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# Citywide Pep Rally Set Nov. 9 As Rams Go for 20<sup>th</sup> State Title

Local residents are encouraged to come out Thursday, November 9, and cheer the Reidsville High School Rams as they chase their 20<sup>th</sup> State football championship.

Market Square in downtown Reidsville will be the site of a pep rally for the 2017 Reidsville Rams Football Team. The celebration starts at 6 p.m.

Kicking off the night's activities, the RHS Rams Marching Band will parade from the intersection of Morehead and Scales to Market Square. In addition to the band, RHS cheerleaders will be there to get the crowd revved up. The school's Color Guard will be on hand to present colors.

"The Reidsville Football Family appreciates the support our community gives, and we really hope that you can come out Thursday night at the pep rally as we begin the quest for 20," said RHS Football Coach Jimmy Teague.

Last year the Rams took home their 19<sup>th</sup> State title with a decisive 58-12 win over James A. Holmes High School of Edenton in the 2016 2-A Football Championship. That win capped a 16-0 record for the year.

This year's team is hoping for a repeat and a chance to bring the coveted State trophy home once again to the "Football Capital of North Carolina." The 2017 Reidsville Rams Football Team is currently 10-0 for the season, which wraps up Friday night, November 3, against Graham High School. A victory Friday night will bring Reidsville High School's winning streak to 27-0 going into the playoffs.

In addition to the 2017 Reidsville Rams' Varsity Squad, the JV team will also be recognized, along with the Reidsville Middle School football team.

The pep rally is a joint effort of Reidsville High School, the City of Reidsville and Market Square. Supporters of Ram football and others are encouraged to come out and support the team as they attempt to make history. Fans are also urged to come early and frequent the downtown shops before the pep rally begins.

