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Chaps Slay Dragons

Thomas Jones-Westlake Picayune

Fittingly, a defensive play helped Westlake seize control of its Class 5A Region II bi-district game against Round Rock at Dragon Stadium. **Robert Allen Smith** snagged a pass from Round Rock quarterback **Garrett Gerds** and returned it 63 yards for a touchdown early in the third quarter of the Chaps' 42-6 win.

The big play did more than give the Chaps a 14-6 lead; it also opened the floodgates for the Chaps in what had been a taut defensive struggle. Westlake (9-2) scored touchdowns on each of their final four possessions while dispatching scrappy Round Rock (4-6), which trailed just 7-6 at halftime.

"We were just waiting for some sign of life," Smith said. "I think that it [the interception] got our offense going."

Lewis Guilbeau, who ran for Westlake's lone score in the first half, had his hands in three touchdowns after the break. He connected with **Brice Dolezal** on a 41-yard screen pass and added a 13-yard pass to **Brandon Box**. He also bulled in from 1-yard out early in the fourth quarter.

Guilbeau ended the game with 122 yards passing, 51 yards rushing and 41 yards receiving.



Gerds threw for 202 yards and added 54 yards rushing. He suffered three interceptions, including a pick by Chap linebacker **Lance Duran**, who had eight tackles while becoming Westlake's all-time leader in tackles with 334 stops.

With Friday's win over Round Rock, Westlake evened its Class 5A playoff record in Region II at 5-5. The Chaps have a 33-7 playoff record against Class 5A Region IV competition.

Sophomore quarterback **Jordan Severt** made his much-anticipated varsity debut late in Friday's game and had two runs for 23 yards, including a 17-yard touchdown run. The 6-foot-3-inch, 215-pound Severt earned a spot on varsity following a strong spring, but Chap coach Darren Allman said 10 starts on the junior varsity would prove more beneficial than work as a varsity reserve.

Inside linebacker **Jacob Mansour** led the Chaps with nine tackles against Round Rock while nose guard **Brayven Hager** had a busy Friday with five tackles, a pass breakup, three quarterback pressures and a leaping, second-quarter sack on a third-and-5 from Westlake's 33-yard line.



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Klein Oak "Good but Beatable"

Joe Taylor-WestlakeSports.net

One looks at the Panthers of Klein Oak and wonders how good can they be? While Westlake continues their 24th consecutive trip into the playoffs, Klein Oak has created some headlines in the Greater Houston Area as one of the region's more remarkable offensive teams. In Houston, that's certainly a compliment for a team that boasts an 8-3 record looking to match up against 9-2 Westlake on Saturday at 3pm at Klein Memorial Stadium.

Klein Memorial has been kind to the Panthers in 2011, but they're not immune to a home loss. Powerhouse Galena Park North Shore beat Klein Oak 28-13 on September 10 at home, but much like Westlake's loss to New Braunfels, Klein Oak used that loss as fuel to light up District 13-5A. The Panthers managed a 6-1 district record with the only blemish coming against Westfield. Though Klein Oak racked up 538 yards of total offense that night, a last second field goal by Westfield's **Luis Sanchez** secured the 45-42 win. That district road loss did not shake the Panthers as Klein Oak answered with four straight wins, scoring 40 points or more in each win including last week's 48-29 bi-district win over Kingwood.

Much has been made about Klein Oak senior **Nick Baratti**. The six foot two, 215 pound Notre Dame commit is the panther version of Lewis Guilbeau. As last year's quarterback, Baratti gave way to **Connor McQueen** in an effort to use his athleticism in more ways than one. Baratti has certainly delivered in 2011 racking up 353 yards rushing, 449 yards receiving, and still proves to be a threat through the air. Baratti has completed 15 of 35 passes for 297 yards and managed one touchdown pass, three touchdown receptions, and he has rushed for nine more scores.

While Baratti might be the main weapon on paper, perhaps the larger big play threat looms in the scat back legs of sophomore running back **Lorenzo Stewart**. His two touchdowns and 292 yards rushing headlined Klein Oak's dismantling of Kingwood and the Westlake defense will have to guard the perimeter against Stewart's speed in the open field.

If it's not the speed of Stewart or Baratti's nose for the end zone, it's the quarterback play of Connor McQueen that guides the Klein Oak offensive attack. McQueen, along with receiver **Tuff McClain** have combined for over 1,000 yards of the signal caller's 2,157 yards passing. In 10 games as the starter, McQueen has fired 16 touchdowns to just six interceptions and he has rushed for six touchdowns amassing just over 600 yards on the ground.

Turnovers win playoff games and the Chaps know turnovers. Westlake has forced 28 turnovers which doubles Klein Oak's total of 14 takeaways for the panther defense. The team that makes the fewest mistakes and the team that capitalizes on said mistakes will move on to face the winner of Desoto and Dallas Skyline.



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Our **LIVE STREAM** will be available beginning at 2:30pm. We launch the Chap Signal once again on Saturday at Klein Memorial Stadium. Bring your radio to the game and tune in to the Chap Signal at **87.7FM** and hear all of the action right from your seat.

The Tailgate & Kick-Off:

Join Joe Taylor, John Neidel, and Abe Garcia at **2:30pm** for the Rudy's Country Store & Bar-b-Que Tailgate. Hear the pre-game thoughts of Klein Oak head coach **David Smith** and Westlake's **Darren Allman**. The kick-off is set for 3pm so tune in for live coverage of the 5A Division I Region II Area Championship Game on WestlakeSports.net, [The Westlake Chap App](#), and the Chap Signal on **87.7FM** inside Klein Memorial Stadium.



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Right after the final gun, you'll hear the post game thoughts of Darren Allman. We'll recap the game with highlights and final team and individual stats. Stay tuned to hear who took home player of the game honors and hear the Mighty Fine Play of the Game.