



# KLEIN OAK PANTHERS 2008



## Congratulations Panthers!

Many of the Klein Oak Panthers were honored by being chosen for the 13-5A All District Teams as well as the VIPE Magazine All Greater Houston Team. In addition Klein Oak had 34 players chosen for the All District Academic Team for excelling in the classroom as well as on the field. Special Congratulations go to the following players and Coach Smith for earning Coach of the Year, Player of the Year and MVP District 13-5A honors:

- **Player of the Year:** Ossam Cook
- **Offensive MVP:** Andy Wilson
- **Coach of the Year:** Coach David Smith

## Panthers Season Comes to an End with Heartbreaking Loss to Copperas Cove

After an awesome regular season, albeit rough start due to two hurricanes, and three playoff wins, earning the Panthers a trip to the quarter final game in Corsicana, the Panthers couldn't overcome the Copperas Cove Bulldogs. Battered by injury, the Panthers made a valiant effort but came up short Saturday night. While it is hard to lose at any point in the playoffs, the Panthers can be proud of the fact that of all the 5A football teams in Division II, in the state of Texas, they are among the top eight teams. That is a remarkable accomplishment. We are proud of the 2008 Panthers and all that they have accomplished this season!

## REGIONAL CHAMPIONS

The Panthers "Air it Out" to Beat the Wildcats  
34 - 10  
Advance to Round 4 of the Playoffs

The passing game made the difference! After a 7 - 7 first half tie, Quarterback, Andy Wilson, opened it up and threw the ball, resulting in 4 touchdowns in the second half to win the game 34 - 10. The defense played a remarkable game allowing the Wildcats only 10 points. They were responsible for a number of "take-aways" giving the offense a chance to put points on the board.

### Game Reports

### Roster

### Statistics

VARSITY				OA K	OP P
Sept 1	2:30	Mandeville, LA	A	Cancelled	
Sept 6	7:00	Cy-Creek	H	38 - 29	
Sept 11	7:00	Cy-Woods	H	Cancelled	
Sept 18		Open			
Sept 26	7:30	*Klein Forest	H	34 - 6	
Oct 3	7:30	*Klein	A	23 - 17	
Oct 10	7:30	*Tomball (HC)	H	56 - 29	
Oct 17	7:30	*Klein Collins	A	7 - 14	
Oct 25	2:00	*Spring	H	44 - 17	
Oct 31	7:00	*Westfield	H	35 - 13	
Nov 8	2:00	*Dekaney	A	44 - 7	
Nov 14	7:00	Oak Ridge	A	28 - 21	
Nov 22	6:00	Cy Creek	A	49 - 21	
Nov 29	3:00	Lake Highlands	A	34 - 10	
Dec 5	7:30	Copperas Cove	A	7 - 45	



\* Denotes District Game



## Klein Oak Flies by Cy Creek

The Panthers beat the Cougars 49 - 21 to Advance to Round 3 of the Playoffs

Reminiscent of the first meeting between Klein Oak and Cy Creek, earlier this season, the Panthers scored on their first play from scrimmage with a long run by Ossam Cook. They followed that by 6 more touchdowns putting 49 points on the board. The defense repeatedly stopped the Cougars, holding them to 21 points. The Panther's next opponent on their quest for the state championship will be Lake Highlands (10-2). That game will be played next Saturday at

3:00 at Round Rock Stadium in Round Rock, TX.



## **Panthers Defense Stops War Eagles Late in the Game to Secure the Win**

**Klein Oak Beats Oak Ridge 28 - 21**

With the wind in the Panthers face and the War Eagles trying to even the score, the Panther defense went to work and shut down Oak Ridge to secure the victory. Klein Oak advances to round 2 of the playoffs.



## **Klein Oak Panthers - District Champions!**

**In Final District Game, Klein Oak Beats Dekaney 44 - 7**

With a decisive win over the Dekaney Wildcats, the Panthers secure the 13-5A district championship. The Panthers look toward the state playoffs with round 1 this Friday against the Oak Ridge War Eagles. Way to go Panthers and good luck in the playoffs.



**The Panthers Pound the Mustangs**

## Klein Oak 35 - Westfield 13

The Panther's Offense and Defense both played like champions against 15th ranked Westfield. Klein Oak scored 3 unanswered touchdowns early in the game, leading at halftime 21 - 0. The Panthers scored 2 more touchdowns in the 2nd half and held the Mustangs to only 13 points. The defense swarmed the Mustang quarterback all night resulting in several interceptions and a fumble that led to touchdowns for Klein Oak.



## **Panthers Win Big Against Spring** Klein Oak Panthers Beat The Spring Lions 44 - 17

The Panthers regrouped this week and came out ready for the Spring Lions. Both the Offense and Defense played well, resulting in a big win over the Spring Lions. Coming off today's exciting win, the Panthers are ready for payback against next Thursday's challenger, the Westfield Mustangs.



## **Panthers Suffer First Loss of the Season**

**Lose to Klein Collins 7 - 14**

The Panthers winning streak ended Friday night when they lost in a low scoring defensive battle to Klein Collins.



## **Panthers Win Homecoming Game Beat Tomball Cougars 56 - 29**

The Panthers remain undefeated by beating the Tomball Cougars by a score of 56 - 29 and retain first place in the 13 - 5A district. The Panthers' offense was unstoppable scoring 56 points which is a season high. Tomball put up a good fight but was no match for the Panthers.



## **Panthers Beat District Rival Klein HS**

**The Panthers beat the Bearkats 23 - 17**

The Panthers never trailed the Bearkats in the 23 - 17 victory at Klein Memorial Stadium. Quarterback Andy Wilson scored the winning touchdown late in the 4th quarter by out running the Bearkat defense nearly the length of the field. Andy Wilson also scored a touch down earlier in the game. Ossam Cook scored the other Panther touchdown. A field goal by Michael Schrobble rounded out the Panther scoring. Defense remained strong to shut down the Bearkat offense late in the game.



## **The Panthers Pound The Eagles**

**The Panthers beat the Eagles in division play  
34 - 6**

The Panthers controlled the Klein Forest Eagles throughout the entire game. The defense shut down the Eagles offense and forced many turnovers by the Eagles. The Panthers are now 1 - 0 in division play. Next week they take on their longtime rivals, the Klein Bearkats.





## **Panthers Beat Cy Creek in Offensive Battle**

After the disappointing cancellation of the Texas High School Classic the Panthers win their season opener at home against the Cy Creek Cougars by a score of 38 to 29.



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