

# **Fairfield University Men's Lacrosse**

2016 Game Notes

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## **2016 SCHEDULE & RESULTS**

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Feb. 15	Richmond (DH)L, 11-10
Feb. 20	Bucknell (DH) L, 13-8
Feb. 27	at Rutgers 3 PM
March 1	UMass Lowell 3 PM
March 5	Stony Brook 1 PM
March 8	at Georgetown 3 PM
March 12	Yale (SNY/ESPN3) 1 PM
March 19	at Colgate12 PM
March 22	Quinnipiac 7 PM
March 26	at Villanova 1 PM
April 2	at Hofstra * 7 PM
April 9	Drexel * (DH) 3 PM
April 16	Massachusetts * 1 PM
April 23	at Towson * 12 PM
April 29	at Delaware * 7 PM

#### \* Colonial Athletic Association game

DH denotes doubleheader with Fairfield women's lacrosse Home games played on Conway Field at Rafferty Stadium

## **Q**UICK FACTS

Location	Fairfield, Conn.
Founded	1942
Enrollment	3,970
Affiliation	NCAA Division I
Conference	Colonial Athletic Association
School Color	Red
Nickname	Stags
Home Field	. Conway Field at Rafferty Stadium

#### **Program History**

First Season	1972
First Varsity Season	1993
Varsity Record	165-160
NCAA Appearances (2)	2002. 2005

#### **Team Information**

Head Coach	Andy Copelan (Bucknell '03)
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Record at Fairfield	64-43 (8th season)
Career Record	82-58 (10th season)
Associate Head Coach	Andy Whitley
Assistant Coaches	Colin Hulme, Joe Izzo
2015 Overall Record	9-6
2015 CAA Record	4-1 (1st)
Starters Returning/Lo	st5/5
Total Returning/Lost	27/18



Last Meeting	W, 5-4 (3/7/2009 at Fairfield)
Fairfield vs. Rutgers	4-1
Copelan vs. Rutgers	1-0
Live Video	BTN2Go.com
Live Stats	ScarletKnights.com
Twitter	@FairfieldStags, @StagsMensLax



Game 3 • February 27, 2016 • 3 PM • Piscataway, N.J. • High Point Solutions Stadium (52,454)

#### The Lead

The Fairfield University men's lacrosse team hits the road for the first time in 2016, traveling to Piscataway, N.J. to challenge Rutgers. Faceoff at High Point Solutions Stadium is slated for 3 p.m.

#### Fairfield's Last Time Out

Tyler Behring made a career-high 23 saves in goal, but the Stags were upended by visiting Bucknell by a 13-8 count on Saturday, Feb. 20. TJ Neubauer led the offense with three goals and an assist.

In addition to Neubauer's hat trick, the Stags benefitted from two Joe Rodrigues goals as well as markers from Charlie Schnider, Colin Burke and the first career tally from Nico Panepinto. Burke, who is the reigning CAA Rookie of the Week, also handed out two assists.

Behring's 23-save performance marked the best in the nation since Detroit's Jason Weber turned away 28 offerings from Mercer on March 4, 2015. It was also the most saves by a CAA netminder since Austin Kaut made 25 stops for Penn State against Massachusetts on March 19, 2011.

In front of Behring, Matt Borda led the defensive effort with three ground balls and two caused turnovers. Logan Williamson also collected three ground balls.

To go along with his four-point day, Neubauer had a team-best four ground balls as Fairfield nabbed 17 to Bucknell's 36. The Bison were bolstered in that department by a 19-6 advantage at the faceoff 'X'.

Bucknell was guided on the offensive end by three goals and two assists from Sean Doyle. Will Sands added a goal and two helpers, and Tommy O'Connor netted a pair for the unbeaten Bison.

Last Game's Starters (2016 Season Stats)							
#	Name	Yr.	Pos.	G	Α	P	Stats vs. Bucknell
4	Joe Rodrigues	So.	Α	3	0	3	2 G
7	Nico Panepinto	Jr.	Α	1	0	1	1 G, 1 GB
42	Colin Burke	Fr.	Α	4	3	7	1 G, 2 A
5	Charlie Schnider	Sr.	M	4	3	7	1 G, 1 A, 1 GB
15	TJ Neubauer	Sr.	M	4	1	5	3 G, 1 A, 4 GB
19	Charlie Horning	So.	M	0	0	0	
6	<b>Andrew Eidenshink</b>	Jr.	D	0	0	0	
23	Logan Williamson	Jr.	D	0	0	0	3 GB
44	Matt Borda	Jr.	D	0	0	0	3 GB, 2 CT
40	Tyler Behring	Jr.	GK	0	0	0	23 saves, 2 GB, 1 CT
12	Will Fox	So.	F/0	0	0	0	4-19 faceoff



Head Coach Andy Copelan
Eighth Season • Bucknell '03
2015 CAA Coach of the Year

The 2016 season is Andy Copelan's eighth at the helm of the Fairfield University men's lacrosse team. He has posted a 64-43 (.598) record with the Stags and owns a nine-year NCAA Division I head coaching record of 82-58 (.586).

Copelan was named the program's third head coach in varsity history on August 25, 2008 and has returned the Stags to the national conversation. Fairfield ranked as high as 18th in the polls last spring, having entered the national ledger in each of the last four seasons and six of Copelan's first seven years on the sidelines.

Copelan led the Stags into a new era in 2015, as Fairfield joined the nationally-prominent Colonial Athletic Association. The Stags made an immediate impact on the CAA, winning the regular season title and hosting the 2015 CAA Championship on newly-constructed Conway Field at Rafferty Stadium. Copelan was tabbed as the CAA Coach of the Year for his efforts, leading Fairfield to a 9-6 record and producing 11 All-CAA honorees, including Rookie of the Year Will Fox '18.

2015's group of 10 graduating seniors was the winningest four-year class in Fairfield history, compiling 41 total wins and a .661 winning percentage - both program records for a four-year class during the varsity era (1993-present).

Following this past season, TJ Neubauer '16 was drafted into the professional ranks as the 34th overall pick in the MLL Collegiate Draft by the Rochester Rattlers. The midfielder was the second-highest draft choice in Fairfield history and represents the ninth Stag to have played for Copelan to join the MLL as a draftee or signee.

Fairfield made four consecutive ECAC postseason appearances from 2011-14, including three trips to the ECAC Championship Game. Along the way, the program has earned several landmark victories. Copelan's 2013 club recorded the Stags' first-ever victory over the nation's top-ranked team with an overtime triumph at No. 1 Denver, and the 2010 Fairfield team topped a Notre Dame club that went on to reach the NCAA National Championship Game. All told, the Stags have bested at least one ranked opponent in each of Copelan's seven seasons at Fairfield.

Copelan has seen his student-athletes excel in the classroom as well. During his stay at the helm, every student-athlete that has completed his eligibility has also earned a degree from Fairfield. The Stags had 39 student-athletes earn All-ECAC Academic Team honors under Copelan's tutelage, including a program-high 10 honorees in 2014. In 2015, Drew Federico '15 was named to the CAA All-Academic Team, with Max Buchanan '15 and Tristan Sperry '15 collecting USILA Scholar All-America distinctions.

Signs of the Stags' return to national prominence were immediate when Copelan took the reins for the 2009 season. His first team went 7-6 overall to earn the program's first winning record since 2005 and a winning mark (4-3) in the ECAC Lacrosse League for the first time since joining the league in 2006. Fairfield has continued its upward trend under Copelan; the Stags have never closed the year with a sub-.500 record overall or in conference play during his tenure.

Fairfield is the second head coaching stop on Copelan's resume, who was the youngest head coach in the nation when he was hired to lead Marist College in 2004. In his first season with the Red Foxes, he was named the Metro Atlantic Athletic Conference (MAAC) Coach of the Year following a MAAC Regular Season Championship and the program's first winning season in six years. In 2005, he led Marist to its first-ever NCAA postseason berth.

His two-year run with the Red Foxes produced nine All-MAAC honorees, including 2004 Offensive Player and Rookie of the Year Keith Detelj and 2005 Rookie of the Year Dan Needle.

After his stint at Marist, Copelan held an assistant coaching position at the University of Maryland from 2006-08, rising to the offensive coordinator position for his last campaign with the Terps. Maryland reached the NCAA Tournament in each of Copelan's three seasons, highlighted by a trip to the 2006 Final Four. Copelan also served as the recruiting coordinator for Maryland in his final two seasons, with great success. Inside Lacrosse ranked the Terps' 2007 incoming class as the second best in the nation, and the 2008 class was dubbed as a third-best in the country. Individually, Copelan helped the Terps to secure six of 2008's top-50 high school recruits.

#### **KEEPING UP WITH THE COMPETITION**

(through games played on Tuesday, Feb. 23)

The Stags' 2016 opponents were a combined 117-115 last season and are off to an aggregate 16-11 start to the current campaign. Six teams are ranked in this week's edition of the USILA Coaches' Poll with four more of the Stags' 2016 foes unranked but receiving votes.

Opponent	2016 Record	Feb. 22 USILA Ranking	Result vs. Fairfield
Richmond	3-0	RV	Richmond, 11-10
Bucknell	3-0	20	Bucknell, 13-8
at Rutgers	2-0	RV	Feb. 27
UMass Lowell	0-2		March 1
Stony Brook	2-0	19	March 5
at Georgetown	0-1	17	March 8
Yale	1-0	7	March 12
at Colgate	1-1		March 19
Quinnipiac	0-1		March 22
at Villanova	0-1	RV	March 26
at Hofstra*	1-0	12	April 2
Drexel*	0-1		April 9
Massachusetts*	1-1	RV	April 16
at Towson*	2-0	13	April 23
at Delaware*	0-3		April 29

### **Scouting Rutgers**

After posting a 5-10 record last spring, Rutgers has had a strong start to the 2016 campaign with wins over St. John's (19-11) and Army West Point (13-11). The Scarlet Knights' 2-0 record has them unranked but receiving votes in both the USILA Coaches' and Cascade/Maverik Media Polls.

Adam Charalambides has already netted an NCAA-leading 10 goals for Rutgers – he had six goals and an assist against St. John's and found the back of the cage four times against Army West Point. Charalambides shares the team high of 11 points with 2015 First Team All-Big Ten pick Scott Bieda, who has accumulated six goals and five assists this season.

2015 All-Big Ten Honorable Mention Zack Sikora has returned to the Rutgers midfield, totaling two goals and nine ground balls thus far in his senior season.

Max Edelmann has played all 120 minutes in goal for the Scarlet Knights. He ceded 11 goals in each prior contest and has made 20 saves to tally a .476 save percentage.

The lone All-Big Ten performer lost to graduation for Rutgers was 2015 Specialist of the Year Joe Nardella, who ranked second in the nation with a .670 win percentage at the faceoff 'X'.

## Stags vs. Scarlet Knights

Fairfield and Rutgers renew their all-time series for the first time since 2009. The Stags went 4-0 against the Scarlet Knights when the teams clashed annually as ECAC Lacrosse League foes from 2006-09. Rutgers' lone win against Fairfield was a 7-6 triple-overtime decision in 2004 – the first meeting between the clubs.

### **Stiff Competition**

The Stags' first three opponents of 2016 (Richmond, Bucknell, Rutgers) are a combined 8-0 entering Saturday's slate of games. Bucknell is ranked No. 20 in the two most prominent national polls, with Rutgers unranked but receiving votes on both ledgers and Richmond unranked but under consideration in the Cascade/Maverik Media Poll.

Per the current national rankings, this run is just one of several difficult three-game stretches for the Stags. From March 5-12, Fairfield will challenge No. 19/RV Stony Brook, No. 17/17 Georgetown and No. 7/7 Yale.

## Fairfield vs. Ranked Opponents

Fairfield has defeated at least one ranked opponent (in the USILA Coaches' Poll) in each of Andy Copelan's seven prior seasons at the helm - including a win at then-No. 1 Denver during the 2013 season.

Based upon the Feb. 22 rankings, the Stags will have five more chances during the regular season to extend this streak. The upcoming schedule includes meetings with No. 7 Yale, No. 12 Hofstra, No. 13 Towson, No. 17 Georgetown and No. 19 Stony Brook.

USILA DIVISION I COACHES' POLL	CASCADE/MAVERIK MEDIA POLL	LACROSSE MAGAZINE WEEKLY RANKINGS
Feb. 22, 2016	Feb. 22, 2016	Feb. 22, 2016
1. Denver	1. Notre Dame	1. Notre Dame
2. Notre Dame	2. Denver	2. Denver
3. Duke	3. Syracuse	3. Duke
4. Syracuse	4. Maryland	4. Maryland
5. Maryland	5. Duke	5. Syracuse
6. Loyola	6. Loyola	6. Loyola
7. Yale	7. Yale	7. Johns Hopkins
8. Johns Hopkins	8. Johns Hopkins	8. Yale
9. Brown	9. Brown	9. Brown
10. North Carolina	10. Virginia	10. Virginia
11. Virginia	11. North Carolina	11. Hofstra
12. Hofstra	12. Penn State	12. North Carolina
13. Towson	13. Hofstra	13. Towson
14. Harvard	14. Towson	14. Georgetown
15. Penn State	15. Harvard	15. Navy
16. Navy	16. Navy	16. Penn State
17. Georgetown	17. Georgetown	17. Albany
18. Albany	18. Albany	18. Marquette
19. Stony Brook	19. Cornell	19. Stony Brook
20. Bucknell	20. Bucknell	20. Harvard
Also receiving votes:	Also receiving votes:	Also considered*:
Rutgers, Massachusetts,	Ohio State, Stony Brook,	Bucknell, Cornell,
Cornell, Princeton, Ohio	Marquette, Villanova,	Hartford, Lehigh,
State, Villanova, Penn,	Rutgers, Princeton,	Massachusetts, Ohio
Lehigh, Boston U., Army,	Massachusetts, Lehigh,	State, Penn, Princeton,
Marquette, Hartford	Penn, Richmond	Rutgers, Villanova
		* listed alphabetically

## **Behring Down**

Tyler Behring's career-high 23 saves against Bucknell last Saturday marked the top single-game total in the nation this season. The last Fairfield goalkeeper to accumulate 23 or more saves was Sam Peterson '97 – the Stags' all-time leader in saves – who did so on many occasions en route to an NCAA record 19.58 saves per game in his Fairfield career (1,077 saves in 55 games). Behring is the first CAA goalkeeper with 23 saves since Austin Kaut made 25 stops for Penn State against Massachusetts on March 19, 2011.

In the young 2016 campaign, Behring's 19.00 saves per game lead the nation and his .633 save percentage ranks eighth.

A 2015 Second Team All-CAA honoree, Behring registered a 6.32 goals-against average and a .624 save percentage in 503:22 between the posts last season; his numbers in both categories would have led all of Division I if he had logged enough minutes to qualify.

#### **Five for Five**

Charlie Schnider began his senior season with a five-point outing. The co-captain of the Stags netted a hat trick and dished out two assists in Fairfield's 11-10 loss to Richmond on Feb. 15.

He added a goal and an assist against Bucknell this past Saturday to boost his season total to seven points.

### **An Immediate Impact**

Colin Burke racked up four points in his collegiate debut - scoring three goals and handing out an assist in the Stags' season opener against Richmond. He was lauded for his efforts as the inaugural CAA Rookie of the Week for the 2016 season. Burke added a goal and two assists last Saturday against Bucknell.

#### Mr. Consistent

With his hat trick against Bucknell last Saturday, TJ Neubauer extended his goal- and point-scoring streak to 15 games dating back to the Stags' win over Manhattan on Feb. 21, 2015. There are only seven active goal-scoring streaks in Division I longer than Neubauer's 15-game stretch. His three goals against the Bison ran his career total to 82 markers, ranking ninth all-time in program history.

A First Team All-CAA selection last spring, Neubauer was tabbed as a Preseason All-America Honorable Mention, Preseason All-CAA and Preseason All-NEILA before the start of his senior campaign. He was also a fourth-round selection of the Rochester Rattlers in January's MLL Collegiate Draft.

## **Becoming a 'Regular' Occurrence**

The 2015 CAA regular season championship was the Stags' second consecutive regular season title. Fairfield won the 2014 ECAC Lacrosse League regular season crown in the league's final year of existence.

#### **Overtime Odds & Ends**

Fairfield's double-overtime win against Delaware last April marked the Stags' return to their winning ways when a game exceeds 60 minutes of action; the March 2015 loss at No. 6 Yale ended a six-game winning streak for Fairfield in overtime contests. The Stags are 8-3 in overtime games under Head Coach Andy Copelan.

STAGS IN THE CAA	STAGS IN THE NCAA
(through games played Feb. 24, 2016)	(through games played Feb. 24, 2016)
Team Stats (6 Teams)	Team Stats (67 Teams)
Scoring Offense 9.00 4th	Scoring Offense 9.00 40th
Man-Up Offense5713rd	Man-Up Offense571 11th
Assists Per Game 4.00 3rd	Assists Per Game 4.00 45th
Points Per Game 13.00 4th	Points Per Game 13.00 43rd
Shot Percentage383 2nd	Shot Percentage383 11th
Scoring Defense12.00 5th	Scoring Defense12.00 50th
Man-Down Defense4th	Man-Down Defense571 48th
Ground Balls/Game 17.50 6th	Ground Balls/Game 17.50 65th
Fewest Turnovers/Game 14.00 3rd	Fewest Turnovers/Game 14.00 27th
Caused Turnovers/Game 5.00 4th	Caused Turnovers/Game 5.00 54th
Faceoff Percentage6th	Faceoff Percentage271 62nd
Clearing Percentage725 6th	Clearing Percentage725 60th
Individual Stats (Top 10)	Individual Stats
Goals Per Game	Goals Per Game
3. Colin Burke2.00	66. Colin Burke2.00
3. TJ Neubauer2.00	66. TJ Neubauer2.00
3. Charlie Schnider2.00	66. Charlie Schnider 2.00
Man-Up Goals	Man-Up Goals
2. Colin Burke	10. Colin Burke
3. Conor Dalton 1	29. Conor Dalton 1
3. Charlie Schnider 1	29. Charlie Schnider 1
Assists Per Game	Assists Per Game
2. Colin Burke1.50	61. Colin Burke 1.50
2. Charlie Schnider 1.50	61. Charlie Schnider 1.50
Points Per Game	Points Per Game
3. Colin Burke3.50	48. Colin Burke3.50
3. Charlie Schnider3.50	48. Charlie Schnider 3.50
6. TJ Neubauer2.50	128. TJ Neubauer2.50
Ground Balls Per Game	Ground Balls Per Game
5. TJ Neubauer4.00	53. TJ Neubauer4.00
Caused Turnovers Per Game	Caused Turnovers Per Game
1. Matt Borda	12. Matt Borda 2.50
Goals-Against Average	Goals-Against Average
3. Tyler Behring11.11	45. Tyler Behring11.11
Save Percentage	Save Percentage
3. Tyler Behring633	8. Tyler Behring
Saves Per Game	Saves Per Game
1. Tyler Behring 19.00	1. Tyler Behring 19.00

### **Set Your DVRs**

Fairfield's March 12 home game against Yale will be televised live on SportsNet New York (SNY) and broadcast over the Internet via ESPN3. The broadcast will be produced by the Fairfield University Media Center.

## **Up Next**

Fairfield will have quick turnaround, returning to Conway Field at Rafferty Stadium to host Massachusetts-Lowell on Tuesday, March 1 for a 3 p.m. contest.

The Riverhawks are 0-2 in their second season as an NCAA Division I program after posting a 1-13 mark in 2015 – including an 11-5 home loss to the Stags. Massachusetts-Lowell will travel to Siena on Saturday prior to visiting Fairfield next week.

## 2016 Roster

No	Nama	ΟI	Doo	114	1A/A	Hamatawa (High Cahaal (Last Cahaal)
<u>No.</u>		CI.	Pos.		Wt.	Hometown/High School (Last School)
1	Jay Walsh	Jr.	LSM	6-1	185	Duxbury, Mass./Duxbury
2	Conor Barr	Sr.	LSM	5-11	165	Wilton, Conn./Fairfield Prep
3	Jake Knostman	Jr.	M	6-2	175	Bainbridge Island, Wash./Bainbridge
4	Joe Rodrigues	So.	A/M	6-3	175	Saratoga, Calif./Bellarmine College Prep
5	Charlie Schnider	Sr.	M	6-1	185	Bethesda, Md./Landon (Ohio State)
6	Andrew Eidenshink	Jr.	D	6-0	195	Wyncote, Pa./LaSalle Prep
7	Nico Panepinto	Jr.	A/M	5-11	175	Needham, Mass./Needham
8	Drew Murray	So.	A	5-9	170	Langhorne, Pa./William Penn Charter
9	Liam DaRos	So.	M	6-1	180	Patterson, N.Y./Brewster
10	Joe DeLasho	So.	M	5-10	165	Tuckahoe, N.Y./Fordham Prep
11	J.B. Smith	So.	LSM	6-2	175	Dublin, Ohio/Dublin Jerome
12	Will Fox	So.	M	5-8	180	Mullica Hill, N.J./St. Augustine
14	Joe Guidarelli	Sr.	M	5-11	165	Huntington, N.Y./Harborfields
15	TJ Neubauer	Sr.	M	5-10	190	Glen Arm, Md./Loyola-Blakefield
16	Brad Nordstrom	So.	GK	5-9	170	Phoenix, Ariz./Brophy College Prep
17	Liam Lynch	Fr.	M	5-9	170	Bronxville, N.Y./Bronxville
19	Charlie Horning	So.	A/M	5-8	177	Laytonsville, Md./Georgetown Prep (Villanova)
20	Regan McDuffee	So.	Α	6-3	185	Huntington, N.Y./St. Anthony's
21	Christopher Giorgio	Jr.	M	5-10	190	Sudbury, Mass./Lincoln-Sudbury
22	Daniel Costa	So.	GK	5-11	163	Huntington, N.Y./St. Anthony's
23	Logan Williamson	Jr.	D	6-0	185	New Rochelle, N.Y./Fordham Prep
24	Adam Riestis	Fr.	M	5-11	180	Allen, Texas/Allen
26	Ryan Zoll	Fr.	D	6-2	183	Bel Air, Md./St. Paul's
27	Nick Panara	So.	D	5-10	190	Pittsford, N.Y./Pittsford Sutherland
29	Matt Sharpe	Fr.	M	6-0	165	Duxbury, Mass./Duxbury
31	Brendan Quinn	Fr.	Α	5-11	165	Rockville Centre, N.Y./Chaminade
32	Riley Peters	So.	M	5-8	155	Bethesda, Md./Boys' Latin
33	Samuel Murphy	Fr.	M	6-1	185	Cohasset, Mass./Thayer Academy
34	McKay Sheahan	Fr.	Α	5-8	170	Johns Creek, Ga./Johns Creek
35	Tim Gillis	Fr.	D	5-10	210	Cohasset, Mass./Cohasset
36	Kendall Keahey	Fr.	M	6-0	180	Clay, N.Y./Liverpool
40	Tyler Behring	Jr.	GK	5-8	180	Little Silver, N.J./Berkshire School
41	Dave Fleming	Jr.	A/M	6-3	170	San Carlos, Calif./Saint Ignatius Prep
42	Colin Burke	Fr.	A/M	6-0	165	Lloyd Harbor, N.Y./Cold Spring Harbor
43	Sam Gindhart	Fr.	GK	5-7	155	Spring City, Pa./Bishop Shanahan
44	Matt Borda	Jr.	D	6-0	195	Kensington, Md./Gonzaga Prep
45	Conor Dalton	Sr.	A/M	6-1	195	Ellicott City, Md./Loyola-Blakefield
46	Robert Popdan	Sr.	D	6-1	170	Bayport, N.Y. / Bayport Blue Point
47	Spencer Noonan	So.	D	6-4	200	Sammamish, Wash./Skyline
48	Ryan Antell	Fr.	M	5-9	180	West Chester, Pa./Malvern Prep
	nunciations					
#7	Nico Panepinto					Adam RiestisREES-tis
#9	Liam DaRos					Kendall Keahey KAY-hee
	Joe Guidarelli GV				40 T	yler Behring"Bearing"
#20	Regan McDuffee		REE-g	an		

Head Coach Andy Copelan Eighth Season Bucknell '03

Associate Head Coach Andy Whitley Seventh Season Franklin & Marshall '96

Assistant Coach Colin Hulme Fourth Season Colgate '07

Volunteer Assistant Coach Joe Izzo First Season Southern Conn. St. '88

# **2016 Statistics**

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	0-2	0-2	0-0	0-0
CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	0-2	0-2	0-0	0-0

Date	Opponent		Score Att.
Feb 15	RICHMOND	L	10-11 742
Feb 20	BUCKNELL	L	8-13 1125
TEAM ST	ATISTICS	FFD	OPP
SHOT STA	ATISTICS		
Goals-Sl	hot attempts	18-47	24-103
Goals so	ored per game	9.00	12.00
Shot pct	t <b>.</b>	.383	.233
Shots or	n goal-Attempts	30-47	62-103
SOG pct		.638	.602
Shots/G	ame	23.5	51.5
Assists		8	11
MAN-UP (	OPPORTUNITIES		
Goals-O	pportunities	4-7	3-7
Convers	ion Percent	.571	.429
GOAL BRI	EAKDOWN		
Total Go	oals	18	24
Man-up		4	3
Man-dov	vn	0	0
Unassist	ted	10	13
Overtim	е	0	0
Goals so	ored average	9.00	12.00
GROUND	BALLS	35	64
TURNOVE	:RS	28	21
CAUSED 7	TURNOVERS	10	13
FACEOFFS	S (W-L)	13-48	35-48
Faceoff '	W-L Pct.	.271	.729
CLEARS		29-40	21-24
Clear Pc	t.	.725	.875
PENALTIE	:S		
Number		7	7
Minutes		6:30	5:30
ATTENDA	NCE		
Total		1867	0
Dates/A	vg Per Date	2/934	0/0
Neutral	Site #/Avg	0/0	
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## PLAYER	GP	G	Α	Pts	Sh	Gw			GB	Faceoff
42 Burke, Colin	2	4	3	7	10	0	2	0	0	0-0
5 Schnider, Charlie	2	4	3	7	6	0	1	0	1	0-0
15 Neubauer, TJ	2	4	1	5	11	0	0	0	8	1-2
4 Rodrigues, Joe	2	3	0	3	8	0	0	0	0	0-0
3 Knostman, Jake	2	1	0	1	7	0	0	0	0	0-0
45 Dalton, Conor	2	1	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	0-0
7 Panepinto, Nico	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0-0
8 Murray, Drew	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0-0
41 Fleming, Dave	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0-0
19 Horning, Charlie	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-0 0-0
48 Antell, Ryan 47 Noonan, Spencer	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-0
	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0-0
44 Borda, Matt 40 Behring, Tyler	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0-0
33 Murphy, Samuel	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-0
32 Peters, Riley	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0-0
27 Panara, Nick	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	5-16
23 Williamson, Logan	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0-0
21 Giorgio, Christopher	2	ő	Ö	Ö	0	Ö	0	0	Ö	0-0
16 Nordstrom, Brad	1	Ö	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-0
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## **Game 1: Fairfield vs. Richmond**

### Stags Edged by Richmond, 11-10, in 2016 Opener

Schnider and Burke each net hat tricks on Conway Field at Rafferty Stadium

**FAIRFIELD, Conn.** – The Fairfield University men's lacrosse team opened its 2016 campaign with an 11-10 loss to visiting Richmond on Conway Field at Rafferty Stadium. The contest was a matchup between the defending regular season champions of their respective conferences – the Stags of the CAA and the Spiders of the SoCon.

"Honestly, all that today's loss means is that we're not going undefeated this year," said Head Coach Andy Copelan. "It's never how you start a season, it's how you finish."

Copelan's Stags were edged by Holy Cross, 10-9, to open the 2015 season and went on to win the CAA regular season crown. Dating back to the 2014 campaign, Fairfield's last eight losses have been decided by one goal.

In today's action, Charlie Schnider led the Stags (0-1) on the offensive end with three goals and two assists. Colin Burke also recorded a hat trick and picked up an assist in his collegiate debut. Jake Knostman, Joe Rodrigues, TJ Neubauer and Conor Dalton added goals for the hosts, and Drew Murray joined the scoring column with an assist.

Tyler Behring made 15 saves in goal for the Stags.

After Fairfield grabbed a 2-1 lead on goals from Schnider and Burke (man-up), Richmond put together the stretch that ultimately decided the game. The Spiders ran off the next five goals, keeping the Stags off the board for a span of 17:28 to build a 6-2 advantage. Dalton converted a man-up chance in the final minute to send the Stags into the locker room with momentum, though trailing Richmond by a 6-3 count.

The Spiders controlled the action in the first half, winning 9-of-11 faceoffs. That mark, guided by Peter Moran at the 'X', also propelled that hosts to a 17-4 advantage in ground balls.

The Stags improved in both categories after the intermission, corralling 14 ground balls to Richmond's 11 in the second half and nearly splitting the draws – Richmond won seven with the Stags coming away with five.

"There's no quit in that locker room. The guys came out in the second half and fought tooth and nail," said Copelan, the reigning CAA Coach of the Year. "We won the ground ball battle in the second half, which obviously was one of our shortcomings in the first half."

The Stags' offense also found its stride in the second half, with Neubauer, Schnider and Burke each netting a third-period goal. However, the Spiders answered each marker with one of their own within the next two minutes. The parity was enough to keep Richmond in front, 9-6, entering the final 15 minutes of play.

Schnider completed his hat trick with a man-up goal – assisted by Burke – to start the scoring in the fourth quarter. Burke rounded out his hat trick with 9:48 to go, pulling Fairfield to within one goal at 9-8. Richmond would tack one on at 7:42, but this time Rodrigues had the answer with a mark just 17 seconds later.

The Spiders' final tally was insurance goal that proved to be the difference. Mitch Goldberg buried his fifth goal of the day at 6:08 to extend the margin to 11-9. Knostman provided the answer for Fairfield at 4:59, but neither team would score again as the 11-10 tally held up as a final.

Goldberg led the Richmond offense with five goals and an assist. Benny Pugh went the distance between the posts and made six saves.

The Stags continue their home slate this Saturday, Feb. 20 for a visit from Bucknell. Faceoff on Conway Field is slated for noon. The Bison are 2-0 on the young season with a 13-5 home win over Delaware last Saturday, Feb. 6 and an 11-10 victory over Bryant on Sunday, Feb. 14 in a contest played indoors in Taunton, Mass. due to inclement weather.

"We've got the pieces right now, but we're still trying to put things together," Copelan added. "But I believe in that group of guys. I wish we could be 1-0, but we'll move on."

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Richmond (1-0) vs. Fairfield (0-1)

Date: Feb 15, 2016 Attendance: 742

Weather: 10 degrees at faceoff, flurries

SCORE	1	2	3	4	Total
Richmond	3	3	3	2	11
Fairfield	2	1	3	4	10

#### Richmond

GOALS: Goldberg 5; Hatfield 2; Ginestro 2; Hatem 1; Palmer 1.

ASSISTS: Forester 1; Goldberg 1; Hatem 1; Hatfield 1; Lee 1; Palmer 1.

#### Fairfield

GOALS: Schnider 3; Burke 3; Knostman 1; Rodrigues 1; Neubauer 1; Dalton 1.

#### **ASSISTS**

Schnider 2; Burke 1; Murray 1.

SHOTS	1	2	3	4	Total
Richmond	12	16	10	5	43
Fairfield	6	5	8	9	28
GROUND BALLS	1	2	3	4	<u>Total</u>
Richmond	7	10	7	4	28
Fairfield	2	2	7	7	18
FACE-OFFS	1	2	3	4	<u>Total</u>
Richmond	4-6	5-5	4-6	3-6	16-23
Fairfield	2-5	0-5	2-6	3-6	7-23
F/O VIOLATIONS	1	2	3	4	<u>Total</u>
Richmond	1	0	0	0	1
Fairfield	0	1	1	1	3
EXTRA-MAN OPPS	1	2	3	4	<u>Total</u>
EXTRA-MAN OPPS Richmond	<u>1</u> 0-0			<u>4</u> 1-2	
			0-1	1-2	
Richmond	0-0	0-2	0-1	1-2	1-5
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Richmond Fairfield  CLEARS Richmond Fairfield  SAVES Richmond Fairfield  TURNOVERS	0-0 1-1 1 4-4 4-6 1 2 5	0-2 1-1 2 2-3 4-4 2 1 4	0-1 1-1 3 5-5 5-6 3 1 4	1-2 1-2 4 1-1 3-3 4 2 2	1-5 4-5 Total 12-13 16-19 Total 6 15

## Game 2: Fairfield vs. Bucknell

### **Bucknell Stops Stags, 13-8**

Tyler Behring makes a career-high 23 saves for Fairfield

**FAIRFIELD, Conn.** – Tyler Behring made a career-high 23 saves in goal for the Fairfield University men's lacrosse team, but the Stags were upended by visiting Bucknell by a 13-8 count on Conway Field at Rafferty Stadium. TJ Neubauer led the offense with three goals and an assist.

"There's certainly things to work on which made today an uphill climb," said Head Coach Andy Copelan. "But, with all that said, we had a one-goal lead at halftime and we just weren't able to close. We just have to continue to get better."

In addition to Neubauer's hat trick, the Stags benefitted from two Joe Rodrigues goals as well as markers from Charlie Schnider, Colin Burke and the first career tally from Nico Panepinto. Burke, who is the reigning CAA Rookie of the Week, also handed out two assists.

Behring's 23-save performance marked the best in the nation since Detroit's Jason Weber turned away 28 offerings from Mercer on March 4, 2015. It was also the most saves by a CAA netminder since Austin Kaut made 25 stops for Penn State against Massachusetts on March 19, 2011.

A Second Team All-CAA honoree last season, Behring also picked up one ground ball and recorded a caused turnover. He made 15 saves in Monday's meeting with Richmond.

"We believe in Tyler. He's dependable and we know what we're going to get from him," said Copelan of his junior goalkeeper.

In front of Behring, Matt Borda led the defensive effort with three ground balls and two caused turnovers. Logan Williamson also collected three ground balls.

In addition to his four-point day, Neubauer had a team-best four ground balls as Fairfield nabbed 17 to Bucknell's 36. The Bison were bolstered in that department by a 19-6 advantage at the faceoff 'X'.

Bucknell was guided on the offensive end by three goals and two assists from Sean Doyle. Will Sands and a goal and two helpers, and Tommy O'Connor netted a pair for the unbeaten Bison. Christian Klipstein protected the Bucknell cage and came away with six saves.

The Stags will now hit the road for the first time in 2016 with a trek to Rutgers next Saturday, Feb. 27 for a 3 p.m. faceoff. The Scarlet Knights are 2-0 this spring after wins over St. John's and Army West Point.

Fairfield will then have a short turnaround as action returns to Conway Field at Rafferty Stadium on Tuesday, March 1 for a visit from Massachusetts-Lowell.

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Bucknell (3-0) vs. Fairfield (0-1)

Date: Feb 20, 2016 Attendance: 1125

Weather: 50s, sunny, clear

SCORE	1	2	3	4	Total
Bucknell	2	1	7	3	13
Fairfield	2	2	2	2	8

#### **Bucknell**

GOALS: Doyle 3; O'Connor 2; Gilray 2; Sands 1; O'Hara 1; Flibotte 1; Shanahan 1; Malas 1; Collison 1.

ASSISTS: Dovle 2: Sands 2: O'Hara 1.

#### **Fairfield**

GOALS: Neubauer 3; Rodrigues 2; Burke 1; Schnider 1; Panepinto 1.

#### **ASSISTS**

Burke 2; Neubauer 1; Schnider 1.

SHOTS	1	2	3	4	Total
Bucknell	12	10	25	13	60
Fairfield	7	6	2	4	19
GROUND BALLS	1	2	3	4	Total
Bucknell	11	5	11	9	36
Fairfield	4	4	5	4	17
FACE-OFFS	1	2	3	4	<u>Total</u>
Bucknell	5-5	2-4	8-10	4-6	19-25
Fairfield	0-5	2-4	2-10	2-6	6-25
F/O VIOLATIONS	1	2	3	4	Total
Bucknell	0	1	0	0	1
Fairfield	0	1	1	0	2
EXTRA-MAN OPPS	1	2	3	4	Total
EXTRA-MAN OPPS Bucknell	1 0-0			4 0-0	
		0-0	2-2	0-0	2-2
Bucknell	0-0	0-0	2-2	0-0	2-2
Bucknell	0-0	0-0 0-1	2-2	0-0 0-0	2-2 0-2
Bucknell Fairfield	0-0 0-1	0-0 0-1 2	2-2 0-0	0-0 0-0 4	2-2 0-2 Total
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## **Individual Game Highs**

### **#1 Jay Walsh**

Ground balls: 3, three times

Caused turnovers: 4 at Hofstra (Feb 25, 2014)

## **#2 Conor Barr**

Shots: 1 vs. Hofstra (Apr 24, 2015)

Ground balls: 3, 8 times Caused turnovers: 3, twice

#### **#3 Jake Knostman**

Points: 3, 4 times

Goals: 3 at Massachusetts (Apr 04, 2015) Assists: 2 at Bucknell (Mar 10, 2015) Shots: 8 vs. Delaware (Apr 18, 2015)

Ground balls: 3, twice Man-up goals: 1, 5 times Caused turnovers: 1, twice

#### #4 Joe Rodrigues

Points: 3 vs. Delaware (Apr 18, 2015)

Goals: 2, twice Assists: 1, twice Shots: 5, 3 times Ground balls: 1, 5 times Man-up goals: 1, twice

Caused turnovers: 1 at Mass.-Lowell (Mar 17, 2015)

#### **#5 Charlie Schnider**

Points: 6 vs Manhattan (Feb 21, 2015) Goals: 5 vs Manhattan (Feb 21, 2015) Assists: 3 at Bucknell (Mar 10, 2015) Shots: 8 vs Manhattan (Feb 21, 2015)

Ground balls: 2, 3 times
Man-up goals: 1, twice
Caused turnovers: 1, 3 times

#### #6 Andrew Eidenshink

Shots: 1 at Bellarmine (Mar 29, 2014) Ground balls: 3 vs Manhattan (Feb 21, 2015) Caused turnovers: 3 vs Manhattan (Feb 21, 2015)

#### **#7 Nico Panepinto**

Points: 2 vs Manhattan (Feb 22, 2014) Goals: 1 vs. Bucknell (Feb 20, 2016) Assists: 2 vs Manhattan (Feb 22, 2014) Shots: 2 vs Manhattan (Feb 21, 2015) Ground balls: 1, 3 times

#### **#8 Drew Murray**

Points: 2 at Providence (Feb 18, 2015)

Goals: 1, twice Assists: 1, 4 times

Shots: 5 at Providence (Feb 18, 2015)

Ground balls: 2 at Stony Brook (Feb 28, 2015) Caused turnovers: 2 vs Manhattan (Feb 21, 2015)

#### **#9 Liam DaRos**

Points: 1 at Mass.-Lowell (Mar 17, 2015) Goals: 1 at Mass.-Lowell (Mar 17, 2015) Shots: 2 at Mass.-Lowell (Mar 17, 2015) Man-up goals: 1 at Mass.-Lowell (Mar 17, 2015)

#### **#10 Joe DeLasho**

Ground balls: 2 at Mass.-Lowell (Mar 17, 2015)

Faceoffs won: 3, twice

#### #11 JB Smith

Shots: 1 vs Manhattan (Feb 21, 2015)

Ground balls: 1, twice

Caused turnovers: 1 vs Manhattan (Feb 21, 2015)

#### **#12 Will Fox**

Shots: 1, twice

Ground balls: 10 vs. Delaware (Apr 18, 2015) Faceoffs won: 16 vs. Delaware (Apr 18, 2015)

#### #14 Joe Guidarelli

Ground balls: 1, twice

#### **#15 TJ Neubauer**

Points: 7 at Quinnipiac (Apr 15, 2014) Goals: 6 at Quinnipiac (Apr 15, 2014)

Assists: 1, 11 times

Shots: 15 at Massachusetts (Apr 04, 2015) Ground balls: 7 at Stony Brook (Feb 28, 2015)

Man-up goals: 2, 3 times

Caused turnovers: 4 at Quinnipiac (Apr 15, 2014) Faceoffs won: 1 vs. Richmond (Feb 15, 2016)

### **#16 Brad Nordstrom**

Saves: 13 at Bucknell (Mar 10, 2015) Ground balls: 3 at Bucknell (Mar 10, 2015)

Caused turnovers: 1, 3 times

#### **#19 Charlie Horning**

Shots: 1 vs. Richmond (Feb 15, 2016)

#### **#21 Christopher Giorgio**

Ground balls: 1 at Delaware (Feb 15, 2014)

## **#22 Daniel Costa**

Saves: 1 at Mass.-Lowell (Mar 17, 2015)

#### **#23 Logan Williamson**

Shots: 1 at Drexel (Mar 28, 2015)

Ground balls: 3 vs. Bucknell (Feb 20, 2016)

Caused turnovers: 1, 4 times

#### **#27 Nick Panara**

Ground balls: 2 vs. Richmond (Feb 15, 2016)
Caused turnovers: 1 vs. Richmond (Feb 15, 2016)
Faceoffs won: 3 vs. Richmond (Feb 15, 2016)

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## **Individual Game Highs**

### **#32 Riley Peters**

Ground balls: 1 vs Bucknell (Feb 20, 2016) Caused turnovers: 1 vs Bucknell (Feb 20, 2016)

## **#40 Tyler Behring**

Saves: 23 vs. Bucknell (Feb 20, 2016)

Ground balls: 7 at Mass.-Lowell (Mar 17, 2015) Caused turnovers: 2 at Mass.-Lowell (Mar 17, 2015)

## **#41 Dave Fleming**

Points: 4, twice Goals: 3, twice Assists: 1, 7 times Shots: 7, 3 times Ground balls: 3, 3 times

Ground balls: 3, 3 times Man-up goals: 1, twice

Caused turnovers: 1 vs. Yale (Mar 08, 2014)

#### #42 Colin Burke

Points: 4 vs. Richmond (Feb 15, 2016) Goals: 3 vs. Richmond (Feb 15, 2016) Assists: 2 vs. Bucknell (Feb 20, 2016)

Shots: 8 vs. Richmond (Feb 15, 2016)

Man-up goals: 2 vs. Richmond (Feb 15, 2016)

#### #44 Matt Borda

Ground balls: 9 vs Villanova (Mar 21, 2015) Caused turnovers: 3, twice

#### #45 Conor Dalton

Points: 3 vs Manhattan (Feb 22, 2014) Goals: 3 vs Manhattan (Feb 22, 2014)

Assists: 1, 5 times

Shots: 5 at Mass.-Lowell (Mar 17, 2015) Ground balls: 2 vs Manhattan (Feb 22, 2014) Man-up goals: 2 vs Manhattan (Feb 22, 2014) Caused turnovers: 1 at Yale (Mar. 9, 2013)

# **Career Records**

Go	als			Ga	mes Plaved		
1.	Spencer Steele	1997-00	147	1.	Greg Perraut	2011-14	63
2.	Matt Callaghan	1995-98	146	2.	Bryan Barry	2012-15	61
3.	J.T. Groarke	1996-99	106		Colin McLinden	2012-15	61
4.	Greg Downing	2004-07	101		Tristan Sperry	2012-15	61
5.	Mike Bocklet	2004-07	95		Eric Warden	2011-14	60
	Devin Laden	1994-98	95		Gordie Wells	2010-13	60
7.	Sam Snow	2010-13	90		Spencer Steele	1997-00	60
8.	John Snellman	2009-12	87		Matt Callaghan	1995-98	60
9.	TJ Neubauer	2013-Pres.	82		Mike Keegan	1995-98	60
10.		2005-08	73	10.	O	1995-98	59
Δεσ	sists			She	nte		
1.	J.T. Groarke	1996-99	119		Greg Downing	2004-07	349
2.	Matt Callaghan	1995-98	101	2.	John Snellman	2009-12	328
3.	Colin McLinden	2012-15	87	3.	Spencer Steele	1997-00	315
4.	Spencer Steele	1997-00	63	4.	Sam Snow	2010-13	311
5.	Rob Scipioni	1999-02	61	5.	Matt Callaghan	1995-98	297
J.	Troy Bamann	2001-04	61	6.	Mike Bocklet	2004-07	282
7.	Tristan Sperry	2012-15	54	0.	Tom Werney	2001-05	282
7. 8.	Mike Bocklet	2012-13	52	8.	Devin Laden	1994-98	270
o. 9.	Max Trunz	2004-07	52 50	9.	Brent Adams	2009-12	270 258
						1998-01	
10.	Travis Nelson	2005-08	47	10.	Peter Shanley	1998-01	242
	Mike Keegan	1995-98	47	_			
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	ints	1005.00	0.47	_ 1.	Pete Vlahakis	2001-04	620
1.	Matt Callaghan	1995-98	247	2.	Michael Roe	2012-14	417
2.	J.T. Groarke	1996-99	225	3.	Charles Keinath	2004-07	314
3.	Spencer Steele	1997-00	210	4.	Matt Donahue	1999-02	260
4.	Mike Bocklet	2004-07	147	5.	Steve Golmont	2008-11	238
5.	Greg Downing	2004-07	141				
6.	Colin McLinden	2012-15	139		<u>ce-off Win Percentage (</u>		
	Devin Laden	1994-98	139	1.	Pete Vlahakis	2001-04	.627
8.	Sam Snow	2010-13	134	2.	Michael Roe	2012-14	.541
9.	Tristan Sperry	2012-15	128	3.	Matt Donahue	1999-02	.534
10.	Travis Nelson	2005-08	120	4.	Charles Keinath	2004-07	.521
٥				5.	Marshall Johnson	2010-13	.448
<b>Sa</b> v 1.	<b>Ves</b> Sam Peterson	1994-97	1077	_ Fac	ce-offs Attempted		
2.	C.J. Kemp	2000-03	606	1.	Pete Vlahakis	2001-04	989
3.	Michael Kruger	2004-07	536	2.	Michael Roe	2012-14	771
4.	Charlie Cipriano	2009-12	500	3.	Charles Keinath	2004-07	603
5.	Jack Murphy	2012-14	318	4.	Steve Golmont	2008-11	533
6.	Dan Wilmer	1993	282	5.	Matt Donahue	1999-02	487
7.	Josh Olson	1998-01	267	Э.	att Donaiia0	1000 02	701
8.	Joseph Marra	2008-10	255				
o. 9.	Brad Tarr	1996-99	255 148				
9. <b>10.</b>		2014-Pres.	146 <b>129</b>				
TU.	Tyler Behring	2014-FIES.	123				

# **Single-Season Records**

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Po	ints		<u> </u>
1.	Spencer Steele	1999	75
	Matt Callaghan	1997	75
3.	J.T. Groarke	1997	73
4.	Matt Callaghan	1998	65
	Matt Callaghan	1996	65
6.	J.T. Groarke	1998	58
7.	Spencer Steele	1998	55
8.	J.T. Groarke	1996	53
9.	Colin McLinden	2014	51
	Spencer Steele	1997	51
11.	Devin Laden	1996	50
Go	als		
1.	Spencer Steele	1999	48
2.	Matt Callaghan	1997	45
3.	Spencer Steele	1998	41
	Matt Callaghan	1996	41
5.	J.T. Groarke	1997	40
6.	Spencer Steele	1997	38
7.	Sam Snow	2012	35
8.	Jordan Greenfield	2013	34
9.	TJ Neubauer	2014	33
	Eric Warden	2014	33
	John Snellman	2012	33
	Devin Laden	1996	33
As	sists		
1.	Matt Callaghan	1998	33
	J.T. Groarke	1997	33
3.	J.T. Groarke	1998	30
	Matt Callaghan	1997	30
5.	Colin McLinden	2014	29
	J.T. Groarke	1999	29
7.	Spencer Steele	1999	27
	J.T. Groarke	1996	27
	Troy Bamann	2001	26
10.	Max Trunz	2011	25
Sa	ves		
1.	Sam Peterson	1996	289
2.	Sam Peterson	1997	287
3.	Sam Peterson	1994	282
	Dan Wilmer	1993	282
5.	Sam Peterson	1995	219
6.	C.J. Kemp	2001	215
7.	Charlie Cipriano	2012	185
8.	Charlie Cipriano	2011	177
9.	Jack Murphy	2013	165
10.	Michael Kruger	2005	162

Fac	e-offs Won		
1.	Peter Vlahakis	2004	197
2.	Charles Keinath	2005	177
3.	Michael Roe	2012	175
4.	Peter Vlahakis	2001	166
5.	Peter Vlahakis	2002	150
6.	Michael Roe	2014	121
	Michael Roe	2013	121
8.	Will Fox	2015	119
9.	Matt Donahue	2000	109
10.	Peter Vlahakis	2003	107
Fac	e-off Win Percentage*		
1.	Peter Vlahakis	2004	.654 (197-301)
2.	Peter Vlahakis	2003	.633 (107-169)
3.	Matt Donahue	2000	.623 (109-175)
4.	Peter Vlahakis	2001	.615 (166-270)
5.	Michael Roe	2012	.610 (175-287)
6.	Peter Vlahakis	2002	.602 (150-249)
7.	Will Fox	2015	.586 (119-203)
8.	Charles Keinath	2005	.553 (177-320)
9.	Charles Keinath	2006	.527 (106-201)
10.	Matt Donahue	1999	.518 (102-197)
Fac	e-offs Attempted*		
1.	Charles Keinath	2005	320
2.	Peter Vlahakis	2004	301
3.	Michael Roe	2012	287
4.	Peter Vlahakis	2001	270
5.	Peter Vlahakis	2002	249
6.	Michael Roe	2014	246
7.	Michael Roe	2013	237
8.	Steve Golmont	2010	213
9.	Will Fox	2015	203
10	Charles Keinath	2006	201

<sup>\*</sup>The NCAA did not keep face-off statistics prior to the 1999 season. An individual must have taken at least 40 percent of the team's total face-off attempts in order to be eligible for the record book.