

YEAR : 2001

HEAD COACH:	ROCKE COOPER	RECORD:	5 – 5
ASST COACH:	PHIL MOSS	ASST COACH:	TOM SMITH
ASST COACH:	TOM TENNYSON	ASST COACH:	TOM WILLIAMS
ASST COACH:	MARK O'NEILL	ASST COACH:	TODD KING
ASST COACH:	TODD STEVENS	ASST COACH:	DALE SPARKS
ASST COACH:	TOM ATWELL	ASST COACH:	

W/L/T	OPPONENT	WE	OPP	COMMENTS
W	PEORIA CENTRAL	28	6	Smith 4 run, Nettles (42 pass from Sepich), Heberer 32 yd FG, Moehle (49 pass from Sepich) Heberer xpk
W	EAST PEORIA *	34	6	Smith (28 pass from Sepich), Moehle (48 pass from Sepich), Roach 2 (2, 3 yd runs), Nimmo 3 yd run, Heberer 4 xpk
W	MORTON *	21	20	Roach 2(30 yd run, 27 pass from Sepich), Moehle (24 pass from Sepich), Heberer 3 xpk
W	IVC *	17	7	Nimmo 2 yd run, Nettles (31 pass from Sepich), Heberer 31 yd FG, 2 xpk
L	CANTON *	25	28	Roach 2 (2, 16 yd runs), Nimmo 6 yd run, Heberer 32 yd FG & xpk, Nimmo (xpp from Sepich)
L	METAMORA *	0	42	
L	DUNLAP *	19	35	Moehle (54 pass from Sepich), Nimmo 2 (1 yd run, 36 yd pass from Sepich), Heberer xpk
W	LIMESTONE *	33	7	Klinke (40 pass from Sepich), Nimmo 2 (1, 8 yd runs), Roach 4 yd run, Smith 4 yd run, Heberer xpk, Nimmo xpr
L	PEKIN	27	34	Roach 2 (1 yd run, 51 pass from Sepich), Thomas fbr, Nimmo 1 yd run, Heberer xpk, Sepich xpr
	REGULAR SEASON TOTAL	204	185	Mid-Illini Conference 3rd 4 - 3

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W/L	OPPONENT	WE	OPP	COMMENTS
L	SPRINGFIELD GRIFFIN	0	42	
	YEAR'S TOTAL POINTS	204	227	

ALL-CONFERENCE: JASON ERNST C, AARON NENNE OT, DANE THOMAS DL

2ND Team: GEORGE ROACH RB, JAMES SEPICH QB, CHRIS ANTHONY LB,

Times All-Area: JAMES SEPICH QB, JASON ERNST OL, AARON NENNE OL,
CHRIS ANTHONY LB, DANE THOMAS DL

2nd Team: NIC COOPER OL, NATHAN NETTLES WR, GEORGE ROACH ALT,
ZACK MANTLE DL, MATT BALLARD DB,

Journal Star Big School: JASON ERNST OL

SQUAD MEMBERS: Mike Buhs, John Kanive, Ben Wright, John O'Neill, George Roach, James Sepich, Andy Taylor, Brett Jones, Matt Johnson, Grady DeFauw, Bobby Aarestad, Jon Moehle, Josh Nimmo, Nicholas Beard, Michael Schlag, Derek Huffman, Nick Heberer, Matt Ballard, Tim Iverson, Joey Smith, Travis Cox, Tim Hucal, Nick Hart, Andy Rinehart, Tyler Ingold, Josh Ferrero, Thomas Stevens, Kenny Smith, Clinton Davis, Dean Snyder, Dane Thomas, James Beasley, Jeff Dorelle, Josh Kramer, Aaron Nenne, Jeff Kuykendall, Jason Ernst, Nicholas Cooper, Zack Mantle, Drew Hotkevich, Wes Robinson, Adam Proctor, Stan Davidson, Nathan Nettles, Ross Fuller, Jeff Klinke, Chris Anthony, Brad Vaughn, Ryan Brinker, John McCarty

NOTES:

1. James Sepich didn't play last game because of a broken collarbone.
2. George Roach led the team in scoring with 9 TD's for 54 points and led in rushing yards with 479. His 911 career rushing yards puts him 24th on WCHS All-Time Career Rushing Yards List.
3. James Sepich passed for 1220 yards which ranks 2nd on WCHS's All-Time Season Yardage. He also had 10 TD passes and a punting average of 35.2 yards: 1515/43. His punt of 64 yds is the 5th Longest in WCHS History.
4. Nathan Nettles led the team in pass receiving with 454 yards which places him 8th on WCHS's All-Time Season List and 12th on The Career List for receiving yards. His 21 receptions ties him for 15th on WCHS's All-Time Season List for pass receptions.
5. Nick Heberer led the team with 14 extra-point kicks and 3 field goals. The 3 FG's ties for 3rd on the Season List and the 14 XP ties for 21st on the Season List. His 16 Career XP ranks 18th on the Career List.
6. Jon Moehle had pass-receiving average of 36.6 yards per catch: caught 9 passes for 329 yards and 4 TD's. The 329 yards ranks 27th on the Career List and 20th on the Season All-Time List and the 4 TD's ranks 11th on the Career and Season All-Time Lists.
7. Jason Ernst and George Roach were Team Captains.
8. Illinois High School Association went to an Eight-Class System for the State Football Play-Offs.
9. James Sepich moved into WCHS's 4th place on Career Passing Yards with 2131 yards.
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11. James Sepich moved into WCHS's 1st place on Career Punting Yards with 3245 yards.
12. Chris Anthony moved into WCHS's 15th place on Season Solo-Asst Tackle Points with 154. His 59 Season Solo Tackles ranks him 4th on the Season List. His Career 110 Solo Tackles ranks 4th on the Career List.

13. James Sepich's 229 passing yards against Pekin is the WCHS's 2nd highest Passing Yards for a Game.
14. George Roach's 162 Career Punt-Return Yards ranks him 10th on Career List and his 120 2001 yards ranks him 11th on Season List. His 13.5 PR Ave ranks 6th on the Career List.
15. Josh Nimmo's 149 Season Punt-Return Yards ranks him 4th on the Season List and 12th on the Career List. His 9.9 PR Ave ranks him 17th on the Career List.
16. George Roach's 359 Career Kick-Off Return Yards ranks him 8th on the Career List. His 19.9 KO Return Ave ranks 12th on the Career List. His 11.9 KO Return Ave ranks him 36th on the Career List.
17. Josh Nimmo's 147 Season Kick-Off Return Yards ranks him 28th on the Season List and his 203 Career Yards ranks him 21st on the Career List.
18. Jon Moehle's 24.8 Season Punt-Return Ave ranks 6th on the Season List.
19. Matt Ballard's 50 Season Solo-Tackles ranks 12th on the Season List. His 65 Career Solo-Tackles ranks 17th on the Career List.
20. George Roach's 53 Career Tackles ranks 27th on the Career List. His 169 Career Tackle Points ranks 37th on the Career List.