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Just a few notes:

- ◆ A team wearing Blue, Silver, and White and nicknamed the Bulldogs will win the state championship.
- ◆ Amherst is making only its second six man playoff appearance. Last year Amherst lost to Ropes 52-50 in bi-district play.

- ◆ Amherst and class A 11-man semifinalist Sudan are only 9 miles apart.
- ◆ Milford is making its third trip to the title game. Milford is 2-0 in its previous 2 appearances. In 1979, they beat Cotton Center 53-34 and in 1980, they defeated Highland 38-16.
- ◆ Only Cherokee (3 titles) and Fort Hancock (5 titles) have more six man titles than Milford.

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L-L-L-Let's Get Ready To Rumble!

The Battle of the Bulldogs III
#1 Milford (12-0-0)- #2 Amherst (12-1-1)
at Abilene Wylie Saturday 7:30pm

And then there were two. Amherst and Milford both completed second half comebacks to advance to Saturday evening's championship matchup. Amherst came back for the third straight week, eliminating a 14-6 halftime deficit. Milford scored 24 unanswered fourth

quarter points to crush to hopes of Zephyr, 46-30. In a game that guarantees a Bulldog state champion, the superior breed will be determined in a tough smash mouth football game. Both teams plan on utilizing tough rushing attacks. Expect only a max of 10-15 passes in this one.

Both teams also have excellent defenses that have controlled the top offenses in the state the last few weeks. This one's going to be a war in the trenches.

Prediction: Milford by 11

The Huntress Six Man Rankings
(after semifinal games)

rk	team	record	rating	rk	team	record	rating	rk	team	record	rating
1.	Milford	(12-0-0)	108.13	29t.	Hermleigh	(7-3-0)	57.45	57.	Bynum	(2-8-0)	36.07
2.	Amherst	(12-1-1)	97.05	29t.	Northside	(6-3-0)	57.45	58.	Dawson	(3-7-0)	35.89
3.	Mullin	(12-1-0)	96.37	31.	Coolidge	(6-4-0)	56.99	59.	McLean	(3-7-0)	33.47
4.	Zephyr	(10-3-1)	92.86	32.	Wilson	(5-5-0)	56.84	60.	Walnut Springs	(4-5-0)	33.12
5.	Balmorhea	(11-1-0)	85.41	33.	Jayton	(6-4-0)	54.81	61.	Aquilla	(2-6-0)	30.75
6.	Guthrie	(11-1-0)	83.18	34.	Gustine	(5-5-0)	51.79	62.	Rule	(3-6-0)	27.78
7.	Gordon	(11-1-1)	81.67	35.	Morgan	(6-3-0)	51.71	63.	Grandfalls-Royalty	(1-9-0)	27.61
8.	May	(8-2-0)	80.38	36.	Miami	(5-4-0)	51.29	64.	Loop	(2-8-0)	26.80
9.	Meadow	(7-3-2)	78.65	37.	Buena Vista	(8-2-0)	50.85	65.	Rochester	(1-8-0)	26.41
10.	Woodson	(9-2-0)	74.18	38.	Borden County	(6-3-1)	50.74	66.	Oglesby	(4-6-0)	26.09
11.	Blackwell	(7-4-0)	73.83	39.	Panther Creek	(4-6-0)	50.65	67.	Newcastle	(2-7-0)	25.78
12.	Lazbuddie	(7-5-0)	72.97	40.	Paint Rock	(4-5-0)	49.64	68.	Novice	(4-5-0)	25.30
13.	Dell City	(7-4-0)	72.88	41.	Cotton Center	(6-4-0)	47.99	69.	Sierra Blanca	(1-8-0)	24.89
14.	Trinidad	(8-2-0)	72.82	42.	Follett	(6-5-0)	46.44	70.	Brookesmith	(2-8-0)	24.09
15.	Sands	(9-3-0)	72.21	43.	Cherokee	(8-4-0)	45.88	71.	Trent	(0-9-0)	22.38
16.	Wellman	(8-3-1)	70.98	44.	Fruitvale	(6-3-0)	45.09	72.	Star	(4-6-0)	19.77
17.	Richland Springs	(8-4-0)	70.58	45.	Moran	(7-3-0)	44.05	73.	Benjamin	(1-8-0)	17.48
18.	Grady	(8-2-0)	70.46	46.	Three Way	(4-5-0)	42.68	74.	Southland	(1-9-0)	17.23
19.	Paint Creek	(8-3-0)	70.27	47.	Lueders-Avoca	(5-4-0)	41.93	75.	Silverton	(1-9-0)	16.83
20.	Samnorwood	(9-2-0)	67.70	48.	Blanket	(5-5-0)	41.55	76.	Megargel	(2-7-0)	16.62
21.	Covington	(8-3-0)	65.85	49.	Buckholtz	(4-6-0)	41.33	77.	Westbrook	(1-8-1)	16.50
22.	Jonesboro	(7-3-0)	63.87	50.	Whitharral	(5-5-0)	41.13	78.	Rochelle	(0-10-0)	15.58
23.	Chillicothe	(8-3-0)	62.99	51.	Harrold	(3-7-0)	40.69	79.	Union	(2-7-1)	13.65
24.	Ropes	(7-4-0)	61.54	52.	Lohn	(6-4-0)	38.82	80.	Iredell	(0-9-0)	13.49
25.	Klondike	(7-3-0)	60.79	53.	New Home	(3-7-0)	38.49	81.	Higgins	(0-9-0)	7.86
26.	Lorraine	(6-5-0)	59.15	54.	Patton Springs	(4-6-0)	37.95	82.	Cranfills Gap	(0-9-0)	7.68
27.	Lefors	(7-3-0)	59.14	55.	Highland	(6-4-1)	36.90	83.	Ira	(0-10-0)	4.55
28.	Strawn	(5-5-0)	58.62	56.	Sidney	(2-8-0)	36.86				



1994 Amherst Bulldogs
runner-up District 2

number	name	postion	weight	class
1	Tommy Traylor	B-LB	130	Jr
3	Brandon Pointer	B-LB	160	Jr.
5	Edmundo Cueto	C-DE	140	Sr.
6	Jeff Edwards	C-S	140	Sr.
11	Chris Bishop	QB-S	175	Sr.
15	Chris Brantley	B-LB	135	So.
20	Torrey Tolbert	B-LB	160	Sr.
22	Jeremy Jennings	E-LB	150	Jr.
23	Shadd Friday	E-DE	150	Jr.
24	Jerry Fausto	E-DE	175	Jr.
26	Ryan McNabb	B-E-DE	165	So.
30	Chester Nesbitt	C-DE	185	Fr.
33	Jason Mote	B-LB	130	Fr.
34	Dewayne Miles	B-LB	200	Jr.
40	Joey Rackley	B-S	100	So.
42	J. Paul Duffy	E-DE	150	Fr.

coaches: Jack Shely
Ray Reynolds
Jauquin Rodriquez
Kathy Mills

1994 Milford Bulldogs
champions district 14

number	name	postion	weight	class
1	Chris Jones	QB-CB	160	So.
2	Jason Houston	RB-CB	140	Sr.
4	Lee Houston	E-DL	170	Sr.
5	Chris Pendleton	QB-S	146	Jr.
10	Curtis Cook	QB-S	145	So.
11	Louis Essary	E-DL	260	Sr.
12	Kenya Cook	RB-CB	180	Jr.
14	Adam McDonald	E-CB	130	So.
20	Keith Washington	RB-S	125	Fr.
21	Kinta Cook	RB-CB	155	So.
22	Ricky Cook	RB-DL	236	Jr.
24	Jackie Winchester	E-DL	195	So.
30	Dedric Gates	E-DL	204	Fr.
31	Centwane Gates	RB-CB	125	Fr.
32	Chad Sanders	QB-DL	180	Sr.
34	Norman Singleton	RB-DL	200	Sr.
42	William Sutton	E-DL	125	So.
48	David Surles	E-DL	160	So.
50	Daniel Harvey	C-DL	240	So.
65	Glenn Slaton	E-DL	167	Sr.
67	Ka'charo Cook	C-DL	285	Sr.

Coaches: Cliff Gilmore
Brandon Smith
Rick Morris

The Amherst Bulldogs come into the championship game on a roll. They play tough hard nosed football and get it done with defense, allowing only 15.6 ppg this season. They held Balmorhea, which had been averaging 54.7 ppg up to last weekend, to only 28 points.

Amherst can play offense too. The Bulldogs have averaged 42.6 ppg up to this point this season. Dewayne Miles rushed for over 1000 yards during the regular season and had over 200 yds on only 13 carries and 3TD's against Balmorhea. Tommy Traylor gained over 100 yds on 13 carries last weekend. Jeremy Jennings averaged over 23 yds per reception and scored 9 TD in a tight style offense. Also look for key performances from Torrey Tolbert, Chris Bishop, Brandon Pointer, and Jerry Frausto. Amherst's one concern is to keep from falling too far behind. They have had to stage comebacks in each of the last three weeks.

The Milford Bulldogs are a big football team. They tend to wear down teams toward the end of games. They have averaged 56.4 ppg this season, while allowing only 14.7. On offense they run a tight formation with the big backs. Norman Singleton had 1121 yards in only 7 regular season games and had 342 yds on 39 carries with 4TD's last weekend. Ricky Cook usually shares the load with Singleton, but spent most of last week on the bench with a sore ankle. He should be ready by Saturday. The defense is headed by Louis Essary and Lee Houston. If there is one concern for Milford, it's the nine fumbles in the last two games.

Amherst (12-1-1)

New Home	W	54-7
Jayton	W	48-7
Meadow	W	29-6
Wilson	W	42-14
Wellman	W	43-22
Three Way	W	58-32
Lazbuddie	L	34-28
Cotton Center	W	48-13
Whitharral	W	56-16
Silverton	W	54-6
Samnorwood	W	62-14
Meadow	T	12-12 (adv. on penetrations)
Dell City	W	31-8
Balmorhea	W	32-28

Milford (12-0)

Owens Highlands	W	60-0
Christian Temple	W	59-12
Praise Christian	W	72-0
Loraine	W	78-34
Coolidge	W	54-6
Covington	W	62-14
Bynum	W	62-12
Trinidad	W	47-0
Strawn	W	53-6
Richland Springs	W	52-32
Mullin	W	32-30
Zephyr	W	46-30