

ELMWOOD-MURDOCK VS. YUTAN**DATE: 8/30/13**

Score by quarter:	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Elmwood-Murdock	7	7	6	0	20
Yutan	0	0	0	14	14

Highlights:

- 1st Quarter (E-M):** Dalton Lindburg scored on a 1 yard run.
(Mikkel Christiansen kicked the PAT.)
- 2nd**
- (E-M):** Dalton Lindburg scored on a 3 yard run.
(Mikkel Christiansen kicked the PAT.)
- 3rd**
- (E-M):** Kyle Bogatz scored on a 42 yard run.
(PAT blocked.)
- 4th**
- (YUTAN):** Nick Josoff scored on a 1 yard run.
(PAT failed.)
- (YUTAN):** Tad Nelson scored on a 5 yard pass from Nick Josoff.
(Nate Fisher caught a 2 pt. conversion pass from Nick Josoff.)

Coaches Comments: The Elmwood-Murdock Knights defeated the Yutan Chieftains 20-14 Friday night in the season opener for both teams. Dalton Lindburg rushed for 139 yards on 24 carries and scored 2 TD's to lead the Knights. The offensive line consisting of Alex Koehler, Matt Campbell, Zach Dwyer, Keegan vonRentzell, and Tanner Bornemeier opened up some nice lanes for the E-M running backs. The Knights led 14-0 at half and seemed to take control of the game at the end of the 3rd quarter on a 42 yard TD run by Kyle Bogatz to extend the lead to 20-0. At the start of the 4th quarter Yutan's passing game came alive and made a couple big plays scoring a TD to make it 20-6. E-M fumbled a QB/Center exchange on the next possession allowing Yutan to get good field position and score. Yutan also converted a 2 point conversion to make it 20-14. With 2 minutes remaining the Knights were able to gain a 1st down and run out the remaining time on the clock. We dominated the 1st half but were unable to shut the door on the Chieftains the 2nd half. Football is a 4 quarter game and you have to execute and protect the ball. We made some fundamental errors and had a costly turnover that allowed Yutan to get back in the game. The Knights host the Johnson County Central Thunderbirds Friday night in Elmwood. Game time is 7:00 p.m.