

Red Raiders burn Burns, 40-19

FALLSTON — South Point's Red Raiders, despite losing five fumbles and having 157 yards in penalties whistled against them, ran roughshod over the Burns Bulldogs in a Southwestern 3-A Conference game here Friday night, 40-19.

The victory was the second league win in a row for Coach Jim Biggerstaff's Big Red.

Fullback Fernandez Grier scored three touchdowns for South Point, including a 47-yard run in the first period. After Graylyn Faulkenberry's conversion, the Raiders led, 7-0. Burns came back on a four-yard run

by Eugene Early after the Bulldogs recovered a fumble at the Red Raider 10. Alex Hefner's kick tied the game.

David McKinney's pass interception, one of six in the first half for South Point, set up the second South Point score. McKinney ran the pass back from the Burns 45 to the 23. Quarterback Jeff Williams went over from the four with 30 seconds remaining in the half for a 14-7 South Point lead.

Grier's two-yard run, plus McKinney's five-yard run for a touchdown following a blocked Burns punt, along with two Faulkenberry extra points,

gave SP a 28-7 third period lead. Burns got on the scoreboard in the third period on a 21-yard pass from David Botts to Chris Lancaster.

Grier scored on a three-yard run in the fourth period, then the Raiders capped their big scoring night on a 47-yard touchdown pass from Williams to Fran Slavich.

Burns got its final touchdown on a five-yard run by Lancaster. South Point picked up 241 yards rushing on the night, while Burns had 123.

McKinney paced the Red Raider defensive play, along with tackle Jamey Bolter.

South Point 7 7 14 12 — 40
 Burns 7 0 6 6 — 19
 SP — Grier, 4 run (Faulkenbury kick)
 B — Early, 4 run (Hefner kick)
 SP — Williams, 4 run (Faulkenbury kick)
 SP — Grier, 2 run (Faulkenbury kick)
 SP — McKinney, 5 return of blocked punt
 (Faulkenbury kick)
 B — Lancaster, 21 pass from Botts (kick failed)
 SP — Grier, 3 run (run failed)
 SP — Slovich, 47 pass from Williams (kick failed)
 B — Lancaster, 5 run (pass failed)

	South Point	Burns
First Downs	12	13
Yards Rushing	241	123
Passing	5-7-6	6-16-0
Yards Passing	81	71
Fumbles Lost	5	1
Punting	3-19.3	2-20.5
Yards Penalized	157	79