

1978

RECORD: 9-2
COACH: Sam Sirianni

COUNTY: (3-0) (Champions)

SO. FLA. CONFERENCE: (7-0) (Champions)

Charlotte Lely
Cypress Lake North Fort Myers
Fort Myers Riverdale
Immokalee

DISTRICT AAA-12: (4-1) (2nd)

Charlotte Lely
DeSoto County Naples
Fort Myers Riverdale

	F.M.	34	Riverdale	0
	F.M.	27	Naples	0
	F.M.	44	Venice	15
	F.M.	61	Immokalee	14
	F.M.	15	Clewiston	7
	F.M.	41	Charlotte County	21
	F.M.	16	Lely	6
	F.M.	14	North Fort Myers	0
	F.M.	7	DeSoto County	10
	F.M.	12	Cypress Lake	10
Edison Bowl	F.M.	12	St. Thomas Aquinas	19

F.M.-PTS (AVG) 283 (25.7)

OPP.-PTS (AVG) 102 (9.3)

CAPTAINS: Leroy McDonald and Bob Ferreira

LEADING SCORER: Leroy McDonald 14 TDS, Eric Riley 7 TDS, Dave Smith 5 TDS

LEADING RUSHER: Leroy McDonald 1167 YDS, Dave Smith 687 YDS

LEADING PASSER: Eric Riley 569 YDS

LEADING RECEIVER: Scott Peterson 9-169 YDS

AWARDS, FACTS, HIGHLIGHTS AND HONORS

Were the South Florida Conference and Lee County Champions and the District AAA-12 runners up.

In the Edison Bowl, St. Thomas Aquinas of Fort Lauderdale, defeated Fort Myers 19-12 by rushing for 374 YDS. St. Thomas Aquinas and Fort Myers had been ranked 1 and 2 in the State Poll until the 9th week of the season when both lost.

Behind Leroy McDonald's 175 YDS and 3 TDS the Greenies defeated Immokalee 61-14. The Greenies amassed 437 rushing yards and 7 rushing TDS.

Leroy McDonald's 174 yds and TD led the Greenies to a victory over undefeated (4-0) and 5th ranked Clewiston 15-7.

Defeated 18th ranked and undefeated (9-0) Cypress Lake 12-10.

Ranked 2nd in the State Poll

Leroy McDonald became the only the 8th Greenie to score 14 TDS in a season and finished his career with 23. He became the fifth back to go over 2000 career yards with 2317 and became the ninth back to gain over 1000 (1167) in a season. He became the 3rd back to carry ball over 400 times in a career and finished with 8 100-YD games. His 2753 Total All-Purpose yards ranked him 4th all-time. Leroy's totals would have been higher but he only played in 5 games in 1976 and was injured for 2 games in 1977.

Eric Riley threw for a school record .517% completions and 18.96 yards per pass (over 30 completions) He hit 7 of 8 vs Cypress Lake for .875%.

Scott Peterson caught a TD pass in 3 consecutive games to tie a school record.

Leroy McDonald	(RB)	1st Team All-Conference 1st Team All-Southwest Florida 1st Team All-State
Scott Lowrey	(DB)	1st Team All-Conference 1st Team All-Southwest Florida 3rd Team All-State
Bill Pulley	(G)	1st Team All-Conference 1st Team All-Southwest Florida H.M. All-State
Eric Riley	(QB)	1st Team All-Conference 2nd Team All-Southwest Florida
Bob Pulley	(DE)	1st Team All-Conference 2nd Team All-Southwest Florida
Fred Newman	(LB)	2nd Team All-Conference H.M. All-Southwest Florida
Phil Kinsey	(T)	2nd Team All-Conference
Wayne Fulcher	(DT)	1st Team All-Southwest Florida
Bob Ferreira	(LB)	H.M. All-Southwest Florida

Leroy McDonald (RB) was voted Outstanding Greenie

Phil Kinsey (T) was voted Best Blocker

James Kronk won the Scholar's Award

Leroy McDonald was voted Best Back