

## **2007 DVL Football Selections**

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The fall season in the Delaware Valley League has come to a close, and many area athletes were honored for their endeavors on the court and the gridiron.

The football first team defense included three players from both Pleasant Ridge and Wathena. The Rams' Brian Heintzleman was a tackle, with Matt Meinert at linebacker and cornerback Derek Warden. The Wildcats had Colby Rohde at end, Corbin Schultz at linebacker and Brett Barger at tackle. Horton's defensive duo of Casey Tulk at nose guard and Jamika Teel at linebacker were named first team, with Valley Falls' Cameron Bickford at end, Mark Stewart of McLouth at safety and Caylor Luther of Troy at cornerback to round out the list.

Offensively, Troy had three first-team selections, including Luther at running back, center Jesse Marriott, and Colin Greaser at quarterback. Pleasant Ridge tabbed Meinert at running back, with Warden at tight end and Heintzleman at guard. Oskaloosa's Boone Heston was a first team running back and Clay Metzger was a tackle. Horton's Junior Ramirez was a tackle and David Pottroff was named at guard. Barger of Wathena rounded out the line selections, and teammate Nick Haedt was named the 1st-team tight end. Dragon punter Cameron Bickford makes an appearance on the top team, joining Vince Foulk of JCN as the specialists.