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Liberty Patriots (2-1) VS Henderson Cowboys (3-0) – 7U

Where: Liberty High School

When: 8:15 AM

It's Henderson rivalry week as the Liberty Patriots and Henderson Cowboys collide at Liberty High School this Saturday. The Patriots come into this game coming off their first loss of the season and looking hungry for a rebound. The Patriots will try and lean on Manokekai Guerzon and Tayven Savea to lead their march back to the win column this Saturday morning. They will however certainly have their hands full in this matchup as the Henderson Cowboys are a perfect 3-0 this season as they have looked stellar here trying to follow up on their fall 2019 Nevada State Championship victory. The Cowboys earned another big victory last weekend as they took down the Falcons in shutout fashion. While the Cowboys offense has been solid, it's been their defense that has really excelled. Caden Cadaval and Jashawn Crayton will look to lead the offensive charge however this weekend in what is being dubbed the battle for Silvestri Jr. High.

TMT Elite (2-1) VS Spring Valley Tritons (2-0) – 7U

Where: Sierra Vista High School

When: 11:45 AM

TMT Elite is looking to get back to the Nevada State Championship game and looks to be a team on a mission here as they aim to secure another victory this weekend. The Spring Valley Tritons meanwhile are the newest upstart team in the division as they too are off to a hot start with back to back shutout victories and look hungry to prove their spears are sharp and they too belong in the conversation of contenders for the Nevada State Championship. TMT Elite however will look to defend their home field behind the play of Legend Mitchell and Terrell Collins who can turn any run into a touchdown. The Spring Valley Tritons meanwhile have been a force in their first two contests running up down the field in both games. Led by Braxton Bauerman and Jordan Hayden, this team is lightening fast. Will they be able race past TMT Elite this weekend?

Las Vegas Tribe (1-1) VS DO Jr. Diamondbacks (2-1) – 8U

Where: Shadow Ridge High School

When: 8:15 AM

The Las Vegas Tribe come into this contest on the war path as they are riding high off of their victory over the Las Vegas Seahawks last weekend as they proved they can come back in any contest. The Desert Oasis Jr. Diamondbacks meanwhile had an up and down week

last week as they earned an impressive victory over the Sun Devils but also fell to the Henderson Cowboys in Monday night action. The Tribe however are looking to prove they are a serious contender here this season. Led by Myles Hooks and Alvin Pollard, this team can really grind out yardage in big chunks. Will they have enough to steal the Diamondbacks venom? The Diamondbacks meanwhile will be looking to shake their rattles and strike for a big 3rd win of the season in this matchup. They will try and turn to stars like Isaiah Cooper and Chasen Sarmiento lead them to a big win.

Las Vegas Steelers (1-1) VS Las Vegas Seahawks (0-2) – 8U

Where: Durango High School

When: 2:45 PM

The Las Vegas Steelers and Las Vegas Seahawks will be looking to take their games to the next level when they face off on Saturday. The Steelers are riding high off of their first win of the season last weekend over the Henderson Crush. While this team may not have, they deepest roster, they show a ton of heart. Led by Malakai Questel and Jordan Johnson, this team will be hungry to build on that first victory with what they hope is a 2nd. The Las Vegas Seahawks meanwhile looked like they were soaring towards their first win of the season last Saturday in their matchup with the Tribe but were stunned by a late comeback. The Seahawks will try and play a full 40 minutes this time around. To do so they will turn to Rayghun Gonzalez and Kamari Ellingson to lead the way.

Las Vegas Rams (1-1) VS BG Jr. Gaels (2-0) – 9U

Where: Sierra Vista High School

When: 8:15 AM

The Las Vegas Rams will look to step up to the plate and take down the currently undefeated Bishop Gorman Jr. Gaels this weekend in what should be a great contest. These teams will certainly come to Sierra Vista HS ready to play here early in the morning as they look to wake up their faithful with some early offense. The Rams come into this game looking to rebound from their tough loss to the Liberty Patriots last weekend. The Rams earned a huge overtime win over the Raiders however two weeks ago and hope to get back to that level of play in this showdown with the Gaels. The Gaels meanwhile are off to a hot start. Back to back victories over the Henderson Cowboys and Las Vegas Badgers have put this team on an excellent path. They hope to keep that direct line towards a title behind the play of Mason McCrary and Emmanuel Jones who form one of the divisions elite passing/receiving/running combinations. Expect a great matchup here between these two squads but the depth of the Gaels may be too much for the Rams to overcome.

Jr. Raiders (0-3) VS Falcons Hit Squad (1-1) – 9U

Where: Basic High School

When: 10:00 AM

The Jr. Raiders play host to the Falcons Hit Squad this weekend at Basic High School and hope that their home field will propel them to their first win of the season. The Raiders have certainly played hard in their 3 games this season but need to take another step forward this weekend if they hope to come out of this game with the Falcons with a win. The Raiders will try and turn to Rajahn Bulter and Kaleb Ross to push them over the hump to the promised land. The Falcons meanwhile bounced back from a tough opening game loss in strong fashion as they dominated the Henderson Cowboys last weekend with a big offensive outpouring. Led by Eric McFarland and Isaiah Romero, this team is loaded with talent. They hope that they can soar to their 2nd win of the season with an offensive outburst in this matchup.

TMT Elite (2-0) VS BG Jr. Gaels (1-1) – 10U

Where: Sierra Vista High School

When: 10:00 AM

TMT Elite and the Bishop Gorman Jr. Gaels square off Saturday morning in what should be a stellar matchup. TMT Elite comes into this matchup with a fantastic squad, but it's their size and strength that really power this group. They will do their best to open up big holes for starts like Maurice Collins and Amere Swan to run through this weekend as they try and ground the Gaels. The Gaels meanwhile earned their first victory of the season last weekend over the Las Vegas Badgers and hope that they can keep momentum on their side in this contest. They will turn to Dervonne Sloan and Travis McBride to keep that offensive train on the tracks in this matchup at Sierra Vista High School.

Bullhead City Firebirds (3-0) VS Falcons Hit Squad (1-2) – 10U

Where: Basic High School

When: 1:30 PM

The Bullhead City Firebirds have come in and set the 10U Division on fire as they are off to a blazing 3-0 start and will try and prove they own the skies when they take on the Falcons this weekend. The Firebirds took down the Las Vegas Seahawks last weekend in impressive fashion thanks to stellar pleyer from stars like Joe Yoney and Anthony Moses. They will look to repeat that type of performance this weekend when they matchup with the Falcons. The Falcons meanwhile have had some mixed results thus far this season but hope that a resurgence is coming in this matchup. They will look to Eddie Loera and Nathan Fletcher to keep the offensive moving as they did last weekend when they wrangled the Cowboys for their first win of the season.

Las Vegas Badgers (0-2) VS DO Jr. Diamondbacks (2-0) – 10U

Where: Shadow Ridge High School

When: 1:30 PM

The Las Vegas Badgers and Desert Oasis Jr. Diamondbacks crosstown rivalry takes to Shadow Ridge High School this weekend as the Diamondbacks travel north for the day. The Badgers haven't been able to find the win column just yet this season, but that doesn't mean this group hasn't really started to come together as their defense really looked solid even in last weekend's loss. The Badgers will hope their offense can claw out some points in this matchup and will turn to Vincent Carocciolo to power the attack. The Diamondbacks meanwhile are off to a solid start thanks to a balanced team effort. Javion Gunter and Bishop Allen lead a very talented squad that is looking to bite their way to a championship.

NLV Mustangs (1-1) VS Jr. Raiders (0-2) – 11U

Where: Spring Valley High School

When: 3:15 PM

The North Las Vegas Mustangs and Jr. Raiders look to come up with a big win this weekend when they face off at Spring Valley High School. These teams appear to be quite evenly matched and should come ready to play this weekend. The Mustangs will look to gallop to a win behind the play of Joaquin Valenzuela and Dale Flores who have shown they can be a force on the offensive side of the football. The Jr. Raiders meanwhile will try and lead on Chace Avila and Donovan Glover to power the attack in this showdown.

Silverado Hawks (3-0) VS Las Vegas Seahawks (1-1) – 12U

Where: Durango High School
When: 1:00 PM

It's a battle of the birds as the Silverado Hawks and Las Vegas Seahawks square off at Durango High School this weekend. Don't overlook this matchup however as this game isn't for the birds as these are two powerful teams with big strong offensive and defensive lines that will collide in what should be a thriller. The Silverado Hawks come into this game a perfect 3-0 on the season and looking like a serious contender for the Nevada State Championship this season. They have a powerful offensive line that creates big holes for stars like Donavyn Pellot and Branko Hansell-Fotu. The Las Vegas Seahawks meanwhile have some muscle of their own and look to flex that muscle in this showdown. The Seahawks earned their first win of the season last weekend and look to build on that big win. They will turn to Zayvion Ellington and Cruz Rayford to help this team take off again this Saturday.

Las Vegas Wolverines (0-2) VS Henderson Cowboys (1-2) – 12U

Where: Liberty High School
When: 1:30 PM

The Las Vegas Wolverines and Henderson Cowboys will each be looking to get their teams back on track this weekend as they face off at Liberty High School. The Wolverines have yet to find the win column but are hungry to get that first victory of the season. Led by Seean Mills and Joseph Garza, they will be hungry to try and claw past the Cowboys this weekend. The Cowboys meanwhile will be looking to lasso their 2nd victory of the season and get back to the .500 mark. The Cowboys will look to lead sheriffs Sonny Lutu and Mykel Hampton to put points on the board in a hurry.

Bullhead City Firebirds (2-1) VS Falcons Hit Squad (3-0) – 12U

Where: Basic High School
When: 3:15 PM

The Bullhead City Firebirds and the Falcons Hit Squad have both looked like stellar 12U teams thus far this season and will be colliding this weekend at Basic High School in what should be a thriller of a matchup. The Firebirds have won back to back games here and look hungry to soar to a 3rd victory. Jonathan Williams and Izaac Robles will look to keep the Firebirds in the air and keep the winning streak alive. The Falcons Hit Squad meanwhile are off to an even hotter start already having 3 victories under their belt. Led by Trey/Shawn Jackson and Alonzo Balderrama, this team can really put up points in a hurry! Will they be able to score enough points to ground the Firebirds? Don't miss this game Saturday afternoon!

AV Jr. Aggies (0-2) VS Las Vegas Rams (1-2) – 13U

Where: Spring Valley High School
When: 10:00 AM

The Arbor View Jr. Aggies take on the Las Vegas Rams in a 13U Division showdown this weekend at Spring Valley High School. The Aggies come into this matchup hungry for their first win of the season. They have shown tremendous improvement in the past few weeks and rumors coming out of their practice facility is this group is really starting to gel. The Aggies will be looking to the leadership of Rome Riggs and Coda Woolstenhulme to lead them to that elusive first win of the year. The Rams meanwhile are looking to push their way back to .500 on the season with another victory. They will be turning to Daniel Jackson

and Ahmand Hill to lead them to those goals. Do they have enough gas in the tank to take down the Aggies?

NLV Mustangs (1-2) VS Jr. Raiders (0-3) – 13U

Where: Spring Valley High School

When: 5:00 PM

The North Las Vegas Mustangs earned their first victory of the season last weekend and will be looking to gallop to another this weekend when they take on the Jr. Raiders at Spring Valley High School. The Mustangs will turn to Davison Glenn and Jahmali Brown to be the Mustangs lead horses in this matchup. The Jr. Raiders meanwhile haven't been able to break into the win column just yet but will try and lean on Andres Casillas to give them a boost on both sides of the football in this matchup.

AV Jr. Aggies (2-0) VS DO Jr. Diamondbacks (2-1) – 14U

Where: Spring Valley High School

When: 11:45 AM

A pair of very strong 14U Division squad's matchup at Spring Valley High School this Saturday morning. The Aggies have raced to a tremendous start with back to back victories here in the early going. They will look to race their way to a 3rd behind the play of Izaiah Vegas and Kade Desantis yet again in this showdown. The Aggies offense have relied on their signature ground and pound style and will look to wear down the Diamondbacks this weekend. The Diamondbacks meanwhile will try and slither their way to another victory behind the play of Jamieon Windham and Fazion Love. They will hope that their multiheaded offensive attack can break the Aggies win streak. The question for this game will be if the Diamondbacks defensive front has enough to slow down the powerful Aggies offensive charge.

Las Vegas Steelers (0-3) VS Las Vegas Seahawks (2-0) – 14U

Where: Durango High School

When: 6:15 PM

The Las Vegas Steelers will look to earn their first victory of the season this Saturday but will have a tough task ahead of them as they take on the undefeated Las Vegas Seahawks. The Steelers have fought hard in the early going, but just haven't been able to get much going on either side of the football. A couple very good practices this week however have this coaching staff excited for the prospect of this matchup. They will turn to Tyler Paul and Chrey Traylor to try and push this team into the winner's circle. The Seahawks meanwhile are off to a stellar start having big wins over the Diamondbacks and Tritons under their belt. They will try and collect another win this weekend as they turn to Maxwell Reese and Za'Quon Henderson to lead this trying to soar to 3-0.