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Stancil Johnson, author of the book "Frisbee" once said, "When a ball dreams, it dreams it is a Frisbee." As explanation, a ball wishes it were flat, so a thrower can make it arc, bend and curve in ways he or she couldn't throw a football, baseball or basketball. There is an annual Ultimate tournament on Cape Cod called "Flatball Fest".

However, Cambridge didn't wish to come out flat in its game on a calm night in front of one hundred fans in Revere. And certainly didn't wish to get flattened by Boston. As consolation, one young Revere High School Ultimate player remarked, "At least they are doing better than we would against Boston."

Boston's superstar Jess Blanton snagged three first half goals and threw another as Boston jumped out to an 8-3 halftime lead. Cambridge's offense struggled after 7 time US National and 4 time World Champion Alex de Frondeville suffered a broken index finger from a kick-block attempt on his full-field huck. He will be out six weeks.

In the second half, Boston took advantage of quick Cambridge turnovers to extend the lead to 14-3. Boston's Ralph Nelson delighted the crowd with her bright orange cleats and sliding grabs. Against tight coverage, Blanton hauled in perfect 65 yard huck from Lady Godiva club teammate VY Chow who also stars on the Canadian National Team. Cambridge's Josh Mullen brought the crowd to its feet with a daring crossfield inside/out backhand to David Thome as Cambridge rallied for four goals. However, on the next possession, Boston's Adam Sigelman grabbed a crossfield hammer from Patrick Baylis for the 15-7 win.

Keeping with Ultimate Frisbee's core concept of "Spirit of the Game," the behavior of the players was very professional and sportsmanlike, setting a positive example for the young fans. Thanks goes out to partners Life is good and UltimateDiscStore.com for donations of prizes for fans.

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