

Thursday, November 27, 1980



STEVE MAZUR  
Andover

KEN KOPKO  
Harrison

MARC KUNEV  
Avondale

DAVE YAREMA  
Brother Rice



GREG HUMPHRIES  
Avondale

## Linebackers highlight all-area team

By DENNIS O'CONNOR

When area coaches recently met to select the 1980 All-Observer & Eccentric football team, it was their consensus that this was the "Year of the Linebacker" in Oakland County.

In all, 16 linebackers, many of whom were senior captains and defensive catalysts, were nominated for all-area honors.

Rochester Adams' Ken Kaszubinski heads the list of linebackers. A three-year starter and senior captain for the Highlanders, Kaszubinski was the leading pointgetter among the linebackers. He made 127 tackles and recovered four fumbles this season.

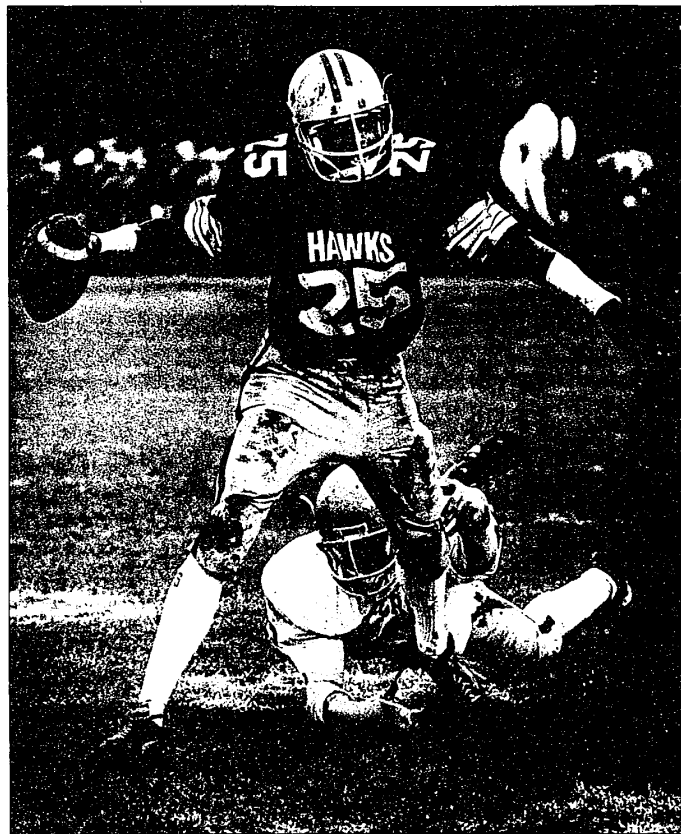
Birmingham Brother Rice's senior tri-captain Tim MacLean is another first-team linebacker. One of five Warriors to earn first-team honors, Ma-

clean leads Rice's potent defense with 110 tackles going into Saturday's Class A championship against Dearborn Fordson.

George Schultz was a big reason Southfield-Lathrup finished with a 6-3 record and a share of the Metro Suburban Activities Association (MSAA) title with Birmingham Groves. Schultz, the third first-team linebacker on this prestigious team, was the Chargers' Most Valuable Player this season. He was selected the most valuable defensive player for the second straight year.

The fourth first-team linebacker is Jeff Long of West Bloomfield. Long was instrumental in the Lakers' 7-2 season. He called 75 percent of the defensive signals and tackled the ball 12 times for lost yardage.

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Reggie Upshaw, an exciting wide receiver who helped Farmington Harrison reach the Class B state playoffs, was the leading vote-getter among offensive ends on the

1980 Observer & Eccentric All-Area football team for Oakland County. (Staff photo by Randy Borst)

### O&E All-Area football team

#### FIRST-TEAM OFFENSE

Player	School	Pos.	Year
Greg Humphries	Avondale	L	Sr.
Allen Peters	Andover	L	Jr.
Kris Marwin	Seaholm	L	Sr.
Bob Erniger	Athens	L	Sr.
Don Pesci	Harrison	L	Sr.
Dave Yarema	Rice	QB	Jr.
Steve Mazur	Andover	B	Sr.
Ken Kopko	Harrison	B	Sr.
Marc Kunev	Avondale	B	Sr.
Reggie Upshaw	Harrison	E	Sr.
Steve Allen	Rice	E	Sr.
Mike Kramer	Athens	P	Sr.
Roy Morris	Troy	K	Sr.

#### FIRST-TEAM DEFENSE

Player	School	Pos.	Year
Greg Dingens	Rice	L	Sr.
Dewey Benson	Groves	L	Sr.
Doug Ziegenbier	Groves	L	Sr.
Rick Doyle	Seaholm	L	Sr.
Ken Kaszubinski	Adams	LB	Sr.
Tim MacLean	Rice	LB	Sr.
George Schultz	Lathrup	LB	Sr.
Jeff Long	West Bloomfield	LB	Sr.
Mike Corradi	Lahser	B	Sr.
Brad Cochran	Rice	B	Sr.
Steve Sweeney	Harrison	B	Jr.
John Herrington	Harrison	Coach	

**SECOND-TEAM OFFENSE** — Mike Hodgins, West Bloomfield, (L); Mike Johnson, Lahser, (L); Andy Sloan, Cranbrook (L); Jeff Olson, Andover, (L); Hiram Jackson, Detroit Country Day (L); Jeff Roberts, Avondale (QB); Paul Bobbitt, Lathrup (B); Alex Clark, Lahser (B); Mike Neff, Brother Rice (B); Phillip Bolduc, Rochester (E); Rich Denno, Lathrup (E); Tom Wetzen, Rochester (P); Pete Chronowski, Avondale (K).

**SECOND-TEAM DEFENSE** — Dan Kehagias, Harrison (L); Dan Keenwell, West Bloomfield (L); Leighton Brown, Cranbrook (L); Jim Whitworth, Farmington (L); Greg Zunker, Rochester (LB); Ken Granader, Groves (LB); Don Hagland, Avondale (LB); Bruce Yeager, Harrison (LB); Dave Harris, Seaholm (B); Mike Thompson, Rochester Adams (B); Mike Malsner, Lathrup (B).

**HONORABLE MENTION** — Kirk Matich, Jim Thompson, Doug Miller, Derek Woodmore, Jeff Labrodi — Auburn Hills, Avondale; Paul Jolisch, Fred Kuntel, Joe Bars, John Maher, Jim Carroll — Birmingham Brother Rice; Bill Harkin, San Luella, Greg Egan, Walt Rice, Joe Sharkey — Birmingham Groves; Jeff Faycurey, Greg Thieleke, Pat O'Toole, Guy Baiton, Dave Harris — Birmingham Seaholm; Robin Peterson, Roe Breaugh, Mike Buford — Bloomfield Hills; Andover; Mark LaFortune, Tim Hagan, Eric Maeder, Scott Eater — Bloomfield Hills; Cranbrook; Dave Soyla, Dick Hastings, Lance Freeman — Bloomfield Hills; Lahser; John Wilson, Tim Senett — Detroit Country Day; Jim Cieso, Jim Steiner, Jeff O'Malley, Mike Miller — Farmington; Jim Macleak, Dave Blackner, Steve Wolfson, Don Gully — Farmington Harrison; Rick Roth, Doug Schulte — North Farmington; Ron Jenkins, Bret Machovec, Jeff Ambrose, Dan Reagan — Rochester; Pete Altio — Rochester Adams; Dave Correll — Southfield; Terry Bobbitt, Ed Dabko, John Crotshaw, John Kusa — Southfield-Lathrup; Duane Losey, Rusty Stoen, Ted Bumbelak, Rick Keasey — Troy; Kirk Lawitake, Tim Drumeller, Phil Shaller, Scott Degan, Mike Rully — Troy; Athens; Carley Glavin — Walled Lake Central; Jim Hinberg, Dave Gorman, Tom Hall, Dave Dixon — West Bloomfield.

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