Football out to impress the ‘rents

BY JOSH PORTER

Holy Cross plays better in Family Weekend Games than they do in Alumni Weekend Games. The Purple and White are 26-26-1 all time in the games for the graduates, while they post a 26-18-1 record in the games for the fans paying their tuition. With that in mind, Lafayette probably has a better chance of having its bus struck by lightning four times on the trip up to Worcester than they do of winning this football game, if Holy Cross plays on this Family day anything like it did during last weeks Alumni day.

The scoreboard after Dartmouth came to town last week read 49-17 in favor of the ‘Saders, but that leaves something to town last week read 49-17 in favor of the Crusaders. A game in which he

- Five touchdowns (and still no interceptions). His five scores were the second highest by a Holy Cross quarterback in school history and earned him Patriot League Player of the Week honors, the first time a Crusader has taken home that award since, ironically, Erreick Stewart took home the hardware last season. To make a long story short, the thumb doesn't scare you, nothing will.

With all that said, I think that Tyson is definitely the scariest guy in sports, because quite simply as my friend George put it, "He bit the ear off a man while he was boxing him!" If that doesn't scare you, nothing will.

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Finally I move to coaching and we have to go all the way to the West Coast, to find today's scariest coach. Jon Gruden, the coach of the Oakland Raiders, is without a doubt one of the most intense coaches I have ever seen. I was watching the Raiders play against Indianapolis in the Sunday night game this week, and at one point it looked like Gruden was going to rip off his headset and go tackle Edgerrin James himself. On the sideline it just looks sometimes that he is going to go crazy. The scariest part about this is that when he played, Gruden didn't play a position where he could hit someone, or rip someone's head off. He was a quarterback in his University of Dayton days. In any event, no matter what position he played, he can with one look, put the fear of God in any man. That is what makes him the scariest coach in the NFL.

With these in mind a few more choices have become clear as I put this piece to bed: Jesper Parnevik in Golf(Anyone who wakes up in the morning and puts those clothes on must be nuts), Dick Trickle in Nascar(Anyone who wakes up in the morning and puts those clothes on must be nuts), Dick Trickle in Nascar(Anyone who wakes up in the morning and puts those clothes on must be nuts), Andy Puzder in the fast food business...