Autism Awareness Football Game

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The Autism Awareness football game was on September 9, 2022 at 7:00 p.m. Perry played against Chagrin Falls at the Perry High School Alumni Football Stadium. The game raised awareness for Autism by bringing attention to the cause and those with it. The cheerleaders created signs about Autism for the game. Paige Pfeifer explains how this game is important to her, "I feel like it's a great way to bring awareness to a serious topic, so this game is very important." Many people feel the same way Paige does and they think the game is important. To support the cause they bought shirts from the school and wore them to the game. Donations were also accepted at ticket booths and concession stands. Jaden Hacking, who came up with the idea of the football game, thought that it would be cool if as a team, together we could raise funds for sparks. Jaden said, "I work at King Kone in Perry. One night while at work Sparks came to get ice cream...I thought it was so cool seeing how excited they were to be there and how awesome it would be to help them have more opportunities for experiences with the community."