Troy Makes Switch from Single Wing to Split T

A change in the offensive sets will be one of the few visible changes Troy High School Coach Zane Crigler will have to make when his team takes the field this season. The Trojans have adopted the split T formation with great success.

The Trojans, who expected to be a strong team this fall, lost a pair of backs who were the team's top rushers last year. With the loss of one of Troy's most experienced players, Coach Crigler was forced to look elsewhere for the team's offensive success.

Despite the loss of their backs, the Trojans have other players who can carry the ball effectively. Two of these players are returning ends, who will be used in a variety of ways on offense.

Hills Trotter Wins 6th in Colt Stakes

Hills Trotter, an eight-year-old gelding, won the 6th in the Colt Stakes at the Birmingham Fairgrounds. The race was a close one, with Hills Trotter edging out the competition to take the top spot.

40 Maple Harriers Workout

Coach Kevin Burnham, head coach of the Maple Harriers, is pleased with the progress of his team this fall. The Harriers have been practicing hard, and Coach Burnham is expecting great things from his team this season.

32 Cranes Open Drills

With only three between away the 32 Cranes, which consists of returning five players, Coach John Campbell has been hard at work preparing his team for the first session this week.

First Meet

For the first time in many years, the first meet of the season was held in the middle of last week. The meet was held in the rain, which provided a challenging course for the competitors.

With all the competitors expected to be on hand, the meets will be held at 5:30 p.m. on each Sunday. The schedule for the meets is as follows:

- September 11: Birmingham High School
- September 18: Mountain Brook High School
- September 25: Vestavia Hills High School

Season Closes

The Birmingham Times Fish Classic is the season-closing event for the fishing season. The event is scheduled for September 27 and will feature a variety of fishing tournaments.

Sportsweek

Playboy

September 11: Polo Match, 4:00 p.m., Eagle's Nest, 1311 River Road

Football

September 11: UAB vs. Southern, 7:30 p.m., Legion Field, 2200 21st Ave. S.

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Two Mile Lat(y)ne

Veteran Lat(y)ne runner Bob Hager will be competing in the two-mile Lat(y)ne race. Hager, who finished 22nd last year, is expected to do well in this year's race.

Smile A Minute

If you see someone looking tired or depressed, take the time to smile and say hello. It can make a big difference in their day.

When you see someone who needs a boost of encouragement, take the time to smile and say hello. It can make a big difference in their day.

Let's Try

Let's try to be kind to each other. It can make a big difference in the world.