

# NYS NEVADA TACKLE FOOTBALL

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## FALL 2019 WEEK 2 PREVIEWS

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### **Henderson Cowboys (1-0) VS Pahrump Trojans (0-1) – 7U**

Where: Coronado High School

When: 10:00 AM

The Henderson Cowboys and Pahrump Trojans hook up for an exciting matchup this weekend at Coronado High School. The Cowboys enter this contest with a victory already under their belt, but they will be hungry to lasso a second here. The Cowboys earned a big win over a strong Patriots squad last time out. In that matchup, Ralph Ortiz had a huge game scoring 2 touchdowns. He will need to have another big game but will certainly need help from the likes of Myles Anderson and Giovanni Christiansen if the Cowboys hope to come out on top this time. The Trojans meanwhile fell in a close loss to the Las Vegas Badgers in their last contest. The Trojans played hard however and with more strong play from studs like Diego Ruiz might just come out with their first win of the season this weekend at Coronado High School.

### **Las Vegas Ducks (1-0) VS Bullhead City Firebirds (0-1) – 7U**

Where: Spring Valley High School

When: 11:45 AM

The Las Vegas Ducks look to flap their wings again this weekend in a matchup with the Bullhead City Firebirds this weekend at Spring Valley High School. The Ducks earned a big win last weekend when they took down the 49ers in a thriller. Oshyn Nihipali and Benjamin Noriega had big games last weekend, but they will need to be even more on point this time around if they are going to come out with the victory. The Firebirds meanwhile struggled a little in their opening game with TMT Football, but this team is well coached and shows tons of promise. They will try and turn to their more experienced leaders to lead them to the victory circle here this time around in a battle of the birds.

### **Las Vegas Union (1-0) VS TMT Football (1-0) – 7U**

Where: Bonanza High School

When: 8:15 AM

A pair of undefeated 7U Division squads head to Bonanza High School in search of what would be a big 2<sup>nd</sup> win of the season over a strong rival squad. The Las Vegas Union flashed some tremendous talent in their win over the Las Vegas Sun Devils last time out. Jaquorrey Williams and Bryson McCrary were the lead stars in that matchup last weekend. The Union will hope that duo can lead the way again this Saturday in what should be a very even matchup! TMT Football meanwhile opened their season last weekend with a very

impressive shutout win over the Bullhead City Firebirds and will look to show how MONEY this team is with another victory this weekend. TMT will turn to Wesley Tyler Aiden Smith to lead the way this time out in what should be a stellar matchup between divisional contenders!

### **Liberty Patriots (0-1) VS Las Vegas Ducks (0-1) – 8U**

Where: Liberty High School

When: 8:15 AM

The Liberty Patriots and Las Vegas Ducks will head to Liberty High School in search of a big victory and get back to .500 here early in the season. The Patriots have a very young squad but showed tremendous fight in their loss to an experience Henderson Cowboys squad. The Patriots will try and lean on the experience of Mason Sablan and Jhayden Fines to lead them into the winner's circle. The Las Vegas Ducks meanwhile couldn't quite flap their way past the Union in their opening day matchup but will certainly be ready to soar this time around. The Ducks will try and turn to Major Afoa and Elijah Tuilaepa to help them come out with their first win of the young season!

### **Las Vegas Union (1-0) VS TMT Football (0-1) – 8U**

Where: Bonanza High School

When: 10:00 AM

The Las Vegas Union started off their season in impressive fashion, and they hope they can keep momentum on their side this weekend as they take on an even stronger opponent this time around in TMT. TMT meanwhile fell in a thriller last time out to the Diamondbacks, but certainly seem ready to take on all comers here in the 7U Division. The Las Vegas Union will look to lean on Terrell Collins and Kareem Knox in this battle of the titans. TMT meanwhile has as much talent as any team in the league. Sherrod Leslie and Arrion Wright meanwhile will look to step their game and their teammates game up to an even higher level as they search for a victory over the Las Vegas Union.

### **Las Vegas Elite Wildcats (1-0) VS Jr Raiders (0-1) – 9U**

Where: Green Valley High School

When: 1:30 PM

The Las Vegas Elite Wildcats look to pounce on yet another victory this weekend as they take on the Jr. Raiders at Green Valley High School this Saturday. The Wildcats were stellar in their victory over the Badgers last time out but will need to play at an even higher level if they hope to take down the Raiders this Saturday. The Wildcats were led by Deontray Miller and Steven Bullock in that contest. It takes a full team effort to win a football game though, so the Wildcats will need to come together as a squad and play as one if they hope to come out with the win. The Raiders meanwhile stumbled a bit last weekend as they fell to the Diamondbacks in their opener. The Raiders are a team certainly capable of a bounce back here. The Raiders will look for strong play and leadership from veterans like Ryzen Alapai and Raiden Fifita this Saturday afternoon.

### **Las Vegas Badgers (0-1) VS Sin City Rams (0-1) – 9U**

Where: Shadow Ridge High School

When: 1:30 PM

The Las Vegas Badgers and Sin City Rams are a couple of teams looking for their first victory of the season this weekend as they head to Shadow Ridge High School in what should be a stellar showdown. The Badgers clawed as hard as they could in their opening

day loss to the Wildcats but will need even more in their matchup this Saturday from players like Christopher Daniels and Andre Marshall. The Sin City Rams meanwhile fought tooth and nail in their opening day loss to the Cowboys last weekend but learned a ton in that matchup. The Rams will try and get some strong play out of their starts like Dawayne Martell and Uriyah Smith in this matchup.

### **Liberty Patriots (1-0) VS Las Vegas Sun Devils (0-1) – 10U**

Where: Liberty High School

When: 11:45 AM

The Liberty Patriots will square off with the Las Vegas Sun Devils this Saturday afternoon in what should be a very exciting battle. The Patriots earned a big win last weekend over the Henderson Cowboys thanks to big showing from Elijah Richard, Ezekiel Ganiron, and Demico Zamora. The Sun Devils certainly propose yet another tough test, but the Patriots will try and march past them this weekend and come out with their 2<sup>nd</sup> win if the year this weekend. The Sun Devils meanwhile will be trying to heat things up on the Patriots in what should be a stellar matchup. Led by Antonio Spann and Jordan Thompson-Woods, this team is talented and hungry. Will they have enough heat behind them to slow down this stellar Patriots squad?

### **Henderson Cowboys (0-1) VS Arbor View Jr Aggies (0-1) – 10U**

Where: Coronado High School

When: 3:15 PM

The Henderson Cowboys and Arbor View Jr. Aggies head to Coronado High School in search of their first victories of the season. The Cowboys were tripped up last weekend by the Liberty Patriots while the Aggies fell in a gold rush battle to the 49ers in their opener. The Cowboys will try and lasso their first victory of the season behind the play of Selby Greigo and Jacob Fotu, but it will certainly take a full team effort. The Aggies meanwhile showed a bit of promise against a very good 49ers team last weekend. They will try and be lifted by the leadership of players like Rhys Riggs and Carson Shields in this battle.

### **Green Valley Knights (0-1) VS Jr Raiders (0-1) – 10U**

Where: Green Valley High School

When: 10:00 AM

The Green Valley Knights and Jr. Raiders will take a second swing at their first win of the year this Saturday at Green Valley High School in what should be a stellar matchup. The Green Valley Knights couldn't quite get things going against TMT last time out, but certainly showed plenty of potential in that game. The Knights will look to lance the Raiders this time around behind the play of Creed Phillipy & Parker Rollins. The Jr. Raiders meanwhile couldn't get things going on offense in their loss to the Diamondbacks last weekend but are hungry to prove that they have a contender of a squad this season. The Raiders will turn to Jonah Pulu and Kalvin Cabe to try and lead them to their first win of the season.

### **Desert Oasis Jr Diamondbacks (1-0) VS Las Vegas 49ers (1-0) – 10U**

Where: Desert Oasis High School

When: 10:00 AM

In what looks to be the 10U Division Game of the Week, the Desert Oasis Jr. Diamondbacks take on the Las Vegas 49ers at Desert Oasis High School. The Diamondbacks and 49ers are both off to 1-0 starts thanks to big victories last weekend in impressive fashion. In the Diamondbacks victory over the Raiders, Branston Anguay and Christopher Leuma had a pair

of touchdowns each. They will need to need to be the lead rattlers if they hope to lead their squad to a victory in this battle on Saturday morning! The Las Vegas 49ers came into their first game in NYS and certainly looked the part of a Nevada State Championship contender as they dominated the Arbor View Jr. Aggies. Myles Baker, Kayden Philogene, and Donte Jasames were golden in that game, but will need to step up their game to an even higher level in this matchup with the Diamondbacks.

### **Henderson Cowboys (1-0) VS Pahrump Trojans (1-0) – 11U Weighted**

Where: Coronado High School

When: 11:45 AM

A pair of undefeated teams head to Coronado High School looking to remain perfect on the season as we head into each of these teams second game of the season. The Henderson Cowboys earned a hard-fought victory over the Liberty Patriots last weekend thanks to the stellar play of Gianni Guerrero and Kieren Daniel. That duo will need to have yet another tough hard-nosed effort in this game if they hope to remain perfect on the season. The Trojans meanwhile are hungry to try and slash their way to another victory as they battle the Cowboys in what should be an epic battle. The Trojans earned a stellar opening day victory over the Las Vegas Elite Wildcats as they silenced the cats by a score of 13-6. They will look to Kayne Horibe & Austin Alvarez to play like the dynamic duo they can be this time out at Coronado High School.

### **Las Vegas Elite Wildcats (0-1) VS Jr Raiders (0-1) – 11U Weighted**

Where: Green Valley High School

When: 3:15 PM

The Las Vegas Elite Wildcats and Jr. Raiders head to Green Valley High School as they try and find the win column for the first time this season here in the 11U Weighted Division. The Wildcats fell a little short in their loss to the Trojans last time out but are hungry to land on their feet this time around. The Wildcats will turn to Tanner Vibabul and Isaac Gutierrez to lead them to what they hope is a victory on Saturday afternoon. The Jr. Raiders meanwhile will try and bounce back from their opening day loss to the Diamondbacks by turning to Gabriel Vidana and Connor Jackson to lead the way to the winner's circle!

### **Desert Oasis Jr Diamondbacks (0-1) VS Las Vegas 49ers (1-0) – 12U**

Where: Desert Oasis High School

When: 1:30 PM

The Desert Oasis Jr. Diamondbacks and the Las Vegas 49ers continue their day long battle here in the 12U Division in what should be yet another fantastic matchup. The Diamondbacks fell week one to the Las Vegas Elite, but are hungry to shake, rattle, and rebound this weekend. If they are going to come back with a victory over a very good 49ers squad, they will need Exequiel Sady-Kennedy and Theodore-John Edquilang to be at their best and lead this team in all facets of play. The Las Vegas 49ers meanwhile found gold in their opening day win over the Arbor View Jr. Aggies thanks to the stellar play of stars like Dino Roberts and Aizen Torres. The 49ers passing game looked to be incredibly impressive last weekend. They will try to continue to show off that skill set again this weekend as they look to remain undefeated here early in the Fall 2019 season.

### **Las Vegas Union (1-0) VS TMT Football (0-0) – 12U**

Where: Bonanza High School

When: 1:30 PM

The Las Vegas Union look to battle TMT Football this weekend in what should be an epic day of football at Bonanza High School. The Las Vegas Union looked very impressive on opening day as they managed to cool down a strong Las Vegas Sun Devils squad last time out. The Union will try and turn to X-Zavier Christopher and Trey-Shaun Jackson to lead the way for this strong Union squad in a big-time matchup with a rival squad. TMT meanwhile will have their first game of the season be an epic test, but certainly one that this talented bunch is up to taking. Led by Jylen High and Kingston Tyler, this TMT squad will certainly come hungry for action this weekend at Bonanza High School.

### **Las Vegas Elite (1-0) VS Las Vegas Elite Wildcats (1-0) – 12U**

Where: Ed Fountain Park #8

When: 8:15 AM

It's a battle of the ELITE as the Las Vegas Elite and the Las Vegas Elite Wildcats take to Ed Fountain Park this Saturday morning in what should be a stellar battle. The Las Vegas Elite earned an impressive victory on opening day as they took down the Diamondbacks in shutout fashion. Led by Eddie Loera and Vicentico Pringle, this team is uber talented. While they have their eyes set on becoming Nevada State Champions, they need to make sure they maintain their focus on the moment. At this moment however, the focus needs to be a stingy Wildcats squad that has more than enough ability to prove they are the Elite team here in the 12U Division. The Wildcats earned an impressive opening day victory over the Cougars as they tried to prove they are leader of pack in that win. Led by Damien Nevil and Jared Halford, this team is ready to show the world how good they really are as a group. They get their chance this Saturday morning at Ed Fountain Park in what should be a great matchup.

### **Green Valley Knights (0-1) VS Jr Raiders (0-1) – 13U**

Where: Green Valley High School

When: 8:15 AM

The Green Valley Knights and Jr. Raiders open the day up at Green Valley High School as both teams look for their first victory of the season. The Knights fell in week 1 to the Sin City Rams in a tough showing but showed some serious fight and appear to be a team that will just get better as the season goes along. The Knights will turn to Wynn Philippi and Wyatt Tripton to lead them onto the battlefield as they try and lance the Raiders in this matchup. The Raiders meanwhile will be hungry to bounce back from their loss to the Diamondbacks in week 1. If they are going to find that first win for the season, they will need Jeremiah Cole to be at his best if his team is going to come out with the victory.

### **North Las Vegas Mustangs White (0-1) VS Faith Lutheran Crusaders (0-1) – 13U**

Where: Shadow Ridge High School

When: 8:15 AM

The North Las Vegas Mustangs White squad battles the Faith Lutheran Crusaders in what should be an epic battle for each of these teams first victory of the season. The Mustangs came short in their opening day matchup with the Liberty Patriots. In that matchup, Marcel Matlock and Teodoro Duran played well, but they will need to step their game up to yet another level if they hope to come out with that first victory of the season. The Crusaders meanwhile stumbled a little bit on opening day as they fell to the Mustangs Blue squad. They are hoping a matchup with the Mustangs White Squad turns into a better result this time around. The Crusaders will turn to the leadership of Anthony Crowell and Mason Garza

to try and lead them back to .500 with a victory. This should be a very even matchup, so every possession will matter here Saturday morning!

### **Liberty Patriots (0-1) VS Las Vegas Ducks (0-1) – 14U**

Where: Liberty High School

When: 10:00 AM

The Liberty Patriots and Las Vegas Ducks face off at Liberty High School in what should be a very important regular season matchup for both teams. The 14U Division this fall will be especially competitive with 18 teams playing this season! Every win matter and both the Patriots and Ducks enter this contest hungry for that first win of the season. The Patriots started off a little slow last weekend in their loss to the Cowboys, but the team suffered a bit of a shock just before kickoff when one of their players unfortunately hurt himself in warmups. Once they recovered, they showed just how dangerous this team can be. Led by Gavin Wallace and Thomas Seo, this team will come ready to play this weekend. The Ducks meanwhile couldn't quite take flight in their loss to the Red Eagles last weekend. This time around, they hope to soar behind the play of Michael Tollefson and David Washington. Will they have enough wind beneath their wings?

### **Henderson Cowboys (1-0) VS Arbor View Jr Aggies (1-0) – 14U**

Where: Coronado High School

When: 6:45 AM

The Henderson Cowboys and Arbor View Jr. Aggies started off their season with a bang this past weekend as they each earned victories to start the season. The Henderson Cowboys managed to shut out the Liberty Patriots on opening day thanks to the stellar play of Emarion Jones and Kaleb Shine. Will that duo be ready to lasso the Aggies here in week number 2? The Aggies also pitched a shutout in week number one as they took out the 49ers last weekend. The Aggies were led by Mario Rivas and Alejandro Hernandez in that matchup but will look for even more this Saturday evening at Coronado High School.

### **Las Vegas Red Eagles (1-0) VS Bullhead City Firebirds (1-0) – 14U**

Where: Spring Valley High School

When: 10:00 AM

In another matchup of undefeated teams this weekend, the Las Vegas Red Eagles and Bullhead City Firebirds face off at Spring Valley High School this Saturday morning. The Red Eagles showed off an impressive offense behind the play of Christian Thatcher and Kaleo Babauta. They will however need an even bigger team effort if the Red Eagles are able to soar to yet another victory this time around. The Firebirds are also a team that plays like a bird of prey here in the 14U Division, and they will be trying to prove they are the kings of the sky here in this matchup. The Firebirds are led by Izaak Robles and Jonathon Williams who can dominate any football field they walk onto? Will they be strong enough this weekend?

### **Las Vegas Elite (1-0) VS Las Vegas Elite Wildcats (1-0) – 14U**

Where: Ed Fountain Park #8

When: 10:00 AM

The Las Vegas Elite and the Las Vegas Elite Wildcats face off in what should be another exciting matchup between undefeated teams. The Elite looked nothing but stellar in their opening day victory over the Crusaders. Their trio of quarterbacks all looked all-star worthy but running back Razzaq Thomas-Mcdade was especially dominant. They will look for a full

team effort again this weekend to help this team take down the Wildcats. The Wildcats meanwhile were impressive in their opening victory over the Cougars. The Wildcats were led by Torrell Thomas and Dwayne Jack in that matchup. They will try and sharpen their claws even more for this stellar matchup at Ed Fountain Park this Saturday morning.