

Sedro-Woolley Cubs vs. Burlington Tigers

An Inside Look at SWHS and BEHS rivarly

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The rivalry of the year that every player awaits to participate in from the start of the season - Burlington vs. Sedro-Woolley. The anticipated game that has people wondering who the star of the game will be. Will Burlington get the edge or Sedro?

Last year Sedro-Woolley fell to the tigers 21-7.

Sedro-Woolley was seeking redemption against the Tigers and Friday night did not disappoint.

Senior defensive tackle Noah Stroosma knew it would be an upfront and physical matchup.

"I think it will be a tough game. Both teams are very good," he said in an interview before the game. Stroosma says last year Sedro-Woolley "could have beat them, [we] didn't play to our

full potential."

We asked coach Dave Ward about the game

ing at a high level, it's gonna be an intense, wet game. There are all kinds

later began to click and came from behind to pull off a fourth quarter 17-14 win.

Bryson Bartlett scored on a two-yard punch for Sedro-Woolley's first touchdown. The cubs then pulled off a tying punt return from Bryce Hornbeck for anywhere between 40-60



Courtney Dills

Sedro-Woolley faces off against Burlington during a football game on Friday, October Seventh.

played last year against Burlington. He states "It was a close game and it came down to a couple of turnovers and that's always a factor, especially in weather like we had today."

Sedro-Woolley fell short that night and were looking to come back strong at Friday's Match-up. Coach Ward expected another close game. It's gonna be a hard fought close game," said ward. "Both teams will be play-

ing at a high level, it's gonna be a fun game."

Despite the prediction that weather would be a factor, Friday's big game was played under cloudy, but dry skies. The night had arrived for the cubs to face their rivals the Burlington Tigers.

Sedro-Woolley came out a little slow at the start of the game with Burlington Tigers ahead 7-0. Tigers again came out firing, taking a 14-0 lead over the cubs. Cubs

yards.

As the time was running out, the cubs pulled off the unexpected by kicking a game winning field goal by senior kicker Adrian Vasquez.

The cubs played an incredible game to win over the previously undefeated Tigers. They now will prepare to face Bellingham High School, currently ranked 3-3. The cubs have a good reason to be happy heading into next week's game.