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#### 8th EDITION 1st Game of the Year

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The kickoff of the season began today for the Roaring Lions Tackle Football Club. With months of preparation and training, it is now time for the players to showcase their talents. Today's opponent for the Lions are the Jaguars. The team was focused and amped up as they strapped on their pads and began their warmup ritual. There were no pre-game jitters for the boys, and they were laser focused to get their first victory of the season.

After the coin toss, the Jaguars elected to receive the kickoff. The defense of the Roaring Lions forced a fumble on the second play of the series. The offense took over and only took 2 snaps to reach the end zone for the first touchdown of the game with aggressive and successful running by the half backs. The second series for the Jaguars ended just like the first with a turnover. The Lions marched down the field again to score for the second time of the quarter. The 2-point conversions were successful on both scores and the point total was 14-0.

On the third series of the first half, the middle linebacker for the Roaring Lions Football Club intercepted the football at midfield and rambled down the field for the third touchdown of the quarter for the Lions. The Jaguars were being dominated on both sides of the ball and couldn't even gain a yard on all their possessions in the first and second quarter. As the half was coming to an end, the fourth touchdown was scored by the Roaring Lions from the blazing speed of their half back. However, the 2-point conversion was unsuccessful. As the referee blew the whistle to end the half, the score was 27-0. The coaching staff for the Lions were very impressed with the play of the offense and the defense in the first half.

The Roaring Lions Tackle Football Club received the football first in the second half and the running back offensive power escalated as their back took the ball from midfield and took it to the house for another 6 points. The offense added 2 more points and brought the score to 34-0. The defense stepped it up and shut down the offense of the Jaguars. Due to the score of the game, the game clock continuously ran throughout the second half.

The Roaring Lions Tackle Football Club's defense added 2 more sacks to the stat sheet in the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter and the Jaguars were not able to have any success in penetrating past midfield. You could see by their demeanor that they realized that they were over matched for this football game.

The Lions' first-string offense finished up their day with another 50-yard run for a touchdown and brought the score to 40-0 before they went to the sideline as their day was finished. The defense continue to hold the Jaguars to finish the game without a point on the scoreboard. It was a strong start to the season and the Roaring Lions Tackle Football Club proved that they are a team to reckon with this season. The Lions next game will be on Wednesday against the Lone Stars.





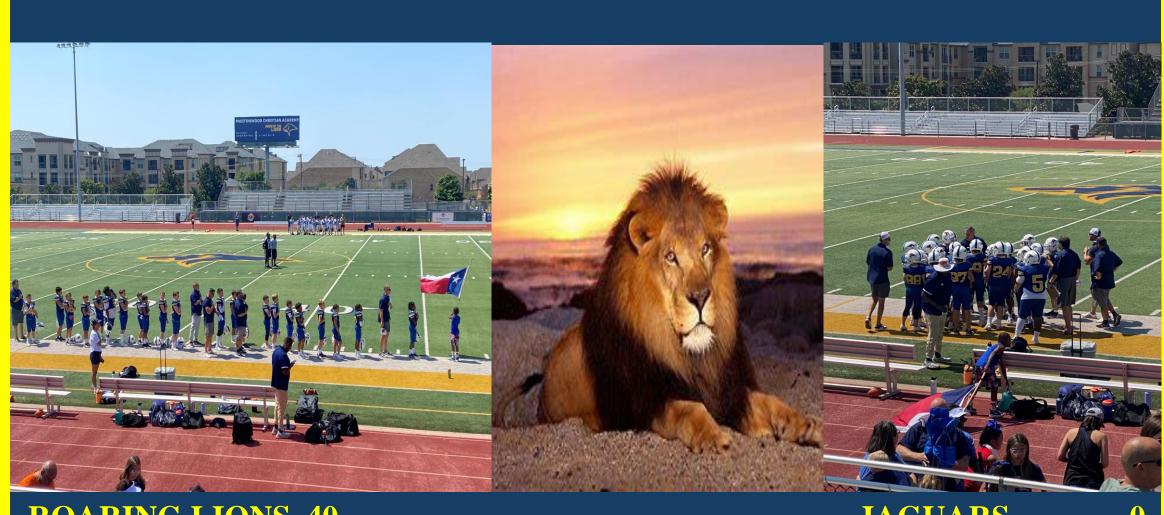












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