

Warm Memories

A Hot Team on a Hot Night

November 2 was unusually warm. The temperature was 75 degrees at game time, but to the football players it was more like 100 degrees with the humidity.

The opening event was the parade of the senior football players and their escorts consisting of girlfriends and even a grandmother. "It really meant a lot to me to have my grandmother at the game," said Benji McCoy. "She made it even more special by escorting me onto the field before hand." After a kiss for good luck, the players returned to the locker room for the last encouraging word from the coach before the game.

After a grand performance by the band at half-time, the five Homecoming Queen candidates

and their escorts came onto the field. This night turned out to be very special for LaVerne Aiken. "I was especially excited over this extra special night," said LaVerne. "Being selected as Homecoming Queen made it memorable."

After the Homecoming ceremonies, the football players returned to the field to continue their annihilation of the burke Bulldogs by a score of 62-12.

For the first time ever the homecoming dance was held in the commons area after the game. Attendance was slow at first but increased as the night went on. Crazee Mundee was the DJ and he kept everyone dancing the night away.



With perspiring foreheads and anxious smiles the Homecoming Queen candidates and their escorts wait patiently to be announced onto the field. They are Debbie Rowe with Steve Gardener, Kellye O'Connor with Greg Fennesy, Sanaa Taylor with Toby Williams, and LaVerne Aiken.

Melanie Brown, a spirit club member gets another batch of balloons to pass out.

Corsages are a sign of Homecoming Queen candidates. Sanaa Taylor helps a very nervous Kelley O'Connor with hers.