

The Rise of Warrior Run Football

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"Weight room" The Warrior Run coach, Mark Burrows, did not hesitate about what the football team needs to be successful. He also stated that the team needs to be physically stronger, have the attitude of believing, and getting "off the plan". The plan is what coach refers to as not going 100% in practices and doing everything half fast. The past two years the Warrior Run football team has had a record of 6-14 with no playoff appearance. "We need to be competitive in every game." Coach Burrows said. "We're young, inexperienced, and not physical." The coach stated that the team is struggling with the different personnel that they get each week and that there is a lot of information to be taught in a short period of time.

Senior outside linebacker and running back, Zach Burrows, said the team has some successes in the passing game. A senior this year, Burrows has started the past few years and is a captain for the football team, but has been off the field with a knee injury. "We have a lot of work to do," says Burrows. "We still haven't gotten strong enough and we're still too slow." Weight room was a word that Z. Burrows used describing the team's weaknesses along with running the ball. Zach still thinks the team has a shot at winning some games this year. "We have a shot at winning against Montgomery and Wyalusing."

Another captain of the football team that states the football team has a chance at winning games is senior, Andrew Gummo. Mostly playing the positions of guard and outside linebacker, Gummo said the team has been improving every week and is due for a win. Gummo also stated that the team has passed the ball well, but that the team has shown good signs at running the ball. "We're small in numbers and in strength compared to the past years," says Gummo. "But this year's team never gives up."

After everything is said and done, the players are very committed not just during the season, but out of season. Practices do not end after football

TIMEOUT! The Warrior Run defense takes a short break during timeouts.

