

## **Tommy Mutter Attends Nike and Adidas Invitation-Only Football Combines**

Greenbrier East's Tommy Mutter has had a busy spring. The rising senior on the Spartan football team has been participating in special invitation-only football combines that allow college coaches to evaluate their athletic talent.

The six-foot, 248-pound Mutter was among the 300 athletes from nine states invited to the Nike Elite Camp in Blacksburg, Va., on April 24. The athletes were SPARQ tested, which included bench press rep testing of 185 pounds, 40-yard dash, 20-yard NFL shuttle, and vertical jump. Mutter received a 62.86 SPARQ, which qualified him in the 93rd percentile of all linemen who attended Nike Elite camps this year.

On May 14, Mutter attended the Adidas Elite Camp at the UPMC Sports Complex in Pittsburgh, Pa., as one of 225 invitees from 11 states. Athletes were tested in the bench press rep testing of 185 pounds, 10-yard sprint, 20-yard NFL shuttle, 40-yard dash, and vertical jump.

In recent testing by Spartan head football coach Andy Grogg, Mutter bench pressed 275 pounds, had a 540-pound squat max, a 265-pound hang clean, a 520-pound dead lift, and ran a 5.04 40-yard dash. He is a three-year football letterman for Greenbrier East.

"Tommy is an outstanding young man who is seeing great rewards from our program," said Grogg. "We are looking for Tommy to have a great year, along with all Spartan football players. Good things happen to hard-working people."

Mutter, son of Wayne and Brenda Mutter of Caldwell, will attend camps this summer at Wake Forest, James Madison, West Virginia, Virginia Tech, Pittsburgh, and VMI.