

FRIDAY NIGHT LIGHTS: WEEK 11

CHARGER FOOTBALL

Class 3A - Sectional 29

North Montgomery Chargers vs Western Boone Stars

October 30, 2026 | 7:00 PM | At North Montgomery



All-Time Series: NMHS 33

Western Boone 26

First Meeting: Sept. 16, 1977
(7-0, North Montgomery)

Last Meeting: Sept. 18, 2026
(45-32, Western Boone)

Broadcast: WIMC 103.9FM

Game Notes:

- North Montgomery has played Western Boone more than any other school in its football history.
- This marks the ninth meeting for these teams in the postseason.
- Western Boone has won five of the nine previous sectional games.
- The Stars won their last game at Charger Field (42-14 on Sept. 19, 2025) but have lost two of the last three meetings at NMHS.
- Coach Thompson's teams are 3-12 vs. the Stars.
- Western Boone has won 14 of the last 18 meetings.
- These two teams have combined for six state titles (NM in 1995 and 1996; Western Boone in 1988, 2018, 2019 and 2020).
- The Chargers' 50 points last week marked the most points in a postseason game since 2018 when they won a 54-20 game. It also marked just the fourth time they scored 50 points or more in a postseason game.
- The 50-point win last week for the North Montgomery was the largest margin of victory in its 87 playoff games.

HEAD COACH: Josh Thompson

2026 RECORD: 4-6

RECORD AT NMHS: 62-75

SEASONS AT NMHS: 13

GAMES @ NMHS: NM leads 20-14

8/21	Twin Lakes	L	49-18
8/28	@ Western	W	38-21
9/4	@ Southmont	L	41-14
9/11	Cascade	L	49-0
9/18	@ Western Boone	L	45-32
9/25	@ Greencastle	L	40-20
10/2	Crawfordsville	W	34-27
10/9	Frankfort	W	58-14
10/16	@ North Putnam	L	49-6
10/23	Ind. Washington	W	50-0
10/30	Western Boone		

HEAD COACH: Justin Pelley

2026 RECORD: 7-3

RECORD AT WBHS: 121-46

SEASONS AT WBHS: 14

LAST 10 MEETINGS: WB leads 8-2

8/21	@ Tri-West	L	42-20
8/28	Lebanon	L	28-21
9/4	@ Crawfordsville	W	57-24
9/11	@ Greencastle	W	49-28
9/18	North Montgomery	W	45-32
9/25	@ Frankfort	W	49-0
10/2	Southmont	W	35-0
10/9	North Putnam	W	45-10
10/16	@ Cascade	L	36-10
10/23	Purdue Polytechnic	W	14-6
10/30	@ N. Montgomery		

CHARGER STARTING LINEUPS

OFFENSE

LT	Cayden Cassady	6-0	220	Sr.
LG	Laine Barnett	5-10	220	Sr.
OC	Clayton Brown	5-9	250	So.
RG	Wyatt Harshbarger	5-8	215	Jr.
RT	Logan Ireland	6-2	230	Sr.
WR	Kadyn Cohee	5-9	150	Sr.
TE	Hunter Powell	6-3	215	Jr.
SB	Tyler Thompson	5-11	160	Sr.
WR	Clayton Brown	6-0	160	Jr.
TB	Dakota Glasson	5-6	155	Sr.
QB	Caden Eller	6-0	155	Sr.

DEFENSE

DE	Braylon Denham	6-0	225	Sr.
DT	Jack Kaelin	5-10	190	Jr.
NG	Noah Fidler	6-5	310	Jr.
DE	Hunter Powell	6-3	215	Jr.
SLB	Lucky Young	6-0	185	Sr.
MLB	Hunter Haworth	6-0	190	Sr.
WLB	Tyler Thompson	5-11	160	Sr.
CB	Mason Mills	5-7	145	Sr.
S	Dakota Glasson	5-6	155	Sr.
S	Eli Peebles	6-0	155	Sr.
CB	Zach Craig	5-10	145	Jr.