northwood	6:30
S 19	at Gaithersburg	6:30
S 26	Whitman	6:30
O 3	at Magruder	6:30
O 10	Sherwood	6:30
O 16	at Wootton	6:30
O 24	at Kennedy	6:30
O 31	Damascus	6:30
N 7	Springbrook	6:30

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Coach: Tony Nazzaro**2007:** 2-8, 1-4**Starters:** 5/5

The starting offensive backfield of senior Daniel Wilson and junior Kwabena Asante anchors one of the quicker teams in the county.

S 5	Blair	6:30
S 12	at Clarksburg	6:30
S 19	at Sherwood	6:30
S 26	Walter Johnson	6:30
O 3	at Churchill	6:30
O 10	Gaithersburg	6:30
O 17	Springbrook	6:30
O 24	at Paint Branch	6:30
O 31	Magruder	6:30
N 7	at Rockville	6:30

GAITHERSBURG

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Coach: Kreg Kephart**2007:** 6-4, 3-2**Starters:** 6/7

Senior RB B.J. Marshall rushed for 100 yards in each of his starts last year, including 319 in a victory over Blake.

S 5	Springbrook	6:30
S 12	at Wheaton	6:30
S 19	Blair	6:30
S 26	at Churchill	6:30
O 3	Quince Orchard	6:30
O 10	at Blake	6:30
O 17	at Northwest	6:30
O 24	Watkins Mill	6:30
O 31	Sherwood	6:30
N 7	at Magruder	6:30

MAGRUDER

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Coach: Doug Miller**2007:** 6-5, 3-2**Starters:** 6/5

Coming off their first playoff berth in 19 years, the Colonels' offensive and defensive lines both return in full.

S 5	Sherwood	6:30
S 12	Watkins Mill	6:30
S 19	at Springbrook	6:30
S 26	at Quince Orchard	6:30
O 3	Blair	6:30
O 10	at Damascus	6:30
O 17	at Churchill	6:30
O 24	Wootton	6:30
O 31	at Blake	6:30
N 7	Gaithersburg	6:30



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Quarterback Xavier Johnson won't be back to make another run at the playoffs, but Magruder can still celebrate bringing back both lines intact.

SHERWOOD

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Coach: Al Thomas**2007:** 10-2, 5-0**Starters:** 5/5

Winners of 33 games in three years, the Warriors' defense is led by LB Steven Gamble, DE Thomas Huff and DB Chris Everett.

S 5	at Magruder	6:30
S 12	Paint Branch	6:30
S 19	Blake	6:30
S 26	at Northwest	6:30
O 3	Springbrook	6:30
O 10	at Blair	6:30
O 17	Quince Orchard	6:30
O 25	Richard Montgomery	6:30
O 31	at Gaithersburg	6:30
N 7	at Whitman	6:30

SPRINGBROOK

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Coach: Rob Wendel**2007:** 5-5, 3-2**Starters:** 7/7

Senior QB Phoenix Butler-Poole should flourish with senior WR Jordan Brown and junior WR Mitchell Pollard.

S 5	at Gaithersburg	6:30
S 12	Kennedy	6:30
S 19	Magruder	6:30
S 26	at Rich. Montgomery	6:30
O 3	at Sherwood	6:30
O 10	Paint Branch	5:30
O 17	at Blake	6:30
O 25	Northwest	1
O 31	Whitman	6:30
N 7	at Blair	6:30

Father figure of the league: In addition to winning 312 games and two state titles in 43 years at Gaithersburg, John Harvill was perhaps the most innovative offensive mind in county history.