

Watson Leads Wolverines Over Avery

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Joey Watson turned in a strong performance Tuesday night as the Watauga Middle School football team opened the 2013 season with a bang. Watson scored twice on runs of 30-and-ten-yards, he scored a two point conversion and threw a pair of two-point conversion passes as the Wolverines (1-0) defeated Avery 30-13 in Newland, N.C.

Isaiah Finger scored on a 70-yard jaunt and caught a two-point conversion pass; Parker Morgan scored on a 30-yard run, and Jamie Gough caught a two-point conversion pass.

Defensively, Chase Scott, A.J. Martinez and Austin Phillips each had a quarterback sack; Phillips and Eli Suggs (the younger brother of Evan Suggs, a running back on the Watauga High JV team) each had a fumble recovery; Dale Holman, Damon Moretez and Scott were dominant on the defensive line.

The Wolverines will play their home opener at Jack Groce Stadium next Wednesday, September 4 against West Alexander.

TODAY'S SCHEDULE

WATAUGA BOY'S SOCCER @ WILKES CENTRAL, 5:15/7 P.M.

WATAUGA VOLLEYBALL v. ST. STEPHENS, 4:30 P.M.

WATAUGA XC @ NORTHWESTERN 3A/4A RELAY MEET, 4 P.M.

THURSDAY'S GAMES

WATAUGA GIRL'S TENNIS AT PFAFFTOWN-REAGAN, 4 P.M.

WATUAGA JV FOOTBALL v. ASHE COUNTY, 7 P.M.

FRIDAY'S GAMES

WATUAGA FOOTBALL @ ASHE COUNTY, 7:30 P.M.

WATAUGA BOY'S SOCCER v. A.C. REYNOLDS, 5/6:30 P.M.