

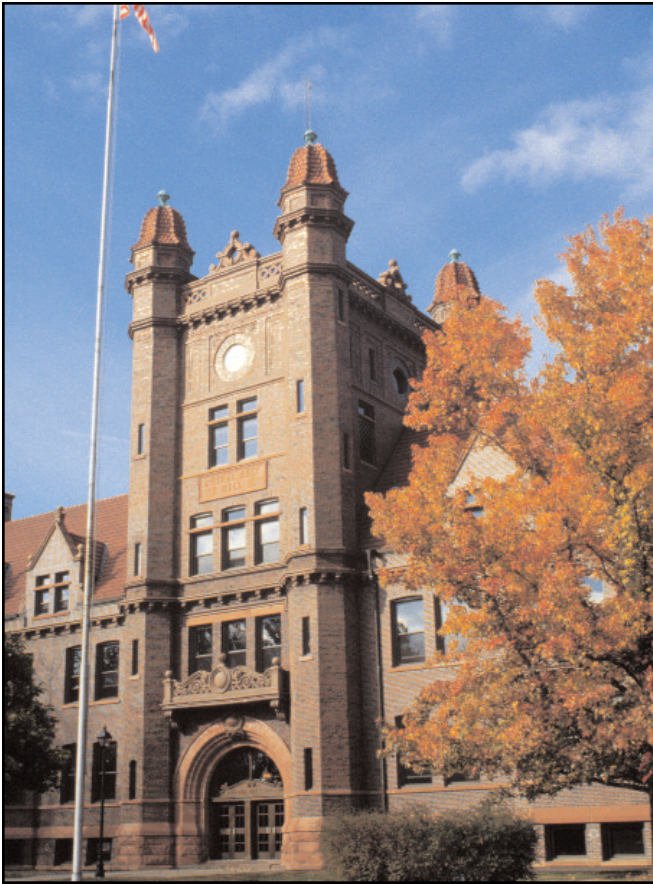
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UNIVERSITY



FALL ATHLETICS
BIG BLUE FOOTBALL

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a unique private university

“ Students learn to see connections with other academic disciplines to demonstrate the diversity of human experience... developing a respect for differences and for the dignity of all. ”

What James Millikin envisioned when he founded the University in 1901 was unique: the university would embrace the "practical" side of learning along with the "literary and classical;" and, while affiliated with the Presbyterian Church, it would not be narrowly "sectarian" and would remain open to all.

The result is one of the nation's first small, comprehensive universities that, a century later, has four colleges and schools: College of Arts and Sciences, College of Fine Arts, School of Nursing and Tabor School of Business.

With an enrollment of approximately 2,400 students, Millikin is a devoted partner to the Decatur-area community. Its students learn through real-world projects and learn to see connections with other academic disciplines to demonstrate the diversity of human experience, the interactions between technology and society.... They learn about themselves and others, developing a respect for differences and for the dignity of all.

The University subscribes to the philosophy of the NCAA Division III and offers no scholarships for athletes, but Millikin has enjoyed a broad and successful athletics program for many years. Teams and individuals in every sport have earned national recognition.

Sports for women include cross country, tennis, volleyball, basketball, soccer, swimming, softball, indoor and outdoor track & field and golf. Sports for men include cross country, football, soccer, basketball, swimming, wrestling, golf, indoor and outdoor track & field and baseball.

Type - Coed, independent 4-year university, studies in Arts & Sciences, Business, Fine Arts and Nursing.

Location - Decatur, Ill., population 80,000, is 120 miles north of St. Louis, 180 miles south of Chicago, and 150 miles west of Indianapolis.

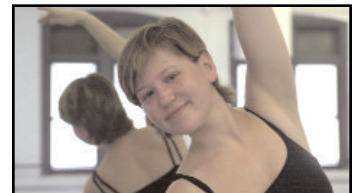
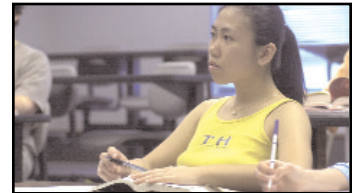
Academic Year - Fall and Spring Semesters, Summer Session and Intersession Immersion Courses.

Student Body - Appx. 2,400 students

Average Class Size
23 students

Student/Faculty Ratio
13.7 to 1

Campus Size
75 acres



quick facts

LocationDecatur, Illinois
Founded/Opened1901/1903
PresidentDouglas E. Zemke
EnrollmentAppx. 2,400
NicknameBig Blue
ColorsRoyal Blue and White
National AffiliationNCAA Division III
ConferenceIllinois and Wisconsin
Home Field (Capacity)Frank M. Lindsay Field (4,000)
Head CoachDoug Neibuhr
Overall Record (Years)103-43-1 (15 years)
Assistant CoachesPat Allgeier, Jeff Beck,
Ken Czajkowski, Pat Etherton, Dennis Gatchel,
Kevin Kehe, Mike McLaughlin, Quinn Morrow
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2003 Record7-3
2003 CCIW Finish4-3 (Tied 3rd)
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Parking - A limited number of parking spaces are available in Mills Hall lot. Please contact Sports Information to reserve a spot at least three days prior to the scheduled home event.

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welcome

cciw commisioner



Welcome to the College Conference of Illinois and Wisconsin (CCIW), one of the finest NCAA Division III conferences in the country!

Based on the love of athletics, NCAA Division III intercollegiate athletics strives to provide all student-athletes an opportunity to participate in high quality athletics within an environment that fosters the values necessary to succeed in life. Challenging all student-athletes with enriching educational experiences on and off the field of competition, the spirit of Division III teaches teamwork, responsibility, self-discipline, commitment and leadership.

The eight CCIW members are prime examples of true Division III members - exemplary academic institutions with highly competitive athletic programs that provide exceptional opportunities to all student-athletes. Since 1946, the CCIW has accounted for 33 NCAA national championships while producing graduates with the necessary skills to lead meaningful and successful lives after college. The conference sponsors 21 sports with conference champions gaining access to NCAA national championship, which provides competitive opportunities for thousands of student-athletes each year.

I sincerely hope you enjoy your experience with the CCIW and its member schools and return to witness the finest athletics that NCAA Division III has to offer - the College Conference of Illinois and Wisconsin.

Enjoy the game.

Chris Martin
CCIW Commisioner

2004 cciw preseason poll



In a narrow vote the Wheaton Thunder will be wearing the favorite's mantle for the 2004 College Conference of Illinois & Wisconsin (CCIW) football season. Head coach Mike Swider's team went 7-0 in 2003, winning the championship on the last day of the season with a 28-27 win at Augustana. The Thunder won 12 straight games in 2003 before falling to Mount Union in the quarterfinals of the NCAA Division III playoffs.

In the voting done by the CCIW football coaches Wheaton nudged past Millikin by a single point 44-43. The Thunder claimed five first place votes while Millikin, which was 7-3 overall and 4-3 in the league, picked up three.

| SCHOOL | POINTS |
|----------------------|--------------------|
| 1. Wheaton | 44 (5 first place) |
| 2. Millikin | 43 (3 first place) |
| 3. Augustana | 38 |
| 4. North Central | 30 |
| 5. Illinois Wesleyan | 29 |
| 6. Elmhurst | 18 |
| 7. Carthage | 15 |
| 8. North Park | 7 |

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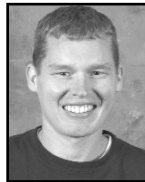
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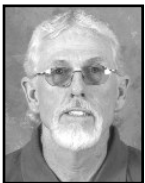
Tim Littrell



Don Luy



Josh Manning



Jim Mills



Doug Neibuhr



Noel Neptune



Mike Poe



Chad Sloan



Toby vanAmerongen

head coach doug neibuhr

Doug Neibuhr enters his ninth season as head football coach at Millikin in 2004. A 1974 graduate of Millikin and former Big Blue assistant coach, Neibuhr boasts a .704 career win percentage from 15 seasons. He is 103-43-1 overall in his career and has compiled a 53-25 (.679) overall and 37-19 (.661) College Conference of Illinois and Wisconsin (CCIW) record in his eight years at the helm of Millikin's program.



Neibuhr was named the 1998 CCIW Coach of the Year after leading the Big Blue to its first conference title since 1990 and saw it to its third-ever appearance in the NCAA Division III playoffs in 2000. His players have earned 42 first-team and 37 second-team all-conference selections at Millikin.

He compiled a 50-18-1 record in seven years at Wittenberg University (Springfield, Ohio), including a 35-5-1 mark in his last four seasons. In 1995, Neibuhr guided Wittenberg to its first undefeated season since 1979, a North Coast Athletic Conference Championship (NCAC) and a berth in the NCAA Division III playoffs. The Tigers also won a conference championship under Neibuhr in 1992.

Neibuhr has put together a .731 win percentage (79-29) in conference games during his career and prior to 2003 was one of only four head coaches in NCAA Division III history to take two different institutions to the national playoffs.

During his seven years at Wittenberg, Neibuhr's players earned All-America recognition 19 times, first team all-conference honors 50 times and Academic All-America recognition three times.

He was named the NCAC Coach of the Year twice (1992, 1995) and guided Wittenberg to a conference championship in 1992. He



and his offensive line coach, Joe Fincham, were named 1995 Offensive Coordinators of the Year for NCAA Division III by American Football Quarterly.

Neibuhr completed his education at Millikin in three and a half years, graduating cum laude in December 1974. While playing quarterback and place kicker, he helped the Big Blue to a 23-6 record in his four years and the CCIW Championship in 1974. He is also a member of Millikin's Athletic Hall of Fame.

After serving as a graduate assistant coach at Illinois State University where he earned a master of science degree in 1976, Neibuhr served a year as assistant football, head baseball and head wrestling coach at Ripon (Wis.) College. He joined the Millikin staff in 1977, serving most of the next 12 years as offensive coordinator. He also coached the Big Blue men's golf team to six consecutive CCIW Championships and led the team to a third-place finish nationally in 1985.

Neibuhr and his wife, Jody, have three sons Brandt (19), Bryan (17) and Kirk (14).

neibuhr's year-by-year coaching record

| Year | Overall | | | Conference | | |
|-------|---------|----|---|------------|----|---|
| | W | L | T | W | L | T |
| 1989 | 4 | 5 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 0 |
| 1990 | 7 | 3 | 0 | 6 | 2 | 0 |
| 1991 | 5 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 3 | 0 |
| 1992 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 |
| 1993 | 9 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 0 |
| 1994 | 8 | 2 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 0 |
| 1995 | 10 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 |
| 1996 | 3 | 6 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 0 |
| 1997 | 4 | 5 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 0 |
| 1998 | 8 | 2 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 0 |
| 1999 | 7 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 2 | 0 |
| 2000 | 9 | 2 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 0 |
| 2001 | 8 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 2 | 0 |
| 2002 | 7 | 3 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 0 |
| 2003 | 7 | 3 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 0 |
| Total | 103 | 43 | 1 | 79 | 29 | 0 |

neibuhr's all-time records vs. CCIW schools

| | |
|-----------------------|----------|
| vs. Augustana | W 3, L 5 |
| vs. Carthage | W 5, L 3 |
| vs. Elmhurst | W 8, L 0 |
| vs. Illinois Wesleyan | W 4, L 4 |
| vs. North Central | W 6, L 2 |
| vs. North Park | W 8, L 0 |
| vs. Wheaton | W 4, L 4 |

big blue assistant coaches



Pat Allgeier
Asst. Head Coach;
Offensive Coordinator; O Line

Pat Allgeier begins his second season as offensive coordinator and his eighth as offensive line coach in 2004. Allgeier will also add assistant head coach to his title in 2004. A former All-North Coast Athletic

Conference offensive tackle, the Cincinnati native earned three letters for Wittenberg before graduating in 1993. He served as assistant offensive line coach at Wittenberg for two seasons. Allgeier and his wife, Peg, live in Decatur with their two-year old twin daughters.



Jeff Beck
Defensive Line; Strength & Conditioning Coordinator

Jeff Beck is entering his first season as part of the Big Blue coaching staff as the defensive line coach. Beck played defensive line for the Big Blue earning four varsity letters and serving as one of the

team's co-captains his senior season in 2003. Beck also received the honor of being selected to Academic All-District and Academic All-Region teams in 2001 and 2002. Beck is an Exercise Science & Sport major and will be completing his student teaching at Argenta-Oreana High School in the spring.



Ken Czajkowski
Runnings Backs

Ken Czajkowski begins his eighth season as part of the Big Blue coaching staff in 2004 after moving over to coach the running back in 2003 and previously helped with the tight ends and offensive line. He is a physical education teacher at

Sangamon Valley High School.

A 1993 graduate of Eureka College, Czajkowski was a four year letter winner on the offensive line for the Red Devils. After graduation, he served as an offensive line coach for four years, as well as assistant baseball and basketball coach for two years at Eureka College. He lives in Decatur.



Patrick Etherton
Special Teams; Linebackers;
Recruiting Coordinator

A former Big Blue player and student assistant during his undergraduate days, Etherton returns to Millikin following positions at some of the top football colleges in the country. Most recently, he spent a

year as Division III Washington & Jefferson's special teams coordinator, defensive backs coach and strength and conditioning coordinator. He has also served as the offensive coordinator at Division III University of Puget Sound, was the defensive backs coach at Division III Allegheny College and was a student assistant for the offensive line and linebackers at Millikin from 1998 to 2000. He wore a Big Blue uniform as a defensive back from 1996-98. Etherton is also the men's golf coach.



Dennis Gatchel
Wide Receivers

Long-time high school coach Dennis Gatchel returns to the Millikin sidelines in 2004 after a 6-year stint as the head coach at Meridian High School. The wide receivers coach, Gatchel previously served the Millikin team from 1990 to

1994. He has also been the head coach at Macon and Breese Central High Schools. Gatchel, who teaches at Meridian, was the *Decatur Herald & Review* Area Coach of the Year in 1986 (Macon) and 1999 (Meridian), coaching both teams to 2nd place IHSA State finishes.

Gatchel and his wife, Mary Kay, live in Decatur and his daughter, Cara, is a May 2004 graduate of Millikin.



Kevin Kehe
Defensive Coordinator;
Defensive Backs; Head JV

Kehe began his career at Wartburg College where he served as an undergraduate assistant for the Knights from 1999 to 2003. Last season he was a defensive graduate assistant position at

Division II national champion Grand Valley State University. At Grand Valley, Kehe was a part of a program that has won 47 of its last 49 games and helped GVSU finish the season ranked first in rushing defense and third in scoring defense.

During his time at Division III Wartburg, Kehe was on a staff that saw its teams win two conference championships and finish ranked in the top-25 each season. In 2002 he was a tight ends coach after having assisted with the linebackers, wide receivers and defensive backs in prior season. The Knights finished 36-4 in regular season play with two 2nd round playoff appearances during his time on the coaching staff.

Kehe graduated Summa Cum Laude from Wartburg College with a double major in Mathematics and Physics and a minor in Engineering.

big blue assistant coaches (continued)



Mike McLaughlin
Outside Linebackers

Mike McLaughlin coaches the linebackers for the second season after assisting with the defensive line for seven seasons. He also coached the linebackers in 1995.

McLaughlin joined the Millikin staff in 1988 after spending 16 years as a football coach at Stephen Decatur and MacArthur High Schools in Decatur. The 1961 Northwest Missouri State graduate served as head football coach at Falls City, Neb., and Breckenridge, Mo., before coming to Decatur. McLaughlin received his master's degree at Northwest Missouri State and teaches at MacArthur High School. He and his wife, Connie, have two daughters.



Riley Maurer
Student Assistant



Dan Reynolds
Student Assistant



Quinn Morrow
Tight Ends

Quinn Morrow comes to Millikin for the first season in 2004 after playing four years for Illinois College's football team. He will coach the Big Blue's tight ends. Morrow will receive his teaching certification from Millikin in December 2004. He

and his wife, Brianna, live in Decatur.

a season at a time

| Year | W-L-T | Pct. | Year | W-L-T | Pct. | Year | W-L-T | Pct. | Year | W-L-T | Pct. |
|------|-------|-------|------|---------|-------|------|-------|-------|--------------|-------------------|-------------|
| 1903 | 2-3-0 | .400 | 1929 | 7-1-0 | .875 | 1955 | 4-4-0 | .500 | 1981 | 4-5-0 | .444 |
| 1904 | 5-3-0 | .625 | 1930 | 5-2-0 | .714 | 1956 | 6-2-0 | .750 | 1982 | 5-3-1 | .611 |
| 1905 | 7-2-0 | .778 | 1931 | 6-3-0 | .667 | 1957 | 4-3-1 | .563 | 1983 | 4-5-0 | .444 |
| 1906 | 5-2-0 | .714 | 1932 | 5-2-1 | .668 | 1958 | 2-6-0 | .250 | 1984 | 8-1-0 | .889 |
| 1907 | 4-4-1 | .500 | 1933 | 3-1-3 | .463 | 1959 | 2-6-0 | .250 | 1985 | 7-2-0 | .778 |
| 1908 | 3-5-0 | .375 | 1934 | 7-0-1 | .938 | 1960 | 6-2-0 | .750 | 1986 | 7-2-0 | .778 |
| 1909 | 5-2-1 | .688 | 1935 | 5-1-0 | .833 | 1961 | 8-0-0 | 1.000 | 1987 | 6-3-0 | .667 |
| 1910 | 4-4-0 | .500 | 1936 | 3-5-0 | .375 | 1962 | 4-4-0 | .500 | 1988 | 7-2-0 | .778 |
| 1911 | 7-2-0 | .778 | 1937 | 0-9-0 | .000 | 1963 | 4-3-1 | .563 | 1989 | 10-1-0 | .909 |
| 1912 | 3-5-0 | .375 | 1938 | 2-5-1 | .313 | 1964 | 1-6-1 | .188 | 1990 | 7-2-0 | .778 |
| 1913 | 4-3-0 | .571 | 1939 | 2-6-0 | .250 | 1965 | 2-5-1 | .313 | 1991 | 6-3-0 | .667 |
| 1914 | 4-1-3 | .688 | 1940 | 5-3-0 | .625 | 1966 | 3-5-0 | .375 | 1992 | 4-5-0 | .444 |
| 1915 | 5-2-1 | .688 | 1941 | 8-0-0 | 1.000 | 1967 | 1-8-0 | .111 | 1993 | 6-3-0 | .667 |
| 1916 | 8-0-1 | .944 | 1942 | 7-0-0 | 1.000 | 1968 | 3-5-0 | .375 | 1994 | 6-3-0 | .667 |
| 1917 | 7-1-0 | .875 | 1943 | No Team | | 1969 | 4-5-0 | .444 | 1995 | 5-4-0 | .556 |
| 1918 | 4-1-0 | .800 | 1944 | No Team | | 1970 | 5-4-0 | .556 | 1996 | 3-6-0 | .333 |
| 1919 | 9-0-0 | 1.000 | 1945 | No Team | | 1971 | 5-4-0 | .556 | 1997 | 4-5-0 | .444 |
| 1920 | 9-0-0 | 1.000 | 1946 | 2-6-0 | .250 | 1972 | 7-2-0 | .778 | 1998 | 8-2-0 | .800 |
| 1921 | 5-2-1 | .688 | 1947 | 3-4-1 | .438 | 1973 | 8-2-0 | .800 | 1999 | 7-2-0 | .777 |
| 1922 | 3-4-2 | .444 | 1948 | 3-6-0 | .333 | 1974 | 8-2-0 | .800 | 2000 | 9-2-0 | .818 |
| 1923 | 4-5-0 | .444 | 1949 | 2-5-1 | .313 | 1975 | 6-3-0 | .667 | 2001 | 8-2-0 | .800 |
| 1924 | 4-4-0 | .500 | 1950 | 4-4-0 | .500 | 1976 | 4-5-0 | .444 | 2002 | 7-3-0 | .700 |
| 1925 | 6-1-1 | .813 | 1951 | 3-4-0 | .429 | 1977 | 6-3-0 | .667 | 2003 | 7-3-0 | .700 |
| 1926 | 6-2-0 | .750 | 1952 | 3-4-1 | .438 | 1978 | 8-1-0 | .889 | Total | 495-303-28 | .616 |
| 1927 | 3-3-1 | .500 | 1953 | 3-5-0 | .375 | 1979 | 8-1-0 | .889 | | | |
| 1928 | 6-0-2 | .875 | 1954 | 5-3-0 | .625 | 1980 | 6-3-0 | .667 | | | |

a look at 2004

A new quarterback.

A new kicking unit.

A defensive coaching staff returning just one recognizable face.

Without question, the Big Blue football team will sport a new look when it steps onto the field in September.

With the loss of 17 letter winners and eight starters in 2003's 7-3 effort, the Big Blue has a few big holes to fill in 2004. But with a mix of youthful energy and upperclass experience, Millikin University football should provide plenty of competition within the traditionally tough College Conference of Illinois and Wisconsin (CCIW).

Looking across the preseason depth chart, some big question marks are obvious.

Three-year starter at quarterback Donnell Brown is gone.

Aztec Bowl defensive back selection Lee Clayton is gone.

Andy Beals, the most decorated kicker in Big Blue history, and his three-year crew of long-snapper David Estes and holder Trent Brown are gone.

But with the talent he has returning, head coach Doug Neibuhr is confident that he can find the right combination of athletes capable of continuing the Big Blue Football tradition.

Even with a host of personnel changes and a tougher non-conference schedule in 2004, the Big Blue earned the respect and enough votes to start the season ranked No. 36 by d3football.com. Three of Millikin's 10 opponents earned preseason votes in the poll including No. 6 Wartburg College (season opener), No. 14 Wheaton College (game 5) and No. 38 (tie) Augustana College (game 7). Both Augustana and Wheaton are members of the CCIW.

Returning 17 starters and six all-league selections, Millikin's 2004 squad was picked to finish second in the CCIW by the league coaches, just one point shy of favorite Wheaton College. With that in mind, Neibuhr will be relying on some seasoned veterans, some underclassmen with quality time a year ago and a solid group of newcomers to fill some crucial roles and vie for a conference crown.

The wide receiver corps, running backs and offensive and defensive lines return virtually in tact and are all expected to be strengths in 2004. The lines are expected to be as good as any in recent history and should provide plenty of support for the new quarterback. And with athletes back from a season of injury, the secondary should also be replenished with healthy, recognizable faces.

The Offense

With three returning quarterback hopefuls, the Big Blue coaching staff certainly won't be limited in its choices. Despite losing its three-year starter, the staff has multiple solid options to replace him.

All three returners - Justin Stessman, Joe Albin and Max Warner - helped their respective high school teams drive deep into the playoffs during their senior seasons. Stessman returns with the most collegiate experience of the group. In six career games, he has completed 7-of-14 passes with two interceptions for 177 yards and two touchdowns.

On the ground he has recorded 93 yards on 16 carries with two touchdowns.

The Big Blue's new play caller should be protected by one of the most seasoned and athletic lines in recent history,

allowing for plenty of room to maneuver and mature.

The offensive line, which returns four of five starters, will include two All-CCIW players from a year ago in Eric Hofmann (2nd team) and a preseason All-American in Jon Hart (1st team). Also returning are starters Nathan Gray and Tony Lipka. In 2003, the line protected a Big Blue offense that averaged 37.2 ppg, 223.5 ypg on the ground and 179.1 ypg in the air to finish the season ranked 18th in the NCAA Division III in scoring offense and 27th in rushing offense.

The new quarterback will have an arsenal of options when it comes to throwing the ball. All of the depth and talent of the receiving corps return after losing just one player who missed most of the 2003 season with an injury. Eric Pabon (2nd team All-CCIW) and Nate Chandler return at the wideout position and should be the favorite targets of the new quarterback. Pabon recorded 537 yards and six TDs on 28 catches in 2003 while Chandler picked up a TD on 270 yards in 17 tries. 2003's backup tight end Tyler Lux also returns after a 156-yard, 8-catch campaign in 2003 that included four touchdowns.

The running game, which saw an impressive freshman season from Nathan Wallick, will look to the 2nd team All-CCIW player to explode on the ground again. Wallick, who moved into the No. 7 spot in MU season rushing, neared the 1,000 yards rushing mark in his inaugural season with eight touchdowns. Mike Kenders also returns and will be expected to get the ball in short-yardage situations while providing quality blocking from the fullback position. Kenders picked up 64 yards and two touchdowns on 25 carries in 2003.



a look at 2004 (continued)

The Defense

An almost entirely new defensive coaching staff inherits considerable experience in nine returning starters. The defensive line returns three starters in Kyle Hemenover (1st team All-CCIW), Tim Staffeldt and Romelle Lipscomb in addition to several D linemen who saw significant time last season. Jonathon Booker, who saw considerable

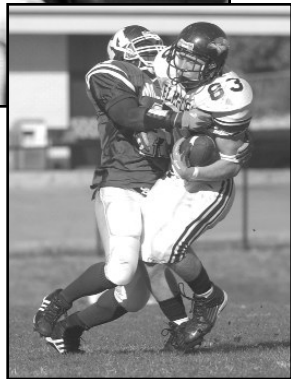


action early, also returns from an injury sidelined him for most of the 2003 season.

Hemenover finished with 38 tackles in 2003 with 10 for losses and four sacks while Lipscomb recorded 41 tackles with 12 for losses and three sacks. Staffeldt's six TFLs included three sacks and he wrapped up the season with 25 tackles.

Pass defense, which was problematic for the Big Blue at times in 2003, should be rejuvenated. Seantaé Holland returns to what is expected to be a much-improved secondary and welcomes back 2002 starters Jason Lynch (injury) and Craig Mack (did not play in 2003). Holland recorded 28 tackles while Lynch picked up 22 in limited action last year.

Dortanian Blount returns to lead the linebacker corps after recording 43 tackles



with six for losses and a sack. He will be rejoined by Brandon Bordner (27 tackles, two for losses) and Al Kator (31 tackles, five for losses). Bordner should also see time at running back.

Special Teams

The special teams will continue to be a threat with the return of specialists Chandler and Holland.

Chandler earned first-team All-CCIW honors as a returner in 2003 when he earned CCIW Player of the Week and twice was named a national Player of the Week. In 2003, he picked up 740 yards on 16 kick returns with one returned for touchdown and a long return of 98 yards. Chandler's punt return production was also problematic for opponents as he picked up 131 yards and a touchdown on 15 returns with a long run of 52 yards. On the season, Chandler finished seventh in the NCAA Division III with an average of 29.4 yards per kickoff return.

Holland finished second to Chandler in both punt and

kickoff return yardage. Holland returned eight punts for a total of 92 yards with a long run of 64. He returned his 15 kickoffs for 284 yards with a long run of 34.

While opponents will know the speed and ability of the returners, the kicking and punting units will feature a completely new look. Consistent All-America kicker and multiple Millikin and CCIW record holder Andy Beals graduated and took his three-year long snapper and holder with him. The trio combined to help Beals break or tie five Millikin and five CCIW records in 2003, including setting the new Millikin career scoring mark.

Heading into the preseason, Justin Peters and Jake Skelton lead the returning kickers while freshman Aaron McLean will also challenge for placekicking duties. Punting candidates include Peters, McLean and returner Eric Mertel.

Additional Team Information

Millikin is looking for its seventh-straight winning season in 2004 after finishing above .500 for 17 of the last 20 years. The Big Blue finished 7-3 in 2003 and has won 46 of its last 58 regular-season games with two playoff appearances and two CCIW titles in the last five seasons (1998, 2000). In all, the 18 seniors on the 2004 team have helped Millikin to a 22-8 regular season record heading into their final year.

Pronunciation Guide

| | | |
|--------------------------|---|-------------------------|
| Alabi | = | Al-abee |
| Allotey | = | Al-O-Tay |
| Baugh | = | Bow, as in "take a bow" |
| Beauchamp | = | Bee-Chum |
| Betourne | = | Be-Tourney |
| Bizzieri | = | Bizz-Air-ee |
| Blount | = | Blunt |
| Coglianesse | = | Cog-Lun-Eese |
| Doggan | = | Doe-Gun |
| Halteman | = | Halt-Man |
| Heumann | = | Hoy-Man |
| (Holland) Seantaé | = | Shawn-Tay |
| Maslanka | = | Mas-Lan-Ka |
| Mertel | = | Mer-Tell |
| Modarelli | = | Maud-Are-Elli |
| Noel | = | No-Ell |
| Oonyu | = | Oh-On-You |
| Pabon | = | Pa-Bone |
| Poulos | = | Poe-Liss |
| Ratajczyk | = | Ra-Tie-Check |
| Robaer | = | Row-Bear |
| Rohde | = | Row-Dee |
| Scaduto | = | Sca-Doo-Toe |
| Stuewe | = | Stewie |

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big blue preseason roster

| # | Name | Pos. | Ht. | Wt. | Yr. | Hometown | High School |
|-----|-------------------------|-------|------|-----|---------|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| 66 | Shareef <u>Alabi</u> | DL | 5-11 | 290 | Fr. | Country Club Hills, Ill. | Hillcrest |
| 13 | Joe Albin | QB | 6-0 | 180 | So. | Chicago, Ill. | Lake Park |
| D27 | Louie Alex | LB | 5-9 | 170 | Fr. | Rockford, Ill. | Jefferson |
| 4 | Josh <u>Allotey</u> | WR/DB | 5-10 | 175 | Jr. | Springfield, Ill. | Sacred Heart-Griffin |
| D49 | Alex Aska | WR | 6-2 | 175 | Fr. | DeKalb, Ill. | DeKalb |
| 91 | Ryan Bailey | DL | 6-1 | 220 | Fr. | Bourbonnais, Ill. | Bradley-Bourbonnais |
| 88 | Derreck Baker | TE | 6-2 | 230 | So. | Davenport, Iowa | Davenport West |
| 11 | Jim Barry | WR | 5-11 | 170 | Jr. | Zionsville, Ind. | Zionsville |
| 77 | Chris <u>Baugh</u> | DL | 6-3 | 250 | Fr. | Chicago, Ill. | St. Rita |
| 63 | Andrew <u>Beauchamp</u> | DL | 6-2 | 260 | So. | Springfield, Ill. | Riverton |
| 82 | Tyler Belding | WR | 5-10 | 195 | Jr. | West Chicago, Ill. | West Chicago |
| D54 | Jason Berry | LB | 6-0 | 235 | Fr. | Naperville, Ill. | Neuqua Valley |
| 24 | Josh <u>Betourne</u> | DB | 5-9 | 165 | Fr. | Bradley, Ill. | Bradley-Bourbonnais |
| 72 | Nick <u>Bizzieri</u> | OL | 6-2 | 280 | So. | Lockport, Ill. | Joliet Catholic |
| 15 | Xavier Blake | DB | 6-0 | 180 | Fr. | Peoria, Ill. | Manual |
| 59 | Dortanian <u>Blount</u> | LB | 6-1 | 215 | Jr. | Mount Vernon, Ill. | Mount Vernon |
| 90 | Jonathon Booker | DL | 6-4 | 245 | So./Fr. | Marion, Ill. | Marion |
| 34 | Brandon Bordner | RB | 5-11 | 215 | Sr. | Decatur, Ill. | Eisenhower |
| 19 | Derek Brenner | DB | 5-10 | 180 | So. | Park Ridge, Ill. | Maine South |
| | Stephen Brewer | WR | 6-1 | 180 | Fr. | St. Charles, Mo. | Francis Howell Central |
| 18 | Frank Brown | WR | 6-1 | 160 | So. | St. Louis, Mo. | Lafayette |
| D9 | Cliff Bumgarner | LB | 6-4 | 200 | Fr. | Concord, Ill. | Triopia |
| 45 | Jason Busch | RB | 6-0 | 195 | Fr. | Batavia, Ill. | Batavia |
| 69 | Colin Butler-Green | LSN | 6-2 | 210 | So. | Elmhurst, Ill. | York |
| D7 | Jamar Carpenter | DB | 5-10 | 165 | Fr. | Kankakee, Ill. | Kankakee |
| 57 | Patrick Carroll | DL | 6-1 | 255 | Sr. | Olympia Fields, Ill. | Marian Catholic |
| 20 | Nathan Chandler | WR | 6-0 | 170 | Jr. | Maroa, Ill. | Maroa-Forsyth |
| 64 | Mike Clements | OL | 6-2 | 245 | Fr. | Palatine, Ill. | Fremd |
| D29 | Dwight Coffee | WR | 5-11 | 175 | Fr. | Chicago, Ill. | Curie |
| D73 | Tony <u>Coglianesse</u> | LB | 5-8 | 185 | Fr. | Orland Park, Ill. | Providence Catholic |
| 42 | Chris Collins | LB | 6-2 | 225 | So. | St. Louis, Mo. | University City |
| 71 | Maurie Crabtree | OL | 6-4 | 295 | Fr. | Oakley, Ill. | Cerro Gordo |
| D50 | Rob Dallas | OL | 5-11 | 295 | Fr. | Urbana, Ill. | Urbana |
| 44 | Levi Damron | LB | 6-2 | 205 | Sr./Jr. | Flat Rock, Ill. | Robinson |
| D2 | Nick Daniels | LB | 6-1 | 210 | Fr. | Elmwood Park, Ill. | St. Patrick |
| 35 | Michael Davidson | RB | 5-8 | 155 | Jr. | Toledo, Ill. | Cumberland |
| 37 | Mike Davis | LB | 5-9 | 200 | So. | St. Louis, Mo. | University City |
| 33 | Anthony Dingle | DB | 6-0 | 195 | Jr. | Indianapolis, Ind. | Pike |
| 25 | Michael <u>Doggan</u> | DB | 5-10 | 180 | Fr. | Mount Vernon, Ill. | Mount Vernon |
| 30 | Joel Goldstone | LB | 6-0 | 205 | So./Fr. | Moline, Ill. | Moline |
| D15 | Adam Gorniak | RB | 5-10 | 160 | Fr. | Orland Hills, Ill. | Chicago Christian |
| 75 | Nathan Gray | OL | 6-5 | 290 | Sr./Jr. | Glen Carbon, Ill. | Edwardsville |
| 99 | Nathan <u>Halteman</u> | DL | 6-0 | 225 | So. | Carlinville, Ill. | Carlinville |
| D8 | Sean Harrington | WR | 6-0 | 165 | Fr. | Bement, Ill. | Bement |
| 9 | Travis Harris | WR | 6-0 | 150 | So. | St. Charles, Mo. | Francis Howell Central |
| 76 | Jon Hart | OL | 6-2 | 315 | Sr. | Florissant, Mo. | Hazelwood West |
| 48 | Kyle Hemenover | DL | 6-2 | 245 | Sr. | Clifton, Ill. | Clifton Central |
| 29 | Justin <u>Heumann</u> | LB | 6-0 | 195 | So. | Frankfort, Ill. | Lincoln-Way East |
| 79 | Eric Hofmann | OL | 6-7 | 325 | Sr. | St. Peters, Mo. | Francis Howell North |
| 17 | <u>Seantaè</u> Holland | DB | 5-10 | 150 | Jr. | Zion, Ill. | Zion-Benton |
| 43 | Chris Hubbard | RB | 6-0 | 210 | Fr. | Witt, Ill. | Hillsboro |
| 6 | Bruce Jeffery | LB | 6-0 | 205 | So. | Blackjack, Mo. | Hazelwood Central |
| 60 | Jason Johnson | LB | 5-10 | 210 | Fr. | Oregon, Ill. | Oregon |
| 58 | Gregg Kane | DL | 6-1 | 245 | So. | Park Ridge, Ill. | Maine South |
| 36 | David Kaplan | RB | 5-10 | 235 | Fr. | Lansing, Ill. | Thornton Fractional So. |
| 41 | Al Kator | LB | 6-0 | 210 | Sr. | Bartlett, Ill. | Bartlett |

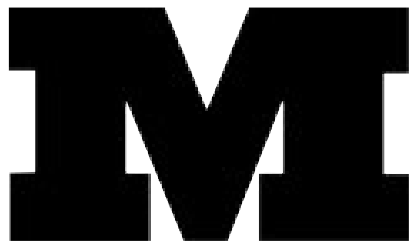
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| # | Name | Pos. | Ht. | Wt. | Yr. | Hometown | High School |
|-----|------------------|--------|------|-----|---------|----------------------|-------------------------|
| 86 | Chris Katzmark | DB | 6-1 | 185 | So. | Rochester, Ill. | Rochester |
| 40 | Mike Kenders | RB | 5-10 | 265 | Sr. | Hanover Park, Ill. | Driscoll Catholic |
| D23 | Kevin Klickna | LB | 5-9 | 180 | Fr. | Rochester, Ill. | Rochester |
| 50 | Eric Kramer | LB | 5-11 | 200 | Jr. | Bartlett, Ill. | Bartlett |
| 87 | Zach Leonard | TE | 6-3 | 240 | Sr. | Peoria, Ill. | Manual |
| 20 | Neil Linhart | WR | 6-1 | 185 | So. | Mokena, Ill. | Lincoln-Way East |
| 74 | Tony Lipka | OL | 6-1 | 285 | Jr. | St. Charles, Mo. | St. Charles |
| 96 | Romelle Lipscomb | DL | 5-11 | 255 | Sr. | Des Plaines, Ill. | Maine East |
| 61 | Ryan Lott | LB | 5-11 | 220 | Jr. | Jerseyville, Ill. | Jersey Community |
| 80 | Tyler Lux | TE | 6-3 | 255 | Sr. | Salem, Ill. | Salem |
| 32 | Jason Lynch | DB | 6-1 | 190 | Sr. | Normal, Ill. | Normal Community |
| 10 | Craig Mack | DB | 5-10 | 195 | Jr. | St. Charles, Mo. | St. Charles |
| 23 | Devin Macon | WR | 5-9 | 145 | Fr. | East St. Louis, Ill. | Althoff Catholic |
| 65 | Brandon Marks | OL | 6-2 | 290 | So. | State Line, Ind. | Seeger Memorial |
| 68 | Justin Maslanka | OL | 6-0 | 240 | Fr. | Lansing, Ill. | Thronton Fractional So. |
| 5 | Lee McCoy | LB | 5-10 | 175 | Sr./Jr. | Zion, Ill. | Zion-Benton |
| 14 | Aaron McLean | K/P | 5-9 | 165 | Fr. | Belleville, Ill. | Althoff Catholic |
| 3 | Kevin Meehan | LB | 6-0 | 200 | Sr. | Chicago, Ill. | Fenwick |
| 12 | Eric Mertel | P | 6-0 | 180 | So. | Hillside, Ill. | Montini |
| D32 | Ken Meyer | WR | 6-0 | 180 | Fr. | St. Louis, Mo. | St. Mary's |
| 62 | Mike Minton | DL | 6-1 | 250 | Fr. | Godfrey, Ill. | Alton |
| D6 | J.C. Modarelli | WR | 5-11 | 175 | So. | Belleville, Ill. | West |
| D87 | Aaron Montgomery | DL | 6-5 | 235 | Fr. | Peoria, Ill. | Peoria |
| 84 | Web Noel | WR | 6-0 | 160 | So. | O'Fallon, Mo. | Fort Zumwalt North |
| 93 | Wilkins Noel | DL | 6-1 | 205 | So. | O'Fallon, Mo. | Fort Zumwalt North |
| D86 | Kenny Oonyu | WR | 6-4 | 205 | Fr. | Manhattan, N.Y. | New York Military Acad. |
| 7 | Eric Pabon | WR | 6-3 | 195 | Sr. | Addison, Ill. | Addison Trail |
| 27 | Justin Peters | P/K | 6-0 | 180 | Jr. | Fairbury, Ill. | Prairie Central |
| 94 | Jeff Poulos | DL | 6-2 | 240 | So. | Mount Zion, Ill. | Mount Zion |
| 85 | Chris Ratajczyk | TE | 6-4 | 240 | So. | Park Ridge, Ill. | Maine South |
| 58 | Matt Renderman | LB | 5-9 | 190 | So. | Chicago, Ill. | Marist |
| D57 | Chris Robinson | OL | 6-2 | 250 | Fr. | Indianapolis, Ind. | Pike |
| 54 | Kyle Rohde | OL/LSN | 6-0 | 255 | Jr. | South Elgin, Ill. | Elgin |
| 47 | Jason Rudis | LB | 6-2 | 185 | So. | Springfield, Ill. | Sacred Heart-Griffin |
| D31 | Thor Russell | WR | 6-1 | 180 | Fr. | Carmel, Ind. | Carmel |
| D30 | Brad Scaduto | RB | 5-7 | 180 | Fr. | Oak Lawn, Ill. | Oak Lawn |
| 81 | Chris Schaefer | TE | 6-2 | 210 | So. | Belleville, Ill. | West |
| 67 | Derek Self | OL | 6-2 | 340 | Fr. | Bartlett, Ill. | Bartlett |
| 21 | Justin Shannon | DB | 6-1 | 180 | So. | St. Louis, Mo. | Parkway West |
| 95 | Russ Shell | DL | 6-2 | 220 | Fr. | Lansing, Ill. | Thornton Fractional So. |
| 89 | Ross Silotto | TE | 6-2 | 210 | Fr. | Crawfordsville, Ind. | Danville, Ill. |
| 55 | Jake Skelton | LB | 6-2 | 225 | So./Fr. | St. Peters, Mo. | Fort Zumwalt South |
| 1 | Matt Slusher | QB | 5-11 | 195 | So. | Chicago, Ill. | Lane Technical |
| 78 | Nick Slusher | OL | 6-2 | 290 | Jr. | Chicago, Ill. | Lane Technical |
| D74 | Steve Smedberg | DL | 5-8 | 205 | Fr. | North Lake, Ill. | West Leyden |
| 70 | Sean Staffeldt | OL | 6-3 | 255 | Fr. | Oswego, Ill. | Oswego |
| 98 | Tim Staffeldt | DL | 6-0 | 285 | Sr. | Oswego, Ill. | Oswego |
| 22 | Jeremy Stephen | RB | 5-11 | 180 | Fr. | Chicago, Ill. | St. Patrick |
| 2 | Justin Stessman | QB | 6-0 | 190 | Jr. | Pekin, Ill. | Pekin |
| 49 | Troy Stuewe | RB | 5-9 | 205 | So. | Oak Forest, Ill. | Oak Forest |
| 73 | Chris Suba | OL | 6-2 | 260 | Jr. | Park Ridge, Ill. | Maine South |
| D65 | Brent Taylor | DL | 5-11 | 255 | Fr. | Indianapolis, Ind. | Cathedral |
| 83 | Jordan Thomas | WR | 6-2 | 205 | So. | Hazelwood, Mo. | Hazelwood West |
| 16 | Matt Tierney | WR | 6-1 | 200 | Jr. | Broadview, Ill. | Riverside-Brookfield |
| 97 | Ed Tomasik | DL | 6-3 | 245 | Fr. | Oak Lawn, Ill. | Oak Lawn |
| 53 | Jacob Trader | LB | 5-8 | 205 | Fr. | Joliet, Ill. | Joliet Catholic |

2004 preseason roster (continued)

| | | | | | | | |
|----|------------------------|----|------|-----|-----|--------------------|----------------------------|
| 38 | Kendrick Tunstall | DB | 5-10 | 160 | So. | St. Charles, Mo. | Francis Howell North |
| 52 | Andrew Wagers | DL | 6-2 | 220 | So. | Argenta, Ill. | Argenta-Oreana |
| 28 | Nathan Wallick | RB | 6-0 | 215 | So. | Elmhurst, Ill. | York |
| 8 | Max Warner | QB | 6-0 | 190 | Jr. | Crystal Lake, Ill. | South |
| 31 | A.J. Wessler | DB | 6-1 | 190 | So. | Arenzville, Ill. | Tripoia |
| 51 | Marvin White | OL | 6-0 | 300 | So. | Rincon, Ga. | Benedictine Military Acad. |
| 46 | James Whitelock | RB | 6-2 | 215 | Sr. | Aurora, Ill. | Waubonsie Valley |
| 91 | Chris Williams | DL | 6-0 | 290 | So. | Springfield, Ill. | Sacred Heart-Griffin |
| 39 | <u>Robaer</u> Williams | DB | 5-8 | 155 | So. | St. Louis, Mo. | Beaumont |

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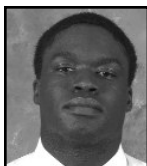
big blue coaching records

| Name (Seasons coached) | W | L | T | Pct. |
|---|-----------|-----------|----------|-------------|
| Carl Poelker (1982-95) | 88 | 39 | 1 | .691 |
| Leo T. Johnson (1924-36) | 66 | 25 | 9 | .705 |
| Lester Mathieson (1966-76) | 54 | 45 | 0 | .545 |
| Doug Neibuhr (1996-present) | 53 | 25 | 0 | .679 |
| Norman J. Wann (1915-17, 19-22) | 46 | 9 | 5 | .808 |
| James N. Ashmore (1904-06, 09-13) | 40 | 23 | 1 | .633 |
| Merle Chapman (1977-81) | 32 | 13 | 9 | .711 |
| Don Shroyer (1956-61) | 28 | 19 | 1 | .594 |
| Marshall Wells (1940-41, 46-47) | 18 | 13 | 1 | .578 |
| Jack Allen (1953-55) | 12 | 12 | 0 | .500 |
| Henry J. Keil (1948-50) | 9 | 15 | 1 | .380 |
| Fred Will (1962-63) | 8 | 7 | 0 | .533 |
| C.E. Sutherd (1942) | 7 | 0 | 0 | 1.000 |
| Robert Appleby (1951-52) | 6 | 8 | 1 | .033 |
| Robert E. Brannon (1918) | 4 | 1 | 0 | .800 |
| Neal Price (1914) | 4 | 1 | 3 | .688 |
| J.C. Elder (1907) | 4 | 4 | 1 | .500 |
| Rollie Williams (1923) | 4 | 5 | 0 | .444 |
| Harold Johnson (1937-39) | 4 | 20 | 1 | .180 |
| L.L. Hoopes (1908) | 3 | 5 | 0 | .375 |
| Mel Bishop (1964-65) | 3 | 11 | 3 | .265 |
| Duane Masterson/Charles A. Meserve (1903) | 2 | 3 | 0 | .400 |



In 2003, Millikin head coach Doug Neibuhr surpassed former coach Norman J. Wann's 46 wins and is just two wins shy of becoming the third-winningest coach in Millikin history.

2004 returning letter winners



Josh Allotey - Junior Wide Receiver/Defensive Back (5-10, 175 pounds)**

Springfield, Illinois (Sacred Heart Griffin H.S.)

2003: Picked up 126 yards on 10 catches. **2002:** Rushed for 51 yards on 8 carries...Caught one pass for 52 yards and a touchdown and had 4 carries for 28 yards vs. North Park (11/2)...Recorded 5 tackles on special teams.

Personal: Born 7-20-83...Communication major.

| Year | GP | REC | YDS | TD | LG |
|-------------|----------|-----------|------------|----------|-----------|
| 2002 | 6 | 1 | 52 | 1 | 52 |
| <u>2003</u> | <u>6</u> | <u>10</u> | <u>126</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>52</u> |
| Total | 12 | 11 | 178 | 1 | 52 |



Nick Bizzieri - Sophomore Offensive Lineman* (6-2, 280 pounds)

Lockport, Illinois (Joliet Catholic H.S.)

2003: Played primarily on the junior varsity squad...Recorded a tackle against Carthage (10/4).

Personal: Born 3-29-85...History Education major.



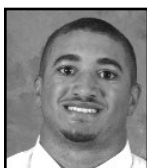
Dortanian Blount - Junior Linebacker (6-1, 215 pounds)**

Mt. Vernon, Illinois (Township H.S.)

2003: Recorded 18 solo and 25 assisted tackles for a total of 43...Voted team's Most Improved Defensive Player. **2002:** Recorded 17 tackles...Season-high 7 tackles at North Central (11/9).

Personal: Born 12-13-82...Exercise Science and Sport major.

| Year | GP | ST | AT | TT | FL | SK | FR | INT | PB |
|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| 2002 | 4 | 7 | 10 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| <u>2003</u> | <u>10</u> | <u>18</u> | <u>25</u> | <u>43</u> | <u>6</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>1</u> |
| Total | 14 | 25 | 35 | 60 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 |

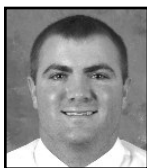


Jonathon Booker - Sophomore Defensive Lineman* (6-4, 245 pounds)

Marion, Illinois (Marion H.S.)

2003: Recorded five tackles before missing the remainder of the season with a broken leg.

Personal: Born 3-20-85...Communication major.



Brandon Bordner - Senior Running Back (5-11, 215 pounds)**

Decatur, Illinois (Eisenhower H.S.)

2003: Recorded 27 tackles. **2002:** Recorded 48 tackles including 6 for losses of 40 yards...Had 4 sacks, 1 pass deflection and forced 1 fumble...Season-high 8 tackles at North Central (11/9) with 2 for losses of 18 yards...Forced fumble at Anderson (9/28)...Finished eighth in the CCIW in sacks (4) and tied for 35th in tackles (35). **2001:** Recorded 17 solo tackles and 8 assists...Three tackles for a loss of 16 total yards, 2 sacks for a total loss of 15 yards...Recovered a fumble vs. Eureka (9/15)...Season-high 7 tackles vs. Elmhurst (11/3). **Personal:** Born 9-13-82...Marketing major.

| Year | GP | ST | AT | TT | FL | SK | FR | INT | PB |
|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| 2001 | 7 | 17 | 8 | 25 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 2002 | 10 | 32 | 16 | 48 | 6 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| <u>2003</u> | <u>10</u> | <u>17</u> | <u>10</u> | <u>27</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>1</u> |
| Total | 27 | 66 | 34 | 100 | 11 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 2 |



Patrick Carroll - Senior Defensive Lineman (6-1, 255 pounds)**

Olympia Fields, Illinois (Marian Catholic H.S.)

2003: Recorded nine solo and 12 assisted tackles for a total of 21...First-team All-CCIW. **2002:** Recorded 2 tackles and 1 sack for a loss of 7 yards...Sack for loss of 7 yards came against North Park (11/2).

Personal: Born 9-18-82...Communication major.

| Year | GP | ST | AT | TT | FL | SK | FR | INT | PB |
|-------------|----------|----------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| 2002 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| <u>2003</u> | <u>8</u> | <u>9</u> | <u>12</u> | <u>21</u> | <u>4</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| Total | 13 | 11 | 12 | 23 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |

2004 returning letter winners

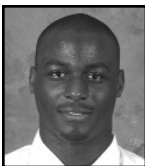


Nate Chandler - Junior Wide Receiver (6-0, 170 pounds)**
Maroa, Illinois (Maroa-Forsyth H.S.)

2003: Returned a punt for a touchdown against Aurora (9/20) and a kickoff for 98 yards for a touchdown against Carthage (10/4)...Tallied 167 receiving yards against Illinois Wesleyan (11/15)...Totaled 470 kickoff return yards for the season... Earned CCIW Offensive Player of the Week, special teams National Player of the Week by d3football.com and Football Gazette...All-CCIW first team honors. **2002:** Ran for 111 yards on 12 attempts...Season-best 63 yards against Aurora (9/21) with long run of 46 yards...Caught 1 pass for 8 yards against Carthage (10/5)... Returned 14 kicks for 269 yards and 22 punts for 173 yards...Long kick return of 43 yards against North Central (11/9) and long punt return of 43 yards again Augustana (10/26)...Finished seventh in the CCIW in punt return average.

Personal: Born 1-11-84...Exercise Science and Sport major.

| Year | GP | REC | YDS | TD | LG | KRET | YDS | TD | PRET | YDS | TD |
|-------|----|-----|-----|----|----|------|-----|----|------|-----|----|
| 2002 | 10 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 8 | 14 | 269 | 0 | 22 | 173 | 0 |
| 2003 | 10 | 17 | 270 | 1 | 52 | 16 | 470 | 1 | 15 | 131 | 1 |
| Total | 20 | 18 | 278 | 1 | 52 | 30 | 739 | 1 | 37 | 304 | 1 |



Anthony Dingle - Junior Defensive Back (6-0, 195 pounds)**
Indianapolis, Indiana (Pike H.S.)

2003: Totaled 23 total tackles and 2 forced fumbles...Had season-high five tackles against Wheaton (10/11). **2002:** Tallied 11 tackles...Blocked 1 kick and tallied 1 interception...Season-high 4 tackles vs. Anderson (9/28)...Blocked kick against Wheaton (10/12) and interception at North Central (11/9). **Personal:** Born 4-26-83...Sports management major.

| Year | GP | ST | AT | TT | FL | SK | FR | INT | PB |
|-------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|----|
| 2002 | 7 | 10 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| 2003 | 9 | 17 | 6 | 23 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Total | 16 | 27 | 7 | 34 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |



Nathan Gray - Senior Offensive Lineman (6-5, 290 pounds)**
Glen Carbon, Illinois (Edwardsville H.S.)

2003: Helped an offense gain 2,235 rushing yards, 1,791 passing yards and average 37.2 points per game. **2002:** Protected an offense that put up 38.1 points a game.

Personal: Born 3-17-82...Exercise Science and Sport major.



Jon Hart - Senior Offensive Lineman* (6-2, 315 pounds)**
Florissant, Missouri (Hazelwood West H.S.)

2004 captain and Preseason All-American. **2003:** Helped offense gain 2,235 rushing yards, 1,791 passing yards and average 37.2 points per game...Earned All-CCIW first team honors and was named to the Football Gazette's All-Region second team. **2002:** Protected an offense that averaged 38.1 points a game. **2001:** Protected a line that averaged 36.2 points per game, 278.8 rushing yards per game and 148.1 passing yards per game.

Personal: Born 10-9-83...Political Science major.



Kyle Hemenover - Senior Defensive Lineman* (6-0, 245 pounds)**
Clifton, Illinois (Central H.S.)

2004 captain. **2003:** Tallied 38 total tackles, with a season high of 8 against Carthage (10/4)...Earned All-CCIW first team honors. **2002:** Recorded 25 tackles with 5 for losses...Season-high 8 tackles vs. Illinois Wesleyan (11/16)...Recorded 1 sack for a loss of 8 yards against IWU. **2001:** Recorded 5 solo tackles with 4 assists...Season-high 5 tackles vs. Eureka (9/15). **Personal:** Born 3-27-83...Accounting major.

| Year | GP | ST | AT | TT | FL | SK | FR | INT | PBU |
|-------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|
| 2001 | 5 | 4 | 9 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 2002 | 10 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 2003 | 9 | 19 | 19 | 38 | 10 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Total | 24 | 39 | 37 | 76 | 15 | 5 | 3 | 0 | 1 |

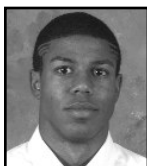


Eric Hofmann - Senior Offensive Lineman* (6-7, 325 pounds)**
St. Peters, Missouri (Francis Howell North H.S.)

2003: All-CCIW second team...Helped protect an offense that averaged 37.2 point per game, with 223.5 yards per game. **2002:** Protected an offense that put up 38.1 points a game. **2001:** Protected a line that averaged 36.2 points per game, 278.8 rushing yards per game and 148.1 passing yards per game.

Personal: Born 10-12-82...Management Information Systems major.

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Seantaé Holland - Junior Defensive Back (5-10, 150 pounds)**
Zion, Illinois (Zion-Benton H.S.)

2003: Tallied two interceptions, eight punt returns totaling 92 yards and 15 kickoff returns with 284 yards...Recorded five kickoff returns for 69 yards against Illinois Wesleyan (11/15). **2002:** Recorded 4 tackles...Returned an interception 24 yards against North Park (11/2)...Returned 10 kickoffs for a total of 175 yards...Brought back 14 punts for 103 yards...Long punt return of 29 yards vs. Elmhurst (10/19). **Personal:** Born 6-11-84...Biology major.

| Year | GP | ST | AT | TT | FL | SK | FR | INT | PBU |
|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| 2002 | 9 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| <u>2003</u> | <u>10</u> | <u>18</u> | <u>10</u> | <u>28</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>5</u> |
| Total | 19 | 20 | 12 | 32 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 5 |



Gregg Kane - Sophomore Defensive Lineman* (6-1, 245 pounds)
Park Ridge, Illinois (Maine South H.S.)

2003: Recorded seven total tackles. **Personal:** Born 2-29-84...Business Management major.



Al Kator - Senior Linebacker* (6-0, 210 pounds)**
Bartlett, Illinois (H.S.)

2003: Tallied 31 total tackles and recorded an interception. **2002:** Recorded 40 tackles including 31 solos...Season-high 8 tackles twice (vs. Wheaton on 10/12 and vs. Illinois Wesleyan on 11/16)...One tackle for loss...Returned fumble recovery 15 yards vs. Anderson (9/28)...Broke up 1 pass. **2001:** Tallied 4 solo tackles...One tackle in 4 different games. **Personal:** Born 10-31-82...Business Management major.

| Year | GP | ST | AT | TT | FL | SK | FR | INT | PBU |
|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| 2001 | 5 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 2002 | 9 | 31 | 9 | 40 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| <u>2003</u> | <u>10</u> | <u>12</u> | <u>19</u> | <u>31</u> | <u>5</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| Total | 24 | 47 | 28 | 75 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |



Chris Katzmark - Sophomore Defensive Back* (6-1, 185 pounds)
Rochester, Illinois (Rochester H.S.)

2003: Played primarily on the junior varsity squad. **Personal:** Born 5-3-85...Exercise Science and Sport major.



Mike Kenders - Senior Running Back* (5-10, 265 pounds)**
Hanover Park, Illinois (Driscoll Catholic H.S.)

2003: Totaled 64 rushing yards and 48 receiving yards with 5 touchdowns...Scored 2 touchdowns in games against Augustana (10/25) and North Park (11/1). **2002:** Ran for 107 yards on 43 attempts with 13 touchdowns...Season-high 35 yards against Elmhurst (10/19)...Three touchdowns in a game twice (vs. Aurora on 9/21 and vs. Elmhurst on 10/19)...Caught 2 passes for 30 yards and 1 touchdown...Team's leading scorer with 84 points...Ranked nationally in scoring with 8.4 points per game. **2001:** Rushed for 100 yards on 21 carries with 3 touchdowns...Season-high 17 yards on 4 carries vs. Blackburn (9/22). **Personal:** Born 12-12-81...Fitness and Sport major.

| Year | GP | ATT | YDS | TD | YPR | YPG |
|-------------|----------|-----------|-----------|----------|------------|------------|
| 2001 | 5 | 21 | 110 | 3 | 5.2 | 22.0 |
| 2002 | 10 | 43 | 107 | 13 | 2.5 | 10.7 |
| <u>2003</u> | <u>7</u> | <u>25</u> | <u>64</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>2.6</u> | <u>9.1</u> |
| Total | 22 | 89 | 281 | 18 | 3.2 | 12.8 |



Eric Kramer - Junior Linebacker (5-11, 200 pounds)**
Bartlett, Illinois (Bartlett H.S.)

2003: Tallied 10 solo tackles and 10 assisted tackles. **2002:** Second on the team with 62 tackles, including 3 for a loss...Season-high 12 tackles against Carthage (10/5)...Recorded 2 sacks and knocked down 1 pass...Earned CCIW Defensive Player of the Week honors after Carthage game (10/7)...Finished 26th in the CCIW in tackles (39). **Personal:** Born 12-13-83...Exercise Science and Sport Secondary Education major.

| Year | GP | ST | AT | TT | FL | SK | FR | INT | PBU |
|-------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| 2002 | 9 | 35 | 27 | 62 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| <u>2003</u> | <u>8</u> | <u>10</u> | <u>10</u> | <u>20</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| Total | 17 | 45 | 37 | 82 | 6 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 |

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Zach Leonard - Senior Tight End* (6-3, 240 pounds)
Peoria, Illinois (Peoria Manual H.S.)

2003: Saw limited varsity time...Played primarily on junior varsity.
Personal: Born 1-9-83...International Business major.



Tony Lipka - Junior Offensive Lineman (6-1, 285 pounds)**
St. Charles, Missouri (St. Charles H.S.)

2003: Helped offense gain 2,235 rushing yards, 1,791 passing yards and average 37.2 points per game...Tallied one solo tackle in defeat against Anderson (9/27). **2002:** Starter on the offensive line as a freshman...Protected an offense that averaged 38.1 points a game. **Personal:** Born 1-11-84...Interdepartmental major.



Romelle Lipscomb - Senior Defensive Lineman (5-11, 255 pounds)**
Des Plaines, Illinois (Maine East H.S.)

2003: Tallied 25 solo tackles and 16 assisted for a total of 41. **2002:** Recorded 34 tackles with 6 for losses...Season-high 8 tackles against Illinois Wesleyan (11/16)...Tallied 2 sacks for a loss of 20 yards...Recovered and returned 1 fumble for 28 yards and a touchdown vs. Aurora (9/21). **Personal:** Born 6-14-83...Interdepartmental major.

| Year | GP | ST | AT | TT | FL | SK | FR | INT | PBU |
|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| 2002 | 9 | 23 | 11 | 34 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| <u>2003</u> | <u>10</u> | <u>25</u> | <u>16</u> | <u>41</u> | <u>12</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| Total | 19 | 48 | 27 | 75 | 18 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 0 |

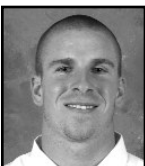


Tyler Lux - Senior Tight End* (6-3, 255 pounds)**
Salem, Illinois (H.S.)

2003: Tallied 156 yards receiving and scored 4 touchdowns. **2002:** Protected a line that averaged 38.1 points a game. **2001:** Played backup running back and moved to tight end during 2001 season.

Personal: Born 1-13-83...Biology Secondary Education major.

| Year | GP | REC | YDS | TD | LG |
|-------------|----------|----------|------------|----------|-----------|
| <u>2003</u> | <u>5</u> | <u>8</u> | <u>156</u> | <u>4</u> | <u>37</u> |
| Total | 5 | 8 | 156 | 4 | 37 |



Jason Lynch - Senior Defensive Back (6-1, 190 pounds)**
Normal, Illinois (Normal Community H.S.)

2004 captain. **2003:** Tallied 2 interceptions and 22 tackles before suffering a broken collarbone against Carthage.

2002: Recorded 29 tackles, including 1 for a loss...Season-high 9 tackles vs. Augustana (10/26)...Knocked down 7 passes... Returned 2 punts 9 yards. **Personal:** Born 5-6-82...Business management major.

| Year | GP | ST | AT | TT | FL | SK | FR | INT | PBU |
|-------------|----------|-----------|----------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| 2002 | 9 | 21 | 8 | 29 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 |
| <u>2003</u> | <u>4</u> | <u>15</u> | <u>7</u> | <u>22</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>3</u> |
| Total | 13 | 36 | 15 | 51 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 10 |



Craig Mack - Senior Defensive Back (5-10, 195 pounds)**
St. Charles, Missouri (H.S.)

2003: Did not play. **2002:** Recorded 27 tackles, including 2 for losses...Season-high 9 tackles vs. Augustana

(10/26)...Picked up 2 interceptions for a total of 38 yards...Returned an interception 38 yards vs. Franklin (9/14)...Knocked down 2 passes and returned 1 punt 4 yards. **2001:** Second on team with 61 kick-return yards on 4 catches (avg. 15.2 yards per return)...Long return of 19 yards vs. Blackburn (9/22)...Recorded 3 solo and 2 assisted tackles with 1 for loss and 1 pass break up. **Personal:** Born 10-9-82...Interdepartmental major.

| Year | GP | ST | AT | TT | FL | SK | FR | INT | PBU |
|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| 2001 | 9 | 3 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| <u>2002</u> | <u>10</u> | <u>14</u> | <u>13</u> | <u>27</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>2</u> |
| Total | 19 | 17 | 15 | 32 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 |



Lee McCoy- Senior/Junior Linebacker (5-10, 175 pounds)**
Zion, Illinois (Zion-Benton H.S.)

2003: Did not play. **2002:** Ran for 322 yards on 41 attempts...Scored 3 touchdowns...Recorded 5 solo tackles.

2001: Collected 49 yards on 8 carries...Long rush of 12 yards vs. North Park.

Personal: Born 5-18-83...Human Services major.

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Kevin Meehan - Senior Linebacker* (6-0, 200 pounds)**
Chicago, Illinois (Fenwick H.S.)

2003: Tallied 41 tackles and 1 fumble recovery. **2002:** Recorded 44 tackles including 32 solo...Season-high 21 tackles vs. Augustana (10/26)...Knocked down 2 passes...Returned 1 kick for 20 yards vs. Anderson (9/28)...Finished 25th in CCIW tackles (29). **2001:** Season-high 4 tackles twice (vs. Blackburn on 9/22 and vs. North Park on 10/27)...Fumble recovery vs. Carthage (9/29). **Personal:** Born 4-2-83...Spanish Secondary Education major.

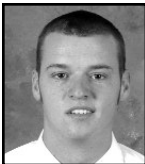
| Year | GP | ST | AT | TT | FL | SK | FR | INT | PBU |
|-------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| 2001 | 10 | 12 | 2 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 2002 | 8 | 32 | 12 | 44 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| <u>2003</u> | <u>7</u> | <u>20</u> | <u>21</u> | <u>41</u> | <u>4</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>2</u> |
| Total | 25 | 64 | 35 | 99 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 4 |



Eric Pabon - Senior Wide Receiver (6-3, 195 pounds)**
Addison, Illinois (Addison Trail H.S.)

2004 captain. **2003:** Scored six touchdowns and led team with 537 receiving yards...Received All-CCIW second team honors. **2002:** Had 11 receptions for 196 yards...Season-high 59 yards and long of 41 yards vs. Anderson (9/28). **Personal:** Born 7-19-83...Spanish major.

| Year | GP | REC | YDS | TD | LG |
|-------|----|-----|-----|----|----|
| 2002 | 8 | 11 | 196 | 0 | 41 |
| 2003 | 10 | 28 | 537 | 6 | 52 |
| Total | 18 | 39 | 733 | 6 | 52 |



Justin Peters - Junior Kicker/Punter* (6-0, 180 pounds)
Fairbury, Illinois (Prairie Central H.S.)

2003: Backup punter...Averaged 36.0 yards per punt. **Personal:** Born 8-7-84...Graphic Design major.



Kyle Rohde - Junior Offensive Lineman* (6-0, 255 pounds)
South Elgin, Illinois (Elgin H.S.)

2003: Helped protect an offense that averaged 37.2 points per game, with 223.5 yards per game. **Personal:** Born 12-25-83...Secondary Education major.



Justin Shannon - Sophomore Defensive Back* (6-1, 180 pounds)
St. Louis, Missouri (Parkway West H.S.)

2003: Tallied five total tackles. **Personal:** Born 9-29-84...Sports Management major.



Nick Slusher - Junior Offensive Lineman (6-2, 315 pounds)**
Chicago, Illinois (Lane Technical H.S.)

2003: Helped protect an offense that averaged 37.2 points per game, with 223.5 yards per game. **2002:** Protected an offense that averaged 38.1 points a game. **Personal:** Born 12-5-83...Exercise Science and Sport major.



Tim Staffeldt - Senior Defensive Lineman* (6-0, 285 pounds)**
Oswego, Illinois (Oswego H.S.)

2003: Tallied 25 total tackles and 3 sacks. **2002:** Recorded 14 tackles and 1 sack...Season-high 4 tackles vs. Augustana (10/26)...One sack for loss of 9 yards vs. Franklin (9/14). **2001:** Season-high 6 tackles vs. Elmhurst (11/3) with 1 sack. **Personal:** Born 11-6-82...Exercise Science and Sport major.

| Year | GP | ST | AT | TT | FL | SK | FR | INT | PBU |
|-------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|
| 2001 | 10 | 15 | 6 | 21 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 2002 | 9 | 8 | 6 | 14 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 2003 | 10 | 14 | 11 | 25 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Total | 29 | 37 | 23 | 60 | 10 | 7 | 2 | 0 | 1 |

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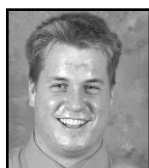


Justin Stessman - Junior Quarterback (6-0, 190 pounds)**
Pekin, Illinois (Pekin Community H.S.)

2003: Threw for 71 yards, rushed for 53, and scored one touchdown. **2002:** Completed 4-of-10 passes for 106 yards and 2 touchdowns with 1 interception...Season-high 106 yards vs. North Park (11/2) with a long pass of 42 yards...Ran the ball 10 times for 40 yards...Season-high 47 yards vs. North Park with a long run of 25 yards.

Personal: Born 7-25-83...Business management major.

| Year | GP | ATT | C | INT | YDS | TD | YPG |
|-------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|----------|-------------|
| 2002 | 3 | 10 | 4 | 1 | 106 | 2 | 35.3 |
| <u>2003</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>4</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>71</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>17.7</u> |
| Total | 6 | 14 | 7 | 2 | 177 | 2 | 29.5 |



Chris Suba - Junior Offensive Lineman* (6-2, 260 pounds)
Park Ridge, Illinois (Maine South H.S.)

2003: Helped protect an offense that averaged 37.2 points per game, with 223.5 yards per game. **Personal:** Born 5-2-84...Accounting major.



Matt Tierney - Junior Wide Receiver* (6-1, 200 pounds)
Broadview, Illinois (Riverside-Brookfield H.S.)

2003: Had 3 receptions for 21 yards. **Personal:** Born 1-31-84...Sports Management major.



Kendrick Tunstall - Sophomore Defensive Back* (5-10, 160 pounds)
St. Charles, Missouri (Francis Howell North H.S.)

2003: Saw limited varsity time...Played primarily on junior varsity.

Personal: Born 10-11-84...International Business major.



Nathan Wallick - Sophomore Running Back* (6-0, 215 pounds)
Elmhurst, Illinois (York H.S.)

2003: Led team in rushing with 907 yards and scored eight touchdowns...took over No. 7 spot in season rushing...Earned All-CCIW second team honors. **Personal:** Born 8-14-84...Interdepartmental major.



Marvin White - Sophomore Offensive Lineman* (6-0, 300 pounds)
Rincon, Georgia (Benedictine Academy H.S.)

2003: Helped protect an offense that averaged 37.2 points per game, with 223.5 yards per game. **Personal:** Born 3-4-85...Political Science major.



James Whitelock - Senior Running Back (6-2, 215 pounds)**
Aurora, Illinois (Waubonsie Valley)

2003: Recorded five total tackles. **2002:** Recorded 28 tackles...Season-high 7 tackles vs. North Park (11/2)...Had 1 sack for a loss of 4 yards and 1 pass deflection vs. Carthage (10/5).

Personal: Born 6-29-82...Exercise Science and Sport major.

| Year | GP | ST | AT | TT | FL | SK | FR | INT | PBU |
|-------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| 2002 | 9 | 18 | 10 | 28 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| <u>2003</u> | <u>5</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>5</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| Total | 14 | 20 | 13 | 33 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |



Chris Williams - Sophomore Defensive Lineman* (6-0, 290 pounds)
Springfield, Illinois (Sacred Heart Griffin H.S.)

2003: Recorded 13 total tackles, 5 solo. **Personal:** Born 8-12-84...Political Science major.

fight song lyrics

Fight for the Blue - the blue and white of Millikin

**Our victory will be right here for all to see
Our team is fighting**

So let's cheer for the Blue

and we will keep our spirits high

**And we will Fight!, Fight!, Fight!
for the Blue of Millikin**



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Everyone interested in Millikin Athletics can join the Big Blue Club and help support our teams.

Participants receive regular newsletters as well as reserved seating at home football and men's basketball games. A variety of group activities, including a meeting/reception at homecoming, are planned each year. Participants also receive invita-

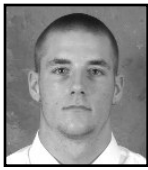
tions to special events held in conjunction with appearances by Big Blue athletic teams in cities and venues through the country.

The Big Blue Club was created to benefit the Athletic Department and athletes in all of Millikin's 21 intercollegiate sports. Membership dues provide budget support and underwrite special projects that might otherwise go unfunded.

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So. QB



Derreck Baker
So. TE



Jim Barry
Jr. WR



Andrew Beauchamp
So. DL



Tyler Belding
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Derek Brenner
So. DB



Colin Butler-Green
So. LSN



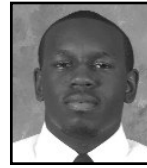
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Levi Damron
Sr./Jr. LB



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So. DL



Travis Harris
So. WR



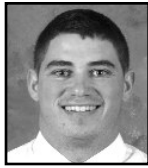
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J.C. Modarelli
So. WR



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So. WR



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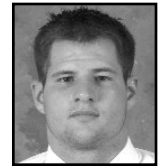
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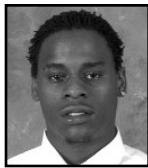
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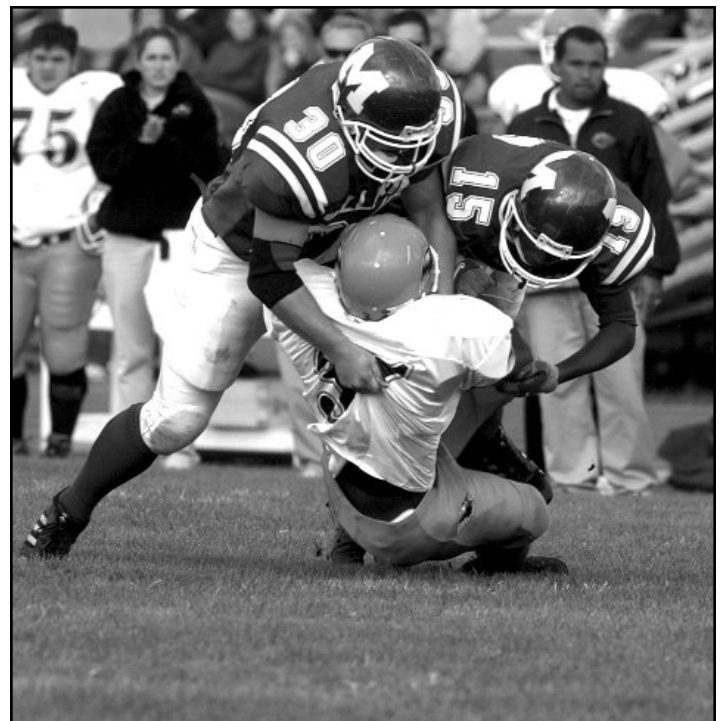
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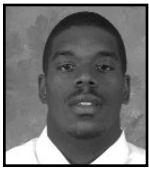
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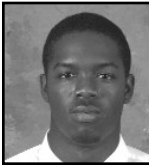
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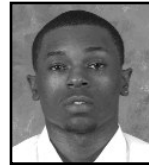
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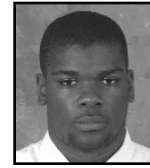
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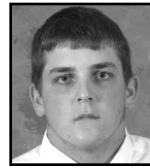
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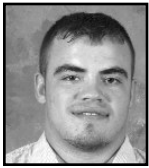
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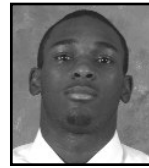
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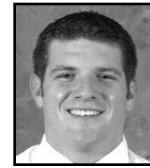
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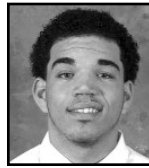
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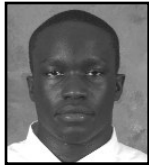
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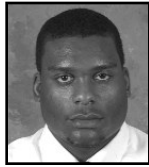
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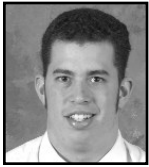
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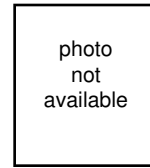


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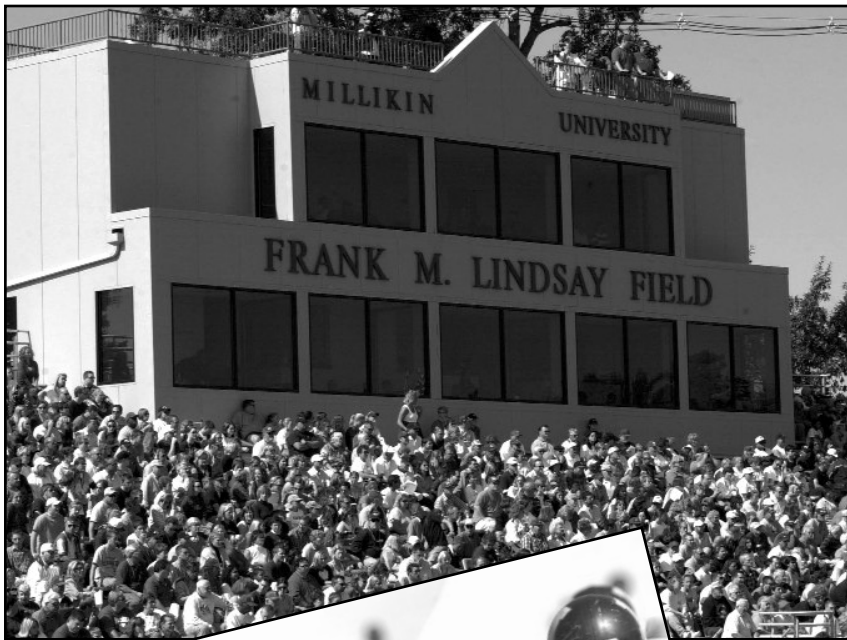
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\$800,000 from the late F. Merrill and the late Margery "Sis" Lindsay.

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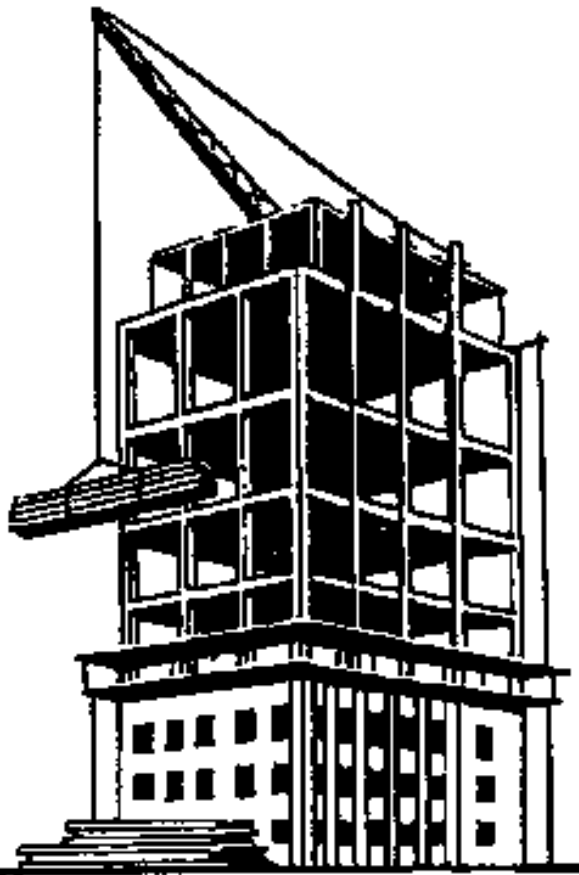
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the abc's of millikin football

- A** is for Academic All-Americans. Millikin football has had 11 first-team selections.
- B** is for "Big Blue," attributed to professor Carl Head who used it in posters during the 1916 season.
- C** is for College Conference of Illinois and Wisconsin. Millikin has won or shared 11 CCIW titles.
- D** is for Decatur Indoor Sports Complex at Millikin (DISC), a state-of-the-art recreational facility.
- E** is for Eugene Wallace, Millikin's career leader in touchdowns in a season (21) and game (7).
- F** is for Frank M. Lindsay. Millikin's field is named in memory of the long-time Decatur business leader.
- G** is for Sid Gepford, who was Millikin's first professional football player.
- H** is for Bob Henry. He holds five school records, including career rushing attempts (677).
- I** is for interceptions. The Big Blue recorded nine interceptions last season.
- J** is for Ryan Jorstad, the first football Academic All-American in school history (1960).
- K** is for Marc Knowles. He holds the record with 254 receiving yards in one game.
- L** is for Bob Lockart. He holds seven school records, including career pass completions.
- M** is for Musso. George Musso, a 1933 graduate, was inducted into the NFL Hall of Fame in 1982.
- N** is for new records. The Big Blue set two individual records in 2003.
- O** is for offense. The Big Blue averaged 37.2 points per game last season.
- P** is for Sam Powers. He led Millikin in scoring in the first three seasons (1903-05).
- Q** is for Query. Jeff Query is the only Millikin player ever selected in the NFL draft.
- R** is for receivers. Seven of the 10 players who caught a pass in 2003 return this year.
- S** is for Shilling Hall, one of the several campus buildings dedicated by President Theodore Roosevelt in 1903.
- T** is for three. Three Millikin players finished the 2003 season nationally ranked in Division III - graduate Donnell Brown (pass efficiency), Nathan Chandler (kickoff return average) and graduate Andy Beals (field goals).
- U** is for undefeated. Millikin has had five undefeated and untied seasons in its history.
- V** is for victories. Millikin has recorded 495 victories in 98 years of football (excludes 1943-45 when MU had no team).
- W** is for winning streaks. The Big Blue's school record for consecutive wins is 26 (1918-21).
- X** is for extra points. 2003 graduate Andy Beals broke head coach Doug Neibhur's career record for extra points, setting a new mark with 163. Beals wrapped up his kicking career in 2003 with seven Millikin and five CCIW marks.
- Y** is for youth. A total of 44 freshman are on the preseason roster.
- Z** is for Ed Zachry (1939-41), Hugo Zahn (1948-49), Brian Zimmerman (1990-91), Rob Zanoni (1993-94) and Frank Zurek (2001-2003), the only letter winners whose last names begin with the letter Z.



George Musso, a 1933 graduate, was inducted into the NFL Hall of Fame in 1982.

2003 awards and highlights



Preseason All-American Jon Hart returns to help anchor the offensive line in 2004.

First-Team Academic All-America - Andy Beals

Academic All-Region - Andy Beals (1st team); Jeff Beck (2nd team)

CCIW All-Academic Team - Andy Beals

College Conference of Illinois and Wisconsin (returning players in **bold**)

CCIW Players of the Week -

- Andy Beals (twice, offense)
- **Nathan Chandler** (offense)
- Travis Meyer (defense)
- Jemelle Shepherd (offense)
- Derek Stephens (defense)

First-Team All-CCIW -

- Arthur Anderson (TE)
- **Jon Hart** (OL)
- **Kyle Hemenover** (DL)
- Lee Clayton (DB)
- Andy Beals (K)
- **Nathan Chandler** (RS)

Second-Team All-CCIW

- **Nathan Wallick** (RB)
- **Eric Pabon** (WR)
- **Eric Hofmann** (OL)
- Jason Harvey (LB)

2003 Individual School Records (returning players in **bold**)

- Andy Beals broke the career points (277), career kicking points (277), career PAT (163), consecutive PAT (31) and career field goals (38) records.
- Donnell Brown set a new record for consecutive pass completions (11) and moved into third in both season-best passing (1,720) and total offense (1,893).
- **Nathan Wallick** moved into 7th in season-best rushing (907).
- Jemelle Shepherd moved into 5th in game-best rushing (211).

2003 CCIW Records

- Andy Beals tied the league records for single-game kicking points (17) and season field goals (11) while breaking the season kicking points (59), career field goals (31) and career kicking points (188) marks.

Big Blue in NCAA Stats (returning players in **bold**)

- Team - Rushing Offense (27th, 227.5), Scoring Offense (Tied 18th, 37.2)
- Andy Beals (field goal per game, 7th, 1.2)
- Donnell Brown (pass efficiency, 17th, 145.9)
- **Nathan Chandler** (kickoff return average, 7th, 29.4)

2003 Team Awards

Most Valuable Player: Donnell Brown (QB)
 Blue Helmet Award: Jason Harvey (LB)
 Most Improved Offensive Player: Nathan Wallick (RB)
 Most Improved Defensive Player: Dortanian Blount
 Offensive Scout Player of the Year: Joey Albin
 Defensive Scout Player of the Year: Jason Rudis
 2004 Team Captains: Kyle Hemenover, Eric Pabon, Jon Hart, Jason Lynch

2003 results (7-3, 4-3 CCIW)

| | |
|---|---------|
| Sept. 13 vs. Franklin College | W 28-13 |
| Sept. 20 at Aurora University | W 48-13 |
| Sept. 27 vs. Anderson University | W 51-19 |
| Oct. 4 vs. Carthage College | W 21-17 |
| Oct. 11 at Wheaton College | L 43-29 |
| Oct. 18 vs. Elmhurst College | W 47-37 |
| Oct. 25 vs. Augustana College | L 24-22 |
| Nov. 1 vs. North Park University (neutral site) | W 56-0 |
| Nov. 8 vs. North Central College | W 39-16 |
| Nov. 15 at Illinois Wesleyan University | L 49-31 |



2003 statistics

| Team Statistics | MU | Opponent |
|---------------------|--------|----------|
| First Downs | 193 | 184 |
| By Rush | 115 | 78 |
| By Pass | 66 | 93 |
| By Penalty | 12 | 13 |
| Rushing Yards | 2,235 | 1,309 |
| Per Game | 223.5 | 130.9 |
| Passing Yards | 1,791 | 2,215 |
| Per Game | 179.1 | 221.5 |
| Total Offense | 4,026 | 3,524 |
| Per Game | 402.6 | 352.4 |
| 3rd Down Conversion | 56/135 | 53/140 |
| 3rd Down Percentage | 41% | 38% |
| 4th Down Conversion | 7/13 | 11/21 |
| 4th Down Percentage | 54% | 52% |
| Penalties-Yards | 58-497 | 47-358 |
| Fumbles-Lost | 15-8 | 25-15 |

| Score by Quarters | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | OT | Tot. |
|-------------------|----|-----|----|----|----|------|
| Millikin | 98 | 100 | 91 | 83 | - | 372 |
| Opponents | 54 | 65 | 31 | 81 | - | 231 |

| Scoring Player | TD | EXP-M P-R-K | EXP-A P-R-K | FG | Pts. |
|----------------|----|-------------|-------------|----|------|
| A. Beals | 0 | 0-0-42 | 0-0-44 | 12 | 78 |
| J. Shepherd | 9 | 0-0-0 | 0-0-0 | 0 | 54 |
| N. Wallick | 8 | 0-0-0 | 0-1-0 | 0 | 48 |
| E. Pabon | 6 | 0-1-0 | 0-1-0 | 0 | 38 |
| M. Kenders | 5 | 0-0-0 | 0-0-0 | 0 | 30 |
| K. Jordan | 5 | 0-0-0 | 0-0-0 | 0 | 30 |
| N. Chandler | 4 | 0-0-0 | 0-0-0 | 0 | 24 |
| T. Lux | 4 | 0-0-0 | 0-0-0 | 0 | 24 |
| M. Marker | 3 | 0-0-0 | 0-0-0 | 0 | 18 |

Four players with six points apiece and two players with two points apiece.

| | | | | | |
|-----------|----|--------|--------|----|-----|
| Millikin | 48 | 1-1-42 | 2-2-44 | 12 | 372 |
| Opponents | 31 | 3-0-21 | 5-0-26 | 6 | 231 |

| Field Goals | M | A | 0-29 | 30-39 | 40-49 | 50+ |
|-------------|----|----|------|-------|-------|-----|
| A. Beals | 12 | 16 | 6-6 | 5-7 | 1-2 | 0-1 |
| Millikin | 12 | 16 | 6-6 | 5-7 | 1-2 | 0-1 |
| Opponents | 6 | 12 | 1-3 | 5-6 | 0-3 | 0-0 |

| Rushing | Att. | Yds. | TD | YPC | YPG |
|--------------|------|------|----|------|-------|
| N. Wallick | 172 | 907 | 8 | 5.3 | 90.7 |
| J. Shepherd | 132 | 685 | 9 | 5.2 | 68.5 |
| D. Brown | 61 | 173 | 1 | 2.8 | 17.3 |
| K. Jordan | 28 | 106 | 5 | 3.8 | 11.8 |
| J. Goldsmith | 18 | 103 | 0 | 5.7 | 34.3 |
| N. Chandler | 3 | 95 | 1 | 31.7 | 9.5 |
| M. Kenders | 25 | 64 | 5 | 2.6 | 9.1 |
| J. Stessman | 6 | 53 | 1 | 8.8 | 17.7 |
| T. Stuewe | 9 | 24 | 0 | 2.7 | 24.0 |
| J. Graziano | 4 | 14 | 0 | 3.5 | 4.7 |
| B. Bradbury | 3 | 10 | 0 | 3.3 | 1.2 |
| J. Allotey | 1 | 4 | 0 | 4.0 | 0.7 |
| Millikin | 466 | 2235 | 30 | 4.8 | 223.5 |
| Opponents | 370 | 1309 | 15 | 3.5 | 130.9 |

| Receiving | No. | Yds. | TD | Avg. | LG |
|-------------|-----|------|----|------|----|
| E. Pabon | 28 | 537 | 6 | 19.2 | 52 |
| N. Chandler | 17 | 270 | 1 | 15.9 | 52 |
| M. Marker | 14 | 307 | 3 | 21.9 | 70 |
| J. Allotey | 10 | 126 | 0 | 12.6 | 52 |
| A. Anderson | 9 | 180 | 0 | 20.0 | 46 |
| N. Wallick | 9 | 89 | 0 | 9.9 | 24 |
| T. Lux | 8 | 156 | 4 | 19.5 | 37 |
| K. Jordan | 5 | 49 | 0 | 9.8 | 19 |
| M. Kenders | 4 | 48 | 0 | 12.0 | 22 |
| M. Tierney | 3 | 21 | 0 | 7.0 | 12 |
| Millikin | 110 | 1791 | 14 | 16.3 | 70 |
| Opponents | 171 | 2215 | 14 | 13.0 | 64 |

| Passing | Att. | Cmp. | Pct. | Yds. | Int. | TD |
|-------------|------|------|------|------|------|----|
| D. Brown | 193 | 107 | 55.4 | 1720 | 8 | 14 |
| J. Stessman | 4 | 3 | 75.0 | 71 | 1 | 0 |
| T. Brown | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Millikin | 198 | 110 | 55.6 | 1791 | 9 | 14 |
| Opponents | 317 | 171 | 53.9 | 2215 | 9 | 14 |

| Punting | No. | Yds. | Avg. | LG | Blk. | I20 |
|-----------|-----|------|------|----|------|-----|
| T. Meyer | 37 | 1381 | 37.3 | 55 | 1 | 10 |
| J. Peters | 2 | 72 | 36.0 | 38 | 0 | 0 |
| Millikin | 40 | 1453 | 36.3 | 55 | 1 | 10 |
| Opponents | 53 | 1820 | 34.3 | 59 | 2 | 6 |

| Punt Returns | No. | Yds. | Avg. | TD | LG |
|--------------|-----|------|------|----|----|
| N. Chandler | 15 | 131 | 8.7 | 1 | 52 |
| S. Holland | 8 | 92 | 11.5 | 0 | 64 |
| T. Meyer | 2 | 28 | 14.0 | 1 | 4 |
| B. Bradbury | 2 | 5 | 2.5 | 0 | 1 |
| Millikin | 27 | 256 | 9.5 | 2 | 64 |
| Opponents | 25 | 148 | 5.9 | 1 | 23 |

| Kickoff Returns | No. | Yds. | Avg. | TD | LG |
|------------------------------------|-----|------|------|----|----|
| N. Chandler | 16 | 470 | 29.4 | 1 | 98 |
| S. Holland | 15 | 284 | 18.9 | 0 | 34 |
| B. Bradbury | 9 | 175 | 19.4 | 0 | 34 |
| One Return: T. Meyer and J. Harvey | | | | | |
| Millikin | 42 | 936 | 22.3 | 1 | 98 |
| Opponents | 57 | 868 | 15.2 | 0 | 45 |

| Interceptions | No. | Yds. | TD | LG |
|---------------------------------|-----|------|----|----|
| D. Stephens | 3 | 44 | 0 | 33 |
| J. Lynch | 2 | 16 | 0 | 16 |
| S. Holland | 2 | 21 | 0 | 17 |
| One INT: J. Harvey and A. Kator | | | | |
| Millikin | 9 | 94 | 0 | 33 |
| Opponents | 9 | 39 | 9 | 19 |

| Tackle Leaders | Solo | Tot. | TFL | SK | FR | PBU |
|----------------|------|------|-------|------|----|-----|
| J. Harvey | 30 | 38 | 8-44 | 3-35 | 1 | 1 |
| D. Stephens | 35 | 16 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1 | 7 |
| L. Clayton | 32 | 12 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 13 |
| D. Blount | 18 | 25 | 6-8 | 1-5 | 2 | 1 |
| K. Meehan | 20 | 21 | 4-16 | 1-10 | 1 | 2 |
| R. Lipscomb | 25 | 16 | 12-20 | 3-6 | 0 | 0 |
| M. Phillips | 13 | 26 | 5-6 | 1-2 | 0 | 0 |
| K. Hemenover | 19 | 19 | 10-45 | 4-35 | 2 | 1 |
| A. Kator | 12 | 19 | 5-13 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 |
| S. Holland | 18 | 10 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1 | 5 |
| B. Bordner | 17 | 10 | 2-1 | 0-0 | 0 | 1 |
| T. Staffeldt | 14 | 11 | 6-22 | 3-17 | 0 | 1 |
| A. Dingle | 17 | 6 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1 | 1 |
| J. Lynch | 15 | 7 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 3 |
| P. Carroll | 9 | 12 | 4-5 | 0-0 | 1 | 0 |

2003 in review

Football opens with win

Saturday, September 13, 2003

Millikin's 2003 football team opened its 2003 season with a 28-13 win over visiting Franklin College (Ind.). Millikin's offense started slow, trailing 10-0 at the end of the first quarter, but back-to-back touchdowns in the second quarter gave the Big Blue a lead it never relinquished. Junior running back Jemelle Shepherd had a career day. He opened the season in impressive fashion, piling up 211 yards on 34 carries and scoring three of the team's four touchdowns. With a long run of 45 yards, Shepherd averaged 6.2 yards per carry on the day. His previous game-best rushing mark was 102 yards against Blackburn in 2001.

On special teams, sophomore Nathan Chandler had three punt returns for 42 yards and three kickoff returns for 71 yards. Defensively, junior Jason Lynch tallied five solo and three assisted tackles, broke up three passes and recorded an interception and returned it 16 yards. Junior Kevin Meehan also recorded eight tackles (2 solo) with one tackle for loss and one pass deflection. Franklin finished the game 25 for 41 passing with 231 yards with just 66 yards on 26 attempts.

Big Blue Push For 48-13 Win Over Aurora

Saturday, September 20, 2003

Millikin dominated the first half, jumping out to a 34-0 lead on a 13-of-13 passing for 192 yards en route to a 48-13 win at Aurora. On the ground, the Big Blue piled up 163 yards on 29 plays for 355 total yards of first-half offense. Millikin (2-0) finished the game with 434 yards of total offense (242 on the ground and 192 in the air on 13-of-17 passing with one interception). Aurora was held to just 279 offensive yards.

After two consecutive punts to open the second half, sophomore Nathan Chandler ran back a kickoff return 52 yards at the 7:15 mark in the third quarter. Senior Andy Beals' PAT made it 41-0 in favor of the Big Blue. Moments later, freshman Jon Booker turned a big Aurora play into a turnover near the 13:00 mark of the fourth quarter. Booker recovered a fumble on the Aurora 8 one play after the Spartans picked off a Big Blue pass at the Aurora 10. Two plays later, freshman Nathan Wallick was in the end zone on a 4-yard run.

Aurora's only points of the game came on back-to-back possessions in the fourth quarter on a 28-yard run and a 37-yard pass play. The Big Blue quarterbacks were a perfect 13-for-13 passing in the first half. Senior Donnell Brown was 11-for-11 for 146 yards and a TD and sophomore Justin Stessman was 2-for-2 for 46 yards.

Five Interceptions Help Big Blue Past Anderson

Saturday, September 27, 2003

The Big Blue treated a large home crowd on Fall Family Weekend to a 51-19 victory over the Anderson Ravens at Frank M. Lindsay Field. Millikin's balanced offensive attack compiled 276 yards through the air and 277 yards on the ground for a total of 545 yards on the day. The Big Blue secondary also had a big day, collecting five interceptions (three by Derek Stephens and one each by Jason Lynch and Jason Harvey). Anderson finished the game with 380 total yards (322 of them on 40-of-65 passing).

Millikin's offense dominated the third quarter, scoring three times in four minutes. Quarterback Donnell Brown found Eric Pabon for a 41-yard touchdown reception, Kevin Jordan rushed for his second touchdown of the day from 14 yards out and Jemelle Shepherd capped off the third quarter with a 1-yard TD run.

Football Survives Carthage, 21-17

Saturday, October 04, 2003

Nathan Chandler's 98-yard kickoff return at 9:17 in the fourth quarter proved to be the game-winning score for Millikin's Big Blue. The touchdown gave Millikin a 21-17 lead and eventually the win, moving Millikin to 4-0 overall and 1-0 in the College Conference of Illinois and Wisconsin. Carthage bettered Millikin in every offensive category, finishing with 437 yards to Millikin's 225 on the game, but it was Millikin which came out with the win. Chandler led the team with 137 yards, 133 on kickoff returns. Nathan Wallick ran for 75 yards on 13 carries while Marker had 56 of the team's 80 receiving yards on five catches.

Brown finished the game 7-for-18 with a touchdown and one interception. Carthage finished the game with 151 yards rushing and 286 yards passing for 437 yards. Millikin wrapped up the game with 145 yards on the ground and 80 yards passing for 225 yards. Defensively, Millikin recorded six sacks to Carthage's one. Defensively, senior Jason Harvey led Millikin with 8.5 tackles with 1.5 for losses of 16 yards, a sack and a pass deflection. Senior Derek Stephens finished with 6.5 tackles and two pass deflections. Junior Kyle Hemenover and junior Kevin Meehan also finished the game with a sack and Hemenover also recovered a fumble.

Wheaton Too Much For Big Blue

Saturday, October 11, 2003

Wheaton College's Thunder proved too much for the visiting Big Blue on Saturday. With Wheaton's 43-29 win, Millikin dropped to 4-1 overall and 1-1 in the CCIW while Wheaton moved to 5-0.

It was a back-and-forth battle of scoring in the second half, as Millikin put up 16 points to Wheaton's 14. But a 29-13 first-half deficit kept the Big Blue out of the win column for the first week this season. Millikin finished with 187 yards on the ground to Wheaton's 328 and the Thunder got 240 yards passing compared to 232 for the Big Blue. Wheaton controlled the clock for 35:20 and picked up 26 first downs to Millikin's 15 and ran 32 more offensive plays than Millikin.

Wallick led the ground game with 85 yards on 14 carries with a touchdown including a 46-yard run on the first play of the game. Brown finished 15-of-30 passing for 232 yards with three touchdowns and two interceptions, one at the goal line. On the receiving end, senior Michael Marker recorded 143 yards on five catches with a touchdown and Pabon tallied two touchdowns on four catches for 57 yards. Defensively, senior Jason Harvey recorded 11 tackles with one sack for 11 yards and junior Kevin Meehan added 10 tackles with one for losses of five yards and a fumble recovery.

Beals Sets Record in 47-37 Homecoming Win Over Elmhurst

Saturday, October 18, 2003

Senior Andy Beals broke the career record for field goals connecting on four Saturday and junior Kyle Hemenover returned a fumble 85 yards for a touchdown in Millikin's 47-37 Homecoming win over Elmhurst's Bluejays. The win improves Millikin's Big Blue to 5-1 on the season and 2-1 in the CCIW. Beals put Millikin up 6-0 on 29- and 24-yard field goals in the first quarter to tie and break Charlie Sammis' career record of 28 field goals. He also hit a 20-yarder in the second quarter and added a 41-yarder in the third quarter for good measure to go along with his five extra points in five attempts. Hemenover got his name in the scoring summary at 7:29 in the fourth quarter, recovering a Bluejays fumble and returning it 85 yards for a touchdown.

Offensively, it was a balanced game as Millikin recorded 463 yards on 73 plays to Elmhurst's 445 yards on 77 plays. Elmhurst completed 28-of-49 passes for 356 yards with one interception while Millikin threw for 221 yards on 14-of-23 passing. Millikin piled up 242 yards on the ground to Elmhurst's 89. Individually, Shepherd led the ground attack with 123 yards on 18 carries and Wallick finished with 92 yards on 17 carries. Brown was 14-for-23 for 221 yards and one TD. Tight end Arthur Anderson led Millikin's receivers with 93 yards on three catches. Defensively, senior Jason Harvey (Benton, H.S.) had five tackles with one for loss. Junior Kevin Meehan and senior Lee Claytoneach had 4.5 tackles apiece. Clayton also had five pass breakups.

Late Field Goal Beats Big Blue

Saturday, October 25, 2003

It came down to the final minute at Frank M. Lindsay Field on Saturday as Millikin faced off against Augustana in CCIW action. Millikin took advantage of a 2-yard touchdown run by junior Mike Kenders to put the Big Blue ahead 22-21 with 43 seconds left in the ballgame, but that wouldn't be the game's final scoring drive. Augustana marched 55 yards in 43 seconds and sealed the 24-22 victory on a 22-yard field goal. Millikin trailed 21-6 heading into the final quarter of play. But Kenders charged in from 1-yard out at the 12:35 mark and senior Andy Beals lofted his third field goal of the game (23 yards) to cut Augustana's lead to 21-16. The Big Blue looked to have all the momentum it needed for a win after Kenders' put another score on the board on a 2-yard run capping a Millikin scoring drive of 3:14 and 75 yards. Even with the failed 2-point conversion, Millikin held on to a 22-21 lead with 43 seconds remaining.

After the kickoff, Augustana started on its own 40 with 43 seconds left and completed two straight passes to move the ball into Millikin territory. The Vikings then followed with a 38-yard pass to inside the Millikin 5 setting up the field goal as time expired. Millikin finished with 229 yards to Augustana's 239. The Big Blue picked up 107 rushing yards to Augustana's 239 and 122 passing yards to Augustana's 68.

Individually, freshman Nathan Wallick led all rushers with 84 yards. On the receiving end, junior Eric Pabon caught 3 passes for 46 yards. In the quarterback slot, senior Donnell Brown finished 10-for-24 with one interception for 122 yards. Defensively, senior Jason Harvey led Millikin with eight tackles with one forced fumble and one fumble recovery. Senior Lee Clayton had seven tackles and sophomore Dorian Blount and senior Derek Stephens each had six tackles. Blount also recorded a fumble recovery and senior Travis Meyer blocked a punt.

2003 in review

Big Blue Blank North Park, 56-0 Saturday, November 01, 2003

Millikin University's Big Blue football team wasted little time in posting its third-straight shutout and 32nd-straight win over North Park's Vikings. The Big Blue got a punt returned for a touchdown and two-touchdown games from two different players in the 56-0 win at Lisle, Ill. Millikin got on the board at 8:44 in the first quarter on a 2-yard run by junior Mike Kenders. Nathan Chandler scored just seconds later at 8:16 on a 43-yard run after junior Patrick Carroll recovered a fumble on the North Park 43. The Big Blue scored a third time in the first quarter, this time on a 3-yard run by Kenders.

Senior quarterback Donnell Brown hooked up with junior Tyler Lux for the first of two touchdown passes just into the second quarter. The 20-yard pass completion put Millikin up 28-0. Senior punter/linebacker Travis Meyer capped off a solid day defensively by blocking a Vikings punt and returning it 4 yards for a touchdown. The blocked punt was Meyers' second of the season and his performance earned him co-CCIW Defensive Player of the Week and National Football Weekly Gazette special mention honors. Brown's second pass of the day, a 12-yard completion to sophomore Matt Tierney, earned him 49 passing yards and moved him up to No. 4 on Millikin's all-time passing list. Heading into the game he needed just 46 yards to tie the mark and is now just 99 yards shy of tying for third in passing history.

The Vikings threatened to put some points on the board late in the fourth quarter. With 7:39 remaining and a 4th-and-2 on Millikin's 6-yard line, North Park attempted what would have been a 29-yard field goal. The low kick drilled the left upright and kept the shutout on the board. Millikin piled up 434 yards of total offense to North Park's 131 yards and recorded 22 first downs. The Big Blue put up 287 yards on the ground and 147 through the air while averaging 6.7 yards per play.

Beals, Brown add names to record book in 39-16 win Saturday, November 08, 2003

It was a record-breaking day for two senior members of Millikin University's football team. On a day when the Big Blue would honor its 16 seniors in the final home games of their careers, Andy Beals and Donnell Brown added their names to the record books yet again in the 39-16 win over North Central at Millikin's Frank M. Lindsay Field.

Beals, who already holds five of the University's kicking records, overtook record-holding running back Deon Packer (98-01) as the Big Blue's all-time leading scorer. Needing seven points to tie Packer heading into the contest, Beals was a perfect 4-for-4 on extra point attempts and 3-for-3 on field goal attempts for 13 points on the day. He now holds the career scoring record with 270 points. Brown, who moved into the No. 4 spot in career passing last week at North Park, needed 99 yards against North Central to tie for third on Millikin's career passing list. He finished the first half of the game with 100 and finished with 180 yards and solidly moved himself into second place. He broke into the No. 2 spot after a 52-yard completion to sophomore Josh Allotey in the third quarter and now has 4,653 career passing yards.

After a loss at North Central a year ago, Millikin (7-2, 4-2) started quick

and took a 22-0 lead before North Central (6-3, 3-3) got involved in the scoring. Offensively, Millikin piled up 471 yards to North Central's 275 and retained possession for 40:35 of the game. The Big Blue got 291 yards rushing and 180 passing yards while holding the Cardinals to just 110 yards rushing and 165 passing yards.

Wallick led all rushers with his 156 yards while junior Jemelle Shepherd (Richmond Heights, Ohio, Villa Angela-St. Joseph) finished the day with 76 yards on 16 carries. On the receiving end, Pabon's four catches for 61 yards and two TDs led Millikin. In the quarterback spot, Brown was 10-for-15 for 180 yards and three touchdowns with a long completion of 52 yards. Defensively, junior Romelle Lipscomb (Des Plaines, Maine East) finished with five tackles, one sack and one forced fumble. Junior Kyle Hemenover (Clifton, Central) recorded 3.5 tackles for the Big Blue, including two for loss - one a 10-yard sack.

Millikin Falls to IWU In Season Finale Saturday, November 15, 2003

The Millikin football team wrapped up its 2003 season with a tough loss on the road at Illinois Wesleyan, 49-31. The Big Blue (7-3, 4-3) and the Titans (5-5, 3-4) combined for 80 points in the contest, the most scoring ever by the two teams in the series' 96-year history. Millikin trailed early after giving up a field goal at 10:05 in the first quarter but responded on a 7-play, 73-yard drive capped by an 18-yard run by freshman Nathan Wallick. That 7-3 lead would be the only lead the Big Blue would have as Wesleyan scored twice more in the first quarter to take a 16-7 lead.

Millikin piled up 515 yards of total offense compared to 415 for the Titans and more than doubled Illinois Wesleyan's yardage on the ground (225 to 97). Illinois Wesleyan pulled down 318 yards in the air compared to 290 for Millikin. Statistically, Wallick led Millikin with 140 yards on 21 carries with one touchdown and Chandler pulled in seven catches for 167 yards and a score. Brown completed 15 of 31 passes with two interceptions, throwing for 290 yards and two touchdowns. Defensively, senior Derek Stephens led the Big Blue with nine tackles and two pass deflections and sophomore Dortanian Blount had nine tackles with three for loss.

disc at millikin



The Decatur Indoor Sports Center at Millikin (DISC), located at the corner of West Wood and Fairview Avenue on the Millikin campus, is a joint venture between Millikin and the Decatur Park District.

The DISC at Millikin is the only facility of its kind in Central Illinois. It offers the opportunity to practice your golf swing, improve your batting average or go rock climbing, all in one location, all year long.

The 87,000 square-foot facility provides Millikin students, faculty, staff and the Decatur community with a number of recreational opportunities including a competition-grade track, two indoor soccer fields, five basketball/volleyball courts, golf practice/instruction area, a 50-foot high climbing and rappelling wall, batting cages, a concession stand, lounge area and pro shop.

The DISC features the Ralph Allan-Dorothy McClure Fitness/Wellness Center with all new equipment including machine and free weights and a variety of cardiovascular equipment.

The DISC is open from 6 a.m. to midnight seven days a week. Call 217.429.3472 for more information.

big blue record book

Win Streaks

Most Consecutive Wins: 26, 1918-21
Most Consecutive Wins, Conference: 26, 1918-21
Longest Undefeated Streak: 26, 1918-21

Season Scoring

Most Points: 487 in 2000
Most Points, Conference: 318 in 1920
Most Points, Non-conference: 184 in 2000
Fewest Points: 6 in 1937
Fewest Points, Conference: 6 in 1937

Game Scoring

Most Points, Win: 158 vs. Indiana State in 1920
Most Points, Loss: 41 vs. Augustana, 11-10-73

Opponent Season Scoring

Most Points: 273 in 1967
Most Points, Conference: 187 in 1912
Most Points, Non-conference: 102 in 1969
Fewest Points: 10 in 1941
Fewest Points, Conference: 6 in 1934

Opponent Game Scoring

Most Points, Win: 70 by Tennessee-Martin, 9-23-67
Most Points, Loss: 45 by Wheaton, 11-12-83

Rushing Attempts

Season: 645 in 1989
Game: 75 vs. North Park, 9-21-91;
vs. North Park, 10-17-92

Rushing Yards

Season: 3,399 in 1989
Game: 511 vs. North Park, 9-21-91

Pass Attempts

Season: 315 in 1973
Game: 73 vs. Franklin, 11-12-77

Pass Completions

Season: 160 in 1973
Game: 33 vs. Wheaton, 10-31-98

Passing Yards

Season: 2,379 in 1973
Game: 380 vs. Franklin, 11-12-77

Offensive Plays

Season: 838, 2000
Game: 98 vs. Illinois Wesleyan, 10-14-72

Total Offensive Yards

Season: 5,314 in 2000
Game: 694 vs. Wheaton, 11-12-83

Interceptions

Season: 20 in 1968
Game: 7 vs. Elmhurst, 11-14-98

Fumble Recoveries

Season: 37 in 1972
Game: 6 (three times), most recently
vs. Elmhurst, 10-1-77

career statistical leaders

Top 10 Rushers

| | |
|-----------------------------|-------|
| 1. Deon Packer (1998-01) | 3,379 |
| 2. Bob Henry (1969-72) | 3,154 |
| 3. Tony McClain (1988-91) | 2,698 |
| 4. Brad Kirby (1992-96) | 2,348 |
| 5. Tom Kreller (1982-85) | 2,053 |
| 6. Jim Harris (1972-75) | 2,027 |
| 7. Jim Stringer (1971-74) | 1,887 |
| 8. LaJhaune Scott (1991-94) | 1,853 |
| 9. Conrad Givers (1985-88) | 1,814 |
| 10. John Arlis (1988-90) | 1,767 |

1,000-yard Receivers

| | |
|-----------------------------|-------|
| 1. Jerome Jackson (1997-00) | 2,584 |
| 2. Jeff Query (1985-88) | 2,548 |
| 3. Mike Hall (1989-92) | 2,164 |
| 4. Marc Knowles (1980-83) | 2,121 |
| 5. Chris Andriano (1970-73) | 2,055 |
| 6. Ryan Miller (1999-02) | 1,374 |
| 7. Gordon Gregory (1975-78) | 1,370 |
| 7. Jim Douglas (1973-76) | 1,348 |
| 9. Kevin Coffman (1976-79) | 1,279 |
| 10. Kevin Koehler (1971-74) | 1,249 |

1,000-yard Passers

| | |
|----------------------------------|-------|
| 1. Tim Brylka (1997-00) | 6,639 |
| 2. Donnell Brown (1999-present) | 4,943 |
| 3. Mike Kohl (1993-96) | 4,627 |
| 4. Bob Lockart (1975-78) | 4,572 |
| 5. Jim Ralston (1970-73) | 4,372 |
| 6. Ed Walker (1981-84) | 3,031 |
| 7. Matt Snyder (1987-90) | 2,909 |
| 8. John Cardamone (1982, 84-86) | 2,381 |
| 9. Mike Jurgens (1962-65) | 1,960 |
| 10. Gregg DeVries (1984-87) | 1,710 |
| 11. Richard Harvey (1988-91) | 1,698 |
| 12. Jeff Ridner (1977-80) | 1,634 |
| 13. Tim Mecha (1981-82) | 1,598 |
| 14. Donnell Brown (1999-present) | 1,596 |
| 15. Delmar Rutz (1959-61) | 1,474 |
| 16. Doug Neibuhr (1971-74) | 1,125 |
| 17. Steve Owens (1969-70) | 1,053 |
| 18. Mike Rockford (1974-75) | 1,009 |

big blue individual records

Points Scored

Career: 277, Andy Beals (2000-03)
Season: 126, Eugene Wallace (1920)
Game: 42, Eugene Wallace vs. Indiana State (1920)

Touchdowns

Career: 44, Deon Packer (1998-01)
Season: 21, Eugene Wallace (1920)
Game: 7, Eugene Wallace vs. Indiana State (1920)

Kicking Points

Career: 277, Andy Beals (2000-03)
Season: 80, Andy Beals (2001)
Game: 20, John MacWherter vs. Indiana State (1920)

Points After Touchdown

Career: 163, Andy Beals (2000-03)
Season: 50, John MacWherter (1920)
Game: 20, John MacWherter vs. Indiana State (1920)
Consecutive: 31, Andy Beals (2003)

Field Goals

Career: 38, Andy Beals (2000-03)
Season: 13, Andy Beals (2001)
Longest: 55 yards, Charlie Sammis vs. Carroll, 10-11-75

Longest Scoring Plays

Pass: 109 yards, Guy Nichols to Fritz Wasem, 1910
Kickoff Return: 100 yards, Bob Henry vs. Carroll (9-30-72);
Williams Jones vs. Wheaton (10-27-79)
Interception Return: 100 yards, Jeff Armbruster vs. North
Central (10-7-67)
Run: 94 yards, Frank Chizevsky vs. North Central
(11-13-54)
Punt Return: 92 yards, Jeff Query vs. SW Baptist (10-11-86)
Fumble: 88 yards, Scott Barr vs. Augustana (10-29-94)
Blocked Punt Return: 41 yards, Jack Purcell
vs. Elmhurst (1959)

Rushing Attempts

Career: 667, Bob Henry (1969-72)
Season: 204, Bob Henry (1970)
Game: 36, Bob Henry vs. Carroll (9-26-70)

Rushing Yards

Career: 3,379, Deon Packer (1998-01)
Season: 1,124, Deon Packer (2000)
Game: 249, Mark Ambrose vs. Carthage (10-10-92)

Pass Attempts

Career: 845, Tim Brylka (1997-00)
Season: 282, Bob Lockart (1977)
Game: 72, Bob Lockart vs. Franklin (11-12-77)

Pass Completions

Career: 462, Tim Brylka (1997-00)
Season: 144, Tim Brylka (2000)
Game: 33, Tim Brylka vs. Wheaton (10-31-98)
Game Consecutive: 11, Donnell Brown (9-20-03) vs. Aurora

Passing Yards

Career: 6,639, Tim Brylka (1997-00)
Season: 2,159, Tim Brylka (2000)
Game: 380, Bob Lockart vs. Franklin (11-12-77)
Yards Per Completion, Season: 24.5, Matt Snyder (1989)
Yards Per Completion, Game: 51.7, Matt Snyder vs.
Carthage (10-14-89)

Touchdown Passes

Career: 63, Tim Brylka (1997-00)
Season: 23, Tim Brylka (2000)
Game: 5, Don Hess vs. Illinois College (1950); Tim Mecha
vs. Carroll (10-31-81); Ed Walker vs. Wheaton
(11-12-83); Tim Brylka vs. North Central (10-16-99)

Pass Receptions

Career: 134, Marc Knowles (1980-83)
Season: 63, Jerome Jackson (1998)
Game: 14, Mike Hawks vs. Wheaton (10-31-98)

Receiving Yards

Career: 2,548, Jeff Query (1985-88)
Season: 986, Jerome Jackson (2000)
Game: 254, Marc Knowles vs. Elmhurst (10-23-82)
Yards Per Reception, Season (min. 1): 28.9, Scott Atkins
(1989)
Yards Per Reception, Game (min. 2): 50.8, Marc Knowles
vs. Elmhurst (10-23-82)

Touchdown Receptions

Career: 29, Jeff Query (1985-88)
Season: 11, Jeff Query (1987)
Game: 4, Marc Knowles vs. Carroll (10-31-81)

Offensive Plays

Career: 968, Bob Lockart (1975-78)
Season: 342, Jim Ralston (1973)
Game: 76, Bob Lockart vs. Franklin (11-12-77)

Total Offensive Yards

Career: 7,294, Tim Brylka (1997-00)
Season: 2,180, Jim Ralston (1973)
Game: 442, Tim Brylka vs. Wheaton (10-31-98)

Punts

Career: 203, Kirk Reno (1978-81)
Season: 75, Bob Lockart (1977)
Game: 12 (three players), most recently Kirk Reno vs.
Wheaton (11-7-81)

Punting Yards

Career: 7,638, Kirk Reno (1978-81)
Season: 2,525, Bob Lockart (1977)
Game: 450, Kirk Reno vs. Wheaton (11-7-81)

Punting Average

Season (min. 30): 41.0, Andy Hastings (1986)
Game (min. 6): 49.0, Marty Stupek vs. N. Central (10-9-82)

Punt Returns

Career: 66, Tim Walsh (1987-90)
Season: 36, Tim Walsh (1989)

Punt Return Yards

Season: 292, Stu Arnold (1974)
High Season Average: 19.1, Mike Hall (1992)

Kickoff Returns

Season: 21, Mike Hall (1992)

Kickoff Return Yards

Season: 698, Mike Hall (1992)
Highest Season Average (min. 8): 36.1, Bob Henry (1972)

Tackles

Career: 421, Bob Hemmer (1976-79)
Season: 127, Bob Hemmer (1979)
Game: 24, Joe Hyland vs. Carthage (10-25-97)

Interceptions

Career: 15, Tim Teegarden (1979-82); Richard Carter
(1998-01)
Season: 8, Jeff Armbruster (1968)
Game: 4, Glenn Kitchell vs. Wheaton (11-9-82)

Fumble Recoveries

Career: 17, Bob "Piggy" Brown (1969-72)
Season: 8, Bob "Piggy" Brown (1972)
Game: 3, D.J. Brown vs. Illinois Wesleyan (10-14-72)

Blocked Punts

Season: 9, Jim Perryman (1980)
Game: 3, Jim Perryman vs. Carroll (11-1-80)

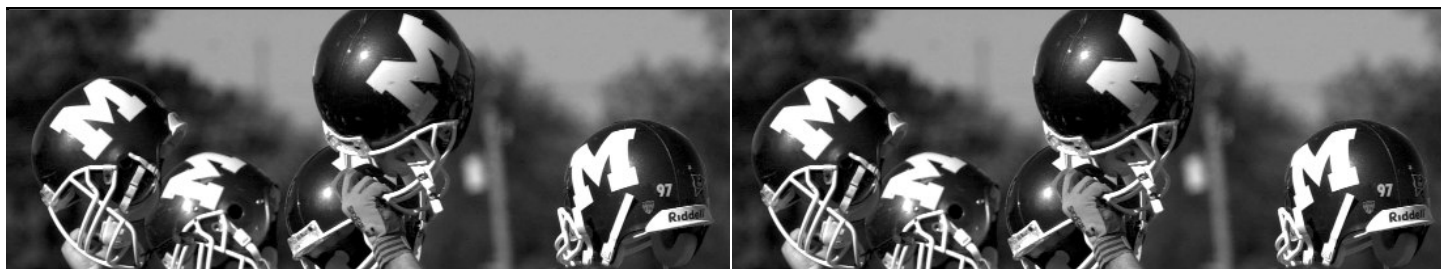
season-best performances

| Rushing | Yards |
|------------------------------|--------------|
| Deon Packer, 2000 | 1,124 |
| Deon Packer, 2001 | 1,056 |
| Bob Henry, 1970 | 1,050 |
| LaJhaune Scott, 1993 | 1,001 |
| John Arlis, 1989 | .952 |
| Jeff Fishel, 1983 | .925 |
| Jemelle Shepherd, 2003 | .907 |

| Passing | Yards |
|---------------------------|--------------|
| Tim Brylka, 2000 | 2,159 |
| Jim Ralston, 1973 | 2,028 |
| Donnell Brown, 2003 | 1,720 |
| Donnell Brown, 2002 | 1,627 |
| Tim Brylka, 1999 | 1,606 |
| Gregg DeVries, 1987 | 1,572 |
| Bob Lockart, 1977 | 1,554 |

| Receiving | Yards |
|----------------------------|--------------|
| Jerome Jackson, 2000 | .986 |
| Jeff Query, 1987 | .830 |
| Jeff Query, 1988 | .783 |
| Chris Andriano, 1973 | .773 |
| Jerome Jackson, 1998 | .763 |
| Mike Hall, 1990 | .755 |

| Total Offense | Yards |
|----------------------------|--------------|
| Tim Brylka, 2000 | 2,613 |
| Jim Ralston, 1973 | 2,180 |
| Donnell Brown, 2003 | 1,893 |
| Gregg DeVries, 1987 | 1,873 |
| Donnell Brown, 2002 | 1,788 |
| Donnell Brown, 2001 | 1,688 |
| Tim Brylka, 1998 | 1,665 |
| Tim Brylka, 1999 | 1,561 |



game-best performances

| Rushing | Yards |
|------------------------------|--------------|
| Mark Ambrose, 1992 | .249 |
| Jeff Fishel, 1983 | .236 |
| Deon Packer, 2000 | .218 |
| Jim Harris, 1974 | .216 |
| Jemelle Shepherd, 2003 | .211 |
| Jim Stringer, 1973 | .202 |

| Passing | Yards |
|-------------------------|--------------|
| Bob Lockart, 1977 | .380 |
| Tim Brylka, 1998 | .372 |
| Mike Kohl, 1996 | .366 |
| Tim Brylka, 1999 | .342 |
| Tim Mecha, 1981 | .340 |

| Receiving | Yards |
|----------------------------|--------------|
| Marc Knowles, 1982 | .254 |
| Rodd Johnson, 1995 | .204 |
| Jerome Jackson, 1999 | .197 |
| Jeff Query, 1988 | .190 |
| Jeff Query, 1987 | .177 |
| Jerome Jackson, 2000 | .171 |

| Total Offense | Yards |
|----------------------------|--------------|
| Tim Brylka, 1998 | .442 |
| Bob Lockart, 1977 | .412 |
| Mike Kohl, 1996 | .360 |
| Tim Mecha, 1981 | .354 |
| Bob Lockart, 1978 | .334 |

academic all-america tradition

Consistent with Millikin's academic excellence, the Big Blue Athletics program is one of the leaders in the College Sports Information Directors of America (CoSIDA) Academic All-America program administered by the College Sports Information Directors of America.

Since 1960, Millikin has had 70 national Academic All-Americans. Twenty-two of the 70 players represent the football team with 11 first-team Academic All-Americans and 13 second-team selections.

| First Team | | Second Team | |
|------------|--------------------|-------------|-------------------|
| 1960 | Ryan Jorstad, T | 1976 | Charlie Sammis, K |
| 1961 | Jerry Domescik, RB | | Jim Dunnan, DB |
| 1975 | Frank Stone, OG | 1977 | Charlie Sammis, K |
| 1978 | Charlie Sammis, K | 1978 | Mark Placey, OG |
| 1979 | Eric Stevens, WR | 1982 | Marty Stupek, K |
| 1983 | Marc Knowles, WR | 1983 | Dan Kampwerth, DE |
| 1984 | Tom Kreller, RB | 1984 | Cary Bottorff, LB |
| 1985 | Cary Bottorff, LB | | Brian Gifford, OT |
| | Tom Kreller, RB | | Dan Kampwerth, DE |
| 1990 | Tim Eimermann, K | 1985 | Dan Kampwerth, DE |
| 2003 | Andy Beals, K | 1987 | Terry Philbin, OT |
| | | 1988 | Chuck Martin, DB |
| | | 1989 | Chuck Martin, DB |

big blue among the pros

Nineteen former Millikin University players have enjoyed professional football careers. Eight of them played in the Chicago Bears organization, including six on the 1920 Staley team that was the forerunner of the present Bears franchise.

Enjoying the most distinguished professional careers of the former Big Blue were Pro Football Hall of Famer George Musso and Canadian Football League Hall of Famer Virgil Wagner.



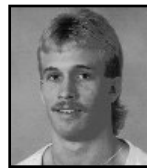
George Musso

Musso, a 1982 Hall of Fame inductee, played 12 seasons with the Bears (1933-44) and earned All-Pro honors at tackle and guard—the first player to be recognized at two positions. He served as Chicago's captain when the Bears were known as the "Monsters of the Midway."

Wagner, who played halfback and cornerback, was inducted into the CFL Hall of Fame in 1980 following a nine-year career (1946-54) with the Montreal Alouettes. He led the CFL in scoring his first four seasons, scored a league-record 79 career touchdowns and was a five-time all-league selection.

The most recent NFL signee was Eric Smith, a 1997 graduate. Smith, a two-time CCIW selection at tight end, signed a two-year free agent contract with the San Diego Chargers in May 1998.

Two more recent players, Mike Kohl and Joe Hyland, played in Europe during the spring and summer of 1998. Kohl played quarterback for the Karlskoga Wolves in Sweden. Hyland played linebacker for Hamburg's (Germany) Blue Devils.



Jeff Query

David Peabody, a 1994 graduate, also spent one year playing in Europe with the Noris Rams of Nurnberg, Germany. Peabody helped lead his team to a playoff berth and earned first-team All-Germany honors.

The first Millikin professional was Sid Gepford, who played with the Decatur Staleys (which became the Chicago Bears in 1922) in 1919. A year later, Roy Adkins, Leo Johnson, F. "Jake" Lanum, Kile MacWherter and Randolph Young joined the Bears, while halfback George Corbett played for Chicago from 1932-38. Joe Carp played from 1926-29 and in 1933 with Frankfort, Pottsville, Boston and Philadelphia.

Jim Perryman, a 1983 graduate, played with the NFL's Buffalo Bills and Indianapolis Colts, and with the USFL's Pittsburgh Maulers.

Aric Anderson, a 1987 graduate, played with the Green Bay Packers during the players' strike and also played in the Arena Football League.

In 1989, wide receiver Jeff Query became the first Millikin player selected in the NFL draft. The Packers chose him in the fifth round.

Curt Reed, a 1989 graduate, played with the Albany Firebirds of the Arena Football League and 2000 graduate Bob Meyer is playing with the Arena League's Peoria Pirates.



Eric Smith

cciw history



The College Conference of Illinois and Wisconsin (CCIW) celebrates its 59th year this season. Millikin is one of the four charter members with uninterrupted membership.

In National Collegiate Athletic Association Division III competition, CCIW schools have won 29 titles in 54 years of league competition. The schools have won seven titles in men's basketball, one in women's basketball, 11 in men's cross country, four in football, four in men's swimming, one in men's soccer, two in men's outdoor track & field, one in men's indoor track & field and two in volleyball.

The original nine-member league was formed at a meeting in Jacksonville, Ill. on April 26, 1946, and began competition during the 1946-47 school year as the College Conference of Illinois. The name was changed in May 1967 to recognize the two Wisconsin schools, Carroll and Carthage. Charter members were Millikin, Augustana, Carthage (then located in Illinois), Elmhurst, Illinois College, Illinois Wesleyan, Lake Forest, North Central and Wheaton.

Carthage left in 1952 and returned in 1961, while Illinois College departed in 1953 and Lake Forest left in 1967. Wheaton left in 1959 and returned in 1967, and Elmhurst dropped out in 1960 only to return in 1967.

Carroll joined in 1955 and left in 1992 and North Park became a member in 1962.

Originally staging competition only for men, women's sports were added to the CCIW slate in 1986.

CCIW Facts

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CCIW Members

Augustana College

Carthage College

Elmhurst College

Illinois Wesleyan University

Millikin University

North Central College

North Park University

Wheaton College

Rock Island, Illinois

Kenosha, Wisconsin

Elmhurst, Illinois

Bloomington, Illinois

Decatur, Illinois

Naperville, Illinois

Chicago, Illinois

Wheaton, Illinois

all-time series records

| Team | W-L-T | | | | |
|-------------------------|----------------|--------------------------|----------------|-------------------|----------------|
| Albion | 0-0-0 | Illinois | 0-3-0 | Quincy | 1-0-0 |
| Alumni | 1-0-0 | Illinois College | 26-7-2 | Ripon | 1-3-2 |
| Anderson (Ind.) | 2-0-0 | Illinois Seconds | 0-1-0 | Rose-Hulman | 4-3-0 |
| Augustana (Ill.) | 30-33-1 | Illinois State | 14-8-2 | SE Missouri State | 0-2-0 |
| Aurora | 4-0-0 | Illinois Wesleyan | 51-38-7 | Scott Field | 1-0-0 |
| Austin Peay | 0-2-0 | Indiana | 0-1-0 | Shurtleff | 14-1-1 |
| Ball State | 0-2-0 | Indiana State | 3-0-0 | St. Joseph's | 1-1-0 |
| Beloit | 1-0-0 | Iowa Wesleyan | 0-2-0 | St. Louis | 1-3-0 |
| Bement Indees | 1-0-0 | Kansas | 0-1-0 | St. Louis (Frosh) | 1-0-0 |
| Benedictine | 1-1-0 | Knox | 11-7-1 | St. Viator | 7-2-0 |
| Bethany (Kas.) | 1-0-0 | Lake Forest | 15-11-3 | Southwest Baptist | 3-1-0 |
| Blackburn | 4-0-0 | Lincoln | 5-0-0 | Tennessee-Martin | 0-1-0 |
| Bradley | 12-10-1 | Lombard | 4-3-1 | Trinity (Texas) | 0-1-0 |
| Butler | 4-1-0 | Loyola (Ill.) | 1-3-0 | Tuscola Indees | 1-0-0 |
| Carroll | 23-15-1 | McKendree | 1-0-0 | Upper Iowa | 0-2-0 |
| Carthage | 29-18-1 | Missouri-Rolla | 1-0-2 | Valparaiso | 1-3-0 |
| Chanute Field | 1-0-0 | Missouri Valley | 1-7-0 | Wabash | 1-7-1 |
| Cornell (Iowa) | 2-0-0 | Monmouth | 5-4-0 | Wartburg | 0-0-0 |
| Crane Tech | 2-0-0 | Newman Indees | 1-0-0 | Washburn | 0-1-0 |
| Culver-Stockton | 3-1-0 | North Central | 36-21-1 | Washington (Mo.) | 2-3-0 |
| Dayton | 0-1-0 | North Park | 40-4-0 | Wayne St. (Mich.) | 1-0-0 |
| DePauw | 2-3-0 | Northern Illinois | 3-2-0 | Western Illinois | 1-4-0 |
| Drake | 1-2-0 | Ohio Northern | 0-1-0 | Wheaton | 26-23-0 |
| Eastern Illinois | 19-10-2 | Olivet Nazarene | 2-0-0 | William Jewell | 0-2-0 |
| Elmhurst | 39-9-0 | Pana Indees | 1-0-0 | William Penn | 2-0-0 |
| Eureka | 10-0-0 | Pekin Indees | 1-0-0 | William & Vashti | 3-2-0 |
| Franklin | 4-2-0 | Principia | 3-0-0 | Wittenberg | 1-2-0 |
| | | Purdue | 0-1-0 | | |

2004 Opponents in **bold**.



2003 cciw post-season

First Team

Offensive Linemen

Mike Zeifert (Augustana); **Jon Hart (Millikin)**; James Hoxworth (Wheaton); Chris Dubos (Wheaton); Jon Binish (Carthage)

Wide Receivers

Brad Musso (Wheaton); Eric White (Ill. Wesleyan); Andrew King (Wheaton)

Tight End

Arthur Anderson (Millikin)

Running Backs

Dan Price (Wheaton); Steve Holden (North Central); Dante Washington (Carthage)

Quarterback

Chad Bradley (Wheaton)

Defensive Linemen

Kyle Hemenover (Millikin); Ben Reedy (Wheaton); Justin Georgacakis (Augustana); Mike Hansen (Augustana)

Linebackers

Jeff Mumm (Wheaton); Lenny Radtke (North Central); Steve Szpejnowski (Augustana); Mike Pelkowski (Carthage)

Defensive Backs

Matt Furlong (Augustana); Benitez Brown (Elmhurst); Lee Clayton (Millikin); Shawn Wildt (Wheaton); Josh Addis (Ill. Wesleyan)

Punter

Mike Augustine (North Central)

Place-Kicker

Andy Beals (Millikin)

Kick Returner

Nathan Chandler (Millikin); Brad Musso (Wheaton)

Second Team

Offensive Linemen

Jeff Purcell (Augustana); David Schultz (North Central); Andrew Cook (Elmhurst); **Eric Hofmann (Millikin)**; Tom Mikolajczyk (Ill. Wesleyan); Chris Rucks (Carthage)

Wide Receivers

Eric Pabon (Millikin); Juan Quesada (Elmhurst); Brad Spencer (North Central)

Tight End

Travis Temple (Augustana); Justin Teliga (Elmhurst)

Running Backs

Kyle Zick (Augustana); **Nathan Wallick (Millikin)**; Eric Luna (Elmhurst)

Quarterbacks

Dom Demma (Elmhurst); Brad Wendell (Augustana)

Defensive Linemen

Donnia Snider (Elmhurst); Chris Rydelski (Elmhurst); Mike Brasile (Augustana); Leo LaBrie (Augustana); Nick Schaefer (North Central); Jason Kalinowski (Carthage)

Linebackers

Jason Harvey (Millikin); Mike Rotenberry (North Park); Alfredo Cruz (North Park); Damon Banks (Ill. Wesleyan)

Defensive Backs

Blair Westerly (Augustana); Mario Smith (North Central); Michael Drach (Wheaton)

Place-Kicker

Mike Clark (Augustana)

Returning Millikin players in **bold**.



CCIW First-Teamer Nathan Chandler

Art Keller Offensive Player of the Year: Chad Bradley, Wheaton

Don Larson Defensive Player of the Year: Mike Hansen, Augustana

Bob Reade Coach of the Year: Elmhurst's Paul Krohn and Wheaton's Mike Swider

2003 cciw standings

| | Conference W-L-T | Points For | Overall Opp | Points W-L-T | For | Opp |
|-------------------|---------------------|---------------|----------------|-----------------|-----|-----|
| Wheaton | 7-0-0 | 281 | 141 | 12-1-0 | 469 | 314 |
| Augustana | 6-1-0 | 230 | 132 | 7-3-0 | 272 | 180 |
| Millikin | 4-3-0 | 245 | 186 | 7-3-0 | 372 | 231 |
| North Central | 4-3-0 | 162 | 184 | 7-3-0 | 255 | 198 |
| Elmhurst | 3-4-0 | 196 | 175 | 6-4-0 | 319 | 202 |
| Illinois Wesleyan | 3-4-0 | 167 | 164 | 5-5-0 | 233 | 228 |
| Carthage | 1-6-0 | 116 | 214 | 3-7-0 | 232 | 257 |
| North Park | 0-7-0 | 75 | 276 | 2-8-0 | 129 | 355 |

2003 cciw leaders



Nathan Wallick finished third in the College Conference of Illinois and Wisconsin's rushing leaders during his freshman campaign, earning 2nd team honors.

| Scoring | TD | XP | FG | PPG |
|----------------|----|----|----|-----|
| 1. Beals, MU | 0 | 26 | 11 | 8.4 |
| 2. Musso, WC | 9 | 0 | 0 | 7.7 |
| 3. Clark, AC | 0 | 28 | 7 | 7.0 |
| T4. White, IWU | 8 | 0 | 0 | 6.9 |
| T4. Day, WC | 0 | 30 | 6 | 6.9 |

| Total Offense | Rush | Pass | Total | YPG |
|----------------|------|------|-------|-------|
| 1. Bradley, WC | 13 | 1901 | 1914 | 273.4 |
| 2. Demma, EC | -77 | 1800 | 1723 | 246.1 |
| 3. Kniss, NCC | 170 | 1342 | 1512 | 216.0 |
| 4. Lucas, IWU | 2 | 1410 | 1412 | 201.7 |
| 5. Brown, MU | 116 | 1272 | 1388 | 198.3 |

| Passing | Att./Cmp. | Int. | Yds. | TD |
|----------------|-----------|------|------|----|
| 1. Bradley, WC | 192/128 | 4 | 1901 | 14 |
| 2. Demma, EC | 257/162 | 5 | 1800 | 14 |
| 3. Lucas, IWU | 188/94 | 5 | 1410 | 7 |
| 4. Kniss, NCC | 193/97 | 9 | 1342 | 10 |
| 5. Brown, MU | 153/79 | 6 | 1272 | 12 |

| Rushing | Att. | Yds. | TD |
|-----------------------|------|------|----|
| 1. Washington, CC | 226 | 1177 | 5 |
| 2. Price, WC | 147 | 751 | 7 |
| 3. Wallick, MU | 136 | 706 | 4 |
| 4. Holden, NCC | 137 | 551 | 5 |
| 5. Zick, AC | 95 | 487 | 4 |

| Kickoff Returns | No. | Yds. | TD | Avg. |
|------------------------|-----|------|----|------|
| 1. Chandler, MU | 10 | 270 | 1 | 27.0 |
| 2. Holden, NCC | 8 | 215 | 0 | 26.9 |
| 3. Weusi, WC | 14 | 323 | 0 | 23.1 |
| 4. Robinson, NPU | 10 | 203 | 0 | 20.3 |
| 5. Ross, IWU | 12 | 241 | 0 | 20.1 |

| Punt Returns | No. | Yds. | TD | Avg. |
|----------------|-----|------|----|------|
| 1. Musso, WC | 22 | 383 | 2 | 17.4 |
| 2. Roe, AC | 17 | 112 | 0 | 6.6 |
| 3. Quesada, EC | 10 | 51 | 0 | 5.1 |
| 4. Addis, IWU | 18 | 90 | 0 | 5.0 |
| 5. Scholl, NCC | 10 | 48 | 0 | 4.8 |

| Receiving | No. | Yds. | TD |
|-----------------|-----|------|----|
| 1. King, WC | 47 | 566 | 3 |
| 2. White, IWU | 46 | 723 | 8 |
| 3. Spencer, NCC | 34 | 503 | 6 |
| 4. Musso, WC | 36 | 764 | 7 |
| 5. Quesada, EC | 35 | 447 | 4 |

| Punting | No. | Yds. | Avg. |
|-------------------|-----|------|------|
| 1. Moore, CC | 19 | 779 | 41.0 |
| 2. Smith, CC | 6 | 239 | 39.8 |
| 3. Augustine, NCC | 23 | 901 | 39.2 |
| 4. Clark, AC | 31 | 1193 | 38.5 |
| 5. Meyer, MU | 26 | 973 | 37.4 |

| Interceptions | No. | Yds. | Avg. | TD |
|------------------|-----|------|------|----|
| T1. English, EC | 4 | 24 | 0.67 | 0 |
| T1. Brown, EC | 4 | 30 | 0.57 | 1 |
| T3. Fox, CC | 3 | 50 | 0.50 | 0 |
| T3. Arguello, AC | 3 | 0 | 0.43 | 0 |
| T3. Addis, IWU | 3 | 0 | 0.43 | 0 |

Team Statistics - Top 5

- Scoring Offense - Millikin (2nd)
- Pass Offense - Millikin (5th)
- Rush Offense - Millikin (3rd)
- Rush Defense - Millikin (3rd)
- Total Offense - Millikin (4th)
- Total Defense - Millikin (5th)
- Pass Efficiency - Millikin (3rd)
- Field Goals - Millikin (5th)
- PAT Kicking - Millikin (1st)

Returning Millikin players in **bold**.



past cciw champions

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|---|--|
| 1946 North Central | 1966 Augustana | 1986 Augustana |
| 1947 North Central | 1967 Carthage | 1987 Augustana |
| 1948 Illinois Wesleyan | 1968 Augustana | 1988 Augustana, Carroll |
| 1949 Augustana, Wheaton | 1969 Carthage | 1989 Millikin |
| 1950 Wheaton | 1970 Carthage | 1990 Millikin, Augustana |
| 1951 Illinois Wesleyan | 1971 Carthage | 1991 Augustana |
| 1952 Millikin, Lake Forest | 1972 Carthage | 1992 Illinois Wesleyan |
| 1953 Wheaton | 1973 Carthage | 1993 Augustana |
| 1954 Millikin, Wheaton | 1974 Millikin, Illinois Wesleyan | 1994 Augustana, Illinois Wesleyan |
| 1955 Wheaton | 1975 Augustana | 1995 Wheaton |
| 1956 Wheaton | 1976 Carroll | 1996 Illinois Wesleyan |
| 1957 Lake Forest, Wheaton | 1977 Millikin, Illinois Wesleyan | 1997 Augustana |
| 1958 Wheaton | 1978 Millikin, Elmhurst | 1998 Millikin |
| 1959 Wheaton | 1979 Millikin | 1999 Augustana |
| 1960 North Central | 1980 Elmhurst, Illinois Wesleyan | 2000 Millikin, Ill. Wesleyan, Wheaton |
| 1961 Millikin | 1981 Augustana | 2001 Augustana, Illinois Wesleyan |
| 1962 Carthage | 1982 Augustana | 2002 Wheaton |
| 1963 Carthage | 1983 Augustana | 2003 Wheaton |
| 1964 Illinois Wesleyan | 1984 Augustana | |
| 1965 Illinois Wesleyan | 1985 Augustana | |

all-time cciw standings

| School | Yrs. | W | L | T | Pct. |
|-------------------|------|-----|-----|----|------|
| Augustana | 58 | 274 | 121 | 6 | .691 |
| Wheaton | 48 | 214 | 119 | 4 | .641 |
| Illinois Wesleyan | 58 | 250 | 140 | 9 | .638 |
| Millikin | 58 | 250 | 143 | 8 | .633 |
| Lake Forest* | 17 | 47 | 44 | 5 | .516 |
| Carroll* | 36 | 130 | 130 | 6 | .500 |
| Carthage | 49 | 160 | 182 | 5 | .468 |
| North Central | 58 | 156 | 239 | 11 | .398 |
| Elmhurst | 49 | 101 | 227 | 4 | .310 |
| Illinois College* | 7 | 9 | 25 | 1 | .271 |
| North Park | 41 | 47 | 259 | 5 | .159 |

* – No longer a member



the 2004 opposition

game 1: wartburg college

Location - Wartburg, Iowa
 Year Founded - 1852
 Enrollment - 1,600
 Nickname - Knights
 Colors - Orange and Black
 Affiliation - NCAA Division III
 Conference - Iowa Athletic
 Stadium (Capacity) - Walston Hoover (4,000)
 Series with Millikin - 2004 will be the first meeting between the two teams
 Sports Information Director - Mark Adkins
 SID Phone/Fax - 319.352.8208/319.352.8301
 Head Coach - Rick Willis



Record at Wartburg - 64-11 (7 years)
 Career Record - same
 Letter Winners Returning/Lost - 34/19
 Starters Returning/Lost - 12/10
 2003 Record - 11-1
 Conference Record - 10-0 (1st)

game 2: franklin college

Location - Franklin, Indiana
 Year Founded - 1834
 Enrollment - 1,028
 Nickname - Grizzlies
 Colors - Navy and Gold
 Affiliation - NCAA Division III
 Conference - Heartland Collegiate
 Stadium (Capacity) - Steart Fought Stadium (2,000)
 Series with Millikin - MU leads, 4-2-0
 Last Meeting - Millikin won 28-13 in 2003
 Sports Information Director - Kevin Elixman
 SID Phone/Fax - 317.738.8184/317.738.8175



Head Coach - Mike Leonard
 Record at Franklin - 2-8 (1 year)
 Career Record - same
 Letter Winners Returning/Lost - 38/24
 Starters Returning/Lost - 14/NA
 2003 Record - 2-8
 Conference Record - 2-4 HCAC

game 3: albion college

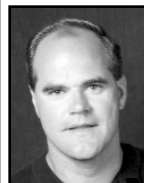
Location - Albion, Michigan
 Year Founded - 1835
 Enrollment - 1,700
 Nickname - Britons
 Colors - Purple and Gold
 Affiliation - NCAA Division III
 Conference - Michigan Intercollegiate
 Stadium (Capacity) - Sprankle-Sprandel (4,244)
 Series with Millikin - 2004 will be the first meeting between the two teams
 Sports Information Director - Bobby Lee
 SID Phone/Fax - 517.629.0434/517.629.5983
 Head Coach - Craig Rundle



Record at Albion - 46-22 (7 years)
 Career Record - 103-68-1 (18 years)
 Letter Winners Returning/Lost - 66/24
 Starters Returning - 20
 2003 Record - 6-4
 Conference Record - 4-2 MIIC (tied 2nd)

game 4: carthage college

Location - Kenosha, Wisconsin
 Year Founded - 1847
 Enrollment - 1,900
 Nickname - Redmen
 Colors - Red, White and Black
 Affiliation - NCAA Division III
 Conference - College Conference of Ill. and Wis.
 Stadium (Capacity) - Art Keller Athletic Field (2,100)
 Series with Millikin - Millikin leads 29-18-1
 Last Meeting - Millikin won 21-17 in 2003
 Sports Information Director - Steve Marovich
 SID Phone/Fax - 262.551.5740/262.551.5926



Head Coach - Tim Rucks
 Record at Carthage - 38-46-1 (9 years)
 Career Record - 47-79-4 (13 years)
 Letter Winners Returning/Lost - 34/17
 Starters Returning/Lost - 19/13
 2003 Record - 3-7
 Conference Record - 1-6 (7th)

game 5: wheaton college

Location - Wheaton, Illinois
 Year Founded - 1860
 Enrollment - 2,365 undergraduate
 Nickname - Thunder
 Colors - Blue and Orange
 Affiliation - NCAA Division III
 Conference - College Conference of Ill. and Wis.
 Stadium (Capacity) - McCully Field (5,000)
 Series with Millikin - Millikin leads 26-23-0
 Last Meeting - Wheaton won 43-29 in 2003
 Sports Information Director - Brett Marhanka
 SID Phone/Fax - 630.752.5747/630.752.7007



Head Coach - Mike Swider
 Record at Wheaton - 61-20 (8 years)
 Career Record - same
 Letter Winners Returning/Lost - 59/30
 Starters Returning/Lost - 8/14
 2003 Record - 12-1
 Conference Record - 7-0 (1st)

game 6: north park university

Location - Chicago, Illinois
 Year Founded - 1891
 Enrollment - 1,850
 Nickname - Vikings
 Colors - Blue and Gold
 Affiliation - NCAA Division III
 Conference - College Conference of Ill. and Wis.
 Stadium (Capacity) - Hedstrand Field (2,500)
 Series with Millikin - Millikin leads 40-4-0
 Last Meeting - Millikin won 56-0 in 2003
 Sports Information Director - Carrie Swenson
 SID Phone/Fax - 773.244.5670/773.244.4952

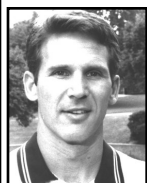


Head Coach - Robin Cooper
 Record at North Park - 7-33 (4 years)
 Career Record - 63-74 (15 years)
 Letter Winners Returning/Lost - 27/14
 Starters Returning/Lost - 12/NA
 2003 Record - 2-8
 Conference Record - 0-7 (8th)

the 2004 opposition

game 7: augustana college

Location - Rock Island, Illinois
 Year Founded - 1860
 Enrollment - 2,100
 Nickname - Vikings
 Colors - Blue and Gold
 Affiliation - NCAA Division III
 Conference - College Conference of Ill. and Wis.
 Stadium (Capacity) - Ericson Field (3,800)
 Series with Millikin - Augustana leads 33-30-1
 Last Meeting - Augustana won 24-22 in 2003
 Sports Information Director - Dave Wrath
 SID Phone/Fax - 309.794.7265/309.794.7525



Head Coach - Jim Barnes
 Record at Augustana - 31-10 (4 years)
 Career Record - 68-23 (9 years)
 Letter Winners Returning/Lost - 39/27
 Starters Returning/Lost - 12/11
 2003 Record - 7-3
 Conference Record - 6-1 (2nd)

game 8: north central college

Location - Naperville, Illinois
 Year Founded - 1861
 Enrollment - 2,600
 Nickname - Cardinals
 Colors - Red and Black
 Affiliation - NCAA Division III
 Conference - College Conference of Ill. and Wis.
 Stadium (Capacity) - Kroehler Field (7,000)
 Series with Millikin - Millikin leads 36-21-1
 Last Meeting - Millikin won 39-16 in 2003
 Sports Information Director - Josh Hendricks
 SID Phone/Fax - 630.637.5302/630.637.5521



Head Coach - John Thorne
 Record at North Central - 13-7 (2 years)
 Career Record - same
 Letter Winners Returnin/Lost - 25/12
 Starters Returning/Lost - 13/9
 2003 Record - 7-3
 Conference Record - 4-3 (Tied 3rd)

game 9: elmhurst college

Location - Elmhurst, Illinois
 Year Founded - 1878
 Enrollment - 2,900
 Nickname - Bluejays
 Colors - Blue and White
 Affiliation - NCAA Division III
 Conference - College Conference of Ill. and Wis.
 Stadium (Capacity) - Langhorst Field (2,500)
 Series with Millikin - Millikin leads 39-9-0
 Last Meeting - Millikin won 47-37 in 2003
 Sports Information Director - Kevin Juday
 SID Phone/Fax - 630.617.3380/630.617.3282



Head Coach - Tom Journell
 Record at Elmhurst - 0-0 (1st year in 2004)
 Career Record - same
 Letter Winners Returning/Lost - 34/14
 Starters Returning/Lost - 13/9
 2003 Record - 3-7
 Conference Record - 3-4 (Tied 5th)

game 10: illinois wesleyan univ.

Location - Bloomington, Illinois
 Year Founded - 1850
 Enrollment - 2,000
 Nickname - Titans
 Colors - Green and White
 Affiliation - NCAA Division III
 Conference - College Conference of Ill. and Wis.
 Stadium (Capacity) - Illinois Wesleyan Field (3,500)
 Series with Millikin - Millikin leads 51-38-7
 Last Meeting - Illinois Wesleyan won 49-31 in 2003
 Sports Information Director - Stew Salowitz
 SID Phone/Fax - 309.556.3206/309.556.3894



Head Coach - Norm Eash
 Record at Illinois Wesleyan - 110-49-1 (17 years)
 Career Record - same
 Letter Winners Returning/Lost - 46/12
 Starters Returning/Lost - 16/8
 2003 Record - 5-5
 Conference Record - 3-4 (Tied 5th)

2004 cciw composite schedule

October 2

North Central at Wheaton 1 p.m.
 Augustana at North Park 1 p.m.
 Millikin at Carthage 6 p.m.
 Elmhurst at Illinois Wesleyan 1 p.m.

October 9

Wheaton at Millikin 1 p.m.
 Illinois Wesleyan at North Central 6 p.m.
 North Park at Elmhurst 1 p.m.
 Carthage at Augustana 1 p.m.

October 16

Elmhurst at Wheaton 1 p.m.
 North Central at Carthage 1 p.m.
 Millikin at North Park 1 p.m.
 Augustana at Illinois Wesleyan 1 p.m.



October 23

Illinois Wesleyan at Wheaton 1 p.m.
 Elmhurst at North Central 1 p.m.
 Carthage at North Park 1 p.m.
 Millikin at Augustana 1 p.m.

October 30

Wheaton at Carthage 6 p.m.
 North Central at Millikin 1 p.m.
 North Park at Illinois Wesleyan 1 p.m.
 Augustana at Elmhurst 1 p.m.

November 6

North Park at Wheaton 1 p.m.
 Augustana at North Central 2 p.m.
 Carthage at Illinois Wesleyan 1 p.m.
 Millikin at Elmhurst 2 p.m.

November 13

Wheaton at Augustana 1 p.m.
 North Central at North Park 1 p.m.
 Elmhurst at Carthage 1 p.m.
 Illinois Wesleyan at Millikin 1 p.m.

(CCIW Games Only)

Official Football Signals



1
Ball ready for play
*Untimed down



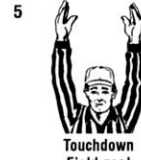
2
Start clock



3
Time-out
Discretionary or injury time-out
(follow by tapping hands on chest)



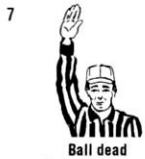
4
TV/Radio time-out



5
Touchdown
Field goal
Point(s) after touchdown



6
Safety



7
Ball dead
Touchback (move side to side)



8
First down



9
Loss of down



10
Incomplete forward pass
Penalty declined
No play, no score
Toss option delayed



11
Legal touching of forward pass or scrimmage kick



12
Inadvertent whistle
(Face Press Box)



13
Disregard flag



14
End of period



15
Sideline warning



16
Illegal touching or 30-second timeout



17
Uncatchable forward pass



18
Offside defense
Encroachment (NF)



19
False start
Illegal formation
Encroachment offense
Illegal procedure (NF)



20
Illegal shift - 2 hands
Illegal motion - 1 hand



21
Delay of game



22
Substitution infraction



23
Failure to wear required equipment



24
Illegal helmet contact



27
Unsportsmanlike conduct
Noncontact foul



28
Illegal participation



29
Sideline interference



30
Running into or roughing kicker or holder



31
Illegal batting
Illegal kicking
(Followed by pointing toward toe for kicking)



32
Illegal fair catch signal (NF)
Invalid fair catch signal (NF)



33
Forward pass interference
Kick-catching interference



34
Roughing passer



35
Illegal pass
Illegal forward handing



36
Intentional grounding



37
Ineligible downfield on pass



38
Personal foul



39
Clipping



40
Blocking below waist
Illegal block



41
Chop block



42
Holding/obstructing
Illegal use of hands/arms



43
Illegal block in the back



44
Helping runner
Interlocked blocking



45
Grasping face mask or helmet opening



46
Tripping



47
Player disqualification

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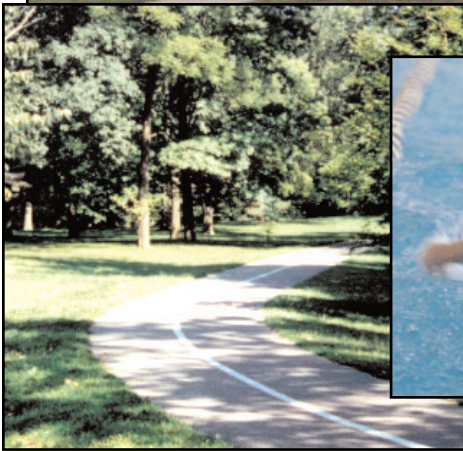
Griswold Physical Education Center

Griswold Center is perfect for the intercollegiate athlete or intramural player. The Center provides a gymnasium to seat 4,000, a running track and three regulation-size basketball courts. Millikin hosts several high school tournaments and games including the annual IHSA Class A Girls and Boys Supersectionals.

The men's and women's basketball, women's volleyball and men's wrestling teams also compete in Griswold Center's gym and its six-lane McIntosh Pool is home to the Big Blue men's and women's swim teams. The building also houses classrooms, staff offices, athletic training facilities and locker rooms.

Just north of Griswold Center, Millikin's track & field teams take advantage of 1997 renovations that included an eight-lane, all-weather track. The USATF Youth Athletic Championships were held on the track in both 2000 and 2001 and Millikin also hosted the NCAA Division III Outdoor Track & Field Championships in 2001.

Several Big Blue teams make use of off-campus facilities. The men's and women's tennis teams play and practice at the Fairview Park Tennis Complex, located just across the street from campus. The men's and women's



golf teams frequent the city's three golf courses while the Big Blue baseball program calls Sunnyside Park home. The softball team plays its home games at Borg-Warner Sports Complex while the cross country teams do most of their training at Fairview Park on the paved, grass and dirt trails that trace the historic Interurban Railway. The trails lead through Kiwanis Park to the Macon County Conservation District Bikeway to the Rock Springs Environmental Center. The men's and women's soccer teams play their home schedule at Stephen Decatur Middle School and also make use of Fairview Park's spacious areas for practices.

Decatur Indoor Sports Center (DISC) at Millikin

Newly constructed in January 2000 in conjunction with the Decatur Park District, the DISC is a 87,000 square foot, on-campus athletic facility.

The DISC's new weight rooms are the perfect place for the serious athlete or amateur to work up a sweat. Upstairs facilities include machine weights and cardiovascular equipment while the lower-level room provides an expanse of free-weights and dumbbells. The DISC also features a 200-meter indoor running track. For more information on the DISC, call 217.429.3472.



2004 MILLIKIN UNIVERSITY VARSITY

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

| Date | Opponent | Place | Time |
|----------------|--------------------------------|----------------------|-------------|
| Sept. 4 | Wartburg College | Waverly, Iowa | 4 PM |
| Sept. 18 | Franklin College | Decatur, IL | 1 PM |
| Sept. 25 | Albion College | Albion, MI | 1 PM |
| Oct. 2 | **Carthage College | Kenosha, WI | 6 PM |
| Oct. 9 | **Wheaton College | Decatur, IL | 1 PM |
| Oct. 16 | **North Park University | Chicago, IL | 1 PM |
| Oct. 23 | **Augustana College | Rock Island, IL | 1 PM |
| Oct. 30 | **North Central College | Decatur, IL | 1 PM |
| Nov. 6 | **Elmhurst College | Elmhurst, IL | 2 PM |
| Nov. 13 | **Illinois Wesleyan | Decatur, IL | 1 PM |

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* denotes CCIW contests

2004 MILLIKIN UNIVERSITY JUNIOR

VARSITY FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

| Date | Opponent | Place | Time |
|----------------|-------------------|--------------------|-------------|
| Sept. 6 | Lindenwood | Decatur, IL | 4 PM |
| Sept. 13 | Wabash | Greencastle, IN | 4 PM |
| Sept. 19 | Illinois Wesleyan | Bloomington, IL | 2 PM |
| Oct. 3 | MacMurray | Decatur, IL | 2 PM |
| Oct. 25 | Monmouth | Decatur, IL | 3 PM |
| Oct. 31 | North Central | Naperville, IL | 2 PM |

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