The Bullhead City Firebirds defeated the Las Vegas Nomads 21-12 at Spring Valley HS

Anthony Moses scored 2 touchdowns to lead the Bullhead City Firebirds to a stellar Opening Day victory over hard fighting Las Vegas Nomads victory. The Firebirds scored in the 1st quarter on a nifty 30-yard run by Ivan Sia for a 7-0 lead. The Firebirds took that lead into the 3rd quarter when they scored on a 9-yard TD pass to Anthony Moses from QB Joe Yoney for a 14-0 lead. In the 3rd quarter the Nomads got on the board with a sweet 38-yard TD pass to Ethan Walkup-Tribble from QB Dominque Vaughn and trailed 14-6. However, the Firebirds answered right back with a beautiful 43-yard TD pass to Moses from Yoney for a 21-6 lead. In the 4th quarter the Nomads scored on a 5-yard run by Jai’shon Bradford, but the Firebirds would hold on for a 21-12 final score. The Firebirds offense rushed for 245 yards behind superb blocking by their offensive line. Ivan Sia rushed for 176 yards and Blake Moore added 52 yards rushing. QB Joe Yoney passed for 77 yards with Antony Moses catching 3 passes for 65 yards. Joe Yoney also had an interception on defense. The Nomads were led by Jai’shon Bradford with 57 yards rushing and QB Dominque Vaughn passed for 78 yards. Kaden Hayley had an interception for the Nomads defense.

The Jr. Diamondbacks defeated the Jr. Raiders 18-12 at Basic HS

Theodore Ediquilang, K’Jay Lomiga, and Angelo Correa each scored a touchdown to lead the Desert Oasis Jr Diamondbacks to victory. After a scoreless 1st quarter, the Raiders scored in the 2nd quarter on a fabulous 65-yard fumble return by Chance Avila for a 6-0 lead. The Diamondbacks tied the score at 6-6 in the 2nd quarter on a 5-yard run by Edguilang. The score remained tied at 6-6 going into the 4th quarter. The Diamondbacks took the lead on a 6-yard run by Lomiga and a 13-yard run by Correa. The Raiders scored late in the 4th quarter on a nifty 45-yard run by Donovan Glover for an 18-12 final score. The Diamondbacks offense rushed for 154 yards with Edquilang gaining 63 yards. Correa & Exequiel Sady-Kennedy combined for 74 yards rushing. For the Diamondbacks defense, Ashlee Gallegos recovered a fumble. The Raiders were led by Donovan Glover with 58 yards rushing and 49 yards passing. For the Raiders defense, Chance Avila, Carlos Marotto, and Gabriel Vidana each recovered 1 fumble. Donovan Glover also had an interception for the Raiders.