

BALL STATE

FOOTBALL 2020

5 MAC CHAMPIONSHIPS • 3 MAC WEST DIVISION TITLES • 9 BOWL APPEARANCES

BALL STATE (2-1, 2-1 MAC) CARDINALS

Home: 2-0 | Away: 0-1 | Streak: Won 2
Head Coach: Mike Neu (5th year)



at



TOLEDO ROCKETS (2-1, 2-1 MAC)

Home: 1-0 | Away: 1-1 | Streak: Won 1
Head Coach: Jason Candle (5th year)

Game 4 | Saturday, Nov. 28 (Noon kickoff) | Toledo, Ohio, Glass Bowl

LIVE COVERAGE

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SCHEDULE & RESULTS

NOVEMBER

4	Wed.	at Miami*	CBSSN	L, 31-38
11	Wed.	EASTERN MICH.*	CBSSN	W, 38-31
18	Wed.	NORTHERN ILL.*	ESPN	W, 31-25
28	Sat.	at Toledo*	ESPN3	Noon

DECEMBER

5	Sat.	at Central Mich.*	TBA+	TBA
12	Sat.	WESTERN MICH.*	TBA+	TBA
18	Fri.	MAC Championship^	TBA+	TBA

* indicates MAC game; ^ championship game at Ford Field in Detroit;

+ All games to appear on CBS Sports Network or an ESPN platform

Home games in BOLD CAPS; all times Eastern

BALL STATE COACHES

Mike Neu, Head Coach (5th yr.)	Field
Patrick Dougherty, Asst. HC, STs/TEs (8th yr.)	Field
Kevin Lynch, OC, RBs (5th yr.)	Field
Tyler Stockton, DC/ILBs (2nd yr.)	Field
Alex Bailey, WRs (6th yr.)	Field
Cory Connolly, OLBs (6th yr.)	Booth
Mike Dietzel, DBs (Safeties) (2nd yr.)	Field
Joey Hecklinski, QBs (2nd yr.)	Booth
Colin Johnson, OL (2nd yr.)	Field
Keith McKenzie, DL (5th yr.)	Field
Josh Zidenberg, Pass Gm. Coord./DBs (1st yr.)	Booth

Storylines

► Ball State and Toledo both enter this week's matchup at 2-1, one game behind MAC West Division-leading Western Michigan at the halfway point of this year's six-game schedule. Toledo's only loss came against the Broncos in the final minute.

► Eight of Ball State's past 11 games have been decided by a touchdown or less, including all three games this season. BSU is 4-4 in those eight games, including single-score wins the past two weeks over Eastern Michigan (38-31) and Northern Illinois (31-25) in the annual Battle for the Bronze Stalk.

► Senior RB **Caleb Huntley** set a school record last week with his seventh straight 100-yard rushing game. It is the second-longest active streak in the FBS, behind only Breece Hall of Iowa State (eight). He also has a seven-game touchdown streak, having scored 13 TDs in that stretch. Huntley ranks sixth nationally with 145.7 rushing yards per game. He needs 98 more yards to become the seventh back in BSU history to reach 3,000 career yards.

► Junior WR **Yo'Heinz Tyler** has caught touchdown passes in back-to-back games. Coming off his first career 100-yard receiving game against NIU to help BSU retain the Bronze Stalk, Tyler ranks third in the MAC with 19 receptions (senior WR **Justin Hall** is fourth with 18).

► Senior SAF **Bryce Cosby** (14) and senior ILB **Jaylin Thomas** (13) combined for 27 tackles in last week's win over NIU. Thomas is the MAC's active leader in career tackles with 244, while Cosby is second with 243.

► Ball State, which led the MAC with 15 interceptions and 24 total takeaways last season, registered its first INT of the season last week on a 71-yard pick-six by junior CB **Amechi Uzodinma II**. It was BSU's first touchdown on an interception return since Charlie Todd against Liberty in 2010.

► BSU faces a Toledo team that ranks among the top 25 nationally in both total offense (504.7, 14th) and total defense (327.3, 21st). The Rockets are averaging 40.3 points and allowing only 24.0. Toledo's time of possession average (36:40) ranks third in the country.

By the Numbers

7

Straight 100-yard games for RB **Caleb Huntley**, a BSU record and the FBS's second-longest active streak.

39

Consecutive games with a catch for WR **Justin Hall**, the longest streak in the country.

19

Combined career INTs for DBs **Amechi Uzodinma II** (7), **Bryce Cosby** (6) and **Antonio Phillips** (6).

52

WRs **Yo'Heinz Tyler** (19), **Justin Hall** (18) and **Antwan Davis** (15) have combined for 52 of BSU's 58 receptions.

Weekly Schedule

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
PRACTICE (closed)	OFF 11 a.m. Press conference with Coach Neu and select players (Zoom) 5 p.m. Weekly radio show (102.9 FM/1340 AM)	PRACTICE (closed)	PRACTICE (closed)	PRACTICE (closed) 10:45 a.m. Player interviews via phone or Zoom, if requested	PRACTICE (closed)	GAME 4 at Toledo Noon ESPN3 Head coach Mike Neu and select players available post-game via Zoom.

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University Information

Location Muncie, Ind., 47306
Enrollment/Founded 22,541/1918
President Geoffrey Mearns
Director of Athletics Beth Goetz
Colors Cardinal (200) and White
Home Facility Scheumann Stadium
Surface Field Turf
Football History 2020 is the 96th team
First Season in Stadium 1967
Capacity 22,500
Conference Mid-American (West Division)
Ticket Office 765-285-1474
or 1.888.BSU.TICKET

Football Information

2019 Record (MAC) 5-7 (4-4)
2019 Home/Road/Neutral 3-3/2-3/0-1
2019 Bowl n/a
2019 Letterwinners Returning 45
. (20 offense, 23 defense, 2 specialists)
2019 Letterwinners Lost 17
. (9 offense, 6 defense, 2 specialists)
2019 Starters Returning 16
. (7 offense, 7 defense, 2 specialists)
2019 Starters Lost 9
. (4 offense, 4 defense, 1 specialist)
Offensive Sets Up-tempo pro style
Defensive Sets 3-4

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Media Guidelines

Practice Coverage

Ball State's practices are closed to the public this fall because of COVID-19 protocols.

Media Availability

For the final three weeks of the regular season while Ball State is playing Saturday games, head coach Mike Neu and select players will be available on a Zoom press conference each preceding Monday at 11 a.m. Media members on the Ball State football distribution list will receive the appropriate Zoom link via email each week.

Efforts will be made to accommodate additional requests virtually or over the phone as they arise. Generally, all players and coaches are available for interviews to accredited media sources. Requests for such interviews must be directed to Tyson Mathews in the Athletic Communications office at least 24 hours in advance.

Game Coverage

Press box space at Scheumann Stadium will be limited this fall because of protocols surrounding the COVID-19 pandemic. Submit all credential requests to Tyson Mathews (temathews@bsu.edu).

Post-game press conferences featuring head coach Mike Neu and select players will be conducted via Zoom. A link to the Zoom session will be made available to media members via email.

Weekly Radio Show

Coach Mike Neu will join play-by-play voice Joel Godett every Monday for "Monday Night with the Red & White." The show will air live on Muncie's Sports Station 102.9 FM/1340 AM from 5 to 6 p.m.

Social Media

Ball State Athletic Communications is making a continued effort in 2020-21 to utilize social media outlets as another way of sharing information with our fans and those who cover our programs.

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. BallStateFB

Facebook: BallStateSports
. BallStateFootball

Snapchat: BallStateFootball

Visiting Radio Note

The Ball State visiting radio booth has POTS and Ethernet lines available for your broadcast.



Scheumann Stadium

SERIES NOTES

► Ball State's 52 points in last year's Homecoming win over Toledo were the most ever for the Cardinals in the series. The victory snapped a five-game Rockets winning streak in the series.

► Saturday's matchup features three of the top four active career rushers in the MAC in BSU's Caleb Huntley (2,902, 2nd) and Toledo's Bryant Koback (2,405, 3rd) and Shakif Seymour (2,135, 4th). (List on p. 5).

► Toledo owns the MAC's top rushing defense, allowing only 108.7 yards per game on the ground. Ball State averages 228.0 rushing yards this season, third in the MAC. The Cardinals have topped 200 yards in all three games this year and 10 times in the past 11 games dating back to last season. Ball State's 374 rushing yards in last year's win over the Rockets were the most by a BSU team since 2009.

► The Rockets have won three straight over the Cardinals at the Glass Bowl. Ball State's last win at Toledo came in 2012 when the Rockets were ranked No. 23 nationally. QB Keith Wenning threw for 280 yards and three touchdowns, two to WR Jamill Smith, that night. RB Jahwan Edwards ran for 105 yards and scored the game-winning touchdown with 1:43 left.



Justin Hall scored TDs rushing and receiving in last year's Homecoming win over Toledo.

STATISTICAL COMPARISON

BSU		STATISTIC		TOL
33.3	(36)	Scoring Offense	(16)	40.3
31.3		Scoring Defense	(34)	24.0
224.7	(18)	Rushing Offense	(21)	221.0
251.7	(48)	Passing Offense	(27)	283.7
476.3	(19)	Total Offense	(14)	504.7
157.7		Rushing Defense	(19)	108.7
279.3		Passing Defense	(42)	218.7
437.0		Total Defense	(21)	327.3
-0.7		Punt Return Average		2.2
22.2	(36)	Kick Return Average		17.5
28:23		Time of Possession Avg.	(3)	36:40
20/40 (50.0%)	(18)	3rd Down Conversions	(11)	25/47 (53.2%)
8/13 (61.5%)		Red Zone Touchdowns		10/16 (62.5%)

notable national statistical rankings in italics

THE LAST MEETING

TOLEDO	0	0	7	7	-	14
BALL STATE	17	21	14	0	-	52

Oct. 19, 2019 | Muncie, Ind. | Scheumann Stadium | 15,113

Ball State's defense limited Toledo to these first-half numbers: 33 plays for 22 yards, minus-2 yards rushing, four sacks allowed, two fumbles lost, six consecutive punts and zero points ... Offensively, four of the Cardinals' touchdowns in the game came from more than 35 yards out, two of them via Malik Dunner who took a double reverse 51 yards for one score and a jet sweep 39 yards for another ... Caleb Huntley pounded for 119 yards, and Walter Fletcher added 68 yards and a touchdown ... The Cardinals' 374-yard rushing total was their highest since a record-setting, 463-yard performance in 2009 at Eastern Michigan ... Riley Miller caught two touchdowns, and Justin Hall scored twice, once on a 36-yard hookup with Plitt and once on a jet sweep of his own.

Team Statistics	TOL	BSU
First Downs	16	24
Rush Yds	138	374
Pass Yds	171	206
Passing	16-38-1	11-17-1
Total Offense	309	580
Fumbles-Lost	2-2	0-0
Penalties-Yds	5-28	5-60
Punts (Avg)	6-42.3	2-57.0
TOP	29:20	30:40
3rd Downs	4-18	6-12
4th Downs	3-5	2-2
Red Zone	1-3	3-4
Sacks (Yards)	1-6	4-32

Qtr	Time	Team	Scoring Play	Drive	Score
1	10:05	BSU	Rimmler 42 yd FG	6-14 (2:05)	0-3
1	4:42	BSU	Miller 24 yd pass from Plitt (Rimmler kick)	9-75 (3:26)	0-10
1	2:17	BSU	Miller 39 yd pass from Plitt (Rimmler kick)	3-80 (1:12)	0-17
2	11:36	BSU	Dunner 51 yd run (Rimmler kick)	4-62 (1:34)	0-24
2	4:53	BSU	Fletcher 3 yd run (Rimmler kick)	11-55 (5:02)	0-31
2	0:32	BSU	Hall 36 yd pass from Plitt (Rimmler kick)	3-40 (0:26)	0-38
3	12:22	TOL	Jones 44 yd run (Davis kick)	6-79 (2:33)	7-38
3	9:14	BSU	Hall 12 yd run (Rimmler kick)	7-62 (3:02)	7-45
3	1:53	BSU	Dunner 39 yd run (Rimmler kick)	7-80 (3:04)	7-52
4	0:35	TOL	Jones 1 yd run (Davis kick)	14-80 (6:37)	14-52

TOL Leaders

Rushing	Att	Yds	TD	Long
Jones	8	72	2	44
Koback	13	38	0	13
Finn	5	28	0	9

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long
Bradley	14-34-1	137	0	27
Finn	2-4-0	34	0	25

Receiving	Rec	Yds	TD	Long
Kovacs	3	53	0	25
Phillips	3	46	0	27
Newton	1	21	0	21

Tackles: Fisher 7 (1 TFL), McDonald 6 (1 TFL), Anderson 6, Blue 5, Bolden 5, Williams 4, Givhan 3 (1 sack)

BSU Leaders

Rushing	Att	Yds	TD	Long
Huntley	20	119	0	34
Dunner	2	90	2	51
Fletcher	11	68	1	13
Evans	3	49	0	44
Hall	4	22	1	12

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long
Plitt	11-17-1	206	3	39

Receiving	Rec	Yds	TD	Long
Miller	4	87	2	39
Hall	4	73	1	36

Tackles: Thomas 11 (1 TFL), Wilborn 8, White 6, Williams 3 (2.5 TFL, 1 FF), Albright 3 (1.5 TFL), Coll 3 (1 FF)

ALL-TIME VS. TOLEDO

46TH MEETING

Overall:	TOL leads, 24-20-1
at BSU:	BSU leads, 13-10
at TOL:	TOL leads, 14-7-1
Streak:	BSU, 1 win

SERIES RESULTS

Date	Site	Winner	Score
9/13/75	H	BSU	38-28
9/25/76	A	BSU	27-14
9/10/77	A	BSU	43-3
9/23/78	H	BSU	20-0
9/15/79	A	TOL	14-31
9/20/80	H	BSU	27-7
9/19/81	A	TOL	0-40
9/11/82	H	TOL	14-31
9/24/83	A	TOL	7-43
9/8/84	H	TOL	2-20
9/28/85	A	BSU	23-19
9/27/86	H	BSU	27-10
9/12/87	A	TOL	17-21
9/3/88	H	BSU	13-3
9/23/89	A	TOL	22-29
9/22/90	H	TOL	16-28
11/9/91	A	BSU	9-3
11/7/92	H	TOL	9-10
10/9/93	H	BSU	31-30
10/8/94	A	Tie	24-24
10/7/95	A	TOL	14-17
11/16/96	H	BSU	24-14
11/8/97	H	BSU	35-3
10/10/98	A	TOL	6-27
9/18/99	H	TOL	10-23
11/11/00	A	TOL	3-31
10/20/01	H	BSU	24-20
10/12/02	A	TOL	17-37
10/25/03	H	BSU	38-14
10/2/04	A	TOL	14-52
10/15/05	H	TOL	14-34
11/14/06	A	BSU	20-17
11/13/07	H	BSU	41-20
10/4/08	A	BSU	31-0
10/3/09	H	TOL	30-37
10/23/10	A	TOL	24-31
11/25/11	H	TOL	28-45
11/6/12	A	BSU	34-27
9/28/13	H	BSU	31-24
9/20/14	A	TOL	23-34
10/3/15	H	TOL	10-24
11/16/16	A	TOL	19-37
10/26/17	H	TOL	17-58
10/31/18	A	TOL	13-45
10/19/19	H	BSU	52-14

BRANDON'S BACK

► Redshirt junior ILB **Brandon Martin**, who sustained a season-ending injury in the 2019 opener, has made a successful return to the field. Martin leads the MAC with 37 tackles and ranks seventh nationally with 12.3 per game, having registered more than 10 tackles each game.

GETTING PICKY

► CB **Amechi Uzodinma II** has seven career interceptions, second among active MAC players behind only Toledo's Delonte Hood (nine). Cardinals CB **Antonio Phillips** and SAF **Bryce Cosby** are tied for third on that list with six picks.

Uzodinma led the league last year with five, while Phillips had four. Both players were named to the watch list for this year's Jim Thorpe Award, given annually to the nation's top defensive back. Phillips is also a candidate for a pair of national defensive player of the year awards, the Bronko Nagurski Trophy and the Chuck Bednarik Award.

PLITT ESTABLISHED AT QB

► QB **Drew Plitt** is now in his second year as the full-time starter. The former Wing-T quarterback in high school surpassed 5,000 career passing yards in the NIU game and moved into a tie for sixth in school history with 37 career touchdown passes. A Johnny Unitas Golden Arm and Manning Award candidate, Plitt was second in the MAC in passing yards per game (243.2) in 2019.

The team's fourth-string QB as a redshirt freshman in 2017, Plitt was forced into action with three starts that year because of injuries. He was the backup in 2018, again starting three games, before taking over the reins full time in 2019 and directing the MAC's top offense.

H(ALL) PURPOSE

► Senior WR **Justin Hall** ranks second among all FBS players in all-purpose yards per game (193.7), behind fellow MAC player D'Wayne Eskridge of Western Michigan (245.0). Hall had 246 in the opener at Miami and 241 against Eastern Michigan. He had 221 combined return yards in those two games before Northern Illinois kicked away from him last week, keeping him from any returns.

HOT START FOR DAVIS

► Grad WR **Antwan Davis** set new BSU personal highs for catches in each of the first two games, logging six (for a BSU personal-best 110 yards) against Miami and seven against Eastern Michigan. Davis, third on last year's team with 38 receptions, already has 15 this year.

YOUNG KICKERS MAKING IMPACT

► The Cardinals have turned to redshirt freshman **Jack Knight** and true freshman **Jacob Lewis** to handle the kicking duties this fall.

Lewis' five touchbacks at Miami were the most by a BSU kicker since Scott Secor had six against Akron in 2014. He has eight touchbacks in three games after BSU had nine total last season. Lewis connected on a 51-yard field goal against Eastern Michigan in his first collegiate attempt.

Knight hit a game-tying 47-yard field goal with 1:08 left at Miami and has made four of his past five attempts after missing his first two of the season.

BSU RECORD WHEN ...

Scoring first	0-1
Opponent scores first	2-0
Scoring 30 or more points	2-1
Scoring fewer than 30 points	0-0
Leading at the half	0-1
Trailing at the half	1-0
Tied at the half	1-0
Leading after three quarters	1-0
Trailing after three quarters	1-1
Tied after three quarters	0-0
Outrushing the opponent	2-1
Outpassing the opponent	0-1
Rushing 30 or more times	2-1
Rushing 40 or more times	2-0
Passing 30 or more times	1-1
Passing 40 or more times	0-0
Leading in time of possession	1-0
Trailing in time of possession	1-1
Time of possession is even	0-0
Winning in turnover margin	0-0
Losing in turnover margin	1-0
Tied in turnover margin	1-1
With a 100-yard rusher	2-1
With a 300-yard passer	0-1
With a 100-yard receiver	1-1
With an opposing 100-yard rusher	1-0
With an opposing 300-yard passer	1-0
With an opposing 100-yard receiver	2-1
Winning the coin toss	1-1
Losing the coin toss	1-0
Electing to receive	0-0
Electing to defer	1-1
Receiving the ball first	1-0
Opponent receiving ball first	1-1

MAC STANDINGS**EAST DIVISION**

Team	MAC	Overall	Streak
Buffalo	3-0	3-0	W3
Kent State	3-0	3-0	W3
Miami	1-1	1-1	L1
Ohio	1-1	1-1	W1
Akron	0-3	0-3	L3
Bowling Green	0-3	0-3	L3

WEST DIVISION

Team	MAC	Overall	Streak
Western Mich.	3-0	3-0	W3
Ball State	2-1	2-1	W2
Central Mich.	2-1	2-1	L1
Toledo	2-1	2-1	W1
Eastern Mich.	0-3	0-3	L3
Northern Ill.	0-3	0-3	L3

THE GRAD LIST

Ball State has 11 players on its 2020 roster who have already graduated and are working toward master's degrees, including seven in BSU's MBA program ...

Graduate	Undergraduate Degree	Master's Program
Chris Agyemang	Health Science (Sacred Heart)	MBA
Antwan Davis	Public Communications	Athletic Coaching Education
Anthony Ekpe	Sport Management (Rice)	MBA
Isaac James-Gray	Human Biology (Indiana)	MBA (Entrepreneurship)
Dylan Koch	Marketing	Information & Communication Sciences
Drew Plitt	Accounting	MBA (Finance)
Cody Rudy	Sport Administration	TBD
Kaleb Slaven	Business Administration	MBA
Nathan Snyder	Marketing	MBA (Finance)
Anthony Todd	Business Administration	MBA
J.T. Wahee	Sociology	Athletic Coaching Education

HALL LEADS ALL

► Senior WR **Justin Hall** leads all active FBS players in career receptions with 226. He has recorded at least one catch in 39 straight games (every game of his career), the longest active streak in the country.

Hall is 18 shy of the school record for career receptions (244) set by KeVonn Mabon from 2012-16. (BSU career lists on p. 7).

FBS Active Leaders in Career Receptions

1. Justin Hall, Ball State	226
2. Tyler Vaughns, Southern California	207
3. Jaelon Darden, North Texas	206
4. Tylan Wallace, Oklahoma State	185
5. DeVonta Smith, Alabama	183

Most Consecutive Games with a Reception (Active FBS)

1. Justin Hall, Ball State	39^
2. JD Spielman, Nebraska/TCU	36^
3. CT Thomas, Boise State	35
4. Rashod Bateman, Minnesota	31^
5. (Three players)	30

^covers every game played in career

HUNTLEY AMONG MAC'S ACTIVE LEADERS

► Senior RB **Caleb Huntley** ranks second among all active MAC players in career rushing yards. He is one of five active rushers in the league with at least 2,000 career yards.

MAC Active Leaders in Career Rushing Yards

1. Jaret Patterson, Jr., Buffalo	3,323
2. Caleb Huntley, Sr., Ball State	2,902
3. Bryant Koback, Jr., Toledo	2,405
4. Shakif Seymour, Sr., Toledo	2,135
5. Kevin Marks, Jr., Buffalo	2,111

HUNTLEY IN MAC PLAY (LAST TWO YEARS)

► A closer look at RB **Caleb Huntley's** production over his past 11 games (every MAC game in the past two seasons) ...

Date	Opponent	Att	Yds	TDs
10/5/19	at NIU	35	157	2
10/12/19	at EMU	29	152	0
10/19/19	Toledo	20	119	0
10/26/19	Ohio*	6	12	0
11/5/19	at WMU	18	120	1
11/16/19	CMU	24	106	1
11/23/19	at Kent St.	20	192	2
11/29/19	Miami	24	134	3
11/4/20	at Miami	21	130	2
11/11/20	EMU	34	204	3
11/18/20	NIU	25	103	1
Totals		256	1,429	15

*left game injured in second quarter

EXPERIENCED PUNTER

► Senior P **Nathan Snyder** leads the MAC in punting with a 45.1-yard average. Snyder had 11 punts of 50 yards or longer last season and already has four of them in only eight attempts this year.

ALBRIGHT THE DISRUPTER

► Senior OLB **Christian Albright's** 25.5 career tackles for loss rank second among active MAC players. His seven career forced fumbles are tied for sixth-most among active FBS players.

MAC Active Leaders in Career Tackles for Loss

1. Ali Fayad, Western Michigan	35.5
2. Christian Albright, Ball State	25.5
3. Ralph Holley, Western Michigan	25.0

NOTEWORTHY COORDINATORS

► **Kevin Lynch** was elevated to offensive coordinator in the offseason, taking over for his brother and former Ball State QB Joey who left after 11 years (6 as OC) to become offensive coordinator at Colorado State.

Kevin is the third member of his family to serve as the Cardinals' offensive coordinator. His father Bill, later the BSU head coach, was OC in the early 90's. Additionally, Kevin and Joey's brother Billy, himself a former BSU wide receiver, was an offensive coordinator at Rice.

Lynch Family as BSU Offensive Coordinator

Bill Lynch*	1990-92
Joey Lynch	2014-19
Kevin Lynch	1st year in 2020

*BSU head coach 1995-2002

► Lynch also remains running backs coach, a role he has filled since joining the staff in 2016, and is one of nine current FBS offensive coordinators to also coach running backs.

RB Coaches as Offensive Coordinators (FBS)

Tim Albin	Ohio
Ryan Aplin	Western Kentucky (co-OC)
Tony Elliott	Clemson
Eddie Gran	Kentucky
Newland Isaac	Coastal Carolina (co-OC)
Kevin Lynch	Ball State
Chad Scott	West Virginia (co-OC)
Brian Smith	Washington State
Anthony Tucker	UCF (co-OC)

► Meanwhile, **Tyler Stockton** has taken over as solo defensive coordinator after serving as co-coordinator last season. At 30 years old, Stockton is the second-youngest DC at the FBS level and one of only eight coordinators (offensive or defensive) age 30 or younger at the start of the season (Lynch is not much older at 33).

Youngest Coordinators (FBS)

	Age
Charlie Weis Jr., South Florida (OC)	27
Tommy Rees, Notre Dame (OC)	28
Matt Feeney, Akron (DC)	28
Clint Trickett, Florida Atlantic (Co-OC)	29
Kenny Dillingham, Florida State (OC)	30
Ryan Alpin, Western Kentucky (Co-OC)	30
Tyler Stockton, Ball State (DC)	30
Patrick Toney, Louisiana-Lafayette (DC)	30

INDIVIDUAL HONORS**MAC WEST PLAYERS OF THE WEEK**

- **Caleb Huntley, Sr., RB**
(Nov. 16, offensive)
- **Brandon Martin, R-Jr., ILB**
(Nov. 16, defensive)

WATCH LISTS**Caleb Huntley, Sr., RB**

- Doak Walker Award (top RB)
- Maxwell Award (POY)

Brandon Martin, R. Jr., ILB

- Wuerffel Trophy (Service)

Antonio Phillips, Sr., CB

- Bronko Nagurski Trophy (DPOY)
- Chuck Bednarik Award (DPOY)
- Jim Thorpe Award (top DB)

Drew Plitt, R-Sr., QB

- Johnny Unitas Golden Arm (top QB)
- Manning Award (top QB)

Amechi Uzodinma II, Jr. CB

- Jim Thorpe Award (top DB)

PRESEASON ALL-MAC (PUBLICATIONS)

In parentheses, publication (Athon or Phil Steele) and team designation

- Chris Agyemang, Gr., DL (Steele 3rd)
- Christian Albright, Sr., OLB
(Athlon 4th, Steele 3rd)
- Curtis Blackwell, Sr., OL
(Athlon 2nd, Steele 2nd)
- Bryce Cosby, Sr., S (Athlon 4th)
- Joseph Greenwood, Sr., LS (Steele 3rd)
- Justin Hall, Sr., WR
(Athlon 1st, Steele 2nd)
- Caleb Huntley, Sr., RB
(Athlon 1st, Steele 1st)
- Antonio Phillips, Sr., CB
(Athlon 1st, Steele 1st)
- Drew Plitt, R-Sr., QB
(Athlon 2nd, Steele 2nd)
- Kaleb Slaven, R-Sr., OL
(Athlon 3rd, Steele 4th)
- Jaylin Thomas, R-Sr., ILB
(Athlon 1st, Steele 1st)
- Amechi Uzodinma II, Jr., CB
(Athlon 2nd, Steele 1st)

MAC Championships

1976, 1978, 1989, 1993, 1996

MAC West Division Titles

2001, 2007, 2008

Bowl Appearances

1965, 1967, 1989, 1993, 1996,
2007, 2008, 2012, 2013

GRAD TRANSFERS MAKE PRESENCE FELT ON DEFENSE

► BSU welcomed three all-league graduate transfers on defense in DL **Chris Agyemang** (Sacred Heart, NEC), SAF **J.T. Wahee** (Norfolk State, MEAC) and OLB **Anthony Ekpe** (Rice, C-USA).

Ekpe made his presence felt in his BSU debut against Miami with 3.0 tackles for loss, including 2.0 sacks, and one forced fumble. Wahee had five tackles, 1.0 TFL and one pass breakup that night.

Agyemang was accomplished enough at Sacred Heart to earn a spot on Phil Steele's Preseason All-MAC Third Team without having played a down in the league.

OFFENSIVE LINE ADJUSTMENTS

► Senior RT **Curtis Blackwell** (30) and redshirt senior LT **Kaleb Slaven** (22) had combined for 52 of the returning 57 starts among the BSU starting offensive line entering the season.

C **Anthony Todd**, RG **Jaylen Turner** and LG **Joseph Boggs** are in their first season as full-time starters. Redshirt freshman **Porter Haught** made his first career start against EMU in place of an injured Slaven, and true freshman **Ethan Crowe** filled in briefly at center with his first career snaps.

WELCOME BACK

► The Cardinals welcomed back 45 letterwinners and 15 position starters from a team that finished 5-7 (4-4 MAC) last fall. Of its 10 All-MAC selections (the most since 2013), BSU returned six -- OL **Curtis Blackwell**, WR **Justin Hall**, RB **Caleb Huntley**, CB **Antonio Phillips**, ILB **Jaylin Thomas** and CB **Amechi Uzodinma II**.

Ball State's offense led the MAC in both scoring (34.8 ppg) and total offense (463 ypg) last fall. In 2020, the Cardinals' roster features the nation's active career receptions leader in **Justin Hall** (226), the MAC's second-leading active rusher in **Caleb Huntley** (2,902 yards) and the league's top returning passer in **Drew Plitt** (243.2 ypg in 2019).

NEW COACHING FACES

• Two new full time assistant coaches are on this year's staff -- **Joey Hecklinski** (QBs) and **Josh Zidenberg** (Passing Game Coordinator/DBs). Hecklinski was a graduate assistant for BSU last fall. Zidenberg worked with defensive coordinator **Tyler Stockton** at Western Illinois in 2018. He was the special teams coordinator/safeties coach at William & Mary in 2019.

PRO CARDINALS

BSU has six alumni on professional rosters, including three with NFL teams ...

NFL	Yrs Pro	Team (Pos)
Willie Snead IV	6	Baltimore (WR)
Danny Pinter+	1	Indianapolis (OL)
Ray Wilborn	1	Pittsburgh (LB)*

CFL (season canceled)	Yrs Pro	Team (Pos)
Jonathan Newsome^	7	BC (DL)
Jordan Williams-Lambert^	5	Saskatchewan (WR)
Josh Miller	1	Winnipeg (CB)

+2020 Draft (5th round)

*practice squad

^formerly with NFL teams



Willie Snead IV

GAMES STARTED

Offense	Pos	2020	Strk	Tot
Curtis Blackwell	OL	3	25	33
Justin Hall	WR	3	3	24
Kaleb Slaven	OL	2	1	24
Drew Plitt	QB	3	18	21
Caleb Huntley	RB	3	10	21
Antwan Davis	WR	2	2	20
Cody Rudy	FB	3	3	13
Luke Martin	OL	0	0	10
Anthony Todd	OL	3	3	6
Joseph Boggs	OL	3	4	5
Yo'Heinz Tyler	WR	3	3	4
Jaylen Turner	OL	3	3	3
Porter Haught	OL	1	0	1
Dylan Koch	TE	1	0	1
Luke Endsley	WR	0	0	1
Hassan Littles	WR	0	0	1

Defense	Pos	2020	Strk	Tot
Bryce Cosby	S	3	26	38
Christian Albright	OLB	3	30	30
Jaylin Thomas	ILB	3	15	24
Antonio Phillips	CB	3	3	24
Amechi Uzodinma II	CB	2	2	17
Brandon Martin	ILB	3	3	14
Brett Anderson II	S	3	3	13
Jordan Williams	OLB	2	0	13
James Jennette III	DL	0	0	12
Chris Agyemang	DL	3	3	3
Nic Jones	CB	1	0	3
Jimmy Daw	OLB	0	0	3
Justen Ramsey	DL	2	2	2
Jack Sape	DL	2	0	2
Anthony Ekpe	OLB	1	1	1
J.T. Wahee	S	1	1	1
Emeka Jillani	DL	1	0	1
Kendal Kendrick	DL	0	0	1
Tyler 'Red' Potts	CB	0	0	1

LEADERSHIP COUNCIL

Ball State's Leadership Council is selected each year by a player vote. The leadership council serves a critical role as the voice of the team and a sounding board for the coaching staff. This year's Leadership Council includes 14 players:

- Christian Albright, Sr., OLB
- Curtis Blackwell, Sr., OL
- Clayton Coll, So., ILB
- Bryce Cosby, Sr., S
- Antwan Davis, Gr., WR
- Jimmy Daw, R-Jr., ILB
- Tye Evans, R-So., RB
- Joseph Greenwood, Sr., LS
- Caleb Huntley, Sr., RB
- Brandon Martin, R-Jr., ILB
- Antonio Phillips, Sr., CB
- Drew Plitt, R-Sr., QB
- Cody Rudy, R-Sr., FB
- Jaylin Thomas, R-Sr., ILB

TOUGH CARDINALS

For three years now, the BSU football program has awarded a select group of nine players the "Tough Cardinal" distinction. These players, chosen by the staff, most exemplify the program's eight pillars of "tough" -- discipline, effort, attitude, passion, competitive toughness, physical toughness, perseverance and influence on others. They earn a "TC" patch to wear on their jerseys.

This year's group features five repeat members from last year and two -- Brandon Martin and Bryce Cosby -- who have earned the distinction in all three years of its existence.

2020 TOUGH CARDINALS (in order)

1. Brandon Martin**, R-Jr., ILB
2. Curtis Blackwell, Sr., OL
3. Bryce Cosby**, Sr., S
4. Drew Plitt*, R-Sr., QB
5. Antonio Phillips, Sr., CB
6. Christian Albright*, Sr., OLB
7. Caleb Huntley, Sr., RB
8. Antwan Davis*, Gr., WR
9. Jaylin Thomas, R-Sr., ILB

*indicates second on list

**indicates third year on list



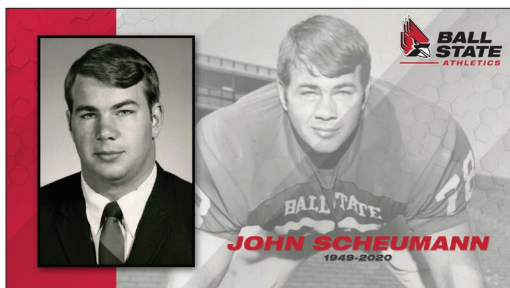
REMEMBERING MR. SCHEUMANN

►► Ball State lost a distinguished benefactor and former letterwinner with the October passing at age 71 of John Scheumann who, along with his wife June, is the namesake of Scheumann Stadium.

The Scheumanns provided the \$4 million lead gift in the 2005 to "Drive to Distinction: The Ball State Stadium Campaign" for major stadium renovations.

They also provided the lead gift for the Scheumann Family Indoor Practice Facility, scheduled to open in the summer of 2021, and generously contributed to the Fisher Football Training Complex and the original turf field at what is now the Briner Sports Complex.

A defensive back from 1969-70 and co-founder of the Crossmann Communities homebuilding company, Scheumann was honored with the Ball State Distinguished Alumni Award in 1998 and the President's Medal of Distinction in 2010.

**GAINBRIDGE FIELD AT SCHEUMANN STADIUM**

►► Starting with last season, the field inside Scheumann Stadium now bears the Gainbridge logo in recognition of company executive and Ball State alumnus, Dan Towriss, '94. The playing surface is known as Gainbridge Field at Scheumann Stadium.

Towriss provided a generous gift toward the construction of the Scheumann Family Indoor Practice Facility. Gainbridge is a member of Group 1001, an insurance holding company with \$36 billion in combined managed assets and a mission to help investors grow and protect their savings.

BACK AT IT

►► The MAC Council of Presidents, on the recommendation of the Medical Advisory Panel, voted unanimously on Sept. 25 to resume the fall season. The season was originally postponed on Aug. 8 -- just three days into Ball State's fall camp -- because of concerns surrounding the COVID-19 pandemic. The Cardinals' six opponents in the revised, conference-only schedule include their five fellow West Division teams and Miami.

CHARTING THE OFFENSE

	2020	Career
100-Yard Rushing Games		
Caleb Huntley	3	13
300-Yard Passing Games		
Drew Plitt	1	6
100-Yard Receiving Games		
Justin Hall	1	5
Antwan Davis	1	1
Yo'Heinz Tyler	1	1

SCHEUMANN FAMILY INDOOR PRACTICE FACILITY

►► Ball State broke ground in the spring of 2020 on the Scheumann Family Indoor Practice Facility on the south end of Scheumann Stadium.

The 84,000 square-foot facility will feature a field-turf surface measuring 360 feet by 160 feet and regulation-sized competition field with a ceiling height of 65 feet. Retractable netting, batting cages and storage will provide the necessary amenities for BSU teams to conduct training.

The anticipated opening date for the \$15-million building is Summer 2021.

**CHARTING THE DEFENSE**

	2020	Career
10+ Tackles Games		
Jaylin Thomas	3	7
Brandon Martin	3	5
Bryce Cosby	1	5
Jimmy Daw	1	1
Christian Albright	0	1
Brett Anderson II	0	1
Multiple Sack Games		
Anthony Ekpe	1	1
James Jennette	0	1
Jordan Williams	0	1
Jaylin Thomas	0	1

BSU CAREER CHARTS**Career Receptions**

1.	244	KeVonn Mabon, 2012-16
2.	238	Dante Ridgeway, 2002-04
3.	226	Justin Hall, 2017-present
4.	223	Willie Snead, 2011-13
5.	213	Briggs Orsbon, 2008-11

Career Receiving Yards

1.	3,030	Dante Ridgeway, 2002-04
2.	2,991	Willie Snead, 2011-13
3.	2,862	KeVonn Mabon, 2012-16
4.	2,778	Dante Love, 2005-08
5.	2,723	Jordan Williams, 2012-15
6.	2,473	Darius Hill, 2005-08
7.	2,359	Justin Hall, 2017-present
8.	2,256	Deon Chester, 1984-87
9.	2,218	Briggs Orsbon, 2008-11
10.	2,111	Brian Oliver, 1991-94

Career Passing Yards

1.	11,402	Keith Wenning, 2010-13
2.	9,233	Nate Davis, 2006-08
3.	7,393	Riley Neal, 2015-18
4.	6,271	Mike Neu, 1990-93
5.	5,902	Talmadge Hill, 2000-03
6.	5,111	Drew Plitt, 2017-present
7.	4,730	David Riley, 1986-89
8.	4,550	Wade Kosakowski, 1985-87
9.	4,292	Joey Lynch, 2003-06
10.	4,256	Brent Baldwin, 1993-96

Career Passing Touchdowns

1.	92	Keith Wenning, 2010-13
2.	74	Nate Davis, 2006-08
3.	46	Riley Neal, 2015-18
4.	44	Talmadge Hille, 2000-03
5.	43	Mike Neu, 1990-93
6.	37	Drew Plitt, 2017-present
	37	Joey Lynch, 2003-06
8.	36	Dave Wilson, 1976-79
9.	35	Brent Baldwin, 1993-96
10.	25	David Riley, 1986-89
	25	Willard Rice, 1968-70

Career Rushing Yards

1.	4,558	Jahwan Edwards, 2011-14
2.	4,002	Marcus Merriweather, 1999-2002
3.	3,748	MiQuale Lewis, 2006-10
4.	3,483	Bernie Parmalee, 1987-90
5.	3,080	LeAndre Moore, 1995-98
6.	3,051	Michael Blair, 1993-96
7.	2,902	Caleb Huntley, 2017-present
8.	2,806	James Gilbert, 2015-18
9.	2,725	Corey Croom, 1989-92
10.	2,209	Amos Van Pelt, 1966-68

Career Rushing Touchdowns

1.	51	Jahwan Edwards, 2011-14
2.	34	Marcus Merriweather, 1999-2002
3.	31	MiQuale Lewis, 2006-10
	31	Michael Blair, 1993-96
5.	30	James Gilbert, 2015-18
	30	Mark Bornholdt, 1978-81
7.	26	Bernie Parmalee, 1987-90
8.	23	Amos Van Pelt, 1966-68
9.	22	Fred Kehoe, 1947-49
10.	21	Caleb Huntley, 2017-present
	21	Art Yarocho, 1973-76

Numerical

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown (Prev. School)
0	Chris Agyemang	DL	6-4	275	Gr.	Billerica, Mass. (Sacred Heart Univ.)
0	Jalen McGaughy	WR	6-2	217	R-Fr.	Detroit, Mich. (Martin Luther King HS)
1	Antwan Davis	WR	5-11	204	Gr.	St. John, Ind. (Lincoln Univ. (Mo.))
2	Caleb Huntley	RB	5-10	229	Sr.	Atlanta, Ga. (Locust Grove HS)
3	Amechi Uzodinma II	CB	6-0	193	Jr.	Orlando, Fla. (University HS)
4	Trevor Hohlt	WR	5-11	186	R-Jr.	Greenwood, Ind. (Center Grove HS)
5	Bryce Cosby	S	5-10	181	Sr.	Louisville, Ky. (duPont Manual HS)
5	John Paddock	QB	5-11	196	R-So.	Bloomfield Hills, Mich. (Bloomfield Hills HS)
6	Jaylin Thomas	ILB	6-1	235	R-Sr.	Lima, Ohio (Lima Senior HS)
6	Yo'Heinz Tyler	WR	6-3	204	Jr.	New Orleans, La. (Warren Easton HS)
7	Brandon Martin	ILB	6-0	232	R-Jr.	Indianapolis, Ind. (Lawrence North HS)
8	Cody Rudy	FB	5-11	245	R-Sr.	Middletown, Ind. (Shenandoah HS)
9	Christian Albright	OLB	6-2	240	Sr.	Kennesaw, Ga. (North Cobb HS)
9	Drew Plitt	QB	6-2	217	R-Sr.	Loveland, Ohio (Loveland HS)
10	Elliot Charlebois	QB	6-2	200	R-Jr.	Noblesville, Ind. (Carmel HS)
10	Ben Stewart	S	5-10	208	R-Jr.	Indianapolis, Ind. (Boston College)
11	Justin Hall	WR	5-9	186	Sr.	Douglasville, Ga. (Alexander HS)
11	Derin McCulley	CB	6-0	170	R-Fr.	Indianapolis, Ind. (Lawrence North HS)
12	Isaac James-Gray	WR	6-0	192	Gr.	Carmel, Ind. (Indiana Univ.)
12	Mark Nondorf	QB	6-3	208	R-Fr.	Indianapolis, Ind. (Bishop Chatard HS)
13	Qian Magwood	WR	5-11	174	Fr.	Hilltop, Ohio (Walnut Ridge HS)
13	Jordan Williams	OLB	6-4	240	R-Jr.	Champaign, Ill. (Centennial HS)
14	Eddie Schott	QB	6-4	219	R-Fr.	Indianapolis, Ind. (Southport HS)
14	J.T. Wahee	S	6-0	193	Gr.	Norfolk, Va. (Norfolk State Univ.)
15	Lucas Borrow	P	6-0	175	Fr.	Newcastle, NSW, Australia (Cardiff HS)
15	Tyler 'Red' Potts	CB	5-10	182	R-So.	Columbus, Ohio (Pickerington North HS)
16	Cam Gillentine	QB	5-11	195	R-Fr.	Muncie, Ind. (Muncie Central HS)
16	Hassan Littles	WR	5-10	182	Sr.	Lithonia, Ga. (Stephenson HS)
17	Nic Jones	CB	6-0	185	So.	Detroit, Mich. (Southfield A&T HS)
18	Demetrius Murray	S	6-1	189	R-Jr.	Lawrenceville, Ga. (Grayson HS)
19	Connor Grohman	QB	6-1	199	Fr.	Muskego, Wis. (Muskego HS)
20	Myles Hannah	S	5-11	193	R-So.	Stone Mountain, Ga. (Stephenson HS)
20	Donny Marcus	RB	5-10	180	Fr.	Brownsburg, Ind. (Brownsburg HS)
21	Jake Chanove	K	5-6	173	R-Jr.	Metairie, La. (Jesuit HS)
21	Antonio Phillips	CB	6-0	191	Sr.	St. Louis, Mo. (Kirkwood HS)
22	Jack Blanco	S	6-1	196	Jr.	San Diego, Calif. (San Diego Mesa College)
22	Kyrin Perry	RB	5-9	186	R-Fr.	Oswego, Ill. (Aurora Christian HS)
23	Brett Anderson II	S	6-0	190	Sr.	Grand Blanc, Mich. (Grand Blanc HS)
23	Markavun Brownlee	RB	5-11	229	Fr.	Elkhart, Ind. (Elkhart Central HS)
24	Will Jones	RB	5-10	208	R-Jr.	Anderson, Ind. (Lapel HS)
25	Dean Tate	WR	5-8	168	R-So.	Indianapolis, Ind. (Purdue Univ. NW)
26	Ethan Merriweather	CB	6-0	182	R-Jr.	Carmel, Ind. (Carmel HS)
27	Jimmy Daw	ILB	6-3	239	R-Jr.	Medina, Ohio (Medina HS)
28	Malcolm Lee	S	6-1	183	Jr.	Mobile, Ala. (Baker HS)
29	Harold Jones	S	5-10	190	R-Fr.	Indianapolis, Ind. (Lawrence North HS)
30	Tye Evans	RB	6-0	240	R-So.	Macedonia, Ohio (Nordonia HS)
31	Anthony Ekpe	OLB	6-1	235	Gr.	Pflugerville, Texas (Rice Univ.)
31	Tyrese Nibbs	P	6-2	181	R-Fr.	Indianapolis, Ind. (Ben Davis HS)
32	Clayton Coll	ILB	6-3	235	So.	Franklin, Ind. (Franklin Community HS)
33	Davion Tyson	OLB	6-3	208	R-So.	Delphos, Ohio (Delphos Jefferson HS)
34	Brayden Evans	S	6-1	207	Fr.	Camby, Ind. (Mooresville HS)
34	Jack Knight	K	5-11	166	R-Fr.	Noblesville, Ind. (Noblesville HS)
35	James Jennette III	DL	6-3	284	R-Sr.	Florissant, Mo. (Hazelwood West HS)
36	Jackson Kurth	RB	5-10	200	R-Fr.	Valparaiso, Ind. (Valparaiso HS)

Alphabetical

No.	Name	Pos.
0	Chris Agyemang	DL
9	Christian Albright	OLB
23	Brett Anderson II	S
51	Brandon Berger	OLB
62	Curtis Blackwell	OL
22	Jack Blanco	S
79	Joseph Boggs	OL
15	Lucas Borrow	P
45	Jimmie Boso	FB
23	Markavun Brownlee	RB
44	Brock Burns	OLB
37	Colin Caldwell	ILB
89	Justin Campbell	WR
47	Mitchell Carter	TE
21	Jake Chanove	K
10	Elliot Charlebois	QB
32	Clayton Coll	ILB
5	Bryce Cosby	S
80	Chris Crothers	TE
54	Ethan Crowe	OL
1	Antwan Davis	WR
27	Jimmy Daw	ILB
48	Isaiah Dunnuck	TE
41	Ben Egenolf	S
31	Anthony Ekpe	OLB
55	Dalton Elrod	ILB
83	Luke Endsley	WR
34	Brayden Evans	S
30	Tye Evans	RB
16	Cam Gillentine	QB
45	Joseph Greenwood	LS
42	Hank Grenda	ILB
19	Connor Grohman	QB
11	Justin Hall	WR
20	Myles Hannah	S
97	John Harris	DL
74	Porter Haught	OL
54	Sam Helm	OLB
86	Austin Hill	WR
4	Trevor Hohlt	WR
2	Caleb Huntley	RB
12	Isaac James-Gray	WR
35	James Jennette III	DL
95	Emeka Jillani	DL
29	Harold Jones	S
17	Nic Jones	CB
24	Will Jones	RB
92	Kendal Kendrick	DL
34	Jack Knight	K
88	Dylan Koch	TE
36	Jackson Kurth	RB
28	Malcolm Lee	S
46	Jacob Lewis	K
81	Ryan Lezon	TE

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No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown (Prev. School)
37	Colin Caldwell	ILB	5-11	224	R-Fr.	Westfield, Ind. (Westfield HS)
38	Nathan Snyder	P	6-4	225	Sr.	Marysville, Ohio (Marysville HS)
38	Jerwuan Thomas	CB	5-10	175	R-Fr.	Huntsville, Ala. (Grissom HS)
39	Nate Pedraza	OLB	6-2	239	Fr.	Rolling Meadows, Ill. (Rolling Meadows HS)
40	Cole Pearce	ILB	6-1	222	R-So.	Mason, Ohio (William Mason HS)
41	Ben Egenolf	S	5-9	191	R-Fr.	Avon, Indiana (Cardinal Ritter HS)
42	Hank Grenda	ILB	6-0	226	R-Jr.	Westfield, Ind. (Westfield HS)
43	Wes Obermeier	TE	6-5	247	R-So.	Fort Branch, Ind. (Gibson Southern HS)
44	Brock Burns	OLB	6-3	229	R-Jr.	Fishers, Ind. (Hamilton Southeastern HS)
45	Jimmie Boso	FB	5-11	225	R-So.	Indianapolis, Ind. (Bishop Chatard HS)
45	Joseph Greenwood	LS	5-11	213	Sr.	Delaware, Ohio (Worthington Christian HS)
46	Jacob Lewis	K	6-2	207	Fr.	Delaware, Ohio (Olentangy Berlin HS)
47	Mitchell Carter	TE	6-0	235	R-So.	Huntingburg, Ind. (Southridge HS)
48	Isaiah Dunnuck	TE	6-3	240	R-So.	Fishers, Ind. (Cincinnati Christian Univ.)
49	Dylan Seiler	LS	6-0	240	Fr.	Delaware, Ohio (Rutherford B. Hayes HS)
50	Seth Schmidt	OL	6-5	292	R-Fr.	Wilmington, Ohio (Clinton-Massie HS)
51	Brandon Berger	OLB	6-4	247	Fr.	Indianapolis, Ind. (Roncalli HS)
52	Tavion Woodard	DL	6-4	259	R-Fr.	West Lafayette, Ind. (West Lafayette HS)
53	Jaylen Turner	OL	6-3	321	R-So.	Indianapolis, Ind. (Arsenal Tech HS)
54	Ethan Crowe	OL	6-5	307	Fr.	Bargersville, Ind. (Center Grove HS)
54	Sam Helm	OLB	6-0	208	R-Jr.	Bloomington, Ind. (Bloomington HS South)
55	Dalton Elrod	ILB	6-2	229	Fr.	Hartland, Wis. (Arrowhead HS)
56	Keionté Newson	OLB	6-2	190	Fr.	Murfreesboro, Tenn. (Blackman HS)
57	Aaron Porter	OL	6-4	331	Fr.	Independence, Mo. (Truman HS)
57	Nathan Reichert	DL	6-3	261	Fr.	Lewistown, Ohio (Indian Lake HS)
61	Javon Rodgers	OL	6-1	253	R-Fr.	Indianapolis, Ind. (Cardinal Ritter HS)
62	Curtis Blackwell	OL	6-5	315	Sr.	Uniondale, Ind. (Norwell HS)
63	Tommy Lorincz	OL	6-5	287	Fr.	Avon, Ohio (Avon HS)
65	Matt Phillips	OL	6-1	303	R-Fr.	Clarksville, Ohio (Clinton-Massie HS)
67	Justen Ramsey	DL	5-11	298	So.	Merrillville, Ind. (Merrillville HS)
70	Caleb Murray	OL	6-5	255	R-So.	Prospect, Ky. (Trinity HS)
71	Kevin Meeder	OL	6-5	300	Fr.	Portersville, Pa. (Seneca Valley HS)
72	Anthony Todd	OL	6-3	304	R-Sr.	Yorktown, Ind. (Yorktown HS)
73	Patrick Lyons	OL	6-2	293	R-Fr.	Beech Grove, Ind. (Seccina Memorial HS)
74	Porter Haught	OL	6-4	290	R-Fr.	Fort Wayne, Ind. (Homestead HS)
75	Corey Stewart	OL	6-6	322	Fr.	Nashville, Tenn. (East Nashville HS)
76	Luke Martin	OL	6-3	307	R-So.	Fishers, Ind. (Fishers HS)
77	Kaleb Slaven	OL	6-4	284	R-Sr.	Muncie, Ind. (Delta HS)
78	Julian McBride	DL	6-2	270	Fr.	Cape Girardeau, Mo. (Chaminade College Prep)
79	Joseph Boggs	OL	6-4	300	R-So.	Reynoldsburg, Ohio (Reynoldsburg HS)
80	Chris Crothers	TE	6-5	237	R-Jr.	Mishawaka, Ind. (College of DuPage)
81	Ryan Lezon	TE	6-1	214	Fr.	Indianapolis, Ind. (Southport HS)
83	Luke Endsley	WR	5-8	170	R-Jr.	Cape Coral, Fla. (Ida S. Baker HS)
86	Austin Hill	WR	6-2	185	Fr.	Muncie, Ind. (Yorktown, Ind.)
88	Dylan Koch	TE	6-4	266	R-Sr.	Plainfield, Ill. (Plainfield East HS)
89	Justin Campbell	WR	6-4	185	Fr.	Suwanee, Ga. (Johns Creek HS)
90	Joshua Tarango	DL	6-2	289	So.	Anaheim Hills, Calif. (Fullerton College)
91	Tony Schott	OLB	6-1	223	R-So.	Indianapolis, Ind. (Roncalli HS)
92	Kendal Kendrick	DL	6-1	275	R-Jr.	Indianapolis, Ind. (Franklin Central HS)
93	Kyron Mims	DL	6-3	293	R-Fr.	Baton Rouge, La. (Woodlawn HS)
94	Jack Sape	DL	6-4	292	R-So.	Bloomfield Hills, Mich. (Bloomfield Hills HS)
95	Emeka Jillani	DL	6-1	302	R-So.	London, England (Lutheran (Ind.) HS)
97	John Harris	DL	6-2	264	R-Fr.	Greenwood, Ind. (Roncalli HS)
99	Solvahn Moreland	DL	6-3	315	R-Fr.	Aliquippa, Pa. (Aliquippa Senior HS)

Alphabetical (cont.)

No.	Name	Pos.
16	Hassan Littles	WR
63	Tommy Lorincz	OL
73	Patrick Lyons	OL
13	Qian Magwood	WR
20	Donny Marcus	RB
7	Brandon Martin	ILB
76	Luke Martin	OL
78	Julian McBride	DL
11	Derin McCulley	CB
0	Jalen McGaughy	WR
71	Kevin Meeder	OL
26	Ethan Merriweather	CB
93	Kyron Mims	DL
99	Solvahn Moreland	DL
70	Caleb Murray	OL
18	Demetrius Murray	S
56	Keionté Newson	OLB
31	Tyrese Nibbs	P
12	Mark Nondorf	QB
43	Wes Obermeier	TE
5	John Paddock	QB
40	Cole Pearce	ILB
39	Nate Pedraza	OLB
22	Kyrin Perry	RB
21	Antonio Phillips	CB
65	Matt Phillips	OL
9	Drew Plitt	QB
57	Aaron Porter	OL
15	Tyler 'Red' Potts	CB
67	Justen Ramsey	DL
57	Nathan Reichert	DL
61	Javon Rodgers	OL
8	Cody Rudy	FB
94	Jack Sape	DL
50	Seth Schmidt	OL
14	Eddie Schott	QB
91	Tony Schott	OLB
49	Dylan Seiler	LS
77	Kaleb Slaven	OL
38	Nathan Snyder	P
10	Ben Stewart	S
75	Corey Stewart	OL
90	Joshua Tarango	DL
25	Dean Tate	WR
6	Jaylin Thomas	ILB
38	Jerwuan Thomas	CB
72	Anthony Todd	OL
53	Jaylen Turner	OL
6	Yo'Heinz Tyler	WR
33	Davion Tyson	OLB
3	Amechi Uzodinma II	CB
14	J.T. Wahee	S
13	Jordan Williams	OLB
52	Tavion Woodard	DL

OFFENSE

Pos.	No.	Name (Ht., Wt., Yr., Hometown)
QB	9	Drew Plitt (6-2, 217, R-Sr., Loveland, Ohio)
	5	John Paddock (5-11, 196, R-So., Bloomfield Hills, Mich.)
RB	2	Caleb Huntley (5-10, 229, Sr., Atlanta, Ga.)
	24	Will Jones (5-10, 208, R-Jr., Anderson, Ind.)
WR	6	Yo'Heinz Tyler (6-3, 204, Jr., New Orleans, La.)
	0	Jalen McGaughy (6-2, 217, R-Fr., Detroit, Mich.)
WR	11	Justin Hall (5-9, 186, Sr., Douglasville, Ga.)
	16	Hassan Littles (5-10, 181, Sr., Lithonia, Ga.)
WR	1	Antwan Davis (5-11, 204, Gr., St. John, Ind.)
	12	Isaac James-Gray (6-0, 192, Gr., Carmel, Ind.)
TE	88	Dylan Koch (6-4, 266, R-Sr., Plainfield, Ill.)
	43	Wes Obermeier (6-5, 247, R-So., Fort Branch, Ind.)
FB	8	Cody Rudy (5-11, 245, R-Sr., Middletown, Ind.)
	81	Ryan Lezon (6-1, 214, Fr., Indianapolis, Ind.)
LT	77	Kaleb Slaven (6-4, 284, R-Sr., Muncie, Ind.)
	74	Porter Haught (6-4, 290, R-Fr., Fort Wayne, Ind.)
LG	79	Joseph Boggs (6-4, 300, R-So., Reynoldsburg, Ohio)
	73	Patrick Lyons (6-2, 293, R-Fr., Beech Grove, Ind.)
C	72	Anthony Todd (6-3, 304, R-Sr., Yorktown, Ind.)
	54	Ethan Crowe (6-5, 307, Fr., Bargersville, Ind.)
RG	53	Jaylen Turner (6-3, 321, R-So., Indianapolis, Ind.)
	63	Tommy Lorincz (6-5, 287, Fr., Avon, Ohio)
RT	62	Curtis Blackwell (6-5, 315, Sr., Uniondale, Ind.)
	50	Seth Schmidt (6-5, 292, R-Fr., Wilmington, Ohio)

DEFENSE

Pos.	No.	Name (Ht., Wt., Yr., Hometown)
DE	0	Chris Agyemang (6-4, 275, Gr., Billerica, Mass.)
	92	Kendal Kendrick (6-1, 275, R-Jr., Indianapolis, Ind.)
NT	67	Justen Ramsey (5-11, 298, So., Merrillville, Ind.)
	90	Joshua Tarango (6-2, 289, So., Anaheim Hills, Calif.)
DE	94	Jack Sape (6-4, 292, R-So., Bloomfield Hills, Mich.)
	95	Emeka Jillani (6-1, 302, R-So., London, England)
SLB	13	Jordan Williams (6-4, 240, R-Jr., Champaign, Ill.)
	44	Brock Burns (6-3, 229, R-Jr., Fishers, Ind.)
MLB	7	Brandon Martin (6-0, 232, R-Jr., Indianapolis, Ind.)
	32	Clayton Coll (6-3, 235, So., Franklin, Ind.)
WLB	6	Jaylin Thomas (6-1, 235, R-Sr., Lima, Ohio)
	27	Jimmy Daw (6-3, 239, R-Jr., Medina, Ohio)
OLB	9	Christian Albright (6-2, 240, Sr., Kennesaw, Ga.)
	31	Anthony Ekpe (6-1, 235, Gr., Pflugerville, Texas)
CB	21	Antonio Phillips (6-0, 191, Sr., St. Louis, Mo.)
	17	Nic Jones (6-0, 185, So., Detroit, Mich.)
SS	23	Brett Anderson II (6-0, 190, Sr., Grand Blanc, Mich.)
	14	J.T. Wahee (6-0, 184, Gr., Norfolk, Va.)
FS	5	Bryce Cosby (5-10, 181, Sr., Louisville, Ky.)
	22	Jack Blanco (6-1, 196, Jr., San Diego, Calif.)
CB	3	Amechi Uzodinma II (6-0, 193, Jr., Orlando, Fla.)
	15	Tyler 'Red' Potts (5-10, 182, R-So., Columbus, Ohio)

SPECIALISTS

Pos.	No.	Name (Ht., Wt., Yr., Hometown)
K	34	Jack Knight (5-11, 166, R-Fr., Noblesville, Ind.)
	-or- 46	Jacob Lewis (6-2, 207, Fr., Delaware, Ohio)
P	38	Nathan Snyder (6-4, 225, Sr., Marysville, Ohio)
	15	Lucas Borrow (6-0, 175, Fr., Newcastle, NSW, Australia)
LS	45	Joseph Greenwood (5-11, 213, Sr., Delaware, Ohio)
	49	Dylan Seiler (6-0, 240, Fr., Delaware, Ohio)
HO	38	Nathan Snyder (6-4, 225, Sr., Marysville, Ohio)
	9	Drew Plitt (6-2, 217, R-Sr., Loveland, Ohio)

Pos.	No.	Name (Ht., Wt., Yr., Hometown)
KO	46	Jacob Lewis (6-2, 207, Fr., Delaware, Ohio)
	-or- 34	Jack Knight (5-11, 166, R-Fr., Noblesville, Ind.)
KR	11	Justin Hall (5-9, 186, Sr., Douglasville, Ga.)
	3	Amechi Uzodinma II (6-0, 193, Jr., Orlando, Fla.)
-or-	12	Isaac James-Gray (6-0, 192, Gr., Carmel, Ind.)
PR	11	Justin Hall (5-9, 186, Sr., Douglasville, Ga.)
	3	Amechi Uzodinma II (6-0, 193, Jr., Orlando, Fla.)

Pronunciation Guide

Chris Agyemang	ADJ-uh-min
Jimmie Boso	BOH-soh
Markavun Brownlee	mar-KAY-vee-un
Jake Chanove	shuh-NOVE
Elliot Charlebois	SHAHR-lih-boy
Clayton Coll	CALL
Anthony Ekpe	ECK-pay
Cam Gillentine	GILL-en-tine
Emeka Jillani	EM-uh-kah jill-AHN-ee
Dylan Koch	COOK
Ryan Lezon	leh-ZON

Hassan Littles	hah-SAHN
Tommy Lorincz	Lawrence
Qian Magwood	KEE-on
Jalen McGaughy	mc-GOY
Solvauhn Moreland	SOLE-vauhn
Keionté Newson	kee-ON-tay
Wes Obermeier	OH-ber-my-er
Nate Pedraza	ped-RAH-zah
Nathan Reichert	RIKE-ert
Javon Rodgers	juh-VON
Dylan Seiler	SY-ler

Davion Tyson	day-vee-ON
Amechi Uzodinma	ah-MAY-chee
	oo-zoh-DIN-mah
J.T. Wahee	WAH-HEE
Tavion Woodard	tay-vee-ON

Coaches	
Mike Neu	NEW
Mike Dietzel	DEET-zel
Josh Zidenberg	ZY-den-berg



#0 | Jalen McGaughy | WR | No career stats

R-Fr., 6-2, 217, Detroit, Mich. (Martin Luther King)
Redshirted in '19 ... saw action in 4 games at receiver & on special teams ... 3-star recruit via 247Sports ... state champion & 2nd-team all-state as a HS senior ... finished with 14 career TDs ... member of the 4x200-meter relay state championship team.

Career Highs (Receiving)

Rec:	--	--
Yds:	--	--
Long:	--	--
TDs:	--	--

Career Highs (Rushing)

Att:	--	--
Yds:	--	--
Long:	--	--
TDs:	--	--



#1 | Antwan Davis | WR | 2020: 15 rec, 197 yds, 13.1 ypc, 1 TD | At BSU: 71 rec, 897 yds, 12.6 ypc, 4 TDs | Career: 116 rec, 1,574 yds, 13.6 ypc, 9 TDs

Gr., 5-11, 204, St. John, Ind. (Lake Central) (Lincoln Univ.)
1st 100-yard receiving game at BSU in the '20 opener at Miami ... 6th season of college football (4th at BSU) after being granted an additional year for a season-ending injury in '18 ... started all 12 games in '19, ranking 3rd on the team in receptions (38) & yards (516).

Career Highs (Receiving)

Rec:	11	vs Wm. Jewell, 11/7/15*
Yds:	215	vs Wm. Jewell, 11/7/15*
Long:	71	vs Wm. Jewell, 11/7/15*
TDs:	2	3x (Fordham, 9/7/19)

*at Lincoln Univ.

Career Highs (Rushing)

Att:	1	vs EMU, 11/11/20
Yds:	1	vs EMU, 11/11/20
Long:	1	vs EMU, 11/11/20
TDs:	--	--



#2 | Caleb Huntley | RB | 2020: 80 att, 437 yds, 5.5 ypc, 6 TDs | Career: 576 att, 2,902 yds, 5.0 ypc, 21 TDs

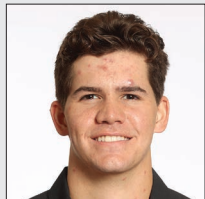
Sr., 5-10, 229, Atlanta, Ga. (Locust Grove) | Maxwell and Doak Walker Award watch lists ... All-MAC 2nd Team in '19 ... 13 touchdowns in past 7 games ... 5th-best BSU season with 1,275 rush yards in '19 ... 7th at BSU with 2,902 career yards ... 13 career 100-yard games (10 of last 11 games) ... 1 of 2 BSU freshmen with 1,000 rush yards (Bernie Parmalee).

Career Highs (Rushing)

Att:	35	at NIU, 10/5/19
Yds:	204	vs EMU, 11/11/20
Long:	54	at Kent St., 11/23/19
TDs:	3	2x (EMU, 11/11/20)

Career Highs (Receiving)

Rec:	2	2x (Indiana, 8/31/19)
Yds:	13	vs EMU, 11/11/20
Long:	13	vs EMU, 11/11/20
TDs:	--	--



#5 | John Paddock | QB | 2020: No stats | Career: 6-8 (75.0), 48 yds, 0 TDs, 0 INTs

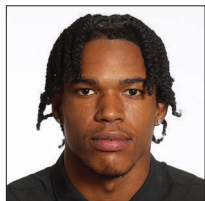
R-So., 5-11, 196, Bloomfield Hills, Mich. (Bloomfield Hills)
2nd season as No. 2 QB ... 2 appearances in '19 (Fordham & Toledo) ... redshirted in '18 but appeared in the Miami game, completing his 1st 5 passes for 43 yards ... winningest QB in Bloomfield Hills history & 1st to make the playoffs ... set school records for passing yards (4,086) and TDs (26).

Career Highs (Passing)

Comp:	5	at Miami, 11/20/18
Att:	6	at Miami, 11/20/18
Yds:	43	at Miami, 11/20/18
Long:	15	at Miami, 11/20/18
TDs:	--	--

Career Highs (Rushing)

Att:	2	at Miami, 11/20/18
Yds:	(-10)	at Miami, 11/20/18
Long:	0	at Miami, 11/20/18
TDs:	--	--



#6 | Yo'Heinz Tyler | WR | 2020: 19 rec, 238 yds, 12.5 ypc, 2 TDs | Career: 60 rec, 968 yds, 16.1 ypc, 9 TDs

Jr., 6-3, 204, New Orleans, La. (Warren Easton)
TDs in 2 straight games ... 3rd in MAC in catches (19) ... career-high 8 catches in '20 opener at Miami ... yards per catch average (18.7) in '19 ranks 5th on BSU single-season chart ... 4th on team in receptions (27) & yards (504) in '19 ... 1st 2 career catches went for TDs against Central Connecticut in '18.

Career Highs (Receiving)

Rec:	8	at Miami, 11/4/20
Yds:	108	vs NIU, 11/18/20
Long:	64	vs NIU, 11/18/20
TDs:	2	2x (Miami, 11/29/19)

Career Highs (Rushing)

Att:	--	--
Yds:	--	--
Long:	--	--
TDs:	--	--



#8 | Cody Rudy | FB | 2020: 3 rec, 31 yds, 10.3 ypc, 0 TDs | Career: 7 rec, 52 yds, 7.4 ypc, 1 TD

R-Sr., 5-11, 245, Middletown, Ind. (Shenandoah)
Catches in 2 straight games ... Academic All-MAC in '19 ... has played in 38 of 39 games over the past 4 seasons ... started 7 games in '19 & all 3 in '20 ... scored 1st career TD on a 3-yard catch against Fordham in '19 ... switched from linebacker to fullback as a redshirt freshman in '17.

Career Highs (Receiving)

Rec:	2	vs EMU, 11/11/20
Yds:	16	vs EMU, 11/11/20
Long:	15	vs NIU, 11/18/20
TDs:	1	vs Fordham, 9/7/19

Career Highs (Rushing)

Att:	--	--
Yds:	--	--
Long:	--	--
TDs:	--	--



#9 | Drew Plitt | QB | 2020: 58-88 (65.9), 755 yds, 4 TD, 3 INT | Career: 423-673 (62.9), 5,111 yds, 37 TDs, 21 INTs

R-Sr., 6-2, 217, Loveland, Ohio (Loveland) | Unitas Golden Arm & Manning Award watch lists ... 3x MAC West Off. Player of the Week ... 2x Academic All-MAC ... 6th all-time at BSU with 5,111 career pass yards & 37 TDs ... 2,918 pass yards in '19 rank 5th on BSU single-season chart ... tied Keith Wenning's school record with 6 TD passes vs. Fordham in '19.

Career Highs (Passing)

Comp:	35	at NC St., 9/21/19
Att:	57	at NC St., 9/21/19
Yds:	439	vs Fordham, 9/7/19
Long:	66	at Miami, 11/4/20
TDs:	6	vs Fordham, 9/7/19

Career Highs (Rushing)

Att:	14	at Miami, 11/4/20
Yds:	62	vs Miami, 11/29/19
Long:	51	vs FAU, 9/14/19
TDs:	2	at EMU, 10/12/19



#11 | Justin Hall | WR | 2020: 18 rec, 252 yds, 14.0 ypc, 1 TD, 1 rush TD | Career: 226 rec, 2,359 yds, 10.4 ypc, 10 TDs, 4 rush TDs

Sr., 5-9, 186, Douglasville, Ga. (Alexander) | 3x All-MAC (1st team in '19) ... ESPN.com & FWAA Freshman All-American in '17 (led all frosh with 78 catches) ... FBS active leader in career catches (226) ... catch in all 39 career games ... 3rd at BSU in career catches & 7th in yards (2,359) ... BSU catches leader all 3 seasons ... 2 career games with both receiving & rushing TD.

Career Highs (Receiving)

Rec:	13	at WMU, 9/30/17
Yds:	124	at Miami, 11/4/20
Long:	66	at Miami, 11/4/20
TDs:	2	vs CMU, 11/16/19

Career Highs (Rushing)

Att:	4	2x (EMU, 11/11/20)
Yds:	70	vs EMU, 11/11/20
Long:	34	vs EMU, 11/11/20
TDs:	1	4x (Miami, 11/4/20)

**#12 | Isaac James-Gray | WR | Career: No offensive stats (11 TKLS, 1 INT)****Gr., 6-0, 192, Carmel, Ind. (Carmel) (Indiana)**

Returned one kickoff in '20 opener at Miami ... grad transfer from Indiana in '19 ... season-ending injury in the '19 opener against his former school & granted another year ... moved from CB to WR this fall ... spent his 1st 2 seasons at IU at WR ... 2x all-state at Carmel where he played QB, RB, WR & DB.

Career Highs (Receiving)

Rec:	--	--
Yds:	--	--
Long:	--	--
TDs:	--	--

Career Highs (Rushing)

Att:	--	--
Yds:	--	--
Long:	--	--
TDs:	--	--

**#16 | Hassan Littles | WR | 2020: 1 rec, 15 yds, 0 TDs | Career: 15 rec, 136 yds, 9.1 ypc, 0 TDs****Sr., 5-10, 182, Lithonia, Ga. (Stephenson)**

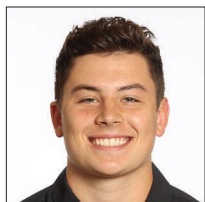
Appeared in all 27 games over the past 3 seasons on special teams & as a reserve receiver ... registered a career-high 3 catches against Fordham in '19.

Career Highs (Receiving)

Rec:	3	vs Fordham, 9/7/19
Yds:	29	vs Fordham, 9/7/19
Long:	17	at NC St., 9/21/19
TDs:	--	--

Career Highs (Rushing)

Att:	--	--
Yds:	--	--
Long:	--	--
TDs:	--	--

**#24 | Will Jones | RB | 2020: 9 att, 52 yds, 5.8 ypc, 0 TDs | Career: 39 att, 253 yds, 6.5 ypc, 1 TD****R-Jr., 5-10, 208, Anderson, Ind. (Lapel)**

Academic All-MAC in '18 & '19 ... BSU Scout Team Player of the Year in '18 ... former walk-on awarded a scholarship in '19 fall camp ... No. 2 RB this year after being utilized mainly as 3rd-down back in '19 ... recorded the MAC's longest run of '18, an 80-yard TD against EMU.

Career Highs (Rushing)

Att:	12	at Toledo, 10/31/18
Yds:	80	vs EMU, 10/20/18
Long:	80	vs EMU, 10/20/18
TDs:	1	vs EMU, 10/20/18

Career Highs (Receiving)

Rec:	3	vs FAU, 9/14/19
Yds:	16	vs Indiana, 8/31/19
Long:	11	vs Indiana, 8/31/19
TDs:	--	--

**#30 | Tye Evans | RB | 2020: 5 att, 60 yds, 12.0 ypc, 0 TDs | Career: 9 att, 107 yds, 11.9 ypc, 0 TDs****R-So., 6-0, 240, Macedonia, Ohio (Nordon)**

Academic All-MAC in '19 ... set career highs for carries (5) and yards (60) against NIU in '20 ... has 2 carries of more than 40 yards in his career ... key special teams player ... father Tyrone is former WWE wrestler Michael Tarver.

Career Highs (Rushing)

Att:	5	vs NIU, 11/18/20
Yds:	60	vs NIU, 11/18/20
Long:	46	vs NIU, 11/18/20
TDs:	--	--

Career Highs (Receiving)

Rec:	--	--
Yds:	--	--
Long:	--	--
TDs:	--	--

**#43 | Wes Obermeier | TE | No career stats****R-So., 6-5, 247, Fort Branch, Ind. (Gibson Southern)**

Redshirted in '18 & has appeared in 1 career game, vs. Toledo in '19 ... 3-star recruit via 247Sports ... all-state as a senior at Gibson Southern ... finished his prep career with 52 receptions for 1,458 yards & 12 TDs.

Career Highs (Receiving)

Rec:	--	--
Yds:	--	--
Long:	--	--
TDs:	--	--

**#81 | Ryan Lezon | TE | No career stats****Fr., 6-1, 214, Indianapolis, Ind. (Southport)**

2x 1st-team all-state & 3x all-conference selection at Southport ... saw action at TE, slot and QB ... played QB as a senior after graduation of now-BSU teammate Eddie Schott ... threw for 2,170 yards & 27 TDs in HS career ... ran for 650 yards & 7 TDs in '19 ... had 1,160 receiving yards & 15 TDs in '18.

Career Highs (Receiving)

Rec:	--	--
Yds:	--	--
Long:	--	--
TDs:	--	--

Career Highs (Rushing)

Att:	--	--
Yds:	--	--
Long:	--	--
TDs:	--	--

**#88 | Dylan Koch | TE | No career offensive stats****R-Sr., 6-4, 266, Plainfield, Ill. (Plainfield East)**

Moved back to TE this fall ... spent his first 3 seasons at TE before moving to OL in '19 ... has seen action in 26 games over the past 3 seasons.

Career Highs (Receiving)

Rec:	--	--
Yds:	--	--
Long:	--	--
TDs:	--	--

OFFENSIVE LINE



Kaleb Slaven
#77 | LT
R-Sr., 6-4, 284
Muncie, Ind.
(Delta)

Career GP: 24 | **Starts:** 24
Academic All-MAC in '17 & '19 ... 4th-year as starter at LT ... limited by injuries each season but has started all 24 games he has played.



Joseph Boggs
#79 | LG
R-So., 6-4, 300
Reynoldsburg, Ohio
(Reynoldsburg)

Career GP: 7 | **Starts:** 5
1st-year as full-time starter ... appeared in 4 games in '19 & started 2 at LT in place of an injured Kaleb Slaven.



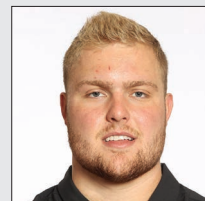
Anthony Todd
#72 | C
R-Sr., 6-3, 304
Yorktown, Ind.
(Yorktown)

Career GP: 18 | **Starts:** 6
Academic All-MAC in '19 ... appeared in 11 games in '19 & made 3 starts at center in place of an injured Andrew Poenitsch.



Jaylen Turner
#53 | RG
R-So., 6-3, 321
Indianapolis, Ind.
(Arsenal Tech)

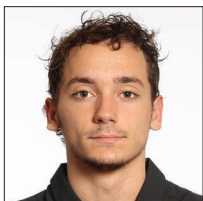
Career GP: 6 | **Starts:** 3
Made 1st career start in the '20 opener at Miami ... appeared in three games in '19 as a backup at RG.



Curtis Blackwell
#62 | RT
Sr., 6-5, 315
Uniondale, Ind.
(Norwell)

Career GP: 37 | **Starts:** 33
All-MAC 3rd Team in '19 ... Academic All-MAC in '18 & '19 ... entered starting lineup midway through freshman year ... moved to RT this year after making 28 of his first 30 starts at RG.

SPECIALISTS



#34 | Jack Knight | K | 2020: 4-7 FGs, 9-9 XPs | **Career:** 4-7 FGs, 9-9 XPs

R-Fr., 5-11, 166, Noblesville, Ind. (Noblesville)
Has hit last 4 of last 5 FGs ... debuted in '20 opener at Miami & hit 47-yard game-tying FG with 1:08 left ... 3-year letterwinner as kicker & punter at Noblesville ... 1st-team all-state as a junior & 2nd-team as a senior ... hit 8-of-10 FGs over final 2 HS seasons ... had an 81% touchback rate on kickoffs as a senior.

Career Highs (Field Goals)			
Made:	2	vs EMU, 11/11/20	
Att:	3	at Miami, 11/4/20	
Long:	47	at Miami, 11/4/20	

Career Highs (Kickoffs)			
KO:	--		--
Yds:	--		--
TB:	--		--

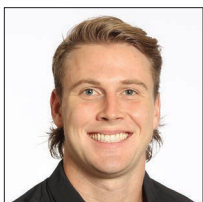


#46 | Jacob Lewis | K | 2020: 1-1 FGs, 19 KOs, 58.7 avg., 8 TBs, 0 OB | **Career:** 1-1 FGs, 19 KOs, 58.7 avg., 8 TBs, 0 OB

Fr., 6-2, 207, Delaware, Ohio (Olentangy Berlin)
Hit 51-yard FG in win over EMU ... debuted in '20 opener at Miami & booted touchbacks on 5 of 6 kickoffs ... 1st-team all-conference & 2nd-team all-state as a HS senior ... converted 15-of-22 FGs in HS career ... set Olentangy Berlin record with a 49-yard FG as a junior ... also lettered in baseball for two years.

Career Highs (Field Goals)			
Made:	1	vs EMU, 11/11/20	
Att:	1	vs EMU, 11/11/20	
Long:	51	vs EMU, 11/11/20	

Career Highs (Kickoffs)			
KO:	7	vs EMU, 11/11/20	
Yds:	390	at Miami, 11/4/20	
TB:	5	at Miami, 11/4/20	



#38 | Nathan Snyder | P | 2020: 8 punts, 45.1 avg., 4 FC, 3 Inside 20 | **Career:** 122 punts, 40.0 avg., 37 FC, 33 Inside 20

Sr., 6-4, 225, Marysville, Ohio (Marysville)
MAC leader in punting average (45.1) ... booted 60-yarder vs. NIU ... 11 punts of 50 yards or more in '19 ... career-best 62-yard punt in the '19 win over Toledo & had a pair of 50-plus yard punts at NC State ... landed 16 punts inside the 20-yard line & had only 3 touchbacks in '19 ... holder on field goals.

Career Highs			
Punts:	8	at WMU, 9/30/17	
Yds:	293	at Indiana, 9/15/18	
Long:	62	vs. Toledo, 10/19/19	



#45 | Joseph Greenwood | LS | 2020: No stats | **Career:** 1 TKL

Sr. 5-11, 213, Delaware, Ohio (Worthington Christian)
Academic All-MAC in '18 ... 4th season as long snapper for FGs & 3rd on punts ... threw for more than 1,000 yards at QB as a HS senior while also playing DE and LS.

Career Highs			
TKLS:	1	at Ohio, 10/25/18	
FF:	--		--
FR:	--		--

RETURN GAME

#11 Justin Hall

	Kickoffs					Punts				
	Att	Yds	TD	LG	Avg.	Att	Yds	TD	LG	Avg.
2020	9	222	0	42	24.7	3	(-2)	0	0	(-0.7)
Career	22	486	0	42	22.1	10	50	0	22	5.0

#12 Isaac James-Gray

	Kickoffs					Punts				
	Att	Yds	TD	LG	Avg.	Att	Yds	TD	LG	Avg.
2020	1	15	0	15	15.0	--	--	--	--	--
Career	1	15	0	15	15.0	--	--	--	--	--



#0 | Chris Agyemang | DL | 2020: 5 TKLS, 1.0 TFL, 0.5 SKS, 2 PBU | Career: 110 TKLS, 27.0 TFL, 14.5 SKS, 2 FF, 2 FR, 9 PBU

Gr., 6-4, 275, Billerica, Mass. (Proctor Academy [N.H.]) (Sacred Heart) | Grad transfer ... 2x All-NEC 1st Team at FCS Sacred Heart ... top 5 in the NEC in sacks in '18 & '19 ... 26.0 TFL and 14.0 sacks in 3 seasons of action ... his 7 PBU's led all NEC D-linemen in '19 ... '19 team captain at SHU & led the team in snaps played ... won share of the NEC title in '18.

Career Highs

TKLS:	9	at Wagner, 9/22/19*
TFL:	3.0	3x (Lehigh, 11/16/19)*
SKS:	2.0	4x (Lehigh, 11/16/19)*
FF:	1	2x (Lehigh, 11/16/19)*

FR:	1	2x (Duquesne, 11/10/18)*
INT:	--	--
PBU:	2	2x (LIU, 9/21/19)*

*at Sacred Heart



#3 | Amechi Uzodinma II | CB | 2020: 10 TKLS, 1 INT, 2 PBU, 1 TD | Career: 63 TKLS, 7 INT, 19 PBU, 1 TD

Jr., 6-0, 193, Orlando, Fla. (University) | Thorpe Award watch list ... All-MAC 2nd Team in '19 ... returned INT for TD against NIU in '20 (1st BSU pick-six since 2010) ... 7 career INTs are most on team ... tied for MAC lead & 7th nationally with 5 INTs in '19 ... 2nd in MAC with 12 PBU's in '19 ... has played all 27 games in his career & started 17 of the past 20.

Career Highs

TKLS:	9	at Kent St., 11/23/19
TFL:	--	--
SKS:	--	--
FF:	1	vs FAU, 9/14/19

FR:	1	at EMU, 10/12/19
INT:	2	vs Miami, 11/29/19
PBU:	3	at NIU, 10/5/19
TDs:	1	vs NIU, 11/18/20



#5 | Bryce Cosby | S | 2020: 23 TKLS, 1.0 TFL, 1 PBU | Career: 243 TKLS, 7.5 TFL, 6 INT, 2 FR

Sr., 5-10, 181, Louisville, Ky. (duPont Manual) Academic All-MAC in '18 & '19 ... has started 38 of the 39 games in his career ... second-leading active tackler in the MAC (243), one behind teammate Jaylin Thomas ... second-most INTs among active BSU players (6, tied with Phillips) ... intercepted passes in '19 at NC State & Eastern Michigan.

Career Highs

TKLS:	17	vs WMU, 11/13/18
TFL:	2.0	2x (WMU, 11/5/19)
SKS:	--	--
FF:	--	--

FR:	1	2x (WMU, 11/13/18)
INT:	1	6x (EMU, 10/12/19)
PBU:	2	vs CMU (11/16/19)



#6 | Jaylin Thomas | ILB | 2019: 33 TKLS, 3.0 TFL, 1.0 SKS, 1 PBU | Career: 244 TKLS, 19.5 TFL, 4.5 SKS, 1 FF, 1 FR, 1 INT

R-Sr., 6-1, 231, Lima, Ohio (Lima Senior) All-MAC 3rd Team in '19 ... MAC's leading active tackler with 244 in his career ... 2nd in career TFL among active BSU players with 19.5 ... 5th in the MAC in tackles in '20 (33) ... 37 career appearances with 23 starts, including starts in 15 straight ... 2nd on team with 97 tackles in '19 & 3rd with 76 in '18.

Career Highs

TKLS:	14	vs CMU, 11/16/19
TFL:	2.0	2x (NIU, 11/18/20)
SKS:	2.0	vs Kent St., 9/29/18
FF:	1	vs WKU, 9/22/18

FR:	1	vs CMU, 11/16/19
INT:	1	vs Kent St., 9/29/18
PBU:	1	4x (NC St., 9/21/19)



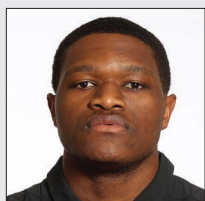
#7 | Brandon Martin | ILB | 2020: 37 TKLS, 1.5 TFL, 1 PBU | Career: 164 TKLS, 5.5 TFL, 1.0 SKS, 1 INT

R-Jr., 6-0, 230, Indianapolis, Ind. (Lawrence North) Wuerffel Trophy Watch List ... Mary Etta Taylor-Rose Service Award recipient from BSU Multicultural Center ... MAC's leading tackler (37) ... season-ending injury in '19 (granted extra year of eligibility) ... 14 starts in 28 career appearances ... 4th among active BSU players with 164 career tackles.

Career Highs

TKLS:	15	vs EMU, 11/11/20
TFL:	2.0	at Notre Dame, 9/8/19
SKS:	1.0	at Notre Dame, 9/8/19
FF:	--	--

FR:	--	--
INT:	1	at Toledo, 10/31/18
PBU:	1	at Miami, 11/4/2020



#9 | Christian Albright | OLB | 2020: 10 TKLS, 3.0 TFL, 1.0 SKS, 1 PBU | Career: 174 TKLS, 25.5 TFL, 12.0 SKS, 7 FF, 2 INT

Sr., 6-2, 234, Kennesaw, Ga. (North Cobb) All-MAC 3rd Team in '18 ... started all 27 games over the past 3 seasons ... BSU's active leader in TFL (25.5), sacks (12) and forced fumbles (7) ... career TFL total ranks 2nd among active MAC players ... led BSU with 10.5 TFL in '19 ... tied for MAC lead and ranked 9th nationally with 4 forced fumbles in '18.

Career Highs

TKLS:	14	vs WMU, 11/13/18
TFL:	3.0	vs Fordham, 9/7/19
SKS:	1.0	12x (Miami, 11/4/20)
FF:	1	7x (Ohio, 10/26/19)

FR:	1	at NIU, 10/5/19
INT:	1	2x (Ohio, 10/25/18)
PBU:	1	6x (Miami, 11/4/20)



#10 | Ben Stewart | S | 2020: No stats | Career: 3 TKLS

R-Jr., 5-10, 208, Indianapolis, Ind. (Cathedral) (Boston College) '19 BSU Scout Team Player of the Year (defense) ... now in his 4th year of college ... redshirted at Boston College in '17 before seeing action in '18 ... sat out '19 at BSU as a transfer ... 2-time all-state & 3-time state champion at Cathedral ... also a state-placing HS wrestler.

Career Highs

TKLS:	2	vs Holy Cross, 9/8/18*
TFL:	--	--
SKS:	--	--
FF:	--	--

FR:	--	--
INT:	--	--
PBU:	--	--

*at Boston College



#13 | Jordan Williams | OLB | 2020: 6 TKLS, 0.5 TFL, 1 FF, 3 QBH | Career: 44 TKLS, 11.5 TFL, 4.5 SKS, 3 FF, 3 FR

R-Jr., 6-4, 231, Champaign, Ill. (Centennial) Academic All-MAC in '18 & '19 ... forced fumble in the '20 opener at Miami ... starts in 13 of past 15 games ... led team in sacks (4.5), forced fumbles (2) & fumble recoveries (3) in '19 ... recovered fumbles on back-to-back FAU offensive snaps in '19 & returned the 1st 60 yards for a TD.

Career Highs

TKLS:	4	4x (EMU, 11/11/20)
TFL:	2.5	vs Toledo, 10/19/19
SKS:	2.5	vs Toledo, 10/19/19
FF:	1	3x (Miami, 11/4/2020)

FR:	2	vs FAU, 9/14/19
INT:	--	--
PBU:	1	at WMU, 11/5/19
TDs:	1	vs FAU, 9/14/19



#14 | J.T. Wahee | S | 2020: 10 TKLS, 1.0 TFL, 2 PBU | Career: 157 TKLS, 6.0 TFL, 1.0 SKS, 1 FR, 5 INT, 20 PBU

Gr., 6-0, 184, Norfolk, Va. (Lake Taylor) (Norfolk State)
2x All-MEAC at Norfolk State ... 1st career BSU start vs. NIU ...
4th in the MEAC with 11 passes defended in '18 ... led Norfolk
State with 4 INTs in '17 ... 96-yard fumble return TD vs. FAMU
in '17 ... spent '19 season redshirting at Western Illinois where
his brother George was on the team.

Career Highs

TKLS:	11	at Morgan St., 11/18/17*
TFL:	2.0	at Morgan St., 11/18/17*
SKS:	1.0	at NC Central, 10/21/17*
FF:	--	--

FR:	1	vs FAMU, 10/7/17*
INT:	2	vs NC A&T, 11/4/17*
PBU:	4	at NC A&T, 11/3/18*

*at Norfolk State



#15 | Tyler "Red" Potts | CB | 2020: No stats | Career: 14 TKLS, 1 INT, 2 PBU

R-So., 5-10, 180, Columbus, Ohio (Pickerington North)
Played in 11 of 12 games as a reserve CB in '19 ... earned
the start in the '19 opener against Indiana ... recorded his
1st career INT against Fordham in '19 ... returned it to the
endzone, but it was called back by a penalty ... played 4 games
in '18 under the new redshirt rule.

Career Highs

TKLS:	3	vs. CCSU, 8/30/18
TFL:	--	--
SKS:	--	--
FF:	--	--

FR:	--	--
INT:	1	vs Fordham, 9/7/16
PBU:	1	2x (Ohio, 10/26/19)



#17 | Nic Jones | CB | 2020: 3 TKLS | Career: 21 TKLS, 1.0 TFL, 4 PBU

So, 6-0, 185, Detroit, Mich. (Southfield A&T)
John Hodge Award winner as BSU's Most Valuable Freshman in
'19 ... played in all 12 games in '19 as a true freshman, mainly
at slot corner, tying for 3rd on the team with 4 PBU ... started
the final two games in '19.

Career Highs

TKLS:	7	at Kent St., 11/23/19
TFL:	1.0	vs. Fordham, 9/7/19
SKS:	--	--
FF:	--	--

FR:	--	--
INT:	--	--
PBU:	2	at NIU, 10/5/19



#21 | Antonio Phillips | CB | 2020: 13 TKLS, 4 PBU | Career: 118 TKLS, 2.0 TFL, 1.0 SKS, 6 INT, 16 PBU

Sr., 6-0, 191, St. Louis, Mo. (Kirkwood)
Bednarik, Thorpe & Nagurski award watch lists ... All-MAC 1st
Team in '19 ... 4 INTs in '19 were second-most in MAC ... had an
INT in 3 straight games in '19: EMU, Toledo & Ohio ... 6 career
INTs are tied with Cosby for second-most among active BSU
players ... 16 career PBU at BSU are 2nd most on the team.

Career Highs

TKLS:	8	2x (Indiana, 8/31/19)
TFL:	1.0	at WKU, 9/23/17
SKS:	1.0	at WKU, 9/23/17
FF:	1	at WKU, 9/23/17

FR:	--	--
INT:	1	6x (Ohio, 10/26/19)
PBU:	2	3x (EMU, 11/11/20)



#22 | Jack Blanco | S | 2020: No stats | Career D-I Stats: 38 TKLS, 1.0 TFL, 1 PBU

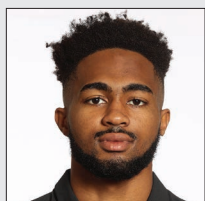
Jr., 6-1, 196, San Diego, Calif. (Poway) (San Diego Mesa
College) | Made 8 starts in '19 for a 7-4 San Diego Mesa team
... 1st-team all-conference safety ... had 29 tackles & 2 INTs
... played freshman season at FCS Houston Baptist where he
made 38 tackles in '18.

D-I Career Highs

TKLS:	13	vs Nicholls, 11/3/18*
TFL:	1.0	at Lamar, 11/10/18*
SKS:	--	--
FF:	--	--

FR:	--	--
INT:	--	--
PBU:	1	vs SW Baptist, 9/1/18*

*at Houston Baptist



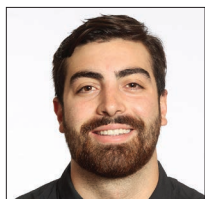
#23 | Brett Anderson II | S | 2020: 23 TKLS | Career: 134 TKLS, 2.5 TFL, 2 FF

Sr., 6-0, 182, Grand Blanc, Mich. (Grand Blanc)
Has played all 39 games in his BSU career with 13 starts ...
reached 100 career tackles in win over Toledo in '19 ... forced a
fumble on a kick return vs CMU in '19 ... 2nd in tackles among
BSU secondary in '18 with 62 ... had a career-high 13 tackles in
the '18 win over WMU.

Career Highs

TKLS:	13	vs WMU, 11/13/18
TFL:	1.0	at CMU, 10/13/18
SKS:	--	--
FF:	1	2x (CMU, 11/16/19)

FR:	1	vs Kent St., 9/29/18
INT:	--	--
PBU:	1	5x (EMU, 11/11/20)



#27 | Jimmy Daw | ILB | 2020: 16 TKLS, 1.5 TFL, 1 FF | Career: 90 TKLS, 10.5 TFL, 2.0 SKS, 1 FF, 1 FR

R-Jr., 6-3, 239, Medina, Ohio (Medina)
Academic All-MAC in '18 & '19 ... has played all 27 games
over the past 3 seasons, seeing time at both ILB and OLB ...
teamed with Bryce Cosby for the game-winning tackle on an
OT, 2-point attempt vs. WMU in '18 ... ran for more than 3,000
yards & 62 TDs as a high school RB.

Career Highs

TKLS:	10	at Miami, 11/4/20
TFL:	2.0	2x (Kent St., 11/23/19)
SKS:	1.0	2x (Kent St., 11/23/19)
FF:	1	vs EMU, 11/11/20

FR:	1	vs Toledo, 10/19/19
INT:	--	--
PBU:	1	2x (FAU, 9/14/19)



#31 | Anthony Ekpe | OLB | 2020: 7 TKLS, 3.5 TFL, 2.5 SKS, 1 FF | Career: 74 TKLS, 18.0 TFL, 12.0 SKS, 4 FF, 1 FR

Gr., 6-1, 235, Pflugerville, Texas (Hendrickson) (Rice)
Had 3.0 TFL, 2.0 sacks & a forced fumble in his BSU debut at
Miami ... All-C-USA honorable mention at Rice in '18 ... 4x
C-USA Honor Roll ... limited to 8 games & 5 starts by injury in
'19 ... Rice's team leader in sacks (6) in '18 ... registered 14.5
TFL and 9.5 sacks in his 3 seasons at Rice.

Career Highs

TKLS:	9	vs. Wake Forest, 9/6/19*
TFL:	3.0	2x (Miami, 11/4/2020)
SKS:	3.0	at North Texas, 10/27/18*
FF:	1	4x (Miami, 11/4/2020)

FR:	1	vs. Baylor, 9/21/19*
INT:	--	--
PBU:	--	--

*at Rice



#32 | Clayton Coll | ILB | 2020: 1 TKL | Career: 19 TKLS, 0.5 TFL, 0.5 SKS, 1 FF

So., 6-3, 235, Franklin, Ind. (Franklin Community)

John Hodge Award winner as BSU's Most Valuable Freshman in '19 ... played in all 12 games as a true freshman ... tallied first career strip sack on the final play of the 1st half vs. Toledo in '19 ... played for his dad Chris Coll in high school & set school record for tackles (176) as a senior.

Career Highs

TKLS:	4	2x (Fordham, 9/7/19)
TFL:	0.5	vs Toledo, 10/19/19
SKS:	0.5	vs Toledo, 10/19/19
FF:	1	vs Toledo, 10/19/19

FR:	1	vs Toledo, 10/19/19
INT:	--	--
PBU:	--	--



#44 | Brock Burns | OLB | 2020: 1 TKL | Career: 39 TKLS, 2.0 TFL, 0.5 SKS, 1 FF

R-Jr., 6-3, 229, Fishers, Ind. (Hamilton Southeastern)

Has seen action in 21 straight games as a reserve LB after injury kept him out the 1st half of his redshirt freshman season in '18 ... had a season-best 6 tackles at Kent State in '19 ... set Hamilton Southeastern record for career tackles (287) ... brother Brendan finished baseball career at BSU in '19.

Career Highs

TKLS:	7	vs EMU, 10/20/18
TFL:	1.0	vs EMU, 10/20/18
SKS:	0.5	vs Toledo, 10/19/19
FF:	1	at Toledo, 10/31/18

FR:	--	--
INT:	--	--
PBU:	--	--



#67 | Justen Ramsey | DL | 2020: 3 TKLS | Career: 8 TKLS

So., 5-11, 298, Merrillville, Ind. (Merrillville)

Career-high 3 tackles against EMU in his first career start ... played in all 12 games as a reserve nose tackle as a true freshman in '19 ... played for BSU alumnus Brad Seiss at Merrillville HS where he was 2x team captain ... 1st team all-state & team MVP at Merrillville ... had 4.5 sacks as a senior.

Career Highs

TKLS:	3	vs EMU, 11/11/20
TFL:	--	--
SKS:	--	--
FF:	--	--

FR:	--	--
INT:	--	--
PBU:	--	--



#90 | Joshua Tarango | DL | 2020: 6 TKLS, 1.0 TFL | Career D-I Stats: 6 TKLS, 1.0 TFL

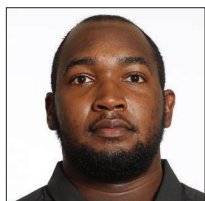
So., 6-2, 289, Anaheim Hills, Calif. (Canyon) (Fullerton College)

Fullerton's defensive player of the year & team captain in his 1 season there in '19 ... piled up 58 tackles, 18.5 TFL & 11.5 sacks ... 1st-team all-conference & two-time team MVP of his HS team at Canyon ... also a wrestler ... finished 4th at the '18 state championships in the 285-pound class.

D-I Career Highs

TKLS:	3	at Miami, 11/4/2020
TFL:	1.0	at Miami, 11/4/2020
SKS:	--	--
FF:	--	--

FR:	--	--
INT:	--	--
PBU:	--	--



#92 | Kendal Kendrick | DL | 2019: No stats | Career: 13 TKLS, 1.0 TFL

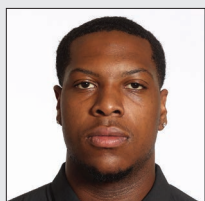
R-Jr., 6-1, 275, Indianapolis, Ind. (Franklin Central)

Has played in 15 career games ... appeared in the final 9 games of '19 & made his 1st career start in the finale against Miami ... had his 1st career TFL in the win at NIU in '19.

Career Highs

TKLS:	3	2x (NIU, 10/5/19)
TFL:	1.0	at NIU, 10/5/19
SKS:	--	--
FF:	--	--

FR:	--	--
INT:	--	--
PBU:	--	--



#93 | Kyron Mims | DL | 2020: No stats | Career: 4 TKLS, 0.5 TFL

R-Fr., 6-3, 293, Baton Rouge, La. (Woodlawn)

Played in 4 of the 1st 5 games in '19 before redshirting ... an early enrollee who joined the program in the spring of '19 ... tallied his 1st collegiate tackle in the '19 opener vs. Indiana ... 3-star recruit via 247Sports coming out of Woodlawn.

Career Highs

TKLS:	2	vs FAU, 9/14/19
TFL:	0.5	vs FAU, 9/14/19
SKS:	--	--
FF:	--	--

FR:	--	--
INT:	--	--
PBU:	--	--



#94 | Jack Sape | DL | 2020: 4 TKLS | Career: 5 TKLS

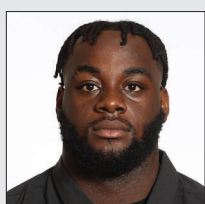
R-So. 6-4, 292, Bloomfield Hills, Mich. (Bloomfield Hills)

Earned 1st career start in the '20 opener at Miami ... saw limited playing time in 3 games as a redshirt freshman in '19 ... notched his 1st tackle in the '19 season finale against Miami.

Career Highs

TKLS:	2	at Miami, 11/4/2020
TFL:	--	--
SKS:	--	--
FF:	--	--

FR:	--	--
INT:	--	--
PBU:	--	--



#95 | Emeka Jillani | DL | 2020: 4 TKLS, 1 FR | Career: 14 TKLS, 1 FR

R-So., 6-1, 302, London, England (Lutheran [Ind.])

Earned 1st career start in the '20 opener at Miami ... has appeared in 13 career games ... played in 3 games in '19 & redshirted ... grew up in London playing rugby, soccer & swimming ... first played football as a freshman at Lutheran in Indianapolis ... also a state shot put finalist in HS.

Career Highs

TKLS:	5	at Miami, 11/20/18
TFL:	--	--
SKS:	--	--
FF:	--	--

FR:	1	at Miami, 11/4/2020
INT:	--	--
PBU:	--	--

Offensive Players**RUSHING (att.-yards-TDs)**

Player	MIA	EMU	NIU	TOL	CMU	WMU
Antwan Davis	0-0-0	1-1-0	0-0-0	--	--	--
Justin Hall	2-17-1	4-70-0	2-22-0	--	--	--
Caleb Huntley	21-130-2	34-204-3	25-103-1	--	--	--
Will Jones	1-6-0	8-46-0	DNP	--	--	--
Drew Plitt	14-16-0	4-(-19)-0	10-20-0	--	--	--

RECEIVING (rec.-yards-TDs)

Player	MIA	EMU	NIU	TOL	CMU	WMU
Antwan Davis	6-110-0	7-69-0	2-18-1	--	--	--
Justin Hall	4-124-1	7-55-0	7-73-0	--	--	--
Trevor Hohlt	1-9-0	0-0-0	DNP	--	--	--
Caleb Huntley	0-0-0	1-13-0	0-0-0	--	--	--
Hassan Littles	0-0-0	1-15-0	0-0-0	--	--	--
Cody Rudy	0-0-0	2-16-0	1-15-0	--	--	--
Yo'Heinz Tyler	8-66-0	4-64-1	7-108-1	--	--	--

KICK RETURNS (ret.-yards-TDs)

Player	MIA	EMU	NIU	TOL	CMU	WMU
Justin Hall	5-106-0	4-116-0	0-0-0	--	--	--
Isaac James-Gray	1-15-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	--	--	--
Jmmy Daw	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-7-0	--	--	--

PUNT RETURNS (ret.-yards-TDs)

Player	MIA	EMU	NIU	TOL	CMU	WMU
Justin Hall	2-(-1)-0	0-0-0	1-(-1)-0	--	--	--

PASSING**►► DREW PLITT**

Opponent	Comp	Att	Int	Pct	Yds	TD	Lg	Sk-Yds
at Miami	19	32	1	59.4	309	1	66	6-31
Eastern Michigan	22	31	1	70.9	232	1	33	3-20
Northern Illinois	17	25	1	68.0	214	2	64	3-21
Toledo								
Central Michigan								
Western Michigan								
Totals	58	88	3	65.9	755	4	66	12-72

►► JOHN PADDOCK

Opponent	Comp	Att	Int	Pct	Yds	TD	Lg	Sk-Yds
at Miami				-- DNP --				
Eastern Michigan				-- DNP --				
Northern Illinois				-- DNP --				
Toledo								
Central Michigan								
Western Michigan								
Totals	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

FIELD GOALS

Player	FGM-A	Pct	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	Lg	Blk
Jack Knight	4-7	57.1	0-0	2-3	2-3	0-1	47	0
Jacob Lewis	1-1	100.0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-1	51	0

Defensive Players

TACKLES

Opponent	Agyemang #0 U-A-Tot-Other	Albright #9 U-A-Tot-Other	Anderson #23 U-A-Tot-Other	Burns #44 U-A-Tot-Other	Coll #32 U-A-Tot-Other	Cosby #5 U-A-Tot-Other	Daw #27 U-A-Tot-Other	Ekpe #31 U-A-Tot-Other
at Miami	0-0-0 (1 PBU)	2-5-7 (1 sack)	3-4-7	0-1-1	0-1-1	0-1-1	2-8-10 (0.5 TFL)	3-1-4 (2 sacks)
Eastern Mich.	0-2-2	1-2-3 (1TFL)	6-2-8 (1 PBU)	0-0-0	0-0-0	4-4-8 (1 PBU)	5-0-5 (1 FF)	2-0-2
Northern Ill.	0-3-3 (1 TFL)	0-2-2	6-2-8	0-0-0	0-0-0	9-5-14 (1 TFL)	1-0-1	0-1-1 (.5 TFL)
at Toledo								
at Central Mich.								
Western Mich.								

Opponent	Grenda #42 U-A-Tot-Other	Harris #97 U-A-Tot-Other	Jillani #95 U-A-Tot-Other	Jones #17 U-A-Tot-Other	Martin #7 U-A-Tot-Other	Phillips #21 U-A-Tot-Other	Ramsey #67 U-A-Tot-Other	Sape #94 U-A-Tot-Other
at Miami	1-1-2	DNP	2-2-4 (1 FR)	1-0-1	6-5-11 (1 TFL)	3-2-5 (1 PBU)	0-0-0	1-1-2
Eastern Mich.	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP	1-0-1	8-7-15	3-1-4 (2 PBU)	1-2-3	1-0-1
Northern Ill.	0-0-0	0-1-1	0-0-0	1-0-1	5-6-11 (.5 TFL)	3-1-4 (1 PBU)	0-0-0	0-1-1
at Toledo								
at Central Mich.								
Western Mich.								

Opponent	Tarango #90 U-A-Tot-Other	Thomas #6 U-A-Tot-Other	Uzodinma #25 U-A-Tot-Other	Wahee #14 U-A-Tot-Other	Williams #13 U-A-Tot-Other
at Miami	1-2-3 (1 TFL)	5-5-10 (1 TFL)	3-2-5	3-2-5 (1 TFL)	1-1-2 (1 FF)
Eastern Mich.	0-1-1	3-7-10	2-1-3	0-1-1	0-4-4
Northern Ill.	0-2-2	6-7-13 (2 TFL)	2-0-2 (1 INT)	3-1-4 (1 PBU)	0-0-0
at Toledo					
at Central Mich.					
Western Mich.					

TURNOVER CHART

Opponent	– Turnovers Gained –			– Points Off TO Gained –			– Turnovers Lost –			– Points Off TO Lost –			+/-
	Fum	Int	Total	TD	FG	Points	Fum	Int	Total	TD	FG	Points	
at Miami	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	7	0
Eastern Mich.	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	2	1	0	7	-1
Northern Ill.	0	1	1	1	0	7	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
at Toledo													
at Central Mich.													
Western Mich.													
Totals	2	1	3	1	0	7	1	3	4	2	0	14	-1

Starting Lineups

OFFENSE

	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	WR	WR	WR	FB	RB	QB
at Miami	Slaven	Boggs	Todd	Turner	Blackwell	Tyler	Hall	Koch (TE)	Rudy	Huntley	Plitt
Eastern Michigan	Haught	Boggs	Todd	Turner	Blackwell	Tyler	Hall	Davis	Rudy	Huntley	Plitt
Northern Illinois	Slaven	Boggs	Todd	Turner	Blackwell	Tyler	Hall	Davis	Rudy	Huntley	Plitt

Toledo

Central Michigan

Western Michigan

DEFENSE

	DE	NT	DE	SLB	MLB	WLB	OLB	CB	SS	FS	CB
at Miami	Agyemang	Jillani	Sape	Williams	Martin	Thomas	Albright	Phillips	Anderson	Cosby	Jones
Eastern Michigan	Agyemang	Ramsey	Sape	Williams	Martin	Thomas	Albright	Phillips	Anderson	Cosby	Uzodinma
Northern Illinois	Agyemang	Ramsey	Ekpe (LB)	Wahee (DB)	Martin	Thomas	Albright	Phillips	Anderson	Cosby	Uzodinma

Toledo

Central Michigan

Western Michigan

Miscellaneous Stats

IN THE RED ZONE – BALL STATE

	No.	TD	FG	Failed	Pct.
at Miami	3	2	0	1	66.7
Eastern Michigan	4	3	1	0	100.0
Northern Illinois	6	3	1	2	66.7
at Toledo					
at Central Michigan					
Western Michigan					
Totals	13	8	2	3	76.9

BALL STATE BIG PLAYS (30+ yards)

Yards	Play	Opp.	Qtr	TD
71	Uzodinma II INT return	NIU	2	Y
66	Plitt pass to Hall	MIA	2	Y
64	Plitt pass to Tyler	NIU	4	N
46	Evans rush	NIU	1	N
45	Huntley rush	MIA	3	Y
34	Hall rush	EMU	1	N
33	Plitt pass to Tyler	EMU	4	Y
33	Plitt pass to Davis	MIA	2	N
33	Plitt pass to Davis	MIA	1	N
31	Hall rush	EMU	4	N
31	Plitt pass to Hall	MIA	4	N

IN THE RED ZONE – OPPONENT

	No.	TD	FG	Failed	Pct.
at Miami	7	5	1	1	85.7
Eastern Michigan	4	4	0	0	100.0
Northern Illinois	3	3	0	0	100.0
at Toledo					
at Central Michigan					
Western Michigan					
Totals	14	12	1	1	92.9

Head Coach Mike Neu

5th season at Ball State | 11th season as a head coach (including arena league) | 19th season as a football coach

Hometown: Indianapolis, Ind. | Alma Mater: Ball State '94

Family: wife Charmin ... three children – Graycen, Carson and Chase



Ball State University welcomed back one of its own as Mike Neu was named the head coach for the Cardinals football program in January of 2016. Neu played collegiate football at Ball State where he was named 1993 Mid-American Conference Offensive Player of the Year.

Neu has nearly 20 years of coaching experience with stops in the National Football League (NFL), Division I FBS football and the arena leagues.

The Cardinals have made several strides forward under Neu's leadership with the 2019 campaign the most memorable thus far. Ball State reclaimed the Bronze Stalk Trophy from Northern Illinois for the first time since 2008 with a come-from-behind 27-20 win over the Huskies in early October. The Cards then capped the year by knocking off eventual MAC champion Miami to earn the Red Bird Rivalry Trophy, 41-27.

Ball State's offense was statistically the most explosive in the conference last fall. The Cardinals led the MAC in scoring (34.8 points per game) and total offense (463 yards per game). On defense, BSU forced turnover after turnover all year. The 24 forced turnovers were the most in the conference and ranked 15th nationally.

Ten Cardinals came away with All-MAC accolades following the 2019 season, the most for a Ball State team since 2013. Over Neu's four seasons as head coach, 23 players have been recognized on an all-league team. The football team also placed a league-high 20 players on the Academic All-MAC list last fall. Fifteen of those 20 Cardinals were making a return appearance to that list.

Before returning to Ball State, Neu spent the 2014 and 2015 seasons as the quarterbacks coach for the NFL's New Orleans Saints. In 2014 under Neu's guidance, quarterback Drew Brees was selected to his franchise-record eighth Pro Bowl as a Saint. Brees led the league in completions (456), tied for first in passing yardage (4,952), ranked second in completion percentage (69.2) and tied for fifth in touchdown passes (33). In 2015, Brees once again led the NFL in passing yardage (4,870) while ranking second in completion percentage (68.3) and completions (428).

Neu, a native of Indianapolis, Indiana,



started 38-of-41 games at quarterback in his four seasons at Ball State (1990-93). He was honored with the MAC's Vern Smith Award as the league's most valuable player and the MAC Offensive Player of the Year award as a senior. That year, Neu and the Cardinals went 8-3-1 overall and 7-0-1 in league action to capture the MAC championship. In one of his greatest games as a collegiate quarterback, Neu threw for a Ball State record 469 yards

and completed 28-of-40 passes against Toledo in 1993 to help the Cardinals rally from a 30-3 deficit and record the largest comeback in Ball State history, a 31-30 Homecoming victory.

Neu played professionally in the Canadian Football League and Arena Football League (AFL) from 1995-97 before beginning his coaching career in 1998 with the AFL's Nashville Kats. In 2000, Neu was named head coach for the first time as he took over the Arena Football 2's (AF2) Augusta Stallions. He led that organization to a conference title in 2000 with a 14-4 record and was named the AF2 Coach of the Year.

In 2001 and 2002, Neu worked with the AFL's Carolina Cobras. He served as the offensive coordinator in 2001 and was promoted to head coach in 2002. During his stint as head coach, Neu led the team to the quarterfinals of the AFL playoffs, including the team's first playoff win.

Neu then spent four years as head coach of the AFL's New Orleans VooDoo. There, he compiled a 33-31 record and earned 2004 AFL Coach of the Year honors. During his first season at the helm, Neu led the team to a franchise-best 11-5 record, a division title and a playoff berth.

From 2008-12, Neu worked on the New Orleans Saints' player personnel staff. He then spent the 2012 and 2013 seasons with Tulane as the quarterbacks coach. In 2013, Neu helped guide Tulane to a 7-6 overall record and its first postseason appearance in 11 years – the 2013 R+L Carriers New Orleans Bowl.

Neu received his bachelor's degree in sport administration from Ball State in 1994 and served as a graduate assistant coach for the Cardinals during the 1994 season. He was inducted into the Ball State Athletics Hall of Fame in 2004.

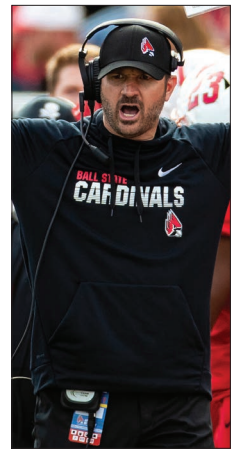
Neu and his wife, Charmin, have a daughter, Graycen, and two sons, Carson and Chase.

Neu's Head Coaching Record

Year	School/Team	W-L
2000	Augusta Stallions (AF2)	14-4
2002	Carolina Cobras (AFL)	7-9
2004	New Orleans VooDoo (AFL)	11-6
2005	New Orleans VooDoo	9-7
2007	New Orleans VooDoo	5-11
2008	New Orleans VooDoo	8-8
2016	Ball State	4-8
2017	Ball State	2-10
2018	Ball State	4-8
2019	Ball State	5-7
2020	Ball State	2-1
Totals	11th year	71-79 (.473)
	5th year	17-34 (.333) at Ball St.
	5th year	10-25 (.286) vs. MAC

Neu's Coaching Experience

Ball State	HC	2016-pres.
New Orleans Saints (NFL)	QBs	2014-15
Tulane	QBs	2012-13
New Orleans VooDoo (AFL)	HC	2004-08
Carolina Cobras (AFL)	HC	2002
Carolina Cobras (AFL)	OC	2001
Augusta Stallions (AF2)	HC	2000
Nashville Kats (AFL)	OC/QBs	1998-99
Ball State	GA	1994



FBS HEAD COACHES AT THEIR ALMA MATERS (16)

Troy Calhoun (AF)	Danny Gonzales (NM)
Shawn Clark (APP)	Thomas Hammock (NIU)
Mike Neu (BALL)	Pat Fitzgerald (N'WSTRN)
Bryan Harsin (BOISE)	Mike Gundy (OKST)
Kalani Sitake (BYU)	Jonathan Smith (ORST)
Kirby Smart (UGA)	David Shaw (STAN)
Jim Harbaugh (MICH)	Tim Lester (WMU)
Scott Frost (NEB)	Paul Chryst (WISC)

Asst. HC/STs/TEs Coach**PATRICK DOUGHERTY**

8th season at Ball State
13th season as a football coach
Alma Mater: Ohio Dominican '08

 @Coach_Dougherty

**Coaching Experience:**

- Ball State, special teams coordinator, 2016-pres.; tight ends coach, 2014-pres.
- Northwestern, defensive quality control coach, 2013
- Ball State, graduate assistant coach, 2012
- Lindsey Wilson, special teams coordinator/linebackers coach, 2010-11
- Defiance, defensive line coach, 2008-09

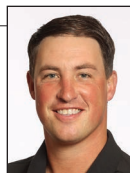
Notes:

Promoted to assistant head coach in the spring of 2020 ... assumed the special teams coordinator role in the spring of 2016 ... also coaches the tight ends ... helped kick returner Malik Dunner earn All-MAC honors three straight years in 2017, 2018 and 2019 ... guided Morgan Hagee to a new Ball State PAT record in 2018 (129) ... the Cardinals led the MAC in kickoff return average (21.7 yards per return) in 2017 ... Ball State returned a kickoff for a touchdown and blocked a punt in the win over UAB in 2017 ... Ball State blocked a punt and returned it for a score at Indiana in 2016 ... served as the recruiting coordinator in 2015-16 ... joined the Ball State football staff after the 2013 regular season and prior to the GoDaddy Bowl.

Off. Coord./RBs Coach**KEVIN LYNCH**

5th season at Ball State
12th season as a football coach
Alma Mater: Franklin Coll. '09

 @coachklynch

**Coaching Experience:**

- Ball State, offensive coordinator/running backs coach, 2020-pres.
- Ball State, running backs coach/recruiting coordinator, 2018-19
- Ball State, running backs coach, 2016-17
- Univ. of Indianapolis, assistant coach, 2010-15
- Indiana, offensive quality control coach, 2009

Notes:

Promoted to offensive coordinator in January 2020 ... helped Caleb Huntley earn second team All-MAC honors in 2019 after he rushed for more than 100 yards in seven of the eight league games ... worked with Caleb Huntley in 2017 to become just the second Cardinals freshman to reach 1,000 yards rushing in a season ... Ball State's offense averaged 220 rushing yards per game in 2016, its highest since 1978 (238.6) ... helped James Gilbert earn All-MAC first team accolades in 2016 after piling up 1,432 rushing yards, the fourth most in a single season by a Ball State player ... he was an integral part of one of the most successful eras in UIndy history, helping the Greyhounds to 39 wins, four conference championships and three NCAA Division II playoff appearances ... a former all-conference wide receiver and three-year starter at nearby Franklin College.

Def. Coord./ILBs Coach**TYLER STOCKTON**

2nd season at Ball State
7th season as a football coach
Alma Mater: Notre Dame '13

 @Coach_TsTock

**Coaching Experience:**

- Ball State, defensive coordinator/ILBs coach, 2020-pres.
- Ball State, co-DC/ILBs coach, 2019
- Western Illinois, DC/OLBs coach, 2018; defensive line coach/run game coordinator, 2016-17
- Connecticut, graduate assistant coach, 2014-15

Notes:

Ball State led the league and ranked 15th nationally with 24 forced turnovers in 2019 ... helped linebackers Jacob White (first team) and Jaylin Thomas (third team) earn All-MAC honors in his first year on the BSU staff ... helped Western Illinois rank 23rd nationally in FCS in yards allowed per game (327.9) and sixth in sacks (36) in 2018 ... UConn ranked 15th nationally in scoring defense in 2015 and earned a spot in the 2015 St. Petersburg Bowl ... five-year member of the Notre Dame football team (2009-13) where he played on the defensive line ... helped the Fighting Irish make appearances in the 2010 Sun Bowl (champions), 2013 BCS National Championship game and 2013 Pinstripe Bowl (champions) ... worked summer internships at Goldman Sachs, Young Entrepreneurs Across America, Morgan Stanley Smith Barney and ETL Associates ... member of the Notre Dame Wall Street club ... went on to earn his MBA in corporate finance in 2014.

Wide Receivers Coach**ALEX BAILEY**

6th season at Ball State
14th season as a football coach
Alma Mater: Youngstown St. '07

 @CoachAlexBailey

**Coaching Experience:**

- Ball State, wide receivers coach/recruiting coordinator, 2020-pres.
- Ball State, wide receivers coach, 2015-19
- Wayne State, assistant coach, 2014
- Valparaiso, assistant coach, 2012-13
- Dayton, assistant coach, 2010-11
- Defiance, assistant coach, 2007-09

Notes:

Took on the role of recruiting coordinator in the winter of 2020 ... Ball State's top two wide receivers earned All-MAC honors in 2019 – Justin Hall (first team) and Riley Miller (second team) ... mentored Riley Miller to team MVP honors as well as second team All-MAC accolades in 2018 ... helped Justin Hall earn ESPN.com Freshman All-America honors in 2017 after Hall led all freshmen nationally in receptions (78) and ranked fourth among all freshmen in receiving yards (801) ... was the recruiting and pass game coordinator in addition to coaching the wide receivers at Valparaiso ... coached four all-conference players at Dayton and helped the Flyers to a 10-1 record in 2010, including the Pioneer Football League Championship.

Outside Linebackers Coach**CORY CONNOLLY**

6th season at Ball State
7th season as a football coach
Alma Mater: Quincy '13

 @CoryConnolly

**Coaching Experience:**

- Ball State, outside linebackers coach, 2018-pres.
- Ball State, graduate assistant coach, 2015-17
- Carthage College, graduate assistant coach, 2014

Notes:

Promoted to a full-time assistant coach in the spring of 2018 ... the two starting outside linebackers in 2019 – Christian Albright and Jordan Williams – combined for 8.0 sacks and 20.5 tackles for loss last fall ... helped Christian Albright earn third team All-MAC honors in 2018 after leading the team in sacks (5) and tying for the league lead in forced fumbles (4) ... Ray Wilborn led the team in tackles (83) and tackles for loss (10.5) in his first season on the squad in 2018 ... worked with the Ball State defensive linemen in 2017 ... four-year starter at defensive end for Quincy ... three-time team captain ... 2012 all-conference honoree ... 2011 All-Mid-States Mideast defensive end ... participated in 2014 Future Football Coaches Academy sponsored by NCAA and AFCA ... certified strength and conditioning specialist (CSCS) ... recipient of the Quincy University LaVerne Academic Scholarship and Walter "Wally" O'Day Memorial Scholarship.

DBs (Safeties) Coach**MIKE DIETZEL**

2nd season at Ball State
36th season as a football coach
Alma Mater: Otterbein '85

 @CoachDietzel

**Coaching Experience:**

- Ball State, defensive backs coach, 2019-pres.
- Central Michigan, linebackers/secondary/special teams coach, 2015-18
- Buffalo, secondary, co-special teams coach, 2010-14
- Western Kentucky, defensive coordinator, secondary/linebackers/special teams coach, 2003-09
- Kent State, defensive coordinator/secondary coach, 2001-02
- New York/New Jersey Hitmen (XFL), secondary coach, 2001
- Army, running backs/wide receivers/tight ends coach, 1995-99
- Johns Hopkins, secondary coach, 1994
- Army, JV head coach/running backs coach, 1992-93
- Pennsylvania, inside linebackers coach, 1991
- Michigan, graduate assistant coach (OLBs), 1989-90
- Pennsylvania, inside linebackers coach, 1988
- Earlham College, defensive coordinator, 1987
- Colorado, graduate assistant coach, 1985-86

Notes:

Has coached at three other MAC schools ... spent seven years at WKU, including three as defensive coordinator ... helped CMU to three bowl appearances in 4 seasons with the Chippewas.

Quarterbacks Coach

JOEY HECKLINSKI

2nd season at Ball State
7th season as a football coach
Alma Mater: Marian '14

 @JMHecklinski



Coaching Experience:

- Ball State, quarterbacks coach, 2020-pres.
- Ball State, graduate assistant coach, 2019
- Butler, assistant coach/assistant video coordinator, 2017-18
- Marian, assistant coach, 2015-16
- Manchester, assistant coach, 2014

Notes:

Promoted to quarterbacks coach in February 2020 ... worked specifically with the Cardinals wide receivers in 2019 ... coached running backs, wide receivers and quarterbacks at previous schools ... helped Butler earn a victory over No. 24 Youngstown State in 2018 ... coached with the Marian team that won the 2015 NAIA national championship over Southern Oregon ... helped Manchester set eight offensive single game or season records in 2014 ... starting quarterback at Marian and team captain as a senior ... played on the 2012 Marian squad that won the NAIA national title.

Running Game Coord./OL

COLIN JOHNSON

2nd season at Ball State
13th season as a football coach
Alma Mater: Ball State '03

 @CoachJohnson64



Coaching Experience:

- Ball State, running game coordinator/offensive line coach, 2020-pres.
- Ball State, offensive line coach, 2019
- Butler, offensive line coach, 2018
- DePauw, offensive line coach, 2013-17
- The College of Wooster, offensive line coach, 2012
- Butler, defensive tackles coach, 2011
- Indiana, offensive graduate assistant, 2009-10; special teams quality control assistant, 2008

Notes:

Ball State's rushing average in 2019 (219.4 ypg) was its second highest in the past 40 years ... mentored Danny Pinter to team MVP honors in 2019 ... Pinter (first team) and Curtis Blackwell (third) earned All-MAC honors last fall ... helped three Butler offensive linemen earn all-conference accolades in 2018 ... worked for former Ball State head coach Bill Lynch at DePauw ... worked with NFL draft selections Rodger Saffold and James Brewer at Indiana ... served as an intern on the Ball State staff in 2003 ... four year letterwinner on the Ball State football team between 1999 and 2002 ... three year starter at center ... served as a team captain his senior season ... helped running back Marcus Merriweather set back-to-back program single season rushing records in 2001 and 2002.

Defensive Line Coach

KEITH MCKENZIE

5th season at Ball State
13th season as a football coach
Alma Mater: Ball State '96

 @CoachMcKenzie95



Coaching Experience:

- Ball State, defensive line coach, 2016-pres.
- Wayne State, assistant coach, 2008-2015

Notes:

Helped defensive end Anthony Winbush earn first team All-MAC honors in 2017 after he ranked fourth nationally in sacks (11.5) and equaled the Ball State career sacks record (25) ... the Cardinals racked up a season-high 10 tackles for loss at No. 8 Notre Dame in 2018 ... Ball State ranked second in the MAC in sacks in 2016 (31) ... the Cardinals racked up eight sacks in the win over ECU in 2016, the team's most in at least 10 years ... served as the linebackers coach at Wayne State from 2008-15 ... added special teams coordinator duties at Wayne State in 2014-15 ... coached 10 all-conference players at Wayne State, including the 2014 GLIAC Defensive Back of the Year ... played football at Ball State from 1991 to 1995 ... holds the program record for career sacks (25) ... team captain and All-MAC defensive end as a senior ... went on to play in the NFL for eight years with Green Bay, Cleveland, Chicago and Buffalo ... was a part of Green Bay's Super Bowl XXXI championship team ... recorded 29.5 sacks in 95 NFL games ... inducted into the Ball State Athletics Hall of Fame in 2007.

Passing Game Coord./DBs

JOSH ZIDENBERG

1st season at Ball State
10th season as a football coach
Alma Mater: Virginia '08

 @CoachZidenberg



Coaching Experience:

- Ball State, passing game coordinator/defensive backs coach, 2020-pres.
- William & Mary, special teams coordinator/safeties coach, 2019
- Western Illinois, special teams coordinator/defensive backs coach, 2018
- Lafayette College, running backs coach, 2017
- VMI, co-special teams coordinator/safeties coach, 2015-16
- Connecticut, graduate assistant coach, 2014
- Virginia, graduate assistant coach, 2009-11

Notes:

Worked with Ball State defensive coordinator Tyler Stockton at Western Illinois and Connecticut ... William & Mary ranked among the top 10 teams nationally (FCS) in blocked kicks (6) and kickoff returns (23.7 yards per return) in 2019 ... Western Illinois' 2018 defense ranked among the FCS national leaders in total defense (23rd – 327.9 yards per game), passing yards allowed (28th – 192.6) and interceptions (30th – 12) ... got his professional start with the Miami Dolphins in 2008 as a player personnel assistant ... earned three varsity letters as a running back and playing on special teams at Virginia from 2004-07 ... earned his master's degree from Virginia in 2011.

Strength & Cond. Coach

BEN ARMER

5th season at Ball State
Alma Mater: Western Mich. '12

 @BSUFBStrength



Experience:

- Ball State, Dir. of Strength and Conditioning, 2016-pres.
- Miami (Ohio), assistant strength and conditioning coach, 2015
- Ball State, graduate assistant for strength and conditioning, 2014
- Western Michigan, strength and conditioning intern, 2013

Notes:

All-Mid-American Conference third-team selection as a punter for Western Michigan in 2009 ... three-time Academic All-MAC ... two-time Capital One Academic All-District ... named to the Ray Guy Award Watch List in each of his three seasons for the Broncos.

Ball State Support Staff

Director of Football Admin./Chief of Staff:

Byron Ellis (Southern Miss, 2003), 5th season

Recruiting and Personnel Specialist:

Dan Reineck (Baldwin Wallace, 2012), 3rd season

Graduate Assistant Coaches:

Nate Atkins (defense),
Riley Deckard (special teams/recruiting)
Zach Greiner (offense)
Jack Nudo (defense)
DJ Steward (offense)

Associate Athletic Trainer:

Shawn Comer (Central Michigan, 1990), 25th season

Assistant Strength and Conditioning Coach:

Harry Gilbert (Appalachian State, 2015), 2nd season

Video Coordinator:

Kyle Hoogeveen (Minnesota, 2016), 2nd season

Equipment Manager:

Robert D'Anjolell (Louisville, 2017), 1st season

Administrative Coordinator:

Abby Wegener

Last Shutout:

Oct. 4, 2008 – Ball State 31, Toledo 0

Last Time Shut Out:

Oct. 8, 2011 – Temple 42, Ball State 0

Last Overtime Game:

Nov. 13, 2018 – Ball State 42, Western Michigan 41 (1OT)

Last Overtime Win:

Nov. 13, 2018 – Ball State 42, Western Michigan 41 (1OT)

Last Overtime Loss:

Nov. 19, 2005 – Central Michigan 31, Ball State 24 (1OT)

Scored More Than 50 Points in a Game:

Oct. 19, 2019 – Ball State 52, Toledo 14

Scored at Least 27 Points in a Quarter:

Sept. 21, 2013 – Ball State (27) at Eastern Michigan

Held an Opponent Under 100 Yards Rushing:

Oct. 12, 2019 – at Eastern Michigan (89)

Held an Opponent Under 100 Yards Passing:

Oct. 4, 2014 – at Army (48)

Held an Opponent Under 200 Yards of Total Offense:

Nov. 12, 2010 – at Buffalo (144)

Last Kickoff Returned for a Touchdown:

Nov. 5, 2019 – Malik Dunner at Western Michigan (100 yards)

Last Punt Returned for a Touchdown:

Nov. 24, 2009 – Charlie Todd vs. Western Michigan (87 yards)

Last Interception Returned for a Touchdown:

Nov. 18, 2020 – Amechi Uzodinma II vs. Northern Illinois (71 yards)

Last Fumble Returned for a Touchdown:

Sept. 14, 2019 – Jordan Williams vs. Florida Atlantic (60 yards)

Last Safety:

Sept. 7, 2019 – Jaylin Thomas, Chris Crumb vs. Fordham

Last Successful Two-Point Conversion:

Nov. 18, 2020 – Drew Plitt pass to Antwan Davis vs. NIU

Last 100 Yard Rush Game

Nov. 18, 2020 – Caleb Huntley vs. NIU (203 yards, 25 att.)

Last Quarterback to Rush for 100 Yards:

Oct. 28, 2000 – Talmadge Hill vs. CMU (101 yards, 19 att.)

Last 200 Yard Rush Game:

Nov. 11, 2020 – Caleb Huntley vs. EMU (204 yards, 34 att.)

Last Time Two BSU Rushers Have Gone Over 100 Yards:

Nov. 16, 2019 – Walter Fletcher vs. CMU (115 yards, 15 att.)

Caleb Huntley vs. CMU (106 yards, 24 att.)

Last Time Two BSU Rushers Have Gone Over 200 Yards:

Oct. 24, 2009 – MiQuale Lewis at EMU (301 yards, 26 att.)

Cory Sykes at EMU (203 yards, 23 att.)

Last Player to Score Three or More Rushing Touchdowns:

Nov. 11, 2020 – Caleb Huntley vs. EMU (7, 13, 1)

Last Player to Score Four or More Rushing Touchdowns:

Sept. 20, 2008 – MiQuale Lewis at Indiana (1, 2, 1, 3)

Last Player to Tally 35 or More Carries in a Game:

Oct. 5, 2019 – Caleb Huntley at NIU (157 yards, 35 att.)

Last 100 Yard Receiving Game

Nov. 18, 2020 – Yo'Heinz Tyler vs. NIU (107 yards, 7 rec.)

Last 200 Yard Receiving Game:

Sept. 29, 2018 – Riley Miller vs. Kent State (208 yards, 11 rec.)

Last Time Two BSU Receivers Have Gone Over 100 Yards:

Nov. 4, 2020 – Justin Hall at Miami (Ohio) (124 yards, 4 rec.)

Antwan Davis at Miami (Ohio) (110 yards, 6 rec.)

Last Player to Score Three or More Receiving Touchdowns:

Nov. 29, 2013 – Jamill Smith vs. Miami (Ohio) (10, 10, 6)

Last Player to Score Four Receiving Touchdowns:

Nov. 19, 1977 – Rick Morrison vs. Eastern Mich. (21, 28, 32, 12)

Last Player to Tally 10 or More Receptions in a Game:

Oct. 12, 2019 – Justin Hall at EMU (109 yards, 11 rec.)

Last 300 Yard Passing Game

Nov. 4, 2020 – Drew Plitt at Miami (Ohio) (309)

Last 400 Yard Passing Game:

Sept. 7, 2019 – Drew Plitt vs. Fordham (439)

Last Player to Throw Three or More Touchdown Passes:

Nov. 29, 2019 – Drew Plitt vs. Miami (Ohio) (3)

Last Player to Throw Four or More Touchdown Passes:

Sept. 7, 2019 – Drew Plitt vs. Fordham (6)

Last Player to Throw Five or More Touchdown Passes:

Sept. 7, 2019 – Drew Plitt vs. Fordham (6)

Last Player to Attempt 40 or More Passes:

Nov. 29, 2019 – Drew Plitt vs. Miami (Ohio) (26-of-40)

Last Player to Complete 30 or More Passes:

Sept. 21, 2019 – Drew Plitt at NC State (35-of-57)

Last Player to Record Two or More Interceptions:

Nov. 29, 2019 – Amechi Uzodinma II vs. Miami (Ohio) (2)

Last Player to Record Three Interceptions:

Sept. 13, 2008 – Sean Baker at Akron (3)

Last Player to Force Two or More Fumbles:

Sept. 9, 2017 – Anthony Winbush vs. UAB (2)

Last Player to Recover Two or More Fumbles:

Sept. 14, 2019 – Jordan Williams vs. Florida Atlantic (2)

Last Player to Record Two or More Sacks:

Nov. 4, 2020 – Anthony Ekpe at Miami (Ohio) (2.0)

Last Player to Record 15 or More Tackles:

Nov. 11, 2020 – Brandon Martin vs. Eastern Michigan (15)

Last Player to Record 20 or More Tackles:

Oct. 30, 2004 – Justin Beriault vs. Northern Illinois (21)

Last Field Goal Made From at Least 50 Yards:

Nov. 11, 2020 – Jacob Lewis vs. Eastern Michigan (51)

Last Player to Make Four or More Field Goals:

Oct. 5, 2019 – Ryan Rimmmler at Northern Illinois (4)

Last Player to Block a Field Goal Attempt:

Nov. 5, 2011 – Joshua Howard at Eastern Michigan

Last Player to Block an Extra Point Attempt:

Nov. 5, 2015 – Julian Jackson vs. Western Michigan

Last Player to Block a Punt:

Sept. 9, 2017 – David Moore vs. UAB

Last Blocked Punt Returned for a Touchdown:

Sept. 10, 2016 – Malik Dunner at Indiana

(block by Dedrick Cromartie)

Last Player to Recover an On-side Kick:

Sept. 21, 2019 – Ray Wilborn at NC State

GAME 1

BALL STATE	7	7	7	10	-	31
MIAMI	0	10	14	14	-	38

Nov. 4, 2020 | Oxford, Ohio | Yager Stadium

The 2020 edition of the Red Bird Rivalry went into the final seconds as Ball State and Miami traded big plays in a nationally-televised season opener. Miami had the last highlight, scoring the go-ahead touchdown with 10 seconds left to edge BSU 38-31.

With the game tied at 31, Ball State forced a stop and started a potential game-winning drive at its own 27-yard line with 42 seconds left in regulation. But Miami's Ryan McWood deflected a Drew Plitt pass and hauled it in, returning the ball to the 5-yard line. Moments later, Miami found the end zone to seal the game in the final seconds.

"We've worked a lot of scenarios like that in practice where it's a tight game and you have to go down and deliver, and we didn't (tonight)," head coach Mike Neu said. "That's what's difficult to swallow. We didn't get it done. I told the team afterwards, we have to own it. We can't let that determine the rest of our season."

The final sequence in the game came after a thrilling comeback by Ball State. The Cardinals trailed 31-21 when they got an 18-yard touchdown run by Caleb Huntley with 7:06 left to make it 31-28. BSU's defense stood strong and the Cardinals regained possession with 4:04 left in the game. Plitt moved the Cardinals down the field, setting up a clutch 47-yard field goal from Jack Knight that tied the game at 31 with 1:08 to go.

Huntley and Justin Hall each scored two touchdowns for the Cardinals, who were playing for the first time in 340 days. Huntley ripped off a 45-yard score in Ball State's first possession after halftime and had the 18-yarder in the fourth quarter. Ball State led 14-10 at halftime thanks to a pair of scores by Hall, who ran 11 yards for a touchdown early in the game and scored on a 66-yard catch-and-run from Plitt in the second quarter.

Qtr	Time	Team	Scoring Play	Drive	Score
1	7:01	BSU	Hall 11 yd run (Knight kick)	8-90 (3:05)	7-0
2	11:03	MIA	Kahn 2 yd run (Beckett kick)	12-86 (5:23)	7-7
2	9:11	BSU	Hall 66 yd pass from Plitt (Knight kick)	6-84 (1:52)	14-7
2	0:43	MIA	Beckett 37 yd FG	8-61 (1:57)	14-10
3	12:26	BSU	Huntley 45 yd run	9-80 (2:34)	21-10
3	7:20	MIA	Coldiron 6 yd pass from Mayer (Beckett kick)	12-79 (5:01)	21-17
3	1:35	MIA	Coldiron 14 yd pass from Mayer (Beckett kick)	5-98 (2:09)	21-24
4	9:48	MIA	Walker 12 yd pass from Mayer (Beckett kick)	10-52 (5:07)	21-31
4	7:06	BSU	Huntley 18 yd run (Beckett kick)	7-59 (2:32)	28-31
4	1:08	BSU	Knight 47 yd FG	10-56 (2:56)	31-31
4	0:10	MIA	Kahn 2 yd run (Beckett kick)	3-6 (0:20)	31-38

BSU Leaders

Rushing	Att	Yds	TD	Long
Huntley	21	130	2	45
Hall	2	17	1	11
Plitt	14	16	0	11
Jones	1	6	0	6

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long
Plitt	19-32-1	309	1	66

Receiving	Rec	Yds	TD	Long
Hall	4	124	1	66
Davis	6	110	0	33
Tyler	8	66	0	15
Hohlt	1	9	0	9

Tackles: B. Martin 11 (1 TFL), Thomas 10 (1 TFL), Daw 10 (0.5 TFL), Albright 7 (2 TFL, 1 sack), Ekpe 4 (3 TFL, 2 sacks), Williams 2 (1 FF)

Team Statistics	BSU	MIA
First Downs	26	26
Rush Yds	169	134
Pass Yds	309	288
Passing	19-32-1	21-32-0
Total Offense	478	422
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	2-1
Penalties-Yds	6-63	4-35
Punts (Avg)	4-43.5	5-43.2
TOP	27:03	32:57
3rd Downs	9-15	5-12
4th Downs	0-0	1-1
Red Zone	2-3	6-7
Sacks (Yards)	3-22	6-31

MIA Leaders

Rushing	Att	Yds	TD	Long
Johnson	11	58	0	31
Kahn	9	42	2	17
Davis	4	14	0	9

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long
Mayer	16-24-0	212	3	33
Gabbert	5-8-0	76	0	32

Receiving	Rec	Yds	TD	Long
Sorenson	7	139	0	33
Davis	3	41	0	27
Johnson	3	36	0	15
Coldiron	3	29	2	14

Tackles: McWood 14 (.5 TFL, 1 INT), Pace 10, Rugamba 7 (1 TFL), Brown 6 (1 sack), Phelps 6 (2 sacks), Robinson 4 (2 sacks)

GAME 2

EASTERN MICH.	14	7	3	7	-	31
BALL STATE	7	6	8	17	-	38

Nov. 11, 2020 | Muncie, Ind. | Scheumann Stadium

Hand it to Huntley. That was the formula as Ball State racked up 326 yards on the ground and 536 of total offense in a 38-31 win over Eastern Michigan. Caleb Huntley finished with a career-high 204 yards on 34 carries and three touchdowns -- including the game-winning score in the final seconds -- to lift the Cardinals to a win in their home opener.

The win was nearly an exact opposite of last week's season opener, a 38-31 road loss at Miami where the winning touchdown was scored with 10 seconds left. The Cardinals bounced back from that to earn a key win with the start of MAC West Division play.

"When the guys came in last Thursday, the focus was great. The energy was great. The attitude was great. I'm really proud to see their hard work pay off," head coach Mike Neu said. "It was a battle. The game ebbs and flows, and the one thing we make crystal clear here is, 'We've got your back.'"

Ball State fell behind 21-7 in the second quarter as dual threat quarterback Preston Hutchinson ran for two scores and threw a touchdown pass late in the first quarter.

The comeback started with EMU leading 24-13 when Huntley ran through and over defenders for a 13-yard touchdown with 4:34 left in the third quarter. Tyler caught a 2-point conversion from Plitt to make it a 24-21 game. The Cardinal defense then forced two stops before BSU took a 28-24 lead on a 33-yard score from Plitt to Tyler. The Cardinals extended the lead to 31-24 on a 33-yard field goal by Jack Knight, who made both of his attempts alongside a 51-yarder from Jacob Lewis.

Eastern Michigan tied the game at 31-all on a short run by Hutchinson that was set up by a 71-yard pass play. Huntley and the Cardinals went to work after that and drove for the winning score.

Qtr	Time	Team	Scoring Play	Drive	Score
1	8:59	EMU	Hutchinson 1 yd run (Ryland kick)	7-88 (2:51)	7-0
1	6:05	BSU	Huntley 7 yd run (Knight kick)	8-75 (2:54)	7-7
1	0:43	EMU	Cannon 10 yd pass from Hutchinson (Ryland kick)	11-64 (5:16)	14-7
2	7:04	EMU	Hutchinson 10 yd run (Ryland kick)	6-71 (2:41)	21-7
2	4:14	BSU	Knight 44 yd FG	7-25 (2:42)	21-10
2	0:00	BSU	Lewis 51 yd FG	11-56 (1:30)	21-13
3	9:39	EMU	Ryland 52 FG	7-28 (1:30)	24-13
3	4:34	BSU	Huntley 13 yd run (Tyler pass from Plitt)	13-70 (4:56)	24-21
4	10:02	BSU	Tyler 33 yd pass from Plitt (Knight kick)	3-65 (1:05)	24-28
4	5:02	BSU	Knight 34 yd FG	5-28 (1:46)	24-31
4	4:12	EMU	Hutchinson 1 yd run (Ryland kick)	3-75 (0:50)	31-31
4	0:06	BSU	Huntley 1 yd run (Knight kick)	11-79 (4:12)	31-38

EMU Leaders

Rushing	Att	Yds	TD	Long
Hutchinson	17	104	3	31
Evans	14	63	0	13
Bess	7	52	0	27

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long
Hutchinson	17-29-0	250	1	71

Receiving	Rec	Yds	TD	Long
Knue	8	121	0	71
Cannon	5	76	1	37
Odukoya	2	28	0	20

Tackles: Myrick 10 (1 TFL), Vines 8 (1 TFL), Hernandez 7 (1 PBU), Merritt 6 (1 sack), Rush 6 (2 sacks), Lafleur 1 (INT)

Team Statistics	EMU	BSU
First Downs	22	30
Rush Yds	227	304
Pass Yds	250	232
Passing	17-29-0	22-32-1
Total Offense	477	536
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	1-1
Penalties-Yds	5-48	7-65
Punts (Avg)	3-44.0	3-45.0
TOP	29:43	30:17
3rd Downs	3-11	4-13
4th Downs	1-3	3-3
Red Zone	4-4	4-4
Sacks (Yards)	3-20	0-0

BSU Leaders

Rushing	Att	Yds	TD	Long
Huntley	34	204	3	21
Hall	4	70	0	34
Jones	8	46	0	13

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long
Plitt	22-31-1	232	1	33

Receiving	Rec	Yds	TD	Long
Davis	7	69	0	19
Hall	7	55	0	16
Tyler	4	64	1	33

Tackles: Martin 15, Thomas 10, Cosby 8 (1 PBU), Anderson 8 (1 PBU), Daw 5 (1 TFL, 1 FF), Williams 4, Phillips 4 (2 PBU)

GAME 3

NORTHERN ILL.	7	7	0	11	-	25
BALL STATE	0	14	6	11	-	31

Nov. 18, 2020 | Muncie, Ind. | Scheumann Stadium

The Bronze Stalk trophy will look good for another year in BSU's Fisher Football Training Complex. Ball State wore down visiting Northern Illinois 31-25, keeping the rivalry trophy in Muncie. The Cardinals won 27-20 at NIU last season.

"I'm just proud of the way the guys answered the bell in the second half," BSU head coach Mike Neu said. "We knew we had to go play a four-quarter game. No matter what would've happened in any previous play or previous quarter or half, we just needed to go play, battle, fight, scratch and claw, and the guys did that."

Perhaps the biggest play of the game came in the second quarter with Ball State trailing 14-7 and NIU threatening. Amechi Uzodinma II picked off a pass and ran it 71 yards for a touchdown to tie the game heading into halftime.

Caleb Huntley, one of the nation's top performers last week when he rushed for 204 yards and three touchdowns versus Eastern Michigan, took over after having only 19 yards at halftime. Huntley carried six times on the Cardinals' go-ahead drive, scoring a 3-yard touchdown with 5:12 left on the third-quarter clock. Ball State would lead for the rest of the game.

"The defense kept battling and battling and battling, and then we got that pick six," Neu said. "You could just feel the momentum shift there on the sideline. You could just feel the added punch that we needed."

Huntley, who entered the week third in the nation in yards per game, continued his dominance on the ground with 103 yards and a score against NIU. It was his seventh consecutive effort of 100 yards or more, which set a school record.

BSU extended its lead to 28-14 after Yo'Heinz Tyler made two big plays. Tyler took a Drew Plitt pass 64 yards to the NIU 13 and then was rewarded with the touchdown moments later. NIU answered with a scoring drive, but Ball State tacked on a 33-yard field goal from Jack Knight with 2:20 left in the game to lead 31-22. NIU added a late field goal and tried an onside kick in the final moments, but BSU was able to ice the game and retain the rivalry trophy.

Team Statistics	NIU	BSU
First Downs	24	23
Rush Yds	112	201
Pass Yds	300	214
Passing	27-41-1	17-25-1
Total Offense	412	415
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties-Yds	7-74	6-50
Punts (Avg)	5-43.6	2-47.5
TOP	32:10	27:50
3rd Downs	6-13	7-12
4th Downs	2-2	0-1
Red Zone	3-3	4-6
Sacks (Yards)	3-21	2-19

Qtr	Time	Team	Scoring Play	Drive	Score
1	12:04	NIU	Richie 17 yd pass from Bowers (Richardson kick)	7-75 (2:56)	7-0
2	14:40	BSU	Davis 5 yd pass from Plitt (Knight Kick)	8-78 (2:22)	7-7
2	11:39	NIU	Collins 2 yd run (Richardson kick)	6-74 (2:55)	14-7
2	4:29	BSU	Uzodinma 71 yd INT return (Knight kick)	--	14-14
3	5:12	BSU	Huntley 3 yd run (Synder pass failed)	9-59 (4:31)	14-20
4	12:17	BSU	Tyler 7 yd pass from Plitt (Davis pass from Plitt)	5-80 (1:44)	14-28
4	7:09	NIU	Collins 3 yd run (Crawford pass from Bowers)	13-80 (5:02)	22-28
4	2:20	BSU	Knight 33 yd FG	11-59 (4:49)	22-31
4	0:44	NIU	Richardson 41 yd FG	9-52 (1:30)	25-31

NIU Leaders

Rushing	Att	Yds	TD	Long
Waylee	17	63	0	28
Collins	8	46	2	11
Richie	2	9	0	10

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long
Bowers	27-40-1	300	1	47

Receiving	Rec	Yds	TD	Long
Richie	11	108	1	17
Crawford	6	52	0	21
Rudolph	5	95	0	47
Tucker	4	41	0	15

Tackles: Gandy 11, Lafayette 10 (1 sack), Pugh 9, Rayner 6 (.5 TFL), Thomas 5 (1 INT), Taylor 5 (.5 TFL), O'Malley 2 (1 sack)

BSU Leaders

Rushing	Att	Yds	TD	Long
Huntley	25	103	1	17
Evans	5	60	0	46
Hall	2	22	0	14

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long
Plitt	17-25-1	214	2	64

Receiving	Rec	Yds	TD	Long
Tyler	7	108	1	64
Hall	7	73	0	19
Davis	2	18	1	13
Rudy	1	15	0	15

Tackles: Cosby 14 (1 TFL), Thomas 13 (2 TFL), Martin 11 (.5 TFL), Anderson 8, Phillips 4, Wahee 4, Agyemang 3 (1 TFL), Uzodinma 2 (1 INT)

Team Statistics	BALL	OPP
SCORING	100	94
Points Per Game	33.3	31.3
Points Off Turnovers	7	14
FIRST DOWNS	79	72
Rushing	40	24
Passing	34	41
Penalty	5	7
RUSHING YARDAGE	674	473
Yards gained rushing	755	539
Yards lost rushing	81	66
Rushing Attempts	134	115
Average Per Rush	5.0	4.1
Average Per Game	224.7	157.7
TDs Rushing	7	7
PASSING YARDAGE	755	838
Comp-Att-Int	58-89-3	65-102-1
Average Per Pass	8.5	8.2
Average Per Catch	13.0	12.9
Average Per Game	251.7	279.3
TDs Passing	4	5
TOTAL OFFENSE	1429	1311
Total Plays	223	217
Average Per Play	6.4	6.0
Average Per Game	476.3	437.0
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	11-244	9-102
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	3--2	2-19
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	1-71	3-72
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	22.2	11.3
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	-0.7	9.5
INT RETURN AVERAGE	71.0	24.0
FUMBLES-LOST	2-1	4-2
PENALTIES-Yards	19-178	16-157
Average Per Game	59.3	52.3
PUNTS-Yards	9-404	13-566
Average Per Punt	44.9	43.5
Net punt average	42.8	40.6
KICKOFFS-Yards	19-1115	17-1014
Average Per Kick	58.7	59.6
Net kick average	42.8	39.4
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	28:23	31:37
3RD-DOWN Conversions	20/40	14/36
3rd-Down Pct	50%	39%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	3/4	4/6
4th-Down Pct	75%	67%
SACKS BY-Yards	5-41	12-72
MISC YARDS	0	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	12	12
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	5-8	3-5
ON-SIDE KICKS	0-0	0-1
RED-ZONE SCORES	(10-13) 77%	(13-14) 93%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	(8-13) 62%	(12-14) 86%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	(9-9) 100%	(11-11) 100%
ATTENDANCE	2042	0
Games/Avg Per Game	2/1021	1/0
Neutral Site Games		0/0

Score by Quarters	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
Ball State	14	27	21	38	0	100
Opponents	21	24	17	32	0	94

BALL STATE GAME-BY-GAME

Date	Opponent	Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot off
		no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp-att-int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	
Nov 04	at Miami	38	169	3	45	19	309	1	66	19-32-1	309	1	66	6	121	0	32	2	-1	0	0	478
Nov 11	EMU	52	304	3	34	22	232	1	33	22-32-1	232	1	33	4	116	0	42	0	0	0	0	536
Nov 18	NIU	44	201	1	46	17	214	2	64	17-25-1	214	2	64	1	7	0	7	1	-1	0	0	415
		134	674	7	46	58	755	4	66	58-89-3	755	4	66	11	244	0	42	3	-2	0	0	1429
Opponents		115	473	7	31	65	838	5	71	65-102-1	838	5	71	9	102	0	22	2	19	0	11	1311

Games: 3 • Avg/rush: 5.0 • Avg/catch: 13.0 • Pass effic: 144.52 • KR avg: 22.2 • PR avg: -0.7 • All purpose avg/game: 580.7 • Total offense avg/gm: 476.3

		Tackles				Sacks	Fumble		Pass Defense			blkd	PAT Attempts				off		
Date	Opponent	ua	a	total	tfl-yds	no-yds	ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup	kick	kick	rush	rcv	saf	t/o	pts	
Nov 04	at Miami	38	44	82	10.0-38	3.0-22	2	1-22	0-0	4	5	0	4-4	0	0	0	0	31	
Nov 11	EMU	41	34	75	2.0-2	0.0-0	1	1-0	0-0	2	4	0	3-3	0	1	0	0	38	
Nov 18	NIU	37	32	69	5.0-24	2.0-19	0	0-0	1-71	2	5	0	2-2	0	1	0	7	31	
		116	110	226	17.0-64	5.0-41	3	2-22	1-71	8	14	0	9-9	0	2	0	7	100	
Opponents		118	136	254	17.0-79	11.0-66	1	1-0	3-72	3	11	0	11-11	0	1	0	14	94	

		Punting									Field Goals			Kickoffs				
Date	Opponent	no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
Nov 04	at Miami	4	174	43.5	51	0	0	3	1	2	1-3	47	0	6	390	65.0	5	0
Nov 11	EMU	3	135	45.0	53	0	0	1	2	2	3-3	51	0	7	362	51.7	1	0
Nov 18	NIU	2	95	47.5	60	0	0	0	1	0	1-2	33	0	6	363	60.5	2	0
		9	404	44.9	60	0	0	4	4	4	5-8	51	0	19	1115	58.7	8	0
Opponents		13	566	43.5	49	0	2	2	0	4	3-5	52	0	17	1014	59.6	4	1

OPPONENT GAME-BY-GAME

Date	Opponent	Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot off
		no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp-att-int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	
Nov 04	at Miami	42	134	2	31	21	288	3	33	21-32-0	288	3	33	1	21	0	21	0	0	0	0	422
Nov 11	EMU	41	227	3	31	17	250	1	71	17-29-0	250	1	71	4	40	0	21	1	11	0	11	477
Nov 18	NIU	32	112	2	28	27	300	1	47	27-41-1	300	1	47	4	41	0	22	1	8	0	8	412
		115	473	7	31	65	838	5	71	65-102-1	838	5	71	9	102	0	22	2	19	0	11	1311
Ball State		134	674	7	46	58	755	4	66	58-89-3	755	4	66	11	244	0	42	3	-2	0	0	1429

Games: 3 • Avg/rush: 4.1 • Avg/catch: 12.9 • Pass effic: 146.95 • KR avg: 11.3 • PR avg: 9.5 • All purpose avg/game: 501.3 • Total offense avg/gm: 437.0

		Tackles				Sacks	Fumble		Pass Defense			blkd	PAT Attempts			off		
Date	Opponent	ua	a	total	tfl-yds	no-yds	ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup	kick	kick	rush	rcv	saf	t/o	pts
Nov 04	at Miami	39	40	79	7.0-32	6.0-25	1	0-0	1-18	1	6	0	5-5	0	0	0	7	38
Nov 11	EMU	52	40	92	5.0-24	3.0-20	0	1-0	1-54	1	3	0	4-4	0	0	0	7	31
Nov 18	NIU	27	56	83	5.0-23	3.0-21	0	0-0	1-0	1	2	0	2-2	0	1	0	0	25
		118	136	254	17.0-79	11.0-66	1	1-0	3-72	3	11	0	11-11	0	1	0	14	94
Ball State		116	110	226	17.0-64	5.0-41	3	2-22	1-71	8	14	0	9-9	0	2	0	7	100

		Punting									Field Goals			Kickoffs				
Date	Opponent	no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
Nov 04	at Miami	5	216	43.2	49	0	0	1	0	2	1-1	37	0	7	426	60.9	0	0
Nov 11	EMU	3	132	44.0	47	0	1	1	0	1	1-2	52	0	6	372	62.0	2	0
Nov 18	NIU	5	218	43.6	49	0	1	0	0	1	1-2	41	0	4	216	54.0	2	1
		13	566	43.5	49	0	2	2	0	4	3-5	52	0	17	1014	59.6	4	1
Ball State		9	404	44.9	60	0	0	4	4	4	5-8	51	0	19	1115	58.7	8	0

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Rushing	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
HUNTLEY, Caleb	3	80	440	3	437	5.5	6	45	145.7	33	576	2953	51	2902	5.0	21	54	87.9
HALL, Justin	3	8	109	0	109	13.6	1	34	36.3	39	63	508	20	488	7.7	4	34	12.5
EVANS, Tye	3	5	60	0	60	12.0	0	46	20.0	15	9	109	2	107	11.9	0	46	7.1
JONES, Will	2	9	54	2	52	5.8	0	13	26.0	24	39	269	16	253	6.5	1	80	10.5
PLITT, Drew	3	28	89	72	17	0.6	0	12	5.7	28	189	699	439	260	1.4	8	51	9.3
DAVIS, Antwan	3	1	1	0	1	1.0	0	1	0.3	27	1	1	0	1	1.0	0	1	0.0
TEAM	2	3	2	4	-2	-0.7	0	0	-1.0									
Total	3	134	755	81	674	5.0	7	46	224.7									
Opponents	3	115	539	66	473	4.1	7	31	157.7									

Passing	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
PLITT, Drew	3	146.16	58-88-3	65.9	755	4	66	251.7	28	138.55	423-673-21	62.9	5111	37	66	182.5
TEAM	2	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0								
Total	3	144.52	58-89-3	65.2	755	4	66	251.7								
Opponents	3	146.95	65-102-1	63.7	838	5	71	279.3								

Receiving	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
TYLER, Yo'Heinz	3	19	238	12.5	2	64	79.3	27	60	968	16.1	9	64	35.9
HALL, Justin	3	18	252	14.0	1	66	84.0	39	226	2359	10.4	10	66	60.5
DAVIS, Antwan	3	15	197	13.1	1	33	65.7	27	71	897	12.6	4	40	33.2
RUDY, Cody	3	3	31	10.3	0	15	10.3	38	7	52	7.4	1	15	1.4
LITTLES, Hassan	3	1	15	15.0	0	15	5.0	30	15	136	9.1	0	17	4.5
HUNTLEY, Caleb	3	1	13	13.0	0	13	4.3	33	19	81	4.3	0	13	2.5
HOHLT, Trevor	2	1	9	9.0	0	9	4.5	24	7	80	11.4	0	22	3.3
Total	3	58	755	13.0	4	66	251.7							
Opponents	3	65	838	12.9	5	71	279.3							

Total Offense	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
PLITT, Drew	3	116	17	755	772	257.3	28	862	260	5111	5371	191.8
HUNTLEY, Caleb	3	80	437	0	437	145.7	33	576	2902	0	2902	87.9
HALL, Justin	3	8	109	0	109	36.3	39	63	488	0	488	12.5
EVANS, Tye	3	5	60	0	60	20.0	15	9	107	0	107	7.1
JONES, Will	2	9	52	0	52	26.0	24	39	253	0	253	10.5
DAVIS, Antwan	3	1	1	0	1	0.3	27	1	1	0	1	0.0
TEAM	2	4	-2	0	-2	-1.0						
Total	3	223	674	755	1429	476.3						
Opponents	3	217	473	838	1311	437.0						

Scoring	td	fg	PAT				dxdp	saf	pts	td	fg	PAT				dxdp	saf	pts
			kick	rush	rcv	pass						kick	rush	rcv	pass			
HUNTLEY, Caleb	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	126
KNIGHT, Jack	-	4-7	9-9	-	-	-	-	-	21	-	4-7	9-9	-	-	-	-	-	21
TYLER, Yo'Heinz	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	14	9	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	56
HALL, Justin	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	14	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	86
DAVIS, Antwan	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	8	4	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	26
UZODINMA, A.	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
LEWIS, Jacob	-	1-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	1-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
SNYDER, Nathan	-	-	-	-	-	0-1	-	-	0	-	-	-	-	-	0-1	-	-	0
PLITT, Drew	-	-	-	-	-	2-2	-	-	0	8	-	-	-	-	4-5	-	-	48
Total	12	5-8	9-9	-	2	2-3	-	-	100									
Opponents	12	3-5	11-11	-	1	1-1	-	-	94									

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
HALL, Justin	3	-2	-0.7	0	0	10	50	5.0	0	22
Total	3	-2	-0.7	0	0					
Opponents	2	19	9.5	0	11					

SEASON

CAREER

Kick Returns

	no.	yds	avg	td	lg		no.	yds	avg	td	lg
HALL, Justin	9	222	24.7	0	42		22	486	22.1	0	42
JAMES-GRAY, I.	1	15	15.0	0	15		1	15	15.0	0	15
DAW, Jimmy	1	7	7.0	0	7		4	57	14.2	0	22
Total	11	244	22.2	0	42						
Opponents	9	102	11.3	0	22						

Interceptions

	no.	yds	avg	td	lg		no.	yds	avg	td	lg
UZODINMA, A.	1	71	71.0	1	71		7	133	19.0	1	71
Total	1	71	71.0	1	71						
Opponents	3	72	24.0	0	54						

Fumble Returns

	no.	yds	avg	td	lg		no.	yds	avg	td	lg
JILLANI, Emeka	1	22	22.0	0	22		1	22	22.0	0	22
Total	1	22	22.0	0	22						
Opponents	0	0	0.0	0	0						

All Purpose

	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g		g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
HALL, Justin	3	109	252	-2	222	0	581	193.7		39	488	2359	50	486	0	3383	86.7
HUNTLEY, Caleb	3	437	13	0	0	0	450	150.0		33	2902	81	0	0	0	2983	90.4
TYLER, Yo'Heinz	3	0	238	0	0	0	238	79.3		27	0	968	0	0	0	968	35.9
DAVIS, Antwan	3	1	197	0	0	0	198	66.0		27	1	897	0	0	0	898	33.3
UZODINMA, A.	3	0	0	0	0	71	71	23.7		27	0	0	0	0	133	133	4.9
EVANS, Tye	3	60	0	0	0	0	60	20.0		15	107	0	0	0	0	107	7.1
JONES, Will	2	52	0	0	0	0	52	26.0		24	253	45	0	0	0	298	12.4
RUDY, Cody	3	0	31	0	0	0	31	10.3		38	0	52	0	2	0	54	1.4
PLITT, Drew	3	17	0	0	0	0	17	5.7		28	260	26	0	0	0	286	10.2
JAMES-GRAY, I.	3	0	0	0	15	0	15	5.0		3	0	0	0	15	0	15	5.0
LITTLES, Hassa	3	0	15	0	0	0	15	5.0		30	0	136	-3	0	0	133	4.4
HOHLT, Trevor	2	0	9	0	0	0	9	4.5		24	-1	80	0	0	0	79	3.3
DAW, Jimmy	3	0	0	0	7	0	7	2.3		27	0	0	0	57	0	57	2.1
TEAM	2	-2	0	0	0	0	-2	-1.0									
Total	3	674	755	-2	244	71	1742	580.7									
Opponents	3	473	838	19	102	72	1504	501.3									

Field Goals

	att	good	long	blkd		att	good	long	blkd
KNIGHT, Jack	7	4	47	0		7	4	47	0
LEWIS, Jacob	1	1	51	0		1	1	51	0
Total	8	5	51	0					
Opponents	5	3	52	0					

Punting

	no.	yds	avg	lg	blk		no.	yds	avg	lg	blk
SNYDER, Nathan	8	361	45.1	60	0		122	4886	40.0	62	5
PLITT, Drew	1	43	43.0	43	0		3	102	34.0	43	0
Total	9	404	44.9	60	0						
Opponents	13	566	43.5	49	0						

Kickoffs

	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob		no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
LEWIS, Jacob	19	1115	58.7	8	0		19	1115	58.7	8	0
Total	19	1115	58.7	8	0						
Opponents	17	1014	59.6	4	1						

SEASON													CAREER										
##	Defensive Leaders	gp	ua	a	total	tfl	sack	int	pbu	fr	ff	blk	gp	ua	a	total	tfl	sack	int	pbu	fr	ff	blk
7	MARTIN, Brandon	3	19	18	37	1.5	.	.	1	.	.	.	28	86	78	164	5.5	1.0	1	1	.	.	.
6D	THOMAS, Jaylin	3	14	19	33	3.0	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	37	133	111	244	19.5	4.5	1	4	1	1	.
5	COSBY, Bryce	3	13	10	23	1.0	.	.	1	.	.	.	39	139	104	243	7.5	.	6	10	2	1	.
23	ANDERSON, B.	3	15	8	23	0.0	.	.	1	.	.	.	3	15	8	23	0.0	.	.	1	.	.	.
27	DAW, Jimmy	3	8	8	16	1.5	.	.	.	.	1	.	27	52	38	90	10.5	2.0	.	2	1	1	.
21	PHILLIPS, A.	3	9	4	13	0.0	.	.	4	.	.	.	34	64	54	118	2.0	1.0	6	16	.	1	.
9D	ALBRIGHT, C.	3	3	9	12	3.0	1.0	.	1	.	.	.	39	88	88	176	25.5	12.0	2	8	1	7	.
14	WAHEE, J.T.	3	6	4	10	1.0	.	.	2	.	.	.	3	6	4	10	1.0	.	.	2	.	.	.
3	UZODINMA, A.	3	7	3	10	0.0	.	1	2	.	.	.	27	50	13	63	0.0	.	7	19	1	1	.
31	EKPE, Anthony	3	5	2	7	3.5	2.5	.	.	.	1	.	3	5	2	7	3.5	2.5	.	.	.	1	.
13	WILLIAMS, J.	3	1	5	6	0.5	.	.	.	.	1	.	26	24	20	44	11.5	4.5	.	1	3	3	.
90	TARANGO, Joshua	3	1	5	6	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	5	6	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
0D	AGYEMANG, Chris	3	.	5	5	1.0	0.5	.	2	.	.	.	3	.	5	5	1.0	0.5	.	2	.	.	.
95	JILLANI, Emeka	2	2	2	4	0.0	.	.	.	1	.	.	13	5	9	14	0.0	.	.	.	1	.	.
94	SAPE, Jack	3	2	2	4	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	3	2	5	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
67	RAMSEY, Justen	3	1	2	3	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	15	5	3	8	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
17	JONES, Nic	3	3	.	3	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	15	18	3	21	1.0	.	.	4	.	.	.
28	LEE, Malcolm	3	2	.	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	21	8	5	13	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
42	GRENDA, Hank	3	1	1	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	25	10	15	25	1.0	.	.	.	1	.	.
24	JONES, Will	2	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	24	5	2	7	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
16	LITTLES, Hassan	3	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	30	10	1	11	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
32	COLL, Clayton	3	.	1	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	15	7	12	19	0.5	0.5	.	.	1	1	.
2	HUNTLEY, Caleb	3	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	33	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
44	BURNS, Brock	3	.	1	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	21	18	21	39	2.0	0.5	.	.	.	1	.
9	PLITT, Drew	3	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	28	2	.	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
97	HARRIS, John	2	.	1	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	1	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
30	EVANS, Tye	3	.	.	.	0.0	.	.	.	1	.	.	15	3	.	3	0.0	.	.	.	1	.	.
Total		3	116	110	226	17	5	1	14	2	3	.											
Opponents		3	118	136	254	17	12	3	11	1	1	.											