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CHAMPIONSHIP PREVIEWS '09

**C Division - 12:30, U-1
Falcons (5-4) vs. Wildcats (3-3-2)**



Playoff Scores

Falcons	18	Wildcats	18
Seminoles	13	Bulldogs	13

Outlook: Both squads scored upset wins in the playoffs to set up this unlikely championship match up. The Falcons, on a three-game win streak, look to become the first team from Upland to win a football championship.

Players to watch: The Falcons feature a trio of running backs in QB/FB Hector Valdez (9.0 ypc) and tailbacks Dominic Ferrel (8.0 ypc) and Nathan Camacho (10.0 ypc). Safety Matthew Gonzalez leads the team in tackles with 31, while nose guard Donavan Settles is a force up front.

Wildcat linemen Rogelio Sanchez and Austin Taylor pave the way for QB Ivan Ostry (10.0 ypc, 4 TDs) and tailback Thomas Gleason (12.0 ypc, 6 TDs). End Vincent Rodriguez leads the team in tackles with 28.

**C/B Division - 1:30, C-1
FSU (6-2) vs. Georgia (5-3)**



Playoff Scores

Seminoles	20	Georgia	18
Falcons	12	UNC	6

Outlook: The Seminoles won all three match ups in the regular season handing the Bulldogs all three of their losses, but Georgia is on a four-game win streak.

Players to watch: The favored Seminoles are led on offense by running back Zachery Vasquez (9.0 ypc) and Jonathan Bordey (19 points). Brett Appleby recorded the longest run of the season. Gabriel Vergara is the team's leading tackler with 28 on the season.

Bulldog brothers Rafael and Rocky Velasco lead the Georgia defense. On offense the Bulldogs run behind offensive lineman Peter Schubert. Zachariah Cano is Georgia's top offensive threat.

**B Division - 3:00, C-1
UNC (8-0) vs. Kentucky (4-3-1)**



Playoff Scores

Tar Heels	14	Wildcats	8
Bulldogs	7	Seminoles	6

Outlook: The Tar Heels look to finish the season as KYL's only unbeaten and untied team. They won both prior matchups with the Wildcats including a 20-0 win in their last meeting.

Players to watch: UNC looks to repeat as champs behind the play of QB Nick Cuda (8.7 ypc, 9 TDs). O-linemen Jacob Lyons, Evan Wilson, Josh Mora and Robby Reyes set the tone up front. On defense the 'Heels are led by nose Devyn Cisneros (41 tackles), linebacker Billy Hennessy (26 tackles) and end Alias Williams (23 tackles).

The Wildcats are led by the backfield trio of Leville Slayton, Eddie Perez and Kenneth Lee - all of whom average over five yards per carry. Defensive end Robert DeLaPena is the team's leading tackler with 24. Kicker Nathaniel Kahrs is a perfect 3-for-3 on kicked PATs.

**A Division - 2:00, C-2
UNC (9-1) vs. Georgia (4-4-1)**



Playoff Scores

UNC	22	Georgia	6
Kentucky	0	FSU	0

Outlook: The Tar Heels cruised in their playoff win, while the Bulldogs won in double OT. UNC won both prior meetings, but the Bulldogs may be more battle tested.

Players to watch: The backfield tandem of Matt Hoskins (8.8 ypc, 9 TDs) and Tylar Rickard (6.9 ypc, 2 TDs) run behind the solid line play of Isaac Ibarra, Deandre Walter and Mitch Benavides on an offense that averages 18 points per game. QB Dan Vasquez runs the show and has completed 50% of his passes on the season. Defensive end Aaron Perez leads the team in tackles with 49.

The Bulldogs will look to a stout defense to try and slow down UNC. leading tacklers on the season are DE Kevin Bullock (68), LB Dillon Gadoury (44), and DE Richard Sanchez (38). Tailback Todd Do averages 5.5 ypc and has scored 5 TDs.

**A/AA Division - 12:30, C-2
UNC (5-2) vs. Falcons (4-3)**



Playoff Scores

UNC	14	Falcons	20
Mia/Ken	8	Georgia	6

Outlook: The Tar Heels won both prior meetings, but the Falcons are hot of late and offer Upland's best chance at winning their first football title.

Players to watch: UNC Offensive linemen Andrew Garcia, Luis Sanchez and Jacob Lozano pave the way for leading ground gainers QB Manuel Valenzuela (5.1 ypc, 3 Tds) and tailback Matt Joe (7.9 ypc, 1 TD). MLB Mike Ozuna is the leader of the defense and has posted 15 tackles on the season.

The Falcons are led by the dynamic quarterback play of Kenzel Lawler who has rushed for 543 yards and 16 touchdowns. Lawler's favorite targets in the pass game are receivers Matthew Vieau and Jess Becerril. O-linemen Luis Sanchez and Eddie Lara make it all possible with their stellar play up front.

**AA Division - 5:00, A-1 - Friday
FSU (6-0-1) vs. Georgia (4-3-1)**



Playoff Scores

FSU	39	Georgia	14
UNC	18	Miami	12

Outlook: The Bulldogs are responsible for the only blemish (a 12-12 tie late in the season) on FSU's otherwise perfect four-year undefeated run in football.

Players to watch: QB Matt Avila leads the Seminole offense and has thrown four TD passes - two to WR Noah Rodriguez. The offensive line has been solid all season and is paced by TE Aaron McCraven and guard Alex Alvarez. Leading tacklers for the 'Nole defense (allowing just 7.0 ppg) are end Raymond Serrano (38), LB Steven Comstock (36), and LB Joseph Romero (33).

The backfield tandem of Rory Hare (5.8 ypc, 2 TDs) and Damian Valenzuela (6.3 ypc, 2 TDs) run behind a determined O-line led by tackles Martin Keeley and Ethan Nishikawa. Linebacker Nick Carrillo leads the team in tackles with 36.

KARE YOUTH LEAGUE GAMES AND ACTIVITIES



BOYS' DIVISIONS

D Division Soccer

Falcons, Panthers, Steelers 11:00 U-1*
 Bucs vs. Eagles 11:00 C-1
 Colts vs. Lions 11:00 A-1
 * - at Pacific Christian Center

C Division Football Championship

Falcons vs. Kentucky 12:30 U-1*
 * - at Pacific Christian Center

C/B Division Football Championship

FSU vs. Georgia 1:30 C-1

B Division Football Championship

UNC vs. Kentucky 3:00 C-1

A Division Football Championship

UNC vs. Georgia 2:00 C-2

A/AA Division Football Championship

UNC vs. Falcons 12:30 C-2

AA Division Football Championship - Friday, Dec. 4

* FSU vs. Georgia 5:00 A-1

AAA Division Football Championship - Friday, Dec. 4

FSU vs. Georgia 6:30 A-1

Pac-10 Football Championship - Friday, Dec. 4

USC vs. UCLA 8:00 A-1

* - at Pacific Christian Center

Rio Reaches CIF Semi-finals

The Rio Hondo Prep football team hosts Salesian Saturday night at 7:00 for a birth in the CIF championship. The team would greatly appreciate your support.

GIRLS' DIVISIONS

Royal Friends

Arcadia - Dance rehearsal at Durfee School. Meet at the snack bar at 9:00 a.m. - back at 12:00.

Covina - Dance rehearsal at Durfee School. Meet in the parking lot at 9:00 a.m. - back at 12:00.

Upland - Cheer leading practice, club meeting and leaf craft on Wednesday from 4:15-5:30. March in Upland Parade on Saturday.

* **Optional candle campaign order forms are due.**

Karenas Cheer

Seminoles and Bulldogs 6:15 A
 Georgia 6:15 A
 Wildcats & Kentucky 6:15 A
 Tarheels have an outing
 Falcons march in Upland Parade

Pac-5 Volleyball Championship

A League
 Hawks vs. Eagles 2:00 A

B League
 Huskies vs. Hawks 1:00 A

* Pac-5 East has as basketball clinic from 10:00-11:30 in Covina.

KARE CALENDER

ChampionshipsDec. 5
 Royal Friends Dance RecitalDec. 8
 Basketball scrimmagesDec. 12
 Santa's BreakfastDec. 12
 Christmas (no activities)Dec. 21-Jan. 4



Gameday Forecast

for Saturday, December 5
 Mostly sunny, High 68°

AAA Division - 6:30, A-1 - Friday FSU (7-1) vs. Georgia (6-2)



Playoff Scores

FSU	12	Georgia	20
UNC	0	Kentucky	6

Outlook: Both '09 match ups between these two were won by the Seminoles, albeit buy just six points in each. Georgia beat FSU in last year's AA championship.

Players to watch: FSU averages 23 points per game thanks in large part to the line play of Evan Gray, Joshua Griffin and Noah Guzman. FSU's backfield of QB Adrian Ponce (6.7 ypc, 11 TDs), FB Zach Brickner (9.4 ypc, 9 TDs) and TB Michael Ezpinoza (9.9 ypc, 4 TDs) have been the beneficiaries. Top tacklers for the 'Noles include NG Francisco Carcamo (32 & 4 sacks), LB Luke Evans (35) and CB Garrett Moreland (32).

The Mendez twins are Georgia's top play-makers on offense both averaging better than seven yards per carry and combining for 12 TDs. O-linemen Edward Masuda, Craig Carillo and Jacob Rodriguez are a force up front. LBs Nick Flores (27) and Willie Calvillo (36) lead the team in tackles.

Pac-10 - 8:00, A-1 - Friday USC (8-1) vs. UCLA (8-2)



USC - no playoff due to 8-game cushion	UCLA	30
	Cal	6

Playoff Scores

Outlook: After winning the first two meetings USC was beat by UCLA 7-6 in a late-season thriller. Expect another close one in this battle of Eastern Conference rivals.

Players to watch: USC backs Christian Garcia and Matt Fink both average over 10 ypc and have scored six and nine TDs respectively. Pacing the offense are O-linemen Lopaka Moore-Sanchez, Blake Downing, Ray Martinez and Eric Escobar. Leading tacklers for the Trojans are Chris Salcido (53 & 4 INTs), LB Joseph Cervantes (52) and LB Daniel Silvestre (35).

UCLA is led by QB Thomas Chavez who has rushed for 570 yards, passed for 102 and accounted for 15 TDs. Victor Rivera is the Bruins' top offensive lineman and MLB Jose Valazco the team's top defensive player (49 tackles, 2 sacks). Kicker Rogelio Serrano is 14-of-20 on PATs.