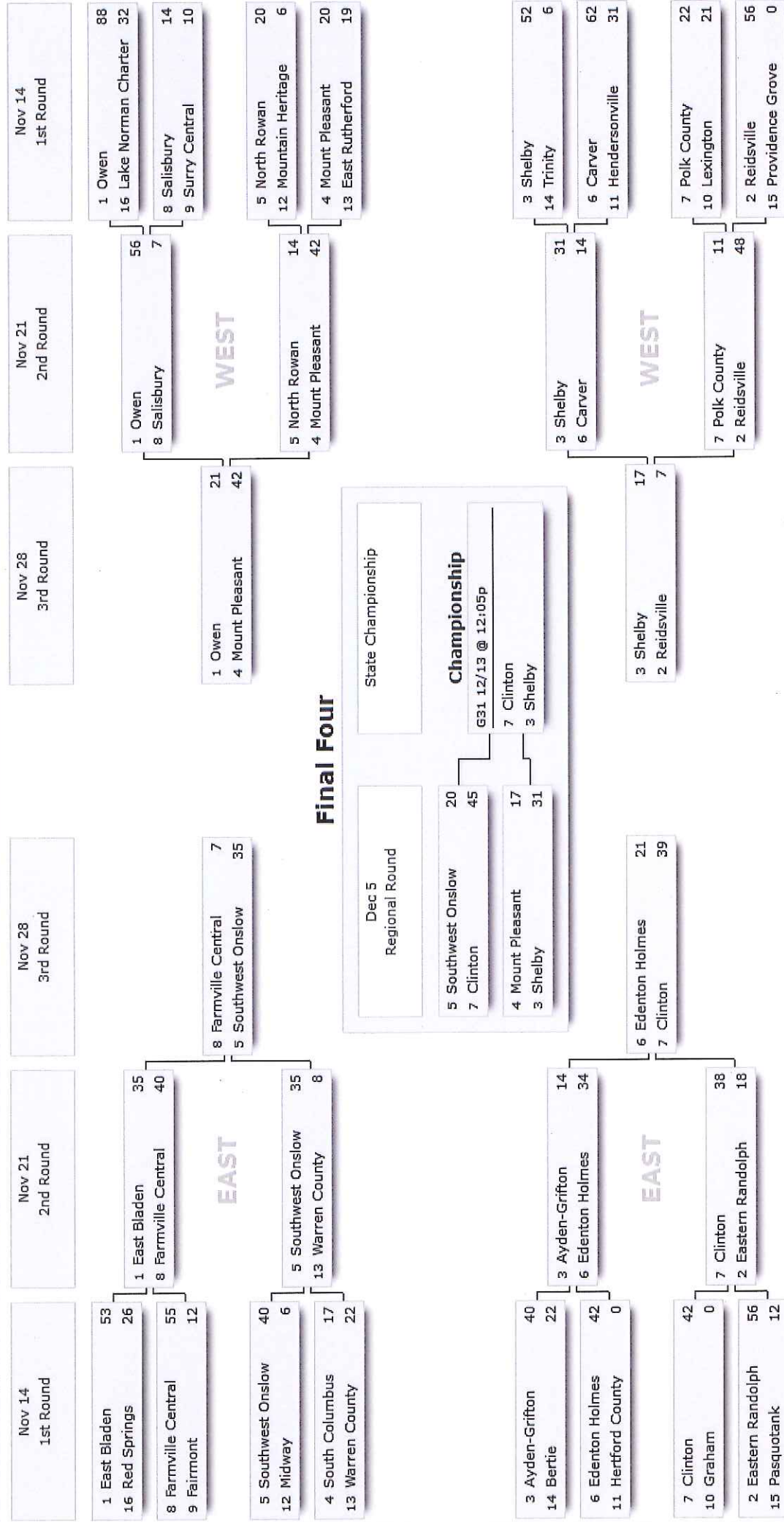


2014 Football Championship - 2A

Location Various Cities, NC



CLINTON

Dark Horses

Location: Clinton

Conference: Four County

Colors: black and gold

Principal: Dr. Steven Miller

Athletic Director: Jeff Sawvel

Head Coach: Bob Lewis (offensive coordinator, offensive line)

Assistant Coaches: Mark Fields (defensive coordinator, linebackers), Jason Arnette (tight ends, defensive line), Raymond Spell (quarterbacks, running backs), Trey Fetterman (junior varsity, offensive and defensive line), Scott Lewis (junior varsity, linebackers and defensive backs), Mike Bell (junior varsity, running backs)

Players to Watch: RB/LB Ryheem Skinner, RB/SS Hyson Howard, FB/MLB Rayquan Faison, WR/FS/P Wade Sumner, DE Prentice Murphy, DT T.C. Boone

This Year's Record: 13-1

NOTES: Clinton is in an NCHSAA football championship game for a 10th time, and first time since 2006...Dark Horses have 5-4 mark in state championship games...lost to Burlington Cummings 49-20 in '06 2-A final and beat Lincolnton in 2005 by 13-6...other Clinton state titles in 1990, '96, '97 and 2001, while other runner-up finishes occurred in 1976, '95 and 2002...Dark Horses are number-seven seed in 2-A East bracket...Clinton was ranked seventh in final 2-A Associated Press regular season poll...whopping 35th postseason appearance for Dark Horses since 1972 with 69-29 record in playoff games during that stretch...beat perennial power and last year's state runner-up Southwest Onslow in regional final...Dark Horses have punishing ground game out of T formation and only throw it about three times per contest...Four County Conference co-champs this year...Dark Horses defense has shut out four opponents and limited five others to seven or fewer points...veteran head coach Bob Lewis back at Clinton helm—he won his 300th career game earlier this season...he has four NCHSAA championships at Clinton, won one at East Bladen and then one at private school

Harrells Christian Academy...sophomore Ryheem Skinner had rushed for 1858 yards and 23 TDs entering regional final, with amazing 12.7 yards per carry mark...Hyson Howard has picked up 665 yards rushing in first 13 games and Rayquan Faison at 566 yards...Prentice Murphy second on team in tackles and paces Horses in sacks with 10...Lajuan Ashley is Clinton leader in interceptions category.

CLINTON SEASON AT A GLANCE

East Duplin	W	48-3
Wilmington Laney	W	48-32
Whiteville	W	19-7
Pender	W	69-6
East Bladen	L ot	21-27
Midway	W	46-0
Union	W	57-0
West Bladen	W	42-6
Heide Trask	W	54-0
Wallace-Rose Hill	W	35-7

NCHSAA PLAYOFFS

Graham	W	42-0
Eastern Randolph	W	38-18
Edenton Holmes	W	39-21
Southwest Onslow	W	45-21

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DARKHORSES**

2	Hyson Howard	RB, SS	5-11	165	Sr.
3	Kavon Dessus	WR, CB, SS	5-9	165	Jr.
4	Lajuan Ashley	WR, CB	5-8	145	Sr.
5	Josh Armwood	WR, LB	5-10	165	Sr.
6	Tyion Wright	QB, CB, FS	5-10	160	So.
7	Kris Royal	WR, SS	5-10	165	Sr.
8	Wade Sumner	WR, FS, P	6-0	173	Sr.
9	Julian Wilkins	FB, OLB	5-8	185	Sr.
10	Jonathan Wright	TE, MLB	6-2	215	Jr.
11	Kris Williams	S, QB	5-9	155	Fr.
12	Seth Harrington	P, FS	5-11	168	Sr.
15	Aaron Viser	QB	5-9	160	Sr.
16	Trey Warren	WR, DB	5-8	135	Fr.
20	Albert Deaver	RB, CB	5-7	156	Jr.
22	Ryheem Skinner	RB, OLB	5-9	185	So.
23	Rayquan Faison	FB, MLB	5-9	184	Jr.
24	Emari Oates	RB	5-6	150	So.
26	Zion Autry	RB, DE	6-1	170	Fr.
34	Tyler Johnson	WR, FS	5-8	135	Sr.
36	Chandler Perry	K	6-0	180	Fr.
40	Lj Farrior	TE, DE	5-11	175	Jr.
45	AJ Williamson	LB, FB	5-9	185	Fr.
50	Storm Cannady	C	6-1	260	Sr.
52	Jacob Byrd	OG	5-9	214	Jr.
54	Isaiah Page	LB, G	5-8	150	So.
55	Gage Jackson	C, DT	5-10	175	Fr.
56	Frank Nelson	DT, T	5-9	230	So.
57	Rj Boykin	DT	5-9	285	Sr.
62	Byron Tyndall	C, OLB	5-7	170	Jr.
63	Nick Cooper	G	5-10	240	Jr.
64	Aaron Highsmith	G	5-7	190	So.
65	Chase King	G	5-10	200	Sr.
66	Chris Gray	OL, LB	5-9	188	Jr.
68	Taylor Daniel		5-10	220	Fr.
70	Jon Jacobs	T	6-1	235	Sr.
72	Joseph Williamson	DL, OL	5-7	270	Jr.
74	Joel Jones	T, DT	6-3	250	So.
76	Jaelyn Browne	DT	6-0	334	Jr.
77	Tj Boone	T, DT	6-1	285	Sr.
78	Ray Deaver	DT	5-8	305	Sr.
80	Grant Naylor	TE, DE	5-10	160	Sr.
82	Chandler Whitfield	TE, DE	5-10	208	Sr.

84	Nick Usher	TE, OLB	5-10	201	Sr.
85	Greydon Barwick	TE, DE	6-1	160	Fr.
88	Prentice Murphy	WR, DE	6-2	182	So.

Head Coach: Bob Lewis

CLINTON DARK HORSES TWO DEEP DEPTH CHART

POSITION

STARTER

BACK-UP

OFFENSE: T FORMATION

Quarterback	#10 Aaron Visor	#6 Tyion Wright
Right Running Back	#22 Ryheem Skinner	#20 Albert Deaver
Fullback	#9 Julian Wilkins	#23 Rayquan Faison
Left Running Back	#2 Hyson Howard	#24 Emari Oates
Right Tight End	#82 Chandler Whitfield	#88 Prentice Murphy
Right Tackle	#77 T.J. Boone	#63 Nick Cooper
Right Guard	#65 Chase King	#62 Byron Tyndall
Center	#50 Storm Cannady	#52 Jacob Byrd
Left Guard	#70 Jonathon Jacobs	#64 Aaron Highsmith
Left Tackle	#74 Joel Jones	#50 Frank Nelson
Left Tight End	#10 Jonathan Wright	#12 Seth Harrington

DEFENSE: 4-3

Left Defensive End	#82 Chandler Whitfield	#65 Chase King
Left Defensive Tackle	#77 T.J. Boone	#63 Nick Cooper
Right Defensive Tackle	#78 Ray Deaver	#70 Jonathon Jacobs
Right Defensive End	#88 Prentice Murphy	#40 Herbert Farrior
Left Outside Linebacker	#8 Wade Sumner	#62 Byron Tyndall
Middle Linebacker	#23 Rayquan Faison	#10 Jonathon Wright
Right Outside Linebacker	#5 Josh Armwood	#9 Julian Wilkins
Left Corner	#6 Tyion Wright	#2 Hyson Howard
Left Safety	#7 Kris Royal	#12 Seth Harrington
Right Safety	#3 Kavon Dessus	#11 Kris Williams
Right Corner	#4 Lajuan Ashley	#20 Albert Deaver

SHELBY

Golden Lions

Location: Shelby

Conference: South Mountain Athletic

Colors: black and old gold

Principal: David Allen

Athletic Director: Lance Ware

Head Coach: Lance Ware

Assistant Coaches: Michael Wilbanks (Offensive Line), David Devine (Defensive Coordinator), Jamie Dunaway (Offensive Line), Aubrey Hollifield (Defensive Line), Chris Emery (Wide Receivers), Ray Barkley (*Defensive Line*), Brian Huffstetler (Wide Receivers), Brad Causby (Defensive Backs), Arsenio Parks (Running Backs), Justin Hawn (Outside Linebackers)

Players To Watch: QB RJ George, RB Chad Reid, WR Jayden Borders, DB Demerio Houston, LB Garrion Addison, LB Dax Hollifield, DE Clay Huskey, DE Chavon Miller, K Richard Wright, DB Demerrio Houston

This Year's Record: 13-2

2013 Record: 12-4

2012 Record: 8-6

NOTES: Shelby, a perennial football power, is in the NCHSAA football finals for the 11th time in modern era, with a 6-4 mark in championships since '72 and part of the school's amazing 739 victories all-time...records indicate 1909 first Shelby football season...beat Southwest Onslow 29-7 for '13 2-A title... in 2007, lost to Reidsville in 2-AA final 28-20...other state crowns in 1986, '87, '05 and '06...for years a power in old Western North Carolina High School Activities Association...Golden Lions were number-three overall seed in 2-A West and were ranked sixth in final Associated Press regular season 2-A poll of 2013 campaign...Shelby in 31st postseason appearance since 1972 and has posted outstanding playoff record of 84-24 during that time...high powered offense is averaging over 38 points per game and is led by QB RJ George... George is the school's all-time passing leader and this year has thrown for over 2500 yards and 34 total TD's...Chad Reid leads the team in rushing with over 1400 yards rushing... sophomore Jayden Borders leads team in receiving with over 1000 yards receiving

and 10 touchdowns, the first Golden Lion receiver to go over 1,000 yard mark in a year...defense limits opponents to 2.9 yards per rushing attempt...DB Demerrio Houston has 12 interceptions on year, tops in state...DE Clay Huskey with whopping 15 sacks, DE Chavon Miller with 12.5 sacks lead fierce pass rush.

SHELBY SEASON AT A GLANCE		
Polk County	W	50-20
A.C. Reynolds	W	26-14
South Point	L	39-44
R-S Central	W	35-20
Chase	W	35-10
Kings Mountain	W	27-7
East Burke	W	49-21
East Rutherford	W	64-10
Burns	W	48-7
Draughn	W	58-0
Crest	L	13-21
NCHSAA PLAYOFFS		
Trinity	W	52-6
Carver	W	31-14
Reidsville	W	17-7
Mount Pleasant	W	31-17

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GOLDEN LIONS**

2	Maleek Sarratt	QB	5-11	165	Fr.
3	Kavacia Shell	WR	5-8	150	Jr.
4	Clay Huskey	DE	5-11	200	Sr.
5	Chad Reid	RB	5-10	180	Sr.
6	Jayden Borders	WR	5-11	165	So.
7	Devin Gullatte	WR/DB	6-2	165	So.
8	Darius Fuller	WR	6-2	170	So.
9	Garrion Addison	LB	6-1	260	Sr.
10	Jwan Sims	QB/RB	5-8	175	So.
11	Darquez Lee	QB	6-1	210	Jr.
12	RJ George	QB	6-0	220	Sr.
14	Xavier Brooks	RB	5-8	160	Fr.
15	Shamez Poston	LB	6-0	170	Fr.
16	Will Stites	LB	5-10	165	Fr.
20	Demerrio Houston	WR/DB	5-11	150	Sr.
21	Aaron Jolly	S	5-11	165	So.
22	Demonte Poole	WR/DB	5-8	140	Jr.
23	Joc Washington	LB	6-0	170	Fr.
24	Buck Ussery	RB/LB	5-10	205	Sr.
25	Isaiah Etchison	WR	5-7	123	So.
26	Chavon Miller	DL	5-11	185	Sr.
27	Joe Barnes	DB	5-9	170	Jr.
28	Caleb Jolly	WR	5-7	140	Sr.
30	Jahlen Cooper	S	6-1	175	Jr.
32	CJ Ross	LB	5-10	165	So.
33	Ahmod Jolly	RB/DB	5-9	166	Jr.
36	Brandon Davis	LB	5-8	200	So.
40	Delvin Mitchell	DB	5-8	150	Sr.
41	Devin Smith	RB	5-6	150	Jr.
43	Josh Smith	DB	5-10	165	Fr.
44	Dax Hollifield	LB	6-1	215	Fr.
45	Damien Key	LB	6-1	190	So.
50	DeAndre Ross	OL	5-9	220	Sr.
51	Justin Turner	LB	5-9	205	Sr.
52	Michael Wright	OL	5-11	240	So.
53	Chance Reynolds	LB	6-0	205	Jr.
54	Kameron Hawk	LB	5-10	200	Jr.
55	Treshawn Borders	DL	6-0	240	Jr.
60	Jake Appling	OL	6-3	260	Jr.
61	Gesus Hartgrove	OL	6-0	230	So.
62	Nick Pugh	OL	6-2	235	Jr.
65	Rakeem Sweezy	OL	6-0	260	Jr.

68	Daniel Floyd	OL	6-2	235	So.
70	Nick Terrill	DL	6-5	265	Sr.
71	Turner Smith	OL	6-3	250	Fr.
72	Kyran Lathers	OL	5-8	220	Sr.
74	Jaedon Hopper	OL	6-4	250	Sr.
75	Darius Clark	DL	6-3	250	So.
77	Avery Mauney	OL	6-3	310	Jr.
78	Darius Archie	OL	6-2	235	So.
79	Jwan Taylor	OL	6-0	195	Jr.
80	Ethan Triplett	K	5-10	160	So.
81	Richard Wright	K	6-1	180	Sr.
85	Spencer Devine	LS	6-0	150	Fr.
87	Michael Carson	DL	5-10	180	So.
88	Jahlen Cannon	WR	6-0	150	Fr.
89	Maleek McMullens	WR	6-1	170	Fr.
90	Kent Clemmons	DL	6-2	225	Sr.
95	OJ Ross	DL	6-1	255	So.
99	Patrick Hill	DL	6-2	295	Jr.

Head Coach: Lance Ware

2014 Shelby Football 2 Deep

Offense

QB

#12 RJ George

#11 Darquez Lee

RB

#5 Chad Reid

#24 Buck Ussery

WR

#6 Jayden Borders

#32 CJ Ross

WR

#28 Caleb Jolly

#5 Chad Reid

WR

#7 Devin Gullatte

#20 Demerio Houston

WR

#3 Kavacia Shell

#22 Demonte Poole

C

#60 Jake Appling

#52 Michael Wright

Defense

DT

#70 Nick Terrill

#55 Tashawn Borders

DT

#90 Kent Clemmons

#50 DeAndre Ross

DE

#4 Clay Huskey

#87 Michael Carson

DE

#26 Chavon Miller

#55 Kameron Hawk

LB

#9 Garrion Addison

#51 Justin Turner

LB

#44 Dax Hollifield

#51 Justin Turner

OSLB

#45 Damien Key

#16 Will Stites

OG

#62 Nick Pugh

#77 Avery Mauney

OG

#78 Darius Archie

#65 Rakeem Sweezy

OT

#74 Jaedon Hopper

#70 Nick Terrill

OT

#79 Jwan Taylor

#75 Darius Clark

Kicker

#81 Richard Wright

#80 Ethan Triplett

Longsnapper

#60 Jake Appling

#52 Michael Wright

OSLB

#24 Buck Ussery

#30 Ahmod Jolly

CB

#20 Demerio Houston

#41 Devin Smith

CB

#22 Demonte Poole

#40 Delvin Mitchell

FS

#21 Aaron Jolly

#5 Chad Reid

Punter

#81 Richard Wright

#80 Ethan Triplett

Kick Returner

#14 Xavier Brooks