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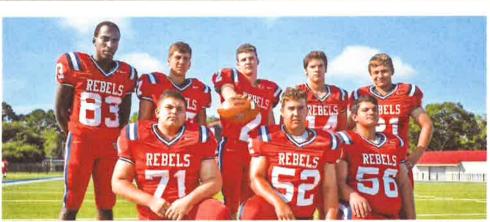
### Strengths

Despite significant losses on the offensive side of the ball, expect the Rebels to once again sport one of the most high-powered offenses in the area this season. They'll look different with Hayden Cantrelle taking over for the departed Cole Kelley, with Cantrelle more of a running threat in the read option game, making the Rebels a little more difficult to game plan against.

Jansen Lormand is back as a top option in the passing game after proving to be a good underneath threat last season, while Holland Griffin will take over as the top receiving threat on the outside after showing flashes of talent during his junior campaign. The Rebels have two running backs they'll lean on this season in Hunter Landry, who will be the power back and Cole Champagne who will be the speed back, giving the Rebels a couple of different options to turn to. Defensively, Tyler Batiste will man the inside linebacker spot after being injured last sea-son and should help solidify a young defensive front.

### **Question Marks**

As with most teams throughout the Acadiana Preps area, experience is one of the biggest question marks heading into the season for the Teurlings Rebels. Cantrelle has shown a nice arm in the offseason and runs a 4,4-40 yard dash, but has yet to start a game at the quarterback position for the Rebels and will have to adjust to a new leadership role within the team. The offensive line returns only one starter, Justin Matthews, from last season's dominating group, and will have to come together quickly, espe-



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Hayden Cantrelle (2) will lead the Teurlings Rebels' offense from the quarterback position this season, while Brett Denson (71), Brendan Meagher (52) and Skye Cisneros (51) protect and Holland Griffin (83) and Jansen Lormand (14) give him options on the outside.



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Defensive tackle Nick Picard (95), linebacker Tyler Batiste (36) and linebacker Trey Menuet (9) will anchor the front seven for the Rebels defensively, while Hayden Clause (3) and Kade Sonnier (7) will lock down the secondary.

cially in what will most likely be a different looking offense this season. Other than Justin Murray, the Rebels have a completely new defensive backfield that will have to grow up quickly. Overall, the Rebels only return three defensive starters for their Split 40 base defense.

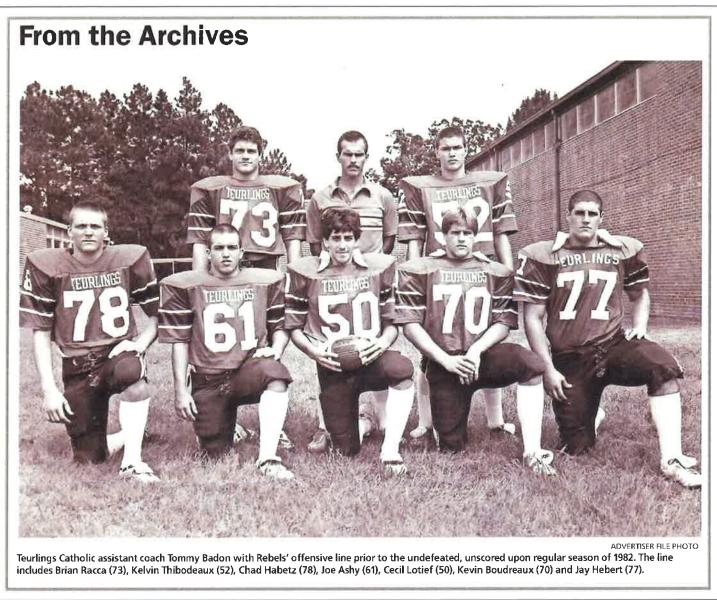
### **The Bottom Line**

The Rebels will undoubtedly prove to be one of the best teams in the area thanks to an elite coaching staff and plenty of young talent to rely upon. But with a brutal opening season schedule, the Rebels could struggle early. Going on the road to Calvary Baptist will be quite the opening test for Cantrelle at the quarterback position and he'll have to find his voice as a leader of the team from the quarterback position. When it's all said and done, though, this team will compete for a district title.



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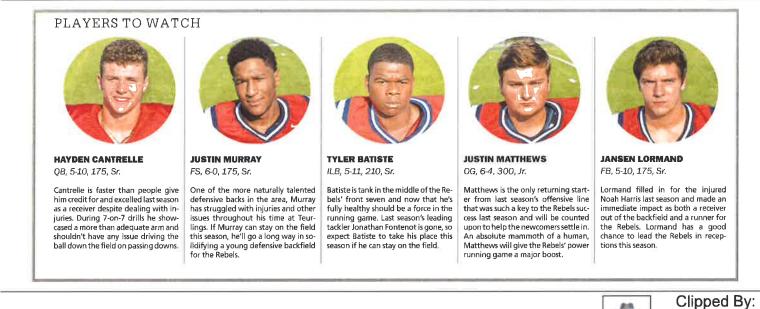
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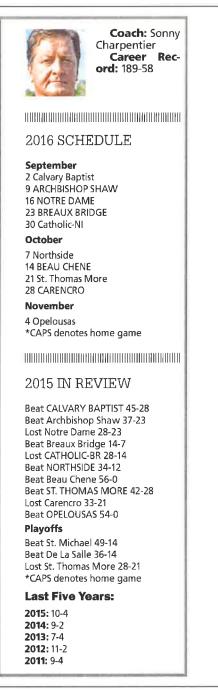
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STARTING	
LINEUP	
OFFENSE	
SE: Holland Griffin (6-0, 175, Sr.) WR: Connor Talbot (5-11, 170, Jr.) LT: Perry Thomas (6-6, 300, Soph.) LG: Brett Denson (5-11, 220, Sr.)	
C: Brendan Meagher (6-1, 245, Sr.)	
RG: Justin Matthews (6-4, 300, Jr.)*	
OT: Chase Arwood (6-0, 245, Jr.) QB: Hayden Cantrelle (5-10, 175, Sr.)	
FB: Jansen Lormand (5-10, 175, Sr.)*	
SB: Luke Vidrine (5-8, 145, Sr.) HB: Hunter Landry (6-0, 225, Sr.)	
HB: Cole Champagne (5-10, 165,	
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# Kevin Foote's area preseason poll

# 1. Notre Dame Pioneers

It's not just that the Pios won a state cham-pionship in undefeated fashion last season. It's that it comes on the heels of almost two decades of dominance that makes coach Lew Cook's team a no-brain-er choice for preseason No. 1

### 2. Acadiana Wreckin' Rams

Coach Ted Davidson's Rams ended last season in disappointing fashion, not being able to stop Parkway's pow-erful offense. The good thing about establish-ing a winning tradition is you can virtually pick up where you left off. The Rams are huge upfront, still filled with stars on defense and perhaps just a little hungrier than a year

# 3. St. Thomas More Cougars

On paper, there are a ton of reasons to not give the Cougars the benefit of the doubt after reaching the Division II state finals last season. STM has got a lot of holes to fill, but we've played this game before with the Cougars and they almost always seem to answer the call

# 4. Carencro Golden Bears

The Bears took an-other step last season. One year after winning the district title but faltering badly in the first round of the playoffs, Carencro tied for first place in 4-4A last season and won a playoff game before having



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5. Teurlings Catholic Rebels

No one quite seems to be able to separate

STM, Carencro and Teurlings at this point.

In effect, they could all be considered tied for

No. 3. All three have

new quarterbacks, but

the Rebels have one in

Hayden Cantrelle who

will be interesting to see how the season

The Pirates have

games for the past seven seasons. That's enough consistency to

earn the preseason benefit of the doubt.

Kaplan has the heart and soul of its team

back in workhorse back Julius Johnson

and a tough district,

7. Breaux Bridge

it going.

Tigers

but seven starters back

on offense should keep

The Tigers have

always played rugged defense. Coach Terry

coming off a memora ble offensive season

Martin's system is

full of fireworks at

won at least seven

plays out, 6. Kaplan Pirates

upward trend.

New quarterback and new tailback, sure, but the Bears appear primed to continue that

Last season was one of total frustration at times for coach Brent Indest's Panthers' program. It started with the inconsistency of playing so many sopho mores and ended with forfeits that kept Catholic out of postseason play. Well, those sophomores are juniors now and the Panthers are hungry. Look out.

# was the starting short-stop on a state champi-onship baseball team. It

The rebuilding process may not be com-pletely finished, but coach Vincent De-Rouen certainly has the Tigers thinking big again, Breaking through with a win over BBHS last season was huge for the program in that parish. Now St. Martinville tries to reach that next step — being consistent contenders

#### 10. Ascension Episcopal Blue Gators

The final preseason spot was tough. Erath, Vermilion Catholic and Eunice were strong contenders. August injuries have made the Blue Gators' chore of repeating last year's 11-win season a tough one. But AES gets the first chance to prove that its reached that 'perennial' level.

Cecilia. And while Mar-tin no longer has Ray-mond Calais in his arsenal and is wearing maroon again, it'll be interesting to see if the BBHS defense of old can remain intact while a new offensive system is being installed.

### 8. Catholic-NI Panthers

# 9. St. Martinville Tigers

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# Trey Labat's area preseason poll

### 1. Acadiana Wreckin' Rams

The Rams are going to sport one of the most imposing defenses in the state this season, especially in the secondary with Bralen Trahan leading the way. Combined with one of the biggest offensive lines in school history, the Rams start the season at the top of the area.

### 2. Notre Dame Pioneers

The Pios lost so much from last season's state championship winning team, but any team coached by Lewis Cook is going to be near the top of the standings when it is all said and done. With the addition of

With the addition of Tyler Shelvin to the defense, the Pios should rebound quickly on that side of the ball.

### 3. Carencro Golden Bears

The Bears were inconsistent last season, but showed flashes of being a dominant force.

This season, with Carl Randall at the helm of the offense, the Bears should be a little more balanced on that side of the ball. Defensively, although thin up front, the Bears will be fast and athletic and give plenty of teams trouble.

### 4. St. Thomas More Cougars

The Cougars came close to their first ever state championship last season, but have a big hole to fill at the quarterback position with Will Bellamy no longer under center. Nate Cox is talented

Nate Cox is talented but unproven, and the Cougars might have to lean on the running game more than they did last season. With a potentially



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dominant offensive line and a defense that should once again be solid, the Cougars could move up the rankings quickly.

### 5. Teurlings Catholic Rebels

As with so many things, the Rebels and the Cougars are connected in these rankings. With pretty much the same question marks personnel-wise and great coaching on both teams they are essen-tially tied in my mind. The Rebels have a few more question marks on the defensive side of the football, so they come in a little lower, but don't be surprised to see the two teams battling it out with Carencro for a district title at the end of the season

### 6. Catholic-NI Panthers

The Panthers experienced a down year last season, but they return most of the major starters, including guarterback Diallo Landry and stud defensive lineman Zi'Yon Hill.

Hill is a dominant force on the defensive line and with the Panthers looking to spread things out more to take advantage of Landry's talents at the quarterback position, the Panthers led by coach Brent Indest will be back at the top of the standings this season.

### 7. Kaplan Pirates

Kaplan had quite the

under-the-radar season last year and should have another typically solid season under coach Stephen Lotief. Julius Johnson is back and will be near the top of the rushing leaders for the state in 3A and if the defense comes together the Pirates will have a stout unit.

### 8. St. Martinville Tigers

The Tigers have one thing over their St. Martin Parish rivals: continuity. In Vincent Derouen's second season at the helm the Tigers should take another step forward, especially with quarterback Jared Davis fully healthy this season. Deautre James is a gamechanger and the Tigers will have a solid defense.

### 9. Breaux Bridge Tigers

Terry Martin might be new to some people, but old Breaux Bridge fans know all about where Martin's coaching roots come from.

come from. The Tigers generated just about more buzz then anyone this offseason after winning two 7-on-7 titles, but have question marks on the defense, especially the defensive line that make me wary of placing them too high on this list to start the sea-Son.

### **10. Loreauville Tigers**

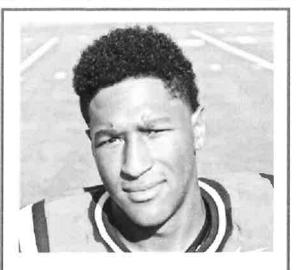
Kind of the forgotten force in District 5-2A behind Notre Dame and Catholic-NI, the Tigers have one of the best coaches in the area in Trent Delahoussaye and plenty of athletes at the skill positions to compete. But with a freshman at group in the trenches, the Tigers will have to avoid the injury bug to stay afloat this season.

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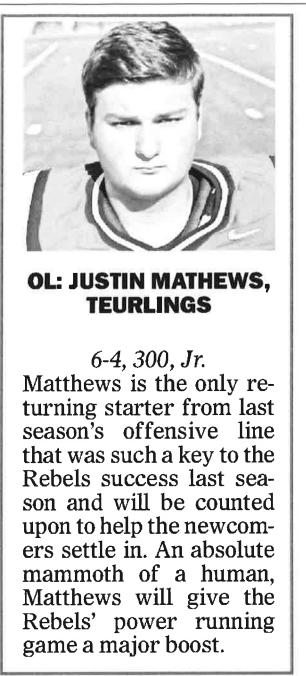
# DB: JUSTIN MURRAY, TEURLINGS

6-0, 175, Sr. One of the more naturally talented defensive backs in the area, Murray has struggled with injuries and other issues throughout his time at Teurlings. If Murray can stay on the field this season, he'll go a long way in solidifying a young defensive backfield for the Rebels.

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second half.

The field goal was set up by a deep pass down the left sideline from Leon to freshman receiver Dartravian Gregory from a 48-yard gain. Gregory got behind the Eagles' defense on two occasions and looked dangerous.

Senior cornerback Sa-'Barian Alexander had an impressive kick return to give the Tigers a good field position for their second drive of the second half, taking the ball down to the Eagles' 27yard line.

But the Tigers couldn't take advantage of the good field position and turned the ball over on downs after getting to the 10-yard line.

## Acadiana 28; Teurlings 21

In perhaps the most explosive game of the Kiwanis Jamboree, the Teurlings Rebels and the Acadiana Wreckin' Rams put on a show on the Cajun Field turf in the final game Friday night.

When it was all said and done Acadiana took home a 28-21 victory, but both teams had impressive moments throughout the game.

The scoring opened quickly when on the first play of the game the Rams fumbled the ball on the quarterback-to-running back exchange that was recovered by the Rebels.

A couple of plays later, Rebels' quarterback Hayden Cantrelle took a zone read into the end zone from close range for the first touchdown of the game.

The Rams responded immediately on the next drive, marching down the field with a long touchdown run by Ziggy Francis giving the Rams their first touchdown of the evening.

Then the madness really broke out.

Teurlings defensive back Justin Murray returned the ensuing kickoff for a touchdown, giving the Rebels a 14-7 lead.

The Rams didn't wait long to respond, with Bralen Trahan taking the Rebels' kickoff 90 yards for a touchdown. The Rams missed the extra point following the touchdown and trailed 14-13.

Cantrelle rushed for another touchdown before the half was over, cutting up field and making a move for a 45-yard touchdown scramble. Cantrelle's second touchdown gave the Rebels a 21-13 lead heading into halftime.

Scoring slowed early in the second half, but the Rams were eventually able to break through to tie the game on another touchdown by running Francis. back Ziggy Francis actually fumbled the ball before crossing the end zone, but recovered the ball in the end zone for a touchdown. Junior quarterback Jaylon Borel converted the twopoint conversion on a bootleg to tie the game 21-21.

The Rams and Francis weren't done, though.

After forcing the Rebels to punt, the Rams drove down the field and Francis picked up his third touchdown of the night on a 25-yard scamper with 1:11 remaining in the game to give the Rams a 28-21 lead.

The Rebels drove the ball into Acadiana territory to make it interesting in the final minute, but couldn't convert a fourth-and-10 situation to keep the game alive.



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## What we learned about Teurlings:

Cantrelle can really scamper. The speed was there last season at receiver, but he's got a good amount of wiggle to him and on a few occasions avoided sacks or turned short gains into long gains for the Rebels.

On Cantrelle's second touchdown run, he never slowed down on a nice inside cut to leave a Ram in the dust and was decisive with the ball in his hands.

It seemed that the passing game was just a little off throughout the night, but as we attributed the Rams struggles to contain Cantrelle on the ground to his ability, the Rebels faced probably one of the best defensive backfield's in the state, so the passing game will look better in upcoming weeks.

Defensively, the Rebels struggled to stop Acadiana but again, that might be something every team has trouble doing this season.

Tyler Batiste, coming off an ACL injury last season, jumped clear over the center on an extra point and almost blocked the kick, so it is safe to say he's just as explosive as ever, which will be a major boon to the front seven.

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# LSWA Prep Football Top 10

### CLASS 5A

Rank Team Record Pts 1, Brother Martin (6) 0-0 111 2, West Monroe (3) 0-0 109 3, Evangel (2) 0-0 96 4, Acadiana 0-0 77 5, Catholic-BR 0-0 73 6, Parkway 0-0 71 7, Landry-Walker 0-0 66 8, John Curtis 0-0 64 9, Destrehan 0-0 57 10. Scotlandville 0-0 39 Others receiving votes: Zachary, 30; Rummel, 20; Barbe, 11; St. Paul's, 9; St. Amant, 8, Hahnville, 7, John Ehret, 6; Ruston, 2; St. Augustine, 1. CLASS 4A 1. Neville (11) 0-0 132 2, St. Thomas More 0-0 99 3, Teurlings Catholic 0-0 95 4, Plaquemine 0-0 80 5, Karr 0-0 75 6, Carencro 0-0 74 7, Minden 0-0 58 8, Franklinton 0-0 54

9, Benton 0-0 46 10, Livonia 0-0 42 Others receiving votes: McDonogh 35, 38; Breaux Bridge, 24; LaGrange, 11; Crowley, 11; Loranger, 9; Warren Easton, 8; North Desota, 2.

### **CLASS 3A** 1, Lutcher (9) 0-0 130 2, Amite (1) 0-0 119 3, De La Salle (1) 0-0 91

- 4, St. James 0-0 87 5, West Feliciana 0-0 83
- Parish, 11; Jennings, 5. CLASS 2A 1, Notre Dame (6) 0-0 120 2, Kinder (2) 0-0 108 3, Riverside (2) 0-0 107 4, Many 0-0 91 5, Madison Prep 0-0 90 6, Ouachita Christian (1) 0-0 83 7, Pickering 0-0 50 8, Mangham 0-0 45 9, Welsh 0-0 41 10, Sterlington 0-0 30 Others receiving votes: Newman, 27; Catholic-New Iberia, 23; Dunham, 12; Calvary Baptist, 11; St. Charles Catholic, 11; Menard, 8; St. Helena, 1. **CLASS 1A** 1, Southern Lab (8) 0-0 127 2, Haynesville (2) 0-0 121 3 (tie), St. Mary's 0-0 93 3 (tie), Kentwood 0-0 93 5. Oak Grove (1) 0-0 88 6. Central Catholic 0-0 86 7. Basile 0-0 47 8, Ascension Episcopal 0-0 43 9, St. Frederick 0-0 40 10, Delhi Charter 0-0 35 Others receiving votes:

6, Parkview Baptist 0-077

Others receiving votes: St.

Iowa, 18; Peabody, 13; Union

Louis, 21; Marksville, 20;

7, Kaplan 0-0 60 8, University 0-0 53

10, Winnfield 0-0 29

9, Jena 0-0 41

Vermillion Catholic, 30; Cedar Creek, 24; Arcadia, 20; Hamilton Christian, 8; Ascension Catholic, 3.

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# Teurlings hits the road to face Calvary

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Last year, the Teurlings Rebels used a pounding running game behind a big offensive line and a 6-foot-7, 240pound quarterback they turned into a human bowling ball to wear down Calvary Baptist throughout the game, eventually blowing the game open in the second half.

This year though? The Rebels are a little different.

Gone is the pounding threat of having to tackle Cole Kelley and Noah Harris, replaced by the shiftier Hayden Cantrelle at quarterback.

Cantrelle used his legs and improvisation skills to rack up some serious yardage against Acadiana in the jamboree, but coach Sonny Charpentier said the Rebels would have to be a little more effective in the traditional running game moving forward.

"It was a combination between the offensive line and running backs,

### GAME

Friday, 7 p.m., at Calvary Last year: Teurlings beat Calvary 45-28

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### SONNY CHARPENTIER TEURLINGS COACH

but we couldn't create any holes to run through," Charpentier said. "It was a good opportunity for us to learn. They had some looks up front that confused us.

"We didn't control the line of scrimmage; they whipped us on both sides of the ball. They blitzed us a little more than we were expecting and exposed us a little bit."

Although the Rebels will look different this year, so will Calvary Baptist, who sported three Division I college football

# SCHEDULES

TC: Sept. 2 Calvary Baptist; 9 SHAW; 16 NOTRE DAME; 23 BREAUX BRIDGE; 30 Catholic-BR; Oct. 7 Northside; 14 BEAU CHENE; 21 St. Thomas More; 28 CARENCRO; Nov. 4 Opelousas.

**CB:** Sept. 2 TEURLINGS; 9 Peabody; 15 Byrd; 23 Zachary; 30 UNION PARISH; Oct. 6 North Caddo; 14 RED RIVER; 21 Lakeview; 28 LAKE-SIDE; Nov. 4 JONESBORO-HODGE

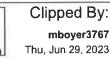
players in their defensive back field last season.

Charpentier said that although Calvary lost some players from last season they still had talented skills guys and the same defense.

"They won't be as talented as they have been in the past in the secondary," Charpentier said. "They are a little bit younger, but it's hard to tell. They've still got some good skill guys and the same defense they've had since we started playing them."

Charpentier said he was looking forward to see how his team would handle the two- to threehour roadtrip in the first game.

"We've got an inexperienced team, and we'll be on a bus for 2-3 hours, so we'll see how they handle it," Charpentier said. "It's the first full game, and that's a big difference."



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# **Teurlings overwhelms Calvary, 50-34**

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Teurlings Catholic quarterback Hayden Cantrelle sealed his team's 50-34 win over Calvary on Friday night with a 20-yard run.

Cantrelle had 81 yards rushing and two touchdowns on 16 carries.

A 49-yard kickoff return by senior Cavalier Kyle Jones, who had 346 all-purpose yards, started off the game between the Calvary Cavaliers and Teurlings Catholic Rebels.

Throughout the game both teams showcased big plays on both sides of the ball, such as a 39-yard pass from Cantrelle to Luke Vidrine. night, throwing for 208 yards on 7-for-14 passing with three touchdowns.

The Bears opened the scoring in the first quarter when Randall hit Deon Senegal for a 46-yard touchdown.

Westgate responded with a touchdown pass of its own from Darien Charles to Eron Phillips

Randall found Eric Tolivour for another long touchdown, this one for 42-yards.

Treylon Barnaba scored the Bears' third touchdown of the night on a 3-yard touchdown carry in the second quarterback.

Randall threw his third touchdown of the night in the third quarter,



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KERRY GRIECHEN/SPECIAL TO THE ADVERTISER Teurlings Catholic's Justin Murray (24) looks for running room against Calvary Baptist during the Rebels' road win Friday in Shreveport.



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# **Teurlings Catholic edges Calvary**

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With a few returning veterans and many new starters, Calvary's young team showed lots of strength, speed and potential.

Kordavion "DaDa" Washington led the Cavs' rushing game with 233 yards and thre touchdowns on 24 carries. Calvary's Cade Hart finished 13-of-22 passing for 146 yards and one touchdown. Jones had 90 receiving yards.

The Cavaliers next game will be in Alexandria against Peabody, who are coming out of a 20-15 win over Lafayette in week one's game.



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# Teurlings gains confidence on the road with win against Calvary

### TREY LABAT

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Breaking in a lot of new personnel and going on the road for the first game of the season isn't always the recipe for success.

But for the Teurlings Rebels, it didn't seem to matter much in a 50-34 win against Calvary Baptist in Shreveport where the Rebels' running game proved to be dominant against the Cavs.

Teurlings coach Sonny Charpentier said the Rebels' stable of running backs acquitted themselves well, but it was the offensive line that was dominant throughout the night.

"We came into the ball game with a mindset to run the ball, and we ran the ball right at them," Charpentier said. "The offensive line did well; Tyler Bruno did a nice job of finishing it and finding those holes, but he was running through some holes."

Charpentier said the Rebels' jamboree experience the Acadiana Rams helped identify some problems along the offensive line that needed to be addressed.

"Any time you play good people you get better," Charpentier said. "We really focused on blitz pick up."

Although the Rebels' offense played well while putting up 50 points, Charpentier said the Rebels still had room for improvement in all three phases of the game.

"We didn't play well defensively for some stretches; early on we did OK. I was 14-14 at half, but then it turned into kind of a youscore, we-score deal," Charpentier said. "We stopped them on downs at times late and broke away. The special teams was not very good, and we need to improve them as well."

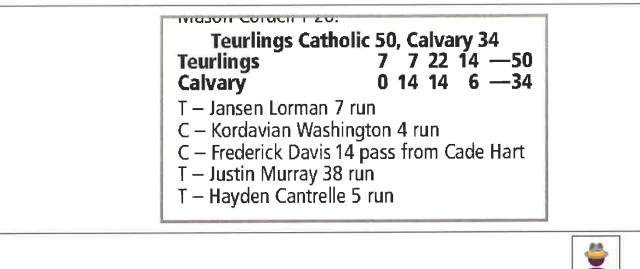
Charpentier said that although there was still a long way to go, bringing home the win certainly didn't hurt.

"I told them last night, 'We still have a long way to go, but I would sure rather have a long way to go with a win rather than a loss," Charpentier said. "We need to eliminate the mistakes on special teams and defense, and just because we scored 50 points this week doesn't mean we will next week."



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# Kevin Foote's Top 10 Area Poll

### 1. Notre Dame Pioneers (1-0)

As expected, the Pios' offense will take a little while to get going after losing an elite offensive line. As expected, the defense carried the load. As coaches like

to say, it's a work in progress. Next: Host Breaux Bridge on Friday.

### 2. Acadiana Wreckin' Rams (1-0)

So far, the Rams' offense has scored 28 in a jamboree and 56 in the opener. So far, Acadiana is as advertised, but three fumbles and three sacks still leave plenty of things to work on. Just call that a coach's dream

Next: Host Ponchatoula on Friday.

### **3. Teurlings Catholic Rebels** (1-0)

There's nothing like opening the season on the road with a new quarterback against a quality opponent and delivering a great opening win. There's obviously a long way to go, but it was an impressive start for Rebels. Next: Hosts Shaw on Friday.

4. Carencro Golden Bears (1-0)

The Bears probably didn't run the ball as well as they would have liked in the opening win at Westgate, but quarterback Carl Randall delivered a 200-yard passing effort instead. That's a good sign.

Next: Host New Iberia on Friday.

### 5. St. Thomas More Cougars (0-1)

Sure, it was a loss, but it was a barn-burner on the road against a good team. The big question was the new quarterback, and Nate Cox delivered 197 yards and three touchdowns, Losses hurt, but this one was pretty encouraging. Next: STM vs. Byrd at Inde-

pendence Stadium in Shreveport on Thursday.

### 6. Kaplan Pirates (1-0)

The Pirates had the kind of workman-like victory that they've become known for under coach Stephen Lotief. Chances are they'll get a lot of those this season

Next: Host Vermilion Catholic on Friday.

7. Catholic-NI Panthers

### The Catholic High offense has looked unstoppable so far. What a difference a year makes. Quarterback Diallo Landry has gone from a question mark to an impact player. Next: Host Erath on Friday.

### 8. Breaux Bridge Tigers (1-0)

The jury is still very much out on the Tigers. The bottom line is Terry Martin won his opener on the road against a solid 5A club, Jury still out, but we'll find out a little more next week. Next: At Notre Dame on Fri-

day,

### 9. St. Martinville Tigers

It was an easy week one win against an overmatched opponent. Stay tuned,

Next: Host Assumption on Friday.

### **10. Ascension Episcopal Blue** Gators

Well, so far, the Blue Gators have taken the No. 10 preseason spot by storm with an impressive dismantling of East Beauregard in season opener

Next: At Catholic-PC on Fri-

# Trey Labat's Top 10 Area Poll

### 1 Acadiana (1-0)

The Wreckin' Rams blew the doors off of Northside and did nothing to move down the rankings. Acadiana's offensive line was dominant once again, allowing Ziggy Francis to rack up three touchdowns.

### 2. Notre Dame (1-0)

The Pios pulled out a quality road victory to open the season against LaGrange. The defense was typically dominant, only allowing one touchdown, and the offense did just enough to secure the victory.

### 3. Carencro (1-0)

The Bears couldn't get their running game going against Westgate, rushing for only 67 yards, but Carl Randall and the passing attack proved Carencro was much more balanced than they were last season, tossing for 208 yards and three touchdowns. 4. Teurlings (1-0)

Tyler Bruno really emerged for the Rebels in the backfield as Teurlings went on the road to take home a win against a tough Calvary Baptist team.

### 5. Catholic-NI (1-0)

The Panthers were really impressive in their win against Vermilion Catholic on Thursday with an explosive offense and an athletic defense

### 6. Kaplan (1-0)

The Pirates move up after a dominating performance on Friday night. The Pirates are about as solid as a team can get and should have a typically suc cessful season.

### 7. St. Thomas More (0-1)

The Cougars only drop one spot after losing a very close game on the road to a fough Sul-phur game. Nate Cox answered the Cougars were mostly without Griffin Hebert

### 9. Breaux Bridge (1-0)

victory, but the defense will have to become more consistent.

victory Friday night against an improved Franklin team. This Trent Delahoussave-coached team is much-like Kaplan in that they are solid now and should continue to get better.

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all the questions, having a good opening game on the road and

8. St. Martinville (1-0)

The Tigers dominated Jeane-rette like they were supposed to, and hold firm at the eight spot.

Breaux Bridge jumped out to an early lead, only to watch the Yellow Jackets come back and force overtime. The Tigers did just enough to take home the

### 10. Loreauville (1-0)

Loreauvillle took home the

# **CLASS 4A**

1, Neville (1-0) beat Ruston, 30-14

2, St. Thomas More (0-1) lost to Sulphur, 38-35

3, Teurlings Catholic (1-0) beat Calvary Baptist, 50-34

4, Plaquemine (0-1) lost to Brother Martin, 33-20

5, Karr (1-0) beat St. Paul's, 35-28

6, Carencro (1-0) beat Westgate, 43-7

7, Minden (1-0) beat Southwood, 27-0

8, Franklinton (0-1) lost to Covington, 40-13

9, Benton (1-0) beat Green Oaks, 51-0 10, Livonia (0-1) lost to Madison Prep, 26-22

**Others receiving votes:** McDonough 35 plays St. Augustine Saturday; Breaux Bridge (1-0) beat New Iberia, 25-28; LaGrange (0-1) lost to Notre Dame, 13-6; Crowley (0-1) lost to lowa, 29-28; Loranger (1-0) beat Kentwood, 37-32; Warren Easton (0-1) lost to Jesuit, 13-6; North Desoto (1-0) beat Natchitoches-Central, 43-29.

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# **SHAW AT TEURLINGS**

**Game:** Shaw at Teurlings; Friday at 7 p.m.

Rankings: Teurlings No. 2 Radio: 106.3 FM Records: Teurlings 1-0; Shaw 0-1 Last year: Teurlings beat Shaw 37-23

## Teurlings

Sept. 2 Calvary Baptist; 9 SHAW; 16 NO-TRE DAME; 23 BREAUX BRIDGE; 30 Catholic-BR; Oct. 7 Northside; 14 BEAU CHENE; 21 St. Thomas More; 28 CAREN-CRO; Nov. 4 Opelousas.

### Shaw

Sept. 2 lost East St. John 38-0; 9 Teurlings; 16 West Jefferson; 24 Holy Cross; Oct. 1 Rummel; 8 ST. AUGUSTINE; 14 Belle Chasse; 22 Jesuit; 29 BROTHER MARTIN; Nov. 3 John Curtis



Players to Watch: Hayden

Cantrelle, QB (12-22-0, 152 yards); Justin Murray, DB (4-89-1); Jansen Lormand, RB (14-175-1) **Matchup:** Teurlings coach Sonny Charpentier said Shaw is pretty similar to what the Rebels faced last season on the road and will be a tough matchup for the Rebels' offense.

**Justin Murray** 

"They're playing the same defense, and they return eight starters. They're really going to

hang their hat on that side of the ball," Charpentier said. "They got off to a bad start last week against East St. John, and things kind of got worse from there, so we don't want to give them the opportunity to gain any confidence." **Lagniappe:** Defensive back Justin Murray rushed for 89 yards and a touchdown in the win against Calvary Baptist and Charpentier said the Rebels were just looking to get him in space

offensively.



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Cantrelle's lone miscue was a forced throw in the end zone that was picked off by Shaw's

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# Kevin Foote's Area Top 10 Poll

1. Notre Dame Pioneers (2-0) The Pioneers may not have been their dominant selves on Fri-day, but they did deliver a nice comeback victory over Breaux Bridge, It could get really inter-esting next week. Next: At Teurlings on Friday.

2. Teurlings Catholic Rebels (2-0)

### The Rebels have been very impressive over the first two weeks, showing off even more weapons than many thought they pos-sessed. Next week's another great opportunity to keep climbing the Next: Host Notre Dame on Fri-

day.

# 3. Carencro Golden Bears (2-0)

The Bears have thrashed two

The Bears have thrashed two teams from New theria. The stakes get a lot higher next week, but Carencro has certainly ap-peared explosive enough on of-fense that far. **Next:** Host Acadiana on Fri-day

day.

4. Acadiana Wreckin' Rams (1-1)

Those mistakes from Week I's blowout win are still lingering around for the Wreckin' Rams and came back to bite them in the and came back to bite them in the second half against a game Pon-chatoula squad. The schedule pro-vides no cakewalks, so as coach Ted Davidson put it, "It's time to play some football."

Next: At Carenero on Friday. 5. St. Thomas More Cougars

# (1-1)

The week two matchup against Byrd didn't turn out to be very tough after all. STM is under no illusions that trend will continue this week, but the Cougars have certainly displayed enough fire-power so far.

Next: Host Plaquemine on Friday

### 6. Catholic-NI Panthers (2-0)

The juggernaut version of the Panthers are officially back, just thrashing opponents so far. Diallo Landry has emerged as one of the area's top big-play threats. Good luck with this offense the rest of

the way. Next: At Patterson on Friday. 7. Kaplan Pirates (2-0)

The Pirates haven't really been

tested yet, but they're still work-ing out a few kinks as well. So far, solid has proven to be more than good enough. Next: At Church Point on Fri-

day.

### 8. Breaux Bridge Tigers (1-1) The Ravne Wolves are off to a

hot start and are threatening to enter the poll Leading in the third quarter against No. I Notre Dame, though, is enough to keep the Ti gers afloat for now. And guess who's scheduled to be in town Friday?

Next: Host Rayne on Friday. 9. St. Martinville Tigers (2-0)

If you want 42-40 football, don't bother to watch St. Martinville play. The goal for Vincent De-Rouen, though, was to get the Ti-gers back to their old winning ways, and he's certainly done that.

Next: At Eunice on Friday

### 10. Ascension Episcopal Blue Gators (2-0)

The Blue Gators are putting up big numbers so far. The tests will eventually come. For now, AES is

staying put, Next: Host Delcambre on Thursday.

# Trey Labat's Top 10 Area Poll

# 1. Notre Dame (2-0, Last Week: No. 2)

We have a new No. I team in the polls The Pios struggled a little bit with Breaux Bridge early, but got their offense going late and put the clamps down defensively. The Pios and the Rams were al-ways a 1A-IB situation, but Notre Dame takes over the top spot this week

### 2. Acadiana (1-1, Last Week: No.1)

Acadiana drops only one spot Acadata drops only one spot after losing by a point to a tough Ponchatoula team. The Rams will have to watch out, though, their schedule is brutal in the coming weeks and their offense seemed to stall out against the Green Wave after starting hot.

# 3. Carencro (2-0, Last Week: No. 3)

No change here for Carencro, who handled New Iberia with relative ease on Friday. After dou-bling up on Iberia Parish in the opening two weeks, the real bullets start flying for the Bears this week when they take on the Rams. 4. Teurlings (2-0, Last Week: No. 4)

Teurlings pitched a shutout on what will ultimately go down as an over-matched Shaw team, but the Rebels still took care of business and continued to show a multi-faceted run game led by senior fullback Jansen Lormand

5. Catholic-NI (2-0, Last Week: No. 5)

The points were there for the Panthers, as they put up 54, but perhaps most impressive was the defense in shutting down Erath running back Elijah Mitchell. The Panthers are a real problem this season

### 6. Kaplan (2-0, Last Week: No. 6)

The Pirates move up after a dominating performance Friday night. The Pirates are about as solid as a team can get and should have a typically successful sea-S011-

### 7. St. Thomas More (1-1, Last Week: No. 7)

The Cougars stand pat after The Congress statute para area demolishing Byrd on the road Thursday. The offense seems to be humming along quite nicely despite the losses at several skill positions and the lack of Griffin

### 8. St. Martinville (2-0, Last Week; No. 8)

St. Martinville didn't hire Vin cent Derouen to win pretty, the Ti-gers will just take the wins. St. Martinville pulled out a 13-8 slug fest against Assumption and are an old-school, hard-nosed football team.

# 9. Loreauville (2-0, Last Week: No. 10

The Tigers managed to get a victory against a feisty Lafayette Christian squad and start the sea-son 2-0.

Despite the losses on both sides of the ball, Trent Delahoussaye's squad keeps humming along picking up wins

# 10. Breaux Bridge (1-1, Last Week: No. 9)

The Tigers hold on to the final spot in the rankings, as they com-peted well against the top-rated Pios. But Breaux Bridge might have a major problem defensive-It, and the Tigers need to address it if they want to hold off Ascen-sion Episcopal for this spot as the Blue Gators have looked mighty impressive in the first two weeks

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# **CLASS 4A**

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MICHAEL GREER/USA TODAY NETWORK Teurlings Catholic and Notre Dame will meet Friday night in a battle of 2-0 teams.

# Pios, Rebels clash in battle of undefeateds

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The more things change, the more they stay the same.

That's the unofficial motto of the latest meeting in what has become a fierce, rivalry between two teams with great respect for each other in Teurlings and Notre Dame when the two teams face off at Rebel Field at 7 p.m. on Friday.

Both teams made deep S

playoff runs last season — the Rebels made it to the Division II semifinal and the Pios were the Division III state champions — but were forced to replace several of their top performers from last season's squads.

So far so good for both teams who have enjoyed undefeated starts to the season.

Although the Pios are the same for the most

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# Battle

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part, the Rebels have undergone more sweeping changes, offensively at least, with the change from Cole Kelley at quarterback to Hayden Cantrelle.

"It's a complete contrast from last year," said Notre Dame coach Lewis Cook. "It's gone from a classic pocket passer to a dual-threat guy who throws it as well as anybody, but also has the running ability.

"(Kelley) was effective on short runs, but you weren't worried about him taking it 80 yards on you. Sometimes you hope he just sits back there in the pocket."

Cook said perhaps most impressive about Cantrelle this season is the way he's taken leadership over the offense.

"Everybody seems to play better around him, which is a credit to him," Cook said.

Even with the changes on offense, Cook said the Rebels were the same wellcoached team they always have been under long-time coach Sonny Charpentier.

The defense, which pitched a shutout against Shaw last week, was particularly impressive.

### NOTRE DAME at TEURLINGS

**Game:** 7 p.m., Friday at Teurlings **Radio:** 106.3 FM

Players to Watch: TC -Luke Vidrine, WR (6-114); Jansen Lormand, RB (23-249-2); Kade Sonnier, DB. NDHS - Colin Kirsch, RB/DB (20-106-1); Tyler Shelvin, DT; Bryant Thevis, QB (15-27-0, 172 yards, 1 touchdown)

"They're balanced offensively; that's why they are scoring 30something points per game," Cook said. "They maybe aren't as big as they have been at times, but they are pretty darn athletic. Calvary had a couple of big runs on them, but we don't have those kind of backs."

For the Pios, it's more the personnel that changed rather than the system.

Replacing 10-of-11 starters on one side of the ball would normally be something a team couldn't overcome, but the Pios have seemingly sported the same old defense thanks to solid discipline and the coaching wizardry of defensive coordinator Jimmy McCleary.

"It's the same characteristics. They play tough defense and field position; they aren't afraid to punt," Charpentier said. "They wear you out and they did a good job of that against

## Schedule

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Breaux Brirdge"

Charpentier pointed out the Pios' success on special teams, where they changed the game last week in the comeback win against Breaux Bridge, as a major characteristic of any Cookcoached team.

One of the new starters on the Pios' defense is someone Charpentier and the Rebels have become familiar with through the years in District 4-4A play. Defensive tackle Tyler Shelvin is one of the most highly recruited players in the state and the top-rated player in the state for the 2017 class.

However, Charpentier said that as talented as Shelvin is, he's only a portion of Notre Dame's success on the defensive side of the ball.

"He's a big ole human being," Charpentier said. "When he wants to go somewhere, he goes. He's a tremendous individual talent. The defense they have was good before he got there and it will be good after he leaves."

One of the major characteristics of the Pios' defense in the first two games of the season is their ability to make opposing offenses onedimensional.

Charpentier said it was imperative for the Rebels to control the line of scrimmage to avoid being one-dimensional and falling into the Pios' trap.

"You have to stay on schedule and be as balanced as you can," Charpentier said. "Have to throw it when you want to, only when you have to."

The Rebels are catching the Pios at a time of high confidence following their come-from-behind win against Breaux Bridge last week.

Cook said during the second half of the win the offense finally started to click as everything fell into place.

"It was a big confidence boost for the kids. You could see them growing up a bit as the games have gone on," Cook said. "Especially having been behind, doubt starts to creep in. Now we've found our stride and we're going to see where it's going to get us."



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# **Notre Dame still undefeated**

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After taking over on the Rebels' 45-yard line with 21-14 lead, Notre Dame Lewis Cook thought the Pios needed go for Teurlings' jugular.

After pounding the Rebels all game with a relentless rush-

ing attack — the Pios finished with 47 rushing attempts for 223 yards — quarterback Bryant Thevis faked the hand-off and lofted a perfectly thrown ball over the outstretched hands of the Rebels' defensive back for a 45-yard touchdown to Landon Meche to give the Pios a 28-14 lead with 11:10 remaining in the game.

"We were in great field position, we may have gone for it on fourth down, so we had a down (to use)," said Notre Dame coach Lewis Cook. "Meche made a nice catch. It was contested a little bit, but Bryant put

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# Undefeated

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it right in there and it was a nice catch. It was blocked well and Bryant is stepping up big."

is stepping up big." When it was all said and done, the Pios (3-0) went on to beat Teurlings (2-1) on the road to remain undefeated on the season.

Before the season, Cook said Thevis could give the Pios the opportunity to be more balanced on the offensive end, giving Notre Dame a quarterback who could push the ball down the field when his number was called.

Thevis finished 7-of-9 with 101 yards and the touchdown to Meche.

The senior had another nice throw in a crucial situation to end the half, hitting senior running back Collin Kirsch out of the backfield on a wheel route to give the Pios a scoring chance.

Notre Dame ultimately missed a long field goal attempt, but Cook said the throw showed the growth of the offense.

"You watch our guys and they are growing up right there in front of us," Cook said. "It's fun to watch them play."

The field position battle ultimately ended up being the deciding factor in the game.

As the 45-yard touchdown strike showed, when given the opportunity to attack the Rebels on a short field the Pios' offense kicked into overdrive. In the fourth quarter, Notre Dame had two touchdown drives that took a total of 47 seconds off the clock.

off the clock. Special teams play once again played a major role for Notre Dame when determining field position. The Pios tackled well on kick off coverage, punted well — a 38-yard per punt average — and added in a long punt return, something Cook said



SCOTT CLAUSE/USA TODAY NETWORK Running back Collin Kirsch rushes as Teurlings Catholic hosts the Notre Dame Pios on Friday night.

the Pios hadn't done yet

this season. "They won the battle of special teams and they won the battle of field position," said Teurlings coach Sonny Charpentier. "They took advantage of the short field and we didn't, so that was part of it. We didn't make plays. They played better than us and they deserved to win."

Win." Red zone efficiency hurt the Rebels, with Teurlings going 2-for-4 inside the Pios' 20-yard line after forcing turnovers.

After having some success running the ball in the first half, quarterback Hayden Cantrelle was the Rebels' leading rusher with 20 carries for 100 yards, the Rebels were forced to turn to their passing game once the Pios took a two touchdown lead.

Before the game Charpentier said the Rebels needed to avoid being one-dimensional and throw the ball when they wanted to rather than when they had to.

"You gotta be one-dimensional and we had some drops there. We had some calls that didn't go our way," Charpentier said. "But ultimately, the kids battled and we'll learn from this."

In the first three quarters the Rebels actually moved the ball well through the air, with Cantrelle hooking up with receiver Luke Vidrine five times for 70 yards.

Notre Dame opened the scoring in the second quarter with a 4-yard touchdown run from Justin Guidry with 11:58 remaining in the second quarter.

The Rebels fired back before halftime with a 1yard touchdown plunge from senior running back Jansen Lormand, who scored two touchdowns on the night. Lormand's other touchdown came in the third quarter on a 4yard touchdown run through the middle.

The Pios opened the scoring in the second half when Kirsch, who led the Pios with 24 carries for 124 yards scored his only touchdown of the night on a 7-yard touchdown on third down.

Cook said the touchdown from Kirsch was big for the Pios, who once again took advantage of a short field with a 3-play, 10-yard drive.

Notre Dame scored the final three touchdowns of the game, with Guidry scoring his second of the night to open the fourth quarter, the long touchdown to Meche and a 4yard run by Sam Hoffpauir to cap the scoring for the night.



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# Trey Labat's Area Top 10 Poll

# 1. Notre Dame (3-0, Last Week: No. 1)

Two big wins in a row for the Pios and they are through the tru-ly tough portion of their schedule and look poised to cruise to a 9-0 record until the Week 10 matchup with Catholic-NI.

#### 2. Carencro (3-0, Last Week: No. 3)

Wow. That's all that can be said wow, that's all that can be said about the Bears' win against Aca-diana, Carencro has done every-thing it needs to do this season and now has a rivalry win to boot, Con-fidence is a huge thing, and the Bears certainly have plenty of that after the Hail Mary win.

# 3. Catholic-NI (3-0, Last Week: No. 5)

The Panthers picked up an ab-breviated win against Patterson Friday with rain cutting the game short. Catholic has an explosive offeuse and a defense that has an swered every question that has been asked of it.

most likely go 9-0 in the first nine weeks of the season, Teurlings was moving the ball well against Notre Dame with an offense based on Hayden Cantrelle's run-ning ability but had to ger away from it once they went down by two touchdowns.

# 5. Kaplan (3-0, Last Week: No. 6)

The Pirates just keep moving along, taking care of business and winning football games. Some-thing tells me they don't mind fly-ing under the radar.

# 6. St. Thomes More (2-1, Last Week: No. 7)

Man, the Cougars really put it on Plaquenine Friday night. St. Thomas More still doesn't have its best receiver in Griffin Hebert, but the offense keeps getting better. It was tempting to move the Cougars up to No. 5, but another big game this week will be STM's chance to really make some noise.

# 7. Loreauville (2-0, Last

The Tigers had their game this

# Kevin Foote's Area Top 10 Poll

### 1. Notre Dame Pioneers (3-0)

Wow, even when the talk is that the Pios might be just a little bit vulnerable by their standards early on, they just find a way to churn out quality win after qual-ity wins Next: At Opelousas Catholic on Friday.

### 2. Carencro Golden Bears (3-0)

The Bears may not be perfect, but they sure are an exciting, big-play bunch. In capturing their third consecutive win over the Acadiana Rams, the Golden Bears produced one of the program's most fantastic finishes ever. If'll be a memory that will last a long

Next: At Sam Houston on Fridav

### 3. St. Thomas More Cougars (2-1)

In case you haven't noticed, first-year quarterback Nate Cox is starting to settle in as a play-maker. Sure, the Cougars lost a tight opener at Sulphur, but as Ught opener at Suppur, but as usual, they seem to be figuring this stuff out pretty quickly. Plen-ty of tough tests are still to come, but STM is starting to roll again. Next: Host Catholic-BR on Friday

4. Tourlings Catholic Robols (2-1)

The Rebels lost one game to Notre Dame, That's hardly a rea-son for a big demotion. The Re-bels are typically in it for the long haul, but it won't be easy. Another test comes next week. Next: Host Breaux Bridge on Friday.

5. Catholic-NI Panthers (3-0)

### Notre Dame remains on the

schedule, but it's starting to look like few other teams will be able to compete with the Panthers. Next: Host West St. Mary on Friday.

#### 6. Acadi ma Wrockin' Rams (1-2)

Sure, it doesn't take much of an imagination to see how the Rams could go 3-0 at this point. But the defense has consistently given up bereise has consistently given up big plays so far this season, and the critical miscues have cost them two games. The schedule will afford the Rams several more chances to move up, but for now, they're on the downward slide, **Next:** Host Barbe on Friday.

7. Kaplan Pirates (3-0)

The Pirates aren't blowing away their opponents. For now, subduing them is enough to maintain the n their position. Next: At E D. White on Friday.

8. Ascension Episcopal Blue Gators (3-0)

will get better as the season goes  $along_{\rm s}$ 

# 8. Ascension Episcopal (3-0, Last Week: NR)

The Blue Gators barely missed the Blue cators barely missed the list last week and due to some teams losing at the bottom this week actually move up to the eighth spot. Ascension Episcopal just keeps winning games, and with the District 7-IA racelooking wide area: wide open, it appears to be the most solid bet.

#### 9. Comeaux (3-0, Last Week: NR)

Speaking of winning games, the Spartans appear to be the real deal in District 3-5A. A huge dis-trict clash with Sulphur coming up gives Comeaux its biggest test so far this season.

### 10. St. Martinville (2-1, Last Week: No. 8)

The Tigers lost a tight game to Eunice, but their defense is play-ing better than expected after los-ting a high number of starters. With Breaux Bridge losing to Rayne — and having Tearlings and Carencro next on the sched ule St. Martinville is still the top team in District 5-4A,

The Blue Gators are simply manhandling over-matched oppo-nents these days. The receiving corps on this squad is quite imcorps on this squad is quite im-pressive, especially for a 1A pro-gram. At the beginning of the sea-son, another 9-1 regular season didn't seem likely. These days, it's not looking like a wise move to bet caning the season Next: At Hanson on Friday.

### 9. Rayne Wolves (3-0)

9. Rayne Wolves (3-0) The Rayne Wolves took mat-ters into their own hands and de-livered a solid road win over Breaus Bridge on Friday. The Wolves are playing better de-fense, possess a 1-2 punch in the backfield and some capable re-ceivers, frill be interesting to see how long coach Curt Ware's bunch can keep the early hot streak go-ing.

day.

### 10. Comeaux Spartans (3-0)

So far, the Spartans appear to be steady at quarterback, running the ball well enough and can defi-nitely hurt you in the passing game. Comeaux is strong on the offensive line and have more than held their own defensively. It's been a winning recipe so far. Now that district days has started, even that district play has started, even more opportunities to impress loom ahead. Next: At Sulphur on Friday

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4. Teurlings (1-1, Last Week: No. 4) I'm not going to dock the Rebels too much for a team that will

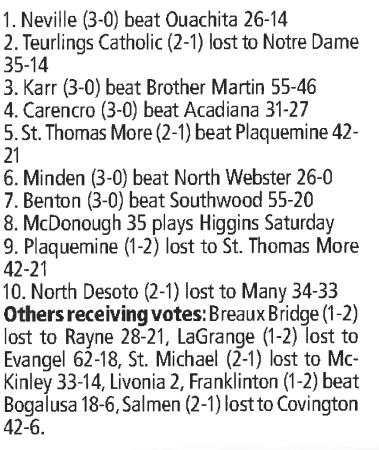
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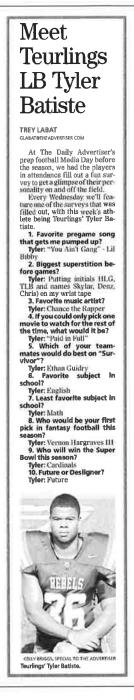
## **CLASS 4A**



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## **Rebels, Tigers try to avoid another loss**

#### Kevin Foote

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Both have already played and lost to returning state champion Notre Dame.

Both have plenty of stiff tests still lurking down the road, such as the likes of Catholic High of Baton Rouge, Carencro and St. Thomas More.

Both know the challenge is far too tough this week to be looking back or ahead, however, when the Breaux Bridge Tigers travel to meet the Teurlings Catholic Rebels at 7 p.m. Friday.

"We're keeping better, but we're still not where I expected to be in several areas," BBHS coach Terry Martin said. "I keep reminding the kids to just keep getting a little better each week and try to get ready for the second part of the season. I still think that (district play) matters."

Breaux Bridge enters the game 1-2 after falling to unbeaten Rayne last week, while Teurlings is 2-1 with another returning state champion Catholic High of Baton Rouge up next.

"There's a fine line between winning and losing," TC coach Sonny Charpentier said. "Breaux Bridge could be 3-0 or 0-3.

#### BBHS AT TEURLINGS

Game: 7 p.m., Friday, Teurlings Field. Radio: 105.1 FM, 106.3 FM.

State Ranking: TEUR No. 5.

Last year: TEUR won 14-7.

Players to Watch: BBHS - QB Julian Leon (21-57-3, 412 yds, 5 TDs); WR Dartravian Girod (8-217, 3 TDs); RB Logan Bossier (28-151, 2 TDs); WR Tyrick Davis (5-132, 2 TDs); TEUR - QB Hayden Cantrelle (34-65-1, 459 yds, 1 TD); RB Jansen Lormand (42-289, 4 TDs);

RB Tyler Bruno (17-116, 4

TDs); WR Luke Vidrine

(12-225).

"They're throwing the ball well. Notre Dame put some pressure on him and he delivered some really nice throws that should have been caught. He (Julian Leon) is not a bad runner either."

It's not that neither team has a running game. BBHS ran it better last week with Logan Bossier running for 122 yards and Martin's noticed that "Teurlings is really running it a lot more than throwing it so far this Breaux Bridge Sept. 2 Beat New Iberia 35-28 (OT); 9 lost Notre Dame 26-14; 16 beat RAYNE 28-21; 23 Teurlings; 30 CARENCRO; Oct. 7 St. Martinville; 14 ABBEVILLE; 21 Westgate; 28 CFCI IA

#### **Teurlings** Catholic

Sept. 2 Beat Calvary Baptist 50-34; 9 beat SHAW 38-0; 16 lost NOTRE DAME 35-14; 23 BREAUX BRIDGE; 30 Catholic-BR; Oct. 7 Northside; 14 BEAU CHENE; 21 St. Thomas More; 28 CARENCRO; Nov. 4 Opelousas.

season."

Still, Rebels' QB Hayden Cantrelle tops his list of priorities.

"He's so dynamic with the ball," Martin said. "He's such a great athlete.

"Teurlings just gives you so many different looks."

The Rebels' rushing threats range from the expected Lormand to the emerging Tyler Bruno to the part-time rusher Justin Murray, who played all defense against Notre Dame last week.

"We were hoping that we'd have that many options," Charpentier said. "But you never really know until the bullets start flying."

The Tigers sport another promising young receiver in Dartravian Girod.

"He looks like he could be a special player," Charpentier said. "We're definitely going to be aware of him, but it'll be the same defense we play on any good receiver."



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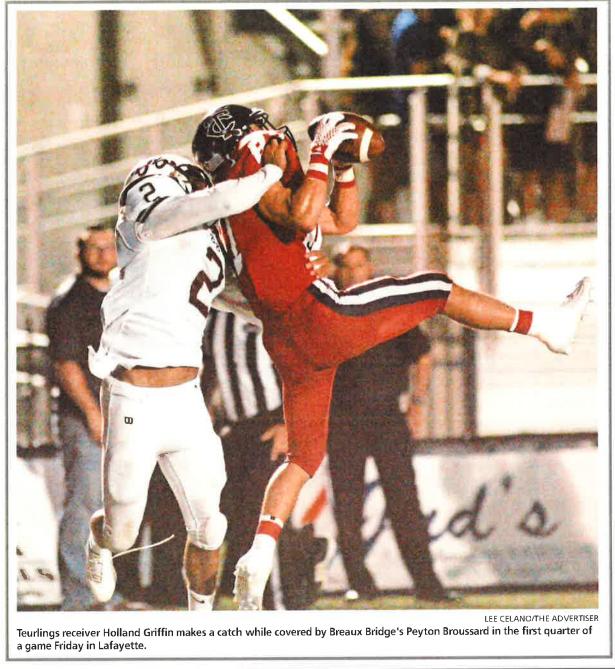
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#### **KEVIN FOOTE**

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Both head coaches in Friday's old parish border rivalry between Breaux Bridge and Teurlings Catholic knew they had plenty to fuss about come Saturday morning.

The difference is Teurlings coach Sonny Charpentier will be able to get on his Rebels for their miscues with a smile inside, while Breaux Bridge coach Terry Martin will be saddled with a frown after the Rebels claimed a 28-14 victory to move to 3-1 on the season.

The Rebels had seven penalties and fumbled four times, losing three.

"We hadn't put the ball on the ground all year long and then that happens tonight," Charpentier said. "That was very uncharacteristic of us this year. It's kind of like free throw shooting. You don't talk about it and just hope it doesn't happen.

"It wasn't pretty at times, but we were able to pull out the win. That's the important thing."

The Tigers, meanwhile, fumbled six times, losing two, and threw two interceptions to go along with six flags.

"We turned it over four times," Martin said. "You can't do that. We talked about that every day all week. Now, I almost feel like I jinxed us by talking to the kids so much about it."

The first half was a seesaw bat-

tle of sloppiness.

After Teurlings instantly put the visiting Tigers in scoring range to start the game because of a 3-yard punt. But the Rebels' defense held, forcing Breaux Bridge to turn it over on downs at the TCH 28.

The Rebels then followed that huge stop with a 15-play, 72-yard scoring drive in 7:07 to take the early 7-0 lead. Hayden Cantrelle completed four passes, including a 1-yard TD pass to Tyler Broussard.

One play later, the Tigers fumbled and Teurlings quickly turned that into a 14-0 lead with a 20-yard connection to Luke Vidrine and a 1-yard TD run for Jansen Lormand with 11 seconds left in the first quarter.

Lormand ran hard the rest of the night, finishing with 96 yards on 22 carries and three touchdowns.

"We had to be patient tonight," Charpentier said. "It's hard for me to be patient sometimes. It's kind of like basketball again. If you don't score quickly, the longer you have it, the better chance you have of turning it over."

Then it was the Rebels' turn to fumble on their 42 and Breaux Bridge obliged with a four-play scoring drive, ending in a 13-yard TD run by Malik LeBlanc to make it 14-7. Teurlings then fumbled the ensuing kickoff and the Tigers hit Dartravian Girod for 33 yards to the 1 before Julian Leon sneaked it in to tie it at 14-14.

A 54-yard punt by Aaron Broussard then pinned the Tigers on their own 1. BBHS would get two first downs, but the Rebels set up shop at the BBHS 41 anyway. That led to a Lormand 1-yard TD run to give the Rebels the lead for good at 21-14.

The Tigers threatened with a 14-play, 54-yard drive to open the second half, but had to settle for a missed 42-yard field goal after an intentional grounding call.

"That was big stopping them on that drive and earlier in the game after the bad punt," Charpentier said. "We've still got some work to do with our special teams."

That's when Teurlings put it away with a 10-play, 80-yard drive, culminated by a leaping 16yard TD run by Lormand with 2:29 left in the third.

Cantrelle, who finished 13of-23 passing for 128 yards, had key completions of 11 yards to Vidrine and 19 to Broussard on the drive. Vidrine finished with six catches for 72 yards.

"We do some things better (in passing game) and then we got in the other direction," Charpentier said. "We're still dropping too many passes."

Leon was 12-of-22 passing for 162 yards. Tyrick Davis had three catches for 51 yards.

"We put some pressure on him (Leon)," Charpentier said. "We got him out of the pocket."



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## Kevin Foote's Area Top 10 Poll

1. Notre Dame Pioneers (4-0) In case you haven't noticed, the Pioneers' offense is picking up steam in a hurry. That's a very scary proposition for all future opponents

Next: Host Loreauville on Fridav

#### 2. Carencro Golden Bears (4-0)

A year ago, the Bears lost a frustrating home game to Sam Houston. This time around, Carenero's explosive offense fea-tured a powerful running game and posted 54 points on the road. **Next:** At Breaux Bridge on Friday.

#### 3. Catholic-NI Panthers (3-0)

The Notre Dame game is scheduled for Nov 4 in New Iberia. If the Panthers are tested be-tween now and then, we'll re-eval-uate. For now, just keep your cal-culators charged up for Panthers' games between now and then. Next: At Delcambre on Friday.

#### 4. Teurlings Catholic Rebels (3-1)

Sometimes playing against a good team desperate for a win can be dangerous. Teurlings did that, endure a sloppy affair and came out ahead by two touchdowns.

That's nothing to sneeze at, but like STM, several huge obstacles still to come Next: At Catholic-BR on Friday.

#### 5. St. Thomas More Cougars (2-2)

The Cougars have now lost to Sulphur and Catholic High of Baton Rouge. That duo has a com-bined record of 8-0. It's not like the jury is still out on the Cougars. They've source to they're good. The truth is, though, there's still mul-tiple teams left on their schedule capable of beating them. Next: At Hahnville on Friday.

## 6. Acadiana Wreckin' Rams (2-2)

The Rams could be 4-0 just as easily as they could be 1-3. It's been that kind of season for Aca-diana, which has had its final three games essentially go down to the general final hur, Eurobling to the game's final play. Fumbling remains a major headache for the Rams, Getting that solved may be the exact blood-pressure medi-cine this staff likely needs at this point

Next: At Sulphur on Friday.

#### 7. Kaplan Pirates (4-0)

Last week's entry: "The Pirates aren't blowing away their oppo-nents. For now, subduing them is

enough to maintain their posi-tion," Ditto this week. Next: Host Patterson on Friday

#### 8. Ascension Episcopal Blue Gators (4-0)

As expected, the Blue Gators weren't challenged again this week and may not be for another month or so Next: Host Gueydan on Friday

9. Rayne Wolves (4-0)

## The Wolves weren't exactly an The Wolves weren't exactly an easy team to handicap going into this 2016 season, seemingly un-derachieving a bit last season at 2-8 last season. Well, it's pretty difficult to miss having two run-ning backs rush for over 200 yards in the same game, especial-ly one week after a road win over Breaux Bridge. Breaux Bridge Next: Host Eunice on Friday

#### 10. Comeaux Spartans (3-1)

Some losses can validate suspicions about a team. The Spartans were 3-0, but hadn't really beaten a highly ranked squad yet. On Fri-day, they lost a barn-burner on the rad against a top 3.5A contender. It was a loss, yes, but it also threw the Spartans' hat into the ring as an official contender as well. Next: Host Sam Houston on Friday.

## Trey Labat's Area Top 10 Poll

## 1. Notre Dame (3-0, Last Week: No. 1)

The Pios just keep doing what they do, which is to say they just keep winning football games. This team hasn't lost a regular season since 2014. Enough said,

#### 2. Carencro (4-0, Last Week: No. 2)

This, to me, was a bigger game This, to me, was a bigger game for Carencro then a win against Acadiana. The Golden Bears have proven they can compete with the state's best, but it was the "trap" games they struggled with. Well, they took care of business on the road against a feisty Sam Hous-ton teamton team.

#### 3. Catholic-NI (4-0, Last Week: No. 3)

The Panthers flew under the radar a bit the last two weeks: an abbreviated win in a slop fest against Patterson on the road and an absolute demolition of West St. Mary in the last two games. But the don't worry, the Panthers are still very much one of the best teams in the state.

4. Teurlings (3·1, Last Week: No. 4)

The Rebels picked up a sloppy win against Breaux Bridge Fri-day, but a win is a win for the Re-bels, especially coming off an ex-tremely physical game against Notre Dame.

#### 5. Kaplan (4-0, Last Week: No. 5)

Once again, here's Kaplan at Once again, here's Kapian at No. 5 just chugging along, playing good, fundamental football and setting themselves up to compete for a District 8-3A title. Don't mind them, they just play good, no-nonsense football and they're just fine with that and people un-derrating them

## 6. St. Thomas More (2-2, Last Week: No. 6)

You don't get moved down for competing with a team that won the Division I state championship last season and looks ready and willing to defend it's title. The Cougars will be just fine.

#### 7. Ascension Episcopal (4-0. Last Week: 8)

The Blue Gators scored 42 un-answered points Friday before calling off the dogs, This offense hasn't missed a step and the de-

fense is playing better than expected early in the season

## 8. Comeaux (3-1, Last Week: 9)

This is the part where you ask me how a team that lost moves up in the rankings. Win or not, the Spartans went on the road and lost to Sulphur by a point. That is nothing to sneeze at. This is a top 10 team in Class 5A.

#### Acadiana (2-2, Last Week: NR)

tripping over their own feet. They are still probably the most talented team in the area along with Notre Dame, but the mental mistakes (four lost fumbles in a win against Barbe) are going to down the Rams if they aren't careful.

#### 10. Rayne Wolves (4-0, Last Week: NR)

week, in what I would describe as week, in what I would describe as a complete oversight on my part, The Wolves have done everything this season of a top 10 team in the area and finally get some much-needed respect in the rankings.

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The Rams can't seem to stop

Rayne was left off the poll last

## **CLASS 4A** 1. Neville (4-0) beat Carrroll 40-14 2. Karr (3-0) did not play

 Carencro (4-0) beat Sam Houston 54-27
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 McDonogh 35 (4-0) beat Lake Area New Tech 28-13
 Minden (4-0) beat Fair Park 40-0

44-13 9. North DeSoto (3-1) beat Bossier 35-14

8. Benton (4-0) beat Huntington

10. Plaquemine (1-3) lost to Riverside 34-20

Others receiving votes: Rayne (4-0) beat DeQuincy 55-38; Vandebilt Catholic (3-1) beat Covenant Christian Academy 38-0; St. Michael (2-2) lost to Live Oak 56-14; Tioga (4-0) beat Alexandria 41-31; Livonia (2-2) beat Northside 55-31; Franklinton (1-3) lost to West Monroe 43-6; Bastrop (2-1) beat Mansfield 47-21; LaGrange (1-3) lost to Westgate 19-12; Breaux Bridge (1-3) lost to Teurlings Catholic 28-14; Carver (4-0) beat Riverdale 51-19; Salmen (3-1) beat Bogalusa 16-0; Belle Chasse (2-1) plays Warren Easton Saturday; Grant (4-0) beat LaSalle 58-6.

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## Teurlings preparing for physical road test

#### Trey Labat

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After starting the season 1-2 last year, the Catholic of Baton Rouge Bears beat both St. Thomas More and Teurlings in back-toback weeks to kick-start a state championship run where they lost only one game in the final 12 weeks of the season.

The Bears beat St. Thomas More last week, and this Friday the Rebels are traveling to Baton Rouge in an attempt to avoid repeating last year's history.

But after watching the tape from Catholic's win against St. Thomas More last week, Teurlings coach Sonny Charpentier said the Rebels will have their hands full.

"We saw that they have a solid football team with no real weaknesses. They are as good as anybody we have played," Charpentier said. "They do a tremendous job of putting pressure on the quarterback."

Starting two defensive ends with Division I scholarship offers, the Bears stifled a Cougars' running game that had experienced success in the opening weeks of the season.

Charpentier said the Rebels will try to eliminate some of Catholic's size

#### TEURLINGS AT CATHOLIC

Game: 7 p.m. Friday at Catholic Radio: 106.7 Ranking: Catholic No. 2 in Class 5A; Teurlings No. 4 in Class 4A Players to Watch: Teurlings - Hayden Cantrelle, QB (587 yards, 47-88-1, 2 TDs); Jansen Lormand, RB (64-385, 7 TDs); Luke Vidrine, WR (18-297). Catholic - Aaron Moffitt, DE; Ben Miles, RB

with a short passing game as an extension of the running game, something St. Thomas More proved to be effective against the physical Bears' front.

"STM had some success with a short passing game and went over 300 yards passing," Charpentier said. "We're not going to beat our heads against the wall. We have some things we'll try to accomplish with some sets and using the short passing game as an extension of the running game."

Running back Jansen Lormand will be relied upon to make plays in the passing game out of the backfield, something he has some experience in from last season, when he Catholic Sept. 2 beat Parkview Baptist 24-13; 9 beat ZACHARY 37-3; 16 beat SAM HOUSTON 35-20; 23 St. Thomas More 23-12; 30 TEURLINGS; Oct. 14 Broadmoor; 21 ST. AMANT; 28 Dutchtown

#### Teurlings

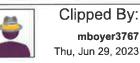
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did most of his damage out of the slot.

Charpentier said Lormand has moved around to a couple of different positions last year and this season, and the Rebels hoped they could dial up screens and other short passes in the right situations to take advantage of the Bears' defense and Lormand's skill set.

While the Bears' defense certainly presents problems, it's the offense that has averaged 29.7 points per game this year that has its own unique set of problems for the Rebels to tackle.

"They run so many different sets," Charpentier said. "The have some unbalanced stuff and line up in multiple formations. They don't line up in the same formation often. And they aren't opposed to running a trick play. Our defense is going to be challenged."



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## CATHOLIC-BR 31, TEURLINGS CATHOLIC 14 **Catholic pulls away from Teurlings**

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At least someone in the Miles and Cameron families had good weeks in the football world

Both Chris Cameron and Ben Miles, sons of Cam and Les, respectively, scored second-half touchdowns as the Catholic Bears (5-0) pulled away from the Teurlings Rebels (3-2) in the second half to take home a 31-14 win at Olympia Stadium in Baton Rouge Friday night.

'I was proud of the effort; we just didn't play well enough," said Teurlings coach Sonny Charpentier. "Against a quality team on the road you can't give them short fields and things of that nature.

Starting senior quarterback

Hayden Cantrelle was ruled out before the game with a rib inju-ry, so junior quarterback Wes-ley Blazek got the start after only three days of practice this week.

Blazek started off well, firing a 36-yard touchdown to Dar-ian Clark in the first quarter, but the Rebels were stifled after that, not scoring any more points until late in the fourth quarter.

Charpentier said he was hap-py with Blazek's performance under the circumstances.

"I thought he did a great job. He practiced for three days," Charpentier said. "He's been playing defensive end. He played quarterback through the spring and summer, but I thought he did a great job of do-

ing what he was capable of doing and we couldn't ask for more."

Charpentier said the Bears didn't make any real adjust-ments after the touchdown to open the game, but stuck to their fundamentals and buckled down.

In the second half, the Rebels had to switch to more max-protection sets to account for the Bears' vicious pass rush.

"They just played good, sound defense," Charpentier said. "They had some mismatches and we had some problems blocking some guys, especially when we were trying to hold the ball a little longer to try and get the ball down the field. We tried to adjust with some max protection, but they are good up front and they gave us some fits in some match-

up situations." The Rebels went into half-time trailing 17-7, and after a long kickoff return by senior Jansen Lormand, they looked poised to make it a one-score come to teat the second half game to start the second half.

Teurlings drove inside the Bears' 40-yard line, but the offense stalled out and turned the ball over on downs.

"We got a great return, and I thought if we could get a touch-down there or even a field goal -- who knows? -- we put a little bit more pressure on them," Charpentier said. "But we got the fourth and two and didn't convert, so give them credit." The Rebels will now try and

bounce back at Northside next week as Teurlings starts its district slate.

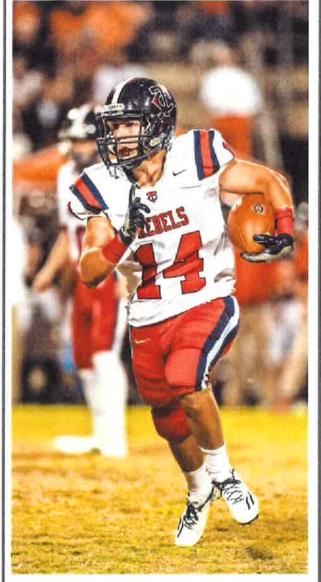


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## Trey Labat's Area Top 10 Poll

#### 1. Notre Dame (5-0, Last Week: No. 1)

"The Pios just keep doing what they do, which is to say what they do, which is to say they just keep winning football games. This tean hasn't lost a regular season since 2014. Enough said." — Trey Labat in last week's ratings

ratings

#### 2. Carencro (5-0, Last Week: No. 2)

Probably the scariest thing about Carencro is that the Bears are getting their running game going. They've shown the ability to have explosive gains in the passing game, but if Trey-lon Barnaba really gets going, watch out.

#### 3. Catholic-NI (5-0, Last Week: No. 3)

My mouth is watering at the prospect of the Panthers and the Pios meeting in an undefeat-ed battle for the District 5-2A title in the final week of the season. We've got a while to get there, but the game would be huge and have drastic playoff seeding implications.

4. Ascension Episcopal (5-0, Last Week: No. 7)

This is the start of a rela-tively major shakeup in the rest of the rankings as now halfway through the season, a clear Inrough the season, a clear pecking order has emerged. The Blue Gators haven't been truly tested, but they also haven't shown any signs of weakness.

#### 5. Kaplan (5-0, Last Week: No. 5)

Julius Johnson was a mon-ster against Patterson to keep the Pirates undefeated. It wouldn't shock me at all to watch this team run the table. It's all going to depend on if they can stop Erath's Elijah Mitchell later in the season.

#### 6. Comeaux (4-L Last Week: No. 8)

The Spartans are for real. and it's time for their ranking to reflect that. Massive, massive game coming up this week against,

#### 7. Acadiana (3-2, Last Week: No. 9)

The Rams are a couple of fumbles away from being un-defeated and No. 2 in these rankings. They avoided turning the ball over against Sulphur,

needed, big-play ability for the Rams' offense that's still search-ing for a passing attack. Next: Host Comeaux on Fri-

5. Teurlings Catholic Rebels (3-2)

The tough thing about teams playing a brutal schedule is it's almost as difficult to handicap

them as teams who play a cup-cake slate. Still not sure how

good the Rebels are by their lofty standards, but losses to a pair of defending state champi-ons like Notre Dame and Catho-

lic-BR aren't good reasons to drop them too far. Next: At Northside on Friday.

The Pirates enjoyed some fireworks in rolling past Pat-terson, Kaplan appears to be on a collision course with Erath in

week nine. Next: At North Vermilion on Friday

7. Ascension Episcopal Blue Gators (5-0)

Well, we've learned some-thing about the Blue Gators. They don't adhere to the Steve Spurrier mindset. Is it finally time to play four quarters? Next: At Vermilion Catholic on Ficidar.

on Friday

6. Kaplan Pirates (5-0)

and if they keep that up, the Rams will get very hot very quickly.

#### 8. Teurlings (3-2, Last Week: No. 4)

The Rebels' two losses came against the No. 1 team in Class 2A and the No. 2 team in Class 5A. Nothing too much to hang their heads over But the Rebels aren't as explosively but the relevely as they have been in past years, which will be something to watch moving forward.

#### 9. St. Thomas More (2-3, Last Week: No. 6)

The Cougars' offense is running about as smoothly as could be expected. But the defense, so key in their state championship run last season, just quite hasn't figured it out yet this year.

## 10. Northwest (5-0, Last Week: NR) -and- Rayne (5-0, Last Week: 10)

My boss, Kevin Foote, abso-Inly boss, tech route, abso-lutely hates ties. The desire to bug him is outweighed by the fact that I just couldn't ignore what Northwest was doing any-more. The Raiders deserve to be acknowledged for this in-cradible start. credible start.

## Kevin Foote's Area Top 10 Poll

day.

1. Notre Dame Pioneers (5-0)

Just stay patient, Pio fans. Week 10 will be here before you know it. Next: Host Sacred Heart-VP

#### on Friday. 2. Carencro Golden Bears (5-0)

The records may say that Sam Houston and Breaux Bridge arc a combined 1-9, but those aren't bad football teams. And the

Golden Bears are just thrashing teams like that these days, For the teams on the rest of Caren-cro's schedule, good luck. Next: Host Opelousas on Fridav

## 3. Catholic-NI Panthers (5-0)

If someone submitted a pro-posal today to eliminate districts and just play whoever you can find, the Panthers might just be tempted to vote for it Next: At Loreauville on Fri-

day 4. Acadiana Wreckin' Rams (3-2)

## The Rams jumped to the driv-

er's seat in the 3-5d race with a big road win over Sulphu: One more win and Acadiana's I-2 start should soon be a distant memory. Dillon Monette's big night hinted at providing much-

8. Rayne Wolves (5-0)

The Wolves had trouble de-The Wolves had trouble de-fending Eunice's passing game Friday but found a way to win with a dominant rushing attack and some big plays in the kicking game. Coach Curt Ware's team is beginning to show signs of a special season, but some big battles still loom.

Some may have been expect-Some may have been expect-ing a blowout home win over winless Sam Houston. That may have been a bit short-sighted. But to me, the Spartans having to fight, scratch and claw to win it late might have been a better sign for the team's big-picture potential in the long run. Next: At Acadiana on Friday.

10. Northwest Raiders (5-0)

## slip this season after losing Allslip this season after losing Al-State running back Chris Lee to graduation. Boy, was that a poor assumption, Instead, Northwest is pounding foes in the air and on the ground this season. Their District 5-3A schedule may be

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## Next: At LaGrange on Friday. 9. Comeaux Spartans (4-1)

The Raiders were supposed to District 5-3A schedule may be tougher than some anticipate, but a 10-0 regular season doesn't appear out of the question. **Next:** At Pine Prairie on Fri-day.

## **CLASS 4A**

1. Neville (4-0) did not play 2. Karr (4-0) beat Riverdale 56-0 3. Carencro (5-0) beat Breaux Bridge 35-14 4. Teurlings Catholic (3-2) lost to Catholic-BR 31-14 5. McDonogh 35 (5-0) beat Carver 24-0 6. Minden (5-0) beat Huntington 34-18 7. St. Thomas More (2-3) lost to Hahnville 43-42 8. Benton (5-0) beat North DeSoto 28-7 9. North DeSoto (3-2) lost to Benton 28-7 10. Rayne (5-0) beat Eunice 28-27 Others receiving votes: Tioga (5-0) beat Menard 20-12, Vandebilt Catholic (4-1) beat Newman 46-41, Carver (4-1) lost to McDonogh 35 24-0, Loranger (3-2) beat Bogalusa 35-6, Breaux Bridge (1-4) lost to Carencro 35-14, Grant (5-0) beat Northwood Lena 44-14, Plaguemine (2-3) beat South Lafourche 29-13, Livonia (2-3) lost to Amite 38-14.

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## **TEURLINGS AT NORTHSIDE**

**Game:** 7 p.m., Friday at North-side.

Radio: 106.7 FM.

**Ranking:** Teurlings No. 7 in Class 4A.

**Record:** TEUR 3-2; NOR 0-5. **Last year:** TEUR won 34-12.



Players to watch: NOR — QB Chance Prejean; WR

#### Teurlings

Sept. 2 Beat Calvary Baptist 50-34; 9 beat SHAW 38-0; 16 lost NOTRE DAME 35-14; 23 BREAUX BRIDGE 28-14; 30 lost Catholic-BR 31-14; Oct. 7 Northside; 14 BEAU CHENE; 21 St. Thomas More; 28 CARENCRO; Nov. 4 Opelousas.

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Mark Bonnet; WR Lennox Pierre. TEUR — RB Jansen Lormand (79-415, 8 TDs); WR Darian Clark (1-36, 1 TD); WR Holland Griffin (7-82); LB Tyler Batiste.

Hayden Cantrelle **Matchup:** Teurlings coach Sonny Charpentier said the Rebels were wary of Northside's high-powered passing attack.

"They aren't afraid to send five receivers out and chuck it," Charpentier said. "They have a lot of speed, so if you aren't focused, they can make you look bad. We're going to try and get some pressure on the quarterback and keep him in the pocket."

**Lagniappe:** After missing last game, Teurlings' quarterback Hayden Cantrelle is expected to play, Charpentier said.



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#### **TEURLINGS CATHOLIC 32, NORTHSIDE 8**

## **Rebels surge past Vikings**

#### SPENCER URQUHART SPECIAL TO THE ADVERTISER

It was a rough start for the visiting Teurlings Catholic Rebels after a scoreless first quarter.

But they responded nicely with 32 unanswered points to defeat the homestanding Northside Vikings 32-8 in a District 4-4A contest.

For the second straight game, the Rebels were without starting quarterback Hayden Cantrelle, but Wesley Blazek was up to the challenge and lead the Rebels to the win.

"It just took us a while to get started," said Rebels coach Sonny Charpentier. "A little unmotivated to start the ball game, but I thought that we did a good job doing what we had to do to get the lead at halftime."

The Vikings jumped on the scoreboard first with a successful first drive which included a big

play touchdown pass by quarterback Chance Prejean to wide receiver Mark Bonnet, who had a big game for the Vikings. This drive allowed the Vikings to take an early 8-0, and they held the Rebels scoreless in the first quarter.

Once the second quarter started, things seemed to start clicking for the Rebels offense and they never looked back. Blazek lead the offense and threw three touchdown passes, including a short pass to Jansen Lormand that turned into a 60-yard touchdown. Lormand lead the team in rushing and also had a rushing touchdown.

"Lormand played well, made some cuts, and made some things happen," Charpentier said. "It was a solid team effort all the way across the board, and different guys made plays."

Blazek threw a 32-yard touchdown pass to Holland Griffin and threw another to Tyler Broussard to close out the first half with a 29-8 lead.

"I thought Wesley did a good job," Charpentier said. "This his is only his second week playing the position, and I thought he did a good job, and I thought guys around him did a good making plays around him to help him out."

There wasn't as much action in the second half like in the first half, but the Teurlings defense stepped up and held the Vikings offense scoreless. The Rebels and Vikings both had opportunities to score, but neither one capitalized on those opportunities to get in the end zone. The Rebels kicked a 24-yard field goal to make the game 32-8 and seal the victory.

The Rebels are now 5-2 and continue district play next week and will look to get a winning streak going in a home contest against Beau Chene. The Vikings are now 0-6 and go on the road next week against Opelousas.



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## Kevin Foote's Top 10 Area Poll

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healthier and be able to breathe a little bit, Next: Host Lafayette High on

5. Teurlings Catholic Rebels

Reserve quarterback Wesley Blazek has certainly provided a

blazek has certainly provided a viable second option at that key position. The Rebels have one more week to get all of their ducks in a row before the crucial two-game stretch against St, Thomas More and Carenero,

Next: Host Beau Chene on Fri-

6. Kaplan Pirates (6-0) That's two big games in a row

## 1. Notre Dame Pioneers (6-0)

There's not much more to be said about Notre Dame. I'm sure the Pios staff has gotten good at somehow improving the team during these cakewalk stretches. Next: Host West St. Mary on Friday

2. Carencro Golden Bears (6-0)

Well, at least Carenero got its homecoming jinx burden off its shoulders. Now the Bears can take dead aim at their third consecutive district championship, beginning with a Week 7 cross-town trip to meet St. Thomas More

Next: At St. Thomas More on Friday

#### 3. Catholic-NI Panthers (6-0)

The Panthers successfully The Pantners successfully passed theoretically one of their biggest tests of the season at Loreauville with flying colors. Three more weeks to go until ar-guably the game of the year in the Acadiana area against Notre Deme Dame

for standout Julius Johnson. Dis-trict 8-3A is shaping up like a two-horse race, much like Dis-Next: Host Jeanerette on Fritrict 5-2A Next: Host Berwick on Friday. day 4. Acadiana Wreckin' Rams (4-2)

#### 7. Ascension Episcopal Blue Gators (6-0) I'm not sure there's ever been a five-game stretch of nailbiters like the one the Wreckin' Rams

You never know if you're ready for a tight one when you play blowout after blowout each have just completed. Acadiana week, As expected, the Blue Ga

managed 3-2 in a stretch that fea-tured five straight games decid-ed in the final minute of play. The Rams could easily be 6-0 right now — or even 1-5 for that matter, What coach Ted Davidson and his staff probably need most these days — other than a few complet-ed passes to help the running game — are a few routs to get healthier and he able to breathe a tors were tested by Vermilion Catholic in a big way and respon-ded with a hard-fought 40-34 win, Those do more to solidify poll positioning. Next: Host Centerville on Fri-

day

#### 8. Comeaux Spartans (4-2)

The Spartans' coaches and The Spartans' coaches and players are likely tired of coming close against top foes and not winning. They should be tired of it. But that doesn't mean they should drop in the polls, Also nothing wrong with rewarding them either. Next: Host St. Martinville on Friday.

#### 9. Rayne Wolves (5-1)

Football can be a cruel game. The Wolves could easily have lost to Eunice two weeks ago, but pulled out a 28-27 in clutch fashion. This week, Rayne's offense still rattled off 28 first downs, but suffered a heartbreaking 15-14 road loss, It's a prime example of how tough it can be to go 10-0

sometimes. Next: Host Leesville on Thursday.

#### 10. Northwest Raiders (6-0)

The Raiders disposed of yet The Raiders disposed of yet another over-matched opponent in the proper fashion on Friday. Now comes the Raiders' chance to really prove their belong in their biggest game of the season. Next: Host Eunice on Friday,

#### Top 10 Area Poll Trey Labat's

No. 7)

Last Week: No. 4)

With the win against Vermil-ion Catholic, the Blue Gators' as-serted themselves as the top dog in District 7-1A. They showed the

offense is legit and can keep up with anyone.

5. Acadiana (4-2, Last Week:

The Rams have gone through the gauntlet in the last three weeks and come out unscathed.

This is the type of team we thought Acadiana would be heading into the season.

6. Kaplan (6-0, Last Week: No. 5)

7. Comeaux (4-2, Last Week: No. 6) Learning how to win is one of the most difficult things a talent-

ed team who has traditionally

Julius was once again a major player for the Pirates in their win against North Vermilion. When he and Elijah Mitchell meet up in the same game, it'll be two of the best in the state facing off.

#### 1. Notre Dame (6-0, Last Week: No. 1)

I mean, Notre Dame is good, There's only so many ways I can keep saying it. They'll spend the next three weeks crushing peo-ple and staying in the No. I spot before the final week of the season

## 2. Carencro (6-0, Last Week: No. 2)

After losing three homecom-ings in a row, Carencro finally ended the curse. The Bears have done nothing to be moved down, but have a huge test coming up against St. Thomas More.

## 3. Catholic-NI (6-0, Last Week: No. 3)

My mouth is watering at the prospect of the Pauthers and the Pios meeting in an undefeated battle for the District 5-2A title We've got a while to get there, but the game would be huge and have drastic playoff seeding implications.

4. Ascension Epsicopal (6-0,

#### 8. Teurlings (4-2, Last Week: No. 8)

The Rebels took care of busi-ness in their district opener against Northside. For all of these District 4-A teams, it's go-ing to come down to how they matchup with each other in the coming weeks.

St, Thomas More cooled Beau Chene down real quick, with Nate Cox leading the offense once again. And now Griffin He-bert is back. If the defense can continue to improve, the Cougars will be just fine.

The Raiders just keep blowing the doors off of teams. Titanic matchup against Eunice, the tra-ditional top dog in District 5-3A, coming up this week to prove how legit they are.

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## struggled to do. The Spartans are less than a touchdown away from 6-0.

9. St. Thomas More (3-3, Last Week: No. 9)

10. Northwest (5-0, Last Week: 10)

## **CLASS 4A**

1. Neville (5-0) beat Bastrop 48-18 2. Karr (5-0) beat Lake Area New Tech 56-7 3. Carencro (6-0) beat Opelousas 49-8 4. McDonogh 35 (6-0) beat Belle Chasse 44-13 5. Minden (6-0) beat Benton 42-28 6. Benton (5-1) lost to Minden 42-28 7. Teurlings Catholic (4-2) beat Northside 32-8 8. Rayne (5-1) lost to LaGrange 15-14 9. St. Thomas More (3-3) beat Beau Chene 42-7 10. Tioga (6-0) beat West Ouachita 42-35 **Others receiving votes:** Vandebilt Catholic (5-1) beat South Terrebonne 41-19, North DeSoto (3-3) lost to Woodlawn-Shreveport 28-7, Plaguemine (3-3) beat St. Michael 61-6, Grant (5-1) lost to Franklin Parish 58-38, Loranger (4-2) beat Lakeshore 42-36, Carver (4-2) lost to St. Thomas Aquinas 46-40.

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## PREP STAT LEADERS

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Tiki Pascual, Comeaux	89 536 10	Carl Randall, Carencro	37 76 724 10 4	Seth Kerstetter, AES	16 259 2
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## **BEAU CHENE AT TEURLINGS**

**Game:** 7 p.m., Friday, Teurlings Stadium.

**Records:** BC 5-1, 0-1; TC 4-2, 1-0. **Radio:** 106.3 FM.

State Rankings: TEUR No. 6. Last year: TEUR won 56-0. Players to Watch: BC — QB Dra

Duplechain; RB ; RB Charles Williams; RB Deontre Eaglin; TEUR — QB Hayden Cantrelle

#### **Beau Chene**

Sept. 2 Beat West St. Mary 14-6; 9 beat Pine Prairie 39-0; 16 beat PORT BARRE 33-6; 23 beat FALSE RIVER 41-14; 30 beat ST. EDMUND 25-6; Oct. 7 lost St. Thomas More 42-7; 14 Teurlings; 21 OPELOUSAS; 28 Northside; Nov. 3 Carencro

**Teurlings Catholic** Sept. 2 Beat Calvary Baptist 50-34; 9 beat SHAW 38-0; 16 lost NOTRE DAME 35-14; 23 beat BREAUX BRIDGE 28-14; 30 lost Catholic-BR 31-14; Oct. 7 beat Northside 32-8; 14 BEAU CHENE; 21 St. Thomas More; 28 CARENCRO; Nov. 4

Hayden Cantrelle (47-88-1, 587 yds, 2 TDs); RB Jansen Lormand (97-505, 9 TDs); WR Luke Vidrine (24-351).

Opelousas.

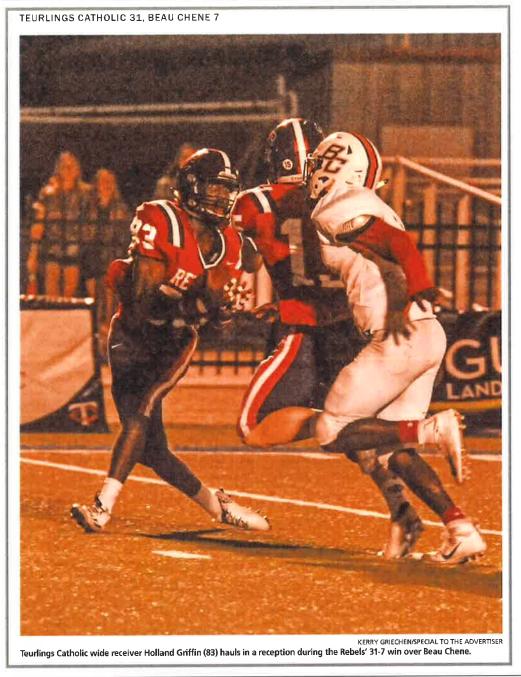
Jansen Lormand **Matchup:** Teurlings coach Sonny Charpentier thought Cantrelle would be ready last week and said he's definitely expected to play

Friday. "(Reserve QB) Wesley (Blazek) did what he could. He did a good job, but we're going to stick with our original plan," said Charpentier, who said he saw some real progress defensively two weeks in the loss to Catholic High-BR. **Lagniappe:** Charpentier said the 2016 Gators have his attention. "They're definitely better than last year. They're much better defensively. Offensively, their quarterback is a playmaker. He scares you with his legs."



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## **Cantrelle, Rebels cruise past Beau Chene**

#### SPENCER URQUHART SPECIAL TO THE ADVERTISER

On a night in which the stands were full and expectations were high, the Teurlings Catholic Rebels delivered with a 31-7 victory over the Beau Chene Gators.

The Rebels got off to a great start and took control of the game in the first half, but the Gators kept fighting and made it tough on the Rebels in the second half. Rebels quarterback Hayden Cantrelle made his return to the starting lineup this week, and had a solid performance.

"He was a little rusty," Rebels coach Sonny Charpentier said of Cantrelle. "He had a good week of practice, and I'm glad we were able to get him in this game to get the rust off."

Cantrelle finished with 152 yards and threw

a 24-yard touchdown strike to Luke Vidrine. The running game was strong with leading rusher Tyler Bruno finishing with 76 yards and Jansen Lormand finishing with only 49 yards, but scored three rushing touchdowns.

The Rebels' offense got off to a great start in the first quarter despite Cantrelle missing some open receivers and took a 7-0 lead on a one-yard touchdown run by Lormand. On the next drive, Rebels kicker Aaron Broussard kicked a season high 45-yard field goal to make it 10-0.

Cantrelle threw a 24yard touchdown pass to Vidrine to on the next drive to make it 17-0. Cantrelle connected on a nice throw to Holland Griffin to set up a four-yard run by Lormand to make it 24-0 Rebels at halftime. Lormand ran in an eightyard touchdown on the Rebels first drive in the second half to make it a comfortable 31-0 lead for the Rebels.

The Rebels defense also did very well and helped keep the Rebels in control of the game.

"Defensively we were in control," said Charpentier. "They weren't able to get very much done from an offensive standpoint and I feel like we had good field position."

Despite the tough Rebels defense, the Gators kept fighting and forced two turnovers in the 4th quarter. Gators running back Jylon Henry broke a 47-yard run to set up a 1-yard touchdown run by quarterback Drahcir Duplechain. The Rebels ate up the clock at the end and did what they had to do to close out the game.

The Rebels are now 5-2, but face a tough road ahead with big district games against STM and Carencro.

"We've got to take them one game at a time," said Charpentier. "Starting tomorrow we'll focus on STM, and the only way you can find out if you're ready is to go play."

The Rebels will face STM next week on the road in what will be the a key game in the district 4-4A race. The Beau Chene Gators are now 5-2 and will face the Opelousas Tigers at home next, which is also a District 4-4A matchup.



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## Trey Labat's Top 10 Area Poll

#### 1. Notre Dame (7-0, Last Week: No. 1)

The biggest thing the Pios need to do is stay sharp during this run of over-matched district foes. The backups are getting valuable experience during these games, but the starters have to maintain their edge de-spite typically playing only a couple of series.

#### 2. Catholic-NI (7-0, Last Week: No. 3)

The Panthers seem to be not The Pantners seem to be not getting any respect despite their incredible start to the season. This isn't a team that has come out of nowhere. They were young last season but return almost all of their starters, and Burnt Index is more of the burnt Brent Indest is one of the best Brent Indest is one of the best coaches in the state. Zi'Yon Hill is the best defensive player I've seen all season, This is a state championship contender in Divi-sion 111 and would be in Division II as well.

#### 3. Acadiana (5-2, Last Week: No. 5)

The Rams made it through the toughest portion of their schedtougnest portion of their sched-ule unscathed, winning three straight against Barbe, Sulphur and Comeaux. The Rams got a huge performance from quarter-back Jaylon Borel in the blowout against Lafayette, which could be big moving forward be big moving forward.

4. St. Thomas More (4-3, Last Week: No. 9)

Big jump for the Cougars here, The offense might be un-stoppable, The Cougars tore up Carencro, who has a very good defense, and Griffin Hebert adds another element to this team, A name to watch moving forward: Sydney Lindon. The sophomore running back was impressive in relief of Chris Primeaux and could play a big role down the stretch.

## 5. Carencro (6-1, Last Week: No. 2)

Bears drop a bit because of Bears drop a bit because of the loss, but not too much. Losing by nine points with your starting quarterback knocked out of the game and dealing with a couple of other injuries isn't the worst outcome in the world. Carencro is still a contender.

#### 6. Ascension Episcopal (7-0, Last Week; No. 4)

The Blue Gators didn't do Ine Blue Galors addrift do anything wrong to move back, just a strength-of-competition deal. Ascension Episcopal does exactly what it is supposed to do and blows out teams they are unanced to blow out. Big match supposed to blow out. Big matchups are coming in the final weeks of the season against La-fayette Christian and Central Catholic.

#### 7. Kaplan (7-0, Last Week: No. 6)

The Pirates are just a good football team, They keep win-ning games and grinding teams down with their two-headed rushing attack in Julius Johnson and Mac Thibeaux

#### 8. Comeaux (5-2, Last Week: No. 7)

Comeaux had the most surprising score of the week in an absolute demolition of St. Mar-tinville, Spartans proved they have the resiliency to bounce back from a tough loss once back from a long loss once again and are still at earn to watch for a deep playoff run in Class 5A. Tough matchup at Barbe coming up, the last of the Spartans' chance to beat one of the other contenders in District 3-5A.

## 9. Teurlings (5-2, Last Week: No. 8)

It's a huge, huge matchup this week with St. Thomas More essentially for any shot at a dis-trict title

#### 10. Northwest (7-0 , Last Week: No. 10)

The Raiders are the top dogs in District 5-3A after the win against Eurice, A strong running game, an explosive passing game and a hard-hitting defense seem to be a good recipe for success.

## Kevin Foote's Top 10 Area Poll

#### 1. Notre Dame Pioneers (7-0)

The boredom continues for a few more weeks for the top-ranked Pios Next: Host Delcambre on

Thursday 2. Catholic-NI Panthers (7-0)

Ditto, although the Panthers

may at least be able to play their starters much deeper into the game this week at least. **Next:** At Opelousas Catholic on Friday.

#### 3. Acadiana Wreckin' Rams (5-2)

In classic position for a big letdown, the Wreckin' Rams were actually quite focused against their old rivals. A tricky oad game and a hye week now

Next: At Sam Houston on Friday.

### 4. St. Thomas More Cougars (4-3)

A tough schedule can bury you of make you stronger for the future. Friday's win over Ca-rencro clearly showed that the Cougars opted for the latter. One big win can certainly erase the

pain of a few agonizing losses. STM is now just one big win away from an outright district crown in what most felt would the most unpredictable league race in the area this season. Next: Host Teurlings Catholic

pointing toward that big district wdown at the end Next: At Franklin on Friday 8. Ascension Episcopal Blue Gators (7-0)

showdo

It would be a lot more fun if each district had more balance, but the Blue Gators should re-ceive tougher tests over the final three weeks of the regular season

Next: At Highland Baptist on Friday.

#### 9. Comeaux Spartans (5-2)

9. Comeany spartans (5-2) The Spartans may have suf-fered a few tough losses so far this season, but they've certainly done a great job of bouncing back the following week. A win Friday could release any remain-ing frustration. Next: At Barbe on Friday.

10. Rayne Wolves (5-1)

With all deserved apologies to Northwest after its huge win over Eunice, STM's victory over Carenero made the No. 10 spot a brutal decision. Rayne's loss was just too fluky to drop the Wolves

Next: At DeRidder on Friday

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These Pirates aren't as bored as Notre Dame and Catholic High perhaps, but Kaplan too is

on Friday. 5. Carencro Golden Bears (6-1) The thoughts of 10-0 are now

gone for the Bears, but there's obviously plenty more to play for. They must now rebound in style the rest of the way. Next: Host Northside on l'ri-

#### dav 6. Tourlings Catholic Robels

(5-2)

The Rebels have done a good job of biding their time and hold-ing their own in sort of an identity-searching season. The mo-

ment of truth, though, has arrived Next: At St. Thomas More on Friday.

#### 7. Kaplan Pirates (7-0)

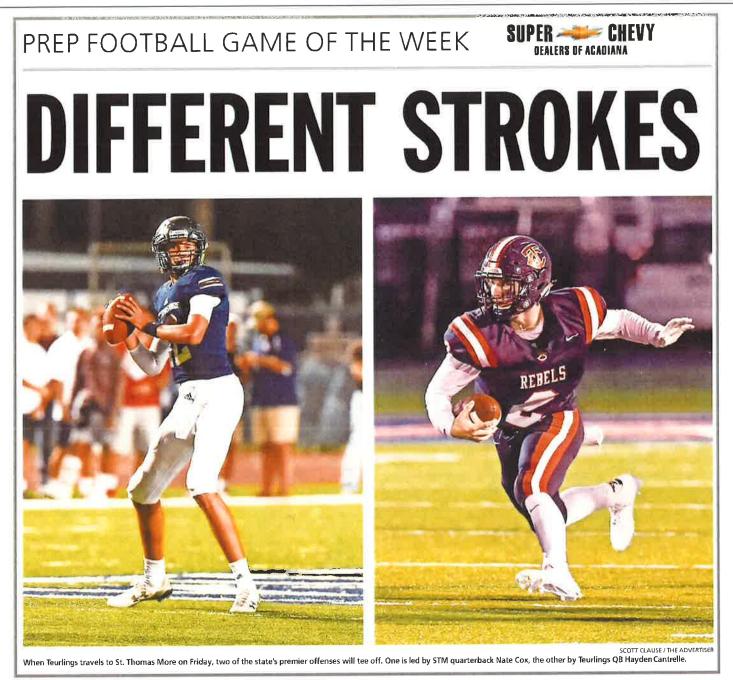
## **CLASS 4A**

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- Beau Chene 31-7
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#### Rivalry

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#### the state leader board in passing yardage and has tossed 24 touchdowns in seven games so far. Teurlings QB Hayden

Teurlings QB Hayden Cantrelle has plenty of arm strength, but he's most dangerous with his legs, showcased by an impressive performance on the ground against Notre Dame before the Pios forced the Rebels into throwing the ball more than they wanted.

Both present their fair share of problems for opposing offenses, and have given the coaching staff on the other side of the field plenty of headaches this week in figuring out a way to slow them down.

For St. Thomas More defensive coordinator Terry Tidwell, the Rebels' offense this year resembles the same type of offense Teurlings ran before Kelly came onto the scene.

"They run counter trap three different ways, stretch, inside zone... They do it better than anybody," Tidwell said. "Cantrelle can really

"Cantrelle can really hurt you when he starts moving, and he has the arm to hurt you in the passing game if you load the box."

the box." Tidwell said it wasn't the same type of downthe-field passing game the Rebels sported with Kelly, but a creative blend of underneath routes and screens that stretched defenses to the breaking point.

The screen game can be especially difficult to defend with how well Teurlings sets it up with the running game, getting the defensive line used to rushing up the field before someone slips by them for a long gain on a screen. "It might not be the St. Thomas More Sept. 2 lost Sulphiru 38-35; 8 beat Byrd 31-0; 16 beat PLA-QUEMINE 42-21; lost CATHO-LIC-BR 23-12; 30 lost Hahnville 43-42; OCt. 7 beat Beau Chene 42-7; 14 CARENCRO; 21 TEURLINGS; 28 Opelousas; Nov. 4 NORTHSIDE

Schedules

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20-yard comeback, but they have the 12-yard comeback, "Tidwell said. "Their screen game is excellent. They can run all kinds of screens out of different formations and different looks. It's a challenge every day trying to get the defensive line to stay disciplined."

Cantrelle recently game back from a rib injury that held him out of the Rebels' loss to Catholic and a win against Northside, but Teurlings coach Sonny Charpentier said he would be 100 percent for the St. Thomas More game after a good week of practice.

As for protecting him at all in the running game, Charpentier said the Rebels can't go into games worrying about injuries and have to put players in positions where they can be most effective. "We're going to use

"We're going to use him where he can be most effective and he has the green light on taking off in pass plays if he sees an opening," Charpentier said. "Now, we want him to be smart about it and not take any unnecessary hits, but we can't worry about those things."

The Rebels have their own set of challenges in trying to stop Cox and the Cougars' explosive passing game. While last year's combination of Trevor Begue, Griffin Hebert and Matthew LaGrange proved difficult for teams to stop, the Cougars have transitioned Mason Pesson seamlessly into the starting group with Begue now at McNeese State.

ly into the starting group with Begue now at McNeese State. "It's the same St. Thomas More," Charpentier said. "I've said it before, some teams look like clones from year to year because they've had the same coaching staff for years." Cox has thrown for

Look has thrown for 1,860 yards and 24 touchdowns this season, including a five touchdown performance against Carencro in a win last week. Three of those touch-

downs went to Hebert, who was playing in his first true game of the season after suffering an injury before the season to his hamstring. "Hebert is a big weap-

n He's another guy out there you have to worry about. He's a special high school player," Charpentier said. "Its not just him we have to worry about though."

Charpentier said the Rebels would try to do a combination of things to slow down Cox and the passing game from switching up coverages to bringing pressure and doing things up front to try and knock him out of rhythm.

As for any residual bad feelings from last time the Rebels traveled to St. Thomas More where they were knocked out the playoffs in the semifinals in a classic game — Charpentier said there were none and once the game started none of that would matter.

"That was last year's football team on both sides," Charpentier said. "Once the whistle blows and we kick off, it will have no bearing on the game."



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## Powerful 3rd quarter takes down rival Teurlings

#### TREY LABAT

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It was a night of threes for the St. Thomas More Cougars.

In the third quarter, the Cougars scored three touchdowns in three minutes to give themselves a 35-14 lead against Teurlings that they would never relinquish on their way to a 42-14 win against their arch-rival in Division II.

Senior quarterback Nate Cox tossed four touchdowns in the win, giving him 17 touchdowns in the last four games and 28 on the season through eight games.

Cox had touchdown tosses to Griffin Hebert, two to Matthew Gautreaux and Matthew LaGrange in the game, with the short touchdown to LaGrange capping the Cougars' scoring on the night.

It was Cox's first time starting in the rivalry game, and he said the intensity surprised him at first, but he settled into his groove in the second half and helped direct the Cougars to the win.

"It (the game) was definitely hyped. I didn't know it was going to be this intense on the field," Cox said. "I had a rough first half, but the coaches rallied around us in the locker room and we came out and had a dominating second half."

Although the Cougars' offense certainly did their job on the night, it was the defense pitching a shutout in the second half and scoring a touchdown of their own that sealed the victory for St. Thomas More.

After getting cut up by Teurlings' quarterback Hayden Cantrelle — who drew rave reviews from the Cougars' coaches after the game — in the first half, St. Thomas More defensive coordinator Terry Tidwell made some adjustments to help slow down the shifty signal caller.

After having defensive end Hunter Bergeron drop off of the line of scrimmage and act as a "spy" on Cantrelle in the first half, Tidwell directed his team to execute a different kind of pass rush.

"At halftime, we had to make some adjustments cause Cantrelle was just whipping us," Tidwell said.

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» Carencro comes out on top against Northside, 3C

top against Northside, **3C** » Ascension Episcopal remains perfect, **4C** » Catholic of New Iberia pulls away from Opelousas Catholic, **4C** » State scores, **4C** 

- » Standings, 4C
- » Lafayette High falls to
- Sulphur, **5C**
- » Patterson ends Erath's win
- streak, 5C
- » Barbe pulls away from
- Comeaux, **5C**
- » Cecilia stays hot with win over New Iberia, **5C**



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## STM

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"He has better feet than my lineman have. So I gave my guys the signal to screen rush. We wanted them to get up the field when or get up the field, but not sprint up the field and control the blocker. Hunter was able to get his hands up and

was able to get his hands up and knock some balls down." In the middle of the Cougars' scoring barrage in the third quarter was an interception re-turned for a touchdown by line-backer Paul LaBorde. St. Thomas More forced three turnovers on the game, recov-ering two fumbles in addition to the interception. to the interception. Tidwell said creating turn-

Cougars going into the game. "All week long we talked about going for the ball. We have not done a good job of cre-ating turnovers this season," Tidwell said. "Tonight we cre-ated some turnovers... General-ly speaking, the team that has the best turnover ratio is going

overs was a requisite for the

Cantrelle opened the scoring for the Rebels in the second quarter with a 33-yard touch-down run that saw him burst through the line of scrimmage

before making the safety miss and strolling into the end zone. Teurlings' running back Jan-sen Lormand tied the game at 14.14 with a 14-yard touchdown run of his own with 3:01 left in the second quarter. The Rebels had an impres-

sive drive to open the second half, pushing deep into St. Thomas More territory, but they couldn't come away with any points after a missed field goal.

"We had a good chance to score some points and weren't able to take advantage of it," Charpentier said. "After that, it went downhill — turnover city." The Rebels have another

tough game coming up against Carencro, and Charpentier said his team would have to pick themselves up from the loss. "We don't have a chance to

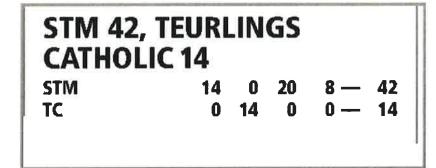
feel sorry for ourselves. If we do, we're going to lose another one," Charpentier said. "We have to bounce back, get some guys healed up and go back to work."



STM's Mathew Lagrange makes a catch in the end zone.

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# Trey Labat's Area Top 10 Poll

# 1. Notre Dame (8-0, Last Week: No. 1)

It's really tough to write anything interesting about a team that is demolishing opponents every week. One week closer to an undefeated matchup with Catholic of New Iberia.

### 2. Catholic-NI (8-0, Last Week: No. 2)

The Panthers got past their last test of the season before the Notre Dame came, dispatching a hard-nosed and well-coached Opelousas Catholic team. The most underrated part of this team is the defense.

## 3. Acadiana (5-3, Last Week: No. 3)

The Rams started slow, but got going when they needed to against Sam Houston and ended up with a comfortable victory. I would not want to face this team in the playoffs.

# 4. St. Thomas More (5-3, Last Week: No. 4)

The Cougars justified their big jump in

the rankings with a dominating display against Teurlings. This team is getting rolling at the right time after a brutal opening schedule. They're a sneaky state championship contender.

### 5. Carencro (7-1, Last Week: No. 5)

Bears handled the loss to St. Thomas More well and put up 42 points on Northside to get a good bounce-back win. They have a tough test against Teurlings, but a win would most likely seal a first-round home playoff game and a top eight seed in Class 4A.

### 6. Ascension Episcopal (8-0, Last Week: No. 6)

The Blue Gators just keep blowing teams out. Somehow this offense might be better with Jake Vascocu at quarterback completing nearly 80 percent of his passes through eight games.

### 7. Kaplan (8-0, Last Week: No. 7)

The Pirates have a big one coming up against Erath and will have the challenge of beating an angry Elijah Mitchell after the Bobcats were upset by Patterson. Kaplan has a running back of their own to throw at Erath in Julius Johnson, so it could be a high-scoring game.

## 8. Northwest (8-0, Last Week: 10)

Northwest doesn't get a whole lot of respect being a Class 3A school on the fringes of our coverage area, but the Raiders are legit. This could be a state championship contender in Class 3A.

## 9. Rayne (7-1, Last Week: NR)

The Wolves dropped out of the rankings after a loss, but are back after another dominating win. The running game looks unstoppable and the Rayne Wolves look to have a district title locked up.

### 10. Teurlings (5-3, Last Week: No. 8)

This final spot was a toss up between Comeaux and Teurlings and the Rebels won out due to strength of schedule. Their three losses on the season have come to the Division III state champion, the Division I state champion and a finalist in Division II.

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Other receiving votes: Delhi Charter 23, Cedar Creek 17, St. Frederick 10, Oberlin 5, Varnado 2, East Beauregard 1.

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CLASS 3A

# **Division II**

» St. Thomas More (No. 3), Teurlings (No. 5)

St. Thomas More helped itself tremendously with the back-to-back wins against Carencro and Teurlings and then also got some help from Parkview Baptist, who is continuing to win after some tough losses against great competition earlier this season.

The Cougars stayed at three, but rather than potential quarterfinal matchups with either Parkview or Teurlings now, they have Vandebilt slated to meet them after the first round bye.

Because of the schedule early on the Cougars have the highest strength factor in Division II by a considerable margin at 10.25. Loyola Prep and De La Salle, the two teams above the Cougars have strength factors of only 6.25 and 6.50, respectively.

Teurlings still has a firstround bye with the No. 5 seed, but a tough game against Carencro could bump them to the same spot as last year — No. 6 and another matchup with St. Michael.

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# **Teurlings looking to bounce back against Carencro**

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A loss is never an easy thing to get over.

The Carencro Bears lost a close game to the St. Thomas More Cougars that saw their starting quarterback get knocked out of the game with a lower leg injury.

The next week the Cougars punched Teurlings in the mouth and handed the Rebels their third loss of the season.

Carencro managed to bounce back against Northside, but the Rebels will have to do it against a Bears team that is No. 6 in the Class 4A power rankings.

Bears' coach Rip Eveland said slowing down Teurlings' quarterback Hayden Cantrelle would be a primary concern for Carencro's defense.

"He certainly looks like he can run pretty good. It's been hard for some people to stop to him," Eveland said. "We have to play assignment football and if we do that I think we can do a de-

# Teurlings vs. Carencro

Game: 7 p.m. Friday at Teurlings Power Ranking: Teurlings No. 6 in Division II; Carencro No. 6 in Class 4A Record: Carencro 7-1; Teurlings 4-3 Last week: St. Thomas More beat Teurlings 42-14; Carencro beat Northside 42-20

Last year: Carencro beat Teurlings 33-21

Players to watch: TC - Jansen Lormand, RB (128-636, 13 TDs); Justin Murray, DB; Hayden Cantrelle, QB (854, 73-139-2, 3 TDs). CHS - Carl Randall, QB (787, 43-88-5, 10 TDs); Rashaad Harding, LB; Kordell Williams, DB

### cent job."

Carencro was beat up in the St. Thomas More game and lost a few starters to injury, including quarterback Carl Randall, offensive tackle Ken Mouton and receiver Mondarius Poullard.

Eveland said while he expects Mouton and Poullard to be back,

### Schedules

### Teurlings

Sept. 2 beat Calvary Baptist 50-34; 9 beat SHAW 38-0; 16 lost NOTRE DAME 35-14; 23 beat BREAUX BRIDGE 28-14; 30 lost Catholic-BR 31-14; Oct. 7 beat Northside 32-8; 14 beat Beau Chene 31-7; 21 lost St. Thomas More 42-14; 28 CARENCRO; Nov. 4 Opelousas

### Carencro

Sept. 2 beat Westgate 43-7; beat NEW IBERIA 45-20; 16 beat ACADI-ANA 30-27; 23 beat Sam Houston 54-27; 30 beat Breaux Bridge 35-14; Oct. 7 beat OPELOUSAS 49-8; 14 lost St. Thomas More 37-28; 21 beat NORTHSIDE 42-20; 28 Teurlings; Nov. 4 BEAU CHENE

Randall would be a game-time decision after being a limited participant in practice this week.

"He was a game-time decision last week, but he couldn't move very well. It comes down to if he feels like he can run," Eveland said. "We don't want to put him in a situation where (Teurlings) can tee off on him and he can't get out of there."

Eveland praised the performance of backup Austin Breaux the last two weeks, but said having Randall in the starting lineup would be a boon to the Bears' offense.

"He's played well, I have to give him credit, but I think we're a more explosive team with (Randall) in there," Eveland said. "Breaux is not as big and strong back there and the offense plays with a little more confidence with Carl back there."

The injuries could potentially be a blessing in disguise for the Bears, who discovered not only do they have a more than competent back up quarterback, but depth developed in other places as well.

"It made us think about what we need to do and be a little more creative," Eveland said. "We had to think outside of what we were normally thinking and found some guys we might not have thought about earlier."



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# **TEURLINGS CATHOLIC 39, CARENCRO 38**



JOHN ROWLAND/SPECIAL TO THE ADVERTISER Treylon Barnaba tries to get to the outside in the first quarter of Carencro's game with the Teurlings Rebels on Friday night at Teurlings.



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# **Rebels sneak past Bears** on gutsy last-minute call

### DAN MCDONALD SPECIAL TO THE ADVERTISER

There was little question that Teurlings Catholic was choosing to go for two points and the win late Friday night.

The host Rebels had iust driven 81 yards in 11 plays in the final 2:14 and Jansen Lormand had just powered the final yard to bring his team within 38-37 of Carencro's Golden Bears with 43 seconds left.

The question was what

"We were going to go with something that had been good for us, the power read from the quarterback," said Teurlings coach Sonny Charpentier. "But they (Carencro) overshifted and brought a safety up in there, so we decided to run the counter back to the other side."

That meant Lormand carried on the two-point conversion, and when he cut back and found just enough space to get into the end zone, the Rebels had escaped with a wild 39-38 District 4-4A victory over the Bears.

Carencro had just driven to a go-ahead touchdown with that 2:14 remaining when the catquick and dangerous Kendarius Poullard cut upfield on a sweep and raced in from 15 yards out to snap a 31-all tie. And even that touchdown followed each team getting a field goal on their previous possession in a four-score fourth quarter. Teurlings' Aaron Broussard and Carencro's Logan Boudreaux had matched field goals with 9:46 and 5:08 remaining, during a final period in which both teams were wracked with injuries and cramps.

That physical toll was most of the reason that Charpentier sent the offense back out for a winor-lose two-point conversion in the final minute.

"We were playing with some makeshift guys out there," he said. "We were a lot of people down. That was two pretty beat-up football teams.'

"It didn't surprise me," said Carencro coach Rip Eveland of the Rebels going for the two-pointer. "They were thinking they didn't want to play overtime. This was a really physical game.'

The Rebels (6-3, 3-1) were ranked sixth in the Division II select power ratings and could move up a spot and gain a firstround bye with Friday's

win, pending a season-finale contest at Opelousas next Friday.

Carencro (7-2, 2-2), ranked sixth in the Class 4A power listing, found itself down 10-0 less than two minutes in when Lormand took the opening kickoff back 96 yards for a touchdown and the Bears fumbled on the ensuing kickoff. Blaise Begnaud recovered at the Carencro 8, setting up the first of three Broussard field goals.

But the Bears struck right back with two touchdowns in a four-minute span. Poullard had a 23yard scoring run - moments after brother Mondarius Poullard broke a 47-vard run to set up the score — Brendan Willis intercepted Rebel quarterback Hayden Can-trelle and returned it to the TCHS 14, and linebacker-turned-fullback Jalen Angelle powered in from one yard out for a 14-13 Carencro lead with 41 seconds left in the first period.

"We did some good things," Eveland said. "The only problem was we made the hill real big to get up. They got the big play at the end and won.

second Broussard's field goal and Cantrelle's

49-yard scoring pass to Holland Griffin gave the Rebels a 20-14 halftime lead. However, Bear guarterback Carl Randall came out on fire after halftime and hit Kendarius Poullard for a 65-yard scoring strike up the hash marks only 90 seconds into the second half.

Randall, who missed most of the last two games with a leg injury, threw for 268 yards on 14of-24 passes, with Poullard catching six of those for 121 yards and that goahead score.

The Rebels drove right back, with Lormand scoring from one yard out and getting a throwback to Cantrelle on a two-point conversion for a 28-21 lead. But two plays later, Randall found Eric Tolivour with a lofted 47-yard pass to the Rebel 1 and Treylon Barnaba scored on the next play for a 28all tie.

Cantrelle, who was 16of-33 for 177 yards and rushed for 36 more, completed his last five passes on the winning drive including three to Griffin, who finished with five grabs for 101 yards and had a 23-yard catch that put the ball at the Carencro 3 with less than a minute left.



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Teurlings Catholic quarterback Hayden Cantrelle throws a pass during the Rebels' thrilling 39-38 win over Carencro on Friday.



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# Trey Labat's Area Top 10 Poll

### Week: No. 4)

1. Notre Dame (9-0, Last Week: No. 1) We're here and it feels so good. The matchup that has been on evervone's mind the last four weeks it seems has finally come to fruition with the Pios winning this week and the Panthers taking care of business as well.

2. Catholic-NI (9-0, Last Week:

No. 2) This matchup features plenty of interesting story lines. In the last two years, the Panthers have blown the Pios out and the Pios have blown out the Panthers. Jy-ler Shelvin is the high-profile recruit, but Zi'Yon Hill is performing as the best defensive player in the area. We'll explore this more throughout the week 3. Acadiana (5-3, Last Week:

No. 3) The Rams enjoyed their off week and watched Barbe force a three-way tie in the District 3-5A standings with a win against Sul-phur. To me, the Rams won it on the field and are the true champions, but the LHSAA is going to LHSAA 4. St. Thomas More (6-3, Last

The Cougars predictably blew out Opelousas and at this point ueed to just stay healthy and sharp heading into the playoffs with another over-matched oppo-nent on the schedule and a bye in the first round of the playoff like-ly, Something to watch: Parkview Baptist lost this week, which could throw a real wrench in the Division If bracket.

5. Ascension Episcopal (9-0, Last Week: No. 6)

Say what you want about the Blue Gators, but I guarantee this offense could compete with any-one in the state, 'Three great receivers and a quarterback play-ing out of his mind - and don't forget Leo Franques and his five touchdowns this week - and the Blue Gators are once again poised for a shot at an undefeated season. 6. Kaplan (9-0, Last Week: No.

6) This quite possibly might be the quietest 9-0 start ever. Every-one kind of writes the Pirates off, but give me Julius Johnsnon, Mac Thibdeaux, that defense and Tank Lotief any day of the week.

7. Ravne (8-1, Last Week: No. 9)

The Wolves are one weird game against LaGrange from be-ing undefeated. The offense is im-pressive and the defense is muchimproved.

8. Teurlings (6-3, Last Week: No. 10)

Quite the gutsy call from Son-ny Charpentier in the Rebels' win against Carencro. Charpentier and the Rebels' ace coaching staff, as well as some top-notch talent, are the reason why the Rebels are a threat to beat anyone any week. 9. Carencro (7-2, Last Week:

No. 5) The Bears are fine. This is a warning to all Carencro fans to not freak out, This is still a top-notch team in Class 4A capable of making a deep run into the playoffs. The Bears need to get healthy and they'll be just fine. **10. Northwest (9-0, Last** 

Week: No. 8) The Raiders are now officially

in the midst of the best season in school history. Not too shabby for a team no one seems to respect.

# Kevin Foote's Area Top 10 poll

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1. Notre Dame Pioneers (9-0) It's finally here, Well, one week of fun, until the playoffs start anyway. Next: At Catholic-NI on Friday.

2. Catholic-NI Panthers (9-0) 2. Catholic-N Panthers (5-0) The Panthers find out exactly how good they are on Friday against No. 1 Notre Dame on Fri-Next: Host Notre Dame on Fri-

day. 3. Acadiana Wreckin' Rams (5-3)

Well, Barbe did beat Sulphur. Now the Rams can at least play for a technical tie for the district title III and tune up one more time for the state playoffs, all at the same time. Next: At New Iberia on Friday.

4. St. Thomas More Cougars (6-3) The heavy lifting - before the

playoffs start anyway - has been completed by the Cougars; Now it's just a matter of getting all their ducks in a row before the postseason begins. Next: Host Northside on Fri-

day. 5. Kaplan Pirates (9-0) The Pirates wrapped up their first outright district title in 20 years with an impressive performance against Erath and Bobcats' thoroughbred rusher Elijah

Mitchell And Kaplan even showed off its passing game in the Next: Host Ascension Catholic on Friday. 6. Ascension Episcopal Blue

Gators (9-0) Wow, what an offensive perfor-

mance by the Blue Gators on Fri-day. And if you dig deeper, you'll see that the defense played a big role in the win, despite giving up over 500 yards and 43 points. The good news is the fun is just start-ing for AES, which plays Central Catholic on Friday and then the postseason Next: Host Central Catholic-

MC on Friday. 7. Teurlings Catholic Rebels

(6-3) The Rebels were limping a bit

after their week 8 loss to St. Thomas More, Therefore, they took a brief leave from this area poll. But just like coach Sonny Charpentier's program typically does, it doesn't stay down for long. Teurlings rebounds in style with a dramatic win over Carenero, That deserves a pretty big leap back into the poll. Next: At Opelousas on Friday. 8. Carencro Golden Bears

(7-2) The Golden Bears had three

huge games on their regular-sea-son schedule. For a long while, it appeared Carencro would go 3-0, but actually slipped to 1-2 after not closing out games against STM and Teurlings. For the first time in three seasons, the Bears won't win a district title. There's still adapt to be achieved in the still plenty to be achieved in the postseason, though. Next: Host Beau Chene on

Next: Host Thursday. 9. Rayne Wolves (8-1) The truth is the Wolves didn't do anything wrong to deserve dropping a spot in this poll after crushing Washington-Marion. the quality of wins an makes Sometimes, the quality of wins an-other team pulls off just makes such a decision necessary. Of course, the Wolves are too busy sending early Christmas cards to the Chargin' Indians, boping for them to pull off an upset of La-Grange, to be worried about this poll.

Next: At Crowley on Friday 10. Northwest Raiders (9-0)

The Raiders had two big obsta-cles in the District S-3A race. They cleared both in beating Eu-nice and now Church Point. Now

it's just a matter of polishing off a 10-0 season. Nice job Northwest. Next: Host Port Barre on Friday.

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# **CLASS 4A**

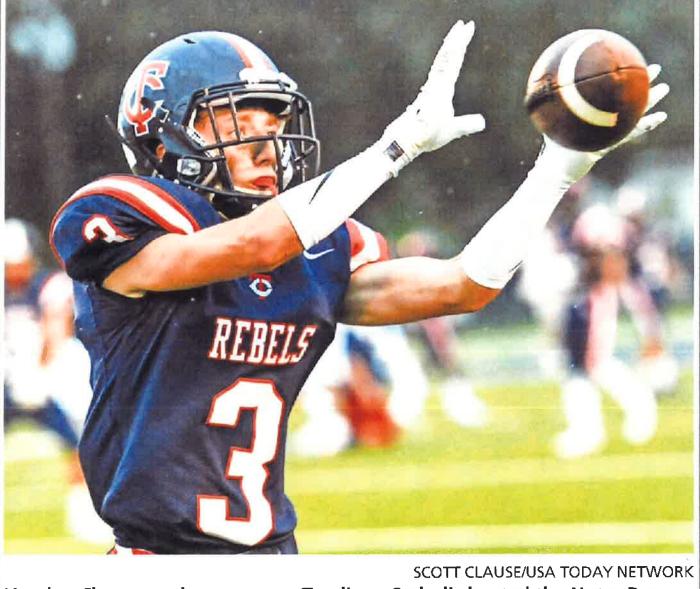
1. Neville (8-0) beat West Ouachita 45-7 2. Karr (8-0) beat Warren Easton 61-13 3. McDonogh 35 (9-0) beat Amite 21-18 4. Minden (9-0) beat North DeSoto 35-20 5. St. Thomas More (6-3) beat **Opelousas 41-6** 6. Carencro (7-2) lost to Teurlings Catholic 39-38 7. Teurlings Catholic (6-3) beat Carencro 39-38 8. Woodlawn-Shreveport (8-1) beat Fair Park 34-6 9. Rayne (8-1) beat Washington-Marion 48-24 10. Loranger (7-2) beat Salmen 23-21 Others receiving votes: Benton (7-2) beat Northwood-Shreveport 42-21. Plaquemine (6-3) beat Tara 62-8, Tioga (8-1) beat Franklin Parish 30-27, Vandebilt Catholic (7-2) beat Morgan City 62-0, Salmen (5-3) lost to Loranger 23-21.

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Hayden Clause catches a pass as Teurlings Catholic hosted the Notre Dame Pios on Sept. 16.

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# 5. Division II

**Locks:** St. Thomas More (No. 3), Teurlings (No. 4) Barring something strange happening, this is where these two teams will enter the playoffs.

For Teurlings, the win against Carencro was massive and moved them up to the No.

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4 spot.

The No. 4 spot does two things for the Rebels: Firstly, it moves them into the same part of the bracket as No. 1 Loyola, which although undefeated, has an incredibly low strength factor and hasn't been tested this season. Secondly, it moves them away from St. Thomas More, who they now won't see unless both teams make the playoffs.

Now, the one downside to the No. 4 spot is that after a first-round bye they will face No. 5 Parkview Baptist in the quarterfinals. Even though Parkview doesn't have a lot of wins, they are still undoubtedly one of the toughest teams in Division II.

The Cougars will see either No. 6 Vandebilt or No. 11 E.D. White in the quarterfinals and then one of three teams — No. 2 De La Salle, No. 7 University Lab or No. 11 St. Michael — in the semifinals if they move on.

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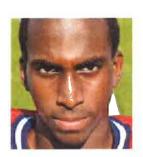
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# **TEURLINGS AT OPELOUSAS**

**Game:** 7 p.m., Friday, Donald Gardner Stadium. **Records:** TEUR 6-3, 3-1; OPEL 2-7, 0-4.

**State Polls:** TEUR No. 6. **Power Rankings:** TEUR No. 4 in Div. II; OPEL No. 43 in 4A.



Last Year: TEUR won 54-0. Players to Watch: TEUR — QB Hayden Cantrelle (745-143-2, 930 vds, 4

# Holland Griffin

143-2, 930 yds, 4 TDs); WR Holland Griffin (19-317, 3 TDs); RB Jansen Lormand (131-646, 14 TDs); OPEL — DE Marlon Young; RB Shaun Charles; WR Christopher Boutte.

**Matchup:** The Rebels are coming off a big

win over Carencro despite missing six starters (three on each side). "The kids just kept believing. We needed to play a complete game. We still had two turnovers, but the kids just kept responding. That was good to see."

**Lagniappe:** The Rebels appear to be locked into the No. 4 playoff slot, but hoping game was shifted to Teurlings for a while but returned to Opelousas. In addition to Lormand's big night, Griffin had 5 catches for 101 yards.



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Sept. 2 Beat Calvary Baptist 50-34; 9 beat SHAW 38-0; 16 lost NOTRE DAME 35-14; 23 beat BREAUX BRIDGE 28-14; 30 lost Catholic-BR 31-14; Oct. 7 beat Northside 32-8; 14 beat Beau Chene 31-7; 21 lost St. Thomas More 42-14; 28 beat CARENCRO 39-38; Nov. 4 Opelousas.

# **Opelousas**

Sept. 2 Lost EUNICE 34-6 (won, forfeit); 9 lost Lafayette High 49-15; 16 lost Madison 16-6; 23 lost St. Martinville 42-7; 30 beat Ville Platte 7-6; Oct. 7 lost Carencro 49-8; 14 lost NORTHSIDE 21-14; 21 lost Beau Chene 20-16; 28 lost ST. THOMAS MORE 48-6; Nov. 4 TEURLINGS.

# **TEURLINGS 47, OPELOUSAS 34**

# **Rebels take home** win against OHS

THE DAILY ADVERTISER

The Teurlings Rebels offense fired on all cylinders to close out the season on a high note Friday night, beating Opelousas 47-34 in the final game of the season.

Senior quarterback Hayden Cantrelle and senior running back Jansen Lormand led the charge for the Rebels, accounting for 389 yards and six touchdowns on the night.

Lormand opened the scoring in the first quarter with a 2-yard touchdown run before adding another in the form of a 1-yard plunge later in the frame.

Tyler Bruno closed the scoring in the first quarter with a 4-yard touchdown run.

Cantrelle found Griffin for a 23-yard touchdown strike in the second guarter to give the

Rebels a comfortable lead, but the Vikings continued to fight back.

Quincy Leday laced a touchdown 25-yard strike in the closing seconds of the quarter and then opened the second half with a 32-yard touchdown pass to Shawn Charles to bring the Vikings right back into the game.

But Cantrelle and Lormand combined to score three touchdowns in the second half, with the quarterback picking up touchdown runs of four and one yard, and then finding Jansen Lormand for a 31-yard touchdown pass.

Lormand finished with 156 rushing vards and 94 receiving yards and a combined three touchdowns, while Cantrelle finished with 233 vards and and four touchdowns, including a 2-point conversion.



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Passing Yards			25	0	123
Total Yards			50	-	281
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Punts			-	0	3-36
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# Kevin Foote's Area Top 10 poll

1. Notre Dame Ploneers (10-0) Friday's long-awaited showdown at Catholic High kind of mir-rored the Pios' season thus far. Starting out a little slow, but just when people began to wonder if this was the same ole Pios, Notre Dame came through like it almost always does

Next: Hosting playoff game Friday 2. Catholic-NI Panthers (9-1) Departments weren't 100 per

The Panthers weren't 100 per-cent and they didn't win. But Catholic certainly exhibited its potential, ability and toughness in Friday's loss to Notre Dame. Next: Hosting playoff game

Friday. 3. Acadiana Wreckin' Rams

(6-3) The Rams showed a little rust coming off a bye week early, but then cruised to a 42-0 road win. Acadiana seems primed for an-

other playoff run. Next: State playoffs Friday. 4. St. Thomas More Cougars

(7-3)The Cougars have steadily got-ten better and better throughout the season. This offense should be a tough out in the postseason. Next: Host playoff game.

# 5. Kaplan Pirates (10-0) Not only did the Pirates win the

district title outright, but are now cruising into the postseason with an unbeaten record. In so many ways, this team embodies what high school football is all about. Next: Host playoff game Fri-

# day. 6. Ascension Episcopal Blue Gators (10-0)

For the second time this sea son, the Blue Gators were on the verge of being upset late. The defense that has shown some cracks in recent weeks stepped up when it needed to. Last year's playoff experience should help the Blue Gators as they try to reach the Dome for the first time.

Next: Host playoff game Fri-

day 7. Teurlings Catholic Rebels (7-3)

Like much of the season, it wasn't the prettiest win by Teur-lings' standards, but the Rebels finished off a solid seven-win campaign. Now it's time to see if this team can hit a new gear come

postseason time. Next: Host playoff game.

### Carencro Golden Bears (8-2)

The Golden Bears have two scars from a few frustrating losses, but they're certainly more than capable of a deep playoff run on both sides of the ball. Getting healthy could be the biggest issue at this point.

Next: Host playoff game Friday. 9. Rayne Wolves (9-1)

It's amazing how close the Wolves came to a 10-0 regular season, Still, coach Curt Ware's team captured the first district title for the program since 1984. It's a consistent running game that would make old-school football coaches proud,

Next: Host playoff game Friday. 10. Northwest Raiders (10-0)

The Raiders clearly showed this season that last year's playoff run wasn't about one player or any fluky circumstances. Talk about an encore performance so far this season.

Next: Host playoff game.

# Trey Labat's Area Top 10 Poll

# 1. Notre Dame (10-0, Last Week: No. 1)

That's the second straight undefeated season for the Pios, who proved they could come back from a two touchdown deficit to win a game. Not much else can be said for the Pios, Just a really, really, really good football team.

### 2. Acadiana (6-3, Last Week: No. 3)

The Wreckin' Rams enjoyed their bye week so much that they wanted to throw a shutout in cele-bration. I don't see a reason why this isn't a team that can make a deep playoff run in Class 5A

### 3. St. Thomas More (7-3, Last Week: No. 4)

The Cougars did what they needed to do in Week 10 and pro-duced a blowout. There's one thing Cougar fans should worry about: After two straight 48-6 vic tories, the Cougars will receive a bye week in the first round of the playoffs. Need to keep their edge.

4. Catholic-Ni (9-1, Last Week: No. 4)

No shame in losing a hard-fought game to Notre Dame. If anything, the game proved what I've been saying about Catholic of New Iberia all year long. Definite contender in Division III.

### 5. Ascension Episcopal (10-0. Last Week: No. 5)

Ascension Episcopal came back to beat Central Catholic, a team it had never beaten in school history on Friday, proving they've got a backbone. The come-frombehind win should spur the Blue Gators on

### 6. Kaplan (10-0, Last Week: No. 6)

Kaplan finishes undefeated and is without a doubt one of the top teams in Class 3A. Julius Johnson is proving to be unstoppable down the stretch.

### 7. Rayne (9-1, Last Week: No. 7)

The Wolves got 377 yards from Darien Harmon in the win against

Crowley. It helped give Rayne its first outright district title since the

1980s and cap a tremendous season.

### 8. Teurlings (7-3, Last Week: No. 8)

The result isn't quite what I expected, but the Rebels got the win against Opelousas. The win most likely locked Teurlings in to a first-round bye and a chance to rest and recover before starting the playoffs.

with a win against Beau Chene. When your only two losses come against St. Thomas More and Teurlings, it's a pretty darn good

# Week: No. 8)

undefeated season in school history on Friday, and coach Chris Ed-wards has the Raiders rolling into the playoffs looking to last until Thanksgiving. I think they can do it

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9. Carencro (8-2, Last Week: No. 9)

Carencro got back on track season, and the Bears are primed for a nice playoff run in Class 4A.

10. Northwest (10-0, Last

Northwest achieved its first

# **CLASS 4A**

1. Neville (9-0) beat Franklin Parish 58-14 2. Karr (9-0) beat McDonogh 35 56-12 3. McDonogh 35 (9-1) lost to Karr 56-12 4. Minden (9-1) lost to Woodlawn-Shreveport 38-30 5. St. Thomas More (7-3) beat Northside 49-6 6. Teurlings Catholic (7-3) beat **Opelousas 47-34** 7. Woodlawn-Shreveport (9-1) beat Minden 38-30 8. Carencro (8-2) beat Beau Chene 37-6 9. Rayne (9-1) beat Crowley 59-36 10. Plaquemine (7-3) beat Belaire 55-14 Others receiving votes: Loranger (8-2) beat Riverdale 54-6, Benton (8-2) beat Bossier 47-25, Tioga (9-1) beat Grant 45-8, Vandebilt Catholic (7-3) beat Ellender 54-28.

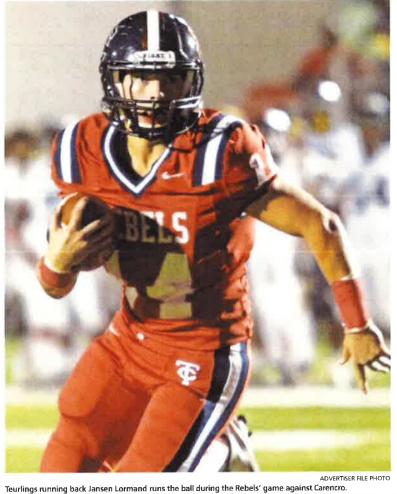
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## HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL

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# Teurlings prepping for physical test vs. **Parkview Baptist**

### TREY LABAT

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The wait is finally over for the Teurlings Catholic Rebels. After taking the week off thanks to a bye week in the first round of the LHSAA Division II playoffs, the Rebels are finally set to the take field in the postseason.

The reward for their pa-tience? Defending Division II state champion Parkview Bap-tist. The Eagles have won five state championships since 2001 and have seen their program de-velop into a powerhouse in re-cent years.

Teurlings coach Sonny Char-pentier said it's no secret what the Eagles do — it's just trying to stop it that is the problem.

And for the Rebels, it all starts

And for the Rebels, it all starts up front on both sides of the ball. "They're very good and they are very good at exactly what they've been doing for years," Charpentier said. "They are go-ing to run it 80 percent of the time on offense. And they're go-time the run the 2.2 starts to do ing to run the 3-3 stack on de-fense and send a fourth, fifth and sometimes sixth guy on defense. "Those guys closest to the ball, the offensive and defensive line, they're going to be the key

line, they're going to be the key. Defensively, it is paramount that we stop the run."

The Eagles run the veer on offense, and similar to Acadiana, they have become masters at it.

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# Teurlings

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Although the Rams' version of the offense is a more classic inter-pretation of the old system, the Eagles have several wrinkles installed into the running game and used a devastating counter, trap play in their jamboree demolition of Breaux Bridge. Although last year's state champi-

onship MVP Reggie Hayes is gone, McKane Kinchen has settled into the starting role and proved to be more

than competent at the position. Kinchen isn't quite the quick-twitch athlete Hayes was, but he's been effective running the ball for the Eagles and efficient when Parkview decides to take a shot down the field.

"He's a good athlete, and he's got "He s a good annete, and he s god 10 games under his belt against quality opponents," Charpentier said. "He runs that offense really well. They'll take their shots down the field if we stack the box against them." them."

Charpentier said the Rebels would have to remain balanced on offense to attack the 3-3 Stack defense of the Eagles.

The 3-3 Stack the Eagles run puts pressure on opposing offensive lines with stunts and movement.

Teurlings running back Jansen Lormand and quarterback Hayden

Cantrelle combined to run for 1,331 yards and 22 touchdowns this season to lead the Rebels on the ground. The extra week of rest helped the Rebels rest a little bit, but they will still be missing several key players for the contest.

for the contest. Kade Sonnier, who broke his col-larbone in Week 9, will not be back, and receiver Luke Vidrine will be a game-time decision. The Rebels could possibly get tight end Tyler Broussard back after he practiced some this week some this week.

Vidrine's absence has been softened by the emergence of Holland Griffin who finished the year on a hot streak. In the last four games of the season, Griffin hauled in 13 passes for 242 yards and three touchdowns.

"It started in the Carencro game where he had the opportunity to make some plays late in the ball game... hopefully we can continue that trend," Charpentier said. "It takes a little bit of time to develop obemietive, between quarterback

takes a little bit of time to develop chemistry between quarterback and receiver, and it's clicked there." With a full two weeks to prepare for the matchup, Charpentier said the Rebels would be ready for a good football game. "We feel prepared and we know they are, too," Charpentier said. "Sometimes you can feel like one week isn't enough, but we definitely had enough time this time, It isn't go-ing to be a lack of preparation, both ing to be a lack of preparation, both sides will be be prepared and play well. The kids have done a good job."



Teurlings Catholic quarterback Hayden Cantrelle throws a pass during the Rebels' win over Carencro earlier this season



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# PREP FOOTBALL GAME OF THE WEEK







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# PARKVIEW ENDS REBELS' SEASON

# Teurlings Catholic unable to overcome a pair of first-quarter miscues

### RAYMOND PARTSCH III SPECIAL TO THE ADVERTISER

Teurlings Catholic just wasn't able to overcome a pair of first-quarter miscues.

Back-to-back mistakes on special teams in the first quarter put the Rebels in a 14-0 hole and against visiting Parkview Baptist. That, and the defending Division II champion's power rushing attack, proved to be too much for the Rebels to overcome in a rainsoaked 38-21 loss on Friday night.

"This was a big ball game, and they took advantage of some mistakes," longtime Teurlings Catholic coach Sonny Charpentier said. "That is not a team you want to have to come from behind on. They were simply the better team tonight."

The Rebels went three-and-out to start the contest and punted away, but a Teurlings Catholic player unfortunately touched the ball before it was able to be recovered by a Parkview player. That resulted in a 15-yard penalty and gave the Eagles the ball at the 32-yard line.

À mere six plays later, Parkview Baptist running back Connor Joffrion scored a 2-yard touchdown. Teurlings Catholic (7-4) got the ball back but was once again forced to punt, but this time the punt was blocked. With the ball at the 21-yard line, the Eagles needed only seven plays to find the end zone as Joffrion would score his second touchdown of the night, this one from two yards out as well.

"I think it was a trade off because our first punt wasn't very good," Parkview Baptist coach Jay Mayet said. "But that blocked punt put us right back there with a chance to score on a

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half. The Rebels high-pow-

After Caleb Meaux

picked off a Cantrelle pass, the Eagles got into

they had hoped for. "They always play hard to the very end," Charpentier said. "I am proud to be their coach."



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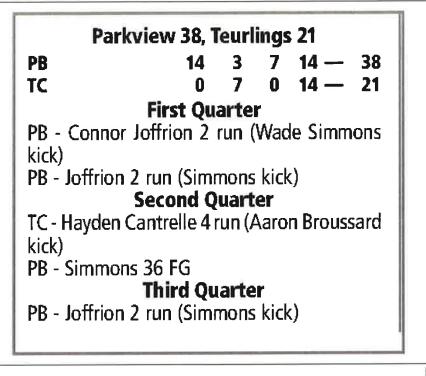
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passing game as Holland Griffin pulled down two passes for first downs.

tempt, the Rebels still had a chance to put points on

the board.





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	PB	тс
First downs	13	9
Rushing Yards	351	103
Passing Yards	6	110
Total Yards	357	213
Comp-Att-Int	<b>2-4-0</b>	11-20-1
Punts	3-33.3	6-26.8
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	9-90	<del>6</del> -58
INDIVIDUAL	STATISTICS	
RUSHING — PB: Mc	Kane Kinchen	9-130;
Preston Roberts 11-82;		
Connor Joffrion 12-70.		
31; Hayden Cantrelle 13		
PASSING — PB: McKar	e Kinchen 2-4-	06.TC:
11-20-1 110.		
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that high school football is going to miss him," St. Thomas More coach Jim Hightower said. "He was a competitor. I'm sure Teurlings is going to miss him, but the greater high school football community is definitely going to miss Sonny."

For more than two decades, the expectations each fall around Teurlings Catholic have been pretty high.

It wasn't always that way, though.

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The 60-year-old Charpentier arrived on the campus at Teurlings for the 1988-89 season as a head basketball coach and football assistant.

He led the Rebels to the Top 28 Tournament and coached basketball until 1995. That's when Charpentier took over as the school's head football coach.

In the two seasons prior to him taking over, the Rebels were 4-16. Six of the eight years prior to Charpentier were losing seasons. Teurlings went 12-1 in his first season as head coach in 1995.

In his 22 seasons as the Rebels' head football coach, Teurlings endured only two losing seasons. His career record is 194-73, including 91-21 in district play. Charpentier led the Rebels to 11 district titles, advanced to quarterfinals 11 times and the state semifinals three times.

Charpentier took over as

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ADVERTISER FILE PHOTO Sonny Charpentier has retired as head football coach at Teurlings Catholic.

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# Teurlings

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athletic director in 1998. Since then, Teurlings teams have won 24 state titles, 20 state runnersup, 100 district crowns and 49 district runner-up finishes.

"Not only did he turn a program around, his tenure marked the most successful football program in school history," Teurlings principal Mike Boyer said. "Sonny was more than a football coach on a school campus. He was a leader, father-figure, mentor, and role model for students, teachers, and staff. He has always been available in every facet of life that is a Catholic school. I am pleased he will stay on as athletic director. Since Sonny took over as athletic director we have enjoyed much success, and I see it continuing in the future."

Many coaches would stay one more season to reach the historic 200-win career total, but Boyer said that wasn't part of Charpentier's decision.

"With Sonny, it's never been about Sonny," Boyer said. "It's always been about the program."

No program coached against Charpentier more over the years than coach Lewis Cook's Notre Dame Pioneers.

"Sonny did it the right way for the right reasons," Cook said. "You never saw a bunch of recruited athletes out there. He took what was coming to Teurlings and he got them ready to play and made them better."

Cook said their relationship grew over the years.

"For a while, we were both cordial to each other, but there was no real relationship," Cook said. "Over the last 10 or 12 years, we've gotten to be pretty close friends. We've texted each other every week for a few years now. I remember when they beat us in 2012, (son) Stu and I were sitting around and he said, 'Dad, I really hope Teurlings can get to the Dome.' I did, too.

too. "We've always had that mutual respect for each other. I hated those years when we had to play a second time (in playoffs). We had some knockdown, drag-out games with them, but there was never any noise that you get in some of those games. I'm definitely going to miss that competition. They made us better every year." Cook said he saw the great competitor in Charpentier again in this year's game. The Pios were up by two touchdowns and Teurlings faced a fourth down near its own goal line.

"A lot of coaches would have punted right there to make the final score look more respectable," Cook said. "Sonny wasn't worried about that. He was trying to win the game."

Few know Charpentier's competitive manner any more than his prize pupil, Jake Delhomme.

Delhomme played basketball for Charpentier, who also helped the Rebels reach the state semifinals in 1992 as an offensive coordinator with the future UL and Carolina Panthers star at quarterback.

"I've always said that I was so fortunate to have two of the best coaches anywhere in Sonny and coach Cook," Delhomme said. "When I got to the NFL, I knew how to play. No coach had to teach me the fundamentals. Sure, I was a little bit of a gunslinger, but that was just me. I knew the fundamentals. I was still doing the things Sonny taught me all those years in the NFL."

Delhomme said Charpentier

coached basketball with that aggressive football mentality. He remembers a basketball tournament when the Rebels were clearly over-matched in the finals by an undefeated Franklin squad.

After falling in the championship game, the reception from Charpentier in the locker room afterward wasn't what Delhomme and his teammates expected.

"He said, 'Y'all like second place? Second place is fun to y'all? Y'all like this secondplace trophy?" Delhomme related. "Then he picked up the trophy and threw it against the wall. It shattered into pieces. Then he said, 'Get on the bus.'

"He knew we had no chance to beat that team, but that's what he gave to us. It was always: 'Strap it up, let's go'."

Throughout his career in the NFL, Delhomme said he'd routinely call or text his old coach about the Rebels.

"They could be playing the Chicago Bears that week and he'd always tell me what they were going to do on offense and how they were going to score," Delhomme said. "He always thought he was going to win. That's just the kind of competitor he is."

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Jim Hightower, St. Thomas More

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## SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE WR — Mark Bonnet, Northside; Mondarius Poullard, CAR; Matthew LaGrange, STM; Hol-land Griffin, TC; Lenox Pierre, NOR; TE — Sky-ron Littleton, CAR; OL — Konnor Darbonne, Beau Chene; Brendan Meagher, TC; Chase Ar-wood, TC; Grant Young, STM; Chase Melan-con, CAR; Thomas Perry, TC; Atreyu Smith, BC; QB — Carl Randall, CAR; RB — Shawn Charles, OPE; Treylon Barnaba, CAR; Jylon Henry, BC; RS — Michael Leday, OPEL; ATH — Deontrae Eaglin, BC; Jylon Henry, Beau Chene; PK — Aaron Broussard, TC. SECOND TEAM DEFENSE SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

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WR Deantre James, SMSH	5-7	135	SR
TE Eron Phillips, Westgate	6-0	220	SR
OL Daniel Green, Breaux	5-7	245	IR
Bridge			
OL Jessie Badeaux, Westgate	5-8	230	JR
OL Cordell Campbell,	5-8		SR
Abbeville	50	200	211
OL Treveon Alexander, SMSH			SR
OL Logan Kidder, Cecilia	6-0	255	JR
	6-0	190	SR
QB Demarcus Collins,	6-0	190	лс
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RB Devin Briscoe, Cecilia	5-6	171	JR
RB Travien Benjamin, SMSH	5-9	159	SO
RB Tyresse Jackson,	6-2	220	50
Westgate			
RS Kevin Williams, Abbeville	5-8	165	SR
AT Tyrick Davis, Breaux	6-3	205	SR
Bridge			
PK Tanner Olivier, Cecilia	5-7	150	50
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# Younger Charpentier takes over at Teurlings

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If Dane Charpentier said that he never thought about one day being the head football coach at Teurlings Catholic, he'd be lying. It's not something he ever

spent much time pondering, though.

He always thought that was a bridge to be crossed way down the road.

But when his father, Sonny, who happens to be the pro-gram's all-time winningest coach with a record of 194-73, officially announced his retirement last month, that timetable quickly changed.

So at the young age of 32, Charpentier's career plan hit the fast-forward button in a hurry. On Thursday, Teurlings principal Mike Boyer an-nounced Charpentier as the Re-bels' new head football coach.

"To be honest, I really didn't think about it much, because I thought my dad would coach at least another 10 years or so," Charpentier said. "When he decided to retire, it

caught me by surprise just like everybody else."

After serving as an even

younger head coach at Opelousas Catholic for two seasons in 2014-15, Charpentier elected to get a little more seasoning be-fore embarking in his next

head-coaching venture by serv-ing as the offensive coordinator at Cecilia High under the Bulldogs' new head coach Dennis

Dane Skains. Charpentier

"I definitely thought I'd be at Cecilia for more than one seasaid Charpentier, who led son.' the Vikings to records of 10-2 and 7-4 in his two seasons as a head coach.

It was a productive one, though. He made the move from OC to Cecilia to both run an offense and go to graduate head coaching school at the same time.

"That was a huge factor why I went (to Cecilia)," Charpen-tier said. "I knew how good (Cecilia head coach) Dennis Skains was, and I needed to get some of that. Things like his mechanics in practice, his routines, just the nuts and bolts of running a program. He's a very meticu-lous planner.

"After two years at OC, I knew I had to get better. I looked at it as an opportunity to improve. "I wanted to steal everything

he's got and I did. That's a com-pliment to him. That's how good of a coach I think he is. He does things that not many programs around do and I wanted to be around that."

Skains, like Charpentier, both played under Sonny Char-pentier at Teurlings.

Now Dane inherits the duty of continuing the winning tradition his father built.

"It's a completely different situation," Charpentier said. "When my dad took over, the team was coming off a 1-9 season and rarely had winning seasons. I'm taking over a program that's a consistent winner.

"I'm unbelievably fortunate to even be considered qualified to take over what the whole Teurlings family has built there.'

One huge advantage Charpentier had was that Boyer's known him for the last two decades

"When I first got to Teur-lings, Dane was about 11 or 12," Boyer said. "I've watched him grow up. He's only 32, but he's exceptionally mature. That's what impressed me so much in the meeting."

In addition to playing for the Rebels before a college career at Northwestern State as a wide receiver, Charpentier did coach receivers under his father for one season in 2010.

Of course, he's naturally spent a lifetime in football un-

der his father's influence. "I wouldn't say we're identi-cal (philosophically), but we're probably pretty close," Char-pentier said. "He's obviously been my main influence."

Although Charpentier un-derstands the coaching chal-lenge he's facing in trying to uphold the competitive standards of father, who only missed the playoffs once in 22 years as a head coach at Teurlings, he knows that's not his largest task.

"My dad was always very competitive, but he actually cared more about the kids than winning," Charpentier said.

"He always included as many kids as he could in his program, so he could affect the lives of as many kids as he pos-

sibly could. "It was the way he treated people. He had such a profound

effect on the lives of people. It was a very unique thing. You only see it in a handful of coaches. He always told me that I've got a lot of my momma in me, but I'd like to think that I've got a little of that from my dad in me as well."

Like his father, Charpentier plans on being the primary of-fensive play-caller for the Rebels as the head coach, but will certainly be getting plenty of input from his younger brother, Roch, who was the freshman offensive coordinator during that 2010 season.

"Roch's going to have a huge part in the offensive game-plan-ning," Charpentier said. "It's not about titles. It's about getting it right. Sometimes, Roch's going to have the best way to do things. We're brothers. We'll work it out."

With the elder Charpentier now watching from a little farther away as the athletic direc-

tor. "My dad's main philosophy in coaching was always to take the kids he's given and work tirelessly to get everything he possibly could out of them,'

Charpentier said. By the tone in his voice, that approach isn't about to change.



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# 2016 ALL-ACADIANA FOOTBALL SECOND TEAM

# OFFENSE

QB Diallo Landry, Catholic-NI RB Matthew Rideau, Northwest RB Jansen Lormand, Teurlings RB Darien Harmon, Rayne WR Eric Tolivour, Carencro WR Griffin Hebert, St. Thomas More WR Matthew LaGrange, St. Thomas More OL Ken Mouton, Carencro OL Luke Harris, St. Thomas More OL Richard Breaux, Rayne OL Justin Matthews, Teurlings OL Stephen Russell, Catholic-NI RS Bryson Broussard, Loreauville K Lane Perrin, Lafayette ATH Zack Clement, Lafayette Christian

# DEFENSE

DL Matt Rosinski, Notre Dame DL Keon Jean-Batiste, Carencro DL Antonio Gabriel, Rayne DL Kale Boudreaux, Cecilia LB Trey Gary, Catholic-NI LB Adam Chung, Cecilia LB Jalen Angelle, Carencro LB Jourdan Quibodeaux, Acadiana DB Taylor Hernandez, Catholic-NI DB Cameron Nelson, Notre Dame DB Abraham Gordwin, Northwest DB Kade Sonnier, Teurlings ATH Collin Kirsch, Notre Dame P Tanner Olivier, Cecilia



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