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Nashua has always had a rich tradition when it comes to high school football. Long-time Nashuans still tell tales of the glorious days when Buzz Harvey's Nashua High Purple Panthers were one of the top teams not only in the state and the region but in the country. Holman Stadium was always packed; championships were won; and the entire city came together to celebrate.

When Nashua High was split into two schools, North and South, there were fears that Nashua's winning tradition might fade, not just in football but in all the athletic programs. Coaches encountered the sort of challenges that the legendary Harvey and his cohorts couldn't have imagined.

But on Nov. 22, 2008, sophomore quarterback Keith Farkas threw for 255 yards, completing 17-of-21 passes, including 12 in a row at one point, while All-State running back David Zocco rushed for 122 yards and scored five touchdowns, including the overtime TD that lifted Nashua South to a 33-32 win and the city's first Division I state football championship since the split. Nashuans shared in the celebration through the reporting and photography of The Telegraph.

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