

6 MAC CHAMPIONSHIPS • 4 MAC WEST DIVISION TITLES • 11 BOWL APPEARANCES

BALL STATE FOOTBALL



BALL STATE CARDINALS (3-5, 2-2 MAC)

Home: 3-0 | Away: 0-5 | Streak: Lost 1
Head Coach: Mike Uremovich (1st season)



vs



KENT STATE GOLDEN FLASHES (3-5, 2-2 MAC)

Home: 3-1 | Away: 0-4 | Streak: Won 1
Head Coach: Mark Carney (1st season)

Game 9 | Wednesday, Nov. 5 (7:00 p.m. ET kickoff) | Muncie, Ind. | Scheumann Stadium (22,500)

LIVE COVERAGE

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2025 SCHEDULE

AUGUST

30 Sat. at Purdue BTN L, 0-31

SEPTEMBER

6 Sat. at Auburn ESPNU L, 3-42

13 Sat. NEW HAMPSHIRE ESPN+ W, 34-29

20 Sat. at Connecticut CBSSN L, 25-31

OCTOBER

4 Sat. OHIO * CBSSN W, 20-14

11 Sat. at Western Michigan * ESPN+ L, 0-42

18 Sat. AKRON * ESPN+ W, 42-28

25 Sat. at Northern Illinois * ESPN+ L, 7-21

NOVEMBER

5 Wed. KENT STATE * ESPNU 7 p.m.

15 Sat. EASTERN MICHIGAN * TBD TBD

22 Sat. at Toledo * TBD TBD

29 Sat. at Miami (Ohio) * TBD TBD

DECEMBER

6 Sat. MAC Championship Game | Ford Field

* indicates MAC game

Home games in BOLD CAPS; all times Eastern

CARDINALS HOST KENT STATE LOOKING TO REMAIN UNDEFEATED AT HOME

» The Ball State football team will put its unblemished home record on the line Wednesday when it hosts Kent State for its lone Midweek #MACTion game of the 2025 season. The Cardinals have won three straight in the series versus the Golden Flashes, including a 37-35 win last season in Kent, Ohio. Ball State used a 41-yard touchdown run by Vaughn Pemberton in the games' final moments to seal the victory, fending off both a fourth-quarter storm from Kent State and an actual rainstorm.

» The last time at "The Scheu" the Cardinals tallied a 42-28 homecoming win over Akron on Saturday, Oct. 18. It was Ball State's fourth straight homecoming victory and moved the squad to 3-0 at home for the first time since the 2020 season.

» The Ball State offense has shined at Scheumann Stadium so far this season, averaging 32.0 points per game. The Cardinals two highest-scoring games of the year have come at home; a 42-28 victory over Akron and a 34-29 win over New Hampshire. Ball State averages 232.0 yards on the ground and 149.3 yard through the air at "The Scheu" in 2025, while scoring 12 offensive touchdowns and one defensive TD, along with one field goal and a safety.

» Ball State defensive end **Nathan Voorhis** continued his stellar start to the 2025 season last Saturday at Northern Illinois, picking up his MAC-leading 10th sack of the season. Voorhis, who enters the week ranked second nationally in total sacks, has earned at least one sack in six of Ball State's eight games, including a career-high 3.5 in the Oct. 4 victory over Ohio.

» With four games remaining, Voorhis' 10 sacks are within reach of Ball State's official single-season record of 11.5, and its all-time mark of 13. Voorhis also is second on the team in overall tackles (37), trailing only **Alfred Chea** (44). Voorhis, who picked up six tackles at NIU, has a total of 13 tackles for loss this season to set the opposition back 74 yards.

» Offensively, **Qua Ashley** and **Kiael Kelly** remain the Cardinals' rushing leaders with 513 and 417 net rush yards this season. Kelly's 982 passing yards this season already have surpassed his first three seasons combined (608), more than doubling his career total to 1,590.

» Over the last three games, the Ball State defense has forced seven turnovers -- four interceptions and three fumble recoveries. The Cardinals collected just one turnover in the first five games. It is the most turnovers in a three-game span since the 2021 season, when Ball State forced eight over the final three games of the regular season.

WHAT A WIN MEANS:

» Ball State will be looking to move to 4-0 in Scheumann Stadium for the first time since the 2013 season in which the Cardinals went 6-0 at home and boasted a 10-3 overall record to earn a berth into the GoDaddy Bowl in Mobile, Alabama.

» Would move the Cardinals to 3-2 in MAC play for the first time since the 2022 season, when Ball State used a 27-20 road victory over Kent State to reach the mark.

By the Numbers

5-5

Kiael Kelly's record in the MAC as QB1. He was 3-3 during a six-game stretch in 2023, and 2-2 to begin the 2025 campaign.

10

Sacks by **Nathan Voorhis**, through eight games, are the most by a Cardinal since Anthony Winbush had 11.5 in the 2017 season.

4-0

Ball State is looking to improve to 4-0 at home for the first time since the 2013 season, when the Cardinals went 6-0 at "The Scheu".

49

Kiael Kelly (1,315) is 49 yards from replacing **Riley Neal** (1,363) in second place among career rushing leaders by a Ball State QB.

MAC Championships

1976, 1978, 1989, 1993, 1996, 2020

MAC West Division Titles

2001, 2007, 2008, 2020

Bowl Appearances

1965, 1967, 1989, 1993, 1996, 2007, 2008, 2012, 2013, 2020, 2021

Unbeaten and Untied

1949



Numerical

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown/Previous School
0	Alfred Chea	LB	6-2	226	R-Sr.	Jacksonville, Fla./Connecticut
0	Elijah Jackson	RB	5-8	175	R-So.	Indianapolis, Ind./Purdue
1	Kiael Kelly	QB	6-2	196	R-Sr.	Tampa, Fla./Gaither HS
1	Joedrick Lewis	DB	5-11	178	R-Sr.	Houston, Texas/Southeast Missouri State
2	Michael Gravely Jr.	DB	6-0	201	R-Sr.	Cleveland, Ohio/Western Michigan
2	Ty Robinson	WR	6-4	202	R-Jr.	Aurora, Colo./Colorado
3	George Okorie	DL	6-3	249	R-Fr.	Vancouver, B.C./Vanderbilt
3	Eric Weatherly	WR	5-8	179	R-Jr.	Jacksonville, Fla./Bucknell
4	TJ Horton	RB	5-10	208	R-So.	Lexington, Ky./Frederick Douglass HS
4	Eric McClain	DB	6-0	181	So.	Lombard, Ill./Glenbard East HS
5	Qian Magwood	WR	6-0	188	R-Sr.	Hilltop, Ohio/Walnut Ridge HS
5	Roman Pearson	DB	6-2	198	R-Jr.	Pickerington, Ohio/Bucknell
6	Koby Gross	TE	6-2	234	R-Sr.	San Ramon, Calif./Florida A&M
6	Caden Johnson	LB	6-2	228	R-Jr.	Lexington, Ky./Frederick Douglass HS
7	Walter Taylor III	QB	6-5	241	R-Jr.	Jackson, Ala./Colorado
7	Ashton Whitner	DB	5-11	196	R-Jr.	Greenville, S.C./Old Dominion
8	Avery Stuart	DB	6-1	205	R-So.	Montgomery, Ala./Kentucky
9	Qua Ashley	RB	5-10	191	R-Jr.	Dublin, Ga./Kennesaw State
9	Micah Wing	OLB	6-2	229	R-Jr.	Wilmington, Del./Dodge City CC
10	Jahmad Harmon	DB	5-10	180	R-So.	Indianapolis, Ind./Kent State
10	Jamarion McDougale	WR	6-0	176	R-So.	Deerfield Beach, Fla./Butler CC
11	Donovan Lanier	DB	5-11	168	Fr.	Winter Garden, Fla./West Orange HS
11	Isaiah Thacker	WR	5-11	194	R-So.	New Palestine, Ind./New Palestine HS
12	Bradyn Fleharty	WR	6-3	195	R-Fr.	Galloway, Ohio/Yale
12	Deondre Shepherd	DB	5-10	199	R-Fr.	McKinney, Texas/Coastal Carolina
13	Kamron Chamble	DB	5-11	185	Fr.	Daytona Beach, Fla./Spruce Creek HS
13	Khalel Wright	QB	6-1	191	Fr.	Charlotte, N.C./Charlotte Country Day HS
14	Tobi Adewoyin	DB	5-11	185	Fr.	Atlanta, Ga./North Atlanta HS
14	Elisha Durham	WR	6-1	169	Fr.	Pontiac, Mich./West Bloomfield HS
15	Derek "DJ" Fields	DB	6-1	199	R-So.	Saint Charles, Mo./Chaminade HS
15	Aidan Leffler	QB	6-1	216	R-Jr.	Indianapolis, Ind./Roncalli HS
16	Muheem McCargo	DB	5-10	215	R-Sr.	Camden, N.J./Virginia Union
17	Trey Firestone	WR	6-3	209	R-So.	Zionsville, Ind./Purdue
18	Bodie Derrer	QB	6-2	210	R-Fr.	Arcadia, Ind./Hamilton Heights HS
18	Jackson Wiegold	LB	6-2	224	R-Sr.	Vernon Hills, Ill./Vernon Hills HS
19	Nick Presley	WR	6-0	199	Sr.	Cincinnati, Ohio/Walnut Hills HS
20	Willizhuan Yates	DB	6-0	161	So.	Springboro, Ohio/Springboro HS
21	Joey Stemler	LB	6-1	240	R-Sr.	Cincinnati, Ohio/Elder HS
22	Jack Beebe	LB	6-1	226	R-Sr.	Plainfield, Ind./Plainfield HS
22	Jalen Bonds	RB	6-0	216	Fr.	Indianapolis, Ind./Cathedral HS
23	Jordan Suggs	DB	6-0	177	R-Fr.	O'Fallon, Ill./O'Fallon Township HS
24	Jalen Alexander	RB	5-11	187	R-Fr.	Fishers, Ind./Hamilton Southeastern HS
24	Gabe Arambolles	DB	6-0	220	Fr.	Westfield, Ind./Westfield HS
25	Mikeah Webster	LB	6-0	241	Fr.	Sheridan, Ind./Westfield HS
26	Lucas Szymborski	LB	6-2	218	Fr.	Crown Point, Ind./Crown Point HS
29	Micah Lillard	DB	6-1	191	R-Fr.	Lafayette, Ind./Lafayette Jefferson HS
30	Jalon Jones	DB	5-10	185	R-Jr.	Hillside, Ill./York Community HS
31	DeJuan Echoles Jr.	LB	6-1	235	R-Jr.	Indianapolis, Ind./Warren Central HS
33	Darin Conley	DT	6-3	284	R-So.	Kansas City, Mo./The Pembroke Hill School
34	Coby Tripp	LS	6-0	193	Fr.	Spring Arbor, Mich./Western HS
35	Russell Peterson	DB	6-2	193	R-Fr.	Avon, Ind./Avon HS
36	Ben Dutton	TE	6-3	243	R-So.	Shoreline, Wash./Washington State
38	Jayden Bernavil	DB	5-7	184	R-So.	Indianapolis, Ind./Westfield HS
38	Brody Boehm	K/P	6-1	201	R-Fr.	Westfield, Ind./Missouri
39	Zavier Simpson	LB	6-1	221	R-Sr.	Indianapolis, Ind./Wake Forest
40	DC Pippin	K	6-0	187	R-Sr.	Springfield, Ill./Southeast Missouri State
41	Ben Marsh	DE	6-2	249	R-So.	Hilliard, Ohio/Darby HS
42	Layton Starks	OLB	6-4	234	R-Fr.	Versailles, Ky./Woodford County HS
43	Adam Saul	P	6-6	186	R-Sr.	Gurnee, Ill./Washington
44	Nathan Voorhis	DE	6-3	247	Sr.	Stroudsburg, Pa./Bryant
44	Maximus Webster	TE	6-2	234	R-So.	Sheridan, Ind./Westfield HS
45	Caden Britton	LS	5-10	206	R-Jr.	New Albany, Ohio/New Albany HS
45	Cole Earlewine	DB	5-11	204	R-So.	Fishers, Ind./Hamilton Southeastern HS
47	Drew Hughes	DT	6-2	294	R-Sr.	Willow Springs, Ill./Nazareth Academy

Alphabetical

No.	Name	Pos.
14	Tobi Adewoyin	DB
24	Jalen Alexander	RB
85	Kameron Anthony	TE
24	Gabe Arambolles	DB
9	Qua Ashley	RB
75	Zach Bandy	OL
71	Brady Barrowman	OL
22	Jack Beebe	LB
38	Jayden Bernavil	DB
91	Jamar Birden	DE
38	Brody Boehm	K/P
22	Jalen Bonds	RB
45	Caden Britton	LS
89	Drew Cassens	TE
13	Kamron Chamble	DB
0	Alfred Chea	LB
81	Leo Collins	TE
33	Darin Conley	DT
87	Jackson Constantine	TE
70	Tristan Cook	OL
61	Luke Dalton	OL
18	Bodie Derrer	QB
77	Adam Dolan	OL
14	Elisha Durham	WR
36	Ben Dutton	TE
45	Cole Earlewine	DB
31	DeJuan Echoles Jr.	OLB
65	Ryan Eldridge	OL
48	Sam Feeney	OLB
15	Derek "DJ" Fields	DB
17	Trey Firestone	WR
12	Bradyn Fleharty	WR
56	Ameir Glenn	DT
2	Michael Gravely Jr.	DB
6	Koby Gross	TE
88	Donovan Hamilton	WR
10	Jahmad Harmon	DB
68	Grant Haworth	OL
62	Otto Hess	OL
57	Reese Hill	DT
83	Eli Hohlt	WR
98	Carson Holmer	K
66	Chris Hood	OL
84	Tate Hoover	TE
4	TJ Horton	RB
93	Scott Hudson	DT
47	Drew Hughes	DT
0	Elijah Jackson	RB
6	Caden Johnson	LB
30	Jalon Jones	DB
1	Kiael Kelly	QB
11	Donovan Lanier	DB
15	Aidan Leffler	QB
1	Joedrick Lewis	DB
29	Micah Lillard	DB
56	Isaac Lucas	OL
5	Qian Magwood	WR
41	Ben Marsh	DE
90	Lincoln Mason	DT
78	Kaden Mayle	OL
16	Muheem McCargo	DB
4	Eric McClain	DB
10	Jamarion McDougale	WR
73	Cole Mosier	OL

Numerical (cont.)

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown/Previous School
48	Sam Feeney	OLB	6-2	197	So.	Indianapolis, Ind./Bishop Chatard HS
49	Justin Thomas	OLB	6-0	243	R-Jr.	Floosmoor, Ill./U. of Indianapolis
52	Michael Thacker	DT	6-0	288	Fr.	New Palestine, Ind./New Palestine HS
54	Spencer Vaka	DT	6-1	280	R-So.	Shawnee, Kan./Dodge City CC
55	Michael Varon	OL	6-3	301	Fr.	Palatine, Ill./Fremd HS
56	Ameir Glenn	DT	6-1	307	R-Fr.	Fairburn, Ga./Wake Forest
56	Isaac Lucas	OL	6-3	298	R-So.	Youngstown, Ohio/Ursuline HS
57	Reese Hill	DT	6-3	299	R-Fr.	Greenfield, Ind./Purdue
60	Blake Scriber	OL	6-2	296	R-Fr.	Cincinnati, Ohio/Morgan State
61	Luke Dalton	OL	6-5	303	R-Jr.	Crystal Lake, Ill./Cincinnati
62	Otto Hess	OL	6-7	332	R-Sr.	Oswego, Ill./Boston College
63	Aaron Roberts	OL	6-4	299	R-Sr.	Indianapolis, Ind./Purdue
65	Ryan Eldridge	OL	6-7	288	Fr.	Goshen, Ind./Goshen HS
66	Chris Hood	OL	6-10	318	R-Jr.	Kendallville, Ind./East Noble HS
67	Jackson Ruess	OL	6-4	299	R-So.	Crown Point, Ind./Crown Point HS
68	Grant Haworth	OL	6-2	298	R-Fr.	Fishers, Ind./Fishers HS
70	Tristan Cook	OL	6-6	294	R-Fr.	Lexington, Ky./Woodford County HS
71	Brady Barrowman	OL	6-4	296	Fr.	Minooka, Ill./Minooka HS
72	Cody Smith	OL	6-8	298	R-So.	Sacramento, Calif./Liberty Ranch HS
73	Cole Mosier	OL	6-4	297	R-Jr.	Columbia City, Ind./Columbia City HS
74	Khristian Zachary	DT	6-3	314	R-Sr.	Fayetteville, Ga./Alabama A&M
75	Zach Bandy	OL	6-5	296	R-Fr.	Avon, Ind./Avon HS
76	CJ Zeltwanger	OL	6-4	275	Fr.	West Lafayette, Ind./Harrison HS
77	Adam Dolan	OL	6-9	309	R-Sr.	Clarkston, Mich./Butler
78	Kaden Mayle	OL	6-5	276	Fr.	Fremont, Ohio/Fremont Ross HS
80	Derion Talbert	WR	5-8	161	Fr.	Lexington, Ky./Frederick Douglass HS
81	Leo Collins	TE	6-3	229	R-So.	Evansville, Ind./Evansville Memorial HS
82	Dahya Patel	WR	6-1	192	R-Jr.	Lawrenceburg, Ind./Lawrenceburg HS
83	Eli Hohlt	WR	6-0	184	R-So.	Greenwood, Ind./Center Grove HS
84	Tate Hoover	TE	6-2	250	R-So.	Manhattan, Kan./Hutchinson CC
85	Kameron Anthony	TE	6-4	251	R-Fr.	Fishers Ind./Hamilton Southeastern HS
86	Mason Riggins	TE	6-5	253	Fr.	Zionsville, Ind./Zionsville HS
88	Donovan Hamilton	WR	6-4	203	R-Fr.	Fishers, Ind./Purdue
87	Jackson Constantine	TE	6-3	271	R-Jr.	Fishers, Ind./Hamilton Southeastern HS
89	Drew Cassens	TE	6-3	251	R-Sr.	Downers Grove, Ill./Butler
90	Lincoln Mason	DT	6-6	284	Fr.	Wilsonville, Ore./Wilsonville HS
91	Jamar Birden	DE	6-2	220	Fr.	Waycross, Ga./Ware County HS
92	Cole Stumbaugh	P	6-2	212	R-Fr.	Plainfield, Ill./Montini Catholic HS
93	Scott Hudson	DT	6-2	280	R-Sr.	Carmel, Ind./U. of Saint Francis (Ind.)
94	Hunter Sanderson	DT	6-5	283	R-Sr.	Perry, Mich./Alma College
97	Ashton Nawrocki	DE	6-2	248	Jr.	Elmhurst, Ill./Butler
98	Carson Holmer	K	6-1	212	R-Jr.	Avon, Ind./Avon HS

Alphabetical (cont.)

No.	Name	Pos.
97	Ashton Nawrocki	DE
3	George Okorie	DE
82	Dahya Patel	WR
5	Roman Pearson	DB
35	Russell Peterson	DB
40	DC Pippin	K
19	Nick Presley	WR
86	Mason Riggins	TE
63	Aaron Roberts	OL
2	Ty Robinson	WR
67	Jackson Ruess	OL
94	Hunter Sanderson	DT
43	Adam Saul	P
60	Blake Scriber	OL
12	Deondre Shepherd	DB
39	Zavier Simpson	LB
72	Cody Smith	OL
42	Layton Starks	OLB
21	Joey Stemler	LB
8	Avery Stuart	DB
92	Cole Stumbaugh	P
23	Jordan Suggs	DB
26	Lucas Szymborski	LB
80	Derion Talbert	WR
7	Walter Taylor III	QB
11	Isaiah Thacker	WR
52	Michael Thacker	DT
49	Justin Thomas	LB
34	Coby Tripp	LS
54	Spencer Vaka	DT
55	Michael Varon	OL
44	Nathan Voorhis	DE
3	Eric Weatherly	WR
44	Maximus Webster	TE
25	Mikeah Webster	LB
7	Ashton Whitner	DB
18	Jackson Wiegold	LB
9	Micah Wing	OLB
13	Khalel Wright	QB
20	Willizhuan Yates	DB
74	Khristian Zachary	DT
76	CJ Zeltwanger	OL

last roster update: August 14, 2025

Pronunciation Guide

Tobi Adewoyin	add-uh-WOY-in
Gabe Aramboles	err-um-BO-les
Qua Ashley	QUAY
Jack Beebe	BEE-bee
Jayden Bernavil	BUR-na-vull
Brody Boehm	BAME
Alfred Chea	CHAY
Elisha Durham	uh-LY-shuh (use “sh” not “j”)
Bodie Derrer	DARE
DeJuan Echoles	ECK-oles
Bradyn Fleharty	flee-ARR-ty
Ameir Glenn	uh-MEER
Jalon Jones	JAY-lin
Kiael Kelly	ky-ELL

Joedrick Lewis	joh-EDD-rick (goes by JoJo)
Qian Magwood	KEE-on
Kaden Mayle	MAY-lee
Muheem McCargo	moo-HEEM
Jamarion McDougle	juh-MAIR-ee-on
Cole Mosier	MO-zhure
Ashton Nawrocki	nuh-ROCK-ee
George Okorie	oh-KOR-ee
Dahya Patel	DY-uh puh-TELL
Jackson Ruess	REESE
Lucas Szymborski	zim-BOR-skee
Michael Varon	VERR-in
Nathan Voorhis	VORR-is

Maximus Webster	Maximus on first reference (otherwise just Max)
Mikeah Webster	MIKE-uh
Jackson Wiegold	WEE-gold
Khalel Wright	kuh-LEL
Willizhuan Yates	WILL-uh-zonn; goes by Will

Coaches	
Nick Fiacable	FEE-uh-cay-bul
Mayomi Olootu	my-OH-mee oh-LOW-too
Adam Siwicki	suh-WICK-ee
Mike Uremovich	yoo-REM-uh-vich
Jack Wellenhofer	well-en-HOFF-er

BREAKDOWN BY POSITION

QUARTERBACKS (5)

Bodie Derrer, R-Fr.
Kiael Kelly, R-Sr.
Aidan Leffler, R-Jr.
Walter Taylor III, R-Jr.
Khalael Wright, Fr.

WIDE RECEIVERS (13)

Elisha Durham, Fr.
Trey Firestone, R-So.
Bradyn Fleharty, R-Fr.
Donovan Hamilton, R-Fr.
Eli Hohlt, R-So.
Qian Magwood, R-Sr.
Jamarion McDougale, R-So.
Dahya Patel, R-Jr.
Nick Presley, Sr.
Ty Robinson, R-Sr.
Derion Talbert, Fr.
Isaiah Thacker, R-So.
Eric Weatherly, R-Jr.

RUNNING BACKS (6)

Jalen Alexander, R-Fr.
Qua Ashley, R-Jr.
Jalen Bonds, Fr.
T.J. Horton, R-So.
Elijah Jackson, R-So.

TIGHT ENDS (9)

Kameron Anthony, R-Fr.
Drew Cassens, R-Sr.
Leo Collins, R-So.
Jackson Constantine, R-Jr.
Koby Gross, R-Sr.
Ben Dutton, R-So.
Tate Hoover, R-So.
Mason Riggins, Fr.
Maximus Webster, R-Jr.

OFFENSIVE LINE (18)

Zach Bandy, R-Fr.
Brady Barrowman, Fr.
Tristan Cook, R-Fr.
Luke Dalton, R-Jr.
Adam Dolan, R-Sr.
Ryan Eldridge, Fr.
Grant Haworth, R-Fr.
Otto Hess, R-Sr.
Chris Hood, R-Jr.
Isaac Lucas, R-So.
Kaden Mayle, Fr.
Cole Mosier, R-Jr.
Aaron Roberts, R-Sr.
Jackson Ruess, R-So.
Blake Scriber, R-Fr.
Cody Smith, R-So.
Michael Varon, Fr.
C.J. Zeltwanger, Fr.

DEFENSIVE TACKLE (10)

Darin Conley, R-So.
Ameir Glenn, R-Fr.
Reese Hill, R-Fr.
Scott Hudson, R-Sr.
Drew Hughes, R-Sr.
Lincoln Mason, Fr.
Hunter Sanderson, R-Sr.
Michael Thacker, Fr.
Spencer Vaka, R-So.
Khristian Zachary, R-Sr.

DEFENSIVE END (5)

Jamar Birden, Fr.
Ben Marsh, R-So.
Ashton Nawrocki, Jr.
George Okorie, R-Fr.
Nathan Voorhis, Sr.

OUTSIDE LINEBACKERS (5)

DeJuan Echoles Jr., R-Jr.
Sam Feeney, So.
Layton Starks, R-Fr.
Justin Thomas, R-Jr.
Micah Wing, R-Jr.

LINEBACKERS (7)

Jack Beebe, R-Sr.
Alfred Chea, R-Sr.
Caden Johnson, R-Jr.
Joey Stemler, R-Sr.
Lucas Symborski, Fr.
Mikeah Webster, Fr.
Jackson Wiegold, R-Sr.

SNIPERS (6)

Gabe Arambales, Fr.
Muheem McCargo, R-Sr.
Zavier Simpson, R-Sr.
Micah Lillard, R-Fr.
Russell Peterson, R-Fr.
Ashton Whitner, R-Jr.

SAFETIES (8)

Tobi Adewoyin, Fr.
Kamron Chamble, Fr.
Cole Earlewine, R-So.
Derek "DJ" Fields, R-So.
Michael Gravely Jr., R-Sr.
Jahmad Harmon, R-So.
Deondre Shepard, R-Fr.
Avery Stuart, R-So.

CORNERBACKS (8)

Jayden Bernavil, R-So.
Jalon Jones, R-Jr.
Donovan Lanier, Fr.
Joedrick Lewis, R-Sr.
Eric McClain, So.
Roman Pearson, R-Jr.
Jordan Suggs, R-Fr.
Willizhuan Yates, So.

PUNTERS (3)

Brody Boehm, R-Fr (K/P)
Adam Saul, R-Sr.
Cole Stumbaugh, R-Fr.

KICKERS (3)

Brody Boehm, R-Fr (K/P)
Carson Holmer, R-Jr.
DC Pippin, R-Sr.

LONG SNAPPER (2)

Caden Britton, R-Jr.
Coby Tripp, Fr.

BREAKDOWN BY EXPERIENCE

LETTERMEN RETURNING (27)

OFFENSE (10)

Quarterback (1): Kiael Kelly
Running Back (1): TJ Horton
Offensive Line (2): Chris Hood, Cole Mosier
Tight End (1): Maximus Webster
Wide Receiver (5): Eli Hohlt, Qian Magwood, Dahya Patel, Nick Presley, Isaiah Thacker

DEFENSE (16)

Defensive Tackle (3): Darin Conley, Scott Hudson, Drew Hughes
Defensive End (1): Ben Marsh
Linebacker (4): Jack Beebe, Caden Johnson, Joey Stemler, Jackson Wiegold
Outside Linebacker (2): DeJuan Echoles, Sam Feeney
Cornerback (4): Jahmad Harmon, Jalon Jones, Eric McClain, Will Yates
Safety (2): Cole Earlewine, DJ Fields

SPECIAL TEAMS (1)

Kicker (1): Carson Holmer
Punter (none)
Long Snapper (none)

Lettermen Prior to 2024 in bold italics

LETTERMEN LOST (33)

OFFENSE (16)

Quarterback (1): Kadin Semonza
Running Back (3): Christian Davis, Vaughn Pemberton, Braedon Sloan
Offensive Line (5): Ethan Crowe, Damon Kaylor, Kevin Meeder, Jon Mucciolo, Taran Tyo
Tight End (4): Christian Abney, Tyce Ferrell, Tanner Koziol, Max Sullivan
Wide Receiver (3): Malcolm Gillie, Nick Munson, Cam Pickett

DEFENSE (14)

Defensive Line (5): Brandon Berger, Dakari Frazier, Ky Montgomery, Nathan Reichert, Riley Tolsma
Linebacker (2): Khalib Gilmore, Keionte Newson
Cornerback (3): Thailand Baldwin, Myles Norwood, Blair Schonhorst
Safety (4): Jordan Coleman, DD Snyder II, AJ Taylor, George Udo

SPECIAL TEAMS (3)

Kicker (1): Jackson Courville
Punter (1): Brian Cooley Jr.
Long Snapper (1): Tucker Dunn

RETURNERS WITH STARTING

EXPERIENCE (career starts)

OFFENSE: Kiael Kelly (QB/Util, 9), Qian Magwood (WR, 9), Chris Hood (OT, 8), Nick Presley (WR, 6), Maximus Webster (TE, 4), Ty Robinson (WR, 3), Luke Dalton (OG, 1), Cole Mosier (OL, 1), Cody Smith (OT, 1), Charlie Spegal (RB, 1), Isaiah Thacker (WR, 1)
DEFENSE: Joey Stemler (LB, 15), Drew Hughes (DL, 11), Eric McClain (DB, 6), Will Yates (DB, 5), Jahmad Harmon (DB, 2), Elijah Davis (DB, 1)
SPECIAL TEAMS: Carson Holmer (K, 3)

2024 Primary Starters in bold italics

STARTERS LOST (career starts)

OFFENSE: Ethan Crowe (C, 41), Damon Kaylor (OG, 39), Taran Tyo (OT, 23), Tanner Koziol (TE, 23), Jon Mucciolo (OG, 22), Malcolm Gillie (WR, 14), Kevin Meeder (OT, 13), Kadin Semonza (QB, 14), Braedon Sloan (RB, 11), Christian Abney (TE, 9), Cam Pickett (WR, 9), Justin Bowick (WR, 3), Tyce Ferrell (TE, 3), Vaughn Pemberton (RB, 2), Arkel Anugwom (OT, 1)
DEFENSE: Keionte Newson (LB, 25), Jordan Coleman (DB, 14), Brandon Berger (LB, 13), Riley Tolsma (DL, 12), George Udo (DB, 12), Nathan Reichert (DL, 10), DD Snyder II (DB, 10), Thailand Baldwin (DB, 7), Myles Norwood (DB, 7), Dakari Frazier (DL, 2)
SPECIAL TEAMS: Tucker Dunn (LS, 24), Jackson Courville (K, 21), Brian Cooley (P, 12)

2024 LETTERMEN AT A GLANCE

OFFENSE:	Returning: 8	Lost: 17
DEFENSE:	Returning: 14	Lost: 14
SPECIAL:	Returning: 1	Lost: 3
TOTAL:	Returning: 23	Lost: 34

2024 STARTERS AT A GLANCE

OFFENSE:	Returning: 2	Lost: 9
DEFENSE:	Returning: 4	Lost: 7
SPECIAL:	Returning: 0	Lost: 3
TOTAL:	Returning: 6	Lost: 19

HOW THE CARDINALS WERE BUILT

FALL 2020

High School Signees (1)
Qian Magwood

FALL 2021

High School Signees (5)
Jack Beebe
Drew Hughes
Kiael Kelly
Joey Stemler
Jackson Wiegold

SPRING 2022

High School Signees (3)
DeJuan Echoles Jr.
Jalon Jones
* Nick Presley
* 2021 grayshirt; signed Dec. 2020

FALL 2022

High School Signees (5)
Caden Britton
Jackson Constantine
Chris Hood
Caden Johnson
Maximus Webster
Walk-ons (4)
Carson Holmer
Aidan Leffler
Cole Mosier
Dahya Patel

SPRING 2023

High School Signees (2)
TJ Horton
Ben Marsh
Four-Year Transfers (1)
Zavier Simpson

FALL 2023

High School Signees (10)
Leo Collins
Darin Conley
Tristan Cook
Cole Earlewine
Derek "DJ" Fields
Eli Hohlt
Isaac Lucas
Jackson Ruess
Cody Smith
Isaiah Thacker
Four-Year Transfers (2)
Jahmad Harmon
Ty Robinson

SPRING 2024

High School Signees (1)
Zach Bandy
Four-Year Transfers (3)
Luke Dalton
Trey Firestone
Justin Thomas
Junior College Transfers (1)
Jamarion McDougle

FALL 2024

High School Signees (9)
Jalen Alexander
Kameron Anthony
Bodie Derrer
Sam Feeney
Micah Lillard
Eric McClain
Layton Starks
Jordan Suggs
Willizhuan Yates
Four-Year Transfers (2)
Scott Hudson
Hunter Sanderson
Walk-ons (4)
Jayden Bernavil
Grant Haworth
Russell Peterson
Cole Stumbaugh

SPRING 2025

High School Signees (9)
Tobi Adewoyin
* Brady Barrowman
Kamron Chamble
Elisha Durham
* Ryan Eldridge
Donovan Lanier
* Mason Riggins
Michael Thacker
* CJ Zeltwanger
* 2024 grayshirt; signed Dec. 2023

Four-Year Transfers (14)

Qua Ashley
Brody Boehm
Drew Cassens
Alfred Chea
Michael Gravely Jr.
Elijah Jackson
Ashton Nawrocki
Roman Pearson
Deondre Shepherd
Avery Stuart
Walter Taylor III
Nathan Voorhis
Eric Weatherly
Ashton Whitner

Junior College Transfers (1)
Micah Wing

FALL 2025

High School Signees (8)
Gabe Arambales
Jamar Birden
Jalen Bonds
Kaden Mayle
Lucas Szymborski
Derion Talbert
Mikeah Webster
Khalel Wright
Four-Year Transfers (16)

Adam Dolan
Ben Dutton
Bradyn Fleharty
Ameir Glenn
Koby Gross
Donovan Hamilton
Otto Hess
Reese Hill
Joedrick Lewis
Muheem McCargo
George Okorie
DC Pippin
Aaron Roberts
Adam Saul
Blake Scriber
Khristian Zachary

Junior College Transfers (2)

Tate Hoover
Spencer Vaka
Walk-ons (3)
Lincoln Mason
Coby Tripp
Michael Varon

CARDINALS BY SIGNING STATUS

HIGH SCHOOL SIGNEES.....	53
FOUR-YEAR TRANSFERS.....	38
JUNIOR COLLEGE TRANSFERS.....	4
WALK-ONS.....	11

CARDINALS BY SEMESTER

FALL 2020	1
FALL 2021	5
SPRING 2022	3
FALL 2022	9
SPRING 2023	3
FALL 2023	12
SPRING 2024	5
FALL 2024	15

NEWCOMERS

SPRING 2025	24
FALL 2025	29

CARDINALS BY ELIGIBILITY

4 YEARS OF ELIGIBILITY (Fr/R-Fr)	39
3 YEARS OF ELIGIBILITY (So/R-So).....	23
2 YEARS OF ELIGIBILITY (Jr/R-Jr)	19
FINAL YEAR OF ELIGIBILITY (Sr/R-Sr)...	25

CARDINALS BY STATE

INDIANA	40
ILLINOIS	15
OHIO.....	12
FLORIDA	6
GEORGIA	5
KENTUCKY	5
MICHIGAN.....	4
ALABAMA.....	2
CALIFORNIA.....	2
KANSAS	2
MISSOURI	2
TEXAS	2
COLORADO.....	1
DELAWARE	1
NEW JERSEY	1
NORTH CAROLINA.....	1
OREGON.....	1
PENNSYLVANIA.....	1
SO. CAROLINA	1
WASHINGTON	1
CANADA/NIGERIA	1

TOTAL PLAYERS ON ROSTER 106

OFFENSE

Pos.	No.	Name (Ht., Wt., Yr., Hometown)
QB	1	Kiael Kelly (6-2, 196, R-Sr., Tampa, Fla.)
	7	Walter Taylor (6-5, 241, R-Jr., Jackson, Ala.)
	15	Aidan Leffler (6-1, 216, R-Jr., Indianapolis, Ind.)
OR	13	Khalel Wright (6-1, 191, Fr., Charlotte, N.C.)
	9	Qua Ashley (5-10, 191, R-Jr., Dublin, Ga.)
	4	TJ Horton (5-10, 209, R-So., Lexington, Ky.)
RB	0	Elijah Jackson (5-8, 175, R-So., Indianapolis, Ind.)
	21	Jalen Alexander (5-11, 187, R-Fr., Fishers, Ind.)
	22	Jalen Bonds (6-0, 216, Fr., Indianapolis, Ind.)
WR	5	Qian Magwood (6-0, 188, R-Jr., Hilltop, Ohio)
	82	Dahya Patel (6-1, 192, R-Jr., Lawrenceburg, Ind.)
	10	Jamarion McDougale (6-0, 176, R-So., Deerfield Beach, Fla.)
WR	11	Isaiah Thacker (5-11, 194, R-So., New Palestine, Ind.)
	88	Donovan Hamilton (6-4, 203, R-Fr., Fishers, Ind.)
	17	Trey Firestone (6-3, 209, R-So., Zionsville, Ind.)
WR	2	Ty Robinson (6-4, 202, R-Jr., Aurora, Colo.)
	14	Elisha Durham (6-1, 169, Fr., Pontiac, Mich.)
	3	Eric Weatherly (5-8, 179, R-Jr., Jacksonville, Fla.)
WR	83	Eli Hohlt (6-0, 184, R-So., Greenwood, Ind.)
	80	Derion Talbert (5-8, 161, Fr., Lexington, Ky.)
TE	6	Koby Gross (6-2, 234, R-Sr., San Ramon, Calif.)
	85	Kameron Anthony (6-4, 251, R-Fr., Fishers, Ind.)
	89	Drew Cassens (6-3, 251, R-Sr., Downers Grove, Ill.)
TE	44	Maximus Webster (6-2, 234, R-So., Sheridan, Ind.)
	84	Tate Hoover (6-2, 250, R-So., Manhattan, Kan.)
LT	66	Chris Hood (6-10, 318, R-Jr., Kendallville, Ind.)
	77	Adam Dolan (6-9, 309, R-Sr., Clarkston, Mich.)
	65	Ryan Eldridge (6-7, 288, Fr., Goshen, Ind.)
LG	63	Aaron Roberts (6-4, 299, R-Sr., Indianapolis, Ind.)
	75	Zach Bandy (6-5, 296, R-Fr., Avon, Ind.)
C	73	Cole Mosier (6-4, 297, R-Jr., Columbia City, Ind.)
	62	Otto Hess (6-7, 332, R-Sr., Oswego, Ill.)
	67	Jackson Ruess (6-4, 299, R-So., Crown Point, Ind.)
RG	56	Isaac Lucas (6-3, 298, R-So., Youngstown, Ohio)
	68	Grant Haworth (6-2, 298, R-Fr., Fishers, Ind.)
RT	70	Tristan Cook (6-6, 294, R-Fr., Lexington, Ky.)
	61	Luke Dalton (6-5, 303, R-Jr., Crystal Lake, Ill.)
	71	Brady Barrowman (6-4, 296, Fr., Minooka, Ill.)

SPECIALISTS

Pos.	No.	Name (Ht., Wt., Yr., Hometown)
K	98	Carson Holmer (6-1, 212, R-So., Avon, Ind.)
	40	DC Pippin (6-0, 187, R-Sr., Springfield, Ill.)
	38	Brody Boehm (6-1, 201, R-Sr., Westfield, Ind.)
P	43	Adam Saul (6-6, 186, R-Sr., Gurnee, Ill.)
	92	Cole Stumbaugh (6-2, 212, R-Fr., Plainfield, Ill.)
LS	45	Caden Britton (5-10, 206, R-Jr., New Albany, Ohio)
	34	Coby Tripp (6-0, 193, Fr., Spring Arbor, Mich.)
H	92	Cole Stumbaugh (6-2, 212, R-Fr., Plainfield, Ill.)
	43	Adam Saul (6-6, 186, R-Sr., Gurnee, Ill.)

DEFENSE

Pos.	No.	Name (Ht., Wt., Yr., Hometown)
DE	44	Nathan Voorhis (6-3, 247, Sr., Stroudsburg, Pa.)
	41	Ben Marsh (6-2, 249, R-So., Hilliard, Ohio)
	49	Justin Thomas (6-0, 243, R-Jr., Flossmoor, Ill.)
DE	97	Ashton Nawrocki (6-2, 248, Jr., Elmhurst, Ill.)
	3	George Okorie (6-3, 249, R-Fr., Vancouver, B.C.)
NT	47	Drew Hughes (6-2, 294, R-Sr., Willow Springs, Ill.)
	74	Khristian Zachary (6-3, 314, R-Sr., Fayetteville, Ga.)
	56	Ameir Glenn (6-1, 307, R-Fr., Fairburn, Ga.)
DE	57	Reese Hill (6-3, 299, R-Fr., Greenfield, Ind.)
	33	Darin Conley (6-3, 284, R-So., Kansas City, Mo.)
	93	Scott Hudson (6-2, 280, R-Sr., Carmel, Ind.)
DE	54	Spencer Vaka (6-1, 280, R-So., Shawnee, Kan.)
	** 94	Hunter Sanderson (6-5, 283, R-Sr., Perry, Mich.)
	52	Michael Thacker (6-0, 288, Fr., New Palestine, Ind.)
RUSH	9	Micah Wing (6-2, 229, R-Fr., Wilmington, Del.)
	31	DeJuan Echols Jr. (6-1, 235, R-Jr., Indianapolis, Ind.)
	42	Layton Starks (6-4, 234, R-Fr., Versailles, Ky.)
RUSH	48	Sam Feeney (6-2, 197, So., Indianapolis, Ind.)
	7	Ashton Whitner (5-11, 196, R-Jr., Greenville, S.C.)
	16	Muheem McCargo (5-10, 215, R-Sr., Camden, N.J.)
MLB	39	Zavier Simpson (6-1, 221, R-Sr., Indianapolis, Ind.)
	21	Joey Stemler (6-1, 240, R-Sr., Cincinnati, Ohio)
	6	Caden Johnson (6-2, 228, R-Jr., Lexington, Ky.)
MLB	18	Jackson Wiegold (6-2, 224, R-Sr., Vernon Hills, Ill.)
	25	Mikeah Webster (6-0, 241, Fr., Sheridan, Ind.)
WLB	0	Alfred Chea (6-2, 226, R-Sr., Jacksonville, Fla.)
	22	Jack Beebe (6-1, 226, R-Sr., Plainfield, Ind.)
	26	Lucas Szymborski (6-2, 218, Fr., Crown Point, Ind.)
FS	15	DJ Fields (6-1, 199, R-So., Saint Charles, Mo.)
	10	Jahmad Harmon (5-10, 180, R-So., Indianapolis, Ind.)
	8	Avery Stuart (6-1, 205, R-So., Montgomery, Ala.)
BS	2	Michael Gravely Jr. (6-0, 201, R-Sr., Cleveland, Ohio)
	12	Deondre Shepherd (5-10, 199, R-Fr., McKinney, Texas)
	45	Cole Earlewine (5-11, 204, R-So., Fishers, Ind.)
FCB	20	Will Yates (6-0, 161, So., Springboro, Ohio)
	1	Joedrick Lewis (5-11, 178, R-Sr., Houston, Texas)
	30	Jalon Jones (5-10, 185, R-Jr., Hillside, Ill.)
BCB	5	Roman Pearson (6-2, 198, R-Jr., Pickerington, Ohio)
	4	Eric McClain (6-0, 181, So., Lombard, Ill.)
	23	Jordan Suggs (6-0, 177, R-Fr., O'Fallon, Ill.)

Pos.	No.	Name (Ht., Wt., Yr., Hometown)
KO	40	DC Pippin (6-0, 187, R-Sr., Springfield, Ill.)
	98	Carson Holmer (6-1, 212, R-So., Avon, Ind.)
	40	DC Pippin (6-0, 187, R-Sr., Springfield, Ill.)
KR	4	TJ Horton (5-10, 209, R-So., Lexington, Ky.)
	3	Eric Weatherly (5-8, 179, R-Jr., Jacksonville, Fla.)
	0	Elijah Jackson (5-8, 175, R-So., Indianapolis, Ind.)
PR	3	Eric Weatherly (5-8, 179, R-Jr., Jacksonville, Fla.)
	5	Qian Magwood (6-0, 188, R-Jr., Hilltop, Ohio)
	1	Joedrick Lewis (5-11, 178, R-Sr., Houston, Texas)

** questionable on injury report

COACHING STAFF - WHERE YOU WILL FIND THEM

Mike Uremovich	Sideline	Head Coach (OC)
Jeff Knowles	Sideline	Defensive Coordinator, Linebackers
Craig Harmon	Sideline	Offensive Pass Game Coord., Quarterbacks
Adam Siwicki	Sideline	Defensive Run Game Coord., Defensive Line
Ray Smith	Sideline	Defensive Pass Game Coord., Cornerbacks
Alex Barr	Sideline	Offensive Line
Madison Bunch	Sideline	Running Backs
Sean Chase	Sideline	Tight Ends
Ray Holmes	Booth	Inside Receivers
Rory Mannering	Booth	Safeties
Jalen Moss	Booth	Snipers

Shaq Vann	Sideline	Wide Receivers
Nick Fiacable	Sideline	Special Teams Coordinator
Mayomi Olootu	Sideline	Assistant Secondary Coach
Matt Alderfer	Sideline	Grad Assistant, Offense
Josiah Milham	Sideline	Grad Assistant, Defense
Joey Suchy	Booth	Grad Assistant, Offense
Sam Urbanski	Booth	Grad Assistant, Defense
Jack Wellenhofer	Sideline	Grad Assistant, Special Teams
T.J. Greenstone, Director of Strength and Conditioning		
Alex Brun, Head Football Athletic Trainer		
Pete Roley, Chief of Staff		
Will Cinelli, Director of Player Personnel		

SERIES HISTORY

Date	Site	Winner	Score
9/24/77	A	Kent State	12-13
9/16/78	H	Ball State	27-3
9/22/79	A	Ball State	35-10
11/8/80	H	Ball State	34-7
10/17/81	H	Kent State	7-17
10/16/82	A	Ball State	21-3
10/15/83	A	Ball State	17-13
10/13/84	H	Kent State	10-15
10/19/85	A	Kent State	16-45
10/18/86	H	Ball State	26-17
10/10/87	H	Ball State	24-23
10/8/88	A	Ball State	31-20
10/14/89	A	Ball State	23-21
10/13/90	H	Ball State	31-0
9/21/91	H	Ball State	28-27
9/19/92	A	Ball State	10-6
11/20/93	H	Ball State	28-3
11/19/94	A	Ball State	34-0
11/4/95	A	Ball State	28-13
11/9/96	H	Ball State	50-6
11/10/01	H	Kent State	18-31
10/4/03	A	Ball State	34-17
11/24/06	H	Ball State	30-6
9/27/08	H	Ball State	41-20
10/30/10	A	Kent State	14-33
9/29/12	A	Kent State	43-45
10/12/13	H	Ball State	27-24
9/29/18	H	Ball State	52-24
11/23/19	A	Kent State	38-41
11/1/22	A	Ball State	27-20
11/18/23	H	Ball State	34-3
10/12/24	A	Ball State	37-35

Ball State leads, 24-8
at Ball State: Ball State leads, 13-3
at Kent State: Ball State leads, 11-5
Current Streak: Won 3
Current Home Streak: Won 5
Current Road Streak: Won 2
Longest Ball State Streak: 11 (1986-96)
Longest Kent State Streak: 2 (1984-85; 2010-12)

INSIDE THE SERIES: KENT STATE

► The Cardinals and Golden Flashes have met 32 times on the gridiron with Ball State claiming 24 victories, including last year's 37-35 road win. It tied as the second-closest road game against Kent State in series history.

► Ball State's .750 winning percentage against Kent State is the Cardinals' highest mark against a MAC opponent.

► Ball State has won five of the past six meetings against Kent State and has triumphed in 13 out of 16 match ups at home.

► The Cardinals have won the last five meetings played at Scheumann Stadium, outscoring the Golden Flashes 184 to 77 during the run, for an average margin of victory of 21.4 points per game.

► As part of the five-game home winning streak, Ball State's 52 points in the Sept. 29, 2018, victory were the most scored by either team in the series, with the second-most being 50 points by the Cardinals in the Nov. 9, 1996, showdown.

► Kent State has won consecutive games in the series just twice. Ball State's longest streak of consecutive wins was 11 -- at one point winning 14 out of 15 meetings between 1986 and 2008.

EVERY GAME TIGHT IN THE MAC

► Ten of Ball State's past 16 games in the MAC have been decided by six points or less. Ten of the last 14 have been decided by seven or less.

► Six out of eight Ball State games in the Mid-American Conference last year were decided by six points or less -- five of those by three points or less.

► Last season's only games not decided by six points or less were the season's final two games following a coaching change.

► The 2024 campaign marked the first time in program history with six or more MAC games decided by 6 points or fewer.

LIMIT THE FLAGS

► Ball State is the MAC's leader in fewest penalties (32), fewest penalty yards (259), fewest penalties per game (4.57) and fewest penalty yards per game (37.00).

	MAC Rk	FBS Rk
Fewest Penalties	1st	10th
Fewest Penalties/Gm	1st	14th
Fewest Penalty Yds	1st	10th
Fewest Penalty Yds/Gm	1st	12th

VOORHIS LEADING DEFENSIVE LINE SURGE

► **Nathan Voorhis** (pronounced VORR-is) has had a sack in six of Ball State's eight games and boasts seven sacks in the Cardinals' three home games, alone.

► His 3.5 sacks against Ohio set a career-high and his 10 total sacks through eight games (1.25 per game) are second among all FBS players.

TALE OF THE TAPE

2025 NCAA Statistics	Ball State	Kent State
Total Offense	272.8	268.1
Rushing Offense	143.0	87.6
Passing Offense	129.8	180.5
Team Passing Efficiency	115.96	138.00
Scoring Offense	16.4	18.6
Total Defense	415.6	465.5
Rushing Defense	186.0	204.9
Passing Yards Allowed	229.6	260.6
Team Passing Eff. Defense	144.23	145.93
Scoring Defense	29.8	36.5
Turnover Margin	-0.38	-0.25
3rd Down Conv. Pct	0.327	0.268
4th Down Conv. Pct	0.600	0.526
3rd Down Conv. Pct Defense	0.445	0.482
4th Down Conv. Pct Defense	0.600	0.182
Red Zone Offense	0.733	0.750
Red Zone Defense	0.833	0.853
Net Punting	37.92	33.91
Punt Returns	1.11	7.60
Kickoff Returns	19.29	26.73
First Downs Offense	116	104
First Downs Defense	173	199
Penalties Per Game	4.50	6.13
Penalty Yards Per Game	37.38	47.00
Time of Possession	28:41	28:38

FBS Sacks Leaders

Player	Gms	Sacks	Yds	SPG
1. David Bailey, Texas Tech	9	11.5	107	1.28
2. Nathan Voorhis, Ball State	8	10.0	65	1.25
3. Cashius Howell, Tex A&M	8	9.5	70	1.19
4. John Henry Daley, Utah	9	9.5	77	1.19
Bryun Parham, UConn	9	9.5	60	1.06
Nadame Tucker, W. Mich	9	9.5	78	1.06

CARDINALS' ALL-TIME SACKS LEADERS

► Current sack leader **Nathan Voorhis** boasts 10.0 sacks on the year, already more than last year's leader, Riley Tolsma, who had 5.5.

► Voorhis is just the second Ball State player since 2000 to record at least 10 sacks in a season. His current total of 10.0 is the most in a season for a Cardinals' defender since Anthony Winbush registered 11.5 in 2017.

► Voorhis is on pace to challenge Ball State's all-time sack leaders. The stat has been an official NCAA statistic since 2000, placing Anthony Winbush as the Cardinals' "NCAA-recognized official" record-holder with 11.5 sacks in 2017.

► Ball State has maintained sack statistics since 1978, however, with Kelly George (1982) and Craig Newburg (1981) both owning their place in the Cardinals' record book with 13 in those seasons.

► Voorhis is one of 17 Ball State players ever to record at least eight sacks in a season -- though surely the first to do so in the season's first five games.

Ball State Single-Season Sacks Leaders

Player	Sacks	Yds
1. Kelly George, 1982	13.0	--
Craig Newbury, 1981	13.0	--
3. Anthony Winbush, 2017	11.5	64
4. Keith McKenzie, 1995	11.0	52
Bryant Branigan, 1992	11.0	72
6. Nathan Voorhis, 2025	10.0	65
Wilber McDonald, 1997	10.0	71
8. Hiram Maddox, 1996	9.0	37
Keith McKenzie, 1994	9.0	50
Toby Beagle, 1990	9.0	82
Mose Carter, 1988	9.0	--
Rush Brown, 1978	9.0	--
13. Anthony Winbush, 2016	8.5	45
Jonathan Newsome, 2012	8.5	42
15. Sidney Houston, 2023	8.0	52
Jonathan Newsome, 2013	8.0	54
Brandon Crawford, 2007	8.0	39
Evan Triggs, 2001	8.0	36
Brian Williams, 1996	8.0	51
David Cipranic, 1991	8.0	57
Rush Brown, 1979	8.0	--

* Sacks have been officially recognized as an NCAA statistic since 2000; Ball State sack records date to 1978; Ball State sack yardage records date to 1990.

CARDINALS AMONG MAC & FBS SACK LEADERS

» As a team, Ball State's 2.50 sacks per game (20 total) rank fourth in the MAC and 30th nationally.

MAGWOOD & KELLY CONNECTIONS

» In consecutive games against UConn and Ohio, connections between **Kiael Kelly** and **Qian Magwood** were explosive!

» In the Ohio win, Kelly found Magwood for a 43-yard game-winning TD down the left sideline with 57 seconds remaining in the game.

» Two of the three times that Kelly and Magwood connected on pass routes at UConn, they were both explosive.

» On the final play of the first quarter, Kelly found Magwood on a screen pass. Magwood sprinted down the right sideline for 53 yards for what was the longest catch of Magwood's career and the longest pass of Kelly's.

» One play later, to open the second quarter, Kelly handed to Magwood on a reverse, and ventured into his own route in the right flat. On the first pass of his career, Magwood found Kelly for a 19-yard TD, reaching the end zone for Ball State's first score.

» Two consecutive plays covered 72 yards with career longs and career firsts for both of them.

BETTER CALL SAUL

» Transfer punter **Adam Saul** ranks fifth in the MAC and 50th nationally with a 42.5-yard punting average.

» Saul owns nine punts of at least 50 yards this year, including a 58-yard boot versus Akron, a 62-yard kick against Ohio and his career-long 67-yarder at Purdue.

» 11 of his 47 punts have landed inside the opponent's 20-yard line.

» His 62-yarder against Ohio landed at the Bobcats' 1-yard line and on their first play from scrimmage after the punt, Ball State recorded a safety to pull within 14-12 in an eventual upset win.

» Saul was called on for 10 punts twice this season, at Auburn and again at Western Michigan.

STRONG IN RUN GAME IS UREMOVICH MANTRA

» Since hired last December, head coach Mike Uremovich has preached a strong run game.

» Ball State has rushed at least 35 times in six of its eight games this season, averaging 143.0 yards per game on the ground. The Cardinals have tallied at least 170 rushing yards in four games, most recently with 216 yards in the win over Akron.

» Ball State's season high 308 rushing yards against New Hampshire were the most Ball State rush yards in a game since Nov. 23, 2019, when it ran for 330 at Kent State.

» The Cardinals had 243 yards on just 15 carries at halftime against UNH. It was just the 15th 300-yard rushing game in Ball State's 101-year football history.

ALL-PURPOSE ASHLEY

» Active in the run game, pass game and as a kickoff returner, **Qua Ashley** is averaging 96.25 all-purpose yards per game to rank sixth in the Mid-American Conference and 72nd nationally.

» Ashley boasts 513 rushing yards over eight games, along with 87 receiving yards. He owns 170 yards on kickoff returns.

ASHLEY THE FEATURE BACK

» **Qua Ashley** carried a career-high 20 times for 143 yards versus Akron. Included in the tally was a 69-yard touchdown run in the third quarter.

» Ashley's 154 rushing yards against New Hampshire were the most by a Ball State back since Marquez Cooper had 162 vs. Central Michigan in 2023.

» Ashley's 72-yard TD run against the Wildcats was Ball State's longest run play since a 73-yard TD run by Walter Fletcher against Ohio in 2019.

» Ashley's 72-yard TD run vs. UNH was the longest run of his career and the longest offensive play of Ball State's season.

» Ashley also added a 43-yard TD run against New Hampshire to account for 115 of his 154 rushing yards in the game. Throw in his 69-yard TD versus Akron and a one-yard TD run at UConn and his four touchdown rushes have accounted for 185 of his 513 total rushing yards this season.

» Ashley also is second on the club with 17 receptions, trailing Eric Weatherly's 19. He is one of seven players with a receiving touchdown.

2025 MAC STANDINGS

Team	MAC	Pct.	Ovr.	Pct.	Strk
Miami	4-0	1.000	5-3	.625	W5
Buffalo	4-1	.800	5-4	.556	W1
Western Michigan	4-1	.800	5-4	.556	W1
Ohio	3-1	.750	5-3	.625	W2
Central Michigan	3-2	.600	5-4	.556	L1
Toledo	2-2	.500	4-4	.500	L1
Ball State	2-2	.500	3-5	.375	L1
Kent State	2-2	.500	3-5	.375	W1
Akron	2-3	.400	3-6	.333	W1
Northern Illinois	1-3	.250	2-6	.250	W1
Bowling Green	1-4	.200	3-6	.333	L3
Eastern Michigan	1-4	.200	2-7	.222	L2
Massachusetts	0-4	.000	0-8	.000	L8

Tuesday, November 4

Massachusetts at Akron, 7:00 p.m.

Miami at Ohio, 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, November 5

Northern Illinois at Toledo, 7:00 p.m.

Kent State at Ball State, 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, November 8

Bowling Green at Eastern Michigan, 1 p.m.

Tuesday, November 11

Kent State at Akron, 7:30 p.m.

Ohio at Western Michigan, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, November 12

Northern Illinois at Massachusetts, 7:00 p.m.

Buffalo at Central Michigan, 7:00 p.m.

Toledo at Miami, 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, November 15

Eastern Michigan at Ball State, TBD

Tuesday, November 18

Akron at Bowling Green, 7:00 p.m.

Western Michigan at Northern Illinois, 7:00 p.m.

Massachusetts at Ohio, 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, November 19

Central Michigan at Kent State, 7:00 p.m.

Miami at Buffalo, 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, November 22

Ball State at Toledo, TBD

all times ET

BSU CAREER GAMES STARTED

Offense	Pos	2025	Strk	Tot
Kiael Kelly	QB	8	8	16
Chris Hood	OL	8	16	16
Qian Magwood	WR	5	3	14
Qua Ashley	RB	8	8	8
Tristan Cook	OL	8	8	8
Isaac Lucas	OL	8	8	8
Aaron Roberts	OL	8	8	8
Kameron Anthony	TE	7	0	7
Donovan Hamilton	WR	7	7	7
Cole Mosier	OL	6	0	7
Nick Presley	WR	0	0	5
Drew Cassens	TE	4	1	4
Tate Hoover	TE	4	0	4
Ty Robinson	WR	1	0	4
Maximus Webster	TE	0	0	4
Koby Gross	TE	2	0	2
Otto Hess	OL	2	2	2
Luke Dalton	OL	0	0	1
TJ Horton	RB	1	1	1
Cody Smith	OL	0	0	1
Isaiah Thacker	WR	0	0	1
Eric Weatherly	WR	1	0	1

Defense	Pos	2025	Strk	Tot
Joey Stemler	LB	7	0	22
Drew Hughes	DL	8	17	17
Will Yates	CB	6	0	11
Darin Conley	DL	8	8	8
Nathan Voorhis	DL	8	8	8
Alfred Chea	LB	7	7	7
Eric McClain	CB	1	0	7
Micah Wing	DL	7	4	7
Roman Pearson	DB	6	2	6
Ashton Whitner	DB	6	1	6
DJ Fields	DB	5	5	5
Jahmad Harmon	DB	3	0	5
Michael Gravely Jr.	DB	4	2	4
Muheem McCargo	DB	4	0	4
Joedrick Lewis	DB	3	3	3
Deondre Shepherd	DB	2	0	2
Jack Beebe	LB	1	0	1
DeJuan Echoles Jr.	LB	1	0	1
Jackson Wiegold	LB	1	1	1

THE RUNNING BACKS

» Transfer **Qua Ashley** plays the role as Ball State's feature back, with primary support from redshirt sophomore **T.J. Horton** and transfer **Elijah Jackson**.

» Horton did not play at Auburn but had a career-high eight carries against UNH. He is the Cardinals' third-leading rusher with 154 rushing yards on 35 carries.

» Horton also picked up the Cardinals first kickoff return touchdown of the season versus Akron, giving Ball State a 42-28 lead thanks to a 90-yard jaunt with 5:34 remaining in the game. It proved to be the final score of the contest and helped him move into the starting return role at Northern Illinois.

MORE RUSHING: 100 X 2

» **Qua Ashley** (154) and **Kiael Kelly** (101) both rushed for 100+ yards against New Hampshire.

» The last time two Ball State players had 100+ rushing yards in the same game was in Kelly's last home start prior to this season: Kelly and Marquez Cooper both had 136 yards vs Miami (Nov 25, 2023). Kelly's 136 rushing yards in that game are a career high.

KELLY PASSING HIGHS

» **Kiael** (pronounced ky-ELL) **Kelly** had the two best passing games of his career in Ball State's games against UConn and Ohio.

» He had career highs with 17 completions and 209 passing yards at UConn, in addition to catching the first touchdown pass of his career.

» He had similar numbers against Ohio, with 17 completions and a career-high 33 pass attempts. His 185 passing yards were the second-highest total of his career.

» Kelly's 53-yard strike to Qian Magwood at UConn, one play before his 19-yard TD reception from Magwood, was the longest throw of his career.

» In the midst of a 100-yard rushing game against New Hampshire, Kelly also tossed two passing TDs for the first time in his career.

» He has accounted for (passed or scored) at least two touchdowns in four of the Cardinals' past six games.

KELLY AS QB1

» **Kiael Kelly** has appeared in 32 career games and been a starter in 17 games overall (twice at WR, once as utility QB).

» In the 14 games in which he has started as Ball State's primary QB, Kelly has amassed 1,054 rushing yards on 244 carries, for an average of 75.3 yards per game.

» He has rushed for 90+ yards in six of his 14 starts as QB1, including games this year against New Hampshire and Ohio.

» Ball State finished 3-3 after Kelly took the quarterback reins in Week 7 of the 2023 season.

» With Kelly at the helm in 2023, Ball State averaged 235.3 rush yards over its last six games.

RUSH AND PASS FOR 100

» Against New Hampshire, **Kiael Kelly** became the first Ball State player with 100 yards rushing (101) and passing (105) in the same game since 2000.

CAREER RUSHING BY A CARDINALS QB

» **Kiael Kelly** is always a threat to gain yards with his legs, and he enters the Kent State game 298 yards shy of the Cardinals' career record for rushing yards by a quarterback. He is currently third in career rush yards by a QB.

» He tallied 83 yards in one game as a reserve in 2022. He rushed for 724 yards during a six-game stint as starter in 2023, and he compiled 91 lining up as a QB or wildcat last season.

BSU RECORD IN 2025 WHEN ...

Scoring first	0-0
Opponent scores first	3-5
Scoring 30 or more points	2-0
Scoring fewer than 30 points	1-5

Leading at the half	1-0
Trailing at the half	2-4
Tied at the half	0-1
Leading after three quarters	2-0
Trailing after three quarters	1-5
Tied after three quarters	0-0

Outrushing the opponent	3-1
Outpassing the opponent	0-2

Rushing 30 or more times	3-4
Rushing 40 or more times	2-1
Passing 30 or more times	1-0
Passing 40 or more times	0-0
Leading in time of possession	1-2
Trailing in time of possession	2-3
Time of possession is even	0-0

Winning in turnover margin	0-0
Losing in turnover margin	1-1
Tied in turnover margin	2-4

With a 100-yard rusher	2-0
With a 300-yard passer	0-0
With a 100-yard receiver	0-0

With an opposing 100-yard rusher	0-4
With an opposing 300-yard passer	0-1
With an opposing 100-yard receiver	1-0

Winning the coin toss	1-2
Losing the coin toss	2-3
Electing to receive	0-0
Electing to defer	1-2
Receiving the ball first	2-3
Opponent receiving ball first	1-2

» Those 724 yards over six games in 2023 stand as a Ball State single-season record for a quarterback.

» He boasts 1,315 career rush yards overall through eight games of the 2025 season.

Ball State Career Rushing Yards by a Quarterback

Player	Yards	Carries
1. Art Yaroch, 1973-76	1,613	421
2. Riley Neal, 2015-18	1,363	325
3. Kiael Kelly, 2022-present	1,315	319
4. Dave Wilson, 1976-79	693	320
5. Talmadge Hill, 2000-03	582	309

GAMES WITH 100 RUSHING YARDS BY A QB

» **Kiael Kelly** is just the second quarterback in Ball State history to rush for at least 100 yards in two different games. The other, Art Yaroch (pronounced yuh-ROW), quarterbacked the Cardinals from 1973-76 -- in Ball State's first season in the MAC in 1975, and in their first league championship season a year later. Yaroch rushed for 100+ yards on four occasions.

2025 GAME CAPTAINS

Opponent

at Purdue	QB Kiael Kelly, DE Nathan Voorhis
at Auburn	OL Tristan Cook, LB Joey Stemler
New Hampshire	WR Qian Magwood, LB Caden Johnson
at Connecticut	RB Qua Ashley, LB Jack Beebe
Ohio	QB Aidan Leffler, DT Darin Conley
at Western Michigan	WR Qian Magwood, NT Drew Hughes
Akron	QB Aidan Leffler, DT Darin Conley
at Northern Illinois	QB Aidan Leffler, DT Darin Conley
Kent State	
Eastern Michigan	
at Toledo	
at Miami	

MULTIPLE-THREAT KY-ELL: KELLY IS ONE OF CFB'S MOST DYNAMIC ATHLETES

► **Kiael Kelly** returns to his native role as quarterback this year, after first being shifted to the defensive backfield to begin last season, then used almost exclusively as a utility weapon on offense to accent his prowess as an elite athlete. He was used as a jack-of-all-trades offensive asset last year between roles at QB, RB or WR. He lined up in a wildcat formation, in the slot, as the QB and as a wideout.

► Over 12 games and 79 snaps in 2024, he lined up 43 times as the quarterback; 8 at RB, 5 at left WR, 2 at right WR, 11 at left slot receiver and 10 at right slot receiver.

► At Vandy, he got his first score of the season while taking a direct snap in a shotgun formation and running nine yards to cap Ball State's TD drive on the game's opening possession.

► At Kent State, he started at QB on the Cardinals' first snap, handing to wide receiver Cam Pickett for a 19-yard run. He logged one carry himself.

► He ran twice and caught a pass against Western Michigan. At James Madison, he threw a pass, ran three times and was targeted on another pass.

► At Central Michigan, he carried six times and caught a pass. At Miami (Fla.), he threw two passes, caught two passes and also rushed twice.

► In 2023, Kelly took QB snaps in every game and, in Week 7 vs. Toledo, he became the Cardinals' third starting QB while starting the first game of his career behind center. *[He actually started the season opener at Kentucky while lined up as a receiver.]*

► Given Ball State's injuries through the first six games in 2023, and the absence of tight end threat Brady Hunt, the Cardinals opted for Kelly as the starting QB to offer more versatility and explosiveness.

► His 136 rushing yards against Miami in 2023 were the third-best by a QB in Cardinals history.

► Combined, Kelly accounted for 1,340 total yards in 2023 -- 724 rushing, 577 passing, 39 receiving.

SIX TIGHT ENDS

► Likely the Cardinals' deepest position, five primary tight ends see regular action for Ball State -- **Kameron Anthony, Drew Cassens, Koby Gross, Maximus Webster** and **Tate Hoover**. Another, veteran **Jackson Constantine** who has played at LB, DL, OL and now TE, is a regular on special teams units.

► All six have played in all eight games.

► In fact, at UConn, all six had played within the game's first two offensive series. Constantine played on the Cardinals' kickoff team and when Ball State took over on offense,

Anthony, Cassens and Hoover all lined up on the first play. Gross and Webster were quick substitutions during a 3-and-out offensive series.

► Anthony is a highly regarded redshirt freshman who caught his first career pass against New Hampshire, for a 10-yard touchdown. He is the largest target of all of them.

► Cassens is a transfer from Butler where he played with Uremovich in 2024. He also logged two seasons at Northern Illinois.

► Cassens came up big against his former team, earning his first touchdown reception for the Cardinals on a one-yard catch to help tie the score at 7-7 early in the second quarter.

► Gross is a transfer from Florida A&M who hails from San Ramon, California. He was All-SWAC for the Rattlers before arriving at Ball State.

► Webster, is the fastest of the tight end crew, and with good hands is a staple in the pass game.

► Hoover, a junior college transfer from Kansas, has started in four games and is active on special teams.

► So far this year, Gross has eight catches, followed by Cassens with four and two apiece by Anthony and Webster.

CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITH A RECEPTION

► Wide receiver **Eric Weatherly** has caught a pass in 31 consecutive games, counting 23 over every game with Bucknell the past two seasons. Only eight players in the country have caught passes in more consecutive games.

Consecutive Gms with a Catch by FBS Players

Player	Yards	School	Catches
Jyrin Johnson	TE	Bowling Green	42
Raylen Sharpe	WR	Arkansas	38
Kevin Coleman Jr.	WR	Missouri	37
Junior Vandeross III	WR	Toledo	35
Malachi Fields	WR	Notre Dame	35
Chase Roberts	WR	BYU	34
Pofele Ashlock	WR	Hawaii	33
Eric Singleton	WR	Auburn	33
Eric Weatherly	WR	Ball State	31
Eric Rivers	WR	Georgia Tech	30
DeAree Rogers	WR	No. Illinois	28
Devin McCuin	WR	UTSA	27

DEEP RECEIVING CORPS

► Ball State has a wide depth of receivers who can spread the field for **Kiael Kelly** and the offense. Top returning targets include **Ty Robinson** and **Qian Magwood**.

► Counting Kelly, himself, 17 different receivers have caught passes over eight games.

► Robinson is a redshirt junior who has been bit by an injury bug the past two years and appeared in just 10 games. A Colorado transfer two seasons ago, he is a big target whose best game was the Cardinals' 2023 season opener at Kentucky (5-90, 1 TD). He has eight catches for 83 yards so far this season, including three catches and a team high 37 receiving yards at NIU.

► Magwood is a redshirt senior who is the only player remaining from Ball State's 2020 MAC champions. He excels in the slot. He is third on the team with 13 catches.

► The longest reception of Magwood's career came on a 53-yard screen pass at UConn. One play later, Magwood took a handoff and threw a 19-yard touchdown pass to QB Kiael Kelly as the receiver.

► In the upset over Ohio, it was Magwood's 43-yard catch that was the game-winner during the final minute of regulation.

► **Eric Weatherly** joins **Donovan Hamilton** as top transfer receivers this year. **Trey Firestone** and **Jamarion McDougle** are top transfer receivers from last season.

► **Hamilton** (also goes by DJ) hauled in a career-high seven catches for 61 yards in the loss at Connecticut. His 21-yard catch against New Hampshire was the first of his career.

► Hamilton's day vs. UConn was the best single game by a Ball State receiver this year. He is one of four Ball State players with 10 or more receptions: Eric Weatherly (19), **Qua Ashley** (17), **Qian Magwood** (13), Hamilton (11).

► Besides the five tight ends, others to watch are junior **Dahya Patel** and true freshman **Elisha Durham**. Durham made the first catch of his career against Ohio.

► Patel caught a TD pass from Kelly in the game at UConn. The only other TD reception in his career came in the final game of 2024, at Ohio.

OFFENSIVE LINE

► Ball State started the same offensive line in each of the first six games -- **Chris Hood** at LT, **Aaron Roberts** at LG, **Cole Mosier** at C, **Isaac Lucas** at RG and **Tristan Cook** at RT. **Adam Dolan** has rotated interchangeably with Hood at LT, and Boston College transfer **Otto Hess** has seen time as a reserve at center, before making his way into the starting lineup for the last two games.

► Ball State boasted one of the country's most experienced offensive lines the past two years, in terms of returning starters and career starts. This year, though, the lone returning starter is left tackle Hood.

» Hood, the nephew of former NBA star Brad Miller, started over three positions at times last year -- right tackle before a switch to left tackle; and right guard in a late-season emergency after injuries and a transfer.

» **Cole Mosier** is slotted as the Cardinals' center. Mosier was injured all of 2024 and played much of 2023 as a blocking tight end.

» Mosier wears No. 73 while at center, but he was used so frequently as a blocking TE in 2023 that he began wearing No. 90 when he reported in that role. Ball State rosters were updated at midseason to reflect him wearing No. 73/90.

» **Aaron Roberts**, a transfer from Purdue, lines up at left guard and **Isaac Lucas** holds down the starting spot at right guard. Lucas was a reserve center in 2024. Another transfer who may see time at guard or center is **Otto Hess**, who spent the past four seasons at Boston College.

» Redshirt freshman **Tristan Cook** holds down the right tackle position, and transfer **Adam Dolan** is poised to fill in at either tackle position. Dolan was an all-conference selection last year while leading the offensive line under Mike Uremovich at Butler.

ALL-CONFERENCE TRANSFERS

» **Qua Ashley** and **Eric Weatherly** both were all-conference selections last year while playing for Kennesaw State and Bucknell. Both arrive with the Cardinals as primary options at running back and receiver. Both also will carry a heavy load in the return game -- Ashley on kickoff returns and Weatherly on punts.

» A third, tight end **Koby Gross**, was an All-SWAC selection at Florida A&M.

» Another all-league transfer is offensive tackle **Adam Dolan**, who has so far rotated at left tackle.

RETURNING STARTERS

» The Cardinals boast just two returning starters on offense, OL **Chris Hood** and WR **Qian Magwood**.

» Defensively, four starters return, with NT **Drew Hughes** joined by LB **Joey Stemler** and CBs **Eric McClain** and **Will Yates**.

» The only returning starters to count among specialists are **Carson Holmer** who was a reserve placekicker and handled kickoffs last year, and Magwood who held down punt return duties the last half of 2024.

» Stemler is the team's most experienced starter, logging his 22nd career start in last week's win over Akron. Unfortunately, his 15-game starting streak was snapped at NIU.

» **Drew Hughes** and **Chris Hood** entered the starting lineup last year for the first time and boast the club's most consecutive starts at 17 and 16, respectively.

DEFENSIVE LINE

» Redshirt senior **Drew Hughes** anchors the defensive line from his nose tackle position after starting all of 2024 and returning this year as a preseason All-MAC selection. He registered his first career sack, among three tackles at Auburn, and was credited with another half-sack against New Hampshire.

» Hughes is joined at defensive tackle by redshirt sophomore **Darin Conley** who has rotated from an end position last season. Conley may be the biggest, brightest improvement from a year ago when he moved his way into a regular rotation spot at midseason. He had a pair of sacks and blocked a PAT last season.

» A Kansas City native, Conley's brother Quinton is a tight end at Kansas. His twin brother, Devin, plays basketball at Emporia State. Father Lance was a track star at Missouri.

» **Nathan Voorhis** is the Cardinals' biggest impact transfer on the defensive line, playing as an edge rusher at DE.

» Voorhis has recorded sacks in 6 of 8 games thus far and leads the Cardinals -- second in FBS -- with 10.0 sacks. At Auburn, his strip-sack in the first quarter was the first of the Cardinals' five sacks overall.

» He boasts 7.0 sacks in three home games alone, earning 2.5 against New Hampshire, a career-best 3.5 sacks against Ohio and 1.0 versus Akron.

» Voorhis boasts 15.0 sacks in his career, following three years at UConn and the 2024 season at Bryant University in Pennsylvania.

» Uremovich and defensive line coach Adam Siwicki expect to rotate frequently on the D-line, with other contributions expected from transfers **Ameir Glenn**, **Ashton Nawrocki** and **Kristian Zachary**; and returners **Scott Hudson**, **Ben Marsh** and **Justin Thomas**.

» Making his college debut at Connecticut was DE **George Okorie** (pronounced oh-KOR-ee), who never played high school ball and who has been in spring ball the past two years at Butler JC (Kansas) and Vanderbilt. He enrolled at Vandy in January 2025, but transferred to Ball State in June. He grew up in Nigeria and moved to British Columbia with family during high school. He has the size and athleticism to make an impact.

OUTSIDE LINEBACKERS ON THE EDGE

» Outside backers who will rush the edge are led by transfer **Micah Wing**, who began his career journey at Rutgers. Rotating with him are redshirt junior **DeJuan Echoles Jr.**, and redshirt freshman **Layton Starks**, who both are returners.

» Echoles made his present felt at Auburn, frequently reaching the Tigers backfield and twice forcing fumbles with a pair of TFL.

» Another to watch is sophomore **Sam Feeney**, injured during fall camp, who forced his way into the lineup last year after a pair of blocked kicks on special teams. He recorded three sacks as a true freshman.

100-YARD RUSHERS

PLAYER	2025 (High)	Career (High)
Qua Ashley	2 (154)	2 (154)
Kiael Kelly	1 (101)	2 (136)

100-YARD RECEIVERS

PLAYER	2025 (High)	Career (High)
Eric Weatherly	0	5 (174)
Qian Magwood	0	1 (110)

100 YARDS ALL-PURPOSE

PLAYER	2025 (High)	Career (High)
Qua Ashley	3 (248)	9 (248)
Eric Weatherly	0	7 (250)
Kiael Kelly	1 (101)	3 (136)
TJ Horton	1 (111)	1 (111)
Qian Magwood	0	1 (110)

200 YARDS ALL-PURPOSE

PLAYER	2025 (High)	Career (High)
Qua Ashley	1 (248)	2 (248)
Eric Weatherly	0	1 (250)

200-YARD PASSERS

PLAYER	2025 (High)	Career (High)
Kiael Kelly	1 (209)	1 (209)

300-YARD PASSERS

PLAYER	2025 (High)	Career (High)
none		

CAREER INTERCEPTIONS

PLAYER	2025 (High)	Career (High)
Joedrick Lewis	2 (1)	6 (1)
Roman Pearson	1 (1)	5 (1)
Joey Stemler	0	2 (1)
Eric McClain	1 (1)	1 (1)
Ashton Whitner	0	1 (1)
Wil Yates	0	1 (1)

CAREER SACKS

PLAYER	2025 (High)	Career (High)
Nathan Voorhis	10 (3.5)	15 (3.5)
Justin Thomas	0	9.5 (3)
Hunter Sanderson	0	8.5 (1)
Darrin Conley	1.5 (1)	3.5 (1)
Sam Feeney	0	3 (2)
DeJuan Echoles Jr.	2 (1)	2 (1)
Scott Hudson	1 (1)	2 (1)
Drew Hughes	2 (1)	2 (1)
Caden Johnson	1 (1)	2 (1)
Ashton Nawrocki	0	2 (1)
Joey Stemler	0	1.5 (1.5)
Ameir Glenn	1 (1)	1 (1)
Muheem McCargo	0	1 (1)
Khristian Zachary	0	1 (0.5)
Jack Beebe	0.5 (0.5)	0.5 (0.5)
Ben Marsh	0.5 (0.5)	0.5 (0.5)
Micah Wing	0.5 (0.5)	0.5 (0.5)

» Feeney made his return from a left arm injury in the Ohio game and promptly recorded a career-high three tackles.

LINEBACKERS

» Ball State's top tackler, currently, is grad transfer **Alfred Chea** (pronounced CHAY), who posted a career-high eight stops against his former team at UConn and tied the mark at NIU. He leads the Cardinals with 44 tackles so far this season, including 25 solo. He played four undergraduate years with the Huskies.

» **Joey Stemler** is Ball State's most experienced starter with 22 career starts under his belt. He owns 29 tackles this year and was fourth on the team with 56 stops last year.

» Stemler was ejected just before halftime in the New Hampshire game for a targeting infraction.

» Stemler is joined by inside linebacking mate **Jack Beebe**. The duo both arrived at Ball State in Fall 2021, and both have received their degrees from Ball State. They were roommates for their first three years on campus. Beebe debuts as a starter in 2025. Another linebacker in the rotation that also arrived on campus with Stemler and Beebe is **Jackson Wiegold**.

» Beebe had a career-high nine tackles in the game against New Hampshire and boasts 31 stops for the season.

» A finance major, Beebe began a side gig last December, making specialized doormat-style rugs. Called "Footstompers," his business is showcased on Instagram and went viral last spring when a rug he sent to former NFL coach Jon Gruden was "unboxed" in a tweet by Barstool Sports.

» Other top linebackers include returners **Caden Johnson** and **Wiegold**. Johnson registered his first career sack in the Auburn game.

WE CALL THEM SNIPERS

» When defensive coordinator Jeff Knowles instituted his new defensive system last season, the Cardinals' hybrid LB/DB became known as a "sniper." The position fluctuates between run support and pass coverage, and gives Knowles the flexibility to disguise defensive looks.

» Transfers **Ashton Whitner** and **Muheem McCargo** have led the snipers unit so far this season, with converted linebacker **Zavier Simpson** providing support.

» Whitner has started six games this season. He is third on the team with 33 tackles, while his 27 solo tackles lead the squad.

DEFENSIVE SECONDARY

» **Eric McClain** and **Will Yates** were true freshmen cast into starting cornerback roles last season in Week 6 a Kent State. Yates, in fact, picked off his first pass on the game's first offensive series.

» McClain and Yates both started this season's opener at Purdue, too, but they are joined with

a deeper cast this season. Transfers **Roman Pearson** and **Joedrick Lewis** both should see considerable time on the corners, too.

» McClain's interception late in the game at Western Michigan was Ball State's first pick of the season.

» Pearson and Lewis each registered an interception in the final two possessions by Akron, helping seal the 42-28 homecoming victory. It marked Ball State's first game with two interceptions since Nov. 12, 2024, versus Buffalo.

» Lewis picked up his second interception of the season at NIU, giving Ball State at least one interception in each of the last three games.

» Yates and safety **Michael Gravely Jr.** led Ball State with seven tackles at Auburn. Gravely forced a fumble that led to Ball State's late field goal, and Yates missed on a near-interception.

» Yates may be regarded as the team's best corner defender. He leads the secondary and is fifth on the team with 24 tackles.

» At safety, **Jahmad Harmon**, **Michael Gravely Jr.**, **DJ Fields** and **Deondre Shepherd** all have earned starts.

WIDE-RANGING NEW ROSTER

» The Cardinals have welcomed 53 new players since Mike Uremovich took over as head coach last December, and 33 of those have come from other college programs -- 30 four-year transfers and three junior-college transfers.

» In addition to the sweeping number of newcomers, Uremovich's staff has utilized a broad search geographically, too. From a preliminary training camp depth chart, 22 offensive and defensive starters came from hometowns in 13 different states -- California, Colorado, Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Indiana, Illinois, Kentucky, Missouri, Ohio, Pennsylvania, South Carolina and Texas.

RETURNING TDS FROM 2024 ROSTER

» The Ball State offense returns no passing touchdowns, one rushing touchdown and eight receiving touchdowns from its 2024 roster.

» Returning QB **Kiael Kelly** played a utility role last season and hadn't thrown a touchdown pass since he started six games at QB in 2023.

» The Cardinals' lone returning rushing TD from last year was by Kelly, capping a game-opening drive at Vanderbilt when he lined up in a wildcat formation.

1 OF 6 WITH JUST ONE RETURNING RUSH TD

» Ball State is among six programs nationally who returned one or fewer rushing TDs from its 2024 roster: Stanford, New Mexico and Utah returned zero rushing TDs; Ball State, Eastern Michigan and Southern Miss each returned one.

PLAY-CALLERS AND HS TEAMMATES

» First at Temple (2018-21) and now again at Ball State, **Mike Uremovich** and **Jeff Knowles** are believed to be the only pair of FBS offensive

and defensive play-callers who were high school teammates.

10 OF 13; 14 OF 26

» Ten of Uremovich's 13 other coaches on his full-time staff have been with him at prior stops.

» Counting GAs, operations and the Cardinals' strength and conditioning staff, 14 of 26 Ball State staffers have served with Uremovich at previous stops.

SHAQ VANN: 30 COACHES UNDER 30

» Wide receivers coach **Shaq Vann** has been named one of the top young Division I coaches in America by 247Sports.com. He had a successful on-field debut with the Cardinals, coaching a pair of all-conference selections (Cam Pickett, Malcolm Gillie) and having a successful recruiting cycle despite a head coaching change. Retained by Mike Uremovich, he previously spent time at Washington where he was a GA working with wide receivers. That WR group helped lead the Huskies to the national title game and had a trio of players picked among the first three rounds of the NFL Draft.

TOGETHER: SPORTS LINK DOCUMENTARY

» Ball State Football has teamed with on-campus partner Ball State Sports Link to present a weekly documentary series that will follow the first season of head coach **Mike Uremovich** and the 2025 Cardinals.

» Nationally renowned among major U.S. universities for its sports media production program, Sports Link crews officially began production July 29 for one of its most ambitious projects -- a 12-episode weekly docuseries with Ball State Football. "It's important to me because I like to get our players' stories out there," Uremovich said. "I know we're going to feature football, but we're also going to get into some of their personal lives and some of the experiences they've had. There's more to these guys than just the jersey that runs out there on Saturday."

» TOGETHER is directed by sophomore executive producer **Jude Kieffer** and Sports Link alum, turned program graduate assistant, **Jordan Klimes**. Episode 1 premiered August 28, just two days before the Cardinals open the season at Purdue. Additional episodes will drop weekly on Thursdays of game week, on BallStateSports.com and Ball State and Sports Link YouTube channels.

10 CARDINALS ALREADY RECEIVED DEGREES

» Ten Cardinals have already received their undergraduate degrees:

From Ball State (6): Jack Beebe, Drew Hughes, Aidan Leffler, Joey Stemler, Maximus Webster and Jackson Wiegold

Transfers (4): Drew Cassens (Butler), Alfred Chea (UConn), Aaron Roberts (Purdue) and Eric Weatherly (Bucknell).

SINCE GRADE SCHOOL: OFFENSE AND DEFENSE UREMOVICH AND KNOWLES

► First at Temple (2018-21) and now again at Ball State, **Mike Uremovich** and **Jeff Knowles** are believed to be the only pair of FBS offensive and defensive play-callers who were high school teammates.

► **Ball State is the sixth different institution at which Uremovich and Knowles have coached together.**

► Counting St. Francis (Ill.) and Butler, Ball State is the third different program for which Knowles leads the defense while Uremovich is head coach.

► The tandem has been paired together ever since Knowles' family moved into Uremovich's school district and the duo attended Anna McDonald Elementary School in Manhattan, Illinois (50 miles southwest of Chicago).

► Best buddies were teammates at powerful Providence Catholic High School where Knowles was a star linebacker and Uremovich played wide receiver.

► Separated during their college years, Knowles played at nearby St. Francis, while Uremovich attended Purdue and started his coaching career.

► Best friends kept in touch even when Knowles worked in the federal border patrol in San Diego and Uremovich took his first full-time coaching gig as offensive coordinator at Waynesburg College in 2003. Knowles and his wife, Sarah, flew across the country to attend Uremovich's first game with Wayneburg.

► When Uremovich took the head job at Knowles' college alma mater, St. Francis, Knowles followed shortly after with his first full-time coaching position.

► Since that time, their families vacation together and they have coached together at NC State, Northern Illinois, Temple, Butler and now Ball State.

► Their sons have been lifelong classmates and teammates, too. Eldest sons, Michael Uremovich and Gannon Knowles (pictured in Haddonfield, N.J., while dads coached at Temple) were recently high school teammates at Cathedral High School in Indianapolis. The youngest boys both started at Cathedral, but Drew Uremovich now attends Guerin Catholic High School while Emmett Knowles remains at Cathedral.



Head Coach Mike Uremovich

Named Ball State Head Coach on Dec. 4, 2024 | 11th as a college head coach | 26th season as a college coach

Alma Mater: Purdue '00 | High School: Providence Catholic (New Lenox, Illinois)

Family: wife Katie; three children – Ella, Michael and Drew

Twitter: @CoachU_BS

Pronunciation: you-REM-uh-vich

Mike Uremovich assumed football leadership duties at Ball State on Dec. 4, 2024, becoming the 19th head coach in program history.

He joins the Cardinals' football program with a wide range of coaching experience from high school, small college, FCS and FBS levels -- including time spent within Group of 5 and Power 4 conference environments. He has been a coordinator or head coach during 20 of 25 seasons as a college coach, and his recruiting connections are deep in the Midwest, East Coast and Southeast regions.

Named the head coach at Butler three years earlier, Uremovich guided the Bulldogs to three straight winning seasons and a 23-11 record. A 9-3 mark in 2024 led to the first national ranking in Butler's football history, debuting in the FCS Coaches Poll at No. 25 and rising as high as No. 23.

His three winning seasons at Butler were the program's first string of three consecutive winning seasons since 1987 to 1989.

Uremovich, 48, arrives in Muncie with six bowl appearances under his belt and prior coaching experience in the Mid-American Conference, spending six seasons over three separate stints at Northern Illinois. In four years in a full-time capacity at NIU, the Huskies were 33-20 overall with a 25-7 ledger in the MAC.

He is the second Ball State football coaching hire named directly from Butler and he is the second coach this year to emerge from the Pioneer Football League (PFL) to assume an FBS head coaching job. Scott Abell resigned from his post at Davidson on Nov. 26, to take over at Rice.

At Butler, Uremovich guided the Bulldogs to a 7-4 season in 2022 and again in 2023, recording five PFL victories each year. Over three years at the helm of the program, the Bulldogs were 15-9 against league opponents and 15-4 overall when playing inside the Bud and Jackie Sellick Bowl.

The PFL's Offensive Player of the Year was tutored by Uremovich in each of his first two years on the BU campus. Running back Jyrn Mitchell earned the honor in 2023 while quarterback Bret Bushka was the choice in 2022, alongside punter and placekicker Luka Zurak who was the PFL's Special Teams Player of the Year the same year.

Butler offenses had great success moving the ball during the three-year Uremovich era. Leading all FCS teams nationally in red zone offense and sacks allowed in 2022, the Bulldogs ranked first or second in the PFL in scoring offense, total offense and rushing offense in both 2023 and 2024. BU's 214.4 rush yards per game last season were seventh among FCS teams and its 407.8 yards of total offense ranked 28th.

While the Bulldogs' offense averaged 35.6 points and 407.8 yards per game in 2024, the defense was equally as impressive as BU led the PFL and ranked fourth in the FCS with just 16.3 points allowed per game. In 2023, the Bulldogs led the league and ranked seventh nationally by allowing an average of only 17.5.

Butler boasted a top 10 FCS ranking last year in points allowed (4th) as well as points scored (9th).

Uremovich and the 'Dawgs authored a five-game win streak in 2022 and again in 2024. Butler began the year 5-0 last season and was 8-2 when they received the program's first national ranking following a 24-17 road win over Valparaiso. The No. 23 ranking followed a 36-20 home win over St. Thomas on senior day.

The Bulldogs also excelled in the classroom during his tenure, including seven student-athletes on Academic All-PFL teams in 2023. Highlighting that group was Academic All-American Bryan Bystol and his perfect 4.0 GPA.

Uremovich arrived in Indianapolis after serving as the offensive coordinator at Temple for three seasons (2019-21). That followed three seasons as assistant head coach and offensive coordinator at Northern Illinois (2016-18).

During the 2019 season, Jadan Blue became the first receiver in Temple program history to top the century mark with school records of 1,067 receiving yards and 95 receptions. In addition, running back Re'Mahn Davis rushed for 936 yards and eight touchdowns to rank second all-time on those respective freshman lists. In his first game calling offensive plays for Temple, Uremovich's unit set new school marks with 695 total yards and 507 passing yards against Bucknell.

Prior to Temple, Uremovich coached at Northern Illinois during three separate stints. NIU won the 2018 MAC championship and earned bowl appearances in both 2017 and 2018. The 2016 edition of the Huskies was 16th nationally in rushing yards, while future NFL Pro Bowl selection Kenny Golladay had 87 catches for 1,156 yards and eight TDs.

He previously served as the Huskies' running backs coach and special teams coordinator in 2012 under Dave Doeren, and as a graduate assistant for Joe Novak from 2001-02. In 2012, NIU won the MAC championship and became the only MAC team to play in a Bowl Championship Series game when the Huskies earned a berth in the 2013 Orange Bowl. The Huskies finished ninth in the nation in both rushing and scoring offense that season and were ranked 15th nationally in total offense, while NIU special teams units ranked fifth in the country in kickoff coverage and fourth in punt coverage. Both the 2001 and 2002 teams won MAC West Division titles.

Uremovich coached the offensive line at North Carolina State from 2013-15, where he helped the Wolfpack to a pair of bowl appearances. Behind his offensive line, the 2014 Wolfpack posted the fourth-best rushing total in school history and the best per-game average since 1992. At NC State, he coached Joe Thuney, who started every game at guard for the New England Patriots during four Super Bowl seasons (2014, 2016-18). The All-Pro is now with the Kansas City Chiefs.

Uremovich had a successful seven-year tenure (2005-11) as head coach at the University of St. Francis, an NAIA program based in Joliet, Illinois. In 2011, he led the Fighting Saints to their most successful season



Uremovich's Head Coaching Record

Year	School/Team	W-L
2005	University of St. Francis (Ill.)	2-9
2006	University of St. Francis (Ill.)	1-9
2007	University of St. Francis (Ill.)	3-8
2008	University of St. Francis (Ill.)	7-4
2009	University of St. Francis (Ill.)	3-8
2010	University of St. Francis (Ill.)	7-4
2011	University of St. Francis (Ill.)	10-3
2022	Butler	7-4
2023	Butler	7-4
2024	Butler	9-3
2025	Ball State	3-5
Totals	11 years	59-61 (.492)

Uremovich's Coaching Experience

McCutcheon HS (Ind.)	SpT C/DBs	1996-97
Providence Catholic HS (Ill.)	WRs	1998-99
Benedictine University (Ill.)	SpT C/WRs	2000
Northern Illinois	GA	2001-02
2001 MAC West Division champions		
2002 MAC West Division champions		
Waynesburg College (Pa.)	OC	2003-04
University of St. Francis (Ill.)	HC	2005-11
2011 NAIA Quarterfinals		
Northern Illinois	SpT C/RBs	2012
2012 MAC champions BCS Orange Bowl		
North Carolina State	OLs	2013-15
2014 St Petersburg Bowl champions		
2015 Belk Bowl		
Northern Illinois	AHC/OC/RBs	2016-18
2017 Quick Lane Bowl		
2018 MAC champions Boca Raton Bowl		
Temple	AHC/OC/TEs	2018-21
2019 Military Bowl		
Butler	HC	2022-24
Ball State	HC	2025

in school history as they won a school-record 10 games and claimed their first win over an NCAA FCS team when they defeated Georgia State. The team was ranked as high as No. 8 in the NAIA national coaches poll and also earned the first NAIA national playoff victory in program history. Uremovich led the Saints to a 17-7 record over his final two seasons. Overall, he posted a 33-45 record, rebuilding a program that had won a total of four games over three seasons prior to his arrival.

In addition to serving as a graduate assistant at Northern Illinois, Uremovich's early coaching career also included stints at Waynesburg College (Pa.), Benedictine University (Ill.), Providence Catholic (Ill.) High School and McCutcheon (Ind.) High School.

Uremovich is a 2000 graduate of Purdue. He received his master's degree from Northern Illinois in 2002. He and his wife, Katie, have a daughter, Ella (19), and two sons, Michael (17) and Drew (13).

Last Shutout:

Sept. 17, 2022 – Ball State 31, Murray State 0

Last Time Shut Out:

Oct. 11, 2025 -- Western Michigan 42, Ball State 0

Aug. 30, 2025 -- Purdue 31, Ball State 0

Scored More Than 50 Points in a Game:

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

Scored at Least 24 Points in a Quarter:

Sept. 7, 2024 – Ball State (28) vs. Missouri State (4th quarter)

Last Overtime Game:

Nov. 12, 2024 – Buffalo 51, Ball State 48 (OT)

Last Overtime Win:

Oct. 1, 2022 – Ball State 44, Northern Illinois 38 (2OT)

Last Overtime Loss:

Nov. 12, 2024 – Buffalo 51, Ball State 48 (OT)

Last Win vs. Ranked Opponent:

Dec. 31, 2020 – Ball State 34, #19/20 San Jose State 13

Offense Had At Least 500 Yards Total Offense:

Nov. 12, 2024 – at Buffalo (520)

Offense Had At Least 300 Yards Rushing:

Sept. 13, 2025 - vs. New Hampshire (308)

Offense Had At Least 50 Carries:

Nov. 25, 2023 - vs. Miami (53)

Held an Opponent Under 100 Yards Rushing:

Aug. 30, 2025 - at Purdue (93)

Held an Opponent Under 100 Yards Passing:

Oct. 25, 2025 - at Northern Illinois (65)

Held an Opponent Under 200 Yards of Total Offense:

Nov. 18, 2023 - vs. Kent State (97)

Held an Opponent Under 100 Yards of Total Offense:

Nov. 18, 2023 - vs. Kent State (97)

Defense Recorded Seven or More Sacks:

Oct. 12, 2024 - at Kent State (7)

Defense Recorded Five or More Sacks:

Sept. 6, 2025 - at Auburn (5)

Last 100-Yard Rush Game

Oct. 18, 2025 - Qua Ashley vs. Akron (143 yards, 20 att.)

Last Quarterback to Rush for 100 Yards:

Sept. 13, 2025 -- Kiae Kelly vs. New Hampshire (101 yards, 13 att.)

Nov. 25, 2023 -- Kiae Kelly vs. Miami (136 yards, 20 att.)

Last 200-Yard Rush Game:

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

Last Time Two BSU Rushers Rushed for 100 Yards:

Sept. 13, 2025 -- Qua Ashley (154 yards, 12 att.) and

Kiae Kelly (101 yards, 13 att.) vs. New Hampshire

Nov. 25, 2023 – Marquez Cooper (136 yards, 31 att.) and

Kiae Kelly (136 yards, 20 att.) vs. Miami

Last Time Two BSU Rushers Rushed for 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 Total Touchdowns:

Oct. 18, 2025 – Kiae Kelly vs. Akron (3 rushing)

Last Player to Score Three or More Rushing Touchdowns:

Oct. 18, 2025 – Kiae Kelly vs. Akron (3, 26, 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 Player with 10 or More Receptions in a Game:

Nov. 12, 2024 – Tanner Kozioł at Buffalo (11 rec., 95 yards)

Last 100-Yard Receiving Game

Nov. 12, 2024 -- Justin Bowick at Buffalo (148 yards, 7 rec.)

Last 200-Yard Receiving Game:

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

Last Time Two Receivers Had More Than 100 Receiving 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 Quarterback to Catch a Touchdown Pass:

Sept. 20, 2025 -- Qian Magwood to Kiae Kelly at Connecticut (19 yards)

Last 300 Yard Passing Game

Nov. 12, 2024 – Kadin Semonza at Buffalo (331)

Last 400 Yard Passing Game:

Oct. 1, 2022 – John Paddock vs. Northern Illinois (403)

Last Player to Throw Three or More Touchdown Passes:

Nov. 12, 2024 - Kadin Semonza at Buffalo (4)

Last Player to Throw Four or More Touchdown Passes:

Nov. 12, 2024 - Kadin Semonza at Buffalo (4)

Last Player to Throw Five or More Touchdown Passes:

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

Last Player with Five or More Touchdowns Responsible For (Pass & Rush):

Sept. 7, 2024 – Kadin Semonza vs. Missouri State (5: 4 pass, 1 rush)

Last Non-Quarterback to Throw a Touchdown Pass:

Sept. 20, 2025 -- Qian Magwood to Kiae Kelly at Connecticut (19 yards)

Last Player to Attempt 40 or More Passes:

Sept. 21, 2024 - Kadin Semonza at Central Michigan (30 of 40)

Last Player to Complete 30 or More Passes:

Sept. 21, 2024 - Kadin Semonza at Central Michigan (30 of 40)

Three Different Players Scored Rushing Touchdowns:

Nov. 18, 2023 - Marquez Cooper, Kiae Kelly (2) and Vaughn Pemberton vs. Kent State

Four Different Players Scored Receiving Touchdowns:

Oct. 5, 2024 -- Christian Abney, Drew Hughes, Cam Pickett and Ty Robinson vs. Western Michigan

Sept. 7, 2024 – Malcolm Gillie, Tanner Kozioł, Qian Magwood and Braedon Sloan vs. Missouri State

Last Player to Record Two or More Interceptions:

Nov. 12, 2024 - DD Snyder II at Buffalo (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:

Oct. 25, 2025 – Layton Starks at Northern Illinois (2)

Last Player to Record Three or More Sacks:

Oct. 4, 2025 – Nathan Voorhis vs. Ohio (3.5)

Last Player to Record 15 or More Tackles:

Oct. 22, 2022 – Cole Pearce vs. Eastern Michigan (15)

Last Player to Record 20 or More Tackles:

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

Last Interception Returned for a Touchdown:

Nov. 5, 2024 – Brandon Berger vs. Miami (Ohio) (46 yards)

Last Fumble Returned for a Touchdown:

Sept. 16, 2023 – Keionte Newson vs. Indiana State (66 yards; sack and forced fumble by Loren Strickland)

Last Safety:

Oct. 4, 2025 – Ohio rush for 1-yard loss, fumbled and recovered in end zone

Last Kickoff Returned for a Touchdown:

Oct. 18, 2025 – TJ Horton vs. Akron (90 yards)

Last Punt Returned for a Touchdown:

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

Last Successful Two-Point Conversion:

Sept. 20, 2025 – Kiae Kelly pass to Koby Gross at UConn

Last Field Goal Made From at Least 50 Yards:

Oct. 26, 2024 – Jackson Courville vs. Northern Illinois (52 and 50)

Last Player to Make Two or More FGs from at Least 50 Yards:

Oct. 26, 2024 – Jackson Courville vs. Northern Illinois (52 and 50)

Last Player to Make Four or More Field Goals:

Oct. 26, 2024 – Jackson Courville vs. Northern Illinois (24, 47, 50 and 52)

Last Player to Block a Field Goal Attempt:

Dec. 18, 2020 – Jimmy Daw vs. Buffalo

Last Player to Block an Extra Point Attempt:

Sept. 21, 2024 – Darrin Conley at Central Michigan

Last Player to Block a Punt:

Sept. 21, 2024 - Sam Feeney at Central Michigan

Two Kicks Blocked in Same Game:

Sept. 21, 2024 at Central Michigan: punt blocked by Sam Feeney, PAT blocked by Darian Conley

Last Blocked Punt Returned for a Touchdown:

Sept. 10, 2016 – Malik Dunner at Indiana (3 yards; blocked punt by Dedrick Cromartie)

Last Player to Recover an Onside Kick:

Sept. 21, 2019 – Ray Wilborn at NC State



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Team Results

	Date	Opponent		Score	Overall	Conf	Time	Attend
	08/30/2025	at Purdue	L	0-31	0-1	0-0	2:52	53994
	09/06/2025	at Auburn	L	3-42	0-2	0-0	3:13	88043
	09/13/2025	New Hampshire	W	34-29	1-2	0-0	3:23	10512
	09/20/2025	at UConn	L	25-31	1-3	0-0	3:40	25025
*	10/04/2025	Ohio	W	20-14	2-3	1-0	3:25	8427
*	10/11/2025	at Western Mich.	L	0-42	2-4	1-1	3:04	20032
*	10/18/2025	Akron	W	42-28	3-4	2-1	4:33	12248
*	10/25/2025	at NIU	L	7-21	3-5	2-2	3:04	10124



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Team Statistics

	BSU	OPP
Scoring	131	238
Points per game	16.4	29.8
Points Off Turnovers	10	28
First Downs	116	173
Rushing	54	76
Passing	49	88
Penalty	13	9
Rushing Yardage	1144	1488
Yards gained rushing	1402	1671
Yards lost rushing	258	183
Rushing attempts	299	308
Average per rush	3.8	4.8
Average per game	143.0	186.0
TDs Rushing	9	15
Passing Yardage	1038	1837
Comp-Att-Int	98-171-5	159-246-4
Average per pass	6.1	7.5
Average per catch	10.6	11.6
Average per game	129.8	229.6
TDs Passing	7	15
Total offense	2182	3325
Total plays	470	554
Average per play	4.6	6.0
Average per game	272.8	415.6
Kick returns: #-Yards	21-405	18-302
Punt returns: #-Yards	9-10	16-119
Int returns: #-Yards	4-29	5--1
Kick return average	19.3	16.8
Punt return average	1.1	7.4
Int return average	7.3	-0.2
Fumbles-Lost	9-6	11-4
Penalties-Yards	36-299	44-401
Average per game	37.4	50.1
Punts-Yards	48-1999	29-1274
Average per punt	41.6	43.9
Net punt average	39.0	40.8
Kickoffs-Yards	28-1622	47-2813
Average per kick	57.9	59.9
Net kick average	38.6	37.8
Time of possession / game	28:41	31:19
3rd-down conversion	36/110	49/110
3rd-down pct	33%	45%
4th-down conversion	6/10	12/20



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	BSU	OPP
4th-down pct	60%	60%
Sacks by-Yards	20-117	28-158
Misc Yards	0	0
Touchdowns scored	17	31
Field goals - attempts	3-7	6-11
On-Side kicks	0-1	0-0
Red-zone scores	(11-15) 73%	(25-30) 83%
Red-zone touchdowns	(8-15) 53%	(20-30) 67%
PAT-attempts	(14-14) 100%	(30-30) 100%
2-point conversion-attempts	(2-3) 67%	(1-1) 100%
Attendance	31187	197218
Games / Avg per game	3/10396	5/39444
Neutral site games	-	0/0

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	TOT
Ball St.	28	28	36	39	0	131
Opponents	81	49	48	60	0	238



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Rushing

Player	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Qua Ashley	8	101	531	18	513	5.1	4	72	64.1
Kiael Kelly	8	141	616	199	417	3.0	5	40	52.1
TJ Horton	7	35	154	12	142	4.1	0	13	20.3
Eric Weatherly	8	6	54	0	54	9.0	0	22	6.8
Elijah Jackson	3	8	20	3	17	2.1	0	7	5.7
Jamarion McDougle	6	2	23	12	11	5.5	0	23	1.8
Jalen Alexander	1	1	3	0	3	3.0	0	3	3.0
Qian Magwood	8	2	1	7	-6	-3.0	0	1	-0.8
Team	8	3	0	7	-7	-2.3	0	0	-0.9
Total	8	299	1402	258	1144	3.8	9	72	143.0
Opponents	8	308	1671	183	1488	4.8	15	67	186.0

Passing

Player	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
Kiael Kelly	8	112.1	96-168-5	57.1	982	6	53	122.8
Ty Robinson	7	410.8	1-1-0	100.0	37	0	37	5.3
Aidan Leffler	2	0.0	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Qian Magwood	8	589.6	1-1-0	100.0	19	1	19	2.4
Total	8	116.0	98-171-5	57.3	1038	7	53	129.8
Opponents	8	144.2	159-246-4	64.6	1837	15	52	229.6

Receiving

Player	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Eric Weatherly	8	19	143	7.5	0	28	17.9
Qua Ashley	8	17	87	5.1	1	27	10.9
Qian Magwood	8	13	238	18.3	1	53	29.8
Donovan Hamilton	8	11	106	9.6	0	22	13.3
Ty Robinson	7	8	83	10.4	0	16	11.9
Koby Gross	8	8	127	15.9	1	42	15.9
TJ Horton	7	6	47	7.8	0	19	6.7
Drew Cassens	8	4	43	10.8	1	37	5.4
Maximus Webster	8	2	13	6.5	0	13	1.6
Kameron Anthony	8	2	15	7.5	1	10	1.9
Jamarion McDougle	6	2	43	21.5	0	25	7.2
Kiael Kelly	8	1	19	19.0	1	19	2.4
Dahya Patel	8	1	11	11.0	1	11	1.4
Elijah Jackson	3	1	37	37.0	0	37	12.3
Isaiah Thacker	4	1	10	10.0	0	10	2.5
Elisha Durham	6	1	7	7.0	0	7	1.2
Tate Hoover	8	1	9	9.0	0	9	1.1
Total	8	98	1038	10.6	7	53	129.8
Opponents	8	159	1837	11.6	15	52	229.6

Punt Returns

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Qian Magwood	3	12	4.0	0	7
Joedrick Lewis	3	3	1.0	0	6
Willizhuan Yates	1	3	3.0	0	3
Eric Weatherly	2	-8	-4.0	0	0
Total	9	10	1.1	0	7
Opponents	16	119	7.4	1	30

Interceptions

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Joedrick Lewis	2	16	8.0	0	16
Roman Pearson	1	7	7.0	0	7
Eric McClain	1	6	6.0	0	6
Total	4	29	7.3	0	16
Opponents	5	-1	-0.2	0	2

Kick Returns

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Qua Ashley	9	170	18.9	0	27
TJ Horton	7	176	25.1	1	90
Eric Weatherly	4	59	14.8	0	24
Maximus Webster	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	21	405	19.3	1	90
Opponents	18	302	16.8	0	33

Fumbles Recovered

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Layton Starks	2	0	0.0	0	0
Joey Stemler	1	0	0.0	0	0
Maximus Webster	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	4	0	0.0	0	0
Opponents	6	0	0.0	0	0



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Scoring

Player	td	fg	PAT						pts
			kick	rush	rcv	pass	dxp	saf	
Kiael Kelly	6	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	36
Qua Ashley	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30
Carson Holmer	-	3-7	14-14	-	-	-	-	-	23
Koby Gross	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	8
Drew Cassens	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Qian Magwood	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Dahya Patel	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
TJ Horton	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Kameron Anthony	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Donovan Hamilton	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	2
Total	17	3-7	14-14	0	2	2	0	1	131
Opponents	31	6-11	30-30	0	1	1	0	1	238

Field Goals

Player	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
Carson Holmer	3-7	42.9	0-0	3-4	0-0	0-2	0-1	23	0
Opponents	6-11	54.5	1-1	3-4	1-2	0-1	1-3	52	0

FG Sequence

Team Name	Ball St.	Opponents
Purdue	45,29	(28)
Auburn	(22)	52
New Hampshire		25,52,(52),(29)
UConn	(23)	(30)
Ohio	(22)	49
Western Mich.		31
Akron	53	(29),(19)
NIU	45	

Total Offense

Player	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
Kiael Kelly	8	309	417	982	1399	174.9
Qua Ashley	8	101	513	0	513	64.1
TJ Horton	7	35	142	0	142	20.3
Eric Weatherly	8	6	54	0	54	6.8
Ty Robinson	7	1	0	37	37	5.3
Elijah Jackson	3	8	17	0	17	5.7
Qian Magwood	8	3	-6	19	13	1.6
Jamarion McDougale	6	2	11	0	11	1.8
Jalen Alexander	1	1	3	0	3	3.0
Team	8	0	-7	0	-7	-0.9
Total	8	470	1144	1038	2182	272.8
Opponents	8	554	1488	1837	3325	415.6

Punting

Player	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
Adam Saul	47	1999	42.5	67	3	12	11	9	0
Team	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Total	48	1999	41.6	67	3	12	11	9	1
Opponents	29	1274	43.9	64	4	3	10	8	0

Kickoffs

Player	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	retn	net	ydl
DC Pippin	17	938	55.2	6	0			
Carson Holmer	11	684	62.2	3	0			
Total	28	1622	57.9	9	0	18	38.6	26
Opponents	47	2813	59.9	24	1	22	37.8	27

All Purpose

Player	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
Qua Ashley	8	513	87	0	170	0	770	96.3
Kiael Kelly	8	417	19	0	0	0	436	54.5
TJ Horton	7	142	47	0	176	0	365	52.1
Eric Weatherly	8	54	143	-8	59	0	248	31.0
Qian Magwood	8	-6	238	12	0	0	244	30.5
Koby Gross	8	0	127	0	0	0	127	15.9
Donovan Hamilton	8	0	106	0	0	0	106	13.3
Ty Robinson	7	0	83	0	0	0	83	11.9
Elijah Jackson	3	17	37	0	0	0	54	18.0
Jamarion McDougale	6	11	43	0	0	0	54	9.0
Drew Cassens	8	0	43	0	0	0	43	5.4
Joedrick Lewis	8	0	0	3	0	16	19	2.4
Kameron Anthony	8	0	15	0	0	0	15	1.9
Maximus Webster	8	0	13	0	0	0	13	1.6
Dahya Patel	8	0	11	0	0	0	11	1.4
Isaiah Thacker	4	0	10	0	0	0	10	2.5
Tate Hoover	8	0	9	0	0	0	9	1.1
Roman Pearson	8	0	0	0	0	7	7	0.9
Elisha Durham	6	0	7	0	0	0	7	1.2
Eric McClain	8	0	0	0	0	6	6	0.8
Jalen Alexander	1	3	0	0	0	0	3	3.0
Willizhuan Yates	7	0	0	3	0	0	3	0.4
Team	8	-7	0	0	0	0	-7	-0.9
Total	8	1144	1038	10	405	29	2626	328.3
Opponents	8	1488	1837	119	302	-1	3745	468.1



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Team Defense

##	Player	gp	Tackles				Sacks	Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
			ua	a	tot	tfl/yds		int-yds	brup	qbh	fr-yds	ff	kick	saf
0	Alfred Chea	8	25	19	44	0.5-1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
44	Nathan Voorhis	8	25	12	37	13-74	10-65	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
7	Ashton Whitner	8	27	6	33	3-4	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
22	Jack Beebe	8	18	13	31	1.5-5	0.5-3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
2	Michael Gravely Jr.	6	14	15	29	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
15	DJ Fields	8	21	8	29	1-1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
21	Joey Stemler	7	17	12	29	0.5-0	.	.	1	2	1-0	.	.	.
16	Muheem McCargo	8	17	10	27	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
5	Roman Pearson	8	20	5	25	0.5-2	.	1-7	4	.	.	.	.	.
6	Caden Johnson	7	12	12	24	4-12	1-3	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
20	Willizhuan Yates	7	17	7	24	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	.
47	Drew Hughes	8	9	13	22	2-10	2-10	.	1	1	.	.	.	.
1	Joedrick Lewis	8	17	3	20	1.5-5	.	2-16	.	.	.	.	.	.
33	Darin Conley	8	7	10	17	2.5-10	1.5-8	.	1	2	.	.	.	.
10	Jahmad Harmon	7	12	5	17	1-2	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.
31	Dejuan Echoles Jr.	6	5	12	17	3.5-14	2-11	.	1	.	.	2	.	.
18	Jackson Wiegold	7	10	6	16	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
4	Eric McClain	8	12	3	15	1-1	.	1-6	.	.	.	2	.	.
93	Scott Hudson	8	4	6	10	1-8	1-8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
56	Ameir Glenn	8	3	6	9	1-5	1-5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
14	Tobi Adewoyin	8	7	2	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
12	Deondre Shepherd	3	5	3	8	0.5-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
9	Micah Wing	7	5	3	8	0.5-1	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
42	Layton Starks	8	4	3	7	.	.	.	.	.	2-0	.	.	.
49	Justin Thomas	8	5	1	6	1-4	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
48	Sam Feeney	2	3	2	5	0.5-2	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
41	Ben Marsh	6	2	2	4	0.5-3	0.5-3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
30	Jalon Jones	6	1	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
97	Ashton Nawrocki	4	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
25	Mikeah Webster	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
84	Tate Hoover	8	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
3	George Okorie	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
83	Eli Hohlt	8	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
3	Eric Weatherly	8	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
45	Caden Britton	8	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
1	Kiael Kelly	8	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
39	Zavier Simpson	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
44	Maximus Webster	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
Totals		8	333	204	537	41-167	20-117	4-29	26	11	4-0	7	0	1
Opponents		8	276	224	500	63-256	28-158	5--1	19	12	6-0	7	1	1



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0	Alfred Chea	8/7	XXX	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
0	Elijah Jackson	3/0	XXX	XXX	...	...	...	XXX	...	...
1	Kiael Kelly	8/8	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
1	Joedrick Lewis	8/3	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	START	START
2	Ty Robinson	7/1	START	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	XXX
2	Michael Gravely Jr.	6/4	START	START	...	XXX	XXX	...	START	START
3	Eric Weatherly	8/1	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	XXX	XXX	XXX
3	George Okorie	1/0	...	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...
4	TJ Horton	7/1	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	START
4	Eric McClain	8/1	START	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
5	Roman Pearson	8/6	XXX	START	START	START	START	XXX	START	START
5	Qian Magwood	8/5	START	XXX	START	XXX	XXX	START	START	START
6	Koby Gross	8/2	XXX	XXX	START	XXX	XXX	START	XXX	XXX
6	Caden Johnson	7/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
7	Ashton Whitner	8/6	START	START	START	XXX	START	START	XXX	START
7	Walter Taylor	1/0	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Avery Stuart	1/0	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Qua Ashley	8/8	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
9	Micah Wing	7/7	START	START	START	...	START	START	START	START
10	Jahmad Harmon	7/3	START	START	START	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
10	Jamarion McDougle	6/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	...	XXX
11	Isaiah Thacker	4/0	...	XXX	...	...	XXX	...	XXX	XXX
11	Donovan Lanier	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
12	Deondre Shepherd	3/2	XXX	...	...	START	START	...	...	...
12	Brady Fleharty	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
13	Khalel Wright	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
13	Kamron Chamble	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14	Tobi Adewoyin	8/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
14	Elisha Durham	6/0	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	XXX
15	Aidan Leffler	2/0	XXX	...	...	...	...	XXX	...	...
15	DJ Fields	8/5	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	START	START	START	START
16	Muheem McCargo	8/4	XXX	XXX	START	START	XXX	START	START	XXX
17	Trey Firestone	1/0	...	...	...	...	XXX	...	...	...
18	Jackson Wiegold	7/1	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	START
18	Bodie Derrer	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	Nick Presley	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
20	Willizhuan Yates	7/6	START	START	START	START	START	START	...	XXX
21	Joey Stemler	7/7	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	...
22	Jack Beebe	8/1	START	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
22	Jalen Bonds	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Jordan Suggs	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	Jalen Alexander	1/0	...	...	...	...	...	XXX	...	...
24	Gabriel Arambales	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	Mikeah Webster	1/0	...	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...
26	Lucas Szymborski	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
29	Micah Lillard	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
30	Jalon Jones	6/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...	XXX	XXX	XXX
31	DeJuan Echoles Jr.	6/1	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	...	...	XXX	XXX
33	Darin Conley	8/8	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
34	Coby Tripp	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
35	Russell Peterson	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
36	Ben Dutton	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
38	Brody Boehm	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
38	Jayden Bernavil	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	Zavier Simpson	4/0	...	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...
40	DC Pippin	5/0	...	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	XXX
41	Ben Marsh	6/0	XXX	XXX	...	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
42	Layton Starks	8/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
43	Adam Saul	8/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
44	Nathan Voorhis	8/8	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START



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44	Maximus Webster	8/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
45	Caden Britton	8/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
45	Cole Earlewine	6/0	...	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
47	Drew Hughes	8/8	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
48	Sam Feeney	2/0	...	...	...	...	XXX	...	XXX	...
49	Justin Thomas	8/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
52	Michael Thacker	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
54	Spencer Vaka	6/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	...
55	Michael Varon	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
56	Isaac Lucas	8/8	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
56	Ameir Glenn	8/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
57	Reese Hill	2/0	...	XXX	...	...	...	XXX	...	...
60	Blake Scriber	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
61	Luke Dalton	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
62	Otto Hess	8/2	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	START
63	Aaron Roberts	8/8	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
65	Ryan Eldridge	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
66	Chris Hood	8/8	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
67	Jackson Ruess	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
68	Grant Haworth	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
70	Tristan Cook	8/8	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
71	Brayden Barrowman	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
72	Cody Smith	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
73	Cole Mosier	7/6	START	START	START	START	START	START	...	XXX
74	Khristian Zachary	3/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...	...	...	...
75	Zach Bandy	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
76	Cj Zeltwanger	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
77	Adam Dolan	8/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
78	Kaden Mayle	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
80	Derion Talbert	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
81	Leo Collins	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
82	Dahya Patel	8/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
83	Eli Hohlt	8/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
84	Tate Hoover	8/4	START	START	XXX	START	XXX	XXX	START	XXX
85	Kameron Anthony	8/7	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	XXX
86	Mason Riggins	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
87	Jackson Constantine	8/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
88	Donovan Hamilton	8/7	XXX	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
89	Drew Cassens	8/4	XXX	START	XXX	START	START	XXX	XXX	START
90	Lincoln Mason	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
91	Jamar Birden	1/0	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	...
92	Cole Stumbaugh	7/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	XXX
93	Scott Hudson	8/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
94	Hunter Sanderson	0/0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
97	Ashton Nawrocki	4/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...	...	...
98	Carson Holmer	8/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX

GAME-BY-GAME PASSING

» KIAEL KELLY

Opponent	Comp	Att	Int	Pct	Yds	TD	Lg	Sk-Yds
at Purdue	10	16	0	.625	87	0	37	4-15
at Auburn	10	16	0	.625	71	0	16	6-34
New Hampshire	9	15	1	.600	105	2	27	1-4
at Connecticut	17	24	1	.708	209	1	53	4-21
Ohio	17	33	0	.515	185	1	43	0-0
at Western Michigan	13	22	0	.591	68	0	15	5-31
Akron	10	19	1	.530	121	1	42	4-27
at Northern Illinois	10	23	2	.435	136	1	25	4-26
Kent State								
Eastern Michigan								
at Toledo								
at Miami (OH)								
Totals	96	168	5	.580	982	6	258	28-158

» WALTER TAYLOR III

Opponent	Comp	Att	Int	Pct	Yds	TD	Lg	Sk-Yds
at Purdue	DNP							
at Auburn	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0-0
New Hampshire	DNP							
at Connecticut	DNP							
Ohio	DNP							
at Western Michigan	DNP							
Akron	DNP							
at Northern Illinois	DNP							
Kent State								
Eastern Michigan								
at Toledo								
at Miami (OH)								
Totals	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0-0

» AIDAN LEFFLER

Opponent	Comp	Att	Int	Pct	Yds	TD	Lg	Sk-Yds
at Purdue	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0-0
at Auburn	DNP							
New Hampshire	DNP							
at Connecticut	DNP							
Ohio	DNP							
at Western Michigan	0	1	0	.000	0	0	0	0-0
Akron	DNP							
at Northern Illinois	DNP							
Kent State								
Eastern Michigan								
at Toledo								
at Miami (OH)								
Totals	0	1	0	.000	0	0	0	0-0

GAME-BY-GAME RUSHING

Player	No-Yds/TD	PUR	AUB	UNH	CONN	OHIO	WMU	AKR	NIU	KENT	EMU	TOL	MIA
Kiael Kelly	141-417/5	22-63/0	15-(-21)/0	13-101/1	12-27/0	21-96/1	12-7/0	19-58/3	27-86/0				
Qua Ashley	101-513/4	10-45/0	12-10/0	12-154/2	18-86/1	12-21/0	6-17/0	20-143/1	11-37/0				
T.J. Horton	35-142/0	3-1/0	DNP	8-32/0	6-41/0	7-26/0	4-9/0	3-22/0	4-11/0				
Elijah Jackson	8-17/0	1-7/0	6-8/0	--	--	DNP	1-2/0	DNP	DNP				
Eric Weatherly	6-54/0	--	--	3-21/0	1-22/0	1-6/0	--	--	1-5/0				
Qian Magwood	2-(-6)/0	--	--	--	--	--	2-(-6)/0	--	--				
Jamarion McDougle	1-11/0	--	--	--	--	1-23/0	1-(-12)/0	DNP	--				
Jalen Alexander	1-3/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-3/0	DNP	DNP				

GAME-BY-GAME RECEIVING

Player	No-Yds/TD	PUR	AUB	UNH	CONN	OHIO	WMU	AKR	NIU	KENT	EMU	TOL	MIA
Eric Weatherly	19-143/0	1-8/0	5-42/0	1-10/0	2-40/0	2-14/0	5-4/0	2-9/0	1-16/0				
Qua Ashley	17-89/1	2-2/0	3-(-2)/0	2-33/1	3-14/0	4-28/0	1-3/0	1-1/0	1-8/0				
Qian Magwood	12-221/1	0-0/0	1-15/0	1-8/0	2-59/0	4-92/1	3-26/0	1-17/0	1-21/0				
Donovan Hamilton	10-85/0	--	--	--	7-61/0	2-18/0	--	1-6/0	0-0/0				
Koby Gross	8-127/1	1-3/0	--	1-9/0	2-24/0	0-0/0	1-10/0	3-81/1	0-0/0				
Ty Robinson	8-83/0	2-9/0	1-16/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	DNP	2-21/0	--	3-37/0				
T.J. Horton	6-47/0	1-14/0	DNP	2-14/0	0-0/0	1-3/0	--	1-(-3)/0	1-19/0				
Drew Cassens	4-43/1	1-1/0	--	--	--	--	1-4/0	1-37/0	1-1/1				
Jamarion McDougle	2-43/0	--	--	--	--	1-18/0	--	DNP	1-25/0				
Kameron Anthony	2-15/1	--	0-0/0	1-10/1	--	1-5/0	--	--	--				
Maximus Webster	2-13/0	1-13/0	--	--	--	1-0/0	--	--	--				
Elijah Jackson	1-37/0	1-37/0	--	--	--	DNP	--	DNP	DNP				
Kiael Kelly	1-19/1	--	--	--	1-19/1	--	--	--	--				
Dahya Patel	1-11/0	--	--	--	1-11/0	0-0/0	--	--	--				
Isaiah Thacker	1-10/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	--	DNP	1-10/0	0-0/0				
Tate Hoover	1-9/0	--	DNP	--	--	--	--	--	1-9/0				
Elisha Durham	1-7/0	--	0-0/0	--	--	1-7/0	0-0/0	DNP	--				

DNP denotes did not play; 0-0/0 denotes targets with no catches; --- denotes no targets

GAME-BY-GAME TACKLES

Player	UA-A	TOT	PUR	AUB	UNH	CONN	OHIO	WMU	AKR	NIU	KENT	EMU	TOL	MIA
Alfred Chea	28-16	44	2-2	3-1	2-2	5-3	1-2	4-3	2-4	6-2				
Nathan Voorhis	25-12	37	3-1	1-2	3-2	3-0	5-3	3-0	3-2	4-2				
Ashton Whitner	27-6	33	3-0	2-0	6-2	4-0	3-2	5-0	2-0	2-2				
Joey Stemler	18-13	31	5-0	4-0	1-2	2-0	1-3	5-2	0-6	DNP				
Jack Beebe	18-13	31	2-0	1-0	4-5	1-1	2-3	2-0	2-1	4-3				
DJ Fields	21-8	29	1-1	5-1	--	6-0	1-1	5-0	1-2	2-3				
Michael Gravely Jr.	16-12	28	2-0	4-2	DNP	1-3	1-5	DNP	2-5	3-0				
Muheem McCargo	17-10	27	2-0	1-1	1-1	1-1	1-2	6-0	2-3	3-2				
Roman Pearson	20-5	25	1-0	--	5-2	2-1	3-1	--	6-0	3-1				
Will Yates	18-7	25	2-0	4-3	3-1	3-2	2-1	4-0	--	--				
Caden Johnson	12-12	24	2-1	2-3	2-0	DNP	0-1	1-1	0-2	5-4				
Joedrick Lewis	17-3	20	2-0	2-0	--	4-0	1-2	2-0	4-1	2-0				
Drew Hughes	8-11	19	--	2-1	1-4	2-1	0-2	2-2	1-2	1-1				
Jahmad Harmon	12-5	17	2-0	2-0	2-1	DNP	3-1	0-2	2-1	1-0				
Darin Conley	7-10	17	1-0	1-0	2-1	0-3	0-2	--	2-3	1-1				
DeJuan Echoles Jr.	5-12	17	0-2	2-0	3-3	0-1	DNP	DNP	0-3	0-3				
Jackson Wiegold	10-6	16	2-1	DNP	2-1	1-2	0-1	1-0	--	4-1				
Eric McClain	12-3	15	2-0	1-0	1-1	1-0	--	4-0	0-1	3-1				
Scott Hudson	4-6	10	0-1	1-0	1-0	--	1-3	--	1-0	0-2				
Tobi Adewoyin	7-2	9	--	1-0	2-0	--	--	4-1	--	0-1				
Ameir Glenn	3-6	9	--	--	0-3	1-1	--	1-1	1-0	0-1				
Deondre Shepherd	5-3	8	1-2	DNP	DNP	3-0	1-1	DNP	DNP	DNP				
Micah Wing	5-3	8	2-0	1-0	0-2	DNP	0-1	2-0	--	--				
Layton Starks	4-3	7	2-0	--	--	--	0-2	--	--	2-1				
Justin Thomas	5-1	6	--	2-0	--	--	--	2-0	1-0	0-1				
Sam Feeney	3-2	5	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	2-1	DNP	1-1	DNP				
Ben Marsh	2-2	4	--	--	DNP	DNP	--	2-1	0-1	--				
Jalon Jones	1-3	4	0-1	1-0	0-1	DNP	DNP	0-1	--	--				
Mikeah Webster	2-0	2	DNP	DNP	DNP	2-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP				
Ashton Nawrocki	1-1	2	--	--	1-0	0-1	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP				
Caden Britton	1-0	1	--	1-0	--	--	--	--	--	--				
George Okorie	1-0	1	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP				
Tate Hoover	1-0	1	--	--	--	1-0	--	--	--	--				
Zavier Simpson	1-0	1	DNP	--	DNP	--	--	1-0	DNP	DNP				
Eric Weatherly	1-0	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1-0				
Eli Hohlt	1-0	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1-0				
Kiael Kelly	0-1	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	0-1	--				

GAME-BY-GAME TACKLES FOR LOSS

Player	UA-A	TOT	PUR	AUB	UNH	CONN	OHIO	WMU	AKR	NIU	KENT	EMU	TOL	MIA
Nathan Voorhis	11-2	12.5-72	1.0-9	1.5-11	2.5-11	--	3.5-18	1.0-2	1.0-10	2.0-11				
Caden Johnson	4-0	4.0-12	1.0-3	1.0-3	1.0-4	DNP	--	--	--	1.0-2				
DeJuan Echoles Jr.	3-1	3.5-14	--	2.0-7	1.5-7	--	DNP	DNP	--	--				
Ashton Whitner	3-0	3.0-4	1.0-2	--	1.0-1	1.0-1	--	--	--	--				
Darin Conley	1-1	2.5-10	--	--	1.5-3	--	--	--	1.0-7	--				
Drew Hughes	1-1.5	2.0-10	--	1.0-7	0.5-1	--	--	--	0.5-2	--				
Scott Hudson	1-0	1.0-8	--	1.0-8	--	--	--	--	--	--				
Justin Thomas	1-0	1.0-4	--	1.0-4	--	--	--	--	--	--				
Jahmad Harmon	1-0	1.0-2	1.0-2	--	--	DNP	--	--	--	--				
Jack Beebe	1-1	1.5-5	--	--	--	1.0-2	0.5-3	--	--	--				
Joedrick Lewis	1-1	1.5-5	--	--	--	--	0.5-1	1.0-4	--	--				
Amier Glenn	1-0	1.0-5	--	--	--	--	--	--	1.0-5	--				
DJ Fields	1-0	1.0-1	--	--	--	--	--	1.0-1	--	--				
Eric McClain	1-0	1.0-1	1.0-1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--				
Roman Pearson	0-1	0.5-2	--	--	0.5-2	--	--	--	--	--				
Alfred Chea	0-1	0.5-1	--	0.5-1	--	--	--	--	--	--				
Micah Wing	0-1	0.5-1	--	--	0.5-1	DNP	--	--	--	--				
Joey Stemler	0-1	0.5-0	--	--	--	--	0.5-0	--	--	DNP				
Sam Feeney	0-1	0.5-3	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	0.5-3	DNP	--	DNP				
Ben Marsh	0-1	0.5-3	--	--	DNP	DNP	--	--	0.5-3	--				
Deondre Shepherd	0-1	0.5-2	--	DNP	DNP	--	0.5-2	DNP	DNP	DNP				
Michael Gravely Jr.	0-1	0.5-1	--	--	DNP	--	--	--	0.5-1	--				

GAME-BY-GAME SACKS

Player	UA-A	TOT	PUR	AUB	UNH	CONN	OHIO	WMU	AKR	NIU	KENT	EMU	TOL	MIA
Nathan Voorhis	9-3	9.5-67	1.0-9	1.0-10	2.5-11	--	3.5-18	--	1.5-12	1.0-7				
DeJuan Echoles Jr.	2-0	2.0-11	--	1.0-5	1.0-6	--	DNP	--	--	--				
Drew Hughes	1-2	2.0-10	--	1-7	0.5-1	--	--	--	0.5-2	--				
Darin Conley	1-1	1.5-8	--	--	0.5-1	--	--	--	1-7	--				
Scott Hudson	1-0	1.0-8	--	1.0-8	--	--	--	--	--	--				
Ameir Glenn	1-0	1.0-5	--	--	--	--	--	--	1.0-5	--				
Caden Johnson	1-0	1.0-3	--	1.0-3	--	DNP	--	--	--	--				
Jack Beebe	0-1	0.5-3	--	--	--	--	0.5-3	--	--	--				
Ben Marsh	0-1	0.5-3	--	--	DNP	DNP	--	--	0.5-3	--				
Michael Gravely Jr.	0-1	0.5-1	--	--	DNP	--	--	--	0.5-1	--				
Micah Wing	0-1	0.5-1	--	--	0.5-1	DNP	--	--	--	--				

GAME-BY-GAME INTERCEPTION RETURNS

Player	No-Yds	PUR	AUB	UNH	CONN	OHIO	WMU	AKR	NIU	KENT	EMU	TOL	MIA
Joedrick Lewis	2-16	--	--	--	--	--	--	1-16	1-0				
Roman Pearson	1-7	--	--	--	--	--	--	1-7	--				
Eric McClain	1-6	--	--	--	--	--	1-6	--	--				

GAME-BY-GAME FUMBLE RETURNS

Player	No-Yds	PUR	AUB	UNH	CONN	OHIO	WMU	AKR	NIU	KENT	EMU	TOL	MIA
Layton Starks	2-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2-0				
Joey Stemler	1-0	--	1-0	--	--	--	--	--	--				
Maximus Webster	1-0	--	--	--	--	--	1-0	--	--				

GAME-BY-GAME PUNT RETURNS

Player	No-Yds	PUR	AUB	UNH	CONN	OHIO	WMU	AKR	NIU	KENT	EMU	TOL	MIA
Qian Magwood	3-12	--	--	1-7	--	1-7	1-(-2)	--	--				
Joedrick Lewis	3-3	--	--	--	--	--	--	2-7	1-(-4)				
Eric Weatherly	2(-8)	1-(-3)	--	1-(-5)	--	--	--	--	--				
Will Yates	1-3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1-3				

GAME-BY-GAME KICKOFF RETURNS

Player	No-Yds	PUR	AUB	UNH	CONN	OHIO	WMU	AKR	NIU	KENT	EMU	TOL	MIA
Qua Ashley	9-170	2-34	3-63	3-61	1-12	--	--	--					
TJ Horton	7-176	--	--	--	--	1-28	2-9	2-92	2-47				
Eric Weatherly	4-59	--	--	1-13	1-24	--	1-13	--	1-9				
Maximus Webster	1-0	--	--	--	--	1-0	--	--	--				

GAME-BY-GAME PUNTING

Player	No-Yds	PUR	AUB	UNH	CONN	OHIO	WMU	AKR	NIU	KENT	EMU	TOL	MIAMI
Adam Saul	26-1,147	5-204	10-467	2-88	4-174	7-252	10-403	4-197	5-214				
Sequence -- PUR (40.8/1 In20): 45, 31, (46), 39, 43. AUB (46.7/1 In 20): 47, 30, 31, 40, (67), 49, 59, 49, 47, 48. UNH (44/2 In.20): 39, 49. CONN (43.5/ 2 In. 20): 38, (45), (55), 36. OHIO (36/1 In20): 23, 41, 41, 13, 34, (62), 38. WMU (40.3/ 1 In20): 34, 28, 38, 44, 52, 48, (52), 28, 34, 45. AKR (49.2/1 In. 20): 47, (52), 58, 40. NIU (42.8 / 1 In. 20): 33, 39, 44,(55),45.													

Punts of at least 40 yards are underlined; game average and punts downed Inside 20-yard line in parenthesis

GAME-BY-GAME FIELD GOALS

Player	FGM-A	Pct	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	Lg	Blk
Carson Holmer	3-7	.430	3-1	0-0	0-2	0-1	22	0
Sequence -- PUR: 45, 29. AUB: (22). CONN: (23). OHIO: (22). AKR: 53. NIU: 45.								
Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made								

BALL STATE AND OPPONENT GAME-BY-GAME TEAM STATISTICS

	RUSHING				RECEIVING				PASSING				TOT	KICK RETURNS				PUNT RETURNS				3RD DOWN	PEN	TURNOVERS	
Opponent	No.	Yds	TD	Lg	No.	Yds	TD	Lg	Cmp-Att-Int	Yds	TD	Lg	OFF	No.	Yds	TD	Lg	No	Yds	TD	Lg	No-Atts	No-Yds	Fum-Int-Tot	
Ball State	36	116	0	21	10	87	0	37	10-16-0	87	0	37	203	2	34	0	17	1	-3	0	-3	4-13	3-18	0-0-0 / ---	
at Purdue	30	93	2	13	20	340	2	49	20-29-0	340	2	49	433	1	20	0	20	2	7	0	4	4-11	3-25	0-0-0 / ---	
Ball State	33	-3	0	21	10	71	0	16	10-16-0	71	0	16	68	3	63	0	25	0	0	0	0	1-14	7-57	1-0-1 / ---	
at Auburn	34	224	3	54	26	271	3	30	26-30-0	271	3	30	495	2	49	0	25	0	0	0	0	6-11	8-65	1-0-1 / ---	
Ball State	36	308	3	72	9	105	2	27	9-15-1	105	2	27	413	5	93	0	27	2	2	0	7	7-10	6-56	1-1-2/ -5	
New Hampshire	34	132	1	30	25	259	1	42	25-45-0	259	1	42	391	4	74	0	33	2	46	1	30	8-18	6-62	0-0-0/ --	
Ball State	37	176	1	27	18	228	2	53	18-25-1	228	2	53	404	2	36	0	24	0	0	0	0	4-12	4-32	0-1-1/ --	
at Connecticut	37	217	3	67	20	181	1	46	20-30-0	181	1	46	400	3	56	0	25	3	34	0	25	5-15	2-20	0-0-0/ --	
Ball State	42	172	1	23	17	185	1	43	17-33-0	185	1	43	357	2	28	0	28	1	7	0	7	9-20	2-15	0-0-0/ --	
Ohio	37	168	1	44	16	188	1	37	16-29-0	188	1	37	356	2	47	0	32	0	0	0	0	7-14	8-90	1-0-1/ --	
Ball State	27	20	0	13	13	68	0	15	13-23-0	68	0	15	88	3	22	0	13	1	-2	0	-2	1-13	4-31	0-0-0/ --	
at Western Michigan	44	219	3	37	24	242	3	52	24-29-1	242	3	52	461	1	16	0	16	3	9	0	6	8-14	4-30	0-1-1/ 6	
Ball State	45	216	4	69	11	158	1	42	11-20-1	158	1	42	374	2	92	1	90	2	7	0	6	4-13	6-50	0-1-1/ --	
Akron	35	128	0	27	22	291	3	37	22-40-2	291	3	37	419	2	-13	0	22	0	0	0	0	2-12	9-75	0-2-2/ 23	
Ball State	43	139	0	19	10	136	1	25	10-23-2	136	1	25	275	3	56	0	36	2	-1	0	3	6-15	4-40	1-2-3/ 2	
at Northern Illinois	57	305	2	53	6	65	1	22	6-11-1	65	1	22	370	2	34	0	19	2	7	0	6	9-16	4-35	2-1-3/ --	
Ball State																									
Kent State																									
Ball State																									
Eastern Michigan																									
Ball State																									
at Toledo																									
Ball State																									
at Miami (Ohio)																									

THIS AND THAT

OPPONENT	TIME	TV	ATTND	HALF	FINAL	COIN TOSS	KICK/ RECEIVE	1ST BSU POSSESSION	1ST OPP POSSESSION	UNIFORM COMBOS		
										HELMET	JERSEY	PANTS
at Purdue	2:52	BTN	53,994	PUR 21-0	PUR 31-0	Won	Kick	Punt	TD	White	White	Red
at Auburn	3:13	ESPNU	88,043	AUB 21-0	AUB 42-3	Lost	Recieve	Punt	Punt	White	White	Black
New Hampshire	3:22	ESPN+	10,512	BSU 28-21	BSU 34-29	Lost	Recieve	Punt	TD	White	Black	Black
at Connecticut	3:40	CBS SN	25,025	CONN 10-7	CONN 31-25	Won	Kick	Punt	Punt	White	White	Black
Ohio	3:25	CBS SN	8,427	OHIO 14-0	BSU 20-14	Won	Kick	Punt	FGA	White	Red	White
at Western Michigan	3:03	ESPN+	20,032	WMU 21-0	WMU 42-0	Lost	Recieve	Punt	Downs	White	White	Black
Akron	4:32	ESPN+	12,248	AKR 15-14	BSU 42-28	Lost	Recieve	Downs	TD	White	Red	Red
at Northern Illinois	3:04	ESPN+	10,124	TIE 7-7	NIU 21-7	Lost	Recieved	Punt	TD	White	White	White
Kent State												
Eastern Michigan												
at Toledo												
at Miami (Ohio)												

GAME-BY-GAME OFFENSIVE STARTERS

	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	WR	WR	WR/TE/QB/RB	TE	RB	QB
at Purdue	Hood	Roberts	Mosier	Lucas	Cook	Robinson	Magwood	Hoover	Anthony	Ashley	Kelly
at Auburn	Hood	Roberts	Mosier	Lucas	Cook	Hamilton	Cassens	Hoover	Anthony	Ashley	Kelly
New Hampshire	Hood	Roberts	Mosier	Lucas	Cook	Hamilton	Magwood	Gross	Anthony	Ashley	Kelly
at Connecticut	Hood	Roberts	Mosier	Lucas	Cook	Hamilton	Cassens	Hoover	Anthony	Ashley	Kelly
Ohio	Hood	Roberts	Mosier	Lucas	Cook	Hamilton	Weatherly	Cassens	Anthony	Ashley	Kelly
at Western Michigan	Hood	Roberts	Mosier	Lucas	Cook	Hamilton	Magwood	Gross	Anthony	Ashley	Kelly
Akron	Hood	Roberts	Hess	Lucas	Cook	Hamilton	Magwood	Hoover	Anthony	Ashley	Kelly
at Northern Illinois	Hood	Roberts	Hess	Lucas	Cook	Hamilton	Magwood	Horton	Cassens	Ashley	Kelly
Kent State											
Eastern Michigan											
at Toledo											
at Miami (Ohio)											

GAME-BY-GAME DEFENSIVE STARTERS

	DE	NT	DT	EDGE	LB	LB	LB/NICKEL/SNIPER	CB	S	S	CB
at Purdue	Voorhis	Hughes	Conley	Wing	Stemler	Beebe	Whitner	McClain	Gravely Jr.	Harmon	Yates
at Auburn	Voorhis	Hughes	Conley	Wing	Stemler	Chea	Whitner	Pearson	Gravely Jr.	Harmon	Yates
New Hampshire	Voorhis	Hughes	Conley	Wing	Stemler	Chea	Whitner	Pearson	McCargo	Harmon	Yates
at Connecticut	Voorhis	Hughes	Conley	Echoles Jr.	Stemler	Chea	Fields	Pearson	McCargo	Shepherd	Yates
Ohio	Voorhis	Hughes	Conley	Wing	Stemler	Chea	Whitner	Pearson	Fields	Shepherd	Yates
at Western Michigan	Voorhis	Hughes	Conley	Wing	Stemler	Chea	Whitner	Lewis	McCargo	Fields	Yates
Akron	Voorhis	Hughes	Conley	Wing	Stemler	Chea	Fields	Lewis	Gravely Jr.	McCargo	Pearson
at Northern Illinois	Voorhis	Hughes	Conley	Wing	Wiegold	Chea	Whitner	Lewis	Gravely Jr.	Fields	Pearson
Kent State											
Eastern Michigan											
at Toledo											
at Miami (Ohio)											

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 Purdue	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	---
at Auburn	1	0	1	0	1	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	---
New Hampshire	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	-2
at Connecticut	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	-1
Ohio	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	--
at Western Michigan	1	1	2	0	0	0	2	0	2	2	0	14	--
Akron	0	2	2	0	0	0	1	1	2	1	0	7	--
at Northern Illinois	2	1	3	1	0	7	1	2	3	1	0	7	--
Kent State													
Eastern Michigan													
at Toledo													
at Miami (Ohio)													
Totals	4	4	8	1	1	10	6	5	11	4	0	28	-3

IN THE RED ZONE – BALL STATE

	No.	TD	FG	Failed	Pct.
at Purdue	1	0	0	1	0.000
at Auburn	1	0	1	0	1.000
New Hampshire	1	1	0	0	1.000
at Connecticut	4	3	1	0	1.000
Ohio	3	1	1	1	0.667
at Western Michigan	0	0	0	0	0.000
Akron	2	2	0	0	1.000
at Northern Illinois	3	1	0	2	0.333
Kent State					
Eastern Michigan					
at Toledo					
at Miami (Ohio)					
Totals	15	8	3	4	0.625

IN THE RED ZONE – OPPONENT

	No.	TD	FG	Failed	Pct.
at Purdue	5	3	1	1	0.800
at Auburn	2	2	0	0	1.000
New Hampshire	4	2	1	1	0.750
at Connecticut	3	2	1	0	1.000
Ohio	3	2	0	1	0.667
at Western Michigan	6	5	0	1	0.833
Akron	4	3	1	0	1.000
at Northern Illinois	3	2	0	1	0.667
Kent State					
Eastern Michigan					
at Toledo					
at Miami (Ohio)					
Totals	24	16	4	4	0.840

BALL STATE BIG PLAYS (25+ yards)

Yards	Play	Opp.	Qtr	TD
90	TJ Hotron kickoff return	Akron	4th	TD
72	Qua Ashley rush	New Hampshire	2nd	TD
69	Qua Ashley rush	Akron	3rd	TD
53	Qian Magwood reception	at Connecticut	1st	--
43	Qua Ashley rush	New Hampshire	1st	TD
43	Qian Magwood reception	Ohio	4th	TD
42	Koby Gross reception	Akron	3rd	--
40	Kiael Kelly rush	New Hampshire	1st	TD
36	TJ Horton kickoff return	at Northern Illinois	3rd	--
37	Elijah Jackson	at Purdue	3rd	--
37	Drew Cassens reception	Akron	1st	--
35	Qian Magwood reception	Ohio	2nd	--
33	Kiael Kelly rush	Akron	1st	--
29	Koby Gross reception	Akron	3rd	TD
28	Eric Weatherly reception	at Connecticut	4th	--
27	Qua Ashley reception	New Hampshire	3rd	TD
27	Kiael Kelly rush	at Connecticut	4th	--
26	Kiael Kelly rush	Akron	1st	TD

DRIVE CHARTS – BALL STATE

AT PURDUE

TEAM	QTR	START	RESULT	PLAYS	YARDS	T.O.P.
Ball State	1	14:16	Punt	3	6	1:34
Ball State	1	9:43	Punt	3	2	2:11
Ball State	1	5:45	Punt	8	33	4:58
Ball State	2	10:21	Punt	3	4	1:46
Ball State	2	7:14	Downs	9	60	5:23
Ball State	2	0:46	End of Half	1	3	0:46
Ball State	3	15:00	Missed FG	13	48	7:42
Ball State	3	4:40	Punt	6	7	4:40
Ball State	4	9:59	Missed FG	8	63	4:32

AT AUBURN

TEAM	QTR	START	RESULT	PLAYS	YARDS	T.O.P.
Ball State	1	14:53	Punt	3	5	1:36
Ball State	1	8:59	Punt	6	5	4:02
Ball State	1	4:10	Punt	3	-2	2:15
Ball State	1	:37	Fumble	10	53	5:33
Ball State	2	5:22	Punt	3	-6	1:31
Ball State	2	0:37	Punt	3	-6	0:22
Ball State	3	11:42	Punt	3	0	2:30
Ball State	3	7:32	Punt	3	-4	1:49
Ball State	3	4:54	FG	7	19	3:50
Ball State	4	12:22	Punt	3	1	2:44
Ball State	4	6:57	Punt	3	-6	1:34
Ball State	4	5:12	Punt	3	2	2:09

VS NEW HAMPSHIRE

TEAM	QTR	START	RESULT	PLAYS	YARDS	T.O.P.
Ball State	1	14:55	Punt	3	5	1:02
Ball State	1	13:45	Touchdown	6	69	2:57
Ball State	1	5:16	Touchdown	2	64	:47
Ball State	2	13:22	Interception	4	10	1:08
Ball State	2	7:54	Touchdown	2	80	:42
Ball State	2	1:47	Touchdown	7	75	1:27
Ball State	3	13:58	Touchdown	8	74	4:02
Ball State	3	3:42	Punt	12	40	6:46
Ball State	4	8:11	Safety	1	0	:04
Ball State	4	4:16	Punt	6	11	2:37

AT CONNECTICUT

TEAM	QTR	START	RESULT	PLAYS	YARDS	T.O.P.
Ball State	1	13:08	Punt	3	4	1:33
Ball State	1	9:48	Punt	4	16	1:42
Ball State	1	2:25	Touchdown	6	83	2:32
Ball State	2	11:32	Punt	8	18	4:46
Ball State	2	2:19	Half	9	43	2:19
Ball State	3	15:00	Punt	5	7	3:11
Ball State	3	6:04	Field Goal	11	69	5:27
Ball State	4	10:24	Interception	3	19	1:18
Ball State	4	6:38	Touchdown	8	65	3:10
Ball State	4	1:39	Touchdown	6	65	1:28

VS OHIO

TEAM	QTR	START	RESULT	PLAYS	YARDS	T.O.P.
Ball State	1	12:17	Punt	3	-5	2:11
Ball State	1	7:31	Punt	3	2	:54
Ball State	1	4:32	Punt	6	11	3:09
Ball State	2	10:32	Punt	9	37	3:11
Ball State	2	3:24	Turnover on Downs	12	71	3:21
Ball State	3	15:00	Punt	3	7	1:35
Ball State	3	12:32	Touchdown	11	80	5:27
Ball State	3	3:48	Field Goal	8	48	3:23
Ball State	4	12:31	Punt	8	34	3:49
Ball State	4	8:38	Punt	4	22	2:36
Ball State	4	3:04	Touchdown	9	70	2:07

DRIVE CHARTS – OPPONENT

AT PURDUE

TEAM	QTR	START	RESULT	PLAYS	YARDS	T.O.P.
Purdue	1	14:56	Touchdown	2	72	0:36
Purdue	1	12:42	Touchdown	6	71	2:55
Purdue	1	7:32	Punt	3	4	1:47
Purdue	1	0:47	Touchdown	13	91	5:26
Purdue	2	8:35	Punt	3	6	1:21
Purdue	2	1:51	Punt	3	7	1:05
Purdue	3	7:18	Touchdown	7	73	2:38
Purdue	4	15:00	Field Goal	13	61	5:01
Purdue	4	5:27	End of Half	10	53	5:27

AT AUBURN

TEAM	QTR	START	RESULT	PLAYS	YARDS	T.O.P.
Auburn	1	13:17	Punt	8	12	4:18
Auburn	1	4:57	Touchdown	2	55	:42
Auburn	1	1:55	Touchdown	3	50	1:11
Auburn	2	10:04	Missed Field Goal	10	32	4:42
Auburn	2	3:52	Touchdown	9	67	3:14
Auburn	2	:15	End of Half	1	-1	:15
Auburn	3	14:54	Punt	6	24	3:12
Auburn	3	9:12	Field Goal	4	79	1:40
Auburn	3	5:43	Fumble	2	3	0:49
Auburn	3	0:58	Touchdown	9	72	3:36
Auburn	4	9:38	Punt	6	8	2:41
Auburn	4	5:23	Touchdown	1	54	:10
Auburn	4	3:03	End of Half	7	30	3:03

VS NEW HAMPSHIRE

TEAM	QTR	START	RESULT	PLAYS	YARDS	T.O.P.
New Hampshire	1	10:49	Touchdown	10	75	5:27
New Hampshire	1	4:24	Punt	10	41	6:02
New Hampshire	2	12:14	Punt	5	4	2:43
New Hampshire	2	9:31	Missed Field Goal	4	0	1:37
New Hampshire	2	7:12	Touchdown	13	75	5:25
New Hampshire	2	:15	Missed Field Goal	3	15	:15
New Hampshire	3	14:44	Punt	3	-2	0:46
New Hampshire	3	9:50	Field Goal	13	59	6:04
New Hampshire	4	11:56	Punt	6	29	3:45
New Hampshire	4	8:02	Field Goal	7	49	3:46
New Hampshire	4	1:39	Turnover on Downs	9	33	1:39

AT CONNECTICUT

TEAM	QTR	START	RESULT	PLAYS	YARDS	T.O.P.
Connecticut	1	15:00	Punt	5	25	1:52
Connecticut	1	11:35	Field Goal	4	7	1:47
Connecticut	1	8:06	Touchdown	10	85	5:36
Connecticut	2	14:46	Punt	7	28	3:14
Connecticut	2	6:46	Punt	9	48	4:27
Connecticut	3	11:49	Touchdown	14	60	5:45
Connecticut	3	:33	Touchdown	10	67	5:09
Connecticut	4	9:06	Punt	3	1	2:28
Connecticut	4	3:25	Touchdown	3	68	1:35
Connecticut	4	0:11	Half	3	8	0:11

VS OHIO

TEAM	QTR	START	RESULT	PLAYS	YARDS	T.O.P.
Ohio	1	14:56	Missed Field Goal	5	44	2:39
Ohio	1	10:06	Turnover on Downs	6	43	2:35
Ohio	1	6:37	Touchdown	5	50	1:58
Ohio	1	1:23	Punt	12	32	5:51
Ohio	2	7:21	Touchdown	9	70	3:57
Ohio	2	:03	Half	1	-2	:03
Ohio	3	13:25	Punt	3	2	:53
Ohio	3	7:00	Turnover on Downs	7	16	3:12
Ohio	3	:25	Punt	5	23	2:54
Ohio	4	8:42	Safety	1	0	0:03
Ohio	4	6:02	Punt	5	10	2:58
Ohio	4	0:57	Half	8	45	0:57

AT WESTERN MICHIGAN

TEAM	QTR	START	RESULT	PLAYS	YARDS	T.O.P.
Ball State	1	14:54	Punt	3	0	1:40
Ball State	1	8:55	Punt	5	11	3:13
Ball State	1	5:42	Turnover on Downs	4	3	2:24
Ball State	1	1:56	Fumble	4	2	1:41
Ball State	2	13:43	Punt	5	18	2:48
Ball State	2	8:16	Punt	6	16	3:36
Ball State	2	1:04	Punt	5	28	1:02
Ball State	3	12:50	Punt	3	1	1:26
Ball State	3	7:53	Punt	3	-6	1:27
Ball State	3	1:09	Punt	3	1	1:17
Ball State	4	14:45	Punt	3	2	1:02
Ball State	4	8:23	Fumble	2	2	:32
Ball State	4	3:42	Punt	3	7	1:34
Ball State	4	:22	Half	1	3	:22

VS AKRON

TEAM	QTR	START	RESULT	PLAYS	YARDS	T.O.P.
Ball State	1	15:00	Turnover on Downs	4	9	1:22
Ball State	1	11:42	Touchdown	10	75	5:29
Ball State	1	5:16	Touchdown	7	72	4:31
Ball State	2	14:53	Fumble	6	4	2:56
Ball State	2	10:08	Missed Field Goal	7	28	3:27
Ball State	2	5:16	Punt	3	7	:58
Ball State	2	1:14	Punt	3	2	:42
Ball State	3	12:39	Punt	3	1	:51
Ball State	3	9:00	Touchdown	2	72	:54
Ball State	3	7:28	Touchdown	3	75	1:36
Ball State	4	3:46	Interception	3	5	1:06
Ball State	4	0:24	Touchdown	9	75	4:41
Ball State	4	3:16	Punt	3	0	1:26
Ball State	4	1:37	Half	3	-12	1:37

AT NORTHERN ILLINOIS

TEAM	QTR	START	RESULT	PLAYS	YARDS	T.O.P.
Ball State	1	14:56	Punt	3	2	2:07
Ball State	1	11:41	Punt	3	9	1:44
Ball State	1	7:55	Punt	3	2	:59
Ball State	1	3:43	Touchdown	11	80	5:13
Ball State	2	10:07	Missed Field Goal	6	14	3:03
Ball State	2	3:50	Punt	6	16	2:18
Ball State	2	0:38	Half	3	13	:38
Ball State	3	7:19	Interception	8	22	3:34
Ball State	4	13:54	Punt	3	6	1:28
Ball State	4	10:15	Interception	12	64	6:23
Ball State	4	1:47	Half	9	37	1:47

Longest drive (plays): 13 at Purdue (48 yards, 7:42, missed FG)
Longest drive (yards): 83 yards at Connecticut (6 plays, 2:32, TD)
Longest drive (time): 7:42 at Purdue (13 plays, 48 yards, missed FG)
Longest scoring drive (plays): 11 three times: at Connecticut (69 yards, 5:27, FG) vs Ohio (80 yards, 5:27, TD) at Northern Illinois (80 yards, 5:13, TD)
Longest scoring drive (yards): 83 yards at Connecticut (6 plays, 2:32, TD)
Longest scoring drive (time): 5:27 twice: at Connecticut (11 plays, 69 yards, FG) vs Ohio (11 plays, 80 yards, TD)

BALL STATE TIME OF POSESSION BY PERIOD

Opponent	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	TOTAL
at Purdue	8:51	7:55	12:22	4:32	33:40
at Auburn	8:49	6:49	8:09	6:28	30:15
New Hampshire	5:05	3:17	7:48	5:45	21:55
at Connecticut	4:12	7:12	8:38	9:37	27:42
Ohio	6:21	6:32	10:25	8:33	31:51
at Western Michigan	9:04	7:30	4:08	3:41	24:23
Akron	11:22	8:15	4:51	7:20	31:48
at Northern Illinois	8:37	7:29	3:41	9:43	29:30
Kent State					
Eastern Michigan					
at Toledo					
at Miami (Ohio)					

AT WESTERN MICHIGAN

TEAM	QTR	START	RESULT	PLAYS	YARDS	T.O.P.
WMU	1	13:14	Turnover on Downs	9	34	4:19
WMU	1	3:18	Touchdown	3	55	1:22
WMU	1	:15	Touchdown	4	27	1:28
WMU	2	10:55	Touchdown	6	73	2:39
WMU	2	4:40	Punt	7	34	3:36
WMU	2	:02	Half	1	-1	:02
WMU	3	14:53	Punt	3	1	2:03
WMU	3	11:24	Touchdown	8	73	3:25
WMU	3	6:26	Missed Field Goal	12	49	5:17
WMU	4	14:52	Interception	1	0	0:07
WMU	4	13:43	Touchdown	9	78	5:17
WMU	4	7:51	Touchdown	8	27	4:09
WMU	4	2:08	Punt	3	2	1:46

VS AKRON

TEAM	QTR	START	RESULT	PLAYS	YARDS	T.O.P.
AKR	1	13:38	Touchdown	5	34	1:56
AKR	1	6:13	Punt	3	2	:57
AKR	1	:45	Punt	3	7	:52
AKR	2	11:57	Turnover on Downs	4	3	1:49
AKR	2	6:41	Punt	3	-15	1:25
AKR	2	4:18	Touchdown	10	96	2:52
AKR	2	:32	Half	2	18	:32
AKR	3	14:57	Turnover on Downs	4	36	2:18
AKR	3	10:10	Punt	3	8	1:10
AKR	3	9:54	Field Goal	8	63	2:26
AKR	3	5:45	Turnover on Downs	6	32	1:59
AKR	3	2:40	Touchdown	5	52	2:16
AKR	4	10:43	Field Goal	10	74	4:56
AKR	4	5:34	Interception	8	23	2:18
AKR	4	1:50	Interception	2	11	:13

AT NORTHERN ILLINOIS

TEAM	QTR	START	RESULT	PLAYS	YARDS	T.O.P.
NIU	1	12:49	Touchdown	3	60	1:08
NIU	1	9:57	Punt	3	8	2:02
NIU	1	6:56	Interception	10	46	3:13
NIU	2	13:25	Turnover on Downs	7	21	3:18
NIU	2	7:04	Fumble	8	54	3:14
NIU	2	1:32	Punt	3	2	:54
NIU	3	14:56	Touchdown	15	78	7:30
NIU	3	3:45	Punt	7	20	3:21
NIU	3	0:24	Touchdown	4	33	1:25
NIU	4	12:26	Punt	3	3	2:11
NIU	4	3:52	Fumble	5	35	2:05

Longest drive (plays): 15 plays at Northern Illinois (78 yards, 7:30, TD)
Longest drive (yards): 96 yards vs. Akron (10 plays, 2:52, TD)
Longest drive (time): 7:30 at Northern Illinois (15 plays, 78 yards, TD)
Longest scoring drive (plays): 15 plays at Northern Illinois (78 yards, 7:30, TD)
Longest scoring drive (yards): 96 yards vs. Akron (10 plays, 2:52, TD)
Longest scoring drive (time): 7:30 at Northern Illinois (15 plays, 78 yards, TD)

OPPONENT TIME OF POSESSION BY PERIOD

Opponent	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	TOTAL
at Purdue	6:09	7:05	2:38	10:28	26:20
at Auburn	6:11	8:11	6:45	8:32	29:45
New Hampshire	9:55	11:43	6:56	9:15	38:05
at Connecticut	10:48	7:48	6:22	9:03	32:18
Ohio	8:39	8:28	4:35	6:27	28:09
at Western Michigan	5:56	7:30	10:45	11:19	35:37
Akron	10:23	19:34	11:54	7:40	30:00
at Northern Illinois	6:23	7:31	11:19	5:17	30:30
Kent State					
Eastern Michigan					
at Toledo					
at Miami (Ohio)					

OFFENSIVE SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

QUARTERBACKS

» 1 KIAEL KELLY

Rushing Attempts	27	at Northern Illinois 10/25/25
Rushing Yards	136	vs Miami (OH) 11/25/23
Rushing Touchdowns	3	vs Akron 10/18/25
Longest Rush	55	vs Miami (OH) 11/25/23
Passes	33	vs Ohio 10/04/25
Completed Passes	17	vs Ohio 10/04/25
		at UConn 09/20/25
Passes Yards	209	at UConn 09/20/25
Passing Touchdowns	2	vs New Hampshire 09/13/25
Longest Pass	53	at UConn 09/20/25
Receptions	4	at Western Michigan 09/30/23
Receiving Yards	28	at Western Michigan 09/30/23
Receiving TDs	1	at UConn 09/20/25
Longest Reception	19	at UConn 09/20/25
Tackles	1	vs Miami (OH) 11/25/23

» 15 AIDAN LEFFLER

Passes	4	at Miami (FL) 09/14/24
Completed Passes	1	at James Madison 09/28/24
		at Miami (FL) 09/14/24
Passing Yards	5	at James Madison 09/28/24
Longest Pass	5	at James Madison 09/28/24

» 7 WALTER TAYLOR III

Rushing Attempts	20	at Ole Miss 10/28/23
Rushing Yards	59	at Ole Miss 10/28/23
Rushing Touchdowns	1	at Ole Miss 10/28/23
Longest Rush	18	at Ole Miss 10/28/23
Passes	12	at Ole Miss 10/28/23
Completed Passes	4	at Ole Miss 10/28/23
Passing Yards	38	at Ole Miss 10/28/23
Longest Pass	28	at Ole Miss 10/28/23

RUNNING BACKS

» 24 JALEN ALEXANDER

Rushing Attempts	1	at Western Michigan 10/11/25
Rushing Yards	3	at Western Michigan 10/11/25
Longest Rush	3	at Western Michigan 10/11/25

» 9 QUA ASHLEY

Rushing Attempts	20	vs Akron 10/18/25
Rushing Yards	154	vs New Hampshire 09/13/25
Rushing Touchdowns	2	vs New Hampshire 09/13/25
Longest Rush	72	vs New Hampshire 09/13/25
Receptions	4	five times (most recent: vs Ohio 10/04/25)
Receiving Yards	52	at UTEP, 11/09/24
Receiving Touchdowns	1	vs New Hampshire 09/13/25
		at UTEP, 11/09/24
Longest Reception	51	at UTSA, 09/31/24
Kickoff Return Yards	156	vs Jacksonville State 10/04/24
Longest Kickoff Return	97	at UTEP, 11/09/24
Kickoff Return TDs	1	at UTEP, 11/09/24
		vs Jacksonville State 10/04/24
All-Purpose Yards	222	vs Jacksonville State 10/04/24
Tackles	1	at Sam Houston 11/04/23
		vs Lincoln (CA) 10/28/23

» 20 TJ HORTON

Rushing Attempts	8	vs New Hampshire 09/13/25
Rushing Yards	41	at UConn 09/20/25
Longest Rush	17	at Buffalo 11/12/24
Receptions	2	vs New Hampshire 09/13/25
		at Ohio 11/29/24
Receiving Yards	19	at Northern Illinois 10/25/25
Longest Reception	14	at Purdue 08/30/25
Longest Kickoff Return	90	vs Akron 10/18/25
Kickoff Return TDs	1	vs Akron 10/18/25

» 0 ELIJAH JACKSON

Rushing Attempts	6	at Auburn 09/06/25
Rushing Yards	83	vs Indiana State 08/31/24
Rushing Touchdowns	1	vs Indiana State 08/31/24
Longest Rush	69	vs Indiana State 08/31/24
Receptions	2	at Wisconsin 10/05/24
Receiving Yards	37	at Purdue 08/30/25
Longest Reception	37	at Purdue 08/30/25
Longest Kickoff Return	33	vs Indiana State 08/31/24

WIDE RECEIVERS

» 14 ELISHA DURHAM

Receptions	1	vs Ohio 10/04/25
Receiving Yards	7	vs Ohio 10/04/25
Longest Reception	7	vs Ohio 10/04/25

» 88 DONOVAN HAMILTON

Receptions	7	at UConn 09/20/25
Receiving Yards	61	at UConn 09/20/25
Longest Reception	22	at UConn 09/20/25

» 83 ELI HOHLT

Tackles	1	at Ohio 11/29/24
		at Buffalo 11/12/24

» 5 QIAN MAGWOOD

Rushing Attempts	1	at Western Michigan 10/11/25
Rushing Yards	1	at Western Michigan 10/11/25
Passes	1	at UConn 09/20/25
Completed Passes	1	at UConn 09/20/25
Passes Yards	19	at UConn 09/20/25
Passing Touchdowns	1	at UConn 09/20/25
Longest Pass	19	at UConn 09/20/25
Receptions	9	at Western Michigan 09/30/23
Receiving Yards	110	at Western Michigan 09/30/23
Receiving TDs	1	six times (most recent: vs Ohio 10/04/25)
Longest Reception	53	at UConn 09/20/25
Longest Punt Return	12	vs Missouri State 09/07/24

» 10 JAMARION MCDOWLE

Rushing Attempts	1	at Western Michigan 10/11/25
		vs Ohio 10/04/25
Rushing Yards	23	vs Ohio 10/04/25
Longest Rush	23	vs Ohio 10/04/25
Receptions	3	at Ohio 11/29/24
Receiving Yards	47	at Ohio 11/29/24
Receiving TDs	1	at Ohio 11/29/24
Longest Reception	27	at Ohio 11/29/24

» 82 DAHYA PATEL

Receptions	3	at James Madison 09/28/24
Receiving Yards	52	at Ohio 11/29/24
Receiving TDs	1	at UConn 09/20/25
		at Ohio 11/29/24
Longest Reception	33	at Ohio 11/29/24
Tackles	2	vs Miami (OH) 11/25/23

» 2 TY ROBINSON

Receptions	5	at Kentucky 09/02/23
Receiving Yards	90	at Kentucky 09/02/23
Receiving TDs	1	vs Western Michigan 10/05/24
		at Kentucky 09/02/23
		at Oregon 10/30/21
Longest Reception	27	at Kentucky 09/02/23
Tackles	1	at Georgia 09/09/23

» 11 ISAIAH THACKER

Rushing Attempts	1	at James Madison 09/28/24
Rushing Yards	6	at James Madison 09/28/24
Longest Rush	6	at James Madison 09/28/24
Tackles	1	at Central Michigan 09/21/24
Receptions	1	vs Akron 10/18/25
Receiving Yards	10	vs Akron 10/18/25
Longest Reception	10	vs Akron 10/18/25

» 3 ERIC WEATHERLY

Rushing Attempts	6	at Marist 11/18/23
Rushing Yards	22	at UConn 09/20/25
Rushing Touchdowns	1	at Marist 11/18/23
		vs N.C. A&T 09/17/22
Longest Rush	22	at UConn 09/20/25
Receptions	11	vs Colgate 11/23/24
Receiving Yards	174	vs Colgate 11/23/24
Receiving TDs	2	five times (most recent: vs Colgate 11/23/24
		vs Colgate 11/23/24
Longest Reception	44	vs Holy Cross 10/07/23
Longest Punt Return	23	vs Holy Cross 10/07/23
Longest Kickoff Return	43	at Holy Cross 11/16/24
Tackles	3	vs Penn 09/23/23

TIGHT ENDS

» 85 KAMERON ANTHONY

Receptions	1	vs Ohio 10/04/25
		vs New Hampshire 09/13/25
Receiving Yards	10	vs New Hampshire 09/13/25
Receiving TDs	1	vs New Hampshire 09/13/25
Longest Reception	10	vs New Hampshire 09/13/25

» 89 DREW CASSENS

Passes	1	vs Eastern Michigan 10/02/21
Receptions	3	vs Toledo 10/08/22
Receiving Yards	37	vs Akron 10/18/25
Receiving TDs	1	at Northern Illinois 10/25/25
		vs Toledo 10/08/22
Longest Reception	37	vs Akron 10/18/25
Longest Kickoff Return	10	vs Western Michigan 11/23/21

» 6 KOBY GROSS

Rushing Attempts	1	at Southern U. 10/07/23
Rushing Yards	1	at Southern U. 10/07/23
Longest Rush	1	at Southern U. 10/07/23
Receptions	6	vs South Carolina State 08/31/24
Receiving Yards	106	vs South Carolina State 08/31/24
Receiving TDs	1	seven times (most recent: vs Akron 10/18/25)
Longest Reception	42	vs Akron 10/18/25
Tackles	1	vs Texas Southern 11/02/24

» 84 TATE HOOVER

Receptions	1	at Northern Illinois 10/25/25
Tackles	1	at UConn 09/20/25

» 44 MAXIMUS WEBSTER

Receptions	1	eight times (most recent: vs Ohio 10/04/25)
Receiving Yards	13	at Purdue 08/30/25
Receiving TDs	1	at Western Michigan 09/30/23
Longest Reception	13	at Purdue 08/30/25
Long Kickoff Return	13	at Eastern Michigan 10/07/23
Tackles	1	vs Ga. Southern 09/23/23
Fumbles Recovered	1	at Western Michigan 10/11/25

» 87 JACKSON CONSTANTINE

Tackles	2	at Miami (FL) 09/14/24
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OFFENSIVE LINEMEN

» 72 CODY SMITH

Tackles	1	at Ohio 11/29/24
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DEFENSIVE SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

DEFENSIVE LINE

» 33 DARRIN CONLEY

Tackles	5	vs Akron 10/18/25
Sacks	1	at Kent State 10/12/24
		vs Western Michigan 10/05/24
		vs Akron 10/18/2025
Tackles for Loss	1.5	vs New Hampshire 09/13/25
Blocked PAT	1	at Central Michigan 09/21/24

» 31 DEJUAN ECHOLES JR.

Tackles	6	vs New Hampshire 09/13/25
Sacks	1	vs New Hampshire 09/13/25
		at Auburn 09/06/26
		at Auburn 09/06/25
Tackles for Loss	2	at Auburn 09/06/25

» 56 AMEIR GLENN

Tackles	3	vs New Hampshire 09/13/25
Sacks	1	vs Akron 10/18/25

» 93 SCOTT HUDSON

Tackles	4	vs Ohio 10/04/25
Sacks	1	at Auburn 09/06/25
		vs Miami (OH) 11/05/24
Tackles for Loss	1	at Auburn 09/06/25
		vs Miami (OH) 11/05/24

» 47 DREW HUGHES

Tackles	5	vs New Hampshire 09/13/25
		vs Northern Illinois 10/26/24
Sacks	1	at Auburn 09/06/25
Tackles For Loss	1.5	vs Indiana State 09/16/23
Receptions	1	vs Western Michigan 10/05/24
Receiving Yards	2	vs Western Michigan 10/05/24
Receiving TDs	1	vs Western Michigan 10/05/24
Longest Reception	2	vs Western Michigan 10/05/24

» 41 BEN MARSH

Tackles	3	at Western Michigan 10/11/25
Tackles for Loss	0.5	vs Missouri State 09/07/24
Sacks	0.5	vs Akron 10/18/25

» 97 ASHTON NAWROCKI

Tackles	4	at Morehead State 11/04/23
Sacks	1	vs State Thomas (MN) 11/16/24
		at Valparaiso 11/09/24
Tackles For Loss	2	at Morehead State 11/04/23

» 3 GEORGE OKORIE

Tackles	1	at UConn 09/20/25
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» 94 HUNTER SANDERSON

Tackles	5	vs Hope 10/15/22
Sacks	1	seven times
Tackles For Loss	2.5	vs DePauw 11/18/23
		vs Anderson (IN) 09/18/21

» 42 LAYTON STARKS

Tackles	3	at Northern Illinois 10/25/25
Fumble Recoveries	2	at Northern Illinois 10/25/25

» 49 JUSTIN THOMAS

Tackles	6	at Saginaw Valley 09/23/23
Sacks	3	at Quincy 10/21/23
Tackles For Loss	3	at Quincy 10/21/23
		at Truman State 10/14/23

» 44 NATHAN VOORHIS

Tackles	8	vs Ohio 10/04/25
		at Maine 11/09/24
Sacks	3.5	vs Ohio 10/04/25
Tackles For Loss	3.5	vs Ohio 10/04/25
Forced Fumbles	1	at Auburn 09/06/25
		vs Stony Brook 11/02/24

» 9 MICAH WING

Tackles	2	at Western Michigan 10/11/25
		vs New Hampshire 09/13/25
		at Purdue 08/30/25
Sacks	0.5	vs New Hampshire 09/13/25
Tackles for Loss	0.5	vs New Hampshire 09/13/25

» 74 KHRISTIAN ZACHARY

Tackles	3	at Arkansas 11/05/22
		vs Campbell 09/04/21
Sacks	0.5	at Massachusetts 10/08/22
		vs Eastern Michigan 12/18/21
Tackles For Loss	1.5	vs Campbell 09/04/21

LINEBACKERS

» 22 JACK BEEBE

Tackles	9	vs New Hampshire 09/13/25
Sacks	0.5	vs Ohio 10/04/25
Tackles for Loss	1	at UConn 09/20/25
		vs Ga. Southern 09/23/23

» 0 ALFRED CHEA

Tackles	8	at UConn 09/20/25
Tackles for Loss	1	at Georgia State 09/09/23

» 31 DeJUAN ECHOLES JR.

Tackles	3	at Northern Illinois 10/25/25
Sacks	1	at Auburn 09/06/25
Tackles for Loss	2	at Auburn 09/06/25
Forced Fumbles	2	at Auburn 09/06/25

» 48 SAM FEENEY

Tackles	3	vs Ohio 10/04/25
Sacks	2	at James Madison 09/28/24
Tackles for Loss	2	at James Madison 09/28/24
Blocked Punt	1	at Central Michigan 09/21/24

» 6 CADEN JOHNSON

Tackles	9	at Northern Illinois 10/25/25
Sacks	1	at Auburn 09/06/25
		at Ohio 11/29/24
Tackles for Loss	1	1 vs New Hampshire 09/13/25
		at Auburn 09/06/25
		at Purdue 08/30/25
		at Ohio 11/29/24
Forced Fumbles	1	at Northern Illinois 10/25/25

» 39 ZAVIER SIMPSON

Tackles	1	at Western Michigan 10/11/25
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» 21 JOEY STEMLER

Tackles	11	at Vanderbilt 10/19/24
Sacks	1.5	at Kent State 10/12/24
Tackles for Loss	2.5	at Kent State 10/12/24
Interceptions	1	vs Northern Illinois 10/26/24
		vs Missouri State 09/07/24
Fumbles Recovered	1	at Auburn 09/06/25

» 25 MIKEAH WEBSTER

Tackles	2	at UConn 09/20/25
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» 18 JACKSON WIEGOLD

Tackles	8	at James Madison 09/28/24
Tackles For Loss	1	vs Bowling Green 11/23/24
		at Central Michigan 09/21/24

DEFENSIVE BACKS

» 14 TOBI ADEWOYIN

Tackles	5	at Western Michigan 10/11/25
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» 45 COLE EARLEWINE

Tackles	3	at Ohio 11/29/24
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» 15 DJ FIELDS

Tackles	6	at UConn 09/20/25
		at Auburn 09/06/25
Tackles for Loss	1	at Western Michigan 10/11/25

» 2 MICHAEL GRAVELY JR.

Tackles	7	vs Akron 10/18/25
Tackles for loss	0.5	vs Akron 10/18/25
Forced Fumbles	1	at Auburn 09/06/25

» 10 JAHMAD HARMON

Tackles	4	vs Ohio 10/04/25
Tackles for Loss	1	at Purdue 08/30/25

» 30 JALON JONES

Tackles	6	at Miami (FL) 09/14/24
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» 1 JOEDRICK LEWIS

Longest Punt Return	15	vs Lindenwood 09/09/23
Longest Kickoff Return	21	at UT-Martin 11/11/23
		at Nicholls 10/28/23

Tackles

Tackles	7	at Kansas State 09/02/23
Tackles for Loss	1	at Western Michigan 10/11/25
		at UT Martin 11/11/23
		at Kansas State 09/02/23

Interceptions

Interceptions	1	five times (most recent: at Northern Illinois 10/25/25)
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Long Interception Return

Long Interception Return	28	at UT-Martin 11/11/23
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» 16 MUHEEM MCCARGO

Tackles	9	vs Houston 11/13/21
Sacks	1	vs Massachusetts 09/24/22
Tackles for Loss	1.5	vs UCF 10/30/21
		at South Fla. 10/23/21
Interceptions	1	at Houston 11/12/22
Long Interception Return	35	at Houston 11/12/22

» 15 ERIC McCLAIN

Tackles	5	at Buffalo 11/12/24
Tackles for Loss	1	at Purdue 08/30/25
Interceptions	1	at Western Michigan 10/11/25
Long Interception Return	6	at Western Michigan 10/11/25
Forced Fumbles	1	at Northern Illinois 10/25/25

» 5 ROMAN PEARSON

Rushing Attempts	1	at Lafayette 09/30/23
Rushing Yards	0	at Lafayette 09/30/23
Tackles	7	vs New Hampshire 09/13/25
Tackles for Loss	1	vs Fordham 11/09/24
Interceptions	1	five times (most recent: vs Akron 10/18/25)
Long Interception Return	7	vs Akron 10/18/25

» 12 DEONDRE SHEPHERD

Tackles	3	at UConn 09/20/25
		at Purdue 08/30/25
Tackles for Loss	0.5	vs Ohio 10/04/25

» 7 ASHTON WHITNER

Tackles	10	at Liberty 11/11/23
Tackles for Loss	1.5	at Bowling Green 09/28/24
Interceptions	1	vs Georgia State 11/25/23

» 20 WILLIZHUAN YATES

Tackles	7	at Auburn 09/06/25
Tackles for Loss	1	vs Bowling Green 11/23/24
		vs Miami (OH) 11/05/24
Interceptions	1	at Kent State 10/12/24

SPECIALISTS SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

SPECIALISTS

» 50 CADEN BRITTON

Tackles	1	at Auburn 09/06/25
		at Toledo 11/08/22

» 98 CARSON HOLMER

PAT Attempts	6	vs Akron 10/18/25
PATs Made	6	vs Akron 10/18/25
Field Goal Attempts	2	at Purdue 08/30/25
		at Central Michigan 09/21/24
Field Goals Made	2	at Central Michigan 09/21/24
Longest FG Attempt	53	vs Akron 10/18/25
Longest FG Made	40	at Central Michigan 09/21/24
Most Points	10	at Central Michigan 09/21/24
Tackles	1	at Vanderbilt 10/19/24
		at James Madison 09/28/24

» 40 DC PIPPIN

Rushng Attempts	1	vs Central Arkansas 09/24/22
Rushing Yards	0	vs Central Arkansas 09/24/22
PAT Attempts	7	vs Murray State 11/19/22
PATs Made	7	vs Murray State 11/19/22
Field Goal Attempts	6	vs Northwestern State 09/28/24
Field Goals Made	4	vs Western Illinois 11/16/24
		at Charleston Southern 10/19/24
		vs Northwestern State 09/28/24
Longest FG Attempt	54	at Northwestern State 10/22/22
Longest FG Made	54	at Northwestern State 10/22/22
Most Points	18	vs Western Illinois 11/16/24
Tackles	1	at Charleston Southern 10/19/24
		vs Illinois State 11/30/24
		vs Central Arkansas 09/24/22

» 43 ADAM SAUL

Punts	10	at Western Michigan 10/11/25
		at Auburn 09/06/25
Best Punting Avg.	49.2	vs Akron 10/18/25
Longest Punt	67	at Auburn 09/06/25
Punts Inside 20	2	vs Ohio 10/04/25
		at UConn 09/20/25
		vs New Hampshire 09/13/25

GAME 1						
BALL STATE	0	0	0	0	-	0
PURDUE	14	7	7	3	-	31
Aug. 30, 2025 West Lafayette, Ind. Ross-Ade Stadium (53,994) 12:01						

Ball State entered game one of the Uremovich era at West Lafayette Saturday afternoon in front of nearly 54,000 in attendance at Ross-Ade Stadium, opening the 2025 season with a 31-0 setback against Purdue.

The Boilermakers (1-0) took two plays in 36 seconds after receiving the ball in the first quarter to cover 72 yards in their first of two scoring drives in the first quarter. The Cardinals (0-1) struggled to match the opening pace, combining for 48 yards while controlling the ball for just over eight minutes in their three drives in quarter one.

The Cardinals opted for a run-heavy offense against the Boilermakers, totaling 116 yards on 36 attempts in the game. Redshirt senior quarterback Kiael Kelly led the running effort with 63 yards on 22 attempts, including charges of 10 and 12 during the team's 13-play, 48-yard drive through the start of the third.

The drive concluded on Purdue's 27 with a missed field goal. Ball State missed a second attempt on Purdue's 12 at the conclusion of the Cardinals' only trip to the endzone during the fourth.

Redshirt junior running back Qua Ashley followed closely with 43 rushing yards. His two biggest runs came in the Cardinals' longest drive of the first half (33 yards, eight plays), running 14 and 21 yards, allowing the Cardinals to find their rhythm and temporarily slow down the Boilermakers.

On the defensive front, senior Nathan Voorhis recorded a sack to send Purdue back nine yards. Ball State totaled five tackles for a loss of 17 yards total. Voorhis also tallied four tackles, matching redshirt senior linebacker Alfred Chea. Joey Stemler led Ball State with seven tackles, while defensive backs Jahmad Harmon, DJ Fields and Will Yates were all credited with a pass breakup.

Team Statistics	PUR	BSU
First Downs	23	13
Rush Yds	112	135
Pass Yds	340	87
Passing	20-29-0	10-16-0
Total Offense	433	203
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	0-0
Penalties-Yds	3-25	3-18
Punts-Avg	3-50.3	5-40.8
TOP	26:20	33:40
3rd Downs	4-11	4-13
4th Downs	2-2	1-2
Red Zone	4-5	0-1
Sacks-Yards	4-15	1-9



Qtr	Time	Team	Scoring Play	Drive	Score (V-H)
1	14:20	PUR	Branch 49 yd reception	2-72 (0:36)	0-7
1	9:47	PUR	Browne 5 yd run	6-71 (2:55)	0-14
2	10:21	PUR	Mockobee 4 yd run	13-91 (5:26)	0-21
3	4:40	PUR	Jackson III 14 yd reception	7-73 (2:38)	0-28
4	9:59	PUR	Porath 28 yd field goal	13-61 (5:01)	0-31

PUR Leaders				
Rushing	Att	Yds	TD	Long
Mockobee	14	62	1	13
Singleton	3	19	0	12
Browne	7	17	0	5

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long
Browne	18-26-0	311	2	49
Singleton	2-3-0	29	0	22

Receiving	Rec	Yds	TD	Long
Branch	3	101	1	49
Jackson III	6	72	1	18
Mockobee	2	45	0	29
Horton	3	38	0	14
Tuggle	3	32	0	19
Smith	2	30	0	22

Tackles: Ra-El 7 (1 TFL), Correa 4 (1 TFL), Powell 4 (1 sack), Harkless 4 (2 TFL, 1.5 sacks), Hines 3, Ellis 3 (0.5 sacks), Wakley 3 (1 PBR), Madden (0.5 sacks), Lindsey 3 (0.5 TFL), Charles 3 (0.5 sacks), Slusher 2, Sanford 2

BSU Leaders				
Rushing	Att	Yds	TD	Long
Kelly	22	78	0	12
Ashley	10	46	0	21
Jackson	1	7	0	7
Horton	3	4	0	4

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long
Kelly	10-16-0	87	0	37

Receiving	Rec	Yds	TD	Long
Jackson	1	37	0	37
Horton	1	14	0	14
Webster	1	13	0	13
Robinson	2	9	0	7
Weatherly	1	8	0	8
Gross	1	3	0	3

Tackles: Stemler 5, Chea 4, Voorhis 4 (1 sack), Johnson 3 (1TFL), Whitner 3 (1 TFL), Shepherd 3, Wiegold 3, Lewis 2, Gravely Jr 2, McClain 2 (1 TFL), Wing 2, Harmon 2 (1 TFL), Fields 2, McCargo, 2, Yates 2, Beebe 2, Echoles 2, Starks 2



GAME 2

BALL STATE	0	0	3	0	-	3
AUBURN	14	7	7	14	-	42

Sept. 6, 2025 | Auburn, Ala. | Jordan-Hare Stadium (88,043) | 7:35 ET

Ball State made its fourth visit to Jordan-Hare Stadium Saturday afternoon, falling to Auburn 42-3.

The Cardinals' (0-2, 0-0 MAC) defense was able to get by the Tigers' (2-0, 0-0 SEC) offensive line early in the contest, with defensive tackle Drew Hughes and linebacker Caden Johnson each capturing their first career sacks. After an early strip-sack from Nathan Voorhis, Ball State added subsequent sacks by Dejuan Echoles Jr., and Scott Hudson. The Cardinals tallied four sacks in the first half, the most sacks in a single half since recording six in the second half against Kent State last season.

Echoles forced a pair of fumbles with a pair of tackles for loss. Auburn put the ball on the turf five times in all, and the Ball State defense managed five sacks overall. But the offense's inability to sustain drives kept the Cardinals' defense on the field most of the evening..

Despite the early effort, the Tigers broke through for two scores in the first period, followed by a third in the second to put Auburn ahead 21-0 at the half. Auburn went on to reach the endzone three more times in the second half.

Defensive backs Will Yates and Michael Gravely Jr., each led the Cardinals with seven total tackles, followed by DJ Fields with six, and Johnson with four.

Gravely also forced a third-quarter fumble that was recovered by senior linebacker Joey Stemler at the Tigers' 23-yardline. Redshirt junior kicker Carson Holmer secured a field goal eight plays later from 22 yards, giving the Cardinals three points on the board.

The Cardinals' longest drive of the night came from a 10-play, 53-yard drive which began late in the first period and included a grab from redshirt junior receiver Eric Weatherly, who led the Ball State receiving corps with five receptions. It was the 25th consecutive game in which he has caught a pass -- spanning three seasons. Only a play later, redshirt senior quarterback Kiael Kelly rambled for a 21-yard gain that was Ball State's longest play of the game, and his longest run of the season. The drive concluded with Kelly's fumble, though, on the following play.

Team Statistics	AUB	BSU
First Downs	27	5
Rush Yds	224	-3
Pass Yds	271	71
Passing	26-33-0	10-16-0
Total Offense	495	68
Fumbles-Lost	5-1	2-1
Penalties-Yds	8-65	7-57
Punts-Avg	3-38	10-46.7
TOP	29:45	30:15
3rd Downs	6-11	1-14
4th Downs	1-1	1-1
Red Zone	4-5	1-1
Sacks-Yards	6-34	5-33



Qtr	Time	Team	Scoring Play	Drive	Score (V-H)
1	4:15	AUB	Cobb 46 yd rush	2-55 (0:42)	0-7
1	0:44	AUB	Singleton 30 yd reception	3-50 (1:11)	0-14
2	0:37	AUB	Fields 11 yd reception	9-67 (3:14)	0-21
3	7:32	AUB	Cobb 45 yd rush	4-79 (1:40)	0-28
3	1:04	BSU	Holmer 22 yd field goal	7-19 (3:50)	3-28
4	12:22	AUB	Singleton 13 yrd reception	9-72 (3:36)	3-35
4	5:13	AUB	Robinson 54 yrd rush	1-54 (0:10)	3-42

AUB Leaders

Rushing	Att	Yds	TD	Long
Cobb	11	121	2	46
Robinson	2	54	1	54
Mabson II	4	25	0	13

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long
Arnold	24-28-0	251	3	30
Knight	5-2-0	20	0	14

Receiving	Rec	Yds	TD	Long
Coleman	7	77	0	23
Fields	6	51	1	11
Singleton	4	64	2	30
Simons	4	37	0	22

Tackles: Smith 6 (1 TFL), Atkins 5 (2 sacks), Crawford 4 (2 sacks, 1 FF), Melendez 3 (1 TFL), Blocton 3 (2 TFL), Robinson 2, Riddick 2 (1 TFL), Harris 2, Deas 2 (1 TFL), Fegans 2, Winters 2, Woodyard 1, Lee 1, Williams 1 (1 TFL), Faulk 1, Jones 1, Walker 1, Smith 1 (1 TFL), Granberry 1, Smith 1, Walker 1

BSU Leaders

Rushing	Att	Yds	TD	Long
Ashley	12	10	0	6
Jackson	6	8	0	3
Kelly	15	-21	0	21

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long
Kelly	10-16-0	71	0	16

Receiving	Rec	Yds	TD	Long
Weatherly	5	42	0	16
Ashley	3	-2	0	4
Robinson	1	16	0	16
Magwood	1	15	0	15

Tackles: Yates 7 (1 PBR), Gravely Jr. 6 (1 FF), Fields 6, Johnson 5 (1 sack), Chea 4 (0.5 TFL), Stemler 4 (1 FF), Echoles 2 (1 sack, 2 FF), Hughes 3 (1 sack), Lewis 2, Whitner 2, Harmon 2 (1PBR), McCargo 2, Thomas 2, McClain, 1, Wing 1, Adewoyin 1, Beebe 1, Jones 1, Conley 1, Voorhis 3 (1 sack), Britton 1, Hudson 1



GAME 3

NEW HAMPSHIRE	14	7	3	5	-	29
BALL STATE	14	14	6	0	-	34

Sept. 13, 2025 | Muncie, Ind. | Scheumann Stadium (10,512) | 2:02 ET

On a rainy family weekend during Ball State's opening game at Scheumann Stadium, running back Qua Ashley and quarterback Kiael Kelly thrived in the run game to put the Cardinals over New Hampshire 34-29. Head coach Mike Uremovich celebrated his first program win in front of a home crowd of 10,512.

The Cardinals (1-2, 0-0 MAC) rushed for a total of 308 yards, the most at Scheumann Stadium since Ball State recorded 376 versus Toledo in 2019. Leading the charge against the Wildcats was Ashley, who finished with 154 rushing yards along with two rushing touchdowns. Ashley was also on the receiving end of a Kelly throw in the third quarter, bringing his touchdown total to three on the day.

Kelly's 105 passing yards and 102 rushing yards cemented him as the first Ball State player since 2000 with at least 100 yards in both categories in a single game. He completed nine of his 15 attempts for two touchdowns.

Kelly has eclipsed 1,000 total rushing yards for his career (1,045). He is third on Ball State's career rushing list by a quarterback.

The Cardinals' run game ruled the day, but the defense forced New Hampshire into four field goal attempts and stymied the Wildcats' offense.

Following Kelly's lone interception and Eric Weatherly's muffed punt, both in the second quarter, defensive standouts Nathan Voorhis and Micah Wing sacked New Hampshire QB Matt Vezza on third down, ending a short drive that started at the Ball State 7-yardline. The Wildcats were forced to settle for a field goal, which was wide right from 23 yards out.

New Hampshire went 2-of-4 on field goals, with their longest coming from 52 yards in the third period. The Wildcats' four field goal attempts were a tribute to the Cardinals' defense forcing UNH inefficiency. UNH ran 58 plays for 280 yards that consumed nearly 30 minutes of elapsed time, compared to 381 yards by the Cardinals, on 38 plays and just 16 minutes.

New Hampshire opened the contest with a quick TD following a blocked punt, but both teams traded scores until Ball State took the lead for good on a 10-yard scoring pass from Kelly to freshman tight end Kameron Anthony with 20 seconds left in the first half. It was Anthony's first career touchdown and it staked the Cardinals to the lead, then 28-21, it never relinquished.

Ashley scored on a 27-yard throw from Kelly to open scoring in the third period to give the Cardinals a cushion with a 34-21 advantage.

The 52-yard field goal brought the Wildcats within 34-24, and a safety and field goal brought UNH within 34-29 in the game's final minutes.

Senior linebacker Jack Beebe led the defensive effort with nine tackles. Five different players accounted for four sacks, and the Cardinals produced nine tackles for loss.

Kelly threw his first interception of the season, and while the Ball State defense didn't come up with any interceptions, the Cardinals got a combined seven pass break-ups from Dejuan Echoles Jr., Will Yates, Jahmad Harmon and Jackson Wiegold.

Team Statistics	BSU	UNH
First Downs	21	22
Rush Yds	308	132
Pass Yds	105	259
Passing	9-15-1	25-45-0
Total Offense	413	391
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	0-0
Penalties-Yds	6-56	6-62
Punts-Avg	2-44	4-39.8
TOP	21:55	38:05
3rd Downs	7-10	8-17
4th Downs	0-0	1-1
Red Zone	1-1	3-4
Sacks-Yards	5-20	1-4



Qtr	Time	Team	Scoring Play	Drive	Score (V-H)
1	13:53	UNH	Tighe blocked punt	0-0 (0:00)	7-0
1	10:48	BSU	Kelly 40 yd rush	6-69 (2:57)	7-7
1	5:22	UNH	Wilson 13 yd reception	10-75 (5:27)	14-7
1	4:29	BSU	Ashley 43 yd rush	2-64 (0:47)	14-14
2	7:12	BSU	Ashley 72 yd rush	2-80 (0:42)	14-21
2	1:47	UNH	Vezza 2 yd rush	13-75 (5:25)	21-21
2	0:22	BSU	Anthony 10 yd reception	7-75 (1:27)	21-28
3	9:56	BSU	Ashley 27 yd reception	8-74 (4:02)	21-34
3	3:46	UNH	Reed 52 yd field goal	13-59 (6:04)	24-34
4	8:07	UNH	Safety	0-(-5) (0:04)	26-34
4	4:16	UNH	Reed 29 yd field goal	7-49 (3:46)	29-34

BSU Leaders

Rushing	Att	Yds	TD	Long
Ashley	15	154	2	72
Kelly	13	101	1	40
Horton	8	32	0	8
Weatherly	3	21	0	7

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long
Kelly	9-15-1	105	2	27

Receiving	Rec	Yds	TD	Long
Ashley	2	33	1	27
Hamilton	1	21	0	21
Horton	1	14	0	8
Anthony	1	10	1	210

Tackles: Beebe 9, Whitner 8 (1 TFL), Pearson 7 (0.5 TFL), Echoles 6 (1.5 TFL, 1 sack, 1 PBR), Chea 5, Voorhis 5 (2.5 TFL, 2.5 sacks), Hughes 5 (0.5 TFL, 0.5 sack), Yates 4 (2 PBR), Harmon 3 (2 PBR), Wiegold 3 (2 PBR), Stemler 3, Conley 3 (1.5 TFL, 0.5 sack), Glenn 3, McClain 2, Wing 2 (0.5 TFL, 0.5 sack), Jones 1, Walker 1, Smith 1 (1 TFL), Granberry 1, Smith 1, Walker 1

UNH Leaders

Rushing	Att	Yds	TD	Long
Vezza	16	78	1	30
Thomason	12	24	0	8
Meine	4	22	0	15

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long
Vezza	25-44-0	259	1	42
Fillion	0-1-0	0	0	0

Receiving	Rec	Yds	TD	Long
Burke	7	89	0	42
Wilson	7	84	1	27
Ramshaw	2	26	0	14
Strickland	2	19	0	10

Tackles: Barry 8 (0.5 TFL), Cook 6, Stone 6 (0.5 TFL), Johnson 5 (1 PBR), Mcallister 4 (2 TFL, 1 sack), Moreland 3 (1 Int.), Webb 3, Sopp 3, Akinmoladun 3 (1 TFL), Jones 2, Skinner 2, Garon 2 (1 PBR, Collins 2 (1 FR), Bonagura 2 (1TFL), Burton 1, Diaby 1, Perez 1 (1 FF), Flanagan 1, Ferrell 1



GAME 4

BALL STATE	0	7	3	15	-	25
CONNECTICUT	10	0	7	14	-	31

Sept. 20, 2025 | East Hartford, Conn. | Pratt & Whitney Stadium (25,025) | 3:40 ET

In its final non-conference matchup of 2025, Ball State met Connecticut at Pratt & Whitney Stadium in front of 25,025, falling to UConn 31-25.

The Huskies' (2-2) 67-yard dash into the endzone at the two-minute mark in the fourth quarter was the score that brought the contest just out of reach for the Cardinals (1-3, 0-0 MAC). Ball State quickly responded, covering 65 yards and giving Dahya Patel his second-career touchdown. Ball State was successful on the two-point conversion to cut the lead to six, but the Huskies would control the ball and run out the final nine seconds of the game.

Both teams scored most of their offense in the final quarter, going back-and-forth with two touchdowns each.

Seeing a 10-point deficit in the opening quarter, Ball State gained momentum in the closing minutes, started by a career-best 53-yard connection between Kiael Kelly and Qian Magwood. With the first throw of his career two plays later, Magwood returned a handoff back to Kelly for a 19-yard reception, shrinking the gap to three.

After a UConn touchdown just over midway in the third quarter, Carson Holmer converted on his single field goal attempt from 23 yards out, bringing the score to 17-10 going into the final quarter.

The Cardinals had a successful afternoon in the passing game, scoring two of their three touchdowns from the air. Donovan Hamilton was the target of seven throws for 61 yards, leading the unit. Ball State had a total of three receivers with 40 yards or more.

Kelly threw a season-high 17 completions, tallying 209 yards with one touchdown on a 71% completion percentage.

On the ground, Ashley led with 86 yards on 18 attempts, including the Cardinals initial touchdown in the fourth quarter.

Alfred Chea led the defensive unit at his former stomping ground, totaling eight tackles. Ball State finished the contest with two tackles for loss, as well as two pass breakups.

Team Statistics	CONN	BSU
First Downs	17	19
Rush Yds	219	176
Pass Yds	228	181
Passing	20-30-0	18-25-1
Total Offense	400	404
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties-Yds	2-20	4-32
Punts-Avg	4-40	4-43.5
TOP	32:18	27:42
3rd Downs	5-15	4-12
4th Downs	5-5	2-2
Red Zone	3-3	4-4
Sacks-Yards	4-21	0-0



Qtr	Time	Team	Scoring Play	Drive	Score (V-H)
1	9:48	CONN	Freeman 30 yd field goal	4-7 (1:47)	0-3
1	2:30	CONN	Bell 2 yd reception	10-85 (5:36)	0-10
2	14:53	BSU	Kelly 19 yd reception	6-83 (2:32)	7-10
3	6:04	CONN	Smith 1 yd rush	14-60 (5:45)	7-17
3	0:33	BSU	Holmer 23 yd field goal	11-69 (5:27)	10-17
4	10:24	CONN	Edwards 32 yd rush	10-67 (5:09)	10-24
4	3:28	BSU	Ashley 1 yd rush	8-65 (3:10)	17-24
4	1:50	CONN	Edwards 67 yd rush	3-68 (1:35)	17-31
4	0:09	BSU	Patel 11 yd reception	6-65 (1:28)	25-17

CONN Leaders

Rushing	Att	Yds	TD	Long
Edwards	24	194	2	67
Fagnano	4	15	0	7
Smith	2	8	0	7
Rosa	3	5	0	4

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long
Fagnano	20-30-0	181	1	46

Receiving	Rec	Yds	TD	Long
Bell	14	113	1	46
Porter	1	33	0	33
Neider	1	26	0	26

Tackles: Parham 9 (0.5 sack), McLean 9 (1 TFL), King 8 (1 sack), Molette 6 (1 INT, 1 PBR), Diomande 6 (1 sack), Smiley 4, Gilbert 4 (0.5 TFL), Pringle 3, Branch 3 (0.5 sack), Chadwick 3, Brinson 2, Key 2, Carroll-Jackson 2, Harris 2, Lomax 1, Hoffman 1, Black 1

BSU Leaders

Rushing	Att	Yds	TD	Long
Ashley	18	86	1	16
Horton	6	41	0	13
Kelly	12	27	0	27

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long
Kelly	17-24-1	209	1	53
Magwood	1-1	19	1	19

Receiving	Rec	Yds	TD	Long
Hamilton	7	61	0	22
Magwood	2	59	0	53
Kelly	1	19	1	19
Patel	1	11	1	11

Tackles: Chea 8, Fields 6 (1 PBR), Yates 5, Lewis 4, Gravely 4, Pearson 3 (1 PBR), Shepherd 3, Wiegold 3, Conley 3, Voorhis 3, Hughes 3, Whitner 2, McCargo 2, Stemler 2, Beebe 2 (1 TFL) Webster 2, Glenn 2, Okorie 1, McClain 1, Echoles 1, Hoover 1, Nawrocki 1



GAME 5

OHIO	7	7	0	0	-	14
BALL STATE	0	0	10	10	-	20

Oct. 4, 2025 | Muncie, Ind. | Scheumann Stadium (8,427) | 3:25

Qian Magwood's 43-yard reception at just under the one-minute mark in the fourth quarter awarded Ball State a 18-14 lead against Ohio. Redshirt freshman Donovan Hamilton's grab on a successful two-point conversion sealed the victory for the Cardinals, opening Mid-American Conference play with a win over the defending conference champions, 20-14.

The Cardinals' (2-3, 1-0 MAC) comeback began in the third quarter, limiting the Bobcats (3-3, 1-1 MAC) to a scoreless quarter on just 22 totals yards. Quarterback Kiae Kelly's 13-yard rush into the endzone and a 22-yard field goal from Carson Holmer shrunk the deficit to four after giving up two scores to Ohio in the first half.

Defensive veteran Nathan Voorhis led the suffocating Ball State defense, capturing a career-high 3.5 sacks, along with eight tackles. His season total of 6.5 sacks has already eclipsed Ball State's 2024 sack leader Riley Tolsma who recorded 5.5. The Ball State defense tallied six tackles for loss and three pass breakups on the afternoon. The defensive unit's relentless pressure contributed to big plays down the stretch, including a safety in the fourth which brought the game to 14-12.

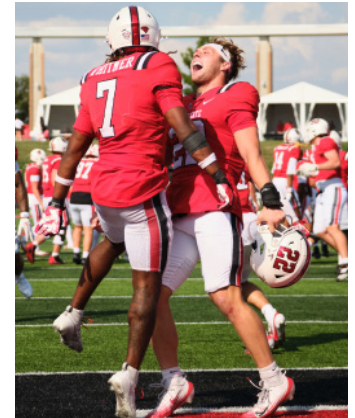
While Ohio's offense led the charge in the contest's first two quarters, securing two touchdowns on 262 yards, Ball State's defense limited the Bobcats to just 95 yards in the second half of play.

Magwood recorded catches of 35 and 43 yards on his way to lead Ball State's receiving unit, totaling 92 yards on four grabs. Nine different Ball State targets were found throughout the game.

On the ground, Kelly ran 96 yards on 21 attempts and broke through on multiple occasions to advance the Cardinals down the field.

The Cardinals out-rushed the Bobcats, and nearly out-passed them, while Kelly matched his career-high 17 completions, which he first recorded at Connecticut two weeks ago.

Team Statistics	BSU	OHIO
First Downs	20	18
Rush Yds	172	168
Pass Yds	185	188
Passing	17-33-0	16-29-0
Total Offense	357	356
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties-Yds	2-15	8-90
Punts-Avg	7-36	4-52.2
TOP	31:51	28:09
3rd Downs	9-20	7-14
4th Downs	1-2	0-2
Red Zone	2-3	2-3
Sacks-Yards	0-0	4-21



Qtr	Time	Team	Scoring Play	Drive	Score (V-H)
1	4:39	Ohio	Brune 1 yd rush	5-50 (1:58)	7-0
2	3:24	Ohio	Harris 23 yd reception	9-70 (3:57)	14-0
3	7:05	BSU	Kelly 13 yd rush	11-80 (5:27)	14-7
3	0:25	BSU	Holmer 22 yd field goal	8-48 (3:23)	14-10
4	8:39	BSU	Safety	0-0 (0:00)	14-12
4	0:57	BSU	Magwood 43 yd reception	9-70 (2:07)	14-20

BSU Leaders

Rushing	Att	Yds	TD	Long
Kelly	21	96	1	20
Horton	7	26	0	11
McDoughle	1	23	0	23
Ashley	12	21	0	7

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long
Kelly	17-33-0	185	1	43

Receiving	Rec	Yds	TD	Long
Magwood	4	92	1	43
Ashley	4	28	0	19
Hamilton	2	18	0	11

Tackles: Voorhis 8 (3.5 sacks), Gravelly Jr. 6, Whitner 5, Beebe 5 (0.5 sack), Pearson 4 (2 PBR), Harmon 4, Stemler 4 (0.5 TFL, 1 PBR), Hudson 4, Chea 3 (1 PBR), Lewis 3 (1 TFL), McCargo 3, Yates 3, Feeney 3 (0.5 TFL), Shepherd 2 (0.5 TFL), Fields 2, Conley 2, Starks 2, Hughes 2 (1 PBR), Johnson 1, Wing 1, Wiegold 1.

OHIO Leaders

Rushing	Att	Yds	TD	Long
Navarro	13	77	0	44
Bangura	15	68	0	29
Brune	8	26	1	7

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long
Navarro	16-29-0	188	1	37

Receiving	Rec	Yds	TD	Long
Hendricks	8	104	0	37
Harris	4	58	1	23
Dorwart	1	9	0	9
Bruno	1	8	0	8

Tackles: Williams 11 (1 TFL), Molnar 11 (1 TFL, 2 PBR), Hollobaugh 10 (1 TFL), Crable 7 (2 TFL, 1 PBR), Walker 6, Thomeson 5, Christopher 5 (1 TFL), Pearson 4 (2 PBR), Luqman 4 (1.5 TFL), Bannister 4 (2 PBR), Neubert 4, Hale 3, Mitchell 3 (0.5 TFL), Dukes 2 (1PBR), Williams 1, Brune 1, Dennis 1.



GAME 6

BALL STATE	0	0	0	0	-	0
WESTERN MICH	14	7	7	14	-	42

Oct. 11, 2025 | Kalamazoo, Mich. | Waldo Stadium (20,023) | 3:03

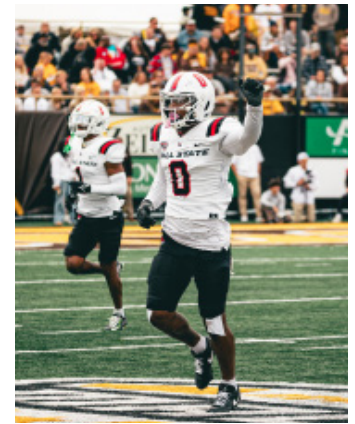
Shut out at halftime last week against Ohio, Ball State responded with 20 second-half points in a come-from-behind 20-14 win. Saturday at Western Michigan though, a 21-0 halftime deficit was never challenged as the Broncos upended the Cardinals, 42-0, in Ball State's first road defeat of the Mid-American Conference schedule.

Western Michigan (4-3, 3-0) won its fourth straight game overall to remain in first place in the MAC, and extended a four-game win streak over the Cardinals. Ball State (2-4, 1-1 MAC) evened its conference record, a week ahead of hosting Akron in its annual homecoming game at Scheumann Stadium.

Saturday's storyline was defense -- Western Michigan forced 10 punts by the Cardinals' Adam Saul, and limited the Cardinals to just 1-of-13 on third down. While the Cardinals strung together six drives of eight plays or more in last week's win, WMU confined the Cardinals to just 85 yards total offense and their longest drive was only six plays. Ball State was limited to a season-low five first downs.

Ball State's defense forced a pair of turnovers, including Eric McClain's fourth-quarter interception that was the Cardinals' first of the season.

Team Statistics	WMU	BSU
First Downs	24	5
Rush Yds	219	20
Pass Yds	242	68
Passing	24-29-1	13-23-0
Total Offense	461	88
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	2-2
Penalties-Yds	4-30	4-31
Punts-Avg	3-53	10-40.3
TOP	35:37	24:23
3rd Downs	8-14	1-13
4th Downs	1-2	0-1
Red Zone	5-6	0-0
Sacks-Yards	5-31	0-0



Qtr	Time	Team	Scoring Play	Drive	Score (V-H)
1	1:56	WMU	Mataele 1 yd rush	3-53 (1:22)	0-7
2	13:47	WMU	Brescia 5 yd reception	4-27 (1:28)	0-14
2	8:16	WMU	Buckley 2 yd rush	6-73 (2:39)	0-21
3	7:59	WMU	Chenault 14 yd reception	8-73 (3:25)	0-28
4	8:26	WMU	Lowry 37 yd rush	9-78 (5:17)	0-35
4	3:42	WMU	Conley 1 yd reception	8-27 (4:09)	0-42

WMU Leaders

Rushing	Att	Yds	TD	Long
Lowry	13	108	1	37
Miles	12	46	0	15
Chenault	1	25	0	25
Mataele	5	15	1	5

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long
Lowry	23-27-0	241	2	52
Jones	1-2-1	1	1	1

Receiving	Rec	Yds	TD	Long
Williams	5	55	0	24
Dieudonne	1	52	0	52
Chenault	3	29	1	14

Tackles: Tucker 7 (3.5 sacks), Pope 5, Saipaia 5 (0.5 sacks), Sims 4, Davis 4 (1 TFL, 1 PBR), Camden 3, Fisher 3 (2 TFL, 1 FF), McGraw 3, Franklin 2 (1 PBR), Hallock 2 (1 TFL), Paul 2, Moore 2, Moon 2 (0.5 sacks), Tyler 2 (1 TFL), Al-Garawi 1, Peters 1, Lyles 1, Steely 1, Welch 1, Gerig 1 (1 FF), Baker 1, Lee 1 (0.5 sack), Stewart 1, Fraizer 1..

BSU Leaders

Rushing	Att	Yds	TD	Long
Kelly	12	7	0	13
Ashley	6	17	0	9
Horton	4	9	0	6

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long
Kelly	13-22-0	68	0	15
Leffler	0-1-0	0	0	0

Receiving	Rec	Yds	TD	Long
Magwood	3	26	0	13
Robinson	2	21	0	15
Gross	1	10	0	10
Weatherly	5	4	0	3

Tackles: Chea 7 (1 PBR), Stemler 6, McCargo 6 (1 PBR), Whitner 5, Adewoyin 5, Fields 5 (1 TFL), McClain 4 (1 INT), Yates 4, Hughes 4, Marsh 3, Voorhis 3 (1 TFL), Lewis 2 (1 TFL), Johnson 2, Wing 2, Harmon 2, Beebe 2, Thomas 2, Glenn 2, Wiegold 1, Jones 1, Simpson 1.



GAME 7

AKRON	8	7	10	3	-	28
BALL STATE	14	0	14	14	-	42

Oct. 18, 2025 | Muncie, Ind. | Scheumann Stadium (12,248) | 3:32 ET

Kiael Kelly accounted for four touchdowns and the Ball State defense came up with a pair of clutch interceptions following an hour-long weather delay to lead football to a 42-28 homecoming win over Akron in front of 12,248 fans Saturday at Scheumann Stadium.

With the victory, the Cardinals (3-4, 2-1 MAC) moved above .500 in Mid-American Conference play and handed the Zips (2-6, 1-3 MAC) a second straight defeat. It was the Cardinals' fourth consecutive victory on homecoming, marking the program's longest homecoming win streak since a record seven-year run in the 1990s.

With Ball State leading 35-25 after Kelly's third rushing touchdown of the game, a one-yard rush around the left side of the offensive line, Akron took the ensuing kickoff down to the one-yard line before heavy rain and lightning in the area led to a one-hour delay.

Coming out of the delay, the Zips were denied a touchdown thanks to a third-and-one stop from linebackers Alfred Chea and Caden Johnson. That forced Akron to settle for a 19-yard field goal, cutting the Ball State advantage to 35-28.

What happened next turned out to be the biggest play of the game, as TJ Horton collected the kickoff at the 10-yard line, broke several tackles in the middle of the field, and ultimately reached the end zone for a 90-yard touchdown to help BSU recapture the two-score lead at 42-28. It was Ball State's first kickoff return for a touchdown since Malcolm Gillie returned one 97 yards on Oct. 5 last season versus Western Michigan.

From there, the defense took over with defensive backs Roman Pearson and Joedrick Lewis sealing the victory with interceptions on the next two drives to halt any attempt at a comeback from Akron.

Overall, Kelly accounted for 121 yards and one touchdown through the air, while adding 58 yards and three touchdowns on the ground. His first score was a three-yard rush on Ball State's second drive to answer an eight-point opening drive from the Zips.

After the defense held Akron to a three-and-out, Kelly busted a third-and-18 play from BSU's 46-yard line for 33 yards, before scoring two plays later on a 26-yard scamper. The effort gave Ball State a 14-8 advantage late in the opening quarter.

However, the Zips were able to reclaim the lead at 15-14 with 1:26 remaining in the opening half.

Ball State's leading rusher on the day, Qua Ashley, would give the hosts the lead for good a little over five minutes into the second half with the game's longest play from scrimmage, a 69-yard run through the Akron defense and then up the right sideline.

Ashley would also add a 27-yard run and finish the game with 143 total yards on the ground, his second-highest rushing total this season.

After an Akron field goal cut the lead to 21-18 with 7:28 remaining in the third quarter, Kelly hooked up with Koby Gross for a 29-yard touchdown to cap a 72-yard scoring drive. The play gave the Cardinals a 28-18 edge with 5:52 remaining in the third.

Gross also hauled in a 42-yard reception, the longest passing play of the game, and led the Ball State offense with 81 receiving yards.

Akron's final touchdown came with 24 seconds remaining in the third, briefly cutting the lead to 28-25, before Kelly's final rushing touchdown set up the final series of events.

On the defensive front defensive end Nathan Voorhis registered his MAC-leading ninth sac of the season and tallied five total tackles, while defensive back Michael Gravely Jr. recorded a team-high seven tackles.

Team Statistics	BSU	AKR
First Downs	17	24
Rush Yds	216	128
Pass Yds	158	291
Passing	11-20-1	22-40-2
Total Offense	374	419
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	0-0
Penalties-Yds	6-50	9-74
Punts-Avg	4-49.2	4-39
TOP	31:48	30:00
3rd Downs	4-13	2-12
4th Downs	0-1	1-4
Red Zone	4-4	0-0
Sacks-Yards	4-27	4-27



Qtr	Time	Team	Scoring Play	Drive	Score (V-H)
1	11:42	AKR	Polk 19 yd reception	5-34 (1:56)	8-0
1	6:13	BSU	Kelly 3 yd rush	10-75 (5:29)	8-7
1	:45	BSU	Kelly 26 yd rush	7-72 (4:31)	8-14
2	1:26	AKR	Mason 37 yd reception	10-96 (2:52)	15-14
3	9:54	BSU	Ashley 69 yd rush	2-72 (:54)	15-21
3	7:28	AKR	Schramm 29 yd field goal	8-63 (2:26)	18-21
3	5:52	BSU	Gross 29 yd reception	3-75 (1:36)	18-28
3	0:24	AKR	Polk 4 yd reception	5-52 (2:16)	25-28
4	10:43	BSU	Kelly 1 yd rush	9-75 (4:41)	25-35
4	5:47	AKR	Schramm 19 yd field goal	10-74 (4:56)	28-35
4	5:34	BSU	Horton 90 yd kickoff return		28-42

BSU Leaders

Rushing	Att	Yds	TD	Long
Ashley	20	143	1	69
Kelly	19	58	3	33
Horton	3	22	0	8
Mataele	5	15	1	5

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long
Kelly	10-19-1	121	1	42
Robinson	1-1-0	37	0	37

Receiving	Rec	Yds	TD	Long
Gross	3	81	1	42
Cassens	1	37	0	37
Magwood	1	17	0	17

Tackles: Gravely Jr. 7 (0.5 sack), Chea 6, Pearson 6 (1 INT), Lewis 5 (1 INT), Mc-Cargo 5, Stemler 5, Conley 5 (1 sack), Voorhis 5 (1 sack), Fields 3, Harmon 3, Beebe 3, Echoles Jr. 3, Hughes 3 (0.5 sacks), Johnson 2, Whitner 2 (1 PBR), Peters 1, Lyles 1, Steely 1, Welch 1, Feeney 2, Glenn 1 (1 sack), Marsh 1. (0.5 sack), Stewart 1, Fraizer 1..

AKR Leaders

Rushing	Att	Yds	TD	Long
Grant	19	94	0	27
Finley	9	10	0	21
Patrick	7	24	0	8

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long
Finley	22-40-2	291	3	37

Receiving	Rec	Yds	TD	Long
Grear Jr.	4	87	0	37
Polk	5	72	2	25
Mason	4	53	1	37
Cravaack	3	32	0	15
Williams	2	24	0	13

Tackles: Laventure 9 (1 sack, 1 FR), Johnson 8 (1 INT), Cooper 6 (1 TFL), Anderson 5, Springgs 5, Fields 5 (1 TFL), McClain 4 (1 INT), Yates Durham 4 (1 sack), Reed 4, Dall 4 (1 sack), Boswell 4 (1 sack, 1 FF), Flowers 3 (1 FF), Summers 3 (2 TFL), Hunter 2, Dewalt IV 2, Branch 1, Hull 1, Fraizer 1.



GAME 8

BALL STATE	0	7	0	0	-	7
Northern Illinois	7	0	7	7	-	21

Oct. 25, 2025 | Dekalb, Ill. | Huskie Stadium (10,124) | 2:32 CT

Redshirt senior quarterback Kiae Kelly led the Cardinals (4-4; 2-2 Mid-American Conference) with 86 yards on the ground and 136 through the air. The biggest play being a one-yard touchdown pass to redshirt senior Drew Cassens to tie the score at 7-7 two-and-a-half minutes into the second quarter.

It was Cassens' first touchdown in his debut season at Ball State and second of his collegiate career, with the other coming during his 2022 campaign as a redshirt sophomore for the Huskies (2-6; 1-3 MAC).

While the Ball State offense was able to limit Northern Illinois to 65 yards through the air, the Huskies were able to tally 305 rushing yards, with a pair of 100-yard rushers. The biggest play being a 53-yard touchdown run by Telly Johnson Jr. to open the scoring in NIU's first possession.

The Cardinals would hold NIU to just seven points in the opening 30 minutes, with the game tied at the half. Unfortunately, the Huskies scored on a seven-yard rush in the third quarter and a 14-yard pass in the fourth to cap the scoring.

Ball State tried to mount a late comeback, driving to the Northern Illinois 13-yard line with 3:57 remaining before an interception gave the ball back to the Huskies. Sophomore defensive back Eric McClain would give the Cardinals one more shot, chasing down NIU's leading rusher Chavon Wright on a 17-yard run and forcing a fumble with 1:56 remaining which was recovered by redshirt freshman outside linebacker Layton Starks.

The Cardinals would take the ball down to the NIU one-yard line but was stopped twice on rushing attempts to end the game at 21-7.

Along with the late fourth-quarter fumble, the Cardinals were able to force a season-high three turnovers in the game. Redshirt senior defensive back Joedrick Lewis gave BSU its first by picking up his second interception in as many games in the first quarter.

Redshirt junior linebacker Caden Johnson provided the second by forcing a fumble in the second quarter which was also recovered by Starks. Overall, the Ball State defense has recorded seven takeaways over the last three games, after logging just one over the first five games.

Johnson would also tie for team-high honors with eight total tackles, along with redshirt senior linebacker Alfred Chea and senior linebacker Jack Beebe.

Senior defensive end Nathan Voorhis was also credited with his MAC-leading 10th sack of the season to end an NIU drive in the third quarter, one of his two tackles for loss in the game. With the sack, Voorhis becomes just the seventh player in program history to register double-digit sacks in a single season.

Voorhis needs 1.5 more sacks to reach the NCAA recognized single season record of 11.5 established by Anthony Winbush in 2017. He is three shy of the overall single season record of 13 set by Craig Newbury in 1981 and tied by Kelly George in 1982.

Team Statistics	NIU	BSU
First Downs	17	15
Rush Yds	305	139
Pass Yds	65	136
Passing	6-11-1	10-23-2
Total Offense	370	275
Fumbles-Lost	2-2	2-1
Penalties-Yds	4-35	4-40
Punts-Avg	4-41.5	5-42.8
TOP	30:30	29:30
3rd Downs	9-16	6-15
4th Downs	1-2	1-1
Red Zone	2-3	1-3
Sacks-Yards	4-26	1-7



Qtr	Time	Team	Scoring Play	Drive	Score (V-H)
1	11:41	NIU	Johnson Jr. 53 yd rush	3-60 (1:08)	0-7
2	13:30	BSU	Cassens 1 yd reception	11-80 (5:13)	7-7
3	7:26	NIU	Holst 7 yd rush	15-78 (7:30)	7-14
4	13:59	NIU	Rogers 14 yd reception	4-33 (1:25)	7-21

NIU Leaders

Rushing	Att	Yds	TD	Long
Wright	37	166	0	18
Johnson Jr.	15	100	1	53
Holst	3	36	1	36
Rogers	2	3	0	3

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long
Holst	6-11-1	65	1	22

Receiving	Rec	Yds	TD	Long
Rogers	3	43	1	22
Givens III	1	11	0	11
Appelget	1	9	0	9

Tackles: Urwiler 14 (1 TFL), Reynolds 7 (2 PBR), Hensley 7 (1 sack), Jammeh 6, Maciorowski 4 (1 sack, 1FF), Dixon 3, Thomas 3 (2 sacks), Beeler 3 (1 INT), Powell 3, Myles 2, Williams 2, Pretto 2 (1 FR), Finley IV 2 (1 INT), Williams 2, Gulley 1, Windham 1, Tate 1, Thompson 1.

BSU Leaders

Rushing	Att	Yds	TD	Long
Kelly	27	86	0	19
Ashley	11	37	0	12
Horton	4	11	0	6

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long
Kelly	10-23-2	136	1	25

Receiving	Rec	Yds	TD	Long
Robinson	3	37	0	16
McDougle	1	25	0	25
Magwood	1	21	0	21
Horton	1	19	0	19
Cassens	1	1	1	1

Tackles: Johnson 9 (1 TFL, 1 FF), Chea 8, Beebe 7, Voorhis 6 (2 TFL, 1 sack), Fields 5, McCargo 5, Wiegold 5, McClain 4 (1 FF), Pearson 4, Whitner 4, Gravely Jr. 3, Echoles 3, Starks 3 (2 FR), Lewis 2 (1 INT), Conley 2, Hughes 2, Hudson 2, Weatherly 1, Harmon 1, Adewoyin 1, Thomas 1, Glenn 1, Hohlt 1.





