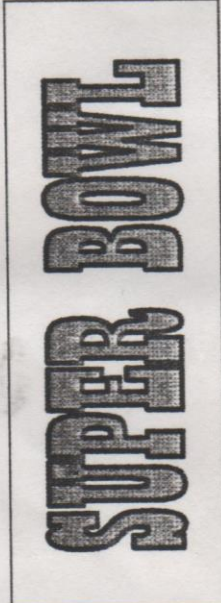




POWER PLAY



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THE 1997 BAMA BLAST TOURNAMENT AND CONVENTION

by steve graham

WE WOULD LOVE TO TELL YOU THAT WE HAVE FINALLY SCHEDULED ONE OF THE GREATEST TOURNAMENTS THAT HAS EVER BEEN PUT TOGETHER. IN JUNE ON THE 20,21,22, WE WILL BE PUTTING THE FIRST EVER WEIGHTED TOURNAMENT ON. ALSO WE WILL BE HAVING A NON WEIGHT AND OLYMPIC EVENTS . 50YD ,100 YD, DASH STRONGEST MAN CONTEST ALSO PASSING CONTEST . ALONG WITH A PAINT CONTEST

FOR CONFIGURED AND STANDARD. IT WILL BE THREE DAYS OF THE BEST ELECTRIC FOOTBALL ACTION AROUND. WE WILL BE HAVING DISPLAY TABLES UP FOR PEOPLE WANTING TO SELL ITEMS. WE WILL BE HAVING EVENTS GOING ON ALL DAY SATURDAY AND SUNDAY. SO IF YOU LOVE ELECTRIC FOOTBALL COME BE PART OF WHAT WE HOPE WILL BECOME AN ANNUAL EVENT. IT IS \$ 25.00 FEE PER TEAM ALSO THIS GOES TOWARD THE PRIZES AND LUNCH WILL BE SERVED ON SATURDAY. SO COME TO BIRMINGHAM BE PART OF THE BAMA BLAST. COME PLAY THE BEST IN THE GAME OF ELECTRIC FOOTBALL WITH GUYS FROM ALL OVER THE COUNTRY BUT THE BEST PART IS YOU GET TO BRING YOUR OWN TEAMS TO PLAY. IT WILL BE THREE DAYS OF THE MOST FUN YOU HAVE EVER EXPERIENCED.

FROM THE PRESIDENT OF THE OXFORD ELECTRIC FOOTBALL CLUB THE WAY YOUR TEAMS MUST BE TO PRATICIPATE IN THE BAMA BLAST TOURNAMENTS
by david nickles

I WELL GUY'S LET ME START BY SAYING THIS HAS BEEN A DREAM OF OURS FOR ALONG TIME. WE HAVE FINALLY PUT THIS TOURNAMENT TOGHTHER THANKS TO THE HELP AND PLANNING OF MR DON LEWIS OF SPRINGVILLE. THE FIRST EVER WEIGHTED TOURNAMENT TO EVER BE HELD. WE KNOW ABOUT YOU GUY'S WHO PLAY WITH WEIGHT. THATS WHY WHEN

WE STARTED TO PLAN THIS TOURNAMENT WE WANTED TO GET EVERYONE HERE THE GUY'S THAT PLAY WITH WEIGHT AND ALSO THE GUY'S THAT PLAY NO WEIGHT. WE WANTED YOU GUYS TO BE ABLE TO BRING YOUR OWN TEAMS TO PLAY. BUT WHEN WE LET YOU GUY'S BRING YOUR ON TEAMS WE HAVE TO SET SOME RULES SO ALL PARTY'S INVOLVED WOULD BE EQUAL. WE KNOW THEY ARE ALOT OF DIFFERNT STYLES TO PLAY THIS GAME AND THAT IS WHAT IS GREAT ABOUT THE GAME BUT WHEN A TOURNAMENT IS INVOLVED WE HAVE TO GET A STYLE THAT EVERY ONE CAN PLAY AND THEY ARE ALL EQUAL. I WILL START WITH THE NO WEIGHT TEAMS FIRST. ON NO WEIGHTED TEAMS ALL YOU CAN DO IS PLACE THE GUY ON THE BASE YOU CAN PAINT YOUR BASE. YOU CAN USE THE MIGGLE BASES TODAY AND THE OLD ROOKIE BASES. WE WILL NOT BE ALLOWING THE OLD BROWN BASES. FOR THE SIMPLE REASON KEEPING EVERYONE EQUAL AND YOU CAN NOT MOVE THE GUYS ARMS. ON THE WEIGHTED TEAMS IT HAS TO BE THE GUY FLAT ON THE BASE YOU CAN PUT WEIGHT UNDER NEATH THE BASE AS LONG AS THE MEN ARE ABLE TO RUN FREELY. YOU CAN NOT PLACE ANYTHING BETWEEN THE MAN AND THE BASE YOU CAN HOW EVER MOVE THE MEN TO THE FRONT OF THE BASE AND YOU CAN MOVE THE MENS ARMS. ALL TEAMS IN BOTH CLASSES WILL BE INSPECTED BEFORE THE TOURNAMENT BEGINS. WE WANTED TO SET THIS TOURNAMENT AND CONVENTION UP SO YOU GUY'S COULD COME PLAY YOUR OW STUFF. WHY SHOULD WE KEEP BUILDING TEAMS IF WE NEVER GET TO USE THEM ON A NATIONAL LEVEL. WE HOPE THE BAMA BLAST WILL TURN INTO AN ANNUAL EVENT. ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT A TEAM FEEL FREE TO CALL ME AT 205-835-9988 ASK FOR DAVID NICKLES OR CALL 205-89-9160 ASK FOR STEVE GRAHAM OR 205-831-7206 ASK FOR GARY PATE. REMBER ITS \$25.00 DOLLARS PER TEAM COME BE PART OF 3 DAYS OF FUN.

1997 BAMA BLAST FIRST ANNUAL ELECTRIC FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT & CONVENTION

BY STEVE GRAHAM

WE WANTED TELL YOU A LITTLE ABOUT THE BLAST . IT WILL BE THREE DAYS OF THE GREATEST FUN AND THE BEST COMPETITON AROUND. IF YOU DONT COME YOU WILL MISS OUT ON ONE OF THE BEST TOURNAMENTS TO BE PUT TOGHETHER. WE WOULD LIKE TO THANK MR DON LEWIS FROM SPRINGVILLE ALABAMA HE REALLY IS THE PERSON WHO HELPED PUT THIS TOURNAMENT AND CONVENTION TOGETHER. THE BAMA BLAST TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE CONSIST OF STEVE MILES FROM BIRMINGHAM ,DAVID NICKLES FROM OXFORD ,GARY PATE OF OXFORD,STEVE GRAHAM FROM OHATCHEE,AND DON LEWIS FROM SPRINGVILLE. WE HAVE PUT ALOT OF TIME AND ALOT OF PLANNING FOR THIS TO BECOME A YEARLY EVENT. WE ALSO WANTED TO HAVE ALL STYLES OF ELECTRIC FOOTBALL THERE TO PLAY . WE HOPE TO SEE ALL YOU GUY'S AT THE BAMA BLAST IN BIRMINGHAM ALABAMA ON JUNE. 20th,21st,22nd,1997.

THE TIME OF THE YEAR FOR THE OXFORD ELECTRIC FOOTBALL CLUBS SUPER BOWL SUNDAY 1997

BY GARY PATE

THE OXFORD ELECTRIC FOOTBALL CLUBS IS QUICKLY APPROACHING THE MOST IMPORTANT DAY OF THE YEAR **SUPER BOWL SUNDAY 1997** . WE ARE INTO THE PLAYOFF'S NOW. THE DIVISION WINNERS WERE ATLANTA FALCONS NFC WEST,THE NFC EAST WAS THE ARIZONA CARDINALS ,THE AFC EAST WAS THE JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS ,THE AFC WEST WAS THE KANSAS CITY CHIEFS.WILD CARD TEAMS WERE THE DENVER BRONCOS ,MIAMI DOLPHINS ,INDIAPOLLIS COLTS,CINNCINATI BENGALSFROM THE AFC. THE NFC WAS THE CAROLINA PANTHER ,MINNESOTA VIKINGS,STLOUIS RAMS ,GREENBAY PACKERS. ALREADY IN THE MAKING ARE SOME UPSETS THERE WILL BE A NEW SUPERBOWL CHAMPION BECAUSE THE BRONCOS WERE PUT OUT IN THE FIRST ROUND BY THE MIAMI DOLPHIN 15-12 .IN THE NFC PLAYOFFS FIRST ROUND WILD CARD GAME THE MINNESOTA VIKINGS BEAT THE CAROLINA PANTHERS 21- 7. AND THE BENGALS DEFEATED THE COLTS 28-14 .AND THE RAMS DEFEATED THE PACKERS 21-3 IN THE SECOND ROUND OF THE PLAYOFFS FALCONS DEFEATED THE VIKINGS 35-7 ,THE CARDINALS DEFEATED TH RAMS 42-28 . THE CHIEFS DEFEATED THE DOLPHINS 28-7 THE BENGALS BEAT THE JAGUAR 21-20 SO THE NFC CHAMPIONSHIP GAME FALCON DEFEATED THE CARDINAL 35-7 AND THE BENGAL BEAT THE CHIEFS 35 -10 SETTING UP THE SUPERBOWL BETWEEN THE FALCONS AND THE BENGALS. IT WAS PLAYED ON MAY 17th 1997AT 1 PM IT WAS HELD AT DAVID NICKLES HOUSE . IT WAS HELD OUTSIDE . WE HAD LOTS OF GUEST IN ATTENDANCE AND STEVE MILES AND GARY PATE WAS THE COMMENTATORS LITTLE DID WE KNOW THEY WOULD BE RECORDS SET IN THIS SUPERBOWLIT WAS A GREAT GAME THE FALCON WON THE TOSS DEFERD TO THE SECONFD HALF THE BENGALS TOOK THE LEAD BY SCORING ON THERE FIRST DRIVE. THE FALCONS CAME BACK E DRIVING DEEP IN THE BENGALS TERRITORY BUT WAS HELD TO A FEILD GOAL THEY MISSED SO TH BENGALS GOT THE BALL BACK SCORED AGAIN WITH A CARTER 15YD TOUCH DOWN RUN MAKING IT A 14-0 IN THE BENGALS FAVOR. THEN MATHIS SCORED A 100YD KICK RETURN TO MAKE IT 14-7 THE BENGALS CAME BACK SCORED WITH THERE KICK RETURNER CARTER MAKING IT 21-7 . THE FALCONS OFEENSE MOVED THE BALL DOWN THE FEILD AND METCALF SCORED ON A 15YD RUN UP THE MIDDLE MAKING IT 21-14 THE BENGALS QUATERBACK BLAKE SCORED ON A 25 YD RUN MAKING IT 28-14 WITH ABOUT 1MIN AND 30 SECOND LEFT IN THE HALF THE FALCONS TOOK THE BALL AND A LONG RUN BY NUMBER 80 TYRONE BROWN 65YDS MADE THE SCORE 28-21 THAT WAS THE HALF TIME SCORE.IN THE SECOND HALF THE FALCONS OPEND UP THE HALF BY

SCORING A KICK OFF RETURN BY MATHIS TIEING THE SCORE AT 28-28. THE BENGALS CAME RIGHT BACK AND DROVE DOWN THE FEILD AND SCORED ON A 10 YD TOUCHDOWN BY THE RECIEVER # 80 MAKING IT 35-28 THE FALCONS GOT THE BALL DROVE TO THE 50 YD LINE BUT WAS FORCED TO PUNT . THE BENGALS TOOK THE BALL AND DROVE ONCE AGAIN ON A DRIVE A 20 YD TOUCH DOWN RUN BY THE QUATERBACK MAKING IT 42-28 TIME WAS RUNNING OUT FOR THE FALCONS IT SEEMED WITH LESS THAT 2 MINS LEFT IN THE GAME THE FALCONS TOOK THE BALL AND ON A LONG RUN BY # 85 ROELL PRESTON MADE THE SCORE 42-35 THEN ATLANTA KICKED ITS ONSIDE KICK RECOVERING IT . ONCE AGAIN ANOTHER LONG RUN BY 85 ROELL PRESTON TIED THE SCORE AT 42-42 . THE BENGALS TOOK THE BALL WITH 45 SECONDS LEFT ON A LONG RUN BY THE QUATERBACK TOOK THE LEAD 49-42 LEAVING 1 SECOND ON THE CLOCK. FALCONS KICK RETURNER MATHIS TOOK THE BALL AND RAN A 100 YD TOUCHDOWN TIEING THE SCORE AT 49-49 SENDING IT TO OVERTIME. THE FALCONS LOSS THE COIN TOSS . THE BENGALS TOOK THE BALL DROVE DEEP IN FALCON TERRITORY BUT THE FALCON DEFENSE FINALLY ROSE TO THE OCASSION BY PUSHING THE BENGALS BACK FORCING THEM TO A FEILDGOAL ATTEMPT THE BENGALS MISSED . THE FALCONS TOOK OVER ON ITS OWN 35YD LINE . THE FALCONS # 21 METCALF TOOK A SWEEP TO THE LEFT SIDE ON A 55 YD RUN THAT WAS THE GAME WINNING TOUCHDOWN AND ENDED THE GAME 56-49 IN OVERTIME . DAVID NICKLES WAS PRESENTED THE RUUNERUP TROPHY AND STEVE GRAHAM RECIEVED THE SUPERBOWL CHAMPION TROPHY . IT WAS A GREAT GAME THERE WERE 2 RECORSD SET THE FIRST TIME A SUPERBOWL WENT TO OVERTIME AND THE FIRST TIME A TEAM EVER CAME BACK 14 POINTS DOWN . IT WAS ONE OF THE GREATEST SUPERBOWL GAMES WE EVER HAD.

WANT ADDS

I AM LOOKING FOR OLD STYLE ROOKIE BASES IF ANY ONE HAS ANY FOR SALE PLEASE CALL STEVE GRAHAM (205-892-9160)

FOR SALE ENDZONE TUNNELS \$ 15.00 PLUS \$ 2.50 FOR SHIPPING AND HANDLING. THESE TUNNELS ARE THE SAME ONE USED BY THE OXFORD ELECTRIC FOOTBALL CLUB ON OUR SUPER BOWL GAMES FOR MORE INFO CALL DAVID NICKLES (205-835-9988) OR STEVE GRAHAM (205-892-9160)

FOR SALE FEILD GOALS WITH NET AND A MAGNET BASE WILL SELL SET FOR \$ 5.00 ALL YOU HAVE TO DO IS SET IT UP IN THE ENDZONE AND YOU NEVER HAVE

TO GUESS IF A FEILD GOAL IS GOOD OR NOT IF IT'S GOOD THE BALL WILL BE IN THE NET.

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FOR SALE FEILD DIVIDERS TO USE WHILE SETTING UP
YOUR MEN CALL GARY PATE 205-831-7206 \$2.00 EACH

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DON LEWIS OF SPRINGVILLE ALABAMA
WALLY JABS OF ISLIP NEWYORK

MY NEW STADIUM THE GEORGIA DOME

BY STEVE GRAHAM

I JUST WANTED TO SAY AFTER 4 LONG MONTHS I FINALLY FINNISHED MY GEORGIA DOME STADIUM . I HAVE TO ADMIT IT TURNED OUT ALMOST EXACTLY LIKE I PLANNED IT HAS A LIGHTED PRESSBOX AND FOX ANNOUNCER MADDEN, SUMERALL, GANVILLE, WITH FOX SPORTS, I HAVE MY FOX CAMERA CREW AND MY HOME AND VISITOR COACHES IN THE BOOTH. SEE PICTURES BACK OF NEWS LETTER. IT IS BUIT OUT OF FOAM BOARD AND BASIL WOOD .

THE BOARD GAME THAT IS TURNING 50 YRS OLD AND STILL RUNNING STRONG


BY DAVID NICKLES
WELL LET ME START BY SAYING THAT EVERY DAY I MEET OR TALK TO PEOPLE STILL PLAYING THE GAME. THERE IS STILL ALOT OF FOLKS PLAING THIS GAME. THERE IS CLUBS AND INDIVISUALS WHO STILL PLAY THIS GAME. IT STILL AS POPULAR TODAY AS IT WAS IN THE BEGINNING .SINCE RETURNING FROM CHICAGO I CANT TELL YOU HOW MANY PEOPLE I HAVE MET AND SHOWED THEM ABOUT THIS FOOTBALL GAME WETHER IT WOULD BE REGINALDS STADIUMS .ALL THE GUYS AND ELECTRIC FOOTBALL CLUBS ALL OVER STILL PLAYING THIS GAME,AS LONG AS WE THE ELECTRIC FOOTBALL CLUB MEMBERS KEEP PLAYING THIS GAME I BELIEVE IT WILL BE AROUND ANOTHER 50 YEARS. I HOPE THAT THIS GAME WILL GET EVEN BIGGER ESPN IS RUNNING COMMERCIALS WITH ELECTRIC FOOTBALL. GAMES NOW HOPEFULLY ONE DAY MAYBE WE WILL GET THE CHANCE TO PLAY THIS GAME ON NATIONAL TV FOR EVERYONE TO SEE THIS GAME IS STILL ALIVE AND THERE IS ALOT OF US KEEPING IT GOING. UNTILL NEXT ISSUE SO LONG SEE YOU IN BIRMINGHAM.

POWER PLAY IS PRODUCED BY (OEFC) THE OXFORD ELECTRIC FOOTBALL CLUB. IF U HAVE A STORY OR SOMETHING YOU WOULD LIKE TO BE PUT IN POWER PLAY PLEASE WRITE US AT :

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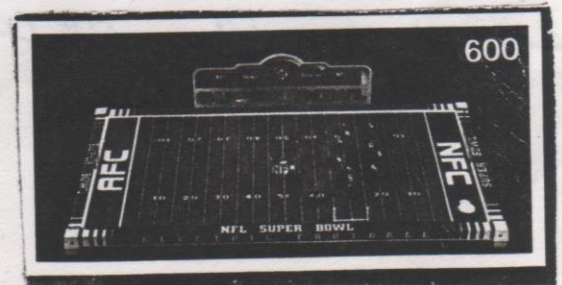
WE THE OXFORD
ELECTRIC FOOTBALL

CLUB WOULD LIKE TO SAY THANKS TO DON LEWIS FOR ALL HIS HELP AND SUPPORT ON THE BAMA BLAST WITH OUT DON "S HELP THE BLAST MIGHT NOT HAVE TAKEN PLACE. WE THANK YOU VERY MUCH.

The Oxford Electric Football Club

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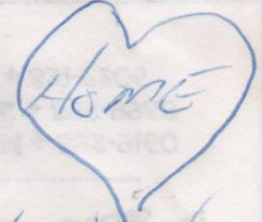
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