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Grid Golden Bears from '69 honored by Touchdown Club

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The Golden Bear Touchdown Club honored the 1969 state champion Upper Arlington High School football team with a reception and a recognition ceremony at halftime during UAHS-Olentangy Orange game Oct. 16 at Marv Moorehead Stadium.

In honor of their 40 -year anniversary of the championship, the Touchdown Club brought the players together to celebrate their accomplishment. The team, led by the late Coach Marv Moorehead, captured three consecutive state titles in 1967, 1968, and 1969.

Their former assistant coaches, Pete Corey and Coach Phil Koppel joined the players at the pre-game reception and at halftime, when the 1969 Golden Bear State Champs walked onto the field to applause for their achievements of 40 years ago.

The mission of Touchdown Club, a 501C (3) group consisting of UAHS alumni,parents of players and Golden Bear fans, is to foster a sense of community and school spirit.

Visit the Touchdown Club's Web site at GoldenBearTouchdownClub.com.