

Mikel Horton



Lakota West High School

At 6'-225 lbs. Lakota West senior Mikel Horton is one of the top power runners in the area and is a 4-year varsity starter. His junior year, Mikel ran for 1,006 yards with 13 touchdowns, including a big game vs. LaSalle when he rambled for 240 yards and 2 TDs. Mikel earned numerous honors last season, including being named 1st team Greater Miami Conference, honorable mention all-city (Enquirer) and honorable mention all-Southwest Ohio District.

He has committed to play in the Semper Fidelis All-American Bowl Jan. 5 in Anaheim, California and was also nominated to play in the U.S. Army All-American Bowl in San Antonio. Highly recruited, Mikel has committed to play football next year at the University of Kentucky. He also competed in track & field for the Firebirds.

Mikel's favorite athlete and most-like-to-meet is Adrian Peterson, favorite book is I Am Third and favorite movie is Remember the Titans.



SPORTS: Football GRADUATING YEAR: 2014 GREATEST ACHIEVEMENT: Earning scholarship to UK BIRTHDATE: 2/5/96 HEIGHT/WEIGHT: 6'-225 lbs. RESIDENCE: West Chester PARENTS: Donty & Mimi Horton BIGGEST INFLUENCE: "My parents and team." FUTURE GOAL: Graduate from college

"Mikel is an extremely quick athlete for his size and has outstanding hands. He also takes a lot of pride in blocking, which is rare for a running back. He is a very strong young man and can go as far as he wants to in the game of football." – Larry Cox, Football Coach