

# Towns County Sports

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## Georgia Military gives Towns Indians another headache, 35-7

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What a difference a year makes.

Last year, the Indians traveled to Milledgeville and gave Georgia Military all that they could handle, before succumbing to a 22-15 heart-breaker.

On Friday night at Frank McClure Stadium, both teams looked completely different from a year ago.

The Bulldogs handed it to the Indians by a score of 35-7.

Early on the Indians matched the Bulldogs defensively as both teams were scoreless throughout the first quarter.

In the second quarter,

GMC running back Colby Lawrence found the end zone, scoring on a 10-yard run to give the Bulldogs a 7-0 advantage early in the second quarter. Lawrence rushed across the goal line twice more in the quarter to put the Bulldogs up 21-0 at the half.

Looking for some kind of second half spark, Indians' Head Coach Kyle Langford instructed senior kicker Noah Calhoun to attempt an inside kick.

Calhoun did his job as he executed a timely outside kick. The Indians recovered the live football which seemed to give Towns County life offensively.

Working with a short field, the Indians managed to drive into Bulldog territory. Sophomore Quarterback Jack-

son Noblet connected with Calhoun on a third and goal 7-yard touchdown pass.

That score would close the gap on the Bulldog lead to 21-7 early in the third quarter.

On this night, that would be as close as the Indians would get as the Bulldogs tacked on two more touchdowns and pulled away with the 28 point victory 35-7.

Friday night the Indians will host the North Cobb Christian Eagles for the 2011 Homecoming. Last year the Indians travelled to Kennesaw and came back with a huge 48-18 win over the Eagles. Let's keep our fingers crossed for a repeat performance.

Kickoff is 7:30 p.m. Friday at Frank McClure Stadium.



Cruz Shook takes the handoff from Noblet

Photo by James Reese



The Bulldogs take down Zach Stroud during action Friday

Photo by James Reese



Commissioner Bill Kendall does the honors of the opening coin toss on Friday

Photo by Lowell Nicholson



Jackson Noblet fights for yardage against GMC

Photo by James Reese

## Towns County Tiny Mites bring home 26-18 win over Chestatee War Eagles

The Towns County Tiny Mites are making a habit of winning football games.

They ran their record to 5-0 with a 26-18 win over the visiting Chestatee War Eagles on Saturday at Frank McClure Stadium.

The Tiny Mites used a variety of weapons to down the War Eagles. Hayden McClure led the Indians' offensive attack with 135 yards on the ground and one rushing touchdown. Payton Ivester rushed for 125 yards on the ground and two scores, and passed for another six points.

Kyle Oakes rolled up 74 yards on the ground to add to the Indians' almost 400 yards of total offense.

Towns County's Mason Thomas hauled in the game's only touchdown pass from Ivester.

On defense, the Tiny Mites were their usual tenacious selves, holding Chestatee to under 200 yards of total offense. The Tiny Mites bend but don't break defense held their own against their much larger foes from Hall County.

All four Youth Football teams are scheduled to play on Saturday at Frank McClure Stadium. Game time for the first contest: 9 a.m. with the subsequent games to follow.

Towns County Sole Commissioner Bill Kendall asks the community to come out and support these young athletes as they work their way to the next level of football competition.



Mason Thomas hauls in a touchdown pass from Payton Ivester in the 26-18 win over Chestatee

Photo by James Reese



The Tiny Mite Defense holds them again

Photo by James Reese



Payton Ivester heads to the house to put the Tiny Mites on top for good

Photo by James Reese



Indians' defender Kyle Oakes takes on Chestatee's Beharry

Photo by James Reese



The Tiny Mites continued their winning ways at Frank McClure Stadium

Photo by Lowell Nicholson



The secret to the Tiny Mites' success could be top notch cheerleaders

Photo by Lowell Nicholson

## Run Above the Clouds to be held during Indian Summer Festival



The eighth Annual running of the new Run Above the Clouds will be held on Saturday, October 1st at 9 a.m. as the Annual Indian Summer Festival begins in Suches at the Woody Gap School.

The event consists of a 10K road race and a 1 mile fun run. The 10K race is over a scenic but challenging out and back course through the north Georgia mountains. The 1 mile run is also out and back along an essentially flat course.

All runners in the 10K will receive a high quality long sleeve T-shirt; fun run participants receive a similar short sleeve shirt. Awards in the 10K are two deep, male and female in five age categories, as well as overall male and female

first place. Entrance fees are \$15 for the 10K and \$10 for the 1 mile run. A downloadable application is available on the community website: www.suches.com and registration can be completed on race day. For more information, e-mail cloudrun120k@yahoo.com.

The races are a part of the two day Indian Summer Festival which is a homey craft fair, featuring traditional and contemporary crafts, all day country music, good things to eat - including some of the best bar-be-cue to be found anywhere, a play by students of Woody Gap elementary grades and an old fashioned square dance on Saturday night. All proceeds from the festival and the race go to support the Woody Gap School.

Come out to Suches October 1st and 2nd to participate in the race, enjoy the festival, see the beautiful north Georgia mountains and support the Woody Gap School.

## Co-Ed Softball registration

The Towns County Recreation Department will be offering a Co-Ed men's and women's open softball league. The league will begin the 4th of October. Games will be

held each Tuesday night for six weeks. To register your team or for more information please contact the Towns County Recreation Department at 706-896-2600. T(Sep21,F)JSH

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