

# NORTHSHORE PREP REPORT - FOOTBALL '25

## JAMBOREE PREVIEWS

The jamboree serves as the final tune-up before the regular season officially kicks off. Teams get one last chance to test lineups, sharpen execution, and work out any kinks under game-like conditions without the pressure of the results. It's a preview of what's to come, giving fans one last look at how their teams stack up while giving coaches valuable insight before heading into the intensity of Week One.





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## FOOTBALL JAMBOREE



Rummel

*AT*

St. Pauls



8/29/2025



Franklinton

*AT*

Mandeville



8/29/2025



Ponchatoula

*AT*

Sumner



8/28/2025



Covington

*AT*

Salmen



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Hammond

*AT*

Live Oak



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## FOOTBALL JAMBOREE



South Plaquemine *AT*

Chalmette



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Covington

*AT*

Salmen



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Fontainebleau

*AT*

Baker



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Jesuit

*AT*

Northshore



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Lakeshore

*AT*

Slidell



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DISTRICT 7-4A

## FOOTBALL JAMBOREE



Franklinton

*AT*

Mandeville



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Lakeshore

*AT*

Slidell



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Country Day

*AT*

Hannan



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Loranger

*AT*

Albany



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Pearl River

*AT*

Ascension Catholic  
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DISTRICT 9-2A

## FOOTBALL JAMBOREE



Springfield

*AT*

Independence



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Northlake Christian

*AT*

Pine



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Patrick Taylor

*AT*

Pope John Paul II



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St. Thomas Aquinas

*AT*

Ben Franklin



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Sophie B. Wright

*AT*

St. Helena



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# JAMBOREE PREVIEW



On Friday, Franklinton travels to Mandeville in a matchup between two Northshore area teams. Its the last “warm-up” for both teams going into Week 1 next week. We broke down a few things to watch!



## Franklinton at Mandeville Friday, August 29, 2025

### Franklinton

Senior quarterback, Jacob Crain leads the offense for the Demons. He will look to be efficient in his last warm-up before week one. It will be important for the Demon offensive line to show that they can handle a team like Mandeville up front. The Skippers also have talent in the secondary, which should be a good challenge for receiver DaMikies McClain and the rest of the receivers. On defense, the Demons get to face a three-year starting quarterback in Ben Hendricks. The defensive front seven for the Demons is big and experienced. They will get a good chance to see where they stack up against Mandeville’s running game and new running back Jax Oquin. The secondary is experienced and has one of the best in the area in Chakyn McClain. They will look to contain the Mandeville passing game and playmaking receiver Jake Jacketti.

### Mandeville

The Skippers are coming off a good scrimmage against Jesuit. While they gave up some chunk plays on defense, there was lots of promise. Jax Oquin showed that he could handle the load at running back, which will help senior quarterback and three-year starter, Ben Hendricks. It will be important for the Skippers to show that they can be consistent on offense. They have weapons on the outside in receivers Jake Jacketti, Luke Demelo and two-way star, Dylan Henry. When on defense, Henry will get to face one of the best receivers in the area in DaMikies McClain. The Demons have a big and experienced front on defense. That will give the Skippers a good look at some of the offensive line that has been replaced.



# JAMBOREE PREVIEW



On Friday, Covington travels to Salmen in a jamboree. This is a great matchup of two Northshore area teams that mirror each other in many ways.



## Covington at Salmen Friday, August 29, 2025

### Covington

For the Lions and Coach Salter, it's one more chance to look at quarterbacks Andrew Reynolds and Mathew Fussell. Both had moments where they excelled in last week's scrimmage against Brother Martin. Whoever can be more consistent will look to get the week one start. Both quarterbacks showed big play ability as the Lions had their share of chunk plays. Texas State commit, Jiwaun Brock will get good reps against a talented Salmen secondary. It will be important for the offense to establish a run to help their quarterback out. On defense, the Lions won't get much of a drop off from last week's matchup against Brother Martin. Salmen has a talented offense with playmakers on the outside on top of their dynamic senior running back, Jimmy Chanzy. Keep an eye on Termarkus Scott at linebacker. He was all over the field last week and showed why his recruiting is picking up. The other matchup will be in the secondary. The Lions have experience and talent, but will get challenged with the Salmen receivers' size and playmaking ability.

### Salmen

The Spartans look to continue the good momentum from last week's scrimmage. They were dominant on offense as junior quarterback, Dajohn Howard led the offense. Coach Chuter likes what he sees in Keyes, and you can see why. He made some big plays with his arm last week showing the ability to make throws down the field on top of his ability to run. I'm not sure how much you will see Jimmy Chanzy at running back in the scrimmage but he's a homerun waiting to happen, showing his ability returning a kick for a touchdown last week. The offense will get a good test with a talented Lions defense that has playmakers at every level. On defense, the Spartans look to handle two of the best receivers on the Northshore in Jiwaun Brock and Amari Smith. Up front, it will be important for the Spartans to show they can handle Covington's offensive line as they try to establish the run.





# JAMBOREE PREVIEW



On Friday, Lakeshore travels to Slidell in a great matchup of two area teams. This will be a great opportunity for two talented teams to get a good look going into week one.



## Lakeshore at Slidell Friday, August 29, 2025

### Lakeshore

The Titans are coming off a good scrimmage against Parkview Baptist. In all, they looked like the much better team and Coach Indest was pleased with their offense and defense. They will get a step up this week in Slidell, a class 5A team. Slidell poses some challenges with the athletes they have on offense. It will be a chance to see how they matchup with the speed and athleticism of Slidell. Kyle Gegenheimer, who plays corner and receiver for the Titans is one of the better athletes on the Northshore, and it showed against Parkview Baptist with him making multiple big plays. Slidell has two big weapons on the outside in Carlos Flemings Jr. and Tight End/Flex Jeremiah Birdlow, who is a University of Louisiana commitment. The defense for the Titans will get a good opportunity to play disciplined assignment football as they contain quarterback Ricky Williams and running back Ja'Kwan Jones. Both players can make plays if you get out of position. On offense, the Titans ran the ball well last week with multiple running backs making big plays. Keep an eye on Oudrey Gros, the senior running back/linebacker as he continues to be one of the best two-way players in the area.

### Slidell

The Tigers get a great test with Lakeshore visiting. Coach Page liked what he saw out of his team in the scrimmage. Lakeshore provides a good test with a talented, well coached team. Its another chance for the offense to get its timing down with some new offensive lineman. Lakeshore has a talented front seven, which will help prepare the Tigers for week 1. On offense, look out for the skill position guys. Quarterback, Ricky Williams can make plays with his feet and arm. He has weapons in Carlos Flemings Jr. and Jeremiah Birdlow. If his offensive line gives him time, it will be a hard matchup for any defense. Running back Ja'Kwan Jones is a playmaker and will keep defenses honest. On defense, the Tigers get one of the harder challenges in defending the Titans Wing-T. Its not your standard Wing-T as Coach Indest has incorporated multiple formations run some different concepts out of. This is a great opportunity for the Tigers defense to show Coach Page where they are at mentally and physical.



# JAMBOREE PREVIEW



On Friday, Hammond travels to Live Oak. It's a good opponent for them as they prepare for a week one matchup against Denham Springs.



## Hammond at Live Oak Thursday, August 28, 2025

### Hammond

Hammond travels to Live Oak in a great matchup for them as they prepare for week one against Denham Springs. Coach Buckels has a veteran team in experience. It starts with quarterback, Terin Jones. The junior is in his third season as a starter and has weapons around him. He lost some weight this offseason giving him more mobility. Running back, Zalen Bennett Jr. is dynamic and has multiple offers at the next level. It will be important for Jones and the offensive line to do their part to not be one dimensional. Watch out for Reginald Moore. He will line up in multiple spots on offense and can score from anywhere on the field. He flashed in the scrimmage last week against East Ascension. The defense for the Tornadoes is fun to watch, especially on the line. Elontae Beauchamp will be a household name before long. He's long and physical and plays with a high motor. On the other end is senior, Johnathan Jackson, who can rush the passer and will play at the next level. The secondary is a strength. With the front seven providing a pass rush, look for plays to be made in the secondary. Coach Buckels runs a good scheme defensively. If they play disciplined, assignment football, they can be one of the better defenses in the area.





# JAMBOREE PREVIEW



On Friday, Northlake Christian travels to Pine for their jamboree. Its a great test for the Wolverines as Pine will challenge them with their athletes.



## Northlake Christian at Pine Friday, August 29, 2025

### Northlake Christian

This will be the first live action against an opponent for the Wolverines with last weeks scrimmage being cancelled. It will be a great test as Pine provides athleticism. Coach Willis runs a great defensive scheme. It will be important to contain Pine's offense and be disciplined. Pine is dangerous if they get outside, so look for the Wolverines to focus on being disciplined. The defense is led by senior linebacker, Trace Crain, who is physical and tough. The secondary for the Wolverines has two of the better athletes in the area in Jordan Willis and Charlie Gilmore. Both are dynamic and will see their fair share of touches on offense as well. On offense, the Wolverines look to break in a new quarterback. You are likely to see Sam Grant and Braden Shultz both get reps there as they figure that spot out. Outside of Willis and Gilmore on the outside, look out for the running game led by Kameron Casnave and a big offensive line. Casnave has had a great career and looks to add to that in his senior season.



# JAMBOREE PREVIEW



On Friday, Chalmette hosts defending state champions, South Plaquemine. It's a great opponent for the Owls to continue to fine tune details going into week one.



## South Plaquemine at Chalmette Friday, August 29, 2025

### Chalmette

The Owls had their way last week in their scrimmage against Bogalusa. This week, they get a step up in competition against defending state champion, South Plaquemine as they prepare for week one against John Ehret. Look for Breez Wilson and the offense to be efficient. He's a good athlete and can make plays with his feet, but I am sure Coach Tucker wants to see a clean passing game as well as establish the run with their new running backs. On defense, its the same recipe. Look for the passing game to get some work in the jamboree as they break in a set of new, but really talented receivers led by Dana Antoine Jr. They had one of the best defenses in the state last year and with the players they have coming back, there doesn't look to be any drop off. It's led by South Alabama commit, Tyray Darensburg at linebacker and an experienced and athletic secondary. South Plaquemine always has athletes, so they will get the chance to show they are still one of the best defenses around. As always, winning the line of scrimmage will be a big emphasis.



# JAMBOREE PREVIEW



On Friday, Fontainebleau travels to Baker for their jamboree. Its one last warm up of game speed before their week on matchup at Lakeshore.



## Fontainebleau at Baker Friday, August 29, 2025

### Fontainebleau

The Bulldogs go on the road to face a good Baker team. Last week, you saw flashes of what could be for this team, including a sensational one-handed interception by Samaj Whittine. Watch for the offense to be consistent with new quarterback, Logan Astugue leading the way. He will have help as running back, Sheldon Asmore continues to show his talent. Dont be surprised to see multiple players in the backfield, including some wildcat packages. Coach Kavanaugh has done this for a long time. He will be looking for a clean jamboree with limited mistakes and no penalties. On defense, the Bulldogs face a talented Baker offense that is physical and athletic. There may not be a more athletic safety duo in the area with Samaj Whittine and Conner Tyson on the back end of the defense. It will be important for the front seven on defense to continue to get good reps against a good team. Keep an eye on nose guard, Kenny Primus. He's a tough strong anchor in the middle. I am sure you will see multiple players in and out for the Bulldogs as they continue to find the right mix of players and positions going into week one.





# JAMBOREE PREVIEW



On Friday, Northshore will host Jesuit for the Jamboree. Coach Sanders continues to build his program and has a good opponent here.



## Jesuit at Northshore Thursday, August 28, 2025

### Northshore

The Jesuit Blue Jays make their second trip to the Northshore in as many weeks after visiting Mandeville last week for their scrimmage. Coach Sanders and the Panthers had a good scrimmage last week against Hannan. Other than a scoop and score that resulted in a touchdown for the Hawks, they didn't give up any points. With a new quarterback, it will be important for the defense to continue to be good early to keep the pressure off the offense. On offense, senior running back, Ramon Williams will help the cause and take some pressure off new starting quarterback, JJ Gonzalez. The offensive line should help as well with returning starter and experience. Keep an eye on the line of scrimmage. If the Panthers can win matchups there, it's a recipe for success. The Blue Jays will certainly be a good test with the talent they have on defense. On defense for the Panthers, they will face a talented Jesuit offense who made some big plays last week against Mandeville. Jesuit, who traditionally has a great power running game, has a quarterback and receivers that can push the ball down the field. The matchup here will be the front seven for the Panthers as well as how they handle Jesuit's passing attack in the secondary.



# JAMBOREE PREVIEW



On Friday, St. Pauls will host Rummel in their final warmup before they begin the regular season.



## Rummel at St. Pauls Friday, August 29, 2025

### St. Pauls

Its another catholic league team visiting St. Pauls after they scrimmages John Curtis last week. Against John Curtis, they had their ups and downs. John Curtis and the veer can be tough to defend, especially when you have a game week prep for it. Now, the Wolves get to see a more traditional offense from Rummel. St. Pauls is really talented on defense, and I think you will see a little more of that this week. If I know Coach Sears, he will be focused on the front seven on defense. They got gashed some last week so it will be important for them to play disciplined, assignment football. Keep an eye on the two young corners for the Wolves on the outside. They are really talented and get another good matchup against a talented group of receivers. On offense, expect another steady diet of the power running game led by a big offensive line and senior running back, Cody Corales as well as senior, Troy Willis. Look for St. Pauls to continue to work on the passing game with new quarterback, Brady Pierson. He has weapons to get the ball to, so he just needs to manage the offense and get the ball to his playmakers. Keep an eye on senior wide receiver, Brennan Villa. He's a playmaker and will have a good matchup against the Rummel secondary.



# JAMBOREE PREVIEW



On Thursday, Ponchatoula travels to Sumner for their jamboree as they prepare for week one at home against Walker.



## Ponchatoula at Sumner Thursday, August 28, 2025

### Ponchatoula

Last week, Ponchatoula got their first real look at their team against Rummel in their scrimmage. For the Green Wave, it was a chance to see where they are against a good opponent. Offensively, it was our first glance at quarterback, Jackson Aucoin. Coach Walters was high on him in the off-season and you can see why. The Sophomore signal call made some big throws and looks poised. Overall, it was the running game that looked to be worked on, although they didn't have a lot of success against the Rummel front. Look for them to continue to establish the run. On defense, the Green Wave did really well up front against the run. They gave up some chunk plays in the passing game, which I am sure will be a focus for that group to eliminate going forward. They get a bit of a lesser opponent this week in Sumner, but the Cowboys have a lot of speed and talent. It will be important for the Green Wave to contain them and lessen the big plays. Look for both lines to establish themselves this week. That will be key going forward this year.





# JAMBOREE PREVIEW



On Friday, Hannan will host Country Day in their final tune up before their week one rivalry matchup against Northlake Christian.



## Country Day at Hannan Friday, August 29, 2025

### Hannan

The Hawks get one final tune up before their week one rivalry matchup against Northlake Christian. They stepped up in class last week in their scrimmage against Northshore. In that scrimmage, the Hawks had their ups and downs. One play that flashed was a sack and fumble forced from junior defense end, Gabe Timmons. Timmons, at 6'4" 220lbs. brings size and athleticism to the defense coming from the basketball court. In all, its a defense with experience and talent. A big matchup will be on the outside. Country Day has a really good receiver in Cutis McAllister, the son of Saints legend, Duece McAllister. The secondary will be key as cornerbacks, Keaton Wheeler and Carson Wallace are put to the test. Safety, Paul Hoyt brings athleticism and some thump from the safety position while senior linebacker, Greyson Dupre is like another coach on the field. On offense, its going to be another game to get Brayden Sprang some live reps. It will be important for him to get the ball to his playmakers in wide receivers, David Chimento and Hunter Lay. Coach Soper needs the offense to sustain drives, so look for them to establish the running game with running back, Riley Jones. In all, this is a great matchup for the Hawks and Coach Soper to get valuable reps against a good opponent.



# JAMBOREE PREVIEW



On Friday, Loranger travels to Albany for their jamboree. It's one last test before week one in a huge matchup against Independence.



## Loranger at Albany Friday, August 29, 2025

### Loranger

The Wolves get one last test of live action before hosting former head coach, Sam Messina. New head coach, Chris Powell has some experience to work with. At the top of that list is one of the best running backs in the area in junior, Rylan James. He is a home run hitter that can run between the tackles as well. While the Wolves look to get him going, they will be breaking in new quarterback, Cooper Flanagan. Flanagan, a really good athlete played safety last season but is poised and ready. Look for the Wolves to run the ball, as they always do well. But it will be important during this game to continue to get Flanagan and the receivers some confidence going into week one. Watch for the offensive line to continue to gel. On defense, the front seven is really good for the Wolves. Watch for Braedyn Stevens at end. He was a linebacker last year but has added size and moves down on the line of scrimmage giving them athleticism there. Linebacker Asher Hatfield brings a lot of experience back and is as tough as they come. The Wolves has some talent in the secondary, so if the front seven do their part, there will be opportunities for them to make plays.



# JAMBOREE PREVIEW



On Friday, Pearl River travels to Baton Rouge to face Ascension Catholic for their jamboree matchup. Its their last live action before a week one matchup at St. Martins.



## **Pearl River at Ascension Catholic @ St. Michaels Thursday, August 28, 2025**

### **Pearl River**

The Rebels under first year head coach, Jerry Leonard are coming off their scrimmage last week against Belle Chasse. It was a chance for Coach Leonard to see his team against another opponent and they had their ups and downs. Running back Gage Durand had a good scrimmage and is a force in the backfield at 6'2" 230lbs. Returning quarterback, Brayden Hutchinson also made some good runs during the live period. It will be important for them to continue to establish their run game while they work on the passing game. Overall, the line played well. Keep an eye out for Kaysen McGinnis on at receiver. He is a playmaker on the outside. On defense, the Rebels gave up a few long runs, which seems to be the theme during scrimmages. Like most defenses, it wasn't missed tackles, but a step or two out of position. Coach Leonard is a fiery coach and brings an edge to the Rebels. Look for them to go to Baton Rouge and be physical. Coach Leonard has highlighted the defensive line as needing to be big. Keep an eye on them as they look to establish the line of scrimmage against an Episcopal team that likes to run the ball.





# JAMBOREE PREVIEW



On Friday, St. Thomas Aquinas travels to Ben Franklin in Coach Boomer Nunez's last chance for a warm up before week one.



## St. Thomas Aquinas at Ben Franklin Thursday, August 28, 2025

### St. Thomas Aquinas

The Falcons travel to Ben Franklin for their last tune up before their week one matchup at Pine. In Coach Nunez's first season at the helm, he and the Falcons can use all the reps they can get before week one. After running the wing-t last season, they transition to the spread offense this season under Nunez. Keep an eye on the RPO as that's what their offense will be predicated on. Senior Chase Oalman and Junior, Joel Dupuy will likely both get reps at quarterback as they compliment each other. It will be important for them to be efficient. Running back Josh Carballo will ease the load and is a playmaker that can run between the tackles. They have a few big wide receivers led by Kaiden Jones. It will be important for them to find ways to get the ball in their playmakers hands. On defense, they have some experience and size to work with. Safety, Parker Robique can play in space and fill the box. Watch the front seven. It will be important for them to defend the run and apply a pass rush for the secondary to let their playmakers make plays.



# JAMBOREE PREVIEW



On Friday, the Jaguars host Patrick Taylor in their final warm up before their week one matchup against Pearl River Central.



## Patrick Taylor at Pope John Paul II Friday, August 29, 2025

### Pope John Paul II

The Jaguars host Patrick Taylor on Friday. Its their final matchup to fine tune their wing-t offense going into week one. The wing-t is one of the more complex offenses that requires timing and synchrony. Coach Pigott has a lot of experience running the wing-t. Replacing Blaze Rodriguez will be no small feat, but new quarterback Austin Franzo will have help. They get back running back Dominick Smith back after a season ending injury last season. He wa all-district his sophomore year and is explosive. Watch out for Aiden Fairchild. He's a two-way all district safety that will play running back as well. While replacing Rodriguez will be tough, they also have to replace tight end Andrew Hoff. Hoff excelled in their offense last season so they will be looking for someone to step up to replace those receptions and yards. Keep an eye on the offensive and defensive lines for the Jaguars as they return some experience and have size.

