

Panther Football Preview

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2011 prospects



Senior Shadrach Thornton is a hard man to bring down, as his teammates find out during a recent inter-squad scrimmage. Thornton, a three-star recruit according to Rivals.com, has offers from a number of FBS schools, including Georgia Tech, Kentucky, Vanderbilt, North Carolina State, Marshall, Miami of Ohio, Western Kentucky and Georgia State. He's not the only Panther on the radar of college coaches. Senior defensive end Melvin King (below) has already made up his mind about his next school. He recently gave a verbal commitment to Georgia State and coach Bill Curry. (Patty Leon photos)



2011 Special Teams

Panthers looking for kicker and punter to replace veteran Vakerics

BY PATTY LEON

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With sure footed kicker and punter Adrien Vakerics headed to LaGrange College to play soccer, the Panthers have a big set of shoes to fill.

Head coach Kirk Warner said Darin Townsend is stepping up from the junior varsity squad and in addition to helping out on the defensive line he may spend time kicking as well.

The Panthers also have Jalen Gilyard, a soccer player who Warner said has kicked well over the spring.

"I think once we get the timing down with the snap and the kick, it may not be as good as Adrien but it should be sufficient," the coach added. But the coach said they are looking to place a more athletic player in the game when it comes time to punt.

Warner said coaches have been working with Cory Lazenby during the off season to improve his punting skills.

Look for the Panthers to place speedsters on their return squads. It's a group that likely will include Tay Tay Bacon, Sam Carter, Andre Haggray and Shadrach Thornton.

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offense. Overall, I think our biggest improvement is our offensive line guys.”

While the line lacks size, McCulley said they make up for it with tenacity.

“We lock on well and we keep our blocks and our technique is pretty good,” he said. “And like it’s not OK to miss a block, so they are hitting and they are locking on and we are really stressing the fundamentals, the footwork, the hands, not overextending because we are not going to be as big as we have been. I know some of the defensive linemen we are going to face are pretty big and they are athletes. But if your footwork is good... we are going to be that gnat and we are going to lock on and we are not letting go and we are going to wear you down. I think this line is smarter than we’ve ever had.”

Running backs

It’s likely that opponents, spectators and scouts will have their eyes on Thornton. Playing since his freshmen season, Thornton, a senior, has steadily improved each year and has received offers from North Carolina State, Western Kentucky, Vanderbilt, Georgia State, Miami of Ohio and Georgia Tech. He

rushed for more than 1,200 yards in each of the last two seasons and last year threw a touchdown pass in the team’s wildcat formation.

In 2010, Thornton scored nine touchdowns and had eight pass receptions for 64 yards.

Knowing watchful eyes will be on Thornton, the Panthers plan to give Sam Carter plenty of opportunities to carry the ball.

“Sam Carter is a great running back,” Warner said. “Last year, he got banged up toward the end of the season but he is finally coming into his own and he is going to get a bunch of carries.”

Running back and speed and agility coach Nathan Mims said this year Carter should be the one to watch.

“I think this is going to be Sam Carter’s breakout year,” Mims said. “I think he is about 90-95 percent recovered and by the season he should be close to 99 percent. I think he is going to be the one that gets the greedy yards that we need, the little four, five yards, and he has the speed to break out a big run.”

Warner and Mims said Andre Haggray is ready to step up as well. The Panthers also have an up and coming sophomore in Rodney Woods.

“He is a little bit behind the eight ball be-



Shadrach Thornton works out of the wildcat formation during a recent practice. The senior has been a multipurpose threat for the Panthers in recent years. (Patty Leon photo)

cause he didn’t come all summer, but those are the top four guys right now,” Warner said.

Mims said a major improvement within the running backs and receivers is their speed. He added they also have a few newcomers like Tay Tay Bacon who is athletic and fast.

Receivers/tight ends

Junior Alton Sapp will likely lead the Panthers receiver corps in 2011. As a sophomore,

Sapp had 16 receptions for 170 yards and two touchdowns. Mims and Warner said Bacon will probably be used as a wide receiver and spend time on the defense as well, filling in the spot left by graduating Panther Tavoris Lewis. At the tight end slot the Panthers will pull from their defense and bring in Raekwon McMillan and Melvin King, both returning starters.

“Depth wise, we are going to be fine at tight end,” Warner said.

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Latest adjustment period over for Liberty County

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Liberty County has moved around a lot in recent years.

In 2008 the Panthers moved from Region 3A-AAA to 3-AAA, which meant a lot of travel to play against the likes of Washington County, West Laurens, Burke County, Thomson and Baldwin County.

That first year in 3-AAA the Panthers went through a bit of an adjustment, recording a 3-7 overall record and 2-4 region mark.

The Panthers also were relatively young back then — standout running back Shadrach Thornton was just a freshman — but growing up quickly. The core of what became the impenetrable Panther defense also was very young but developing.

The team was older and wiser in 2009 and it showed as the Panthers finished 4-2 in the region and 8-4 overall and made it to the second round of the state playoffs for the first time in program history.

Last season, reclassification hit again. Liberty landed in Region 2A-AAAA and again wound up facing new subregion opponents such as Brunswick, Ware County, Wayne County and Glynn Academy. And the other side of the region was just as tough with Statesboro and Effingham County thrown in.

It again took some adjusting, and Liberty went 2-8. Defensive line coach Michael Bashlor said last year was a bit of an adjustment season but said the Panthers had the right plan on the field.

“After last year, I think we should do a lot better this year,” he said, calling the Panthers’ off-season work habits “impeccable.”

Head coach Kirk Warner thinks his team simply didn’t have the numbers to compete.

“Those schools played AAAA for the last few years and all of a sudden we jumped in there,” Warner said. “The problem that hurt us was depth. We have to do what we can to develop depth. When their (region opponents) starters went out they had somebody step in and it didn’t drop off...third and fourth quarters killed us last year and that is what we are working on, conditioning and getting guys ready to help us to relieve our starters.”

Panther offensive coordinator Ryan Glazer agreed, saying complacency also might have

Panther notes

- Head coach Kirk Warner played at Bleckley County High School and the University of Georgia. A tight end, he played briefly for the Washington Redskins before a knee injury ended his pro career.
- Warner is 36-56 in nine seasons as a head coach, all of them at Liberty County. He has led the Panthers to their only three winning seasons in the program’s 19 year history.

Source: Georgia High School Football historians Association.

contributed to last season’s record. He said finishing 2-8 was enough to motivate his players during the off season.

“The overall work ethic...they hit it harder in the weight room this year,” he said. “Having the season that we had last year made them want to work harder, compared to the year before where we had so much success and I think they thought we can just show up and we can win every Friday night. Last year and this year, it’s a tougher region and you have to play your best every night. We lost a lot of close games last year, late in the fourth quarter for one reason or another, and I think with the conditioning and the lifting we’ve been doing, hopefully that will help us get over that hump.”

Warner said nearly every player was pumping iron over the spring and summer. He said in addition to strength, his skilled positions have developed speed and there’s more depth, which is going to benefit the Panthers as they look to do better this season.

“We are ahead of the pace this spring than we were last spring,” Warner said. The coach added his players are more aggressive this year.

“We definitely have more speed this year,” added speed and agility coach Nathan Mims. He said he has a few players who can run the 40-yard dash in 4.3 seconds.

“Shad (Shadrach Thornton) has gotten a lot faster and even Sam Carter, even though he hurt his leg (last year) he is a little faster than he was last year,” Mims said.

Offensive line coach Darryl McCulley said the entire team is pumped for the season.

“I think we are more tenacious this year,” he said.



Liberty County High School football coach Kirk Warner helps running back Shadrach Thornton stretch before a recent practice. Warner enters his 10th season as the Panther coach. (Patty Leon photo)

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2011 Offense

Thornton to lead more diverse Panther attack

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Liberty County High School football coach Kirk Warner is entering his 10th season and is the Panthers' longest tenured coach to date. As the Panthers prep for the 2011 season, they hope to improve on last season's 2-8 record.

Offense

The Panthers plan to keep the spread offense as their base offensive scheme for the upcoming season. The spread offense tries to take advantage of the entire field through mismatches and single coverage on receivers and allows the quarterback to decide, based on the defense, whether to keep the ball, hand it off or pass.

This type of offense suits the Panthers' speed at the skill positions and its offensive line, which is smaller than it was last season, but reportedly more mobile.

Still, most of the Panthers' opponents are likely to focus on standout running back Shadrach Thornton.

"We have to move Shadrach around and we have guys that we think can step up and take the pressure off him and we feel we have two to three more guys that can make plays," Warner said. "We are going to stay in that particular scheme and try and be a little bit more multiple. We will try and get the ball in the hands of our best offensive players. Based on our personnel, I think that's the best type of offense and we will be both under center and in the shotgun."

Offensive coordinator Ryan Glazer said he anticipates Thornton will attract a lot of attention, which means Liberty needs to develop alternatives through the air.

"There were times last year where they had two or three guys shadowing Shadrach and if we are not able to throw the ball then it's going to be trouble for us," he said. "Everyone is going to stack the box on us even though we are in the spread they are not going to respect the pass unless we are able to pass. That is why we had so much success last year against Statesboro, because we started out the game successfully passing, so they had to loosen up and we were able to open up a lot more things."

The good news is the Panthers have sev-

Panther notes

Key players lost:

- Matt Desbiens, quarterback
- Jarrett Rivers, backup quarterback
- Adrien Vakerics, kicker, punter
- Jordan Harper, offensive line
- Javaughn Shuman, offensive line
- Jovan Bennett, offensive line

Key players returning:

- Shadrach Thornton, running back
- Andre Haggray, running back
- Sam Carter, running back
- Alton Sapp, wide receiver
- Warner McCray, offensive line

eral returning players from last year who either started or got significant playing time on offense.

"Obviously, we have Shadrach, who ran for over 1,200 yards in each of the past two seasons," Glazer said. "We have Warner McCray, who will be on the offensive line as a tackle and it's his second year starting. We have Alton Sapp as a wide receiver and it will be his second year starting and he'll be a junior and we have Sam Carter who started until he broke his leg last year."

Glazer said Liberty also returns Andre Haggray who played last year and is expected to help Carter and Thornton.

The offensive line has several returning players, including Joshua Cooper, who are likely to be asked to play both ways.

Quarterback

If there is an area of concern offensively, it's at quarterback. Matt Desbiens and Jarrett Rivers have graduated and the Panthers are looking to see who will lead the team. Warner said the concern may be short lived.

"Our JV quarterback from last year has shown some progress during the summer," Warner said about Jerome "JJ" Grant. "He is not where he needs to be by game one, but he is working at it. Hopefully, Shadrach and Sam and some of the skill guys will take some pressure off of him early so he can get his feet wet and then take over."

"As far as Jerome, he runs our main plays and our zone reads and our midline and he runs those as good as we can ask," Glazer said. "He is not afraid to run the ball, not afraid to keep it. We are looking at him to step up and be a leader and lead our offense



Jerome Grant looks for room to pass during a recent practice. The Panthers will look to the pass to keep opposing defenses from keying on 1,000-yard rusher Shadrach Thornton. (Patty Leon photo)

as the QB."

Grant has competition, because Jordan Waters also has the potential to lead the squad.

"Jerome and Jordan Waters are running neck and neck," Warner said before the team's first scrimmage. "When we have our next few scrimmages, we will chart everything, who protects the ball the most, who reads the offense well and who can manage the game well. We are going to ask those guys...to manage the game and whoever steps up is going to end up starting."

Glazer said Waters, just a sophomore, has worked harder than anyone in the off season.

"He's been here every single day," Glazer said. "There are just a lot of fundamental things that he needs to work on."

"Our young quarterbacks are not as quick as we've had in the past, but they can read it well and they know how to get north and south and keep the chains moving," Warner added.

Offensive line

Offensive line coach Darryl McCulley said incoming senior Warner McCray will make

a huge impact on the offensive line. McCray played the defensive line last year and also may line up at center for the Panthers.

"We are ahead of the pace this spring than we were last spring," Warner said. "We moved some guys that were kind of down on the depth chart in the defensive line and moved them to offensive line and they have taken to it. They are aggressive, which is what you need in the spread. They are not overly big but they are quick and can get on linebackers and that is what we look for in the spread offense."

Glazer said last year's line lacked consistency.

"Our offensive line was kind of inconsistent last year," he said. "Every game it seemed like we had a different starting five and that has been one of the biggest things we've worked on during the off season. We have six or seven guys that have pretty much been here all summer and out of those seven we are comfortable with any of those five. That's going to be a big difference in our

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2011 Defense

Panther notes

Key players lost:

- Tucory Rhodes, linebacker
- Demetrick Mothershed, defensive line
- Tavoris Lewis, defensive back
- Devin Helvie, defensive back
- Shakur Cook, defensive back
- Deante Lumpkin, defensive line

Key players returning:

- Rodney Goffney, defensive back
- Raekwon McMillan, linebacker
- Melvin King, defensive end
- Anthony Dabson, defensive end

Defense has speed, toughness

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Raekwon McMillan opened eyes as a freshman linebacker in 2010 and is expected to be much improved this fall. He will again help lead the Liberty County defense as it looks to help keep the Panthers in the thick of the 2A-AAAA race. (Patty Leon photo)

The Panthers have run the 4-4 defense for the past three seasons and defensive coordinator Tony Glazer said this year's scheme will be similar, but he plans to add more multiple fronts.

"We've had a little bit more dedication this summer from our guys so we've been able to put in different packages," he said. "This summer we've put in three or four different defenses that go with the one we've been running so we should be more multiple and we have more experienced guys."

The basic 4-4 is based around speed, something the Panthers appear to have plenty of this season. It places a lot of pressure on the opposing quarterback and is stocked with multiple blitz packages.

The defense lost Tucory Rhodes, Shakur Cook, Tommy Williams, Devin Helvie, Javaughn Shuman, Jovan Bennett, Deante Lumpkin, Demetrick Mothershed and Charles Hall. This group accumulated 956 tackles in 2009, the season they made the second round of state, and earned 710 tackles in 2010 despite their 2-8 record.

The flip side of that coin includes a defensive line that returns most of its starters — and standout Melvin King, who recently committed to Georgia State, Anthony Dab-

son, last year's stand out freshman Raekwon McMillan, Marcus LeCounte, Trevon Walthour and Javious James.

"LeCounte has shown good strides over the spring and summer," Warner said. "Javious James and all those guys are going to step up. They are working hard this summer."

King had 34 solo tackles and 17 assists last season. He also deflected four passes and offensively caught three passes for 71 yards. McMillan tallied 49 tackles with 33 being solo hits and Dabson had 27 solo and 15 assists last year. Dabson led in sacks last season with four. Walthour had 2 sacks, and tallied 32 tackles, 15 of which solo.

Glazer said King, Dabson, McMillan and Walthour are slated to lead the defense this year and he expects a lot from his top four. He added one of his players is stepping up as well.

"I think Marcus LeCounte, who is going to play at inside linebacker, is going to do really well," he said. "He's been here four days a week lifting and he really turned heads out

here this first week hitting people."

LeCounte tallied five tackles last year while getting playing time toward the end of the season.

Glazer said his secondary and linebackers have been quite a surprise, adding he was impressed with newcomer Tay Tay Bacon.

"He's done really well," Glazer said. "We have Rodney Goffney at safety who played a lot last year and we have Cameron Livingston at corner who played a lot last year too. We have those three and we have others that are running with them. I would say the strongest position is our linebackers, but we need a little more depth at linebackers."

Livingston saw action last year, getting 7 solo tackles and 2 assists.

Glazer said defensive ends King and Dabson will probably be the best in Region 2A-AAAA and added the defensive line is coming along.

Michael Bashlor, the defensive line coach, said the line is developing and, "should look pretty good," by the time the regular season

rolls around.

"We have to focus on the fundamentals, get the techniques down and the simple things," he said. "We also want to make sure nobody gets hurt so that's where the conditioning comes in. We've got speed, we've got size and we are stronger than we were last year. We had a really good summer in the weight room and that should show up on the field."

Defensive back coach Sam Richards said incoming senior Tay Tay Bacon will definitely be among the starters.

"Rodney Goffney has been working at safety for the last few years and he is going to step up and perform well there as well. In all, we have four seniors at corner and safety."

Richards said they spent the off season working on drills that will help his players rip the ball out of opponents' hands. They want to force more turnovers as well as improve their tackling.

"I don't think we are going to have much of a drop off," Warner said.

2011 Preview

No easy nights on Panthers' regular season slate

Here's a week-by-week look at the Liberty County High School football schedule.

Aug. 26, Panthers host Americus-Sumter Panthers

Last season was the first time these two teams met on the gridiron and Americus won 28-7. Americus finished 7-5 overall and 5-1 in Region 1-AAA last year and made the quarterfinals of the Class AAA playoffs before falling 48-0 to Sandy Creek.

Americus is slated to start the season ranked 116th in the state, according to Maxpreps.com. The Liberty squad starts the season ranked No. 167, according to Maxpreps.com.

Sept. 2, Panthers host McIntosh Academy

McIntosh County Academy beat the Panthers 28-14 in 2010 and owns a 1-7 series advantage. But MCA fired long-time coach Robby Robinson in late January, despite a 7-5 overall record and a trip to the second round of the state playoffs. Former Tift County offensive coordinator Keith Gosse was appointed the Bucs new head coach.

MCA comes in ranked No. 159, according to Maxpreps.com.

Sept. 9, Panthers host Effingham County Rebels

The Panthers are 1-3 against the 2B-AAAA Rebels, who went 6-4 overall and 4-1 in Region 2B-AAAA last season.

Effingham scored a total of 197 points last season but their defense allowed 200. In 2009, the Panthers won on their home turf and they anticipate a repeat performance this year at Donell Woods Stadium. The Rebels come into the season ranked No. 108.

Sept. 16, Panthers at Statesboro Blue Devils

The Blue Devils probably have this game marked on their calendars after Liberty pulled a 29-0 upset over Statesboro in the first meeting between the two programs.

The Blue Devils still finished 11-3 overall and 4-1 in 2B-AAAA. The Statesboro team made it all the way to the championship game last year before Chattahoochee edged out a 22-21 win for the Class AAAA title. Maxpreps.com has them starting the season ranked No. 2 in the state.



A defensive back reaches for an interception during a recent intersquad scrimmage. The Panthers open the 2011 season on Friday at Donell Woods Stadium against Americus Sumter. (Patty Leon photo)

Sept. 30, Panthers host Richmond Hill Wildcats

Richmond Hill has been successful against the Panthers only twice in 10 matchups and the Panthers have outscored the Wildcats 332-161.

Last year the Panthers posted their second shutout of the season against the Wildcats, winning 13-0 while holding Richmond Hill to 161 total yards.

The Wildcats finished 4-6 overall and went winless in 2A-AAAA. They start the season ranked at No. 197 this year.

Oct. 7, Panthers at Brunswick Pirates

When the Panthers were re-aligned to Region 2A-AAAA, the Brunswick Pirates were suddenly one of their subregion opponents. The two teams met for the first time last season and Brunswick sailed away with a 26-14 win. Despite having a roster made up predominately of sophomores and juniors, the Pirates managed an 8-4 overall record and 5-0 mark in Region 2A-AAAA. The Pirates begin the 2011 season ranked

45th by Maxpreps.com.

Oct. 14, Panthers at Ware County Gators

The Gators were another team the Panthers inherited as a region opponent last season and, in their first ever matchup, Ware won 21-7.

Ware finished 10-3 overall and 4-1 in Region 2A-AAAA and made it to the state Class AAAA semifinals before losing 42-3 to Tucker. The Gators outscored opponents 320-125 last year and will have the home field advantage this season against Liberty.

The four time region champion Gators are slated to start the season ranked No. 30 in the state by Maxpreps.com.

Oct. 21, Panthers host Wayne County Yellow Jackets

This game is quickly becoming another fan favorite. Though the schools scrimmaged in recent years, the two teams hadn't played for real since the mid 1990s until last season, when both wound up in Region 2A-AAAA.

2010 Results

Panthers 2010 results
 Region 2A-AAAA record: 1-4
 Overall record 2-8
 Game 1: Americus-Sumter 28, LCHS 7
 Game 2: McIntosh County Academy 28, LCHS 14
 Game 3: Effingham County 28, LCHS 14
 Game 4: LCHS 29, Statesboro 0
 Game 5: LCHS 13, Richmond Hill 0
 Game 6: Brunswick 26, LCHS 14
 Game 7: Ware County 21, LCHS 7
 Game 8: Wayne County 14, LCHS 6
 Game 9: Glynn Academy 26, LCHS 22
 Game 10: Evans 24, LCHS 14

The Panthers are 0-5 against the Yellow Jackets, including last season's 14-6 loss. Wayne County went 5-5 overall and 2-3 in the subregion under head coach Jody Grooms, who replaced former coach Mark Daniels before the 2010 season began. It was the third head coach in four seasons for the Yellow Jackets.

The Yellow Jackets have quarterback Greyson Lambert. He was rated the No. 1 college prospect at quarterback but was officially taken off the list when he verbally committed to Virginia on Aug. 6. That gives the Yellow Jackets an experienced and poised passing style QB manning an offense that returns eight starters this season. The Yellow jackets are slated to start ranked at No. 74.

Oct. 28, Panther at Glynn Academy Red Terrors

The Panthers are 0-3 against the Red Terrors and last year the Panthers became one of their Region 2A-AAAA opponents. All three of the past Terror victories were by four points or less. After finishing the season 8-4 overall and 3-2 in the subregion, the Red Terrors stunned Lovejoy High School last year in the first round of the state playoffs by beating them 7-6. Lovejoy was 10-0 going into the playoffs. In the second round of state the Red fell to Dutchtown.

According to maxpreps.com the Red Terrors will start the season ranked No. 37 in the state, up 27 slots from last year.

Nov. 4, Subregion matchup TBA



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3	JORDAN MOODY	10	RB	31	JUSTIN HURT	11	RB	65	KHARN COLLIER-ELLISON	10	OL
4	JALEN GILYARD	11	K	32	MARCUS LECOUNTE	12	LB	67	JACOB BUCHANNAN	11	OL
6	DARION MALLETTE	12	K	33	DJ BRATCHER	11	DB	68	JAMEL BENNETT	10	OL
8	JORDAN WATERS	10	QB	34	JAVIOUS JAMES	12	LB	69	JERMAINE ROBERTS	11	OL
9	TAY TAY BACON	12	DB	35	RASHEED SANDERS	10	LB	72	JEREMY CALDWELL-FABREGAS	10	OL
10	SHADRACH THORNTON	12	RB	41	TRAVIUS RAYMO	10	DB	73	JONATHAN BRITTON	10	DL
11	JHONTE JAMES	12	DB	42	RAEKWON MCMILLAN	10	LB	77	RAYQUAN HENDERSON	11	OL
12	JEVON WILLIAMS	12	DB	43	CORY LAZENBY	11	LB	79	JOSHUA COOPER	11	OL
14	JJ GRANT	11	QB	44	TREMON BISHOP	10	LB	80	OJ JAMES	10	WR
15	ALTON SAPP	11	WR	45	FRANK BUSH	10	LB	82	PARIS BOLES	10	WR
17	TRENTICE WILLIAMS	10	DB	48	GREG ROMAN	11	LB	83	MARCUS PICKENS	12	DB
18	JOEY IRIZARRY	11	WR	49	KHALEED BARRETT	10	DB	86	RONDELL REED	11	WR
19	RODNEY GOFFNEY	12	DB	50	CORNELIUS BUTLER	11	OL	88	MYLES PHILPOTT	10	WR
20	SAM CARTER	12	RB	51	AMIR OLIVER	11	LB	90	TREVON WALTHOUR	11	DL
21	RODNEY WOODS	10	RB	54	WARNER MCCRAY	12	OL	92	DARIN TOWNSEND	11	DL
22	CAMERON LIVINGSTON	12	DB	55	TAISON WALLS	11	DL	94	KAJEEM GRANT	11	DL
24	QURAN CHATMAN	11	DB	56	TYLER PHILLIPS	12	OL	98	ANTHONY DABSON	12	DE
26	RASHAWN HARRIS	11	DB	57	ANTWINE DAVIS	10	DL	99	MELVIN KING	12	DE
27	J.B. BARBRY	11	WR	61	DAMIAN OSBORNE	12	DL				

2011 Liberty County Football Schedule

- **Aug. 19, 7 p.m., LCHS Panthers host BI Tigers, pre-season scrimmage**
- **Aug. 26, 7:30 p.m., LCHS hosts Americua-Sumter (1-AAA)**
- **Sept. 2, 7:30 p.m., LCHS hosts McIntosh Academy (2-AA)**
- **Sept. 9, 7:30 p.m. LCHS hosts Effingham County (2B-AAAA)**
- **Sept. 16, 7:30 p.m., LCHS at Statesboro (2B-AAAA)**
- ***Sept. 30, 7:30 p.m. LCHS hosts Richmond Hill (2A-AAAA)**
- ***Oct. 7, 7:30 p.m. LCHS at Brunswick (2A-AAAA)**
- ***Oct. 14, 7:30 p.m. LCHS at Ware County (2A-AAAA)**
- ***Oct. 21, LCHS hosts Wayne County (2A-AAAA)**
- ***Oct. 28, 7:30 p.m. LCHS at Glynn Academy (2A-AAAA)**
- **Nov. 4, 7:30 p.m. Sub-Region play in game, TBD**

– All home games at Donnell Woods Stadium.

– Games in bold are home games.

*Denotes Region game

2011 Panther Coaches



Back row (left to right): Josh Davis, Tony Glazer, Head coach Kirk Warner, Tony Glazer, Nathan Mims
 Front row (left to right) James Sahrp III, San Richards, Darryll McCulley, Bruce Woods.

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