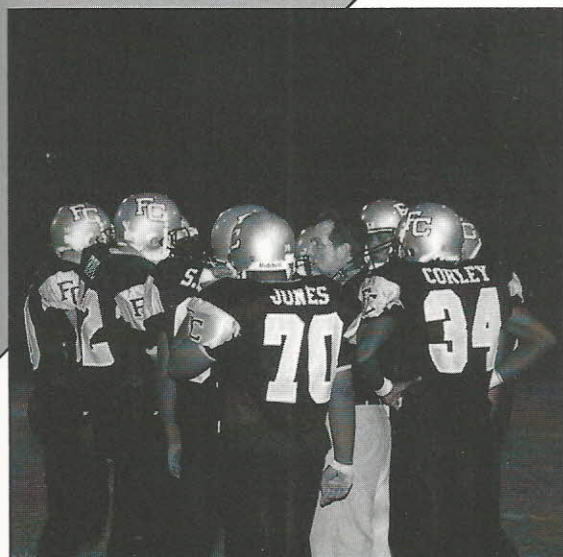


# Griffin Football



**Above:** Quintin Davis and Justin Cammon take a short break after making another outstanding defensive stand.

**Below:** Coach Macaluso joins the huddle to review plays with his team.



Once again, the Griffin football team was a forced to be reckoned with. After compiling an 8-2 record during the regular season, Fairfield Central defeated Broome and Clinton in the AAA-Playoffs before falling to Greer in a double-overtime game on the road. While many around the state considered this to be a rebuilding year for head coach Charles Macaluso and his Griffins, Fairfield Central once again proved that they are an elite team in the state.

The Griffins, using the Wing-T formation on offense, overwhelmed nearly all of their opponents. Fairfield Central rushed for over 4,000 yards on the season, nearly 300 a game! In addition, the Griffins scored a total of 419 points this season alone! In addition, the young Griffin defense played very well, including a 33-0 shutout of Fort Mill on the road.

In recognition of their outstanding play throughout the year, several Griffins received post-season honors. Juniors Kelvin Cade and T.J. Canty joined seniors Thad Dorsey and Jonathan Starks on All-State teams throughout the state. Dorsey and Starks joined Coach Macaluso in Myrtle Beach two weeks after the season for the annual North-South All-Star Game. This game features outstanding seniors from around the state.

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